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WESTLINGS.

Road supervisors receipts for sale at the West office.

Get your pump fixed up for the summer at A. O. Funke's.

Born—On Bear creek April 13th, 1899, to the wife of Wm Boren, a son.

The new sidewalk on O W Hurl's corner to the church is completed.

For Dress Cutting and Fitting call at the Ladies Bazaar at Point Terrace.

Hood's Pills cure nausea, sick headache, biliousness, indigestion. Price 25 cents.

The San Francisco Examiner and the West for one year \$2.50 paid in advance.

Spots before the eyes, despondency, dread worry. Hudyen cures. All druggists, 50 cents.

Ex-Governor Wm. P. Lord of Oregon has been appointed minister to Persia by President McKinley.

An attempt was made Sunday night to blow open the safe in W. T. Lewis's butcher shop in Junction City.

Guard: We understand that the relatives of Claude Branton are working on a petition for the commutation of his death to imprisonment for life.

You know that tired feeling is exceedingly disagreeable. What is better, you may know, by a fair trial, that Hood's Sarsaparilla entirely cures it.

During 1898 the insurance companies doing business in Oregon received in premiums \$1,203,008.15 and paid losses amounting to \$425,148.56 and returned premiums amounting to \$231,076.79.

Guard: There are four cases of diphtheria in Floyd Vaughan's family just west of this city. Three of them are getting better, and the other is very malignant. Dr Brown is attending upon them.

The Guard published a call for a mass meeting of the citizens of Eugene and vicinity to be held at the court house Tuesday the 18th to discuss measures to bring about an early return of the Oregon volunteers from Manila.

Some correspondence signed "Hop Louse" was received this week but is not published as the writer failed to send his true name. All articles intended for publication must be accompanied by the real name of the writer whether it is signed to the article or not.

F C Reed of Astoria has been appointed fish and game commissioner to succeed H D McGuire deceased. Mr Reed had six years experience as a member of the fish commission when that body formerly consisted of three persons.

We urge our subscribers who are in arrears for the West to send us all or a part of the amount of your subscriptions. The price of a year's subscription is a small amount but it is by putting those small amounts together that we manage to pay our bills.

The West has for sale one year's tuition in the Holmes Business College of Portland. This is one of the leading business colleges on the coast, having English, Commercial, Shorthand and Telegraphic departments and we offer this tuition on easy terms.

In another column will be found the announcement of Dr Darrin that he will be in Florence next Tuesday to remain till April 15th. He is well known throughout the northwest as a successful physician. Persons who are afflicted with complaints of long standing will do well to consult him.

W R McCornack has added a separator to his dairy plant this season. By its use he keeps the new milk at home to feed to the calves and pigs and can send the cream to the creamery or manufacture it into butter at home, whichever is preferred. We have received some of the butter made by use of the separator and find it of the best quality.

The "Death Knell" has been sounded to Apothecaries' Drugs, and a sign "To Let" will be in many windows of Doctor offices since the AUNT JANE HOME Remedy for female troubles has been placed on the market. Every man or woman, married or single, should send a two-cent stamp to our office for a beautifully illustrated circular, free. Address The Aunt Jane Medicine Co., rooms 13-14 Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

C J Stone, E H Anderson and Briggs of Newport passed through Florence a few days ago on their way to Coquille to engage in mining on Snyder's claim. Mr Stone has a machine of his own invention which he asserts will save all the platinum and ninety-five per cent of the gold from the black sand found on the beach. He informed our reporter that they mined on the beach near Newport and made good wages working over sand that other parties had worked a year or two ago.

Big Creek is ahead of Cape Creek in garden making; one young man has his garden all planted—guess he has some one engaged to cook it for him.

Miss Rose Bray was a visitor at Heeta.

Everybody is busy making garden. E W Cobb made a trip to Florence some time ago.

Charles and Henry Stonefield of Sannaria are chopping wood on Cape Creek this week.

Berton Cobb has been suffering with sore eyes but is able to be about again. Mrs T J Stitt and children of Florence are visiting Mr and Mrs O L Hansen.

Mr Salisbury the second assistant at the light house was joined by his wife the other day.

Ira Bray post master of Minnie and W N Fields of Heeta made a trip to Florence to hand in some freight.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER ABSOLUTELY PURE Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

A new invoice of groceries just received at Meyer & Kyle's. Hudyen cures sleeplessness, bad dreams and night sweats. Fifty cents all druggists.

The boiler of the Lillian which was taken out some weeks ago has been placed under a shed and it will soon be given some needed repairs.

At latest report the bodies of A. W. Reed and H. D. McGuire had not been found. The Odd Fellow and Masonic Lodges of Roseburg have been searching for Reed's body and the Woodmen for McGuire. Senator Reed's brother also offers \$100 reward for the recovery of the body.

Cos Bay News: J B Hutchins, deputy fish commissioner, was in town yesterday, on his way home to Gardiner from a visit to Rogue river. We learn from him that a hatchery is to be established either on the Coquille or Coe river, and that a selection will soon be made.

A sensation was developed at Albany the other day in connection with a case of shoplifting by two girls named Chapel aged 13 and 15 years. Several hundred dollars worth of stolen goods were found in their mother's house. Their father was killed at Spokane several years ago while attempting to rob a bank.

We often hear it said of different persons that they have plenty of cheek but there are not many people who care to have their cheek developed in the way that Robert Lynch or "Pinky" as he is commonly called, had one cheek enlarged this week. While at work in the Spruce Point mill he was struck by a gaff hook that had come in contact with a saw in motion and received quite a large cut on one cheek. He has been laid up since but will be all right in a short time.

Astorian: It is understood that a large number of fishermen are to organize a society for the purpose of compelling fishermen to secure licenses. It is said to be the intention of these fishermen to watch carefully for fishermen who have not secured the necessary permits, and to report all such cases to the office of the fish commissioner. The fishermen of the city are a unit in upholding the license law, realizing the great benefit which will result to them, and they propose that all who engage in the industry shall pay the license. Nothing definite as to the proposed organization has been learned, but it is likely the matter will be under the direction of the fishermen's union.

Will Neely returned Tuesday from a trip to Eugene. A P Walker of Mapleton was in Florence Saturday. Miss Jennie Howe has been visiting in town for a day or two. O W Hurl left for Eugene Wednesday on a business trip. Ludvig Christensen and family have moved to their ranch up the river. I B Cushman returned home Saturday after an absence of several weeks in San Francisco.

Miss Maggie Brund went to Gardiner Sunday where she expects to remain for some time. John I Butterfield, S J Brund and Andrew Brund go to Gardiner today to be absent a few days. R W Vanderburg has sold his ranch on North Fork to I O Fushak who came here from Minnesota recently. R W Vanderburg has moved up the river to Mr Tronsen's place where he intends to hand log during the summer. Wm Storm who has been working in a coal mine at Cos Bay the past winter arrived in Florence Saturday on Barrett's stage. Wm Sherbondy and wife arrived in Florence Tuesday from Gardiner by Barrett's stage. They are visiting with his parents on South Slough.

Sunday services. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m and 7:30 p. m. Endeavor 2:30.

HECETA ITEMS. By RAFAELLA. April 18th, 1899. Everybody is busy making garden. E W Cobb made a trip to Florence some time ago.

ALPHA CLIPPINGS. BY EVEN CHANGE. April 17th, 1899. Miss Olga Swanson who has been sick for some time has about recovered.

Mrs. E C Potter came up Thursday and E Con Saturday, returning home Monday. Chas Pope will board with Mr Farmer and go to school until school begins at Deadwood.

Our school commenced last Monday under the management of Miss Sybil Thurston of Eugene. A petition is in circulation asking the county court to grant a bridge at the mouth of Deadwood.

Mr Grandville Landy who has traded part of his land here has gone to Colorado to join his family. Miss Efflor Hale who has been visiting relatives at Elmira and Hale for several weeks will return home in a short time.

Mr Irve Wyland late of Colorado has taken the abandoned claim formerly held by Fred Peil and is at work on it. Now girls one more chance. There will be a U S weather signal station established at Alpha soon; the apparatus which weighs about 80 lbs will be on hand in a short time.

The baby born to Mr and Mrs Frank Potter April 12th was buried at the Deadwood cemetery Thursday at 4 o'clock. Mrs Potter is getting along as well as can be expected.

NOTICE. I am directed to collect all unpaid Poll Tax according to section 2835 Hill's Code, which reads as follows: The assessor shall require every person to pay his Poll Tax of every kind at the time of assessing the same and in default of such payment the assessor shall immediately give to the sheriff a list of such poll taxes and the sheriff shall immediately collect the same.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F J Cheney & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We the undersigned, have known F J Cheney for the last 16 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

THE NEW COURT HOUSE. The Guard of the 18th says: Today Judge Potter, Commissioners Bailey and Edwards, and Architect Neer have viewed the building previous to acceptance from Contractor Roney. While everything is found to be correct, formal acceptance cannot be made for a short time yet. The roof is yet to be painted and this cannot be done until the weather settles. This is the only thing of importance that remains unfinished.

DEPUTY ASSESSORS. Assessor Burton has appointed the following deputies to do field work: J U Sutherland—Glentena, Lake Creek, Lane and Walton. W H Weatherson—Florence, Mapleton and Heeta. W S Meade—Hersmann. W B Hawley—Sinslaw, Spencer, Coyote, Monnd and Eugene. W M Pitney—Junction and Richardson. E A Bond—Irving. B F Keeney—Gosien and Eugene. R D Hawley—Creswell. E M Sharp—East and West Cottage Grove. E C Martin—Willamette, Mohawk and Springfield. G N Riggs—Mabel, Gate creek, McKenzie and Camp creek. Paul Hatley—Jasper, Thurston, Fall creek, Middle Fork and Hazel Dell. R G Hemphill—Lost Valley and Pleasant Hill.

YOUR LIVER. In out of order if you have the symptoms enumerated on this chart. Study each symptom carefully and you will find that they are yours. You can be cured without the aid of Calomel, Blue Mass or Quinine. They are minerals and are apt to poison the blood. Do not continue to suffer when the relief is held out to you. Why not add your name to the already large list of people cured by HUDYAN? HUDYAN has cured 10000 others and it will cure you. HUDYAN is the greatest vegetable remedy of the century and will relieve all the following symptoms: HUDYAN can be had of all druggists for 25 cents per package. When you have used HUDYAN tell your friends what it has done for you.

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UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE. IN ADMIRALTY. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. DISTRICT OF OREGON. By virtue of a writ VENEDITIONI EXPONAS issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, tested the 21st day of March, 1899, at the suit of United States as Libellant against the Steamer Ralph I will expose for sale at public auction, and will sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on Tuesday, the 25th day of April, 1899, at Two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at Gardiner, where the said vessel now lies in Douglas County, Oregon, in said District, the Steamer Ralph. Her Tackle, Apparel, Furniture, Boilers, Engines and Machinery. Dated at Portland, in said District, this First day of April, A. D., 1899.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 10, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. H. Holden, U. S. Commissioner at Lake Precinct, Douglas county, Oregon on April 22, 1899, viz: Oscar L. Brewster on H. E. No. 6448, for the NW 1/4, NE 1/4, NW 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 4, T. 9, R. 12 west.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 6, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before C. H. Holden, U. S. Commissioner at Florence, Oregon on April 23, 1899, viz: Philip E. Jackson, on H. E. No. 7152 for the NE 1/4, SE 1/4, NE 1/4, T. 7, Tp. 13, R. 9 West.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 25, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U. S. Commissioner at Eugene, Oregon, on May 27, 1899, viz: John L. Beers on H. E. No. 9314 for the SW 1/4, NE 1/4, NW 1/4, Sec. 4, NE 1/4, T. 9, R. 10 West.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE. For "The story of the Philippines" by Maria Halstead, commissioned by the Government as official historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merrill, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of the battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanzas for agents. Brief of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low price. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all literary proposals to bookseller. Order free. Address: J. T. Berdoz, Reg. U. S. Pat. Office, 214 Broadway, New York.

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