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The Junction City Bulletin last week issued a very creditable illustrated edition with an interesting write-up of the city and county.

Bavaria is using American locomotives. No part of the earth is now uninvaded by American enterprise. And it is still marching on.

Attorney-General Blackburn has filed complaints in the suits of the State of Oregon against ex-State Treasurer Metcalf, ex-Governor Penneyer, and ex-Secretary of State Geo. W. M. Bristle as members of the state school land board for the amount of Geo. W. Davis delinquency of \$30,952.08.

Now that preparations for celebrating Independence day have been commenced, the next thing in order is for everybody to take hold of the work and assist the committee in their duties. Let all contribute liberally toward the funds needed to meet the necessary expenses, that those in charge of the arrangements for that day may not be hampered by the lack of means.

An epidemic of benevolence fills the air these days, and the infection of good will and good deeds is spreading wider and wider. Nothing can resist the progress of gracious influences and kindly feeling. It is a remarkable feature of American life in this generation.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ, that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He thought a bottle of it from the drug store and informed me that one dose cured him, and he is again at his work."

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of Florence proposes to build a sidewalk on the south side of Second street, in the Original Town of Florence, from the south-east corner of Second and Washington streets to the west side of Jefferson street; thence across second street to the south-east corner of Block 6, in Miller's Addition to Florence; thence to the west side of Madison street, and thence to the north side of Fourth street.

By order of the Board of Trustees this June 3rd, 1901.

J. C. PHELPS, Recorder.

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A COLD BLOODED CRIME.

Particulars of the Murder Near Coquille City.

The Coast Mail gives the following concerning the murder near Coquille City which was mentioned in our last issue. Landis resided here for several years and is well known in this vicinity. He left here about three years since, going to Alaska, and but little has been known of him since that time. His family left about a year and a half ago and were at Gilroy, Cal., when last heard from. It says:

"M. D. Landis, who has been in the real estate business at Coquille for about four months and who, previous to that, had canvassed the county selling steel ranges, is the man to whom all indications point and for whose capture a reward of \$350 has been offered, \$250 by the county and \$100 by Sheriff Gallier.

"The name of the murdered man was J. E. Eudaily, not Daily, as at first reported. "The indications point to one of the most cold-blooded and atrocious of crimes, with robbery as the object. The story of the murder, as drawn from reported facts and indications, is substantially as follows:

"Eudaily, who hailed from Blackville, Oklahoma, had been working about four months for George Yeakum, on Coos river, and was paid off, receiving some \$51. How much, if any, more money he had is not definitely known. He came to Marshfield on Sunday, May 19th, and started the same day for Coquille City, his plan being to walk to the railroad via Canas Valley, where he had relations.

"It is thought that he had but little money besides that paid him by Yeakum, as he remarked that by walking to Roseburg, stopping with friends at Canas Valley, he would have money enough to pay his fare to Okoloma. Mrs. Yeakum put up a lunch which he said would last him to Canas, and this lunch was found near where he was murdered.

"Landis either left here with him or joined him on the way, as a man on his way to Gage's logging camp walked part way in their company, turning off at the Junction.

"The spot where the crime was committed is at Cedar Point, where there is a grade around a sharp curve. On this curve is a spot which is in sight of the track for but a very short distance either way. It is said that the two men have reached this spot about dark. Here the murderer felled his victim with a blow on the head, there being the marks of three blows from a club. Then he dragged the unconscious man from the track and down into a sort of gully. Then he shot him through the head, and, not content with this, opened the jugular vein with a knife, and the ground was saturated with blood.

"After rifling the pockets of his victim, the murderer covered the body with brush and fern, and proceeded on his way to Coquille. Every day until Friday he took a walk to the spot, and on that day he removed the body from its resting place, threw it over a barb wire fence and dragged it up on the point above the railroad, where he proceeded to bury it in the thick brush.

"Had he finished this task unobserved it is not likely that the crime would ever have been discovered. Inquiries later from Eudaily's people would have brought out the fact that he left here for the valley, and the mystery of his disappearance would never have been solved.

"But two sons of Jesse McQuigg were picking salmon berries in the vicinity and saw the murderer digging, fortunately for them, without his knowledge. They went home, but later in the day were near the spot in search of cattle and went to see what the man had been doing. Digging down in the fresh dirt they soon uncovered part of a man's body, and then they went home and told their father.

"Mr. McQuigg reported the matter at Coquille at once and the body was unearthed and removed to Coquille that night. Next morning a coroner's jury was empaneled, but in the meantime facts had become known which pointed so strongly toward Landis that it is said that Sheriff Gallier tried to get authority from Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Sinclair to arrest the man. Sinclair, however, seems to have been unable to believe that Landis was the right man, and declined to take any steps.

"Then it is said the sheriff set a man to shadow Landis. "The latter seems to have been fully aware that suspicion was directed toward him. Going to his hotel, he went up to his room, took his pistols and coming down passed out the back way, making

a remark to those who were watching which caused them to think that he would be back in a few moments. By the time they realized that they had been fooled he had walked rapidly out of town unmolested, coming toward Marshfield. Even then no energetic action seems to have been taken. Word was sent over here to look out for him, but he naturally failed to come and slip his head into the noose. It is said that Jack Glenn followed him as far as Coos City, but lost him there.

"The theory of the man hunters, who have been ranging the woods in large numbers all the week, is that he turned off towards South Slough, and there have been several reports of his having been seen. He formerly resided on the Siuslaw, and many think he will try to go back there. In fact he has been reported at Haynes slough and Tenmile. "Landis is described as a man about 43 years of age, 5 feet ten inches tall; weight 180 pounds; whiskers faded sandy color; hair light sandy."

GREENLEAF ITEMS.

June 8, 1901.

Influenza is prevalent. The little Willcutt girl who had a paralyzed leg is better.

Erna Tabor has gone home from Alpha to his homestead on Chickaloumny. Clarence Burnett chopped chittim bark and his thumb. Both are doing well.

William Austin and family, of Alpha, have gone to Brownsville for a vacation and picnic.

Fred Rowe is deputy road supervisor on this end of the road district, covering the territory about the lake.

O Willcutt took a load of wool and chittim bark to Eugene last week. His daughter, Mrs. Bradbury, accompanied him.

Mrs. William Wheeler, of Nelson Creek, is on her annual June visit to her mother, Mrs. Thomas Tabor, at Eugene.

Mr. Almasi's little daughter was thrown from a horse and her shoulder was dislocated. O. Willcutt set it successfully.

A big bunch of Justice Burnett's bees were seen roosting in a fruit tree near his bee house while he was away on Decoration day. He ought to take them in under cover.

Mrs. G. Steinhauer, of Alpha, returned home Tuesday, her sister, Mrs. Kimmel, near Eugene, being better in health. Mrs. S. brought home a flourishing case of influenza.

Hermann Steinhauer and Ernest Rowe are mining at Strawberry Valley, Yuba county, Cal., and writes that he is making more than Oregon wages. They are getting gold from the crevices of a rock bottom stream.

Mr. Ed Worden, of Fairhaven, Wash., is visiting at Mr. Willcutt's. His wife, who is Mr. Willcutt's daughter, is one of the two married sisters who arrived a couple of weeks ago for a visit with their parents. The other is Mrs. Bradbury.

Mr. Willcutt has a Jersey steer that isn't safe in the woods. The other day a neighbor who almost always carries a gun was out without one and caught sight of the steer's side in the bushes and took it for a deer. It was a splendid shot and had the gun been carried as usual it would have been a dead steer.

People interested in the Deadwood cemetery held a meeting Thursday, with J. A. Burnett in the chair and Leonard Tabor secretary. It was decided to buy lumber and fence the lot, and Charles Potter and Mr. Burnett were appointed to solicit funds therefor. John Pope, who gave an acre for the church site, gives another acre for to accommodate the cemetery, and Marion Wheeler, William Austin and Clayton Pope were appointed trustees to take the deed.

OBITUARY

Died, at the home of her son, L. C. Akery, at Minerva, Oregon, on Friday, May 31, 1901, of paralysis, Mrs. Sarah A. Butolph, aged 62 years.

Miss Sarah A. Stoen was born in Lackawanna county, Penn., in the year 1838. At the age of twenty she was married to Levi Akery, who died in 1883. Four children were born to them, three of whom are now living, L. C. and Clarence Akery, of Minerva, and a daughter who resides in Pennsylvania. About three years after the death of her husband she came to Florence, Oregon, and for several years resided with her eldest son. On September 11, 1898, she was married to A. R. Butolph, of Florence, who survives her.

She was stricken with paralysis November 6, 1900, and never regained her health. In the latter part of April she was removed to the home of her son on upper North Fork and remained there until called away from earth.

The funeral was held Sunday, services being conducted by Rev. T. A. Yost, and she was laid to rest in the Masonic Cemetery in a spot she had chosen for this purpose.

Mrs. Butolph became a member of the Methodist church when quite young and for many years was a very earnest worker in the cause of religion. Her sorrowing relatives have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE.

It speaks well for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy that druggists use it in their own families in preference to any other. "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past five years with complete satisfaction to myself and customers," says Druggist J. Goldsmith, Van Etten, N. Y. "I have always used it in my own family both for ordinary coughs and colds and for the cough following the grippe, and find it efficacious." For sale by O. W. Hurd.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.)

WASHINGTON, May 27, 1901.

Does the President wish Congress to declare the Clayton-Bulwer treaty abrogated? A decidedly interesting story that is being told in political circles, says he does, but that he does not care to openly support a movement in that direction. It had been generally understood that the President and Secretary Hay wished Congress to let the Clayton-Bulwer treaty alone, believing it more desirable to negotiate a new treaty with Great Britain that would supplant it. That was certainly their attitude when Congress was in session, and when it was proposed to push a resolution declaring the Clayton-Bulwer treaty abrogated, it was administration influence that prevented the matter being taken up seriously in the senate. The story referred to above says that a number of prominent republican senators have arrived at the conclusion that the best way and the quickest way to let the world know that we intend to make that isthmian canal American all the way through, is to abrogate the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and that a resolution so declaring will be offered in the senate as soon as Congress assembles, and that its adoption is practically assured, as it will not be opposed by the administration. Senator Lodge is credited with being at the head of this movement.

Look out for a fresh outbreak of the Sampson-Schley controversy. The naval board of awards has decided, although no official announcement has been made, to put Rear Admiral Sampson's head on one side of the victory medals that will be issued by the navy department, in accordance with an act of Congress, to commemorate the naval battle off Santiago. It is understood that the board took the Manila Bay medal, which carries the head of Admiral Dewey, who was in command of the American fleet, for a precedent, taking the ground that Admiral Sampson, as commander of the American fleet which destroyed Corveza's ships, is entitled to this honor. The anti-Sampsonites do not admit the justice of the precedent. They say there is no ground for comparison between Sampson, who was ten miles away from the battle of Manila Bay.

The United States supreme court adjourned today, not to meet again until October. Before adjournment, Chief Justice Fuller accepted, on behalf of the court, a fine oil portrait of the late Justice Miller, presented by Mr. Thomas Wilson, as a token of his admiration of Justice Miller, and his high regard for the supreme court. Work will be at once begun on the new fireproof roof that is to be put upon the supreme court room during the recess.

Hawaii is to get its share of appointments in the civil service of the government, just the same as any other territory. Under the census of 1900, Hawaii is entitled to twenty positions in the departmental service, fifteen of them being clerical and five of them in the government printing office. Civil Service Commissioner, Rolenberg, and Chief Examiner Serven, will sail from San Francisco on June 6 for Honolulu, where they will conduct a series of civil service examinations for the purpose of creating a Hawaiian list of eligibles, from which appointments to the government service will from time to time be made.

Gen. MacArthur has notified the War Department that he has given Aguinaldo permission to visit the United States in the fall, conditional upon the approval of the Washington authorities. He writes that Aguinaldo says he wishes to make a personal study of American institutions and to improve his knowledge of the English language. Present indications are that no objection will be made to the visit by this government, but permission will not be given until the fall. The federal party in the Philippines has already selected two native delegates to come to the United States to study American institutions—Don Tomas del Rosario and Don Jose Abren, both lawyers, the latter, who speaks English well, is now in the United States taking a course of international law. Neither of these men has at any time been connected with the revolt.

Ex-Senator Mitchell, of Wisconsin, who has been in Europe for two years with his family, is in Washington to visit his son, who was recently promoted from the ranks, in which he served in Cuba and the Philippines, to be a first lieutenant, and who is now stationed at Fort Meyer, just across the Potomac. Mr. Mitchell, who speaks German and French fluently, said during an interesting conversation about his European observations: "During the two years I

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FRED. C. BEAN, United States Commissioner and NOTARY PUBLIC, MAPLETON. OREGON.

have been abroad I have never once seen an indication of friendship for the United States in any German or French newspaper, and I have read them constantly. There is no denying that the Germans do not like us, nor do the French. They regard us as their rivals and fear the effect of our trade competition. The Germans do not feel friendly toward the German-Americans. He regards him as unpatriotic in breaking away from the country of his birth. I like the Germans very much as a people, and the Germans in the United States are the finest people in the world. But I do not like the German government. Politically Germany is an autocracy, while socially it is an aristocracy. Although the country has a constitution, the emperor is practically a dictator."

The Athenians dine late the year round and, whenever the weather will permit, in the open air. As the heat of season advances the dinner hour is set later and later until in August 9:30 or 10 becomes the common thing. Fancy going to the theater after that! Yet the open air performances are liberally patronized, and they do not begin, of course, until after dinner. The legend "Curtain rises promptly at 9" is a snare and a delusion, as many a foreigner has found, to his extreme annoyance.

The out of door dining and the sky roofed theaters are so typically Greek that they serve as a link between modern and classical times. The old Greeks, as everybody knows, was an outdoor man, his house serving as little more than a sleeping place and storeroom. The Athenians of today dine in a garden, on his terrace or in a park. If he is too poor to possess any of these accessories, he sets his table upon the sidewalk. Many of the cheap restaurants appropriate the walks for dining rooms. One is often compelled when taking an evening stroll to dodge in and out among dozens of tables covered with reasonably clean linen and lighted by means of candles, whose flames are protected from the wind by means of glass globes.—Scribner's.

The "cat naps" indulged in by the late Dr. William Pepper constituted a standing joke among his intimate friends. He had the faculty of going to sleep at will and waking up when he willed. He would sometimes when under a mental strain keep a roomful of patients waiting while he slept soundly in his private office for three minutes or five minutes, or as long as he wished. Then he would resume his duties, greatly refreshed.

Another prominent physician has a queer habit of napping, although he only takes one a day and that directly after luncheon, which with him is a hearty meal. He repairs to his office and throws himself in a chair at a point where the polished wood floor is not covered by the rug. He holds a bunch of keys between the forefinger and thumb of his right hand, which is allowed to hang loosely over the arm of the chair. Then he dozes off, but it is never more than a doze, for the moment his fingers relax the keys drop to the bare floor, acting as an alarm clock. It is scarcely a nap—just a brief relaxation of the mental and bodily faculties. The doctor calls it his siesta, and if he misses it he says he doesn't feel quite himself for the rest of the day.—Philadelphia Record.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

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