

LOCAL ITEMS.

Hon. B. Hermann has our thanks for the Congressional Record.

Henry Johnson arrived in town from Camas valley yesterday.

A. M. Crawford, Esq., arrived in town Thursday from Roseburg.

Dr. Steele, the dentist, is in town. Give him your dental work.

Capt. Brown was at the wheel of the Ceres yesterday. Capt. Reed having gone to the bay.

Sam Johnson, of South Coquille, was in town yesterday for a bill of lumber for a new house, he is going to erect on his splendid farm.

The democrats elected the sheriff, assessor, and school superintendent in Curry county while the republicans get all the other offices.

Mr. F. Schatter came down from Douglas county on Saturday en route to his home at Empire. He says it is excessively dry in the interior.

This is the last week of the first term of the public school in this place. A vacation of a month or six weeks will intervene before the next term commences.

J. W. Hamilton's majority in this district is in the neighborhood of 1000, which is just cause for the congratulations he is receiving at the hands of his friends.

The G. A. R. has sent a sheet of gold to President Cleveland on which is beautifully engraved an invitation to attend the coming encampment in San Francisco.

We acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the G. A. R. edition of the San Jose Mercury, a beautifully illustrated paper. The lithographs show the imprint of Britain and Rey San Francisco.

Miss Sarah Radabaugh and Miss Fannie Houghton, of Norway, were visiting friends in this place on Friday. Ye printers acknowledge a pleasant call and a beautiful bouquet from each.

Snow fell at Baker City a week ago Saturday, and broke down the shade trees. It must be remembered that Baker is in Eastern Oregon where the temperature gets down to 60 degrees below zero in winter.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla operates radically upon and through the blood, and is a safe and absolute cure for the various diseases, complaints, and disorders, due to debility, or to any constitutional taint or infection.

The celebration at Myrtle Point on July 3rd, a week from next Saturday is to be the grandest affair of the kind ever had on the river. Other places have given way, and the whole country round will be there.

By this issue of the HERALD, we had expected to be able to give the full programme of the celebration at Myrtle Point on the 4th, but the committee is a little slow. Small bills giving a full programme of a world of amusements will soon be out.

Avoid, by all means, the use of calomel for bilious complaints. Ayer's Cathartic Pills, entirely vegetable, have been tested forty years, and are acknowledged to be the best remedy for torpidity of the liver, costiveness, and all derangements of the digestive apparatus.

Mr. B. F. Parsons who has been on the bay repairing sewing machines for the past month, will return to the river this week and will visit all the principal points. Those needing his services, can leave their orders at the Olive hotel in this place. He is a good workman and you will miss a rare opportunity if you do not have him put your sewing machine in repair if it needs it.

The Gold Beach Gazette is off in regard to the Port Orford Bee, the little campaign sheet. It was, to the best of our knowledge, written on this river, and was printed in the HERALD office at the instance of parties who claimed it was their own get up, and paid for the same. Just how it worked, it is none of our business. It was gotten up, we were told, to offset free whisky which the parties claimed had been put up to defeat Gillespie.

Oregon lumber is being sent east from San Francisco.

Our old friend J. J. Wilson, the watch maker, is meandering back this way.

Mrs. Will Benham, of Camas valley, spent a few days in this place last week.

Go with the crowd to Myrtle Point a week from Saturday. The boss time will be had.

The steamer Satellite will be brought around from the bay by the Katie Cook soon.

The steamer Little Annie will soon be on her route again, her new boiler being in place.

The bridge at Chas. Collier's place south of town is complete, and is a good substantial one.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudleson, of Camas valley, arrived in town yesterday. They will live here.

General Lytle Post, G. A. R., meet at sunrise July 3, at Myrtle Point. A. H. Wright, Com.

Remember the Odd Fellows' public installation on the 5th of July, and the grand ball at night.

A. J. Sherwood, supt. elect, and his wife, have been in town since Wednesday. They will buy property and locate in this town.

The Roseburg Juvenile band it is thought, will be in attendance at Myrtle Point at the celebration. That and our two local bands would make a big blow.

The best of order will be maintained at the Myrtle Point celebration, every body being determined that it shall be a grand success.

Robert Beaty had one of his fingers amputated on Wednesday. He hurt it by allowing some rock to fall on it some time since and he has had a tough time of it. He is O. K. now. He was visited on Saturday and Sunday by his brother John, or "Jack," as he is familiarly called.

Hume, the cannery man, is to have a cannery in running order soon on this river. He will bring the necessary machinery from the Columbia river. Mr. A. Pershaker is going to put one in the building which he is erecting for a saw mill at his fishery below Randolph. Thus we are to have two canneries in addition to the salting houses.

Thos. Devine was recently drowned in Coos bay, or at least it is supposed he was, as he was missed from the steamer Myrtle between Empire City and Marshfield and he had no show to land. He has been on the bay for many years and followed boat making. He was a very great drunkard and probably was intoxicated when he went overboard.

The steamer Coos, which was snagged and sunk in the river below town a few days ago, was raised last week and repaired by C. W. Von Pegert. He used his pile driver in raising her. It required three timbers and four planks to make the necessary repairs. The boat is said to be in good condition now only leaking a little from the strain she got while suspended in air. She is lying at the wharf at this place and looks as though she was ready for any emergency—even a snag.

Coos county is to be envied. While our crops are large and every thing green and in fine growing condition, the Willamette and Umpqua valleys are parched and dry as a shuck and all crops cut short. From the Umpqua comes the word that hay is being cut and a sulky rake will carry the hay across a ten acre field without getting full. Stock is said to be suffering, and it is feared heavy losses will follow. Grain and all field products are about past help, it is said, but we trust it is too early for that. With rain soon corn and possibly oats will come out.

The stage route from Empire City to Dram's, is now in fine condition. Passengers put through to the railroad the same day, without extra charge, when requested. Fare to Portland by this route, only \$14.40.

SAVE YOUR MONEY.—J. H. Noller, of the New drugstore soon goes to the city to lay in a new stock of goods, and will sell goods for the next 30 days for almost cost for cash. Give him your patronage.

Items Gleaned Along the River.

[By our Regular Cor.]

The weather is quite warm at both ends of the river and threatens rain, but very little of it has fallen yet, but it would undoubtedly be a great benefit.

The Simpson Bros. are busily engaged putting their fishery in apple-pie order. They have built quite a large fish house, also a dwelling house or bunkalation, and they are now constructing a first class floating wharf, we would judge about 75 or 100 feet long. Such industrious and enterprising young men as they are, richly deserve success.

V. N. Perry, it is said, will soon be handling the spokes of the steamer Coos to guide her on her way up and down the Coquille.

Capt. C. W. Von Pegert's house near Parkersburg was reduced to ashes on last Friday evening. Only a few articles were saved by some of the neighbors who happened to discover the fire, but the barn and old house which stood close by miraculously escaped the flames, as several of the old logs on the hillside above the house caught on fire.

The schooner Annie Hermine made the run from Coquille river to San Francisco in 60 hours.

Tent-meetings at Gravel Ford.

ED. HERALD:—Last Monday Elders Ward and Cole of East Portland commenced the erection of a large canvas pavilion in which to hold a series of religious meetings. The tent was pitched in an open field near the Gravel Ford bridge and presents a beautiful and inviting appearance to all who may pass by. It is also comfortably seated and will accommodate three hundred persons. The meetings commenced Thursday evening with a small attendance which steadily increased until Sunday when about 150 persons were present most of whom remained until after the evening service. The gentlemen conducting the meetings are very kind and agreeable and in return the very best of attention is paid to what they have to say which proves that their efforts are appreciated by the people of this vicinity.

Fabius.

Gravel Ford, June 21, '86.

Destructive Fire.

Mr. C. W. Von Pegert's magnificent residence two miles above Parkersburg was burned last Friday afternoon with all its contents, save a sewing machine and a looking-glass which were taken from near the door by some neighbors who came in before the house was fully burned up. Mr. Pegert and family were up here on the pile driver, and knew nothing of it till Saturday when the Ceres came up. It is a mystery how the fire originated, as no one had been in the house for a week, and there had been no fire in it for a day previous to that. The only reasonable conclusion is that it was the work of an incendiary. The loss will foot up something over \$3000 covered by \$1300 insurance on the house and \$400 on the contents. Mr. Von Pegert lost his drafting tools, and many other valuable tools, and he and his family are left with only a suit each of their commonest clothes—just what they were wearing at the time. They all feel badly and are loth to go back, Mr. P. being employed here.

The Election.

We give below the official majorities only of the late election in Coos county, the vote by precinct having become stale: For governor, Cornelius R., 118; Hermann, for congress R., 335; Waldo, for supreme judge R., 141; for secretary of state McBride R., 127; for state treasurer, Marston R., 124; for state printer, Baker R., 127; for superintendent of public instruction, McElroy R., 136; for district attorney, Hamilton D., 159; for joint representative, Crook R., 163; for representative, Roberts R., 160; for county judge, Watson R., 157; for county commissioners, Mast D., 58, and Edwards R., 213; for clerk Lamb D., 84; for sheriff, Harlocker R., 231; for assessor, Garrison R., 102; for treasurer, Owen D., 33; for surveyor, Cathcart R., 25; for superintendent, Sherwood D., 21.

The county is republican by near 130, an increase of about ten in the past two years.

[Cont. Mail.]

McMillan has gone to Port Orford, to make faces.

Miss Katie Siglin graduated yesterday, at Salem. The subject of her graduating essay was, "Enduring Records."

Prof. Condon of the Oregon State University, and state geologist came down from Eugene last week, and passed through to Curry county. He proposes to make a careful inspection of the southern Oregon coast, which he has never before visited. The professor gave a conditional promise to lecture in Marshfield on his return, and if he can arrange to do so our citizens will be highly favored. A notice will be given of time and place. He will doubtless make some interesting observations during his trip, and everyone will be glad to hear of them. Prof. Condon is a very able man, and one of the finest geologists in this country.

N. P. Forfeiture Bill.

Washington, June 15.—On motion of Senator Dolph the Northern Pacific forfeiture bill was taken up, and Van Wyck's amendment agreed to. It declares the forfeiture of the land coterminous with the uncompleted portion of the Cascade branch at the date on which the bill is passed. Enstis submitted an amendment which proposed to forfeit all land coterminous with such portions of the road as were not completed on July 4, 1879, excepting the right of way of the railroad and lands included in village sites. After a long debate the amendment was rejected, yeas 12, nays 33. An amendment was agreed to, repealing the clause of the granting act, which made the right of way exempt from taxation in the territories. The bill was then passed, yeas 42, nays 1. At 7:10 this evening the senate adjourned.

Excursion to the Beach.

Mr. Editor:—I have been requested to write up in detail last week's excursion to the coast, at the mouth of the Coquille river, the party consisting of South fork, Douglas Co., and Iowa slough people; but as Miss Mollie Rice will give a full description of the same in the Roseburg Review, I deem it expedient to desist, for when that young lady's graphic pen and brilliant poetic talent, are brought to bear on a topic, we always move on. We went to Bandon beach, the finest summer resort on the Pacific coast; we went say any thing about the concert in cathedral rock; we are silent about the lovers arch, or how two people got wet, and we went tell how the match game of croquet between Coos and Douglas counties came out, after playing five draw games: we leave those things for Miss Rice's pen. But we do in behalf of 18 persons, make mention of Mr. Averill, the proprietor of the place, Bandon, as being a thorough gentleman, who, with his estimable wife and daughter, did all in their power to make it pleasant for us while there, for which we return them our sincere thanks.

Lodi.

San Francisco dispatches last Wednesday gave an account of the Arcata striking a rock a mile north of Fort Ross, where she lay at anchor among the rocks all day. Since then she was taken back to San Francisco for repairs.

Piping Oil.

Los Angeles, June 15.—The owners of the Puente Oil field will lay a pipe line to this city, which can be reached in eighteen miles. They will deliver oil at figures which will make it as cheap as any fuel for manufacturing. The well, which commenced flowing on Thursday, is being capped. The Puente oil is black and is of two grades, 25 and 35 gravity.

BORN.

In Marshfield, June 13, to the wife of D. H. Hutchinson, a daughter. On Fishtrap creek, June 16th, to the wife of Sam Rowan, a daughter; weight 12 pounds. On Fishtrap creek, June 17th, to the wife of David Stone, a son. At Myrtle Point, June 10, to the wife of L. D. Belien, a daughter.

Colored Praise of Cleveland.

New York, June 15. The Freedman, the organ of the colored population, has a strong eulogy of the president which may point to important political consequences in the south, should Cleveland be ambitious to be his own successor. It says: "He (Cleveland) is good enough president of the United States. We believe him thoroughly patriotic and incorruptibly honest. We believe he has the best good of the country at heart, and that he aims to execute the laws as he finds them. No president since Lincoln has sympathized more earnestly with the hopes and aspirations of the colored citizens."

While Al. Ritter, of Wenas, W. T., was explaining the workings of a shot-gun to his wife a few days ago the gun was discharged and a two-year old child who was sleeping in an adjoining room was instantaneously killed. The ball entered the left groin, ranged upward and passed out through the breast and again entered the chin and lodged in the brain.—Ex.

Ben Butler is out again for governor. If there is anything for which Ben is noted, it is being out.

Wool! Wool!

I am paying 17cts. Cash for good wool in good shape delivered here at Bandon. I will pay 17 1/2 cts. one-half in merchandise, or 17 1/2 of my store. Bring on your good wool at once. I keep a first-class store of

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Flour, Bacon & Potatoes Always on Hand, and every thing sold at Bedrock prices. Terms Cash. W. H. Averill. Town of Averill (better known as Bandon).

Pioneer Stage Line!

From Coquille City to Utter City Carrying the U. S. MAILS. Wells, Fargo & Co's. EXPRESS and Passengers. STAGES will leave Coquille City every day (except Sunday) at 5 a. m. and 1 p. m. connecting with steamer each trip for all points on Coos bay. Leave Utter City every day (except Sundays) at 9 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Passengers by morning stage can visit Marshfield and Empire City having two hours in each place, returning to Coquille City the same day.

Fare, One Dollar.

Always go with the mails and make connections. COPLEY & TENNISSON, Props.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 4th, 1886. 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 the county Clerk of Coos county, Oregon, at Empire City, Oregon, on Friday, August 20, 1886, viz: James G. Canterbury, homestead No. 4442 for the N. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4 S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4, Sec. 31, township 28, S. Range 13 west, Will. Mer.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said lands, viz: Saml. W. Gilman Coquille City John Donaldson } Randolph, } Coos County, } Percy Hanley } } Oregon. } J. M. Perkins } } Chas. W. Johnston, } Register. } ju8

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Has on hand and are still Manufacturing, Bedsteads & Spring Beds, Tobbles, Cniffoniers, PICTUREFRAMES And all kinds of Furniture. Send Orders or call on us at the C. E. Edwards old stand, Myrtle Point, Oregon. vt41-1w

THE Fast and Commodious STEAMER Little Annie,

Captain Snyder, Runs Regularly as Follows: LEAVE Myrtle Point on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays for Bandon, calling at Coquille City at eleven, a. m. LEAVE Bandon for Myrtle Point on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, calling at Coquille City at one, p. m. Every courtesy shown passengers of this Steamer.

Mrs. Garrison's Restaurant Opposite O'Connell's, Front Street, MARSHFIELD, Oregon.

Meals from 5:30 to 9, a. m.; 12:30 to 2 p. m. and 5:30 to 9 p. m. Meals.....25cts. No Chinese Employed. vt4384f

Feed Stable, Myrtle Point, Oreg.

All Kinds of HAULING Done at short notice. Hack Connecting with both Steamers. G. A. Brown Proprietor, F. M. Decker, Agent. vt4384f

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Meals at all Hours, At from 25cts Upwards. THIS Popular Hotel has recently been put in better order than ever before, and is truly a favorite resort. The tables are supplied with all the delicacies to be had, and in style to suit the most fastidious epicure. Its dining-rooms and sleeping apartments are second to no hotel in Southern Oregon. vt4386 Jas. Cartwright, Prop.

The Best Bargain.

1 3/4 acres of good bottom land, seven miles below Coquille City, on the river, price \$1200. Liberal time on \$400 of the amount. Twenty-one head of cattle for \$600. Enquire of S. W. Gilman, or at this office. vt4386

Land Agency!

The Undersigned Has OPENED A Land Agency IN Coquille City and Is prepared to buy or sell for reasonable consideration. He has the following for sale: The Greatest Bargain Out! A great chance for making Money, 500 ACRES of excellent timber, fir and cedar, near Coquille City, for sale at reasonable rates. For particulars, enquire of J. C. Laird or of the undersigned. THREE LOTS. A House of 5 rooms centrally located in Coquille City very cheap for cash. 192 acres on the Coquille river, near Coquille City; 30 acres under cultivation, 60 acre or more in grass, all fenced. Good barn and house; farming tools, wagon and harness. Easy terms—enquire of S. Jones or at this office. WHITE CEDAR 160 acres of white cedar timber land, one-fourth mile from Bear creek. Very cheap. A Brewery for sale—capacity of six barrels. Good Location—Every thing convenient. Satisfactory reasons given for wishing to sell. One and a half acres one-half mile from Coquille City, on stage road; house of five rooms, wood-shed, good cistern, 150 fruit trees, some bearing—Very cheap. 137 Ford; 25 acres cleared, house 16x26, barn 30x54, smokehouse, wood-shed, bee house; 4 stands of bees, 2 cows, household and kitchen furniture, farming tools, wagon and harness, 15 acres of crops; range outside and convenient for 100 head of stock, less than one mile from school house and post office—\$2500. 162 acres, 4 miles above Parkersburg, on Coquille river; 25 acres bottom—balance bench and hill land. House 20x28 barn 42x60; good, young orchard, bearing; good timber on the place; good outside range for stock. Price, 1250. \$1500 for 160 acres of land, 80 acres under fence, 600 fruit trees house, barn 60x40. A good range for cattle adjoining. \$280 for House and two lots in Coquille City; very cheap. \$177 for House and lot in Coquille City. 320 ACRES—A splendid ranch, at a good very true bargain. At least \$3000 worth of good timber in close proximity to the water. Two to three hundred sheep go with the place. Place well improved—75 acres cleared—price, cash down, \$2500. 243 ACRES on Coquille river, 80 acres bottom land, 6 acres cleared, balance good timber, cedar and fir—convenient to log. Small house with three rooms; \$2200. Or, 120 acres including the bottom and house \$1200—a splendid chance for one wishing to make a home. Liberal terms given. One choice business lot in Coquille City—very desirable. A BARGAIN. 158 acres at Gravel Ford, all bottom 30 acres good pasture. One of the best places on the North fork; would make a good dairy farm. For particulars enquire of the undersigned or on the premises of J. B. Fox, Gravel Ford, Oregon. CHEAP! CHEAP!! ~ acres in Bandon City, on Main street; 7 large building of five rooms, etc., also barn. The premises are cleared and fenced, are pretty, and will be sold extremely cheap. Enquire of Walter Sinclair, Coquille City, Oregon.