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notice and extremely low prices. v21

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Meets at Coquille City every first Satur-  
day after full moon each month. Members  
in good standing are cordially invited.  
Levi Snyder, H. I. Clinton,  
Captain. First Sergeant.

**I. O. G. T.**  
Morning Star Lodge  
No. 464.  
Meets at Coquille City every Thursday  
evening. Visiting members of this order,  
in good standing, are cordially invited.

**I. O. O. F.**  
Coquille Lodge No. 53  
Meets at Coquille City every Saturday even-  
ing. Visiting brethren, in good standing,  
cordially invited.  
S. P. C. Johnson, N. G.

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Meets at Coquille City on Saturday even-  
ing or before the full moon in each  
month.  
Geo. McEwan, W. M.

**G. A. R.**  
Gen. Lytle Post No. 27.  
Meets at Coquille City, on every first  
Wednesday. Visiting comrades, in good  
standing, cordially invited.  
A. H. Wright, Commander.

**Coquille City Command**  
No. 1, O. R. C.  
Meets in this place every first and third  
Tuesday in each month. All members in  
good standing are cordially invited.  
A. T. Lillie, Commander.

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## TWO WORKERS.

"Two workers in one field  
Toiled on from day to day,  
Both had the same hard labor,  
Both had the same small pay;  
With the same blue sky above,  
The same green earth below;  
One soul was full of love,  
The other full of woe.

"One leaped up with the light,  
With the soaring of the lark;  
One felt it ever night,  
For his soul was ever dark,  
One heart was hard as stone,  
One heart was ever gay,  
One worked with many a groan,  
One whistled all the day.

"One had a flower-clad cot  
Beside a merry mill,  
Wife and children near the spot,  
Made it sweeter, fairer still;  
One a wretched hovel had,  
Full of discord, dirt, and din,—  
No wonder he seemed mad,  
Wife and children starved within.

"Still they worked in the same field,  
Toiling on from day to day,  
Both had the same hard labor,  
Both had the same small pay.  
But they worked not with one will,  
The reason let me tell,—  
Lo! the one drank at the still,  
And the other at the well."

## BANDON.

Miss Rachael Hoffman will com-  
mence a term of school the last  
Monday in May. From Miss Hoff-  
man's proficiency and experience as  
a teacher of youth, we have no  
doubt that her pupils as well as  
their parents will be well pleased  
at the result obtained at the expira-  
tion of the term.

A friend of ours lately went to  
Empire City by the direct road  
from Bandon. He was never over  
the road before, and although he  
was warned of what he would have  
to contend with, he was determin-  
ed to persevere. He thought he'd  
easily overcome the Seven Devils,  
but the fact is that the Seven Dev-  
ils easily overcome him. He says  
it was a truly horrible and awful  
job. He had to lay hold of every-  
thing and climb up one side on his  
belly, and then lay a hold of any-  
thing and climb down the other  
side on his back. He declines to  
give further particulars. He came  
home via Coquille City.

Albert and Mrs. Giromi gave a  
musical soiree to a few select  
friends at their hospitable resi-  
dence on Saturday evening last,  
amongst whom were Mrs. Hoffman,  
Geo. F. Williams, Miss Rachael  
Hoffman, Robt. E. Shine, Messrs.  
Truman, Anderson, etc., etc. After  
spending a very agreeable evening  
they all parted much pleased with  
the affability and hospitality of  
their worthy host and hostess, and  
with one another.

We are all greatly pleased with  
our road supervisor—Mr. J. Brad-  
ley. Although but a short time in  
office he has already given great  
satisfaction. He is an excellent  
engineer, and his mechanical skill  
and abilities are unquestionable.  
He has greatly and permanently  
improved our highways and dis-  
pensated with unnecessary bridges,  
the lumber of which he was able to  
utilize by his own mechanical skill  
for useful purposes, and all at an  
expense so trifling as to meet the  
approval of all the rate payers  
totally irrespective as to what  
political or prohibition party they be-  
long to.

It is rumored by some that our  
popular saloon keeper, Daniel Mc-  
Rae, has gone to Frisco to get a  
good stock of "Old Kentucky."  
Others say that it is to get a "Buf-  
falo gal" or "Nora the pride of  
Kildare." Well we hope that she  
will prove to be as good a fellow as  
Dan, and if she does we will give  
them both a spirited, as well as a  
cordial reception.

## Legem.

The examination of teachers  
failed to connect here on Wednes-  
day, none appearing except the ex-  
amining board—Sunt Sherwood,  
and K. H. Hansen, our Gravel  
Ford Nasby.

M. E. Anderson passed back to  
his home at Angora, Wednesday.  
He says Mrs. Horswill was very  
low indeed, when he left her.

## Washington Letter.

(From our Regular Correspondent.)  
Washington, May 16th, 1887.

The past week was full of inter-  
est to the people of Washington as  
well as to the hundreds of strangers  
who came hither through interests  
scientific, business and social. I  
may say there were four national  
conventions. First came the hotel  
proprietors, representing all the  
leading cities and all the leading  
hotels of the United States, who  
talked over matters of mutual inter-  
est, exchanged ideas and experi-  
ences and had a good time gener-  
ally. Then there was the American  
Surgical Association, which was in  
session here, and the society of the  
Army of the Cumberland, which  
held its annual reunion and unvei-  
led the statue it had erected to Gar-  
field with much impressive pomp  
and ceremony. And Saturday  
morning saw an assemblage of gen-  
tlemen such as the world has rarely  
witnessed. This was the forty-  
niners—the men who crossed  
mountain and plain, braved the ice  
fields of the Antarctic seas, or the  
fervid suns and fevers of the torrid  
zone, and founded a new empire on  
the shores of the Pacific. A num-  
ber of these California pioneers,  
probably a hundred or more, met  
here and spent the day together.  
They boarded a Potomac steamer  
and had a sail down the river, dur-  
ing which they organized a Califor-  
nia Pioneer's association. A plank  
shad dinner followed, and then re-  
citals of incidents, adventures, and  
remembrances of their earlier days,  
which showed that these "Jasons"  
of the new world are still young  
enough to enjoy themselves.

On last Friday, President Cleve-  
land, for the first time in his life,  
made a pilgrimage to the tomb of  
George Washington. It was at the  
invitation of the widow of General  
Logan, who is now regent of the  
Mount Vernon association. The  
president, Mrs. Cleveland and  
about a dozen other invited guests  
embarked on the steamer Corcoran  
late in the afternoon. Arriving  
there they spent an hour or so  
rambling about the historic spot  
and returned to the city after night.

Two days hence soldier boys  
from all over the United States will  
be pouring into Washington for  
the National Drill. The first com-  
pany to arrive will be the Vicks-  
burg Southrons, then the Indian-  
apolis Light Infantry, the Louisiana  
Rifles, and the Muscatine Rifles.  
Sunday will be the busiest day for  
arrivals, however, and before mid-  
night it is expected that every  
company will be quartered on the  
camp ground.

Miss Clara Barton, president of  
the Red Cross society, will have  
charge of the hospital of the en-  
campment, and a dozen local phy-  
sicians and surgeons will be on her  
staff, as also veteran army nurses  
and a number of volunteers from  
the Training school for nurses.  
Temporary hospital barracks are  
being erected, and the soldiers will  
be well cared for when they get  
sick.

To the majority of the people of  
this city, the necessity of a hospi-  
tal department to the National Drill  
seemed to be a surprise. Prepara-  
tions by the Red Cross society  
seemed to be the first suggestion to  
them that the coming week of mili-  
tary display was likely to place  
among us sick and suffering men,  
strangers and soldiers who would  
need treatment and care. Until  
then probably not one person in a  
hundred had realized that there  
could be a serious feature connect-  
ed with the great holiday week, or  
that so much display could develop  
as a part of itself, an actual neces-  
sity, demanding the same means of  
relief, the same watchful care, ten-  
der sympathy, wise provision and  
firm control that an equal number  
of soldiers might require in a ver-  
itable camp or actual campaign.

A moment's reflection, however,

makes it apparent that it would be  
impossible to bring thousands of  
men here under any form of enlist-  
ment, from their wide spread homes,  
subject to change of all habits of  
life, food, water, climate, occupa-  
tion and rest, and place them in  
competitive action, every man at  
his most and best, for the space of  
nine days, without any of them  
falling ill or needing care or treat-  
ment. It will be wonderful, in-  
deed, if there be not some who will  
never return to their homes.

## Parkersburg.

Ed. HERALD: As you have no  
correspondent from this place I  
will endeavor to write a few items.

A large crowd attended the May  
party at Bandon the 14th, from  
Parkersburg—all enjoyed them-  
selves nicely.

Messrs. Lowe & Hammerberg  
are building the steamer for  
Mess. Morgan & Fredrick. They are  
both good workmen—are getting  
along nicely. It will be a fine little  
boat when finished. We hope they  
may do well with it and we have  
no reason to think any other way,  
for Mr. Morgan is an excellent en-  
gineer and can handle a boat in  
good shape. Messrs. Morgan &  
Fredricks are the style of young  
men, that everybody likes to see.  
How many young men in this  
country that work for wages, can  
show enough money to build a  
steamboat. Very few. Any of  
them could, if they would only  
take care of their money, but they  
do not do it.

We have organized a literary so-  
ciety at Parkersburg. Quite a  
number of members, constituting  
also a "Prohi club." We think if  
some good worker would give us a  
call or two, we would have a prohi-  
bition town of Parkersburg which  
had ought to be as well as every  
other town in Oregon. I think it  
the duty of every voter in Oregon  
to vote for the amendment. We  
all are aware that it's a curse to our  
country. Look at those states that  
have the prohibitory laws; look at  
the class of people that was in the  
habit of spending their Saturday  
nights and Sundays in the grog  
shops, with their families at home  
without bread or clothes. Now  
you see them going to prayer meet-  
ing or to Sunday school. Go to  
their houses and see plenty on  
their tables which were empty of  
even dishes before! that will prove  
to any sensible, thinking person  
what prohibition means. There is  
one thing we need at this place  
very much for literary and other  
societies and that is a good hall.  
We think when Capt. Parker gets  
everything adjusted just right, he  
will put up a good hall. He has  
been talking of it, but we can't ex-  
pect the Captain to do everything  
at once, as he has so much busi-  
ness to see after, and has no time  
for building halls. The Captain is  
ranching this year, as well as saw  
milling. He has Messrs Lamb and  
Alexander running the ranch.  
They have grubbed about forty  
acres of bottom land, and are plow-  
ing some for barley.

The Katie Cook made a trip to  
the bay last week to get the ma-  
chinery for the new steamer. We  
do not know yet what the name of  
the new steamer will be, but En-  
gineer Morgan will give it a good  
one, I assure you.

Parkersburg's boys anticipate  
organizing a base ball club.

Rumor says, the Coquille will  
have another cannery this year.  
We only hope it will be true.

Cotton Eyed Joe.

## For Sale!

The well known horse, Sammy  
Tilden, will be sold at public auc-  
tion for cash to the highest bidder,  
at my place at Camas Valley,  
Douglas county, Oregon, on Wed-  
nesday, June 1st, 1887.

G. D. Anderson.

May 17, 1887.

## [Coos Bay News.]

Messrs. Hazard & Wilson have  
moved their law office into the post-  
office building at Empire.

H. Sengstacken is enlarging the  
Occidental building at Empire,  
where he will move his stock of  
drugs and merchandise.

Twenty-six men for the Newport  
mine arrived by the Arago. They  
went to work Tuesday morning at  
75c a ton, the price agreed upon in  
the city.

Simpson Bros. are building the  
largest four-masted schooner ever  
built in the country, at Gray's  
Harbor. She will be 184 feet  
over all and will have a capacity  
for carrying 1,000,000 feet of lum-  
ber.

S. R. Davis brought from Coos  
river, Monday, about 10,000 feet of  
myrtle logs, to be shipped below.  
Mr. Davis does quite a business  
in the hard-wood and ship knee  
line, and the bay is benefited con-  
siderably by his enterprise.

## The Next State Fair.

The state board of agriculture,  
through its secretary, J. T. Gregg,  
and the various committees which  
have been appointed, has already  
begun active preparation for the  
next state fair which will begin on  
Monday, Sept. 12, and continue  
during the entire week. From the  
list of horses entered for the var-  
ious races, there was never before  
such an array of fine animals pre-  
sented at any fair. It is confidently  
predicted by those who are familiar  
with the racing stock of Oregon  
that the races of this year will be  
greatly superior to any ever before  
had at any fair.

The list of premiums in the agri-  
cultural, mechanical, art, and stock  
departments will aggregate \$10,000  
a larger sum than ever before offer-  
ed. The fair management realizes  
that in order to induce producers,  
stock-raisers, and others, to make a  
good exhibit, premiums worth com-  
peting for must be offered. The  
display in the pavilion will no  
doubt be very fine, as the premiums  
in this department especially will  
be greatly increased.

A feature of the fair, concerning  
which a general interest is felt, is  
the proposed military drill. The  
committee having this matter in  
charge has received great encour-  
agement from officers of the state  
militia to go ahead with their prepa-  
rations, as military companies will  
doubtless take this opportunity of  
trying their metal with rival com-  
panies. The management is deter-  
mined to make this part of the fair  
programme a success, and will  
spare no pains nor expense to do it.

The machinery exhibits will un-  
doubtedly be larger than ever be-  
fore. Many implement men have  
already announced their intention  
of placing in machinery hall full  
exhibits. The display of two years  
ago amounted to little, and last  
year's was just about average. But  
this coming fair the exhibit will be  
complete.

The premiums offered aggregate  
\$15,000, of which \$10,000 is to be  
devoted to the agricultural, ma-  
chinery, art, and stock exhibits.  
The remaining \$5,000 will be offer-  
ed as premiums in the races. The  
greater part of this money is deriv-  
ed from entrance fees received  
from horse-men, so that but a small  
part of the society's money is actu-  
ally devoted to this purpose.

Together, the outlook for the  
fair of 1887, is highly favorable.  
From the assurances already re-  
ceived from intending exhibitors,  
horsemen, etc., there is no doubt  
that this year the attendance will  
be very large. Mr. Gregg remark-  
ed yesterday, "All we want now is  
good weather," and bad weather is  
now undoubtedly all that can mar  
the success of the coming fair.—  
Statesman.

Abbe Rose is working away at  
his mine back of Randolph and  
getting lots of gold.

## Pleasant Valley Items.

Mr. Editor:—I heard that some  
of our people believe that Old Brud-  
der Bones must have died during  
the late rain storm, but I thought  
they were mistaken, and I believe  
so yet.

Allert Barklow is waiting for the  
moon to come around. He says  
that he is going to plant his pota-  
toes in the moon this year. I for  
one, with experience, would advise  
him to plant his in the ground, as  
Geo. Carl did his. I think that  
Geo. will have a good crop this year.

L. A. Roberts is getting along  
fine with his "family" of about 30  
children; I think that is a large  
family for a young man.

W. A. Hoover of Norway is the  
owner of a new dog cart of which  
he is the builder himself. Willis  
will now go out riding as soon as  
he finds the rib that is intended  
for him.

Brother Dogood is now chief en-  
gineer of the Norway mills.

Mr. Aaron Myers of Norway is  
the owner of a fine circus mule.  
Come and see him, boys, and hear  
his voice. He has a fine soprano  
voice like that of a sea-lion. There  
is going to be a wedding near Nor-  
way soon, as one of the young ladies  
wanted to learn from a good looking  
bachelor what finger the engage-  
ment ring should be worn on. I  
think ye editor ought to keep the  
young ladies better posted, so they  
won't need to expose themselves.

Aaron Myers is the only owner  
in Norway of a top carriage. I  
advise some young lady to capture  
him.

Mr. Marshal has started to Ban-  
don with as many as 40 piles, A.  
Snyder acting as captain, Wesley  
Mack as first mate, and Marshal  
acting as roustabout and all hands.

Mrs. Bones is going to clear  
about 10 acres of land this summer.  
Old Brudder Bones would clear  
that much, too, but the ax he's has  
gets very tired.

## Brudder Bones.

The president's view of the pol-  
icy to be pursued in relation to the  
public lands was lately disclosed  
with great clearness in the letter  
sent by him to the secretary of the  
interior in the case of Guilford  
Miller and the Northern Pacific  
Railway company. The president  
criticises the action of the interior  
department in the recent past, in  
reference to the public lands, on  
the grounds that it has resulted in  
the withdrawal of thousands, if  
not millions, of acres of the public  
lands from the operation of the  
land laws of the United States,  
thus placing them beyond the  
reach of citizens desiring to settle  
and make homes upon the lands,  
in the interest of railroad com-  
panies having no fixed, certain or  
definite interest in the same.  
This state of affairs, he says,  
should no longer continue, and he  
suggests that, where corporations  
are entitled to select lands from  
indemnity reservations, they be re-  
quired to select, where possible,  
from tracts in which settlers have  
no legal nor equitable interest,  
and upon which they have made  
no improvements. Every reason-  
able presumption and intentment,  
he says, should be made in favor  
of the settler, so as to secure to  
him the rewards of his thrift and  
industry. This is a broad and en-  
lightened view of the policy to be  
pursued relative to the public  
lands, and it will commend itself  
generally to the president's fellow-  
citizens.—Bradstreet's.

It was said of an individual, in  
Coquille, who refused to donate a  
dollar or so to a sick, and destitute  
person, that he would go to hell  
for 50 cents, and would not give 5  
cents to get out, when he could  
make 45 cents by the transaction.  
Such illiberal people should re-  
member that they may some time  
need help. Fickle fortune may  
slip from them at any time, and  
kind friends are far better than all  
the fortunes.