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Reception of Hon. B. Hermann.

[The following was received from the editor of the upper department last week but as we had no room we print it on the outside this week.—Ed.]

On the morning of the 18th the citizens of Myrtle Point were astir at an early hour. Hacks, carriages, carts and wagons were sought for, and every saddle horse available was brought into service to convey the large crowd of anxious people to the picnic grounds near the old Hermann homestead, where the people were to assemble to give a reception to Hon. Binger Hermann in recognition of his faithful and energetic services as a representative in congress. A refreshing shower in the early morning had cleared up the atmosphere, settled the dust, and made the air pure and refreshing, thus making the drive of five miles from our city through the fragrant and aromatic myrtle groves as grand and sublime as heart could wish for. Before reaching the grounds the glorious sun came upon us through a veil that left lingering the cool and bracing atmosphere. Nature seemed to smile on every hand and welcome the throng of pioneers and residents of our beautiful valley as they drove in to the lovely grove that had been arranged with seats, tables and a platform. The glorious national flag was waving its graceful folds suspended to a myrtle bough over the speaker's stand, and the Myrtle Point brass band in uniform were on hand and discoursed fine music. "Feeling on the Old Camp Ground," seemed a very appropriate piece, as thirty years ago Dr. Hermann camped upon these grounds when our congressman was just entering manhood.

Teams loaded down from the South fork and the smaller tributaries of the Coquille river came in until noon, at which time Hon. J. Henry Schroeder was elected president of the day. A bountiful dinner was then spread upon the tables by the ladies of the vicinity and an hour of feasting and visiting was indulged in. There were visitors from the Umpqua, and some from Portland, and they were convinced that this is truly a land of milk and honey. As they were invited from table to table to partake of the delicious viands spread before them. It is estimated that three hundred people eat dinner after which the president of the day stepped upon the platform. All attention was then drawn in that direction. State Senator Walter Sinclair and Congressman Hermann were invited to seats near the presiding officer. J. Henry Schroeder then opened the exercises in a pleasing address. He stated that he had known the gentleman whom he had met to honor from childhood. That their early days had been passed together in Baltimore. That as he looked back now, and remembered his first impressions of the abilities of Mr. Hermann he could realize how easy it was to misjudge the character or mental strength of a person in his youth. He gave our representative credit for his efficient efforts in Washington. His remarks were well received. State Senator Sinclair was called and addressed the citizens in a fluent and elegant manner. He spoke of the natural advantages of our county and complimented the ladies upon their graceful and healthy appearance and closed his remarks by reviewing the results of the indomitable labors of Mr. Hermann while in Washington, not only for our valley and county, but for the whole state which was an evidence that Oregon's congressman was doing his duty stating that the present representative in congress was the most efficient and ablest congressman Oregon ever had. Mr. Hermann was then called. As he arose and stepped to the front of the platform there was perfect silence, and as the speaker cast his eye over the audience and seen the faces of pioneers that cast their lot with him on the Coquille nearly a third of a century back the first words that escaped his lips were uttered with the deepest emotion. He said: "This is one of

the grandest scenes of my life! Meeting this day with old friends and acquaintances of over a quarter of a century ago. While this gives me pleasure and my heart leaps with joyful emotion at this reunion a pang of sorrow swells up within my breast as I look around over this audience and behold some vacant places, caused by the inevitable hand of death." But yet he was thankful that so many were present although some had reached their three score years and ten. The speaker then alluded to the hardships and privations endured by those who had the vein and courage to wend their way into this wild western wilderness in the early days and amid so many difficulties build up homes for themselves and their posterity. Although happy hours had been enjoyed around the hearth stone yet the rising generation would reap the greatest part of the benefit arising from the accomplishment of the hardy pioneers of a quarter of a century ago. As the realization of these facts flashed across his memory and the remembrance of days gone by occupied his thoughts it brings up Woodworth's "Old Oak- en Bucket" to his mind:

"How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood,
When fond recollections present them to view,
The orchard, the meadow, the deep-tangled wild wood,
And every loved spot my infancy knew."

In speaking of the progress of the country and how different every thing is to day than it was when he first seen this valley he referred to the brass band and paid a glowing tribute to the refining influence of music and stated that it hardly seemed possible that so fine a band of music could be formed upon the Coquille river, and yet it reminded him of early days as there were musicians then that cheered the lonely hours of the hopeful settlers of those times, and he applied the anecdote of the old bell maker and the stolen bell. The speaker spoke of Father Schroeder as the father of the Myrtle Point band giving a tribute of respect and love for this progenitor of the musical interest of the community. Mr. Hermann then spoke of the grandeur and honorable pursuits of husbandry weaving in anecdotes of taken the place of those rustic structures. Mr. Hermann compared the condition of the people of Coos county with that of those living in many places in the east who were obliged to toil from morn till night in order to keep starvation from their doors and rags upon their backs. He complimented the people of Oregon upon their intelligence and claimed that they were a reading people, recommended the support of the news paper giving a just tribute for its great influence in educating the people. Among many other things the speaker alluded to the improvements at the mouth of our river and Coos bay, stating that he was proud of Coos bay, that the foundation was laid for a great future for Coos county. The river was being improved and that settlers should refrain from throwing timber into the stream to obstruct navigation. Many other good things were said by the orator, enough to occupy all of our space in these columns. His perorations at the closing of many of the subjects were grand and sublime, in fact, the outlines seemed spell-bound at times when the speaker was alluding to matters that so materially interested every resident in our promising valley, and all the early cultivation of the Coquille soil, and of the improvements that had taken place since that time, and of the grand improvements in roads; of the important achievements of our state representatives in obtaining an appropriation to build the wagon road up the Middle fork. He referred to the improvements that many cabins of the early days had disappeared and substantial farm houses had joined in praise of the address of Oregon's congressman. After the address on hour was passed in listening to the band and viewing old times it was stated that the speaker who had just left the plat-

form had delivered the first 4th of July oration ever delivered on the South fork. Twenty-eight years have passed since then and yet many were present to hear him again after over a quarter of a century. Suffice to say that the 18th of August will long be remembered by those who attended these exercises.

Crop-Weather Bulletin No. 23 for Week Ending Aug. 17, 1889.
[Oregon State Weather Bureau in co-operation with U. S. Signal Service, Central Office Portland, Oregon.]

WEATHER.
Cooler weather prevailed during the past week, the temperature being about normal. No general rain occurred except on Saturday, when in Western Oregon a light shower was generally experienced. At Portland .09 of an inch fell, the first since June 30th. On the 14th a light shower occurred in Clatsop and Tillamook counties. Distant thunder was heard at Forest Grove on the 16th.

FOREST FIRES.
The smoke continues to obscure the sun most of the time. The forest fires continue doing great damage, especially in the coast range. In parts of the Cascade range the fires are driving the sheep out and doing much damage to them.

WHEAT AND OATS.
Harvesting is gradually being finished and reports indicate that better yields were had than was expected. Some sections report a fine wheat yield, others a shriveled condition of it. Through Sherman and Wasco counties wheat is yielding from four to twelve bushels per acre. An account of the almost total failure in the wheat and oats crop of Malheur, Grant and Crook counties no rail roads and transportation is high, the prices are extraordinarily high, wheat is selling as high as two dollars and oats one dollar and thirty cents per bushel. The Umpqua valley will have a larger number of bushels of wheat to export than last year.

NEW PRODUCTS.
It is reported from Salem that a two-year-old fig tree has this year produced fine figs. At Pendleton sorghum presents a fine appearance, and some cotton is being successfully raised in the north-eastern part of Umatilla county. Practical tests may demonstrate the fact that figs, sorghum and cotton can be profitably grown in certain sections of the state, thus adding three more products to the already long list and variety.

WATER.
Water is very scarce in Eastern Oregon. All springs and most of the creeks are dry. Wells are giving out and water has to be hauled for all purposes for many miles.

FRUIT.
Reports continue to indicate a good yield of fruits. Large quantities are being shipped and all fruits are of good quality and size. Apples were in sections injured by the blight. Plums are very plentiful and prunes are in places somewhat smaller than usual, but an increased quantity. Peaches and pears are unusually plentiful.

VEGETABLES.
Potatoes will be a short crop, the dry weather cut their yield down fully one-third. Onions, beets, cabbage, corn, melons, etc., are in good condition, the weather for the past three weeks having been favorable to them and large yields are expected.

B. S. PAGE,
U. S. Signal Service.

John Kronenberg & Son have just completed the water tanks for Capt. Parker's new tug at Parkersburg. They show some fine work and persons having work in this line could do no better than to take it to these gentlemen.

J. A. Collier's new house which is nearing completion shows some fine work. When it is completed and finished it will be one of the finest houses in our town and second to none on the river. Allen should be congratulated on going to have such a fine residence.

A new wagon for sale at a great bargain. Inquire of W. Notley, this place.

Everybody is loud in praise of the road J. B. Fox is building on Middle Coquille that has seen it.

R. D. Dickson has N. W. Leneve and J. Martin painting and otherwise fixing up his residence in our town.

FOR SALE.—About thirty yards of calico made into window curtains for ten cents. Apply to Everett Hayes.

S. E. Harkness who lately came here from Grants Pass is erecting a house on the lots that he recently purchased adjoining N. W. Leneve's.

FOR SALE.—A splendid hotel property, which is doing a good business. Good reason given for selling—a dandy bargain. Apply to W. Sinclair, Coquille City, Or.

Messrs. Young & Sprague, of Marshfield were in town several days last week. They are making preparation for furnishing refreshments to the thirsty during the fair.

Parties from California are prospecting and locating quartz ledges on Sixes, Sucker and other streams between South Coquille and the coast. Great excitement continues but no ledge has yet been found that is equal to that the Devilbiss boys found.

Mr. Clemens Orteig arrived on the river Friday from Astoria and will work in the cannery of Mr. J. W. Hume. It will be remembered that Mr. O. received a terrible fall on the spile driver last year, and he speaks in the highest terms of Dr. Spongole in bringing him out as good as ever.

Prof. Kinnicutt, and James D. Hayes of South Coquille will build an academy at Myrtle Point—an institution of which Coos county can well feel proud of. Prof. K. is one of the leading educators of Western Oregon, and is well known to the people of this county where he has been teaching twenty-one years. He will secure the services of one of the best teachers to be found in the east, an old school-mate of his. A word of success is the wish of the HERALD.

[Coos Bay News]
Some one put fire in the woods near S. R. Davis' logging on north Coos river last Thursday, and it spread to the camp, destroying about 600 logs. This is a heavy loss to Mr. Davis, and is sincerely deplored by everybody.

The Montezano ran her bow on a mudflat near the mouth of Catching slough, Saturday night, and remained there. Her stern was in deep water and the flood tide partially submerged her. Arrangements were made to float her off Tuesday.

A sad accident occurred at Lyman Nolte's camp at Sumner last Saturday, which resulted in Peter Henyon being instantly killed. It seems he was barking a log in company with Jas. Ray on a steep hill side, when the log rolled over him, inflicting mortal injuries. The body was brought to town, and taken to the residence of Lyman Noble, from whence the funeral took place Sunday afternoon, and services were conducted in the Baptist church by Rev. F. E. Seefeldt. Peter Henyon was a native of Michigan, 34 years old, and had been in the county about 12 years. He was partner in a farm with James Lewis on the Coquille, and lived there a portion of the time, working occasionally in the camps on the bay. He was an industrious, upright, square man, who bore the respect and goodwill of all he came in contact with, and whose sad death is a matter of general regret.

Winter Cholera.
A species of bowel complaint, known as "winter cholera," appeared in several cities in the Northwest last winter and is likely to be more general this season. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is a certain cure for it. For Sale by J. H. Nosler, of Coquille City, and W. L. Dixon, of Myrtle Point.

H. S. Hazard, Esq., of Marshfield visited this place Wednesday. Uncle Charley Tomlinson of Coaledo visited the lower river Tuesday accompanied by Mr. Gentry, lately of Missouri.

Mr. James Aiken and John Snyder will have beds prepared in the upper story of the pavilion, on the fair grounds, for the accommodations of those wishing to sleep there during the fair.

Mrs. B. Hermann, Mrs. Bender, Miss Hermann and Miss Bauck called on us Wednesday, in the absence of the editor-in-chief, but they took a look at the Dean mansion just the same. They, accompanied by Hon. B. Hermann, and Capt. Young, departed for Bandon, the former to gether up ozone and the latter to inspect the government works at the mouth of the river.

Johnny Perrott, of Parkersburg, while splitting wood at the mill struck the ax handle against a block causing it to glance striking him on the left wrist making an ugly cut. The tug brought him to town and Dr. Spongole sewed it up. The loss of the use of the first finger and thumb is feared, as the leaders were cut. While we deplore the sad accident it was lucky the ax was a dull one.

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Petition For Sale.

We the undersigned legal voters and tax-payers of Bandon precinct county of Coos, state of Oregon, ask that on the 4th day of September 1889, the honorable court of the county of Coos, state of Oregon, grant to Wm. Copley a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in Bandon precinct, county of Coos, state of Oregon, for a period of six months from said date. For which we will ever pray.

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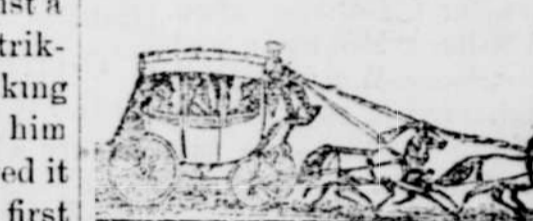
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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed in the county court of Coos county, Oregon, my final account as administrator of the estate of H. C. Williams, deceased, and that D. L. Watson, county judge of Coos county, Oregon, has set Monday, the 2nd day of September, 1889, at the court room at the court house at Empire City, Oregon, as the time and place of hearing said final account, and any objections that may be made to the same. All persons are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and make objections if any there be, why said final account should not be confirmed there, and there by said court.
Dated this 22 day of July, 1889.
ADMINISTRATOR,
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Administrator of the estate of H. C. Williams, deceased.

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BIDS will be received for the construction of a bridge across a gulch on Henry street in the town of Coquille City on the line of the county road as relocated, leading from Coquille City to Fairview in Coos county, Oregon. Said bridge to be built of wood, about 35 feet high, 21 feet wide, with road bed for wagons 20 feet wide and a foot-way for pedestrians 4 feet wide and about 200 feet long. Now therefore sealed plans, struts diagrams, specifications and bids for the construction of said bridge, will be received up to 6 o'clock p. m. of Monday the 2nd day of September 1889. All bids must be filed with the clerk of this court, on or before September 2nd, 1889 at 4 o'clock p. m. Each bidder must deposit with his bid in the hands of said clerk, five per cent. of the amount of such bid, which amount shall be forfeited to the county in case the award is made to him, and he fails, neglects or refuses for the period of ten days after such award is made to enter into contract and give bonds in the manner required by and to the satisfaction of the board of County Commissioners. The clerk reserves the right to refuse any and all bids. This is by order of the county court made at the July term 1889.
J. J. Lamb Clerk.