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Temperance Notes.
[From the National W. C. T. U. Bulletin.]
A movement has been inaugurated in Michigan University against the liquor habit among the students.

West Virginia W. C. T. U. is working in the interest of a bill to provide a state industrial school for girls.

Within twenty-four hours at last Christmas, nearly five hundred arrests for drunkenness were made in Philadelphia.

Where do the fallen women come from? Four thousand girls last year sheltered in the Anchorage Mission at Chicago and three hundred were placed in good positions.

The school board of St. Joseph, Missouri, have voted to expel any boy who smokes cigarettes, whether on or off the school grounds.

A majority of 2559 union printers out of a total of 8707 have voted for the plank favoring "state and national destruction of the liquor traffic."

The population of the earth is estimated at 1,440,650,000 persons. America's annual drink bill is but little less than a dollar for every inhabitant on the globe.

Lady Henry Somerset has been severely criticised by many who have not understood her property relations, for allowing public houses on her estate. A case has just been decided in the chancery court, London, by Justice Chitty, which shows her powerlessness to manage her rentals according to her convictions. Refusing to renew a license for the sale of liquor in a hotel on her estate in Reigate, suit was brought against her, and Justice Chitty decided that she must not allow her personal opinions to affect her actions in her fiduciary capacity, she merely holding her estate as a tenant for life, and that the license should be renewed. Inasmuch, however, as she had acted in good faith, the court would allow her costs.

General Scott was in command at Rock Island when the cholera broke out there, and, after various injunctions in his order as to sobriety and cleanliness, he added this curious paragraph, which was recently printed in the Magazine of American History: "In addition to the foregoing, the senior surgeon present recommends the use of flannel underclothing and woolen stockings; but the commanding general, who has seen much of disease, knows that it is intemperance which, in the present state of the atmosphere, generates and spreads the calamity, and that when once spread good and temperate men are likely to take infection. He, therefore, peremptorily commands that every soldier or ranger who shall be found drunk or sensibly intoxicated after the publication of this order be compelled, as soon as his strength will permit, to dig a grave at a suitable burying place, large enough for his own reception, as such grave cannot fail soon to be wanted for the drunken man himself or some drunken companion. This order is given as well to serve for the punishment of drunkenness as to spare good and temperate men the labor of digging graves for their worthless companions."

Nervous Shock.
E. W. JOY COMPANY—Gentlemen: This is the first time I have attempted to write for three years. Have been to nervous and weak that I have laid in bed most of the time.

A friend who had taken your Sarsaparilla sent me two bottles. The second one is most gone, and I have gained twenty pounds, and surely feel a new woman. I was pale, thin, no ambition. Had given up, as I had tried so many remedies and doctors, but found no benefit. If you care to publish this you have my consent. (Signed)
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Stranger—I would like to see your bill collector a moment? Editor—Certainly! John, hand the gentleman that shotgun.

LOCAL ITEMS.
Public school began at Marshfield yesterday.

Capt. Andrew Hall now runs the steamer Alert on Coos bay.

Mrs. William Moss is the qualified and efficient postmistress at Dora.

Lyons' mill shipped 35,000 feet of lumber to the bay by rail last Friday.

Well, the farmers have had several weeks of glorious weather, and nearly all are safe with their crops.

C. L. Gray, jeweler has received his counters, show-cases, etc., from Myrtle Point and will probably place them this week.

Dr. Culin has received his certificate from the state board under the new law. It is from a new plate and form also.

J. H. Matheny, a prominent Myrtle Pointer, was down on business last Friday morning. He will attend court during the business of that department.

Our townsman, C. E. McCann, will put up his sawmill near the Two-mile schoolhouse, below Bandon, having failed to secure a site in this neighborhood.

Several new subscribers have sought the HERALD office the past couple of weeks, and several old ones called and paid up, renewing friendships for another year.

See the handsome large posters about the masquerade. The HERALD puts out first-class work because a job printer has charge, and the rates are the same as in the city.

The tug Katie O'Neil brought up a full cargo last Wednesday. She's all right—can tow a schooner, or be useful as well as handsome in serving the public at living charges.

W. H. Widby and family came down from their South Fork home last Thursday and did some shopping for winter and visited friends briefly—the HERALD among the number.

The old building, moved to the front of the lot and placed beside the handsome new one put up by C. L. Gray, our jeweler, has been remodeled and looks well. Collier & Morgan did the job.

One of the students from this county to the state agricultural college at Coryallis writes to the Coos Bay News. He represents that the several boys from this section are progressing well.

Alva Lee, the late popular captain of our river steamer Dispatch, shipped on the steamer Alice Blanchard a few days since for San Francisco, whether permanently or not we are not informed.

Judge Fullerton expected to pass the interim from the Curry district court to that of Coos in this section, being but a brief spell, but the serious illness of his father was announced to him by telegram and he hurried at once to his bedside.

(Marshfield Sun.)
The night train was placed on the run again last week, hauling logs from John Yoakam's camp on the Coquille.

Lyons' mill at Coquille City will furnish the lumber for our new schoolhouse. It will amount to about 240,000 feet.

Judge J. F. Watson, of Portland, is expected here this term of court. He is interested in several railroad subsidy cases.

H. W. Dunham did not arrest the parties accused of robbing the Beaver Hill store, as there was not sufficient evidence to convict. The thieves got away with \$140 in coin and \$320 in checks.

James Wall's barn on the Isthmus, with its contents, several tons of hay, was destroyed by fire last week. As the barn was some distance from any building the origin of the fire seems to be a mystery.

A thief burglarized Mr. Stickney's residence in East Marshfield last week, and among other things got away with a postoffice order for \$100. The thief has not been apprehended yet, but is likely to be before he gets the order cashed.

Uncle Tom Darwin of Libby came to Marshfield last week with Pat Hennessy, which was his first visit to Marshfield in 10 years. Uncle Tom came to Coos county in '55 and his name is familiar to all the old-timers. While here he had the pleasure of shaking hands with many friends who were glad to meet him.

(Coast Mail.)
E. D. Stratford, of Roseburg, on a certificate from the supreme court of Kansas, was today temporarily admitted to practice in the courts of Oregon. He is a brother of Photographer Stratford of Marshfield.

The preliminary order for an election and a vote was made at the county court last week for the incorporation of Beaver Hill. There is quite a large population there, numbering over 350, and it is not possible to keep a deputy sheriff on the ground all the time, so the inhabitants need "the presence of a marshal and a court of justice to keep the peace and dignity of the state of Oregon."

Another Free Offer.
The long winter evenings can be very profitably devoted to reading, but there are some things that we must read the year round. One of these is a local paper: the best in the county is before you—the HERALD. Another is a good home paper of general circulation, such as "Womankind," for instance, which comes once a month filled with the best things for a busy housewife. We are able by special arrangements with the publishers, to offer "Womankind" free for a year to every paid-in-advance subscriber to our paper, and are glad to do so, for we are convinced that no home paper in America contains more of practical value to women. Bright stories, clever poems, the latest fashions, news of woman's work everywhere, articles on "Motherhood," "Cultivation of Flowers," a woman's parliament for the discussion of matters of interest, are a few of the bright features of "Womankind."

To the head of the house we offer on the same terms "Farm News," an agricultural paper, edited by a practical farmer (Miller Purvis, esq., late state lecturer of the Ohio Farmer's Alliance), and filled each month with suggestions from able correspondents, that make it an absolute necessity to every wide awake farmer. This paper is yours for the asking, provided you are a subscriber to our paper.

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