

LOCAL ITEMS.

We are making some more improvements on the HERALD building this week.

Several beautiful days have visited us since the holidays—mild and almost summer-like.

Wirt Miller, of Fishtrap, was in town on last Thursday. He reports the grip as prevalent there.

Rev. W. B. Smith went to Bandon on last Thursday and returned on Friday. Simply a business trip.

The editor of our Up-River Department returned home from Empire City last Wednesday on the train.

Prof. Kinnicut has established study hours at the schoolhouse in the evenings. His school is prospering nicely.

Oregon Kidney Tea is sold on a positive guarantee by N. G. W. Perkins, of Myrtle Point, and Dr. S. L. Leneve, of Coquille City.

Johnson Bro's are selling the very best boneless breakfast bacon at 9 and 10 cents per pound for cash. It is delicious and no mistake.

Now that the holidays are over, work is being resumed on the new hotel. It is to be hoped that it will be pushed on to completion as rapidly as possible.

Oregon Kidney Tea is nature's own remedy for kidney troubles. For sale by N. G. W. Perkins, of Myrtle Point, and Dr. S. L. Leneve, of Coquille City.

Dick Robinson, who was hurt at Morris Bro's mill some time ago, is slowly recovering. He thinks it will be some time before his right arm will be able to work.

Owen Short, who has been clerk at the Topper house at Bandon, has severed his connection with that hotel and returned home to Marshfield on last Wednesday.

McEwen & McCain of the HERALD are agents for the C. W. Paterson marble works at Marshfield. If you contemplate erecting tablets or monuments, call and see designs and get prices.

Alonzo Cribbins, of North Fork, and Hurvey Minard, a mill-owner also of North Fork, were on Wednesday's train, returning from Empire City where they had been in attendance upon the county court.

We acknowledge a call from D. McNair, of South Fork, on last Thursday. We enjoy having the patrons of the HERALD call on us whenever in town, and we hereby extend to all a cordial invitation to come. The latch-string to the sanctum of the "Old Reliable" is always on the outside.

There are many opportunities for business enterprises here—no place is full. We have a growing and just developing section which, within the next five years, if not throttled by its friends (?) or the continued hard times, will hardly be known to those most familiar with it now. Come along and help us.

Geo. Moulton again accepts the agency of the Pacific nursery at Tangent, Oregon, and will canvass Coos county. This is a reliable firm and already known as such to Coos county patrons, while George is also well known and deals fairly with our citizens. If you want fruit trees of any kind, true to name and at fair prices, give George Moulton your order.

On last Thursday an excursion train was run from Myrtle Point to Marshfield and return so as to allow the friends of the Flanagan family to attend the funeral, which took place in Marshfield on that day. A number of young people took occasion of this opportunity to get a free ride to the bay and back. A large number of old friends who wished to attend the funeral could not get room on the train, as it was overcrowded.

A Wonderful Invention—The New Gasoline Engine.

J. M. Inman is traveling agent for one of the most complete flatirons ever invented. It is as much a necessity in a family as a kitchen stove or a sewing machine. It does away with the old, tedious process of heating irons on a stove. The cost of running the gasoline iron is virtually nothing, and the saving of labor for the women is so great that no family can afford to do without a gasoline iron. This apparatus can be used for many other purposes, and amounts to a small gasoline stove. It can be used for making a cup of tea, warming water or milk, etc. The Herald has ordered one, and advises its friends to do the same.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

More of the Bawmoro. Judge Delos Woodruff, who resides at Enchre creek, below Port Orford, was in Coquille City on last Wednesday looking up testimony in a suit by Capt. Woodside against the Canton insurance company, of San Francisco, for \$2000 insurance on his household goods, which he claims were lost when the steamer Bawmoro, of which he was master, was wrecked, below Bandon last August. It seems the captain had his household goods insured in the above company, and the company refused to pay, on the ground that there was no proof of loss of goods. And further that there was evidence that the goods were saved and sold. Judge Woodruff was the auctioneer who sold the property that was saved from the Bawmoro, and remembered selling several hundred dollars' worth of the captain's household goods. So the company have employed him to trace the matter up and ascertain the amount of goods sold and the various articles. The judge has already found over \$800 worth of the goods that were sold at the wreck. Capt. Woodside and his wife swore in the complaint that their goods were a total loss by the wreck.

These are the people who vilified and abused the residents in the neighborhood of the wreck, accusing them of stealing property, refusing assistance, etc. It will be remembered that the San Francisco papers had articles in reference to this matter in which these honest, kind-hearted citizens of Curry county were represented as a band of brigands and robbers; and some of our county papers were at the time inclined to assist in the circulation of these infamous slanders. It appears now that their traducers, Capt. Woodside and wife, will be shown up in their true light by this insurance transaction.

It's a long lane that has no turn.

Nervous Shock.

E. W. JOY COMPANY—Gentlemen: This is the first time I have attempted so 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) MRS. A. C. TELLMAN, Alameda, Cal.

Headaches, Billiousness and Torpid Liver disappear when you take Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla.

A Thief Caught.

Since Bob Dean moved to his ranch he purchased five head of sheep as a beginning for a future flock. Recently one after another of the sheep has been killed by some unknown animal, until but two remained of the original number. Quite naturally Mr. Dean was not well pleased with this sort of procedure, so he procured a No. 4 steel trap and carefully set it for the marauder. Last Thursday morning on going to the trap he had the satisfaction of finding a large-sized wildcat with one leg firmly gripped between its iron jaws. His catship was not in the best of temper and made fight with everyone that came near him. Mr. Dean finally dispatched him with a club, and now hopes to be able to keep the two sheep which he has left.

SEATS OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, vs LEAS COUNTY.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will state the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATHARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY, Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1895.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.

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A Sensible Special Edition. The Observer, Grants Pass, on December 21st, issued a splendid holiday number of that publication, being free from the usual coarse wood-cut illustrations of "prominent citizens" and prominent citizens' "model residences," with paid write-ups of the same, and giving instead fine photo-gravers of their hydraulic mines, sugar pine and other lumber enterprises, a view of their town and of several of its streets, its important public buildings—such as its grand public school building, several churches, the opera house, principal hotels, business houses, etc.—with a small map of the state and a map of the county, intelligently directing the public eye to the location of their town, and then giving sensible write-ups, as these headings would imply: "Mining Operations in Josephine County;" "Our Extensive Lumber Interests;" "Fruit Industry of Josephine County;" "History of the County;" "Mountains of Marble;" "Pine Needle Factory;" "Our Public Schools;" with sketches from able pens about the county for fishing and hunting, etc., and a long list of answers to questions about the county which "A Nebraska Citizen Wants to Know." It is a large 6-column, 16-page issue, on fine paper, well printed, and liberally backed by the advertisements of live business men, who know a good thing when they see it. Only legitimate advertising affords the "prominent citizen" an opportunity to be known prominently at all, though the editor might fare better by the other fake issue.

Under the general heading of "Mining Operations," in speaking of the Waldo district, we call this reference to well-known Coos county citizens, who are large operators. The Observer says: "The first mine we will speak of will be the 'WIMER BRO'S MINE.' This, with the Simmons mine adjoining it, are perhaps the two oldest and largest mines in the whole state. The mine is owned by Messrs. W. J. & George Wimer, the former having charge of the works. A cut a mile and a half long, 50 feet wide and an average of 70 feet deep has been pipped out for a race or flume to provide a dump, making it possible to reach the good pay dirt in this mine. It is flumed on the bottom 3200 feet in length, 5 feet wide and 4 feet high. It took a great many years of hard labor and the expenditure of a large sum of money to get this property in proper shape. The work was commenced in 1877 by the Simpson Bros and was completed by the present owners. The property comprises 280 acres. It has 2100 inches of water with a pressure of 175 feet. They run two giants and require from eight to twelve men to operate it. It is estimated that \$180,000 has been taken out of this mine alone. But it has cost more than half that sum to put it in operation."

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its cures of bad colds. It opens the secretions, relieves the lungs, and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. If freely used as soon as the cold has been contracted, and before it greatly lessens the severity of the attack and has often cured in a single day what would have been a severe cold. For sale by Dr. S. L. Leneve, druggist.

The last session of the mock legislature was exceedingly interesting. Several bills were discussed and voted on, some passing and others being rejected. Aaron Wilson was elected permanent reading-clerk in place of Anderson Lamb, resigned. A resolution was passed extending a cordial invitation to the ladies to attend the sessions. The legislature meets every Tuesday evening at the little church.

Mrs. Norris, wife of Thomas Norris, who died recently near Fairview, spent a day or two in Coquille last week. She had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Russell Dement, at Bandon since her husband's death, and stopped over to visit with our townsmen's people of the same name. She went home to Fairview on last Tuesday.

Does advertising pay? Well, no; it doesn't pay to invite the public to deal with you and tell them the special offers you can make them.

"Be Just, and Fear Not."

EDS. HERALD: Impartiality is a noble trait; we must raise it from oblivion and use it judiciously. With the question of firing salutes at the Soldiers' Home, to celebrate the Republican party victories, the question naturally arises which follows: Do the taxpayers of Oregon, irrespective of party, support the Soldiers' Home? If so, it follows that the home is no place for partisan display. The people of Oregon, generally, are favorably disposed toward the old soldiers; but it would be bad form, while just as appropriate, to have fired a salute from the guns of the home on the overwhelming victory of the Democrats in Boston. Be impartial and ignore the mouthing of the canting hypocrites who preach as if no party existed but their own. By this time the veterans will have obtained ocular demonstration of the noble sentiments of the noble statesman who addressed them on the occasion mentioned. The eldest son in a family largely consisting of boys, he was notorious in the time of the late war for chin-music—a patriotic blather-skite; but, while able to bear arms, there was no war in his'n. He still loves to display his ability with taffy.

We Populists take no stock in President Cleveland's policy, consequently when the Roserurg Plaindealer is abusing him as a shirker during the war, we suffer no anguish; our feathers are unruffled; still, the blatant, time-serving, office-seeking scribbler who edits that paper might take a tumble to himself and remember, when he is howling for Binger Hermann, that his idol is in exactly the same fix. Be impartial, Benja.

*Fine pictures fit to frame as fine. *Consistency is a jewel.

PIONEER COQUILLER.

The coal being developed east of town, and which prospects so well as the Stockman place, and not on Barrows', as we said last week. The coal burns every way satisfactorily, and hopefulness has risen several points since our last issue.

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The six months for articles for 1895 and 1896 will cover the whole country and its various interests, and the articles will be profusely illustrated with the finest engravings, and, in addition, it will publish the best and greatest fiction. It treats at length of Out-Door Sports, Home Amusements and Entertainment; it gives a great deal of attention to the Children's Department and "Our Girls," and has a monthly Symposium by Colored People, in which are discussed important questions of the hour of interest to the other readers.

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Mrs. C. J. Woodruff, of Wortham, Texas, saved the life of her child by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. "One of my children had Croup, and was supposed to be well under control. One night I was startled by the child's hard breathing, and on going to it found it struggling. Realizing that the child's alarming condition had become possible in spite of the medicines given, I resorted to such remedies as would be of no avail. Having part of a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house, I gave it to the child three doses, at short intervals, and anxiously waited results. From the moment the Pectoral was given, the child's breathing grew easier, and in a short time, she was sleeping quietly and breathing naturally. The child is alive and well today, and I do not hesitate to say that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral saved her life."

AYER'S Cherry Pectoral

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass. Prompt action, sure to cure.

Uncle Jack Laird has had an attack of la grippe in company with some others of us. He never during the war, we suffer no anguish; our feathers are unruffled; still, the blatant, time-serving, office-seeking scribbler who edits that paper might take a tumble to himself and remember, when he is howling for Binger Hermann, that his idol is in exactly the same fix. Be impartial, Benja.

A Poem in Latin.

Boyibus kis-ibus. Seseel girlorum: Giribus kisibus. Wanti somorun.

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. 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.

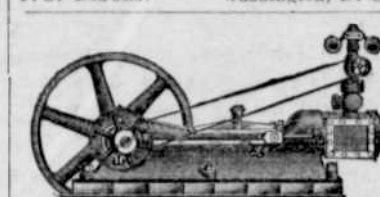
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G. A. R. NOTICE.

We take this opportunity of informing our subscribers that the new Commissioner of Pensions has been appointed. He is an old soldier, and we believe that soldiers and their heirs will receive justice at his hands. We do not anticipate that there will be any radical changes in the administration of pension affairs under the new regime.

We would advise, however, that U. S. soldiers, sailors, and their heirs, take steps to make application at once, if they have not already done so, in a view to securing the benefit of the early filing of their claims in case there should be any future pension legislation. Such legislation is seldom retroactive. Therefore it is of great importance that applications be filed in the department at the earliest possible date.

If U. S. soldiers, sailors or their widows, children or parents, desire information in regard to pension matters, they should write to THE PRESS CLAIMS COMPANY, at Washington, D. C., and they will prepare and send the necessary application, if they find them entitled under the numerous laws enacted for their benefit. Address: PRESS CLAIMS COMPANY, P. O. Box 355, Washington, D. C.



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