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Presidential Electors.

M. L. Olmsted, of Baker, W. D. Hare, of Washington, W. H. Spang, of Leno, Henry Watkins, of Yamhill.

For Representative of Coos County, THOMAS HUCKMAN, [Special election November 3, 1896.]

McKinley vs. History.

McKINLEY. [In his first speech of the 1896 campaign.] HISTORY. [As collected by Senator W. M. Stewart from Bradstreet and other official sources.]

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TAKES SENSE AND BACKBONE.

A prominent citizen of this city, who has not long resided here, got a letter from his aged father, in Indiana, recently, in which he gets these complimentary references to the people of this section, prompted from what the father had read about them in copies of the Herald which he had received:

The g. o. p. smart Isaacs have been associating the German anarchist Johann Most's name with that of Governor Altgeld, Senator Tillman and other patriotic citizens, and as a friend of the platform of principles promulgated at Chicago, which they pronounce as anarchistic, etc. The fact is, Johann Most has declared against free silver and in favor of the McKinley platform of "sound money," and further declares he is a stronger monometal-

Paul Revere, patriot of Revolutionary fame, was not a "walking delegate," to be sure, for he had to hustle, and he rode like a dare-devil to agitate and arouse the patriot fathers to their danger.

J. H. Smithson, of The Dalles, sold his wool a few days ago for 63 cents a pound, realizing \$2000, which he put in an Ellensburg bank. The next day the bank broke.

C. A. Snow & Co., of Washington, D. C., Patent Lawyers, whose ad. is in another column, have a solid reputation for procuring patents for inventions in the United States, Canada and Europe.

If you have a watch, clock, sewing-machine, or anything that others have failed upon, bring it to this office or leave orders for Mr. Dietz.

County Court Proceedings.

[In vacation after April, '96, term.]

Squaw of Marshfield Tom allowed \$5 per month.

W. H. Morgan appointed supervisor road dist No 2.

Orders to advertise for bids to repair wings to the Mast and Fox bridges; to rebuild the Chaney bridge; and one across Beaver slough marsh on road from Coquille City to Marshfield, and for repair of Myrtle Point bridge.

JULY, 1896, TERM.

Bonds approved and following officers qualified:

Edward Rackleff, clerk; W. W. Gage, sheriff; W. W. Hayes, treasurer; K. H. Hansen, assessor; J. H. Barklow, school superintendent; Wm Horsfall, M. D., coroner; S. B. Cathcart, surveyor; I. T. Weekly, commissioner; Louis H. Hazard, deputy county clerk; Clyde A. Gage, deputy sheriff.

BRIDGE BIDS.

Christensen & Johnson's bid to rebuild the Beaver slough and Chaney bridge for \$1796.56; J. B. Fox's bid to rebuild the Beaver slough marsh bridge for \$1.40 per lineal foot and the two (Beaver slough and Chaney bridge) for \$1.25 per lineal foot; Wm Turpin's bid to rebuild the two bridges (Beaver slough marsh and Chaney bridge) for \$1.63 per lineal foot, or the Beaver slough marsh bridge for \$1.70 per lineal foot; J. D. Bennett bids to rebuild the Chaney bridge for \$562, with bents 20 feet apart, or \$512 with bents 20 feet apart.

J. B. Fox awarded the contract for building Beaver slough marsh bridge at \$1.40 per lineal foot. Chaney bridge continued for time being.

J. D. Bennett proposes to repair Myrtle Point bridge for \$409; J. B. Fox to repair said bridge for \$389; S. C. Giles for \$389; and Chas E. G. Dietz and C. T. Riley for \$369.50. Contract awarded to Chas E. G. Dietz and C. T. Riley for \$369.50.

Repairing Fox and Mast bridges: J. B. Fox proposes to repair said bridges for \$100; J. D. Bennett proposes to repair the Fox bridge for \$75 and the Mast bridge for \$130. J. B. Fox awarded the contract for repairing the Fox and Mast bridges for \$100.

Bids to repair road around Cape Horn on the old Coos bay wagon road: M. J. Krantz proposes to build a solid roadbed around said bluff for \$794, or a trestle around bluff for \$598; E. N. Harry proposes to build a crib around bluff on solid stone foundation for \$980, or to build bridge and grade for \$640. The court takes the matter under advisement, contract to be awarded at the discretion of Commissioner I. T. Weekly, upon due examination of said road.

ROAD PETITIONS.

Petition for county road from Willamette slough to Coos bay denied; notices not posted as required by law.

Petition for county road beginning at the terminus of the county road in sec 18 in twp 23 s, r 12 west Willamette meridian, to connect with county road running from Haynes slough to Douglas county line; there being no proof of posting notices in vicinity of proposed road the petition is denied.

Petition to expend one-half road tax in this district along the line of new survey from Libby to Marshfield denied.

Petition for relocation of Marshfield and Eastport road being informal is denied.

Petition for a bridge at Lewellen's lane denied.

Petition for a bridge across Brummitt creek denied.

Petition for a road from WO Cooper's to intersect Myrtle Point road at Wm Roberts' homestead granted and David McNair, Z. T. Johnson and Chas. E. Schroeder appointed viewers.

East Marshfield and Bay City road ordered opened.

The Summer and East Marshfield road as relocated ordered opened.

The proposed road from Arago to intersect with the Bandon-Myrtle Point road defeated by remonstrance.

Petition for a road from government light-house to intersect the Bandon-Empire road granted and Chas Getty, Geo Wilson and Hard Given appointed viewers.

B. F. Ross authorized to examine the bridge on the West Fork of the Coos river and to order it repaired if necessary.

Wm Palmer appointed road supervisor for road district No 32 to fill an unexpired term of L. W. Mauzey.

Herbert Fetter allowed 12 days labor in dist No 21. \$ 15 00

Edward Hixon allowed 8 days labor in dist 21. 10 00

L. D. McBea allowed 9 1/2 days labor in dist 21. 11 87

Chas Mecum allowed 10 days labor in dist 21. 12 50

C. F. Thomas allowed 9 1/2 days labor in dist 21. 11 87

W. F. Davis allowed 10 days labor in dist 21. 12 50

J. R. McBea allowed 9 1/2 days labor in dist 21. 11 87

EXPENSES ON ARAGO ROAD.

Ed Myers, viewer, 2 days 12 miles. 5 20

Wm Strong, viewer, 2 days 12 miles. 4 00

Geo T Robinson, 2 days 6 miles. 4 60

Albert Barklow, chairman, 1 day 5 miles. 2 50

W. C. Bullard, chairman, 1 day 1 mile. 2 10

J. C. Epperson, axman, 1 day

Nerves

Are the Messengers of Sens.—The Telegraph System of the human body.

Nerves extend from the brain to every part of the body and reach every organ.

Nerves are like fire—good servants but hard masters.

Nerves are fed by the blood and are therefore like it in character.

Nerves will be weak and exhausted if the blood is thin, pale and impure.

Nerves will surely be strong and steady if the blood is rich, red and vigorous.

Nerves find a true friend in Hood's Sarsaparilla because it makes rich, red blood. do their work naturally and well,—the brain is unclouded, there are no neuralgic pains, appetite and digestion are good, when you take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. \$1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills the best family cathartic and liver stimulant. 20c.

5 miles. \$ 2 50

SB Cathcart, surveying, platting and mileage. 11 20

Expenses locating East Marshfield and Bay City road and Summer and East Marshfield road:

John Rees, chairman, 1 day 3 miles. \$ 2 30

H E Rees, chairman, 1 day 3 miles. 2 30

G W Pratt, chairman, 1 day 6 miles. 2 60

GF Ross, viewer, 1 day 6 miles G W Tribbey, viewer, 1 day 8 miles (bill \$3.60) allowed P L Phelan, viewer, 1 day 8 miles (bill \$3.60) allowed. SB Cathcart, surveying, platting and mileage. 8 80

R A Cribbins paid supervisor's services. 13 70

D E Stitt, 2 days examining road. 6 00

J H Radabaugh, lumber furnished district 14. 22 50

R H Rosa, lumber furnished district 26. 28 85

Chas Heller, lumber furnished district 27 (reduced from \$27.40). 24 75

E N Harry, lumber furnished dist 45 (reduced from \$8) 7 50

A W Neal, for building bridge on Marshfield and Coquille City road. 552 00

Hermann & Brown, spikes furnished dist No 15. 1 00

T. W. McCloskey, transporting lumber along river to various road districts. 12 50

Freight on groceries and box to poor farm. 1 00

Freight on scraper to and return on river. 50

ELECTION EXPENSES.

H Sengstacken, hall rent. 3 00

Z T Johnson, " 2 50

D E Stitt, " 2 50

E C Green, making election booth, \$2 not allowed. D G Beale for delivering election supplies to Lake precinct \$4 not allowed.

J H Hibbard, for bringing in election returns. 3 00

Geo Ayre, for bringing in election returns. 1 80

Geo Beale, for bringing in election returns. 2 20

Joel Patterson, bringing in election returns. 1 20

T A King, bringing in election returns. 2 40

Thos Coke, bringing in election returns. 2 80

E J Coffelt, bringing in election returns. 3 20

John Porter, bringing in election returns. 5 80

H. W. Dunham, bringing in election returns. 1 20

Joshua Nelson, bringing in election returns. 1 20

C F Blumenrother, bringing in election returns. 8 00

E W Fahy, bringing in election returns. 5 00

W E Pike, bringing in election returns. 3 80

M I Swift, bringing in election returns. 6 00

B B Teters, bringing in election returns. 4 80

C M Hermann, bringing in election returns. 10 40

A H Moore, bringing in election returns. 20 00

Samuel Shuck, bringing in election returns. 8 80

James Matheny, bringing in election returns. 7 40

J A Doak, bringing in election returns. 7 60

A O Hooton, bringing in election returns. 10 00

Wm H Hall, bringing in election returns. 7 40

J P Goodman, bringing in election returns. 5 60

Richard Houghton, bringing in election returns. 6 80

Geo Griffin, bringing in election returns. 6 20

H I Clinton, canvassing election returns and mileage. 8 40

[Continued next week.]

Lincoln County Leader: State Superintendent G. M. Irwin, accompanied by Prof. J. B. Horner and W. E. Yates, of Corvallis went to Newport last Tuesday evening to Newport last Tuesday evening to arrange for the State teachers' institute to be held at that place. On Wednesday they met the citizens of Newport at the office of County Superintendent Irwin, and completed arrangements as to time and place. The meetings will be held in the opera house in Newport, beginning on Monday evening, August 17th.

UPPER - RIVER DEPARTMENT.

Myrtle Point and the Upper-Coquille, and What is Going on There.

S. B. Hermann and lady are having an outing down the coast.

Uncle Sam Johnson of South Fork visited Coos bay last week.

It has been rumored that the Chicago nominee is a cousin of Bart Bryan of Catching creek. Grant had many relatives after the White House became in sight to him.

C. E. G. Dietz and C. T. Riley, the bridge contractors, are repairing the Myrtle Point bridge and travel across that structure will be closed this week.

The G. A. R. encampment and Pioneers' reunion, to come off the middle of next month at Coquille City, is a matter of great interest, and every one is looking forward to a happy time.

Al Sloan and Will Berry have about 600 logs hauled on Big creek, and it is said that their cedar is of very superior quality. At the present rate they will have 5,000,000 feet ready to run by November. They are successful loggers, and no doubt will win some free silver.

Those who visit Coos county's courthouse miss the genial Doc Dean, and it is often remarked that he was a very obliging official while county clerk. However, it is also noted that Ed Rackleff and his able assistant, Lou Hazard, Mr. Dean's successors, are two young men that Coos county can also feel proud of.

J. A. Lehnher and Mrs. F. G. Dixon started for the insane asylum at Salem Saturday with Mrs. John Berry, who was adjudged insane last week by Judge Schroeder. The unfortunate lady had been in the asylum two or three years prior to this, and had come home so much improved that there was great hope that she would wholly recover, but lately she had got worse and her family was compelled to return her for further treatment.

The W. R. C. of this place gave their first social entertainment last Saturday evening. After their regular meeting had adjourned they invited the old veterans about town to visit the G. A. R. hall, and on entering they were confronted with an elegantly prepared banquet. The "old boys," with Col. R. W. Lundy at the head of the column, were formally ushered into the hall by Miss Maggie Thom, conductor, and Mrs. Ethel Dodge, her assistant.

The ladies received their guests gracefully, while soft tones of martial music filled the hall. A feast, short addresses, and vocal music were features of the evening that were enjoyed. The corps is in a very flourishing condition and now has about 35 members. Mrs. Mattie Guild, the president, has superior qualities as an executive officer, and being well supported by her subordinates she is making the organization a grand success. Already Col. Jewell Post begins to note the refining influences of the fair ladies and feels grateful that they are to enjoy so able an auxiliary in a noble cause.

REMARKABLE CURE

Mrs. J. W. Noah of This County Cured of Consumption By Dr. Darrin.

To THE EDITOR: Having noticed Dr. Darrin's advent in Marshfield I wish to state what he did for my mother, Mrs. J. W. Noah, five years ago, while in Portland. My mother had been afflicted with bleeding of the lungs, cough and called by many physicians lingering consumption, for 18 years prior to going under the Dr's care. The treatment proved successful. She was cured in a few months with home treatment, and is now enjoying the blessings of health. My mother lives on south Coos river, 17 miles east of this place. I can be referred to by letter or in person. Postoffice address Marshfield. J. E. NOAH.

A COMPACTING.

BANDON, Or., July 12, 1896.

ED. HERALD: There will be a camping held near Bagnell Ferry, on Rogue River, commencing August 7, 1896, continuing over two Sundays. All well-disposed persons are cordially invited. Yours, respectfully, F. M. SANDELLIN.

Don't fail to read our article headed "Ten Sensible Farmers," last column, 4th page, under "Labor Exchange" heading, and save till article is completed and re-read it.

The beach is a great attraction just now.

Albert Graham was quite indisposed last week, but is on deck again.

The road is loaded with campers from the interior of the state who are seeking the balmy breezes of the grand Pacific ocean.

The residents of this city are enjoying hunting and fishing more this season than usual. The only positive evidences of a violation of the game laws that have been noticed was the fact that some parties are bringing in dried venison.

Prof. F. W. Wright and his able assistants, Miss Laura Wise and Miss Julia Braden, closed a very successful term of public school last Friday at this place. In fact there is but one fault to find with the term, and that is, it was too short; but it is hoped that the same corps of teachers will be engaged for our fall and winter school.

The president, Judge Schroeder, and Miss Mary Harris, secretary, of the Coos County Pioneer and Historical Society, were appointed at the last reunion as a committee on badges, and they have sent east for some elegant and appropriate emblems which they will have on hand to supply to the members at the reunion next month.

The president, A. H. Black, and secretary, Orvil Dodge, of the Myrtle Point Mining & Development Company will visit their works this week and no doubt some new additions to their enterprise will soon be inaugurated. The Big Joe mine, which they are developing, still holds out an excellent prospect, and the fact has been developed that the lead is extensive and all mining men have great confidence in its proving to be the best find in Oregon. It is now beginning to attract the attention of mining men.

If there is any one thing that the up-river people can feel a confidence in, it is the management of the steamer line between Coquille City and Myrtle Point. Captains Will McCloskey and George Leneve make every effort possible to accommodate the traveling public and to those living along the river in carrying parcels and freight, often making landings to leave packages free of charge. The people should show a just appreciation of such good service by extending to them patronage when possible.

Will Lundy and Chat Huling, chief clerks in the hardware store of Huling & Lundy of this place, returned home from an extended visit at Big Joe and Little Mary mines. They brought some fine specimens of the yellow metal that is so agitating the political arena of our great country just now and they are now looking forward toward millionaire castles (in the air), provided gold is not demonetized before election is over. Thus there are two very good opportunities for as many young ladies to secure elegant husbands who expect to have lots of coin some day.

Riverton Riottings.

Riverton, July 27.—Judge J. H. Schroeder drove over last week from Arago on official business. He was well pleased with our road.

The Bandon Coal Co. will ship a cargo of coal this week and next Saturday. We learn that the last shipment made by this company gave the best satisfaction of any coal yet handled by J. Kimball of San Francisco. The people of that city are going wild over the Riverton coal. The Bandon Co. will soon be the largest, strongest and best equipped company of coal operators in southwestern Oregon.

The Hall Bros, Wm. and Felix, have their bottom lands nearly all slashed and in a fair way to soon have their ranches in good state of cultivation.

J. K. McLeod is building a set of ways for his pile-driver. The scow has been leaking badly the past week, which necessitates a little repairing and calking.

E. B. Price, our town merchant, has moved into his new residence. All of our colored population took a trip to Beaver Hill last Sunday. We understand that James Lee, our former townsman, will return to this place ere long. He has not enjoyed good health since his departure from here.

Mrs. Jackson's little daughter, Cora, has been very sick during the past week. She is now much improved and is able to be around. Several of our citizens took a recreation on the Bandon beach last week. They also took to the

Advertisement for Blackwell's Genuine BULL DURHAM Smoking Tobacco. Includes image of a pack and text: 'This is the very best Smoking Tobacco made. Blackwell's Genuine BULL DURHAM. You will find one coupon inside each 2 ounce bag and two coupons inside each 4 ounce bag. Buy a bag, read the coupon and see how to get your share of \$100.00 in presents.'

mud-flats and took out the clams.

We passed the road petition around today among our citizens and neighbors, with the result of but one refusal to sign it. Before the winter rains shall have come, we will have another exit. Outward and onward is our motto.

Our public school has closed for a short vacation. DONA ANA.

Bandon's Budget.

Bandon, July 27.—Early Sunday morning the report was brought to town that a large whale was stranded on the south beach, about a mile from the south jetty. A regular crowd of people on foot and in carriages was commenced, their objective point being, of course, the spot where the big fish lay. Your correspondent hastened to be among the first camera men on the scene, and when we arrived truly a novel scene unfolded itself to view. The monster leviathan lay high and dry, and a crowd of sightseers, all anxious to get as near as possible, surrounded the spot until, in a short time, the crowd must have numbered 300 spectators when we arrived. Although the whale was still alive, three men were actively engaged in stripping off the "blubber," or the skin and some 4 inches of fat which lays next to the outside. It seemed a very cruel operation, as from time to time the whale would send forth deep groans and raising its ponderous tail would send it down on the hard sand with a terrible force, showing that it must have felt keenly the agony to which it was subjected. The operation of stripping was finally completed and tomorrow it is the intention of Capt. Hans Reed, the discoverer and owner of the whale, to try out the blubber to procure the oil it contains. The whale measured, we think, nearly 40 feet in length. The tail was 10 1/2 feet across and the oil and whale-bone will net the owner about \$200, at a rough estimate. Many mementos, such as whale's teeth and barnacles, were taken away by the spectators as curios and tangible evidence that once in their lives they had seen a whale.

Mr. Adcock, formerly of Drain, has arrived and opened a watch repairing and jewelry establishment, and has also in connection ice-cream parlors.

L. L. Simpson has been making extensive improvements in his hardware store; laying in a larger stock of goods necessitated more shelving, counters, etc.

Mr. Toner, agent for Sherman, Clay & Co., of S. F., is in town taking orders for pianos and organs. He reports a sale of a fine piano to Mrs. Costello, of the Pacific hotel, also a superb cottage organ to Miss Mattie Swift.

"The Bandon," a finely furnished apartment house, reports a good business for the past week, the house being nearly full, the last arrivals being a party of six from Roseburg, who intend enjoying the ocean's balmy breezes for two weeks. This lodging house is a new enterprise for Bandon, and one evidently appreciated, judging from a business standpoint.

Fresh goods per Moro at J. W. Leneve's.

A carload of cattle passed over to the bay yesterday.

Many of our citizens are going up into the mountains to rusticate. Quite a quantity of freight came via this place to the bay on the steamer Moro.

C. W. Olive made a flying trip over from Marshfield yesterday to see Glenn's baby.

Mrs. Drury Morgan left yesterday for a visit to her old home in Humboldt county, Cal.

County Surveyor Cathcart has returned from Portland and passed up the river yesterday.

Willie Bettys, who had been for some time at the government work on the bay, was in town yesterday.

Aaron Wilson has a new and handsome "Special" wheel for sale, for which he is the agent. Call and see it at this office.

Dora Coings.

Dora, July 24.—Haying is about over. Hay was not very heavy but is of good quality.

Blackberries are being gathered by the fair ladies of the land.

The appraisers—J. P. Stember, J. H. Miller and G. G. Swan—on the 18th met and appraised the property of J. H. Minard, deceased.

M. J. Krantz got the contract to build the wagonroad around Cape Horn on the Coos bay road. Bid, \$700. He ordered one ton of powder. I guess he will blow the "Horn" off the first shot.

A. J. Myse is hauling lumber to cover his hay stack.

H. Mast and D. C. Krantz went out on the Elk creek burn and killed some fine deer.

E. N. Harry, supervisor of road district No. 45, has doubled the road tax and is fixing the road up in good shape.

James Laird