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Devoted to the material and social up-building of the Coquille Valley particularly and of Coos County generally.

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County court—September term—will convene next Monday.

Prof. Hawkins' fine new building is advancing on its second story.

Uncle Jack Wilson carries a sore hand and came near having an amputation by one of the broom-handle saws.

Miss Rita Sinclair left on the train yesterday via the bay for Portland. She will attend school at St. Helen's Hall.

Mrs. A. A. Wimer, of Fishtrap, is very ill again, and has been for some fortnight past.

Raising of the frame work on the new schoolhouse was begun this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lawrence visited the beach last week, the former returning Sunday, while Mrs. L. and the children remained a few days longer.

George Martin returned Saturday evening from his usual weekly trip to Roseburg. He brought Mrs. J. Wes Nessler and her niece, Miss Sarah Brosi, from the valley with him.

You invite disappointment when you experiment. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pleasant, easy, thorough little pills.

Bandon Recorder: On making a request for the news at Marshfield we received the following answer: "Marshfield is dead; the funeral will take place next week at 2 o'clock; all friends requested to attend. Front seats reserved for Coquille City."

Owing to the great Zamloch announcing for an entertainment last Friday and Saturday nights, the band concluded to cancel its appointment and set for next Saturday night.

There will be a "benefit" dance given at the Randolph hall Saturday evening, September 3d. Good music has been secured, and the benefit of the Randolph school building and will be under the management of Miss Sadie Fahy, the present teacher.

A delightful, refreshing shower fell Monday morning from 4 to 6 o'clock, the first to break a drought of nine or ten weeks.

The great Zamloch—wizard, prestiditeator, sleight-of-hand performer and wonder—gave two of his superb exhibitions at this place last week—Friday and Saturday nights—in Masonic hall.

The HERALD today prints a real feast of interesting, useful and entertaining reading.

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Summary of Assessment of Coos County, Oregon, for the Year 1898, as Returned by the Assessor.

Table with columns: Acres of tillable land, Acres of non-tillable land, Improvements on town and city lots, etc. Total Value: \$2,811,919.

Coos Bay News.

W. A. Hoover is putting in a flouring mill at Norway, on the Coquille.

It is probable that school will not open at Marshfield before September 26th.

Rev. J. Hughes, of Portland, was in town Friday, on his way to visit relatives in Curry county.

The fire company gave the by-draws a good test, last Thursday night, and the result was very satisfactory.

Antoine Worth still supplies his customers with strawberries. He brings on an average 40 boxes a week to town.

A number of Coos bay fishermen purchased gear at Astoria lately, which was shipped here via San Francisco.

Butter from the Coquille creamery is now brought over by the railroad, for shipment, instead of by teams as heretofore.

E. G. Flanagan will ship below by next Empire 150 head of cattle, which will be brought from Myrtle Point via the railroad.

D. F. Fox, deputy collector of internal revenue, was in town last week, and gave some necessary instructions to saloon men regarding the stamping of goods.

The Empire cannery will start up on the arrival of the steamer Huene from Astoria, which is due this week.

There is war between opposition companies on the Drain route, and cut rates are in order.

The Miami took a load of match-wood (white cedar) from the Coquille, on her last trip, which she discharged at Astoria.

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I will give twenty dollars for the person finding one passage in the Bible where God commanded water to run up hill; also twenty dollars for the person keeping the Sabbath according to the law; and twenty dollars more for any person finding one passage in the Bible where the penalty for violating the Sabbath has been repealed.

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stead of misfortune. The loss will reach \$1500.

We have just received the welcome intelligence that the cannery at Bandon will run this season.

W. S. Chandler and T. J. DeNeve of Marshfield visited Bandon Tuesday. They procured a private conveyance that day and proceeded to the Sixes river where the valuable coal mine lately discovered is located.

While the official order has not yet been received, the announcement is made that company K. O. N. G., stationed at Bandon, is to be disbanded.

Riverton Reverberations. Riverton, Aug. 27.—Steamer Barbara Herster arrived last Sunday and took on a cargo of coal at J. H. Timon's bunker.

Robert Buntun returned from San Francisco on the Empire this morning, and brought with him a new boiler and pump for the Ferry mine.

W. H. Atterbury, superintendent of the "Banner" mine (alias the Bandon mine), has commenced work by cleaning up the gangway, overhauling the engine and otherwise preparing to commence shipping coal.

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Change of Climate

Breaks Down the Health of an Oregon Man

What a Few Bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla Did for Him.

"Our home is in Clark county, Washington. My little boy was taken with catarrh when only two years old, and grew worse until he was five, when the physician advised us to take him to a dry climate. I resolved to go to the great wheat fields of Eastern Oregon and work in harvest, but I soon found my own health was failing.

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of just being newly built, small and neatly painted. Of the new towns along this line, since the advent of this great railway into this country, I find Kalispel the most promising. Situated in a beautiful valley 25 miles long and 7 miles wide, and the richest soil I have seen on the route, it will undoubtedly be a prosperous city as soon as all the land has been placed under cultivation.

Grand Forks is the next place of any importance. It is a city of 26,000 inhabitants, in the vicinity of which there are large farms, acres upon acres of wheat, also the first good healthy corn we have seen on the trip.

St. Paul is the next important place, where we change cars for Chicago. It is now just four days since we left Portland.

St. Paul is a beautiful place. What magnificent buildings, with grand, paved streets! Oh, the splendor, the opulence displayed here! How comfortable it must be to belong to the favored, select class, who are not obliged to seek existence through labor!

The Coquille bottom lands are more extensive but not so well improved. The gold mines on the head waters of the Coquille, at Johnson creek, and the Sixes river, are yielding fairly well and give promise of wonderful richness.

The fishing industry along that portion of our coast has assumed considerable magnitude. Several canneries are operated each year, and large shipments of excellent canned salmon is the result of the enterprise.

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Our old friend J. B. Fox last week presented us with a bunch of pears that beats the world beaters for fruit bearing. The bunch is 13 inches long, but the cluster of fruit—a perfect counterpart of a bunch of Tokay grapes in appearance—is just 10 inches long and weighs 7 lbs.

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also peculiar; too much class distinction. Everybody wants to outdo his neighbor in dress and style; all want to live up-to-date. If the question was put to me, what do you think of your trip, I will have to answer, there is no place as good as Coos. Respectfully, GEO. W. CANNING.

SOUTHWEST OREGON. A Few Points Discussed by a Prominent Citizen.

We clip the following interview of the Capital Journal with our fellow-citizen O. Dodge on southwest Oregon matters.

The history of Coos and Curry counties now in press for the Pioneer and Historical Association of that section reveals facts in regard to the wonderful resources of that coast country that has been but little known; hence the work will prove to be of great value to that region.

The resources and descriptions of the country, very fluently and graphically written up by the compiler, reveal the fact that Coos county is one of the most wealthy sections of the state, owing to the vast opportunities for investments and enterprises.

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Latest War News. Shafter Sails.

Santiago, Aug. 23.—General Shafter and staff sailed this afternoon on the transport Mexico. His departure was not marked by any special incident.

Santiago, Aug. 24.—General Wood has settled the school question on the American basis and 4000 children will renew their studies on September 15.

The Spanish Catholic Clergy Send in Their Monthly Claims.

New York, Aug. 24.—The Herald special from Santiago, says: The entire clergy has sent to the Customs Collector Donaldson their regular monthly "impress" for the payment of salaries.

Denver, Aug. 24.—At the second day's session of the convention of American Bankers' Association on call of states, brief statements were made by representatives of the bankers on the general business conditions.

Pension Rolls Growing. Washington, Aug. 24.—In the forthcoming annual report of Commissioner of Pensions Evans, it will be shown that the pensions now aggregate 1,040,356.

English Lord Arrested. Oakland, Cal., Aug. 24.—Henry DuBride, alias Lord Cyrol Athol, was convicted this afternoon of forgery, and his sentence will be pronounced by Judge Ellsworth one week from today.

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