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The Herster reached San Francisco last Tuesday, and was set to leave on return Thursday.

Those oranges at A. J. Mickles', at 3 for a nickel (says the up-river man), are delicious. Better buy your some, Sal.

Dr. G. H. Carter is in Myrtle Point to look after his many patients there. It is said that he never fails in a case of toothache.

John Caldwell came down from Myrtle Point yesterday, having just passed through a hard siege of the grip.

After the dedication services in the new M. E. church at Myrtle Point last Saturday evening, considerable over \$100 dollars was raised by contribution, which paid all claims against the building.

Constipation prevents the body from ridding itself of waste matter. De Witt's Little Early Risers will remove the trouble and cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Inactive Liver and clear the Complexion. Small sugar coated, don't gripe or cause nausea. R. S. Knowlton.

County Superintendent Bunch and his helpers, as a board of examiners, will hold an examination for teachers at his office, in this city, beginning Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1899, at 1 p. m. The examination will also include those desiring state papers. Candidates for teachers' certificates, please take notice.

La Grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, Publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "None will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for La Grippe." Pleasant to take, quick to act. R. S. Knowlton.

Bud Fies, of Myrtle Point, says his dog had been behaving quite well and attending church regularly of late, until last Sunday evening when he was locked in the M. E. church after the services were closed. This aroused his evil spirit; he promptly ate his way through the front doors and went down town to take his place among the backsliders.

Policies written by the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. excel in every feature that make insurance profitable and liberal. No one can afford to be without an Accident policy at this time of accidents and sickness. Give your application now for either a LIFE, ENDOWMENT or ACCIDENT policy to Rev. J. L. Futrell, or make application at the HERALD office.

Word has been received by us that our young friend and townsman, Sam Johnson, son of our S. P. C. Johnson of the firm of Johnson Bros., now of Portland and prominently associated in marble works there, and Miss Aloa Green, of the upper Coquille, were married in that city last Wednesday. Miss Aloa (now Mrs. Johnson) went to Portland on the last north trip of the Alliance, which fact suggested that these young friends would meet and have an "alliance" of their own and stem life's sea together. It is a clever young couple, and the HERALD greets them with the wish that they may live long and prosper.

(Marshfield Sun.)

The North Bend mill sawed 10,075,000 feet of lumber in '98.

H. L. Burleson contemplates moving his family to this place from San Francisco.

Joseph Josephson captured a land otter on Coos River last week that measured 5 feet.

E. G. Flanagan shipped 500 boxes of apples to San Francisco on the steamer Weeott.

John and Rocco Biasca have purchased Robert Herron's place on Coos river for \$4500.

The date of the calico mask ball, to be given in Empire City, has been changed from February 10th to February 4th.

Tom Rennie has a force of men at work repairing the S. O. Co's dock at Empire City, and everything is in readiness to start the sawmill as soon as a sufficient number of logs are on hand.

Captain Robert J. Danham says it is reported that his brother, Is, who is in Alaska, was stabbed by the first mate of the steamer Ride-out. The particulars of the stabbing are not known.

Attorney John F. Hall has filed notice that he will ask for a new hearing in the Dunham-Siglin equity law suit. This case was decided a short time ago by Judge Benson in favor of defendant.

The new schooner on the stocks at North Bend is to be named Manila. She will have four masts and is expected to carry 800,000 feet of lumber. Work is being rushed on her as fast as possible, and as soon as she is launched the keel of a sister ship is to be laid, the lumber for the frame, etc., is already being sawed.

Bert Dean's new barn is now occupied by him, and is a full-fledged livery and feed stable, ready for business. Bert will conduct all the departments of business usual in the line of a well-kept livery and feed stable, and respectfully solicits the public's patronage on his own good will and well-known capability and reliability.

The Examiner of Sunday, Jan. 22d, has a handsome half-tone photo engraving and brief write-up of Master Jason Wesley Machado, of Myrtle Point, 9-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Machado, of that place, who tilts the beam at 40 pounds. The Examiner admits he is a beauty and full worthy of the mother's pride.

Rev. J. S. McCain, late of this county, has launched into the journalistic field at Medford, having associated himself with A. H. Chessmore in the purchase of the "Monitor-Miner" plant, which they will utilize in the issuance of an "independent" or neutral publication. The first number is at hand and looks very well.

Vane Maury, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Maury, while sitting on his little wagon and propping it with one foot, had the misfortune to have the wagon run off the sidewalk and dislocate or badly sprain his left elbow. He suffered great pain from that arm all last night.

Last Saturday the Wrenshall Bros. and C. Romander delivered a launch at the river and put her afloat. The boat was built for Mr. Romander by the Wrenshall Bros., and is a very neat craft. She is propelled by a 2-horse power gasoline engine, and has a speed of 8 miles an hour.

Representative Topping introduced House Bill No. 320 last Wednesday providing for an appropriation of \$6000 for aid Coos and Douglas counties in repairing certain wagon roads. House Bill No. 313 is a new charter for Marshfield.

Rev. Mr. DaHuff, of Bandon, spent part of last week at the North Fork church, where he conducted services, and Rev. Mr. Fitch, of this city, joined and assisted him with the Sunday services. Both returned yesterday.

Overcome evil with good. Overcome your coughs and colds with One Minute Cough Cure. It is so good children cry for it. It cures croup, bronchitis, pneumonia, gripple and all throat and lung diseases. R. S. Knowlton.

Aaron Rose, of Roseburg, was taken very suddenly and severely sick last Friday, with heart failure, but later was reported better.

Prof. Frank Bunch now has 53 scholars enrolled in his private school at Myrtle Point. His ability accounts for his success.

The mail was late last Saturday, and the steamer Myrl did not reach here till 1 p. m., owing to the tide.

Last Thursday Governor Geer commissioned Peter Costello, of Harbor, Curry county, as a notary public.

D. C. Krautz, reported as quite sick last week, we are pleased to say is improving a little.

Elder W. H. Nosler carries a cane, having been lamed in one leg from rheumatism.

La Grippe is still raging in Myrtle Point. It is said very few have escaped it.

Friend Topping's prayer now is: "Lord, deliver me from my friends."

Fishtrap Findings.

Fishtrap, Jan. 30.—This place has an epidemic of la grippe, hardly a family having escaped.

Frank Robison is very ill of lung fever.

Sam Giles, of Myrtle Point, is here building a chimney for W. T. Miller. Sam is "the boss" chimney builder.

Geo. Robison and wife, of the Coquille creamery, are visiting relatives on Friday.

Geo. Wimer, jr., starts to Lane county today, where he expects to take charge of a logging team.

John Adams, of Bandon, is here making arrangements to move home in the near future.

Teun Robison has built a new gate, to take the place of the old one that was broke down by being swung on so much. He advises every one who has grown daughters to put tar and barb-wire on their gates.

Mrs. Mollie Edmunds, of Bandon, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. W. T. Miller.

Later word from Frank Robison, whom I mention above as having lung fever, is better under the treatment of Dr. Moore.

On the last up trip of steamer Alliance whilst off Eureka, on January 21, H. W. Scott and Miss M. E. Richey were married by Captain Hardwick.

Morton L. Tower has commenced work surveying for the dredging of the logs barge, so that we may confidently expect that this necessary work will soon be commenced.

The Coos Bay creamery will in all likelihood not close down this season. It is now receiving about 1800 pounds of milk daily.

Const Mail: The Rivers and Harbors Committee have decided that the limited commerce of Coos bay does not justify the expenditure of money for the improvement of the bay. Whilst, no doubt, Congressman Tongue has been able to spare a few minutes of his valuable time from the consideration of the liquor question in Alaska and has laid before the committee the importance of the various Oregon seaports in his district, still there is a chance that the committee may have received a confidential report from George P. Topping, so we would like to mention for the benefit of the public a few of the products shipped from Coos bay last year, and their lowest estimated value: Lumber, 33,311,535 feet, \$195,007.94; butter, 321,776 pounds; cheese, 45,450 pounds, \$8,790.07; potatoes, 71,000 sacks, \$38,050; apples, 44,452 boxes, \$17,815; cranberries, 937 boxes, \$2342; strawberries, 22,300 cases, \$83,125; coal, 56,782 tons, \$113,564. Total, \$530,694.01.

In the case of J. D. Spreckles & Co. vs. the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern Railroad & Navigation Company, in the United States court Friday, Judge Bellinger made an order allowing plaintiff to dismiss the suit as to J. B. Hassel, A. Graham and R. S. Sheridan, and substitute the Farmers' Loan & Trust Company as defendant.—Oregonian.

In the case of Watson & Beckman against the Southern Oregon Company for \$6000 fees, Judge Frzer denied the motion to strike the motion for a new trial from the files, and also denied the motion for judgment on the verdict.

Our state and county tax levy this year is 24 mills, and our school district 12 mills—one mill less than last year—and makes a total of 36 mills for the taxpayers of this locality. That is 1/3 mill less than Marshfield district.

The Fair Store will move into the Robinson building, next door west of Geo. Robinson's grocery, as soon as advisable. Having been shelved, painted and new counters placed therein has delayed the occupancy.

Tonight the Masons and O. E. S. will give a farewell reception to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leneve, and Dr. and Mrs. Leneve ere their departure for Honolulu. There will be a generally social time and supper.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. They are immediately relieved and quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. R. S. Knowlton.

The taxable property of this school district is \$130,968, upon which a levy of 12 mills has been made by the school board to the credit of the building fund.

The smallest thing may exert the greatest influence. De Witt's Little Early Risers are unequalled for overcoming constipation and liver troubles. R. S. Knowlton.

Our Upper-River Department editor being out of town on business, his communication arrived too late for publication today.

"George, are you doing anything for that dreadful cough?" "Yes." "What are you doing?" "Coughing."

After several very pleasant days another rain storm set in last night.

Charley Winston, of Winston, Douglas county, is a visitor at this place.

I. Hacker visited the bay last week.

PASSED BOTH HOUSES.

Re-Appointment Bill Now Needs Only Governor's Approval.

Salem, Jan. 27.—The re-appointment bill which passed the house yesterday, passed the senate after a debate consuming nearly the whole morning session, and after two attempts to postpone and three attempts to amend had been lost. The final vote was 22 ayes, 4 noes, 4 absent. Daly of Lake filed a protest.

The text of the bill reads thus: That on and after the 1st Monday in June, 1900, the senate of this state shall consist of 30 members and the house of representatives of 60 members. That the ratio for the apportionment of this state into senatorial districts shall be one senator for every 12,083 of white population, or fraction thereof exceeding one-half in each senatorial district; and the ratio for the apportionment of this state into representative districts shall be one representative for every 6041 of white population, or fraction thereof, exceeding one-half in each representative district.

This portion of Oregon is then provided for thus: The counties of Coos and Curry shall constitute the seventh senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator jointly. The county of Coos shall constitute the fifth representative district and shall be entitled to one representative.

The counties of Coos and Curry shall constitute the sixth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative jointly.

Stands Well on the List.

The January, 1899, number of "The Fraternal Aid," official paper of Fraternal Aid Association, represented in this city by Coquille Council, No. 398, makes this prominent and official announcement of its financial and solid condition as an insurance association:

"AN OPEN LETTER.

"Brothers and Sisters: Deducting general fund expenses, eight and one-half assessments have paid the death losses in this association for 1898. One thousand one hundred and thirty-five new members for October, 873 for November, 1351 for December. There were 6078 beneficiary certificates written in 1897 and 8619 in 1898. This is truly a wonderful record. Each year is adding strength and value to our protection. We ask a continuance of the same kind of work from our councils during the new year. Let each member give a practical demonstration of his good resolutions for this new year by bringing in at least one applicant for the month of January.

Yours, in L., D. F. & J., LEWIS A. RYDER, General President. M. D. GREENLEE, General Secretary.

Prune Trust.

San Jose, Cal., Jan. 27.—A movement has been begun by the farmers' club to create an association of interests to control the dried prune output on this coast.

Hold-Up Statistics.

Cincinnati, Jan. 25.—The Express Gazette has collected data about the operations of trainrobbers during the past year. The effort of federal jurisdiction upon train robberies is evidenced in Mexico. During the past year there was not even an attempt at train robbing in the sister republic. The crime is punishable there with instant death.

Following is the record of train robberies in the United States: In 1890, 120; 1891, 16; 1892, 12; 1893, 33; 1894, 34; 1895, 49; 1896, 28; 1897, 30; 1898, 28; total number of trains held up in nine years, 246; total number of people killed, 28; total number of people injured (shot), 77.

The record for 1898 is as follows: Number of train hold-ups, 28; number of stage robberies, 7; number of passengers and train men shot, 4; number of robbers killed, 5; number of robbers shot, 6.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, use No-Tobacco, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Beware of cheap imitations. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Governor Lord's record, while in the executive office, with regard to pardons, commutations and remissions of fines was a good one. During his four years' term he granted 55 pardons and 63 pardons to restore citizenship, and d commuted 23 sentences. The number of remissions of fines is comparatively small.

Free Press (Rep.): Pennsylvania contains two cities, Harrisburg and Erie, that derive large incomes from the municipal ownership of water works. Erie has profited \$40,000 within the past eighteen months from its enterprise, and the state capital realizes equally as well.

These are dangerous times for the health. Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapidly to Consumption. A small bottle of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and a large amount of money. R. S. Knowlton.

Was Almost Crazy

Sores on the Limbs Cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla—Heart and Lung Troubles Overcome.

"I broke out with sores all over my limbs, and they caused such intense itching I feared I should go crazy. I was also troubled with a tired feeling. After taking Hood's Sarsaparilla a short time the itching ceased, and the sores on my limbs began to heal. I am better in every way since taking Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. JAS. J. KEILOG, McEwen, Oregon.

"Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured me of a lung trouble and fluttering of the heart, and since I began taking it my weight has increased 20 pounds. It has done my stomach good and I can now enjoy my meals and eat with comfort. I recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla as the best medicine it is possible to find." C. W. CAREY, Primeville, Oregon.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. Price, \$1; six for \$5.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, aid digestion, etc.

Where are They?

It is estimated that there are 199,900,000 old style copper pennies somewhere. Nobody knows what has become of them except that once in a while a single specimen turns up in chance. A few years ago 4,500,000 bronze two-cent pieces were set afloat. Three million of them are still outstanding, but are never seen. A million of three-cent silver pieces are scattered over the United States, but it is very seldom that one comes across any of them. Of the 800,000 one-half-cent pieces not one has been returned to the government for coinage or is held by the treasury.

How to Prevent Pneumonia.

You are perhaps aware that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of la grippe. During the epidemic of la grippe a few years ago when so many cases resulted in pneumonia, it was observed that the attack was never followed by that disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or la grippe to result in that dangerous disease. It is the best remedy in the world for bad colds and la grippe. Every bottle warranted. For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

In 1898 the freight movement over the middle division of the Pennsylvania was over 100,000 cars heavier than during the year previous. During the spring the movements fell off somewhat, but it would up very strong, the heaviest twenty-four hours' record at the Union station, Harrisburg, being handled on Dec. 30, when 103 trains of 6371 cars passed.

Many a household is saddened by death because of the failure to keep on hand a safe and absolutely certain cure for croup such as One Minute Cough Cure. See that your little ones are protected against emergency. R. S. Knowlton.

Oregon raised 23,000,000 bushels of wheat, 21,000,000 pounds of wool, 600,000,000 feet of lumber, 1,800,000 bushels of barley and rye, 1,500,000 tons of hay, 50,000,000 bushels of potatoes and 7,000,000 bushels of oats in 1898.

Coughing injures and inflames sore lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold, always coughing and heals quickly. The best cough cure for children. R. S. Knowlton.

Everybody says so.

Consumers Candy Cathartic, the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the entire system, dispels colds, cure headache, fever, habitual constipation and biliousness. Pinned boy and try a box of C. C. C. to-day! 10, 25, 50 cents. Sold and guaranteed to cure by all druggists.

Why pay rent always, when you can buy a place of your own, part on time, and pay rent to yourself. 80 acres, near Coquille; 15 acres rich dry creek bottom, fine spring branch; house and barn; 5 acres cleared. Only \$10 per acre—just think of it! See Herald Land & Loan Co. or R. D. Sanford.

ONLY \$5000—For a short time only. The Herald Land Co. wants a buyer with \$5000 to purchase at a sacrifice one of the best improved small farms in Coos county. Finely situated, choice land, good fences, plenty of fruit and shrubbery, running water. Owner has other business that claims his attention.

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Roseburg Review:

William Jordan, the member of the Oregon Soldiers' Home, who left that institution on the evening of January the 9th, without giving any of the officers or members any notice of his intentions, is 54 years old, 5 feet 6 inches high, light complexion, blue eyes, gray hair, and, when he left, had on a new suit of home uniform, blue in color. His military record shows that he was a member of 4th battery Maine light artillery during the war of the rebellion. He was a gardener by occupation and entered the home from East Portland Nov. 27, 1898. He was suffering from general debility and continually was fretting over his past misfortunes. His ailments were thought to be more of a mental than physical nature. He had only a few dollars on his person and left all of his belongings in the home. He claimed to have no relatives living.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Micanopy (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from LaGrippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe, and its exhausting after effects. R. S. Knowlton.

There were 127 lynchings in United States territory during the last year, according to statistics compiled by the Chicago Tribune—102 negroes, 22 whites and 2 Indians.

Notice.

THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ARAGO Creamery Company are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders held at the Arago Creamery, at Arago, Coos county, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of February, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Among other business which may be considered, the meeting is called especially to consider and accept propositions to sell or lease the Arago Creamery plant.

By order of the directors, W. L. HAYTER, President. Attest: J. Henry Schroeder, Secretary.

Treasurer's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that all county warrants endorsed prior to May 10, 1892, will be paid on presentation at my office in Coquille City, Coos county Oregon. No interest will be allowed after December 25, 1898.

This 17th day of December, 1898. W. W. HAYTER, Treasurer.

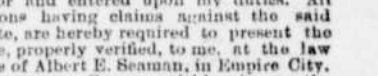
Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned was, on the 1st day of July, 1898, duly appointed as administrator of the estate of Charles Harner, deceased, and that I have qualified as such administrator and entered upon my duties. All persons having claims against the said estate, are hereby required to present the same, properly verified to me, at the law office of Albert E. Seaman, in Empire City, Coos county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 27th day of December, 1898. WILLIAM TURBEN, Administrator of the Estate of Charles Harner, deceased. [Jan 25]

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