

THE INDEPENDENT.

ROSEBURG, SATURDAY, SEPT. 23.

LAUREL LODGE A. F. M., WILL hold regular meetings on Wednesday on or before each full moon. J. C. FULLERTON, W. M. L. MURTON, Secy.

PHILETIAN Lodge, No. 3, I. O. O. G. meets on Thursday evening, of each week at 7 o'clock, in their hall at Roseburg. Members of the order in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the N. G.

UNION BOUNTY No. 9, I. O. O. F., meets at Odd Fellows' Hall on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of every month. Visiting Brethren invited to attend. E. G. HURSH, C. P. JOHN CHASE, Secy.

UMPUA GRANGE, NO. 28, P. of H., will meet hereafter on the 1st, 3rd, 5th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 13th, 15th, 17th, 19th, 21st, 23rd, 25th, 27th, 29th, and 31st of each month, at Grange Hall, in Roseburg. All members in good standing are cordially invited to a tent: JAMES T. COOPER, M. J. P. DUNCAN, Secretary.

UMPUA CHAPTER NO. 11, F. A. M., hold their regular communications every first and third Tuesday in each month. All members in good standing will take due and timely notice and govern themselves accordingly. Visiting companions are invited to meet with the chapel when convenient. B. HERMANN, W. I. FRIEDLANDER, Secy.

MARRIED.—September 19, 1882, in Roseburg, by S. R. Raymond, J. P., G. W. Keeney and Miss Bell Moffit.

COSMOPOLITAN.—In our paper will be found the advertisement of Lou Zigler, who has taken charge of this popular resort. Since his family has arrived a new order of things has been established and the Metropolitan is now a first-class house in every respect.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Mike Conley, yard master at the O. & C. R. R. depot, East Portland, met with a serious accident, on Tuesday morning last, between the hours of six and seven o'clock. He was engaged making up the passenger train and was about to take two extra cars. He had the engine back the train up to where the cars stood at a curve, and as they came together he got in between them on the inside of the curve and attempted to put the pin in the coupling, but failed on account of the coupling sliding to one side and the cars coming together he was badly crushed before he could be taken out. He was taken to Portland for surgical treatment.

STAGE ROBBER.—On Sunday, last the Overland stage from Oregon was robbed near the top of Bass' hill, about sixteen miles north of Redding, by one highwayman, who ordered the driver to stop and go to the head of his leaders, when he proceeded to open Wells Fargo & Co.'s express box with an axe. He took the contents and the United States mail, when he ordered the driver to proceed. There were two passengers, who were not disturbed. The loss to W. F. & Co. was trifling, and it is not known what was in the mail. This episode is getting to be monotonous, as several robberies have been made in the same place and the same driver was robbed there two years ago.

UNNEXCESSARY.—Mr. Reed, Paymaster of the O. & C. R. R. Co., arrived in town on the 15th and after securing a well armed guard, proceeded to Myrtle Creek, where, from some information received from beyond he proceeded to the front escorted by 17 men, armed to the teeth. Mr. Reed is a stranger here and we do not blame him for wishing to be secure, but such a parade of shotguns in a thickly settled and quiet community is entirely unnecessary and is a stigma on the character of our people. There has never been a highway robbery in Douglas county since its organization, and our citizens are peaceful and law-abiding. If there are any desperadoes in our midst they are in the employ of the railroad company, and they would not probably rob their own paymaster.

THE COOS BAY ROAD.—Sanderson, Hailey & Co., who have the contract of carrying the mail from Roseburg to Coos Bay, have entered upon the business in earnest. Mr. Hailey has now twenty-seven men at work and desires to secure the services of twelve more, with good and prompt pay. Mr. Frank Donaldson, agent for Mr. John Hailey, informs us that the road has been completed from this side of the mountain to a point called Cape Horn. The road will be graded over this point and it is expected that it will be completed with the present force, to the bridge above Laird's, in ten days. If additional force is secured it will be done sooner. As soon as the road is completed to Laird's, through connection will be made to Coos City, as the road has been let by contract beyond that point. In order to prove that the line would be first-class, Mr. Donaldson showed us four carriages already shipped here, two light spring carriages with cushions, and every desirable convenience, and two wagons for wet weather, equally easy and pleasant, provided with a cover from the rain. When John Hailey advertises that the road is open to Coos Bay, you may rely upon it, he means what he says.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Low prices at Flood's. Fine clothing just received at Flood's. S. Minard has gone to Eastern Oregon to look at the country. Lunch day and night at the Metropolitan Saloon.

C. Ball, Esq., editor-in-chief of the INDEPENDENT, has been indisposed this week.

An immense stock of crockery just received at Flood's.

Mattie Taylor is a charming child actress, S. F. Alta. Mark's Hall Tuesday, September 26.

To the wife of James Marshall, on the 15th inst., in this city, was born a son. Shake, James.

Dr. M. W. Davis went to Drain this week, to remain a few days on professional business.

Little Mattie, for her age, far exceeds any child ever presented to a San Francisco public.—[Chronicle, Mark's Hall, Tuesday, Sept. 26.

Mr. A. E. Champagne, the proprietor of the Cosmopolitan hotel, has laid out under obligations for favors. He does the same to all his guests.

Jack Woodruff, who was so badly injured by falling from a scaffold some time ago, was in town this week. Jack is worth several dead men yet.

The Metropolitan saloon has a new floor and will be repainted throughout. When completed it will be one of the pleasantest resorts in the city.

Douglas Chapman fell to the ground, a distance of fifteen feet, while working on the Roseburg mill, the other day. He was insensible for some time, but did not receive serious injuries.

The entertainment of the Taylor family is especially interesting.—[S. F. Bulletin, Mark's Hall, Tuesday, September 26.

J. W. G. Coffin, agent of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, and of the Commercial Insurance Company of California, was in town this week, en route to San Francisco.

The elegant L. L. Savage, late of Jacksonville, is now the artist who dispenses those excellent mixtures at Lou's saloon, and if you doubt their superiority call and try them.

A Mrs. McGuire, who occupies a tent near camp No. 10, on the railroad extension, had a narrow escape from death last week. A blast threw a large rock through the tent in very close proximity to her person.

Mattie Taylor is the cleverest of child artists.—[S. F. Examiner, Mark's Hall, Tuesday, September 26.

The greater portion of bridge work on the Coos Bay road has been contracted to parties along the line of the road. Grading and clearing is progressing quite rapidly. Hands are in demand.

A distinguished lady visitor arrived at the residence of Mr. Frazier Ward, on the night of the 19th inst., where she expects to make her home for some years.

Mrs. Oglesby, wife of Rev. K. C. Oglesby, and her sister, Miss Emma Armstrong, from Jacksonville, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Zigler, at the Metropolitan hotel.

James Bargo and his family, on Oak creek, together with the families of his two sons-in-law, lately arrived, have been attacked with typhoid fever, no less than seven of them being down at once, and some of them are at present dangerously ill.

Mr. Thomas R. Sheridan and family returned this week from Coos Bay, at which place they passed the heated season. Our old Clerk looks much improved, from contact with the sea breeze, after his long confinement in an office.

The State Fair opened last Monday, with fine weather and a large attendance. The exhibit is reported to be the best ever displayed. The races are a great source of attraction and are being conducted by the committee appointed for that purpose, under the most stringent rules. The fact that our farmers are now hauling grain, prevents as large an attendance from this county as desirable. All who can should attend.

Virgil Conn, in company with one of the pioneer merchants of Roseburg, took a full outfit and an early start for the North Umpqua, on last Wednesday morning. Nothing more was heard from them until the afternoon, when they might have been heard frequently relating how the beauties bit and how one of their number, after having his pole fractured by a monster trout and getting wet all over, (outside) and nailing his lineal steel-tipped banner to the stump of his broken rod, held the fort and snailed in shiners as long as the arm of genuine justice until his arms ached and his heart melted at the tortures he was inflicting. We took the word of the gentlemen and did not insist on visiting the victims of the hooked lash and fractured rod.

DEER CREEK.

On last Thursday hail descended in a perfect torrent, which caused those who were abroad to hastily seek shelter.

Robert McLaughlin, an exemplary young man, has been very sick, but thanks to good treatment and careful attention, he is rapidly regaining health and strength.

Some of the citizens here are making their places look much more neat and tasteful by rebuilding fences and otherwise trimming up their premises.

Mr. Richard and family are absent on a brief visit to Oakland. They contemplate visiting the State Fair before their return home.

Rev. M. C. Miller delivered a very instructive and interesting discourse on last Sunday, to an appreciative audience. His sermon was praised by all in the highest terms.

Farmers are hauling off grain and almost at break of day the rattle of wagons going to market, can be distinctly heard. You can perceive an air of good nature and a look of contentment stamped upon their features as they proceed towards town.

Miss Carrie Perkins, one of our most entertaining Misses, is indisposed. She has the united wishes of her many warm friends for a speedy recovery.

A "gentleman" who was returning from your city with his hat perched on the "opposite corner" of his ear, head thrown back on his shoulders and imagination soaring in the direction where his lovely eyes were firmly fixed, that is upon the wonders of the sky above, ran against the school house with his team and made such a clatter and frightened the occupants so badly that they supposed the sound of the last trumpet had been heard.

AUSTIE UNOWHO.

CANADIAN SOCIETY.—The Canadian population of Oregon and Washington held their first annual picnic at Ger-vais, in Marion county, last week. About five hundred people assembled, who were received with music and an address of welcome from E. S. Gregoire Esq., the President of the Society, after which addresses were in French and English by Messrs. Girard, F. X. Thibault, X. N. Steens, F. X. Mathien, W. M. Foley and A. Lobe. The day was spent by refreshments, short addresses and completing the organization of the society. A grand ball was given in the evening, at which the best of order and good feeling was manifested, and at early morn the Canadian brothers dispersed to meet again on the 20th of June next.

THE VICE REGAL PARTY.—The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise with their suite, crossed the continent in safety and left San Francisco on last Saturday on H. M. S. Comus, which was in port to convey them to Victoria, where preparations for their reception have been made on a large scale. As the Comus lacked accommodations for all, some of the party came to Portland on the Queen of the Pacific and will reach Victoria by way of the Sound. It has been officially announced that the Governor General of Canada, the Princess Louise and party will return to San Francisco by the way of Portland, about the first of October. The British societies will prepare for their reception and it is probable the city government will join to entertain them. If they need any instructions in statesmanship it would be well for them to visit Salem during the session of the Legislature.

BIG WORK.—The other day, several young and ambitious grangers were waiting for their turn to be served at Flood's, and were while the time languidly away with scraps of history as to their progress in shearing sheep. Some faith-testers had already been offered, when the adonis of the party leaped to the front, scattering perfume from his Auburn locks, and said: "When I was in Arizona some years since, I made a bet one day that I could shear one hundred and fifty sheep between sun and sun. The day was fair and at ten o'clock the thermometer was ten feet in the air and boiling over. I stayed with the work, however, for I'm a stayer. Nothing singular or worthy of mention occurred until about 2 o'clock P. M., at which time I had finished one hundred and twenty-five sheep, and the upper blade of my shears melted off, leaving but one blade with which to finish the job, which I did easily, winning the money. Fred, where is that square bottle?"

The Mattie Taylor Company are a host in talent, worthy of ovations for their excellence in songs, music, comedy and general entertainment.—[San Jose Herald, Mark's Hall, Tuesday, September 25.

The largest, most complete and handsomest stock of ladies shoes just received at Flood's.

ELKTON.

The recent showers have about extinguished the fires in the mountains, and the atmosphere is nearly clear of smoke.

Last week the Hancock boys and D. Wells were out on a hunt on the head of Smith's river, and killed a large elk.

Miss Anna Cooper is teaching the Elkton school. She gives general satisfaction, as did her predecessor, Miss Ida Booth.

The new store here is approximating completion.

It appears from the report of the clearance of ships carrying grain out of the Columbia river, that the Oregon farmer depends chiefly on a foreign market for his products. If our tariff was so adjusted that vessels could obtain freight both ways, they could carry our produce away for lower tonnage than they can while the ships are obliged to come here in ballast. The lower the tonnage the more will the farmer realize from the sale of his grain. Coffee, tea, and such articles of commerce which are not produced in our country, should be subject to a light tariff, while on these which are produced here it should be higher, so that in addition to raising a revenue sufficient to meet the expenses of government, it would protect home industries. An avulorem tariff will raise more revenue than a high protective tariff, for the latter has a tendency to exclude from commerce the articles protected against.

FARMER.

OAKLAND.

The smoke has cleared away.

Captain Maupin, of Elkton, gave us a call.

Hon. J. A. Hunt is attending the State Legislature.

Charles Hazard of Drain, was in town during the week.

Joseph Copeland and wife left for the upper country the first of the week.

Miss Milia Wheeler of Roseburg, was the guest of Miss Fannie Thomas, the first of this week.

Master Willie Brown and Miss Cora Pike went to Eugene City on Monday, where they will attend the State University.

George Bart returned from the front last Saturday, considerably disabled by sickness.

Fen Sutherland has purchased property and is to become a resident of this place.

Ben Ellsworth and family of Drain, have been spending a few days in this place, guests of Mr. John Freyer.

Mr. James Dealing is rapidly constructing a new dwelling, which will be ready for occupancy in a short time.

Mr. Fraser of Myrtle Creek, has been visiting friends in Oakland during the week.

James McKinney has disposed of his property and will take his departure in a few days for the northern country.

D. R. B. Winniford and family have gone to the front to aid in railroad construction.

A pleasant little party was given by John Hanna on Friday evening, which was enjoyed by all attending.

The weather waxeth warm again. The late rains have improved the roads considerably.

This market is well supplied with melons.

Wheat is coming to market lively. A large number from this place are at the Fair.

Miss Sarah Freyer is attending school at the State University.

A traveling photograph gallery has temporarily located at this place.

Mrs. Thomas, our estimable landlady of the Depot hotel, is visiting friends at Portland.

George Bart, who has been ill for some time, is now convalescing.

Father Shupe suffered a very severe paralytic stroke last Sunday. He is now slowly recovering.

A horse which was being manipulated at the livery stable on Tuesday, became unmanageable and took a little spree down the sidewalk of Main street. He called on the barber but had not time to take a shave.

John Howard is, perhaps, the happiest man in town. It is a girl and became a citizen of Oakland several days since.

Mr. McGee and Miss Gossette were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, last Sabbath. May their journey over life's rugged path be marked by few troubles and "little cares."

Baker's smiling countenance is not to be seen this week. He has gone to the fair.

Messrs. Beckley and Howard succeeded in capturing three escaped convicts, who left the penitentiary several

days since, and for whom a liberal reward had been offered. They were taken back to Salem on Wednesday.

Single buggies are becoming very fashionable here of late. We notice one individual who has the boss rig, consisting of an excellent buggy and a black thoroughbred horse, of very graceful movement.

H. H. H.

We call attention to the advertisement, on the outside, of Mr. Henry Conn, Sr., offering for sale some very high-bred Spanish Merino bucks. They are undoubtedly what they profess to be and will be sold cheap for cash.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES.—The following list of the standing committees of the two houses of the Legislature, will be of interest to our readers:

SENATE.

Judiciary—Waldo, Simon, Humphrey, Prim, Haines.

Ways and Means—Hirsch, Hall, Davenport, Dorris, Clow.

Elections—Tyson, Pennington and Clow.

Claims—Jessup, Dorris, Holt.

Corporations—Waters, Tyson and Haines.

Counties—Hall, Hendricks, Stearns.

Military Affairs—Waters, Wright, Siglin.

Commerce—Simon, Reed, Siglin.

Education—Jesup, Colvig, Canthorne.

Engrossed Bills—Lee, Myers, Humphrey.

Roads and Highways—Davenport, Myers, Wright.

Public Lands—Gatds, Sifers and Stearns.

Federal Relations—Hirsch, Reed, Hout.

Mining—Humphrey, Sifers, Prim.

Printing—Tyson, Waters, Canthorne.

Railroads—Colvig, Voorhees, Eil-yeu.

Public Buildings—Voorhees, Jesup, Pennington.

Assessments—Lee, Starkweather, Hendricks.

HOUSE.

Elections—Trituit, Marvum, Jones, Bruce, Whitney.

Ways and Means—Gilbert, Stewart, Veatch.

Education—Eakin, Gault, Jamison.

Judiciary—Farmer, Ford, Trituit, Ison, Whitney.

Claims—Nichols, Bleakney, Ford.

Military Affairs—Marston, Baughman, Sperry.

Roads and Highways—Wilbur, Faulconer, Hayes.

Engrossed Bills—Stewart, Hawley, Noyer.

Enrolled Bills—Dufur, Rigdon, Curtis.

Indian Affairs—Perkins of Grant, Thornton, Robinson.

Printing—Keady, Perkins of Douglas, Cyrus.

Corporations—Plummer, Trituit, Stanlep.

Commerce—Webb, Morris, Harris, Parker, Nelson.

Counties—Sharp, Jones, Kizer.

Federal Relations—Kelly, Moses, Hindman.

Mining—Brown, Stanton, Furry.

Public Lands—Paterson, Hunt, Dunbar.

Internal Improvements—Sapping-ton, Carter, Moss.

Public Buildings—Ford, Carson and Rice.

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NOTICE OF LIEN.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, and for the county of Douglas. Robert L. Fraker, plaintiff, vs. J. J. Comstock and the Oregon and California Railroad Company, defendants. Suit in equity to foreclose a laborer's lien.

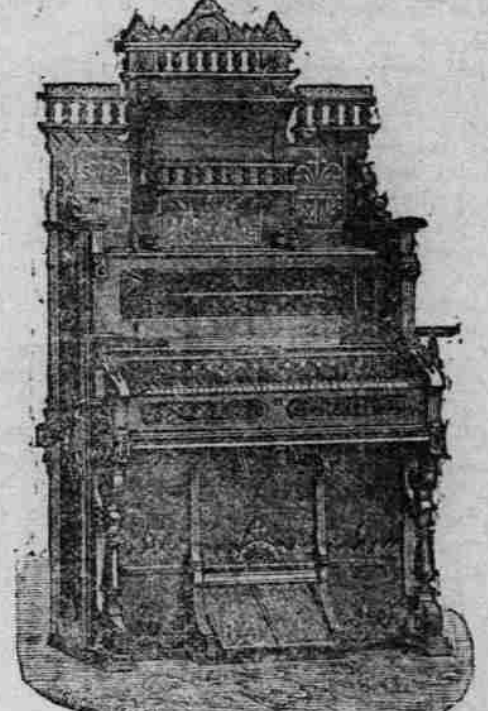
Notice is hereby given that a suit has been commenced this day, entitled as above, to foreclose a lien for labor against the money due said J. J. Comstock, original contractor from said Oregon and California Railroad Company, the right of way for said company's railroad asking the said Oregon and California Railroad Company be decreed to pay said plaintiff, R. L. Fraker, the sum of \$482 50, out of the money due said J. J. Comstock on the contract for clearing the right of way for said company's railroad, and that said J. J. Comstock be decreed to pay the balance, if any there be, together with costs and disbursements, and for such other and further relief as to equity may belong. All persons interested in the enforcement of said lien or claiming any benefit thereof are hereby notified to present their claims within ten days after the complete publication of this notice (three weeks) and in case of failure so to do within that time, or so much further time as may be allowed by the Court or Judge, the party so failing shall forfeit his lien under this act.

L. F. MOSHER & A. F. CAMPBELL, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Dated this 15th Sept. 1882.

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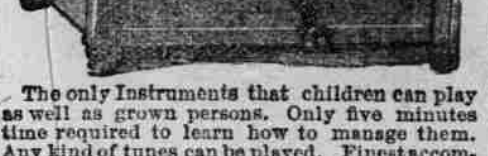
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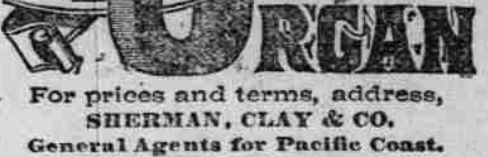


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NOTICE FOR FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Joseph Roudan, deceased, late of Douglas county, Oregon, has filed in the County Court of said county, his final account as such administrator, and that Monday, the first day of January, 1883, at ten o'clock A. M. at the County Court room of said county, he has appointed by J. S. Fitzhugh, Judge of said court, as the time and place for hearing objections to said account or the settlement thereof. FRANCIS ROUNDEAU, Administrator of said estate. Dated this Sept. 18, 1882.



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L. F. MOSHER & A. F. CAMPBELL, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Dated this 15th Sept. 1882.

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