

Sees Big Gun.

James H. Flanagan returned Monday on the Plant from a brief visit to San Francisco. While in the metropolis Mr. Flanagan's business brought him in contact with Mr. Hood, chief engineer of the coast for the Southern Pacific, and who has in charge the building of the Drain-Coos Bay branch to the Harman system. The S. P. official is a very busy man and an audience with him can only be arranged by appointment and the going through of considerable red-tape. Jim made good to all these requirements and with the matter of his errand finished he took time by the forelock to propound a few interrogations relative to the Drain-Coos Bay road. Mr. Hood answered the questions put cheerfully and in a frank manner. His thorough knowledge of the situation was no surprise to Mr. Flanagan, who realized the necessity of the master mind of the construction forces must be acquainted with these conditions. Engineer Hood reiterated that work would start on the construction of this line in the very near future and that it would be pushed to completion at a faster pace than has ever been heard of in railroad building on the coast. When asked about starting construction at both ends Mr. Hood said that it was their intention to work from the Drain end and from a point on the Umpqua, and that supplies and material for construction would soon be arriving at the latter place.—Marshfield Sun.

Half Million Tonnage Lay Down Tools.

Chicago, March 31.—The Tribune's Washington correspondent says: It is a serious thing to say, and yet I believe I am justified in saying it, that if the strike of the bituminous and anthracite miners is permitted to continue to the point where the piled-up stocks of both kinds of coal are practically exhausted so as to produce a paralysis of industrial operations, the Government of the United States, either through the President or through Congress, or both, will take action in the interest of the people, Constitution or no Constitution.

That is the feeling here among men who ordinarily are conservative. They do not believe that either Congress or the President has the right to dictate the terms on which men shall operate their mines or on which men shall work in the mines.

They do believe, however, and the opinion was generally expressed yesterday by Republicans and Democrats and by high officials almost within the walls of the White House itself, that if any such crisis arises the United States Government will take possession of the mines, operating them for the benefit of the people, and turn over the money to its proper owners, leaving the operator and miners to agree among themselves if they can.

The Woman's Club met on Saturday with Mrs. Sinclair. Wile Carlton and Bret Hart were the poets selected for study, and both were enjoyed, the half hour devoted to the subject of current events was interesting and helpful. Next Saturday a portion of the time will be given to the study of Domestic Science. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hawkins.

Our townsman, W. L. Kistner, acting as agent, has just closed a deal between W. F. Disher and William Norris of near town, and Messers Dickson, late arrivals from Humboldt county, California, for two hundred acres of land each. These are two of Coos county's good dairy ranches and these gentlemen knew how to choose. For the former they pay \$10,500 and the latter 7500. These are good people to whom we extend a hearty welcome among us.

Z. C. Strang and J. W. Leneve are taking an invoice of the stock of goods of the former, with a view to the later becoming possessor of this mercantile business. The transfer will be made in a day or so. While we are sorry to lose Mr. Strang as one of our business men, we are glad to regain Mr. Leneve, he having been in business here for many years. O. C. Sanford is now in the bank in the place vacated by Mr. Leneve.

Sanuel Johnson, one of our South fork farmers, came down yesterday and paid his old friend, Robert Dean a visit.

Mart Smith, of near Remote, is in town visiting his sister, Mrs. P. E. Drane. This is the first time he has been in town for several years.

Mrs. A. Pershbaker and daughters, Mrs. S. W. Fahy and Miss Ruby Pershbaker, went to the Bay yesterday for a visit of a few days with friends.

The cash customer has the advantage at T. H. Mehl & Co. They are now giving 5 per cent off of the regular prices to all who pay cash on the spot.

A. M. Snyder who has been running an engine at the government work at Bandon, has resigned, and moved yesterday to his father's place on the upper river for residence.

Dr. Wetmore has again received a very flattering offer to fill a chair at the Columbia Medical Institute at Tacoma, Washington. It is a position paying a good salary. This is the second time he has been offered the position since locating here. He says "No, I shall remain here."

Mrs. J. D. Donaldson of near Riverton, has been very ill for a few days, but was improving yesterday.

Ed Christensen, of the firm of Sudden & Christensen, of San Francisco, who are the present owners of the Prosper mill, started for home yesterday after a visit of several days with Wm. Hicking, their foreman. Mr. Hicking came up this far with him.

Capt. Christensen, of the tug Robarts, plying on the Sinslaw, visited the river the last of the week with a view to making arrangements for the Robarts to do towing on the Coquille bar. He received considerable encouragement and thought the chances good for him to make the change when he started for home.

W. W. Hamilton, a veteran California miner, arrived here last week to look up the coal proposition of C. A. Peterson, of Riverton. He is highly pleased with the coal and the mine in a general way, and will take hold under a lease to make make further developments as rapidly as the circumstances will permit. This vein is the same as the Kight vein, and is claimed to be the best coal yet found in this section in large and paying quantities, and we hope to see in the very near future a great mine doing a big business.

The All-American Glass Blowers who have been showing the Bay towns for the past two weeks, are going to visit Bandon and show what they can do in the way of glass blowing. They showed Coquille Friday and Saturday of last week to good crowds, and everyone who visited them seemed well pleased. They have a glass dress made from spun glass and every lady should see this garment. Every visitor receives a glass souvenir free of charge. Watch for hand bills for further notice. Miss May Wickham received the prize, a beautiful glass souvenir, for the best waltzer at the free dance on Saturday night.

Grafting Wax

We give the following recipe for a fine liquid grafting wax for the benefit of our readers who are interested in fruit growing: Mix together one pound of resin and two ounces of beef tallow. When slightly cooled, add seven ounces alcohol. Warm up carefully and add two ounces spirits of turpentine. Keep in bottle and use with small wooden paddle.

Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake St. Topeka, Kan. says "Of all cough remedies Ballard's Horehound Syrup is my favorite; it has done and will do all that is claimed for it—to speedily cure all coughs and colds—and it is so sweet and pleasant to the taste. Sold by R. S. Knowlton.

Card of Thanks.

The management of the Coquille Mill & Mercantile Company desires to express to the members of the Coquille Fire Department their full appreciation of the work done in subduing the fire in our shed and yards on last Wednesday morning. Their quick response to the alarm, and their fast and effective work was instrumental in saving this company a large amount and perhaps more serious losses to the city.

COQUILLE MILL & MERCANTILE CO.

Our First Fire of the Year.

On Wednesday morning at an early hour a fire broke out in the dry lumber house of the Coquille Mill and Mercantile Co's yard causing a loss of \$1200 to \$1500. This is the first fire of the year, and might have proven much more serious had it not been for the prompt and efficient work of our fire Company coupled with the abundant supply of water of our new system.

While it is a fact that but one of the reservoirs was connected with the system, the supply on this occasion proved sufficient but care should be taken to have all things in readiness for a similar occasion. Now that the dry season is near at hand, too much care cannot be taken to prevent as well as to extinguish fires. In case this fire had gotten a sufficient that the lumber yard and mill had gone, there is no doubt that the first two or three rows of blocks would have been swept clean as what wind that was blowing on that night was from the south.

Our firemen are to be congratulated and encouraged in this work, and a substantial financial boost to put and keep their equipments in good shape would be all right, and would no doubt be a good investment for our people. We have heard many say that our water system doubtless paid for itself last Wednesday morning.

Pasture For Stock.

I will receive horses and cattle to pasture on good up-land range. Geo. McAdams.

Announcement.

I am a candidate for the nomination for Justice of the Peace, Dist. No. 3, subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primary election.

R. R. POWNER.

Announcement.

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of county clerk of Coos county, subject to the approval of the electors of the Democratic party at the primary election to be held April 20, 1906.

W. E. Cleghorn.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of commissioner of Coos county, subject to the approval of the electors of the Democratic party at the primary election to be held April 20, 1906.

I. T. WEEKLY.

Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of sheriff of Coos county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election on April 20th, 1906.

L. W. TRAYER.

Announcement

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of sheriff of Coos county, subject to the approval of the electors of the Democratic party at the primary election to be held April 20, 1906.

W. W. GAGE.

For County Treasurer.

I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for the office of Treasurer of Coos county, subject to the approval of the electors of the Democratic party at the primary election to be held April 20, 1906.

J. C. SIMMONS.

For Surveyor.

The undersigned hereby announces himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of County Surveyor of Coos county, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election on April 20, 1906.

A. N. GOULD.

For County Judge.

I announce myself as a candidate for nomination for the office of County Judge of Coos county, subject to the approval of the electors of the Democratic party at the primary election to be held April 20, 1906.

J. H. CECIL.

Advertisement for White House Low Cuts for Men shoes, featuring an illustration of a shoe and the text 'White House Low Cuts for Men'.

J. K. Scott, of Bandon, was in town yesterday.

L. D. Pettyjohn, of Marshfield, spent a day or so in town this week.

R. M. Hayter, of Arago, was in town attending to business yesterday.

Farmers' institute at Coquille April 17. All farmers should turn out.

E. D. Myers, of Lee, made a trip to the Bay Monday, returning yesterday.

Bons. At Johnson's Mill, March 31, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Newton, a daughter.

Don't forget that you have 5c, coming on every \$1 on each cash deal from now on at T. H. Mehl & Co.

At the meeting of the city council Monday evening, the Coquille Mill and Mercantile Co. offered to fill first street east of Pointner's barn with sawdust if the city would put up for the feed of the horse hauling the sawdust cart, which was accepted. There was also an ordinance passed grading the Dean Lumber Co. a right-of-way for its railroad up Cunningham. O. C. Sanford, recorder, tendered his resignation, which was accepted and R. R. Powner was appointed recorder to fill the vacancy.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS:

J. A. Collier, Plaintiff vs. A. P. Campbell and Rothschild & Hadenfeldt, a Corporation, Defendants.

To A. P. Campbell and Rothschild & Hadenfeldt, a corporation, the above entitled defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within six weeks from March 7, 1906, and if you fail to appear on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication to-wit: April 18th, 1906, judgment will be taken against you, for want thereof, for the relief demanded in the complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows:

First: That there be adjudged to be due and owing plaintiff from defendant A. P. Campbell the sum of \$250 and interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum since January 30th, 1904, on the promissory note in complaint set forth, for an attorney fee of \$50, and for his costs and disbursements in this suit.

Second: That a certain mortgage dated January 30, 1904, securing said promissory note, be foreclosed and the property described therein, to-wit: lot 5 in block 58 in Elliott's Addition to the town of Coquille City, now the city of Coquille, in Coos county, Oregon, be sold in the manner provided by law, the proceeds be applied to the payment of costs of this suit, and the balance to the attorney fee and the sums found to be due plaintiff herein, and that all persons claiming under him subsequent to the execution of said mortgage be barred and foreclosed of all right, claim and equity of redemption in said premises.

Third: That the overplus, if any there be, be paid into this court to await the further order thereof, and for such other and as the court may deem meet and equitable.

Service of this summons is made by publication in pursuance of an order made by L. Harlocker as county judge of Coos county, Oregon, dated March 7th, 1906, directing that service thereof be made by publication in the Coquille Herald, a newspaper published at the city of Coquille, in Coos county, once each week for a period of six weeks.

A. J. SHERWOOD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Dr. C. W. Tower. Isaac R. Tower

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Steamer Notes.

Steamer Elizabeth arrived March 28th; sailed March 30th. Incoming passenger, Capt. J. McClements; cargo, 150 tons mdse. Outgoing passengers, Capt. J. McClements, E. Erickson, John Brown; cargo, 200 M lumber, 20 cords matchwood 800 M shingles, 20 tons mdse.

Schooners San Buena Ventura and C. T. Hill ready for sea, 200 M each.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the last will and testament of John Henry Schroeder, deceased, has been duly admitted to probate, and that the undersigned who is named as executrix therein, has been duly appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for the County of Coos, as such executrix, and letters testamentary have been duly issued to said executrix. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them with the proper vouchers within six months from the date of this notice to the undersigned at her residence at Arago, Coos County, Oregon.

Dated this 27th day of March, A. D. 1906. EMILY SCHROEDER, Executrix of the Estate of John Henry Schroeder, deceased.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS.

Zetta James, Plaintiff, vs. Geo. W. James, Defendant. Suit in Equity for a Divorce.

TO GEO. W. JAMES, the above-named Defendant: In the name of the state of Oregon; you are hereby notified that you are required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, to-wit: within six weeks from the 14th day of March, 1906, the same being the date of the first publication of this summons.

And if you fail to appear and answer said complaint on or before the 25th day of April, 1906, the same being the last day of the time prescribed in the order of publication, the plaintiff will take judgment against you and will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint, a succinct statement of which is as follows: That the marriage contract heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved, set aside and held for naught; that plaintiff be restored to her maiden name of Zetta Belieu; that she have judgment against defendant for the costs and disbursements of this suit; and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and equitable.

Service of this summons is made by publication in pursuance of an order made by L. Harlocker as County Judge of Coos county, Oregon, dated March 13th 1906, directing that service of said summons be made by publication thereof in the Coquille Herald, a newspaper published at Coquille, in said county, once each week for a period of six weeks.

J. J. STANLEY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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