

THE COAST MAIL.

WEDNESDAY, June 21, 1879.

WEDDING AT NEWPORT.—The latest sensation at Newport was the marriage of Thomas R. Sheridan of Roseburg with Miss Florence, the accomplished daughter of P. Flanagan, Esq., one of the proprietors of the Newport mine, which took place last Sunday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Heinrich of the Catholic Church. Misses Mollie F. Mullen of San Francisco and Georgina Cammann of Empire City, were bridesmaids, and E. and S. Sheridan, brothers of the bridegroom, were groomsmen. The bride was tastefully dressed in white satin en train and trimmed with illusion and orange blossoms, while the bridesmaids wore pink and white silk. The company consisted of the families and relatives of the parties, and a few intimate friends. The bride was the recipient of numerous presents, among which may be mentioned a beautiful gold locket and chain from the bridegroom, a set of gold jewelry from Mrs. Sheridan, napkins and spoons by Messrs. Sheridan, pearl fan by Mrs. P. Flanagan, pair gold bracelets by Mrs. Mullen, toilet set and silk handkerchiefs by Mr. & Mrs. Capt. Holt, silver fruit knife by Mrs. Judge Mann, and possibly others overlooked by our reporter. After supper, 12 p. m., dancing was enjoyed by the company till a late hour. The young couple enter upon married life with the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Our correspondent from the south Coquille, sends the following details of the sudden death of a miner from Sixes: On the 7th inst., Mr. Briggs, a miner who lives on Sixes river, came to James Wilson's place, on British Prairie, in Curry county, to stay all night. Being an acquaintance of the family, he joined in the sports of the children in the evening, and seemed quite well, and while playing he suddenly commenced making a peculiar noise, like snoring, and fell back and expired in a few moments. Mr. Wilson at first thought that he assumed that position to amuse the children, but on going to him, discovered that he had ceased to breathe. Every possible effort was made to restore consciousness, but he was dead. Deceased had lived on Sixes more than a year, and had been in partnership with a Mr. Bates. Mr. Briggs was from California, where he leaves a family to mourn his sudden death.

INSANE.—Milton Davis, an old man who has been for a long time past making his home with his son-in-law, Donald McIntosh, at the mouth of Coos River, has lately shown marked symptoms of insanity. His conduct is at times so strange and violent that Mr. McIntosh does not deem it prudent to leave him alone with the family. We have been informed that he was once an inmate of an insane asylum, and it is probable that he will soon be a patient of Dr. Hawthorne's establishment in East Portland.

A PERSONAL EXAMINATION.—It is authoritatively announced that the Board of Engineers will visit this place in the early part of July, to examine our harbor, and cape Gregory, both with reference to the location of the harbor of refuge and the proposed improvement inside the bar. It is a source of satisfaction to know that the location of the harbor of refuge is only to be made upon a thorough examination of the several points proposed. We are willing to rest the claims of cape Gregory upon the merit of the place, and abide the result.

FOR THE FOURTH.—Several prominent citizens of Marshfield are discussing the propriety of getting up a celebration here on the Fourth, but as yet no decided action has been taken on the subject. It is rather late to move in the matter, as many persons who might have attended here, had the celebration been announced earlier, have laid their plans to go elsewhere; but if you go ahead, gentlemen, "here's to your success."

WILL SURVEY.—The U. & C. B. R. Co. will send their surveyor down in a few days, to extend the survey for the railroad from the Coquille river to a terminus on Coos Bay. The distance will be definitely ascertained as well as the approximate cost of construction, and the matter can be more satisfactorily represented to those who may be solicited to become subscribers to stock.

GONE TO SALEM.—Our readers will remember "Rattlesnake Jack" alias Charley Carson, who exhibited himself in various grotesque Indian costumes in this county about two years ago. Well, he has gone to the penitentiary for one year for stealing horses in Grant county. He has been in jail in Canyon City all winter waiting his trial, and was taken to Salem under sentence, this week.

"NO LIKE" BUSH.—A Chinaman who was sent to the penitentiary from this county, a year ago, returned last Wednesday, his time having expired. He says the prisoners "no likee Bush." Before Bush took charge they had "heapee good glub chieken they week allee same hotel. Now he d—d none cepst mushee, Bush he d—d none b—h."

AGAIN RUNNING.—The tug Escort came out on Thursday, having undergone a thorough overhauling, and resumed her regular duties on the bar. Dean & Co. are well pleased with what has been done on her, and it is considered highly creditable to the mechanics who have had charge of the work.

NEW PAPER.—Geo. R. F. Swain, well known in this county, has started a paper at Cornelius in Washington county. It is a good looking, seven column paper, well filled with news, and sports the name of "The Cornelius Courant." We wish it the best of success.

AT THE CAPE.—The prospect of the harbor of refuge being located at cape Gregory has created a demand for lands in that vicinity, and some of our citizens have made pilgrimages to the cape within the past week, with a view to getting a good location.

ERUPTION.—In our issue of May 31st, it was stated that J. D. Fay was buried by Blanco Lodge A. F. & A. M. of which he was a member. We should have said of which order he was a member. He was a member of Doric Lodge No. 216, of San Francisco.

WE PLEAD GUILTY.—Last week we took two marriage notices from the Coos Bay News, thinking that possibly they might be correct, but it turns out that the rumor of said marriages had no foundation. Served us right.

MOVED.—The Western Union Telegraph office was moved yesterday from Dean & Co.'s store to the upper story of G. Webster's law office.

The public school at this place now numbers over one hundred pupils.

MRS. F. McCORMAC's writing school opened on Wednesday night, with twenty-one scholars.

MAJ. TOWER and Jay Tuttle have been trying the trout on Coos River during the week.

Blight has already made its appearance on the early planted potatoes in parts of this county.

DR. HADLEY sold furs to the amount of \$304.50 a short time since, the proceeds of his trapping on Coos River.

JOHN STORE and Mr. Forsman are about to open a saloon, in Timmerman's building, adjoining the Pioneer.

A NARBURG Esq. returned from Portland last Sunday, where he had been to attend the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Mrs. SHERIDAN, (the bride) Mrs. Sheridan, of Roseburg, and Miss Mullen, started for Roseburg yesterday, via Gardner.

OSCAR GRIFFITH, the renowned wizard, will give one of his entertainments at Norman's Hall, tonight. Go and see him!

THE barkentine North Bend, is carrying lumber from Simpson's lumbering establishment at Knappton on the Columbia, to San Francisco.

IF Geo. Wood, supposed to live in this county, will see Alex Stauff, at the County Clerk's office, he will learn something to his advantage.

J. F. MOORE, superintendent of schools, will hold a public examination for applicants for certificates, in Coquille City, on the 28th instant—next Saturday.

JAY TUTTLE, who is taking a course of instruction in the medical department of the Willamette University, arrived at Empire on Saturday last. He will spend the vacation in this county.

A. H. HINCH, from the Sinlaw, is on the Bay. He reports the beach, mining claims of himself and Zigler, as being in good shape for permanent work, with plenty of water during the whole season.

MEMBERS of Myrtle Lodge No. 3, K. of P., are requested to be present at the next regular meeting, to be held at their hall, on Monday, June 23d, 1879. Matters of great importance will be presented.

DAVID MORSE, of Empire City, has for sale in his store, a lamp wick which is claimed will burn forever without diminishing in size. Mr. Morse showed us a wick which he had been burning for several weeks, and so far it has needed no trimming. In appearance it is the same as an ordinary wick, but is made of different material.

CAPT. ROBERT SIMPSON, is now on the Bay, having arrived from San Francisco on one of the late steamers. He thinks it impracticable to construct a harbor of refuge at any point on the Pacific coast, but recognizes the superior advantages of cape Gregory, and expresses the opinion that that point will be selected by the Board of Engineers.

A Mysterious Affair.

A fallen woman named Jennie Moore shot herself, in Portland last Sunday. It was about 3 o'clock in the morning and a letter had just been brought her, when she got up and went out in her night clothes and shot herself with a pistol. The pistol was not held in a position to make a fatal shot, and the bullet entered at the right temple and passed several inches under the scalp. The motive for the deed is not known, but the letter was from a man in Empire City, who requested her to send him \$40. It would be in order for the Argus man to explain this little affair.

Summer Hema.

Weather fine and logging men in good spirits.

The Summer blacksmith shop is manned by Mr. L. Marlett, an efficient workman in iron, who gives general satisfaction to his customers.

Considerable freight is being carried up by the Bertha. She runs regularly, yet her trips are regulated by the tide, there being insufficient water at the head of the slough at this season of the year.

Strange to say, we have no saloon running now in Summer. There was one a short time since, but the proprietor, Mr. J. Hudson, closed up temporarily and went to Sixes to look after his mining interests.

We have had a protracted meeting of nine days duration, under Revs. Martin, of Roseburg, and Bailey and Black, of this place. The meetings were well attended.

Revs. Martin and Bailey have gone to Coquille City, I believe, leaving Mr. Black in temporary charge of our spiritual affairs. Mr. Canterbury was ordained during the meeting, which closed last Friday.

There are two logging camps running here, one by Mr. Luse, in charge of J. A. Yoakum. The logs from this camp are hauled upon a tram-way half a mile long, on which a car is run, drawn by four horses, and another car is expected to be put on in a few days. Two teams of oxen work in the woods getting logs out to the car. Yoakum says he can put in 20 logs a day now, and when the other car is in operation he can double that number. The logs are put into the water close by the Summer store.

John Levar, a thorough and experienced logger, runs the other camp and Dean & Co. take the logs. He also has a track three-fourths of a mile in length and is doing good work.

A SUMMERITE.

Myrtle Point Items.

We have beautiful weather after our long continued rain.

The supervisors in this region are putting the roads in good order.

We have religious services here every Sunday, by the German Baptists.

The crops of this valley are looking well, and from present appearances, will yield a bountiful harvest.

Owing to the late rains, some of the crops here were sown as late as the latter part of May.

The prospect for fruit on the river is excellent, nearly all the orchards being well loaded.

The Little Annie makes her regular trips down the river, making this point her head quarters.

A Chinaman recently took out a nugget on Johnson's creek which weighed twenty-seven dollars.

The Coquille people, with the rest of mankind, are anxiously waiting to hear where the harbor of refuge is to be located.

Myrtle Point will celebrate the coming Anniversary. All necessary preliminaries are being arranged, and a good time is expected.

Quite a number of Chinamen, formerly at work on Johnson's creek, have come down to the south fork, where they are now at work. The cause of this moving is the presence of too many white miners.

A RESIDENT.

Circuit Court Proceedings at the Adjourned Term.

State of Oregon vs. J. F. Adams. Indictment for adultery. Continued.

State of Oregon vs. Michel Demeurs. Indictment for murder. Acquitted.

McGowan vs. Warner. Judgment for defendant.

State of Oregon vs. James Cora. Indictment for assault and battery. Acquitted.

Whitney vs. Lanfare. This was a motion for an order entering a judgment *in rem* pro *in rem*. H. H. Luse interpleaded and was made defendant. The order was granted, but without effecting the rights of H. H. Luse.

John Norman vs. Thos. Walker. Judgment for defendant for costs.

Clara Morgan vs. John Morgan. Suit in equity for divorce. Decree granted.

S. S. Mann, administrator of the partnership estate of Flanagan & Mann, vs. Ann Flanagan. This was an appeal from the County court, from a decision granting Mrs. Ann Flanagan, widow of James Flanagan, \$50 per month out of the partnership estate. The decision of the court below was reversed.

C. W. Tower vs. Ann Flanagan. This was on motion, and objections to the confirmation of sheriff's sale, appealed by defendant from County court. Taken under advisement by the court.

Augusta Scales vs. town of Marshfield, review from recorder's court, for the town of Marshfield. Taken under advisement.

Osborn vs. Lobree. Civil action to recover money. Trial before the court and taken under advisement.

Wm. G. Webster and S. Bevins were admitted to citizenship.

Unhappy Russia.

An exchange speaks of the unfortunate condition of affairs in Russia, as follows: The Emperor of Russia has a nice time traveling through his dominions. He has lately made a journey in an iron clad carriage, bullet proof, and it should be ventilated and illuminated by a skylight to be perfectly safe. The carriage is surrounded by a force of four hundred dragoons. His generals and chiefs of police are afraid of their lives any moment, and have to use every precaution. Such is the terror of the dynasty that it has banished from the Empire, Ivan Turgenoff, the Russian novelist, whose works are translated and very popular in our country, and who is not a revolutionist, nor does he advocate extreme principles in his works, though they are liberal in character. His liberal tendencies have always been a cause of annoyance to the Russian dynasty. So far back as 1852 he was a victim of Russian despotism for several years. At the present time there is a rule of terror in St. Petersburg, and through the disaffected portion of the Empire. Arrests of people of high rank are frequent, and assassination of officials occur frequently.

The daily passenger and mail stage between Sidney and the Black Hills was stopped a few days since, by five masked robbers. The passengers and mail sacks were robbed, the robbers carrying away the registered matter, after which the coach was allowed to proceed.

A LATE Panama dispatch gives an account of a disastrous naval engagement between the Chilean fleet and a division of the Peruvian fleet, resulting in the destruction of one vessel of each fleet, and a large number of men, with little permanent advantage to either side.

The losses by fire in the United States since January 1st, 1879, exceed those of all former years for the same months. The total loss to April 30th, was \$32,391,000, eleven millions more than for the first four months of 1878 and nearly that amount more than for the same period in 1877.

A Sunday-school excursion train on the Utah Western road, was blown from the track in a gale on the afternoon of the 6th inst., at Lake Point, on the south shore of the Great Salt Lake. The children escaped injury, but a brakeman named Crockett, was killed and the conductor was slightly wounded.

It is reported in army circles that Adjutant General Townsend, Paymaster General Alvord, Inspector General Marcy, and Quartermaster General Meigs, will soon be placed on the retired list. It is said that it was understood when General Marcy was last promoted that he would soon apply for retirement.

As Mrs. Honora Lacy was driving to her home in Chester county, Pa., a few days since, the contents of the carriage, cotton and straw, were ignited by a match, and in an instant the whole interior of the vehicle was in a blaze. The horse was frightened, and ran away, and before he was stopped, Mrs. Lacy was literally roasted alive.

The bark Egremont Castle has been entered on Lloyd's maritime register as missing. This fine British iron bark of 814 tons left San Francisco September 18, 1876, with 27,825 cents of wheat, valued at \$47,747. She was cleared by Ammon, Caspari & Co., and bound for Cork. She has never been heard of since, and it is feared that she went down with her crew of 25 on board.

Real Estate Transactions.

June 5—J. Tuttle, tax collector, to H. H. Luse, lots 6 and 7, block 47, lot 4, block 27, lot 6, block 64, Empire City, \$23 50.

June 6—O. F. Moore and wife to A. F. Moore, lot 3, block 6, Coaledo, \$100.

June 14—U. S. to Samuel W. Beaven, NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of sec. 2, T. 26, R. 12.

June 17—U. S. to A. H. Duncan, SE 1/4 of sec. 27, T. 28, R. 14.

June 18—U. S. to J. T. Jordan, W 1/4 of NW 1/4, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, and NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 sec. 2, T. 24, R. 12.

U. S. to John Hambrick, 12 patents, embracing large tract of land, on Coquille river.

L. Mansur to Morton Tower, one acre of land in lot 5, sec. 33, T. 25, R. 11.

BORN.

At Empire City, June 14th, 1879, to the wife of Jay Tuttle, a son.

In Marshfield, June 17th, 1879, to the wife of W. B. Simpson, a daughter.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's parents, in Newport, by the Rev. Father Heinrich, Mr. T. R. Sheridan, of Roseburg, and Miss Florence K. Flanagan, of Newport.

We acknowledge the receipt of the compliments of the happy pair, with a liberal supply of cake and champagne.

Ben voyage.

At the residence of Alex Stauff, in Empire City, June 15th, 1879, by Henry Sengstacken, Justice of the Peace, Mr. Edward E. Morgan and Miss Lillie King, both of Coos county.

COOS BAY RETAIL MARKET.

Table listing prices for various goods: Butter, Cheese, Lard, Hams, Bacon, Beef, Sugar, Mutton, Sausage, Eggs, Potatoes, Apples, Raisins, Coffee, Tea, Rice, Beans, Flour, Apples dried, Raisins, Currants, Corn, Peaches, Pie fruit and jellies.

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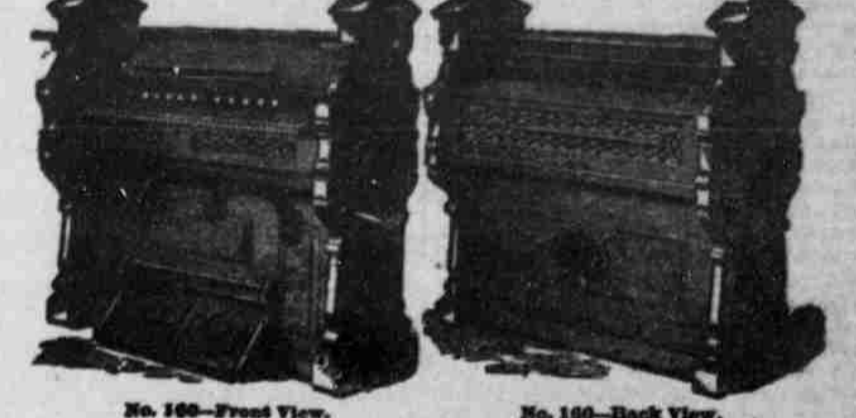
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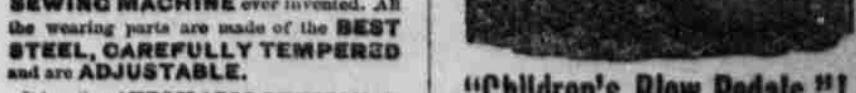
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