

A Successful Institute.

The teachers' institute held at Coquille City last week was a great success and a marked improvement on the one

M. C. Miller was chosen president; gain. Charley Stokes does the biz. at Nor-D. L. Rood, vice president, and F. A. Golden and W. A. Welch reporting sec-

fair, Bob Hutcheson jr. officiates at Sny- The teachers present were Prof. E. B. dors, and Cox's stand is presided over McElroy, Dr. J. T. McCormac, D. L. A. Welch, K. H. Hansen, Chas. Vanderburg, G. A. Edmunds, W. H. Bunch, City has fallen heir to \$20,000. If this Frank Bunch, H. Bettys, Jacob Barklow, A. J. Sherwood, W. J. Volkmar, C. Wilkins, Geo. Johnson, L. A. Roberts, Mark Morris, --- Bonham, L. L. Harmon, Frank Lowe, Robt. W. Bullard, Jas. Barklow, Mrs. D. L. Rood, Miss Bean, Mrs. Etta Pendergrass, Miss Many of our business men, including Moore, Miss Annie Webber, Miss Norton, the Variety man, Snyder and Emma Chlemens, Miss Clotilda Volk-Buckley the hotel men, Cox the barber, mar, Miss Sadie Hall, Miss Bettys, and others, have stands at the Coquille Miss Winnie Fetter, Miss Emma Stand, fair, whither with their wares they this Miss Florence Smith, Miss Charlotte week repaired to beard the verdant Co- Vanderburg, Miss Lucinda McCloskey, quiller on his native heath and buckle Miss Alice Bunch, Miss Wilkins, Miss on to the nimble six-pence as it issues Ada and Miss Leona Lamb, Miss Edith from its lair thirsting for ice-cream, 80- Morris, Miss Florence Lowe and Miss Hoffman.

> The following resolutions were adopted :

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered Prof. E. B. McElroy for his which he has assisted us.

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered Supt. McCormac for the able way in which he has conducted the in-

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered those who have furnished the music.

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered those who have given us the use of the school building and Odd

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be extended to the citizens of Coquille City who have so generously exhausted

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered the citizens who have given us encouragement by their presence.

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered the stage ond slough boats lines that have so generously reduced fares for our accommodation.

RESOLVED-That a vote of thanks be tendered Hon. John A. Gray for his able and eloquent lecture.

There was a large attendance of school officers and parents and the attendance of teachers was the largest that has ever been at an institute in this

county. The published programme was Punch Cigars go to Sengstackens Drug carried out and good work was accomplished generally.

> A detailed report of the proceedings of the teachers institute will appear next week. The report contains the subjects discussed during the conventions, and will furnish some valuable hints to teachers who were unable to attend.

But on a late occasion you have As none but a corrupt and vicious

To the victors belong the spoils.

Mrs Marksley, Mrs Levi, A A Pompe, John Adams and Frank Adams. Arrivals by the Arago, August 20: Mrs B Holm and child and B L Clork-

A Steinberger, Mrs Miller and child, G Schumaker, FC Anderson, CC Hailey, A Goodridge, ---- Melander, G E Chan-ning, M Feldman, Wm Preston, 8 Gran-

Departures by the Arcata, August 29: Mrs Dr Angel and family and G E

A man named Walker started from Luse's ranch on Coos river to town with the United States.

a boat load of apples the other day, and on reaching the mouth of the river cut his way backward or forward and so hung up for the night on the mudflat. He arrived in town about six c'clock the next morning. This is but one of the many capers of the fog, which one man who lost his way on account thereof says was so thick tont it was as buoyant as water, and that instead of having been stuck on the mud as he supposed, he had but run up on a fogbank when the tide went out and left him. When the sun came out hot it

was his first intimation of the state of

cal use go to Sengetackens Drug Store. Sullivan James 2. Tuos. Hinsy, P. M.

Jos. Bowen, the oldest Master Mason in the United States, died at Philadelphia a few days ago aged 94 years. He was installed 60 years ago.

There was a whole sermon on practical morality in the reply of a New York policeman to an English spectator of the Grant funeral procession : "Crowds are better behaved in this country than in mine," said the Englishman, "They'er better fed," said the officer.

The expulsion of Poles from Austria has commenced. There is no discrimination made. All classes are served alike. The rich have to go as well as the poor. The Poles are very indignant, but the orders are imperative, and all will be expelled from the country. A few have expressed a determination to come to

Wm. McCormick, now at the Columfound the fog so thick that he couldn't bia cascades, has perfected the working model of a tug boat that he claims will navigate the swiftest waters and render unnecessary the construction of locks at the cascades, over which he claims he can pass 40 boats up and 40 boats down every 24 hours. McCormick, like neariv all other inventors, is poor and without even the means to charter a steamer to give a practical test of the merits of his new tug boat. He estimates that \$75,000 would put his scheme in successful operation.

> From a private letter from Eureka. Cal., the editor of the Gold Beach Gazette obtains the following : "This is the hardest year ever known in Humboldt county by the 'oldest inhabitant.' There season in this county. Business men ly four logging camps are running on

Uuclaimed Letters.

Following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Marsh field, Coos county, Or., September 1, Alexander O, Bledso J, Brene 1885 : ham Peter, Chambers John T2, Chatman Evnst, Clanson J T, Erickson J, For pure Wines and Cigars, for medi-