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Contiguous Harbors. Senator Fry's report on the river and harbor bill contains the following items in regard to the harbors near Coos Bay: COQUILLE RIVER.

The mouth of the Coquille river is on the southern coast of Oregon, between Coos Bay and Port Orford. Coasters ascend to Coquille City, twenty-eight miles, and light draft vessels twelve miles further. The principal industry of the valley is lumbering.

During the year ending June 30, 1889, sixty-nine vessels arrived and the same number cleared. The total exports estimated at \$356,000, including 11,000,000 feet of lumber, and 10,000 cases of salmon; and the total imports at \$275,000.

Since the commencement of the improvement, business on the river has quadrupled, and freights have been reduced fully two-thirds. Before improvement, the entrance to the river was very dangerous.

The plan of improvement, as adopted in 1880 and subsequently modified, is to build two parallel high-tide stone jetties, running out to sea a sufficient distance to open and maintain a channel over the bar with at least eight feet at low water.

The work accomplished up to June 30, 1888, consisted in the building of 1,920 feet of the temporary south jetty. This has since been strengthened and extended in these directions. The appropriations made in five acts amount to \$65,000.

It is estimated that \$94,000 will be required to complete the existing project, and that \$50,000 can be profitably expended during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891.

UMPUQUA RIVER. The mouth of the Umpuqua river is twenty-two miles north of Coos Bay entrance. The only towns on that part of the river which is embraced in the proposed improvement are Scottsburg and Gardiner.

There are large bodies of timber near the waters of this bay which will be taken to market over this bay if it is so improved as to permit lumber carrying vessels to cross with safety.

The Silver Bill. Senator Dolph is justly elated at the support the agreement of the Conference Committee on the Silver Bill is receiving from republican senators, and it is probable that the measure that body will report will become a law.

It requires the Mint to buy, at the market price in gold, 4,500,000 ounces per month, or 54,000,000 ounces per year. It is difficult to state accurately the domestic product of silver; both the Mint reports and other statistical authorities vary widely, but it may be said with safety that if the United States produce over that quantity of silver, the excess is small, and, in an average of years, unless new silver mines are opened, the product will rather fall short of 54,000,000 ounces than exceed that quantity.

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The Harbor at Buenos Ayres. The River Plate, on whose southern bank Buenos Ayres is located, is 100 miles wide at its mouth, and in a good many respects resembles the Mississippi. It is full of shoals, and although its Spanish name, Rio de la Plata, means "river of silver," it might more appropriately be called the river of copper, or still better, the river of red mud, for it is exactly the color of its waters.

There has been considerable discussion among ship captains and owners in San Francisco in regard to dangers to navigation that are now known to be floating around off the coast. Last week the schooner Napa City, captained by Point Reyes and is now drifting around Bottom up somewhere to the southward of the Farallones, right in the track of steamers and sailing vessels bound up the coast or San Francisco.

On Friday last the steamer Coast lost off Mendocino part of a raft of logs she was toying down from Fort Bragg. These logs, like those of the famous Jiggins raft, which broke adrift on the Atlantic Coast, are now floating around a menace to passing vessels. Said one old ship captain: "It is impossible to see an upturned vessel or log in the water at night, and if a vessel going at a good rate of speed should strike a log end on it would probably go right through her."

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Joaquin Miller's Old Age. There was a ripple of surprise manifested when Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, refused to furnish the annual Fourth of July poem for the local committee of San Francisco. People who know the erratic man, however, did not marvel over his refusal, as they have known for a long time that the poet is no longer a public character, the man of the world and the platform speaker of days gone by, but has of recent years developed into a veritable recluse.

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Work begins this month on the new railroad grade through Cow creek canyon. It is said 2500 men will be employed during the summer in grading and building seventeen miles of track and constructing a 350-foot tunnel.

Republicans in the U. S. Senate. A caucus of republican senators to arrange a programme for the disposition of business during the remainder of the session is probable. The real point at issue is whether or not the national election bill shall be considered at this session. It is tacitly understood that if an assurance is given the minority that this measure will not be pushed no factious opposition will be interposed to a speedy disposition of the tariff bill, river and harbor bill and the remaining appropriation bills and an adjournment at an early hour. The caucus is to undertake to decide whether an arrangement of this kind shall be made. Several propositions intended to meet the emergency in case of any gerrymandering have been canvassed. The latest proposition is to proceed under the existing rules to transact such business as the majority may see fit to undertake. When a measure has in the judgement of the majority been debated to a reasonable extent, the senator in charge of the measure is to move an adoption of the report involving the passage of the bill, and without further recognition of the would be speechmakers, the presiding officer is to put the question.

The republican senators were in caucus three hours last week discussing the order of business. The outcome was a decision to conclude consideration of the pending bills and then take up the sundry civil appropriation bill. There was a prolonged debate respecting the places to be assigned, the tariff bill and the river and harbor bill, as well as the expediency of considering the national election bill this session, but no decision reached. It was believed before the matters above referred to are disposed of the democratic policy will be sufficiently revealed to guide the republicans to the formulation of measures to meet the situation. Speeches to-night show there was a decided majority for the Federal election bill, and it is said no one strongly objected to it, but a fairly good number showed a great deal of lukewarmness on the subject.

Col. James Hendershott was in Portland last week, on his way to attend a meeting of the State Horticultural Society at Corvallis. He says such a crop of cereals as will be harvested this year has never been known in Oregon. In Grand Ronde valley especially, the harvest will be very heavy. The apple crop in Grand Ronde will be good, but other fruits will be scarce, owing mainly to over-production last season. Eastern Oregon and Washington had a light harvest last year, and it is pleasing to know that the shortage will be made up to them this year.

The people of McMinnville have subscribed \$1700 for the building of an electric motor line into that city. Paint! Paint! Paint! We have a complete line of all colors and white paint mixed ready for us. These paints are prepared especially for the Oregon climate; they are warranted to be superior to lead and oil or any other paint in point of lustre and durability. It will outwear any paint in the market, and comes cheaper than any paint worthy of the name. You will avoid the annoyance of mixing and getting the shade you want as we have sample cards prepared for representing each color exactly as it will look on buildings. We have also a complete line of staining colors, such as antique oak, ash, walnut, cherry, rosewood and mahogany; hard-oil finish, varnishes, floor paints, copper paint, rubber paint and in fact anything you want to decorate your house, inside or outside, roof or basement, carriage or fence. Send for sample cards to EUGENE O'CONNELL, Marshfield, Oregon.

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