

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

Fine Stationery at Norton's.

Isaac Landrith, Thos. Blaine, J. B. Davis and Ed. Noah, started Wednesday for a hunting trip to the Loon lake country.

Dr. A. B. Prentiss returned Wednesday from a professional visit to Bandon, where he has been rushed with work for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Matson, of Sumner, were among Marshfield visitors Wednesday.

The schooner Maggie C. Russ arrived Wednesday afternoon.

Fine up-to-date Ladies' Shoes just received at Peter Clausen's.

Captain Harris, of Sumner, returned Wednesday from a trip to the Tenmile lakes.

Father Donnelly will hold services in the Catholic church at the usual hours next Sunday and each Sunday until further notice.

Considerable complaint is reaching this office as to the condition of the sidewalks in different parts of town. It is as much as a man's neck is worth to walk over some of them in the night.

One of the latest pattern of logging donkeys was received by the Simpson Lumber Co., for use in their Daniels creek logging camp, by the Arcata.

Mrs. Masters makes a specialty of tailored suits at very reasonable prices.

This office acknowledges the receipt of a five-gallon keg of fine salmon, brook, mountain, speckled and razor back trout from the fighting editor, who is rusticating at Allegany.

W. S. Chandler and party arrived home from their camping trip late Tuesday evening. They report a fine time unmarred by mishaps.

We promise that should you use PUTNAM FADELESS DYES and be dissatisfied from any cause whatever, to refund 10c. for every package.

MONROE DAVIS Co., Unionville, Mo. Sold by John Preuss.

A man should decide whether to make low price or high quality his leading topic of advertising, and should then push on that point so that every one who can possibly get into that store will be reached by the arguments and convinced of the advantage.

The Rogue River tug Katie Cook was launched Tuesday evening from Reed's yard where she has been undergoing repairs. The limited time prevented Captain Reed from doing as thorough a job as he desired, but the boat is in much better shape than when she arrived here. She went down the bay Wednesday afternoon.

Fred K. Hungerford, assistant secretary of the Great Central Land Co., who is making his headquarters at Empire city was in town Wednesday on business. Mr. Hungerford will have charge of the selling branch of the Land Co's business. He has had large experience in this line, having been in the real estate business for a number of years, in Detroit, Mich., Spokane and Portland.

Dazed Deer.

Monday night as the Roseburg stage was coming down the Sumner mountain, this side of the second summit, they ran into two large deer standing in the middle of the road. The animals were probably dazed by the light and stood still until the horses bumped fairly against them. Even then they did not run away. The horses were more frightened than the deer, and the driver had his hands full to prevent a runaway.

Mrs. R. C. Amstein returned Wednesday from a visit to her parents on Tenmile.

E. H. Boyers, of Sumner came down Thursday on a business trip and stayed over night.

Hermann Larsen and his sister, Miss Julia Larsen, started Wednesday for a visit to their claims in the Tioga country.

Miss Stella O'Connell gave a bus ride to the picnic grounds below Empire, Wednesday evening, to about thirty of her friends here and at North Bend.

Henry L. Shattuck of Shellsburg, Iowa, was cured of stomach trouble with which he had been afflicted for years, by four boxes of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He had previously tried many other remedies and a number of physicians without relief. For sale by Jno Preuss.

The schooner Jennie Wand arrived Thursday and docked at the Sengstacken warehouse, bringing feed and cereals for J. W. Flanagan and lime and cement for W. P. Murphy.

R. J. Coke returned home on the stage Wednesday morning from a vacation at Fairview, McKinley and Brewster valley. His family remained out there and will come home a week or so later.

The A. N. W. Club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Albert Matson. They enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon and partook of a delicious lunch. The club meets next with Miss Grace McCormac.

Mrs. Jas. Richmond, of Coos river, was brought down Wednesday, accompanied by Mr. Richmond and their daughter Mrs. Jennie Landrith. She will go to Portland on the Alliance, for medical treatment.

L. K. Nichols, who has been employed in Wm. Nasburg's store, severed his connection therewith on the first of the month.

Nels Rasmussen and G. A. Bennett, and his son Fred returned yesterday, from a couple of days' hunt in the sand hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Coke are out in the Tioga country, looking after their homestead.

John Kronholm, Jr., Ralph Matson and Julius Kruse have returned from an outing of ten days on the Tenmile lakes. They report a fine time, with good fishing and hunting, and they brought back a fat buck as a proof of their prowess.

The best physic—Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Easy to take. Pleasant in effect. For sale by Jno Preuss.

Frank Smith went up Coos river Wednesday to take charge of the hatchery on the south fork. Gus Limmick will serve as his assistant, and they will prepare for the coming run of salmon.

C. W. Hall, of San Francisco, who established a mill at Myrtle Point for cutting hardwood timber, Myrtle, Maple and Ash, has bought 80 acres of such timber in Brewster valley of Mrs. Chloe Laird, agreeing to pay \$1 a thousand stumpage. He intends to put up a portable mill there and haul the lumber out after it is sawed.

Ferry at Coos City.

The county court has made arrangements with Z. T. Siglin to fix up the approaches to the ferry crossing at Coos City, and as soon as the work is completed a cable ferry will be put in by the Watson Brothers. This will be a great convenience to the people living on the wagon road beyond that point, and will incidentally bring considerable travel and trade to Marshfield.

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Brewster valley is alive with camping parties from Douglas county, who are enjoying the mountain air and water, and spending their time fishing and hunting.

Rev. Horstfall returned from Bandon on Friday's train, and will hold services at the Episcopal church next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours.

Geo. K. Hungerford, ass't secretary of the Great Central Land Co., went to Coquille Friday afternoon on business at the court house.

Lafayette Crouch, of May, writes to the Mar as follows: "A letter this morning informs us that our brother Wallis is in Colorado. He left Coos at the age of 19, nearly ten years ago, and has never been heard from till this morning."

Among the instructors at the Teachers' Institute which opens at Myrtle Point Monday and continues until the 7th, will be State Supt. J. H. Ackerman, County Supt. Robinson, of Multnomah county, and Prof. D. A. Groat, of Portland. No teacher should miss the opportunity to hear these leading educators.

Travel by Sea

Arrivals by Arcata, July 29—Capt Ginberg, Mrs Ginberg and child, Mrs. Cowan, Miss Cook, J R Butler, A Stone, J Lucas, Fred Braat, C Brasholm, C Anderson, Capt Hardwick, Miss M Marmelin, H Fruze, Miss M Miller, and 8 in steerage.

Departures by Arcata, July 30:—G Deubner, Mrs Deubner, D Holland, B Moose, Miss Amstein, J R Rush, Miss Hanscom, Miss N Crawford, Mrs Hedrick, Mrs Williams, Miss Keene, Miss M Keene, Miss Nelson, Mr Hall, Mr Crawhurst, E Schetter, J Viader, Mrs Upton, Mrs Reed.

Closing Exercises

The closing exercises of the Bay City school will take place this evening. A fine program will be rendered by the pupils, and the two graduates Miss Kate Stechel and Frank Dillon will be given a good send-off. The term just closed, under the tuition of Miss Marian Reedy has been very successful.

Summer Items.

The young people had a bon fire Wednesday evening which was enjoyed by all.

Our burg was visited by book and picture agents this week.

The people are blessed by hearing the melodious voice of Otis Flitteroft singing "You are my Honey, Honey suckle, I am the Bee" etc., Can you guess why? Blackberries are about gone.

Born

FORSELL—In Marshfield, July 28, 1902, to the wife of Emil Forsell, a daughter.

HONGELL—In West Marshfield, July 28, 1902, to the wife of John Hongell, a daughter.

LONG-LOST TRACY

MAKES A RAID

Holds up a Rancher and Compels Ferryman to Put Him across Columbia

Seattle, Aug. 1—Tracy held up the ferryman at Johnkins ferry at midnight last night. The man refused to take him across the Columbia until daylight, when they crossed, Tracy holding guard over him. An hour before the outlaw held up a rancher 20 miles south of Wenatchee and took \$30 from him.

LAUNCHES COLLIDE

IN LOWER BAY

Fortunate Outcome of What Might Have Been A Serious Accident.

The officers of Blanco Lodge, I. O. O. F. at Empire, were installed Thursday evening by John F. Hall, District Deputy. A party of fifteen went down from here and North Bend in Z. T. Siglin's gasoline launch, and on the return trip they met with an exciting adventure.

A short distance above the stage station they met Wm Gamble's launch pushing a scow, and as the night was dark, they came into collision with the scow. The launch struck the corner of the scow bow on, but a glancing blow. Taylor Siglin and Chas. Stauff were standing on the bow of the launch, and the shock threw them both aboard the scow.

The launch then sheared off and kept on her way, and the plot continued to thicken, for no one left aboard knew how to manage the machinery. The combined efforts of the passengers finally stopped the machinery by shutting off the gasoline, but were not up to starting her again. So Mr Gamble cast off his scow and went in pursuit of the runaway launch.

No serious damage resulted from the collision, but the fact is emphasized that all gasoline launches should comply with the requirements for steamboats in the way of colored lights, at least.

Judge Waite Assumes Office.

New York, Aug. 1—Judge Byron S. Waite of Michigan today assumed the office of president of the Board of General Appraisers to which he was appointed by President Roosevelt. Judge Waite succeeds Charles H. Ham, who resigned recently owing to ill health.

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