

Coast Mail.

MARSHFIELD OREGON

From Sunday's Daily.

The salmon cannery has closed down for the season.

Frank Kelly, who has been employed at the cannery, will take charge of the Gargo tomorrow.

And now the Myrtle Point Enterprise has seen a vision of what is described in the Sun as a "bunch" of "glue," and is reaching for it.

Mrs. E. H. Meyers and Mrs. Frank Black, of Sumner, returned home yesterday, after visiting friends in town over night.

Major Tower was up from Empire yesterday and measured the new schooner Taurus. He found her dimensions to be, length 161.1 ft, beam 40 ft, depth 13 ft. Her tonnage will be about 540 tons.

Cut this out and take it to the Red Cross drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Regular size, 25c per box. For sale by Jno. Preuss.

Eugene Schetter, who came up on the Arcata, was greeting old friends in town yesterday. He will spend some months on the Bay.

Mrs. J. T. McCormac received a letter yesterday from Miss Mary Black, in San Francisco, saying that she had been quite sick at a hospital there, but was now getting better, and expected to make steady progress on the road to complete recovery.

Through inadvertence in our issue of yesterday we mentioned that the hour appointed for the mass meeting of the Marshfield Fire Department to be held at the Engine House Monday evening was 1:30 p.m., when it should have read 7:30 p.m. Officers and members of the department will kindly bear the correct hour in mind.

Engineer Hollenbeck, townsman of the Great Central, who laid off the Bantownsite and has recently been doing the same work on Kinney's addition to Roseburg, is reported married. It seems that about a week ago he eloped with a young lady employee of one of the Roseburg eating houses, and they have gone to live on his claim up in Wacheington.

G. Lavell, a prominent lumberman of Washington, spent several days in town last week looking over the ground with a view of doing some business in this county. He was accompanied by his secretary, C. A. Crawford, and wife, who remained here, while Mr. Lavell went to Roseburg the last of the week en route to Portland to look after business matters there. He has been doing some figuring with parties at this city, but so far there has been no definite arrangements made.—Coquille Herald.

CITIZENS' CAUCUS

MAKES NOMINATIONS

The citizens' caucus last evening made the following nominations of candidates to be voted on at the city election Dec. 2: for recorder, W. H. S. Hyde; for councilmen, S. B. Cathcart, Peter Johnson, Chas. Stauff, J. N. Nelson. Less than a score of citizens were present. E. L. C. Farin presided over the meeting, with great dignity, and E. S. Dow performed the arduous duties of secretary.

Peter Johnson got 13 votes out of a possible 16.

What to do Until The Doctor Arrives

"One of my children was taken with cramp colic and suffered severely," says S. B. Elze, of Monett, Mo. "I telephoned for a doctor, then gave a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and a few minutes later a second dose. Before the doctor came the child was relieved." For sale by Jno. Preuss.

Rusty Mike's Diary Nov. 23, 1902—To lie about your goods is like dying your hair—you can't do it so successfully but that you will be found out.

Charley George added to his popularity with the ladies by his liberal patronage of the Bazaar Friday night, and last night he was observed ordering ice cream enough to fill up a row of grinning arches whom he had marshaled along one side of the hall.

A Liberal Offer

The undersigned will give a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to any one wanting a reliable remedy for disorders of the stomach, biliousness or constipation. This is a new remedy and a good one Jno. Preuss.

Port Orford, Tribune—Timber speculators, cruisers and home-seekers are numerous in Curry county. The woods are full of 'em, and they're still coming. Within another year every available acre of vacant land in the county, possessing any value for either timber or agricultural purposes, will be located. The unsurveyed lands will be located under the homestead laws. Citizens of the county who still have a timber or homestead right should take immediate steps to secure claims, as it will soon be forever too late.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Matt Matson was down from his Catching Slough farm Monday.

E. M. Harry, of Sitkum paid Marshfield a business visit Sunday.

Eighteen men are employed by L. J. Simpson, in overhauling the Porter mill.

Mrs. J. T. McCormac went to Coquille and Myrtle Point Monday, for a few days.

Otto Schetter is expected back today from a brief visit to his home in the green woods of Tioga.

The Coos Bay creamery shipped 120 head of fat hogs on the Empire which came in Saturday.

The Mandalay arrived into the Coquille Sunday, having no trouble in entering the river.

Fred Wilson brought down from Sumner a lot of Thanksgiving turkeys Monday for Kruse & Stauff.

Rusty Mike's Diary, Nov. 25, 1902—Advertising is like driving spikes—you must keep constantly pounding away.

Dr. Prentiss will be out of town from Dec. 1st to 15th. Have your dental work done before he leaves. d-2 w-1-tf.

S. C. Brown, who is working on the addition to the iron foundry, reports that they expect to get it roofed in today.

Among advertising there is no folly like that of buying space simply because "it does not cost much."—Town Topics.

Wm. Bonebrake, who assisted L. D. Smith in driving a band of cattle to Roseburg, returned Saturday, while Mr. Smith went on to Portland with the cattle.

Contractor Small is pushing work on the Belt Line grade in spite of the bad weather. Many men and teams are employed, and they are making the dirt fly whenever it is at all practicable to work out of doors.

How she proves it: "Maggie says she's a daughter of the Revolution." "Can she prove it?" Sure. Her father runs a merry-go-round. —Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Frank Flye returned Saturday from Anacortes, Wash, where he has been superintending a salmon cannery. He reports a poor run of fish, 21,000 cases being packed.

Rain and sweat have no effect on harness treated with EUREKA HARNESS OIL. It restores the damp, keeps the leather soft and pliable, protects from rough surface to chafe and wear. The harness not only keeps looking like new, but wears twice as long by the use of Eureka Harness Oil.

Sold everywhere in cases all sizes. Made by Standard Oil Company.



Fred—"I had a fall last night which rendered me unconscious for several hours." Ed—"You don't mean it? Where did you fall?" Fred—"I fell asleep."—Tit-Bits.

Teacher—"What is an island?" Bright boy (who had been reading the newspapers since Dewey sailed into Manila Bay)—"An island is a body of and entirely surrounded by the United States."—New York Times.

Emil Erickson, of North Bend is having a serious time with one of his fingers, which he lacerated some time ago with a rusty nail. Blood poisoning has set in and the hand is in a bad condition.

A Neat Sum.

The Methodist Ladies Aid Society report that the Bazaar held Friday and Saturday in Lutheran hall netted \$81, after all expenses were paid. The ladies worked hard and their success was well earned.

Hold Onto Your Timber

The Puget Sound Lumberman tells of section of timber land in Washington being recently sold by the state for \$20,000. Yet people are selling good quarter-sections in Coos as low as \$1000, and some for less. It is no wonder that the records of real estate transfers are full of timber land sales.

Committee Appointed.

At the meeting of the fire department last evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the Christmas ball, the following committee was appointed, in whose hands all matters were placed: Aug Farley, representing Engine Co. No. 1; Geo. Ferry, Hose Co. No. 1; John L. Bounds, Hose Co. No. 2; E. L. C. Farin, Hook & Ladder Co.

The Line-up

The line-up of the High School football team for the Thanksgiving game, when they will contest with the Independent team, will be as follows: A. Sleep, C; J. Tower, L. G; R. Tibbets, R. G; B. Dimmick, L. F; S. Marsden, R. F; W. Bennett, L. E; R. Tower, R. E; T. Bennett, Quarter; Full Back, A. Merchant; Left Half Back, A. Campbell; Right Half Back, E. Strange; A. Campbell, Captain of team.

The Christmas Number

A large number of views have recently been taken for our Christmas Number. Mr. Stauff is taking some excellent views for the work. Those who have not yet got their pictures ready had better do so as soon as possible. The first batch will be sent away today to be made. The plates will be first grade halftone work and the edition will be printed on good quality paper, covered with a good substantial cover suitable for the class of work.

Father Donnelly's Success

A letter received by E. O'Connell, from Father Donnelly last week indicated that he was meeting with good success in raising funds for the hospital here. He had secured \$400 in San Francisco with promises of much more.

Miss Phelan had presented him with a check for \$100 without waiting for him to suggest a contribution.

When the letter was written, he was on his way to Los Angeles, where he expected to raise a considerable sum, and was feeling very much encouraged. He is not likely to get home before the last of next week.

The meeting of the city council last evening, to sit as a board of equalization on assessments for the Broadway improvement, failed to materialize for lack of a quorum. Adjournment was taken to 7:30 this evening.

Chas. Jackson has been tearing down the old post house in West Marshfield, having bought it of the Southern Oregon Co., on whose land it was built, and will use the lumber to construct a barn.

Dr. Hornfall, who was called to Bandon Friday night to attend one of his children, who was sick with diphtheria, phoned the MAIL last evening that the child was better, and he expected to reach home today.

A "Mail" Muse

We wish it distinctly understood that the News is not the only paper afflicted with a poetical devil. Here is some verser ground out of our own machine:

See the knockers with their hammers
How they knock, knock, knock,
Beating all the Katsenjammers
On the block, block, block,
As a public exhibition
Of the backwoods style
That can't connect with progress
By a mile, mile, mile,

Is it really any wonder
That the outside world
Thinks we're anchored to the mudflats
With our sails and pennants furled,
Leaking, eaten by teredos
Of our own beloved Bay,
And having no ambition
For a brighter, better day?

And the journalistic yahoos,
With their ink, ink, ink,
Who are trying to stir up a
Senseless—what do you think!
They'll some day wish they never
Had been born, born, born.
They are public benefactors
—In a horn, horn, horn.

But with all the "anti" howling
Of the moss-back crew
New blood is taking hold to see
What enterprise will do
And against the tearful protests
Of the gang, gang, gang,
Old Coos will hit the center
With a bang, bang, bang.

Pain

From Inflammatory Rheumatism Would Have Killed Our Son. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills Saved Him.

"We began to use Dr. Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills six years ago. My wife had liver trouble and a neighbor gave her some of your liver pills to try, after which we bought a bottle of them and my wife used them until cured. Since then I have used them and I must say that I have never used any pills that gave me the satisfaction these have. We also use Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills with greatest satisfaction. Three years ago our son Harry had inflammatory rheumatism. He had suffered so much that I believe if we had not given him Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills which relieved him almost instantly he would have died. I am always glad of the opportunity for praising Dr. Miles' Remedies."—James Evert, Alton, Ills.

"I was afflicted with neuralgia for years and never found any permanent relief till I began using Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills. They are a sure cure for headache and neuralgic pains. Only this morning I recommended them to a friend with a severe headache and in a half hour he came into the store smiling. The headache was gone. We use them in the family and find them excellent for the women folks. This high altitude makes them very nervous. Grandma says I should tell Dr. Miles she could not live here if it were not for the Anti-Pain Pills that she takes occasionally."—L. B. Morris, Helena, Montana.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Sent for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

From Sunday's Daily.

Rogue River a Total Wreck

(Port Orford Tribune)

The river steamer Rogue River is wrecked. In an attempt to reach the Copper mines with an outfit for a steam mill, Captain Burns lost his vessel and the entire cargo, including boiler and engine for the mines and several tons of freight for parties along the river. While making the last rifle, and within one-half mile of their destination, the time with which they were juggling passed, and the steamer, unable to control herself in the raging stream, struck a rock, damaging her wheel and disabling her rudder. Seeing that she was leaking badly, and drifting helplessly down the stream, the crew launched a boat and pulled to shore, while Captain Burns and engineer Jensen remained at their posts until there was no longer any possibility of gaining control of their vessel, when they too deserted her. In a short time she had struck a rock and turned overboard of the woodwork tearing loose and floating down the river. Before leaving the vessel the crew made repeated efforts to snub their boat, but each time the line snapped like a whip-cord. Every means was resorted to to check her but the rushing torrent proved vastly superior to the power of the faithful crew. The mishap is another misfortune for Mr. Burns, but comes as no surprise to the old settlers of the county who have spent years in learning the treachery of that rogue's stream.

Mr. Flanagan Explains.

EDITOR MAIL:

In your issue of the 19th inst, you spoke of the inertia of the Chamber of Commerce and of the necessity of a good live body of that name. Having been been dignified with the title of president of the Coos Bay Chamber of Commerce I deem it but fair to state that that organization, as it now exists, is not as representative as it should be, and consequently not as effective as it might be, in carrying out the work that naturally falls to it, as it would be if backed and supported by a full representation of the business interests of the town.

For the last two years, during which time the \$50,000.00 harbor appropriation was secured, Mr. John S. Coke, Jr. and myself have been the only active members of the organization. When the present Chamber of Commerce was organized a strenuous effort was made to have all the business interests represented, but when the meeting was called to organize less than a dozen business men appeared. Even with this small organization, I think that it will be admitted, that the Coos Bay Chamber of Commerce has succeeded in no small way in securing benefits, in the way of appropriations for the harbor entrance, dredging, range-lights etc., for Coos Bay. But the time is now ripe for a more effective working body which the present organization is ready to make way for, and to which, I might add, its members are willing to lend their support.

JAS. H. FLANAGAN.

A Grand Success.

The Bazaar held in Lutheran hall by the Methodist Ladies' aid society was a grand success. On Friday evening the hall was jammed, and the receipts were something over \$60. Yesterday's report has not been handed in, but the indications were very favorable, and about everything eatable had been devoured when a representative of the MAIL went over last evening and drafted something for the gang.

The ladies were feeling justifiably happy over the success of their labors.

The Last Resort.

A near relation of the late Baron Munchausen on the maternal side, lineally descended from Ananias and Sapphira, was telling a party of friends about traveling a bull buffalo in one of the great trees of California.

"That story lacks likelihood," remarked the man who knows everything, like so many other men. "The buffalo belongs to the ruminant family, has four or five stomachs and walks on hoofs. It has no claws at all and could no more climb a tree than a Jersey cow."

"As a general proposition you are right," said the story teller, with perfectly unflinching alion. "but this case was quite exceptional. We were after the buffalo with four of the most vicious dogs that I ever knew. One was a bear bound, one a great dane, one a poodle, or wolfhound, and the other a registered bulldog, with jaws like wrought iron. Well, they brought the buffalo to bay at the foot of the big tree and pressed him so blamed hard that he just had to climb. That was his only salvation."—New York Times.

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