

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

THE OLD RELIABLE



There is no substitute

From Thursday's Daily.

Fine Stationery at Norton's.

Gow Why is rejoicing greatly at the advent of a son and heir.

Dean & Co's wharf is undergoing repairs at their warehouse.

C. E. Nicholson is carrying his left arm in a sling, that member being disabled by blood poisoning.

The dynamo which L. J. Simpson has purchased of F. M. Friedberg for the enlarged North Bend lighting system, was being taken down on a scow yesterday.

The yawning hole through the Broadway wharf over Mill slough, about which the MAIL was kicking a short time ago, has been covered by Marshal Carter with a good strong plank.

Superintendent Ed Colgan and several assistants were engaged yesterday in raising the wooden water pipe which leads across the marsh to South Marshfield, from its underground location.

Coquille Herald—A telegram was received yesterday to the effect that the steamer Mandalay would not return to the river, The Arago will come here in the future and the Mandalay will come to Crescent City.

The crab harvest in the lower bay is coming on apace, and thousands of the crustaceans are being caught and prepared for shipment. They are cooked by F. H. Barry at his plant in Empire and sent up to the ice plant here, where they are frozen for shipment north.

More Houses

Lumber is being placed on the ground for two more new houses in South Marshfield on the same block on which A. W. Neal's cottage is in course of erection. R. C. Amstein will build one on the side next to the Fourth street bridge, and Jefferson Davis, of Tenmile, will build on the west side of the block, on the site now occupied by the commodious domicile of Lee Bing, the Chinese gardener. The latter is now obliged to move over upon Gow Whys two lots, which will restrict his strawberry operations.

Degree of Honor

The ladies of the Degree of Honor had a busy time Tuesday evening. Four candidates were initiated, and after the business of the lodge was disposed of, the members were treated to delicious refreshments. This was at the hands of Mrs. Weider, who is just retiring from the chair of Chief of Honor, which she has filled most acceptably for the two years past.

This order is enjoying a gratifying growth, and three more members are to be initiated at the next meeting.

Richard D. Earle, formerly a Marshfield boy, died recently at San Pedro, aged 36 years, the cause of death being given as chronic strab.

SOCIAL FESTIVITIES

AT TENMILE LAKE

Arrival of Bride and Groom With Events Preceding and Following

The past few days have been full of great significance to the inhabitants of this community. Rumors have been afloat for some time, but nothing new or uncommon had been visible until last Friday when Chas. T. Johnson the eminent foot racer, dressed in oil skin uniform and mounted on a black steed, arrived on Templeton Broadway and announced the coming of a new bride to the land of Tenmile. After a lapse of 30 minutes, riding a bay and a sorrel came J. S. Roberts and a sister to the groom, another half hour passed when Col. Robert Templeton of New York State marched up with great dignity and after 15 minutes more David Oliver Kinyon, representing United States arrived, solemn and impressive.

At one o'clock a young officer of the O. N. G. Abraham Roberts passed through, with a military air and carrying a double barrel shot gun for the purpose of warding off inquisitive intruders.

Finally at two o'clock the bridal party appeared in a gaily bedecked carriage drawn by Dolly and Blinky, two of the most trusty of the equine family. The vehicle used was of the Bain variety equipped with automatic airbrakes to insure safety of its occupants. It was handsomely painted in red and green colors, beautifully covered with canvas and its running gear artistically decorated with alluvial mud. The rear of the cortege was brought up by Capt. Raymond, United States of America, and the Misses Mills of Marshfield.

The weather was mild and balmy, a slight mist was falling to keep down the dust and make the atmosphere fresh and invigorating. Nature had been generous too in scattering green fir boughs and alder limbs on the highway, interspersed here and there by a larger tree for the amusement of the party. A wood chopper by the wayside had spread his coat, had and a gurney sack on the road and 87 sea gulls came up from the ocean to see what they could see.

So much on Friday. On Saturday evening (and night) one of the greatest social festivities took place that this land of milk, honey and potatoes had ever witnessed. The Templeton opera house had previously been prepared and decorated by the neighboring young ladies. It was a twofold occasion, entering and ushering into the society of 600 by Mrs. Mabel Coleman and the farewell to the Johnson family who are retiring from active business and expect to become residents of the metropolis of Coos Bay shortly.

The young and winsome bride being a picture of grace and loveliness, charmingly attired in a dainty duality was quite overwhelmed by the many expressions of joy and gracious welcome. She comes not however as an entire stranger to us, having for the past year been instructor in one of the local seats of learning.

There were visitors and guests present from all corners of the compass including a bevy of young ladies from the bay, who stepped to the gay music furnished by the Tenmile orchestra, led by Prof. Ohman of North Bend. Refreshments were served at midnight, after which dancing was resumed with renewed energy lasting until the gray dawn was creeping in over the hills in the east. Sunday was spent in peace and rest and by Monday it was all history, things again became normal, roosters crowed and cows were chewing their cud as contentedly as if nothing had happened.

E. J. Price Hurt

Coquille Herald

Ed Price superintendent of the River-ton sawmill, was seriously hurt this morning and had not gained consciousness when his brother, Curtis, came for a physician. It seems as though one of the pulleys in the mill went to pieces and a strap of iron one-half inch in

thickness, four inches wide and about eighteen inches in length, flew with a terrific momentum striking Mr. Price on the neck and shoulder, rendering him entirely unconscious.

MARRIED

DUNGAN-OWEN—At the residence of the bride's mother in Marshfield, Or. Jan. 7, 1903, W. E. Dungan and Miss Carrie Owen, Rev. Wm. Horsfall officiating.

Aid Officers

There was an unusually large attendance of ladies at the Presbyterian Aid Society meeting at the Manse yesterday afternoon. It was an enthusiastic beginning for the new year. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mrs. R. J. Coke; Vice Pres. Mrs. T. Howard; Secretary, Mrs. J. W. Tibbets; Treasurer, Mrs. D. L. Watson.

Capt. Bob Jones has the machinery all aboard of his new dredger, and she lies at the shipyard dock while it is being placed.

From Friday's Daily.

Geo. Crow has accepted the position of night watchman at the Porter mill.

H. Sengstacken has sold his interest in the famous Siglin acre at the head of Mill slough to R. E. Shine, of Empire.

The Arcata will not sail from San Francisco until Saturday and the Empire is laid up for repairs for one month.

R. E. Shine has bought of H. Sengstacken the Thos. Walker place, consisting of 160 acres of land back of Rocky Point.

Jas. Wasson and Ed Smith brought a raft of logs yesterday from Jas. Cowan's South slough camp for the Coos Bay Mill & Lumber Co.

Rusty Mike's Diary, Jan. 3, 1903—Some advertisements will not bring wealth to the man who pays the bills, but it is hard to find a publisher who will refuse them on this account.

Claude Fox, of Coquille, came over on business Wednesday, and returns home today.

Club Election

The Shakespeare club held its regular business meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Edvarda Erickson. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, C. E. Nicholson; Vice President, Miss Edvarda Erickson; Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Nicholson; Treasurer, Miss Mamie Mahoney.

A. N. W. CLUB

The A. N. W. Club met Thursday afternoon, for the first time in the new year at the home of Mrs. Chas. Dungan. All the members of the club were present, as it was the occasion of the annual Christmas exchange.

Much merriment and pleasure prevailed. Mrs. Dungan is a charming hostess and the meeting is recorded as one of the most pleasant the club has ever had. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. X. Hofer.

That Aid Society Again

Our reporter forgot to mention a very important and substantial part of the proceedings at the Presbyterian Manse on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Strange was completely and happily surprised by the refreshments which the ladies brought with them. The ice cream was superb and the cake was delicious. No wonder the ladies all said: "What a good meeting we have had." If they had sent some of that cake down to this office, it wouldn't have been left out.

Dungan-Owen Nuptials.

A very pretty home wedding occurred Wednesday, Jan. 7th at the home of Mrs. Nellie Owen, when her daughter Miss Carrie Owen was united in marriage

to W. E. Dungan.

The decoration of the home was most artistic and elegant, the parlor and reception rooms being in green and white.

Promptly at 8 o'clock to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march softly rendered by Miss Alice McCormac the bridal party entered preceded by Rev. Horsfall. The groom accompanied by Chas. Stauff followed by the bride on the arm of her brother T. L. Owen, paused beneath a canopy of green from which was suspended an immense lovers knot of white satin ribbon. The impressive marriage ceremony was then performed.

The bride was attired in a dainty gown of silver gray crepe de chine, and carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums and maiden hair fern.

After congratulatory the guests, led by the newly married couple repaired to the dining room, where the decorations entirely of red and green caused much favorable comment.

A sumptuous repast was then served during which Chas. W. Paterson as toast master, who proved himself entirely equal to the occasion, called for numerous toasts and appropriate responses were given.

If the old adage proves true Mr. Watson Short will be the next to assume the marriage tie, his slice of the brides cake containing the golden circlet.

At the conclusion of the feast the guests arose and drank each others health and sang "Here's To The Friends We Love."

The remainder of the evening was spent with songs and gaiety.

From the landing of the stairs the bride tossed her bouquet, which was caught by Miss Jottie Watson and Miss Alice McCormac, who equally divided the trophy.

The happy couple were the recipients of many handsome and valuable presents, the bride being a favorite with all, and the groom being one of Marshfield's business men and is well and favorably known.

Only relatives and near friends were present, which included the following Mrs. Nellie Owen, Messrs and Mesdames A. P. Owen, W. H. Short, C. H. Dungan, C. W. Paterson, J. H. Milner, L. M. Noble, Is Lando, Mesdames, E. L. Beesy, A. Hutchinson, Jas. Magee, Annie Lockwood, Misses Agnes Hutchinson, Jottie Watson, Cora Chapman, Alice McCormac, Edna Magee, Messrs, Watson Short, Jas. Watson, Jas. Hutchinson, Chas. Stauff, Billie Smith, E. W. Dean, Lowry Owen, Jarret Owen, Neil and Laura Watson.

From Saturday's Daily.

While people are wallowing in snow at The Dalles and enjoying fine sleighing, we are having fine Spring like weather here on the bay.

Wm. McClure, while at work at the Stave mill Thursday had the misfortune to have a sliver run into his hand. He was obliged to have it cut out. Dr. Horsfall performed the operation. He is laid off until it improves.

The little dressmaker who was walking across a field, on encountering a bull, said: "She guessed she'd better cut bias to avoid a gore."—Bazar.

Dr. J. W. Strange, D. G. M., A. O. U. W. of Myrtle Point came over to install the officers of the Workmen, Thursday night. Incidentally visiting his brother.

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Some business men wonder if advertising pays, while others try advertising and find it does pay all right. It all depends on the advertising, and the man who makes it right makes it pay.

John Thornthwaite has rented the Chas. Swanson place on Daniels creek for the coming year.

Holiday Number

The Holiday number of the COAST MAIL will be out tomorrow morning. If you want any extra copies at 10 cents apiece it will be necessary to get your order in today. None will be sold for less than 15 cents after today.

The small donkey engine in Sengstacken's Pony slough logging camp broke down yesterday, which will cause some delay in operations.

Steve Johnson has purchased a 5 acre farm on Isthmus slough of A. Jewell.

Rusty Mike's Diary, Jan. 10, 1903—Ads and jokes without a point are painful, but the man who perpetrates them is generally the last to find it out.

Strappes—"Five pounds for a bonnet Madam, its a crime!" Mrs. S.—"Well, the crime will be on my own head."—Glasgow Evening Times.

On the shore: "How sweet it would be to live alone with you in yonder lighthouse!" he whispered tenderly. "Yes," she murmured, abstractedly; "and do light housekeeping."—Smart Set.

Realistic music: "Any new features at the musicale?" "Oh, yes, Mr. Brisque sang 'Old Kentucky Home,' with a pistol obligato."—Indianapolis Journal.

Professional advice: Patient—"What would you advise me to do for dyspepsia, doctor?" Dr. DeQuick—"Well, if you want it real bad, hire a cheap cook, and eat irregularly. Two dollars, please."—Chicago News.

Pleasant Party

Mary Geneva Murphy celebrated her fourteenth birthday, on the sixth of January and gave a very nice party. She received many valuable presents from her little friends. The most worthy present was a gold watch and chain from her father. They enjoyed playing and singing until supper then played games until all were satisfied. The guests then departed, wishing her many happy returns of the day.

Returned Thanks

At a mass meeting of the Marshfield Fire Department, held last evening, the following resolution was passed: "RESOLVED: That the Marshfield Fire Department tender a vote of thanks to the persons who donated advertising space, money or patronage for their Christmas ball, and to the Committee of four for their most valuable services."

In From Loon Lake.

C. L. Parker, of Ash Valley, Douglas Co., was in town yesterday, and started on his way home. Mr. Parker is Postmaster at Ash, which is situated in the Loon Lake county, 18 miles from Allegany and on the line of the Allegany-

Elkton road. He is one of the large land holders of that section, having some 600 acres of fine level bottom land. Mr. Parker is much interested in seeing the Allegany-Elkton road put through, but he says there is much strong opposition to it on the part of Scottsburg and Gardiner parties, whose trade and travel would be diverted from their towns by making the cut-off to Elkton, and this accounts for the spathy of the Douglas county court in the matter of making appropriations for the other end of the road.

Mr. Parker contemplates moving to Marshfield with his wife, letting the younger generation take up the burden of life in the back country.

Entirely Recovered

Thanks to Doctors Dow and Nelson our job press has regained its usual state of nimbleness, and jogging along as of old. We are not sure just what cured it.

Dr. Nelson's first prescription seemed to do some good but his advice to let nature take its course thereafter didn't pan out so well. Wednesday evening Doctor Dow brought up several phials of the medicine prepared by the Standard Oil Co. for siling machinery, and he administered several doses with excellent results but not entire recovery.

Next morning Dr. Nelson was again consulted, and he prescribed a strong dose of sulphur in oil, repeated if necessary. This did the business and the cure seems to be complete.

Joint Installation

The A. O. U. W. and the Degree of Honor held a joint installation Thursday night. In the A. O. U. W. the following officers were inducted into their several chairs: P. M. W., A. J. Savage; M. W., W. A. Toye; F., Chas. Stauff; O., G. F. McKnight; R., T. M. Dimmick; F. E. A. Anderson; Receiver, W. B. Curtis; L. W., Alfred Haglund; O. W., V. O. Pratt.

In the D. of H. the following were installed by Dist. Deputy Mrs. Alice McCormac: P. C. of H., Maggie Weider; C. of H., Alice Hall; L. of H., Grace McCormac, C. of C. Laura Escott; R. Fannie Hazard; F. Gertrude Engle; Receiver, V. O. Pratt; Usher, Sarah Wilson; I. W., Mary McKnight; O. W. Wm. Rieckel.

After the installation a pleasant evening was spent in social enjoyment, including a beautiful supper and an informal dance.

Rural Free Delivery

The following Oregon rural free delivery routes will be established February 2: Alluel, one route; area covered, 35 square miles; population to be served, 430. Amity, one route; area, 23 square miles; population, 555. Forest Grove, one route; area, 17 square miles; population, 508. Gaston, one route; area, 29 square miles; population, 700. Irving, one route, area, 21 square miles, population, 475. Oswego, one route; area, 30 square miles; population, 585.

An additional rural free delivery route will be established February 2 at Eugene, Lane County, Or., with one carrier. The route covers an area of 18 square miles, containing a population of 825.

The postoffice at Fairdale, Hopewell and Wheatland are to be discontinued.

At The Churches

CATHOLIC

Services at the Catholic Church, tomorrow at the usual hours.

PRESBYTERIAN

The usual services tomorrow, Sermon subjects "Wireless Telegraphy before Marconi" and "Religious Indifference."

EPISCOPAL

There will be services at the Episcopal Church Sunday, both morning and evening at the usual hours.

BAPTIST

Preaching service 7:30 p. m. Topic "The True Saving faith" Text Gal. 3:6, B. Y. P. S. at 6:30 p. m. Evening service "The Problem of the Drink Evil Solved."

Meat to eat and be relished should not only be sweet juicy and tender but should be properly cooked, in order to retain all the goodness with which God endowed it. At the Broiler you can get such.