

Coast Mail.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

From Sunday's Daily.

Geo Ross was in town from his Catching slough farm, minus his moustache.

John Harding Jr. sold a couple of full-blood fox hound pups, yesterday, to Fred Lillenthal and F. O. Hogan.

The Wall Bros. will open a logging camp on the Crescent Coal Co. property on Isthmus slough.

D. McIntosh is building a new barn on his place near the Coos Bay creamery, which with the additions will be 128 feet in length.

You choose your menu. We'll cook it promptly and serve it as it should be—attractive and palatable and the price will be as low as you can get it done well any where.

Rusty Mike's Diary Jan. 25, 1903—The case with which some freak advertisers create copy is rivaled only by the way the wise-up man who pays the bills takes a fall out of said advertiser.

Puget Sound Lumberman—Uncle Sam kicks hard when a poor cuss is caught stealing a few logs, but when whole townships are taken the conditions are generally different.

Wm. Ward was up to Davis slough this week, looking over the ground with a view to opening a logging camp in the Vernon and Lobree timber, for the Simpson Lumber Co.

For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Price 25 cents. Warranted to cure. For sale by John Preuss.

Bandon Recorder—A young son of William Bates who lives near Marshall & Son's store, slipped an iron band down over his head last Tuesday evening. The band slipped on very easily but resisted all efforts of removal by the same route and had to be cut off.

Professors W. H. Bunch and R. W. Airey of Coquille City are in town awaiting the arrival of the steamer Homer, to meet Charley Bunch, who is returning from a Washington college, having been obliged to give up his studies on account of sickness.

Noah Bonebrake of Wasco was spending several days in Marshfield this week. Mr. Bonebrake has not been in Coos county for 25 years. There has been many changes in Marshfield. Mr. B will remain in the county about a week longer than he will return to his home.

Evergreen Whist Club

The Evergreen Whist club met with Mrs. Milner and the ladies enjoyed a most pleasant afternoon, notwithstanding the stormy weather. Mrs. Friedberg making the largest score was awarded the 1st prize and Mrs. Will Merchant relieved the booby prize.

Lieu Script

(Puget Sound Lumberman)

And now cometh one or more who have laid lieu script on what was fair government timber land and because their patents have not yet been issued(?) and because the September fires have depreciated the value of said timber, therefore Uncle Sam in his liberal ways is petitioned to give back the lieu script and let it be laid on good green timber. Oh, Lieu script, how much is done in thy name!

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. H. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by John Preuss.

Don't Worry

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used. For sale by John Preuss.

Whittier Club

The Marshfield Whittier Club, met Friday evening at the home of Miss Vivian Taylor. The club was organized a week ago with the following officers: President, Jay Tower; Vice Pres., Miss Lettie Larson; Sec., Miss Tossie Twombly; Treasurer, E. A. P. Campbell. The club meets every alternate Friday evening to study the life and works of John G. Whittier. This club consists of Marshfield's young people who are improving their literary tastes.

Bad Cave

The bridge on the hill near W. S. Chandeliers residence caved down yesterday evening, taking the sidewalk, bulkhead and part of the front yard of the Mark's place. The cave was caused by the heavy rains soaking up the ground. Considerable damage is the result. Marshal Carter has put up barricade at each end of the break to prevent people from running into. Also has lanterns hung out to prevent accident.

The bulkhead has slid out and it will take considerable labor to repair the damages.

The Fischer Company

The clerk of the weather certainly had it in for the Fischer Company this week for he has been keeping people at home with a procession of disagreeable evenings, and Saturday afternoon was so bad that the matinee was but slimly attended. Last evening, however the weather was better, and a good turnout was the result. The company go to the Coquille tomorrow, where they will play the towns of that part of the county. The MAIL bespeaks for them a cordial reception.

Case of Small-pox.

On Friday evening Health Officer Minigus had his attention called to a case at the Central hotel, which on investigation proved to be small-pox, of the same type which has become so well-known and little dreaded within the past few years.

The man was at once removed from the hotel to the Flitcroft residence, where he has been isolated in a back room where he will be well taken care of.

All precautions have been and will be taken to prevent the spread of the disease, which, although comparatively harmless, is still to be avoided. If any other cases develop from contact with this one they will be looked out for, and there is no occasion for any such scare as we had last year.

Hi Yu Chuck

The steady rain of the last few days has resulted in a high freshet all over the county.

Coos river is well up, and Capt. Ernst reported from the Steven Rogers place, on the South fork, last evening, that the water was up under Mr. Rogers' house, being higher than for four or five years and within three feet of the big freshet about 10 years ago.

At Allegany yesterday morning the river way away up. The log jam which formed above that point on the subsidence of the last freshet had been broken and more logs had come out from the east fork.

From Brewster valley it was reported yesterday that the water was very high and rising rapidly, and from Fairview Wm. Betty, who has lived there many years, reported that the north fork of the Coquille was higher than he had ever seen it before. This would indicate a big flood on the Coquille.

No damage has yet been reported to this office. It is likely that the mail will be delayed by the flood in Brewster valley, but we may be ecident that contractor Laird will get it through as soon as possible.

From Tuesday's Daily.

Bert. Myers is engineer on the Blanco.

The barometer was extremely low yesterday.

Rusty Mike's Diary, Jan. 26, 1903—A disagreeable merchant can make a store as unpleasant as can a scolding wife a home.

School Superintendent Bunch visited the Empire City school yesterday. He will go up Coos river today and will visit the Daniels creek school tomorrow.

The Matt. is also a sufferer from the flood, as one of our type-setters is storm bound at Coquille City, leaving us short-handed.

Departures by Homer for San Francisco Jan. 26. Mrs. Wm Nasburg, Miss Elsie Bennett, G E Lampton, John W. Proctor, Mrs M E Walling, S Voglin, J. M Rozors, J Sullivan.

Dislocated Her Shoulder

Mrs. Johnson Soderholm, of Fergus Falls, Minn, fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a surgeon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for sprains and soreness, and she asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has since recommended it to many others. For sale by John Preuss.

At last accounts trains were 36 hours late at Roseburg, and the mails from the south were likely to be delayed several days.

The ladies of the Lutheran Church residing at North Bend organized a Ladies' Aid Society at that place on Friday, Jan. 23d to work in conjunction with the society at this place. They meet every Wednesday afternoon at the different homes. The number present was large enough to assure a success for the new society.

Slide at Libby

The slack pile at the Libby mine was undermined by the flood rushing down the gulch and slid down. This dammed the gulch until the water accumulated above and carried out the obstruction, and the result is that the track for some distance is buried and it will take considerable work to dig things out so that the train can again take coal from the bunker at the mine

Good Investment

W. O. Christensen, formerly of the firm of Christensen & Johnson of this city has invested in real estate in Salem and will build a modern 2 story brick block in the near future. Mr. Christensen paid \$3500 for 50x166 foot lot on the corner of Liberty & State street. This property has been covered by wooden buildings occupied by Chinese and was condemned last week by the authorities of Salem. This is one of the best locations on State street, and a very desirable corner for any business house.

Good Boy Jimmy

No mail arrived Sunday, on account of high water out along the road, but both mails were brought through yesterday. Much credit is due contractor J. D. Laird and his men for their energetic action in bringing the mails through with so little delay under such adverse circumstances. The people of the bay have had so much experience with rotten service, that they should not forget to appreciate the efforts of the present contractors to bring the mail through on time in perfect condition.



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Improvements on Alliance

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Oil fuel installed; bow raised increasing cargo space 75 to 100 tons; larger and better stowage; iced storage room; large smoking room and several passenger rooms on upper deck; new social hall on main passenger deck; new twin rapid winches forward of main hatch for quick handling of cargo; recaulking and painting and general renovating, making her one of the best freight and passenger boats on the Coast.

The Empire Masquerade

The masquerade ball given by Ernest Stauff at Empire, Saturday night, was well attended in spite of the bad weather, about 100 couples being in attendance, and an excellent time is reported. The first prize, for gentlemen for best sustained character was taken by Mrs. Anton Anderson who represented Si Slocum on his wedding tour, being accompanied by Miss Fannie Getty, as the bride. The first prize for ladies was awarded to Miss Anna Wickman, who appeared as Mrs. Katzenjammer. A fine midnight supper was served at the Arago Hotel, after which the festivities were prolonged until morning. Mr. Stauff always makes a success of his entertainments and dances and this was no exception to the rule.

ED. WHITE ESCAPES FROM THE PENITENTIARY He Was Serving a 15 Years Sentence--Was a Trusty-- Reward Offered

E. J. White, a trusty of the State Penitentiary, made his escape from that institution, at about 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

White had for some time been acting in the capacity of assistant druggist at the prison and each afternoon was allowed to go out for a walk. He went out Wednesday afternoon, as usual, and when the time came for his return, he failed to put in an appearance and a search disclosed the fact that he had eloped. White was serving a 15-year sentence for burglary, having been convicted and sent from Coos county in 1899 on a charge of burglary. He was a quiet, orderly fellow, and a general favorite among the officers and employes, and his escape is a matter of surprise to all. He has been employed in the prison the greater part of the fall and, as he was very attentive to the sick, made many friends who will no doubt regret his sudden leave-taking.

Descriptions of the prisoner have been sent out to points throughout this part of the state, offering a reward of \$100 for his retention, and the chances are that he will be captured before he gets far away.

Mr. White will be remembered here as one of the men who cracked open N. Lorenz's safe five years ago.

Like Old Times

Travel to the Coquille is getting back to first principles. Go by launch to the head of Isthmus slough, walk over to Coaledo and embark in a small boat down Beaver slough. This is not all the way back, for you don't have to pile out and haul your boat over the beaver dams, but it brings back the odor of old times when two days were spilled in the journey from Marshfield to Coquille City.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg Oregon, Jan. 19--1903
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

RICHARD J. COKE, of Marshfield, county of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4324, for the purchase of the Lot 8 and E1 2 of SE1-4 Section 27 and NW1-4 of SW1-4 of Section No. 26 in Township No. 21 S, Range No. 11 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon at Marshfield Oregon, on Monday, the 30th day of March, 1903.

He names as witnesses: A A Anderson, Allegany, Or., F A Kelly, Marshfield, Or., Fred Nech, Allegany, Or., Silas Noah, Marshfield, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 30th day of Mar. 1903.

J. T. BARROWS, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878, NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Jan. 5, 1903
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

WILLIAM McFARVEN, of Marshfield, county of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4249, for the purchase of the Southeast quarter, of Section No. 4 in Township No. 27 N, Range No. 11 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon at Marshfield, Oregon, on Saturday, the 21st day of March, 1903.

He names as witnesses: W H Morgan, of Marshfield, Or., F H Taylor, E. Whitley, Lee Neely, of Fairview, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of March, 1903.

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