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PERSONAL AND LOCAL

From Thursday's Daily.

J. D. Magee, of Tenmile, was in town yesterday.

C. P. Coleman, of Templeton, visited Marshfield yesterday.

Wm. Turpin was seen on the streets of Marshfield yesterday.

Chas. H. Codding, of Empire, was a business visitor yesterday.

Arthur Kentz, of Coquille, had business in town yesterday afternoon.

L. H. Heisner has his woodcutting machine at his livery barn for repairs.

Mrs. Geo. Thomason of north fork of Coos river was shopping in town yesterday.

Chas. Shepard, of Myrtle Point, was one of Marshfield's business visitors yesterday.

E. H. Hunter, of Denver, Col., is visiting his brother, Wm. Hunter, at Marshfield.

W. T. Kerr, manager of F. F. & L. Co., of Coquille, was in town yesterday on business.

The steam schooner, Signal of San Francisco, is at the Beaver Hill bunkers taking a cargo of coal.

Miss Gussie Brown is expected home today from Coquille where she has been visiting friends and relations.

The James A. Garfield was towed to sea last evening. The Garfield took on a load of lumber at the railroad wharf.

The tug, Columbia, brought in the three masted schooner, Guide, of San Francisco, yesterday afternoon after a cargo of lumber.

No Pity Shown

"For years fate was after me continuously" writes F. A. Grilledge, Terbens, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for Burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Red Cross Drug Store.

J. E. Fitzgerald the well known rancher tells us that the apple and pear crop this year is going to be larger and better than last year.

G. Scoot and C. J. Morris, both of Walla Walla Wash., arrived in town yesterday on the stage from Roseburg. They may locate here.

Sam Goldsmith, of Portland, representing C. Gotzian & Co. St. Paul and Portland, is in town to look after the boot and shoe trade of the Bay.

Marshfield's new pitcher Frank Druhot formerly of the Roseburg team arrived yesterday. He has a good record from the Roseburg team.

The MAIL is in receipt of a communication from Father Donnelly giving a statement of the Hospital matter. It will appear in tomorrow's paper.

Mrs. W. J. Woolsey is suffering from a painful bruise on the face which she received from a fall on the side walk near Nasburg's Clothing store last Monday afternoon.

The Captains of the gasoline launches reported that the waves were higher in the lower bay Tuesday, than any day since April. Passengers on the Arcata also report a rough voyage.

Dave Holden, the Drain stage driver, on the beach caught a Chinese mackerel yesterday while driving along the beach. This species of fish is seldom seen on this side of the Pacific.

The Marshfield ball team arrived home yesterday from their vacation, much refreshed. It is now expected that they will chew Bandon up in good style in the game here Sunday. This game promises to be the best in the League series.

The Garfield Cafe had its opening Wednesday and it is pronounced by those who partook as an up-to-date eating house, and from the large number who enjoyed the opening meal it would seem satisfactory to the proprietors and the public as well.

Working Night and Day

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box, at the Red Cross Drug Store.

Contracts Awarded

Contracts for the construction of the Mill slough bridge has been awarded to A. W. Neal, he being the lowest bidder, at \$193. He also gets the contract for putting in crossings on A and First Sts. at \$16.00 per thousand feet of lumber used. The town furnishes the lumber for both sides.

Noble and McLane got the job of taking up the planking and grading A St. at 43 cents per lineal foot.

Thrilling Adventure

Four young boys of Marshfield had a Roixotic experience on the old Forty place across coal bank slough yesterday. While attempting to fill their pails with luscious blackberries, they were suddenly and fiercely attacked by a lady who held a savage looking knife in her hands. The young men were told to vamoose, and if they attempted to pick berries there again, they would forthwith be made into Hamburg steak.

Disciples of Isaac Walton

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Magnes, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Matson, Miss McFarlin, Miss Sadie Kruse and Wallie McFarland, who have been camping at Ten mile returned yesterday afternoon with Mr. Magnes' large fish in tow of the gasoline launch, having been brought down the beach with several farm wagons. We congratulate Mr. Magnes on his ability as a fisherman and would give the weight of the fish but it hasn't been weighed yet.

Travel by Sea

Arrivals by Arcata, July 14—Miss E. Graham, Miss E. McAllox, R. Johnson, Miss R. L. Johnson, F. L. Gray, R. D. Hume, C. W. Cross, Miss C. W. Cross, C. Volkman, Miss Cochran, Miss Dorn, Miss Borgerson, P. H. Feeley, J. P. Butler, A. J. Low, Capt. Nygard, R. H. Hunter, J. A. Brookings, G. Davis, nine second class.

Departures by Arcata, July 15—Miss McCormac, Mrs. Noah, Miss Nelson, E. Gundelfinger, Miss Ruby Grills, Miss Bertha Grills, Mary Murphy, V. J. Glenn, C. M. Glenn, C. Shepard, A. C. Kurts, J. Morris, Hazel Colstrup, Emma Rowarden, Mrs. E. W. Jensen, Mrs. Jensen Sr.

From Friday's Daily.

Mr. and Mrs. Snow of McKinley came in from Sumner Thursday to go on the Alliance to their old home at Orange county California.

Mrs. Wilson, of South Marshfield, is quite sick.

Miss Sadie Kruse went over yesterday to visit the Misses Reedy.

A. C. Hartle, of Myrtle Point, was a business visitor in Marshfield yesterday.

James Wall of Isthmas slough is seriously ill at home from a slight paralytic stroke.

Andrew Wickman, one of Marshfield's hustling grocery men was in Empire Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dungan went to their farm on Coos river for a few days recreation.

Joe Yonkem was down from Coos river yesterday, trying to trade hats with some one.

A. E. Seamen is giving his house, corner of Broadway and C streets, a new coat of paint.

Mrs. H. E. Wilcox and two children came in yesterday from McKinley on their way to southern California to visit.

Van Houten's wood cutting machine was much in evidence on Front street yesterday, sawing several cords of wood at different places.

The A. N. W. club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. F. X. Hofer. The club will meet next with Mrs. Hofer, who entertains the club in the absence of Mrs. Lando who will be in San Francisco.

Fritz Timmerman's new gasoline launch is now finished and complete. It is one of the handsomest launches on the bay, and it is expected to be one of the fastest. Mr. Timmerman says his boat will be rentable by the public commencing next Sunday.

What might have resulted in a serious accident occurred Wednesday night near Anderson's livery stable. A man partially under the influence of liquor was trying to ride a horseback, and with nothing but a halter to hold the steed. The horse started to run away and the man trying to check his speed fell off lighting on his head and shoulders bruising him up some but aside from that he was unhurt.

Dramatic Club Organized

At a meeting held at the residence of J. W. Bennett Wednesday evening a dramatic club was organized, bearing the name of the Coos County Dramatic club.

Those present at the meeting were, W. E. Dungan, V. O. Pratt, Henry Reed, E. A. Keane, E. B. Seabrook, Miss Alice Butler, Miss Elsie Bennett, Mrs. M. Maesters and Mrs. Van Houten.

Officers for the club were elected as follows: W. E. Dungan business manager; E. A. Keane stage manager; Alice Butler secretary; Elsie Bennett, treasurer; Henry Reed, property man.

Another meeting will be held next Monday evening, and the membership of the club is expected to be increased. There is much good dramatic talent on the Bay, and the organization of this club is a step in the right direction.

Night Was Her Terror

"I would cough nearly all night long" writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 28 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Red Cross Drug Store.

A Statement

For nearly two years I have, at the solicitation of citizens in Marshfield and on the Bay, made an earnest effort to establish a hospital for this section. At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce I agreed to try and locate such an institution here on condition that we could raise three thousand dollars in this im-

mediate vicinity.

Appeals have been made personally and through the press to secure this amount, but up to the present I have succeeded in securing only \$1855.00 in cash from Marshfield and immediate vicinity. I feel that I have done all in my power to make this proposition a success. I canvassed the business and professional interests as thoroughly as possible, but found it impossible, to raise the required amount. I owe it to those, who manifested their interest and generosity in this matter, to make this statement. I do not assume the right to condemn those who saw fit to refuse aid in the realization of this institution. Some thought it unnecessary, others thought it good, but could not help. It would have been a great pleasure to me to have been in a position to carry out our original intention, and if I am compelled to do otherwise I claim that it is no fault of mine. I recognize the right of those on the Bay, who have subscribed, to object to a change of program as far as their subscription is concerned, and I will cheerfully refund their subscriptions when desired. My intentions are still to try and build a hospital for this section of Oregon and of course, from the reasons stated I feel justified in placing it where the best inducements are offered, and offered at my solicitation. EDW. DONNELLY.

JUDGE WITH THE WISDOM OF SOLOMON

Money Taken in War Considered Legitimate

Salem Journal

The town of Stayton came very near being the scene of a bloody row the other day, when Spalding's logging crew struck the town. The men had plenty of money imbibed too freely, and a number of fights took place. One logger had another down, and gave him a beautiful pair of black eyes. While he was mauling him in the face the man underneath went through his assailant's pockets and got all the money he had, a considerable sum. When he had the money he yelled enough, and got up and treated the crowd, including his assailant. His honor, W. H. Queener, the city magistrate, would not entertain an action to recover the money, taking the position that the man had a right to search his assailant for dangerous weapons, and remove them from his person, and while he had none, the money might be used to purchase some, and he could have done him great bodily harm. He also held that money taken in the course of a fight was not stolen, and could be recovered only in the manner in which it was taken. There was more sense in that decision than in some of the decisions of the higher courts, and the whole logging crew sustained the Hon. Bill's decision.

SURVEYORS AT WORK TOWARD THE COAST

Southern Pacific Engineers Running A Line from Drain to Gardiner

(Portland Journal)

According to advices brought to this city by resident of Drain, Or., Southern Pacific engineers are at work surveying a line from that town toward the coast, a camp has been established and the railroad has shipped in supplies necessary for a large surveying party. The proposed line of the engineers is west along Elk Creek and thence down the Umpqua Valley to Gardiner, near the coast. A force of 20 men is at work, and Saturday the chief engineer was making inquiries in Drain for more help.

Just what the Southern Pacific intends to do in regard to the construction of a branch road from Drain is not known at the present time.

R. Koehler, manager of the Southern Pacific for Oregon, when asked regarding the presence of surveyors at Drain, said:

"All I know is that the engineers are at work surveying a line westward from Drain. But that is all I know about the matter. I do not know what they intend to do. In fact I would like to have a little information in regard to the matter, myself."

Brutally Tortured

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equalled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Cal., writes. "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from Rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for Liver and Kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by Red Cross Drug Store.

The Hospital Matter.

In another column will be found a statement from Rev. Edw. Donnelly touching the matter of the new hospital which he has been trying to make arrangements to build in Marshfield.

It is greatly to be regretted that the required sum of \$3000 was not raised here, so that the hospital would be a Marshfield institution. It is one of Marshfield's peculiarities that while very liberal in the matter of raising money for any thing that strikes her fancy right, she some times balks in the most unaccountable way, when self-interest would seem to dictate a more liberal spirit. This has occurred in the past, and industries have gone elsewhere which would have been of permanent benefit to the town.

From Saturday's Daily.

The Alliance sails this afternoon at three o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. Cook of Empire were in town yesterday, visiting friends.

Al Gee, of North Coos river, came to town Friday for medical treatment.

The tug, Blanco, is again running between Marshfield and Empire.

Workmen are now tearing up the planking preparatory to grading A. St.

Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Birch returned home from Tenmile after a few days visit with friends.

F. R. Taylor, was down yesterday from his ranch on the North fork of the Coquille.

Deputy Sheriff Ed Gallier drove over from the county seat yesterday on official business.

W. O. Williams has been relaying the sidewalk in front of his property on First street.

Chas. Doane has moved into the new house which he recently completed on his Catching slough place.

S. Sleep, of Libby, is getting lumber on his lot in South Marshfield preparatory to erect a residence.

Elder Neff will hold quarterly meetings at Mosher chapel on Coos River at 2 p. m. today and Sunday at 11 a. m.

P. Peterson of Allegany was a business visitor yesterday, taking one of J. H. Milner's wagon's home with him.

Miss Rosa Harris, daughter of Capt. Harris, of Sumner, made a brief visit with friends in Marshfield yesterday.

Miss Ada and Delia Chapman have returned from their visit in Sumner with Capt. Harris and family yesterday.

The following party went up Isthmas slough Friday morning after blackberries, Messdames W. P. Murphy, J. H. Taylor, P. M. Wilbur and J. H. Rochon. The party went via Taylor Sigfau's launch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Denning returned on the Alliance from a two months visit in Portland and Vancouver. Mr. Denning has accepted a position as engineer at the government works at Vancouver where he will go in the course of 90 days, during which time he will arrange business matters here when he will return with his family to Vancouver.

Today is a day memorable in the history of France, witnessing the crowning in 1488 of Charles VII, at Rheims, as king, after years of humiliation under the English, a power overthrown by the work of a peasant girl, Joan of Arc, o Joanne la Pucelle—Jeanne the Maid, She was the daughter of a laborer by the name of d'Arc, and early in life claimed to have visions, finally announcing that she had been directed by St. Michael the Archangel to save France from outside control. She aroused great enthusiasm, and accomplished her purpose, but her own people showed ingratitude by allowing her to be burned as a witch. Birthday, in 1745, of Timothy Pickering, American statesman; of John Jacob Astor, in 1763, in Germany, founder of the Astor family in America; of Martin F. Tupper, in 1810, English poet.

Presbyterian Church

Sabbath school 10 a. m. young peoples meeting at 7 p. m. Sermon subjects at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. An admirable Life and the General Assembly and Church Union.

Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. Topic The Source of Spiritual power. Eph. 3:20. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Topic Why Men are not Saved. Thursday's prayer meeting at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

DIED

WOOLIEVER—In Marshfield, Or., July 14, 1903, Margarita M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wooliever, aged 10 months and 22 days, of pneumonia. The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. today (Thursday) from the Catholic church in South Marshfield.

PIERCE—At Marshfield, Or., July 17, 1903, John Pierce, aged 63 years, of paralysis.

John Pierce was born in Washington county, Maine, April 8, 1840. He came to the Pacific coast at the age of 22, and engaged in logging operations on Puget Sound. He first came to Coos Bay about 1867, and worked in the woods here, driving team. Then he went back to the state of Maine, but later returned to this Coast. In 1871 he was married, in Del Norte Co., Cal., to Miss Ora Moorhead, who survives him. They came back to Coos about 1877, and here Mr. Pierce followed his vocation of ox-teamster for many years, being known as the best teamster ever in this section. He also engaged in logging on his own account. In the early '80's he took up a piece of land on the North fork of the Coquille river, where he made a home for many years. For several years past Mr. Pierce has followed the business of timber cruiser and locator. On Jan. 17 he suffered a severe stroke of paralysis, from which he never recovered, and although he made a noble fight for life it was without avail. Deceased was a member of the G. A. R. having served 21 months in the Union army during the war of the rebellion. Eight children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, of whom two, Katie and Jesse are buried on the Coquille. Two sons and four daughters are living: Emmott and Frank Pierce and Mrs. Josie Houser, of this county; Mrs. Eva McCready, Mrs. Edna Duckett and Miss Bertha Pierce, of Humboldt Co., Cal.

The funeral will take place at 2 p. m. today, from the residence of Mrs. John Bazzell, services being conducted at the grave by Rev. F. G. Strange.