

THE OLD RELIABLE



PERSONAL AND LOCAL

From Thursday's Daily.

W. R. Simpson was up from North Bend last evening.

Chas. George's store is being improved by a new coat of paint.

Dr. Horsfall has harvested the crop of potato tops on his lawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawes are visiting at the Smith place on Coos River.

The Alliance is advertised to sail for Portland Saturday afternoon.

J. N. Geal, of Portland, is visiting with J. W. Bennett for a few days.

Carpenters are at work on the I. O. O. F. building painting and repairing.

The Czarina came in yesterday with a load of freight from San Francisco.

Abe Tenbrook is at the Coos river quarry getting out rock for cemetery work.

A scow is in course of construction at the Holland Bros. ship yards, for the Captain of the Rosebud.

Working Night and Day

The busiest and noisiest 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.

John Hall and family are camped at the Coos Bay Stone and Marble Co's quarry for several weeks outing.

Winner, the ice cream man, remembered the printer last night with some of the most delicious ice cream.

Noble Bros. Addition on the rear of their market is nearly enclosed and will soon be ready for occupancy.

Dr. Eaton and sons, Bin and Harrie, left yesterday for a few days visit to their ranch near Roseburg.

J. W. Bennett and J. N. Geal, of Portland, are on a hunting and fishing trip to the Tenmile lakes for a few days.

A large wind mill has just been erected at the stage landing in the lower bay, to supply the people there with water.

Missdames Friedberg, Phelan, Williams and Kruse, went up Isthmus slough yesterday via Siglin's launch black-berrying.

An article of much interest to the Marshfield Tennis club will be found in Pearson's Magazine on "How to improve your game of Lawn Tennis."

Robt. Ahr, the travelling tinsmith was towed down to the lower bay yesterday by the steamer Flyer, where he will finish the work undertaken on his Coos Bay trip.

The gasoline launch, Gasco, is on the dry dock for a few days repair work on engine and propeller, the latter being

broken Monday morning and the former needing a general cleaning.

No Pity Shown

"For years fate was after me continuously" writes F. A. Gulliedge, 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.

Launch by Moonlight

A party of Marshfield's young people treated themselves to a launch ride to the sandhills in the lower bay last night.

They were chaperoned by Messrs. Wilbur and Hazard, who looked after the decorum of the youngsters. A bonfire picnic lunch was served and a glorious time was had.

Max Timmermans new launch "Comet" took the party. Captain Max is one of the safe navigators on the bay and is much sought after by evening parties. Singing, playing, climbing hazelnut bushes and sliding down sand dunes are some of the sports indulged in. The party consisted of:

Alice McCormac, Clara Johnson Millie Johnson, Addie Anderson, Edith Strang, Nellie Tower, Vivian Taylor, Jean McClure, Genevieve Sengstacken, Stella Gulovren, Mary Minott, May and Cathlene Bennett, Miss Grissen, Della Chapman.

Messrs Edgar Campbell, Russ Tower, Dan Keating, Jay Tower, Al Sleep, Albert Campbell, Willie Bennett, Walter Butler, Tom Bennett, Julius Egenhoff, Fred Hofer, Claud Brown, Bert Dimmick, Henry Hagelstein

From Friday's Daily.

L. H. Wolf of Bandon was a business visitor in Marshfield yesterday.

The tug Hunter, from the Umpqua, came in last night.

The Arcata arrived yesterday and will sail at 9 a. m. today for San Francisco.

The A. N. W. Club meets with Mrs. James Rolandson, South Marshfield, on Thursday afternoon, July 30th.

The steam schooner Acme came in from Siuslaw yesterday morning to finish her cargo of lumber at the C. B. M. & L. Co's mill.

Mrs. W. J. Butler and son enjoyed a days outing up Isthmus slough and incidently piteked blackberries for which the slough is getting famous.

The MAIL isn't much of a knocker, but it really seems as though whoever has charge of the weather department might turn out a better article for the haying season.

The tug Columbia took the three masted schooner Guide in tow this morning which was bound for San Pedro. The Guide had a cargo of lumber from the Coquille mill.

The U. S. Light house tender Heather came up the bay to Marshfield yesterday after provisions and meats. After the work at the Argo light is finished she will go to the Columbia river lights.

The Coos Bay Creamery is making preparations to put an ice plant of about two tons capacity, at the creamery, and expect to have it in operation soon after the first of August, the machinery having already been ordered.

The people who happened to be on the street at the time were highly amused by the free exhibition of a one wheeled trick bicycle ride, which was made by Arnold Bushnel, son of Mr. Bushnel, of Marsden's Brewery.

E. C. Pentland, of the Oregonian, who has been looking up the number of gasoline launches on the bay, stated that there are now at least 44, and the investment of capital represented is over \$50,000.

Passengers on Arcata, South

Following is the outgoing list on the Arcata, July 24:—Miss Gerard, Mrs Mirrasoul, Mrs Fergus, Mrs T J Fergus, L. Warness, J. Procter, T. J. Fergus, W. R. Curson, Mrs Curson, Lottie Fergus, Miss Cochon, P. J. Johnson and wife, W. S. Sloan, Mayor Crow, Edgar J. Farrow, M. Jacobs, Mrs C. H. Sargeant, A. B. Sargeant, J. J. Sargeant, Miss M. Wilkey, Lulu Perry, Irene Smith, Edith Masters, A. Rollin, Wm. Cooney, Urmie Hooper, Elsie Linden, W. A. Sorten, Jno McKnif, O. Magimas, Frank Mana.

A Fine Launch

O. B. Hensdale, manager for the Gardiner Lumber Co. at Gardiner, was in town yesterday on business. Mr. Hensdale is the owner of the fine pleasure launch, which is being built at the Holland ship yard. This launch is to be the finest that has ever been built in Marshfield. It's speed will be between 10 and 12 knots an hour, having a fine 16 horse power Union gasoline engine, for its power. The launch cabin is finished in oak and the ceiling is in beautiful panel work. The floor is to be covered with beautiful carpet manufactured especially for this launch. When it is finished it will be one of the finest on the coast. It will be launched in about two weeks.

Death Claims Another Patriarch

The venerable James Wall died Tuesday afternoon, at his residence on Isthmus slough. The cause of his death was a stroke of paralysis which occurred on the 18th ult, and from which he never rallied.

He was born in county Kilkenny, Ireland, about eighty years ago, and when quite a young man, entered the British Service, in which he spent seven years in the East Indies, and, while there learned the language of the natives. Emigrating to this country previous to the rebellion, he became connected with the Commissary department during the war. He came to Oregon and settled on Isthmus slough in 1870, where he has since resided. He leaves a wife and two sons and four grandchildren to mourn his loss. His memory will be fondly cherished by his many friends, and his kindly presence will be missed on our streets. Having passed the allotted age in a peaceful, contented, honest life, during which he labored manfully for competence and advancement, we may well say: "He has fought the good fight, he has run his course" and we may well hope that he is now enjoying the honor and glory which his many merits so richly deserve.

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made the Empire run in the Flyer's place. A new life boat is expected for the Flyer in a few days.

Sheriff Steve Gallier drove over from the county seat yesterday with his cousin, Mrs. Fred Knight, of Aurora, Ill., who is making a visit to this section in company with her daughter and Mrs. John Bryden, her friend.

The Czarina while coming up the bay the last time lost two blades of her propeller, which were broken off probably by striking a log. She will have to make her down trip with the other two blades, as there are no dry dock facilities large enough for her repairs.

Brutally Tortured

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. 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.

Bandon's new opera house is highly spoken of by the Margarita Fisher Co., as an up-to-date little play-house, with every thing clean and well arranged, and lacking only electric lights, with which the city by the sea has not yet been supplied.

Presbyterian Church

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Public work at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Young peoples meeting at 7 p. m. Sermon Subjects: "The Highest Education" and "The General Assembly and Creed Revision."

Fatal Shooting Accident

(Port Orford Tribune)

Word has just been received here of the accidental shooting of Dr. Cooper while hunting near Chetco river. The fatal shot was fired by a companion. The Doctor was shot through the breast and died in a few hours.

Baptist Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m., preaching service at 11 a. m. Neutrality impossible. Text Luke 11:23. "He That is not With me is Against me." B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Evening service at 8 p. m. Topic The Coming King. Text—Math, 24:3 What shall be the signs of the Coming and of the end of the world. Thursday's prayer meeting at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

Katzenjammers vs Libby Blues

A ball game will be played Sunday morning commencing at 9:50 o'clock between the Libby Blues and the Katzenjammer Kids, of Marshfield at the Recreation grounds. Both teams expect to win. The boys are in good trim practicing every day. Those who attend the game can expect ball, as there is great rivalry between the two clubs.

Musical Program Tonight

The following is the musical program to be played by the Fischer Orchestra tonight:

- 1—Overture, "Gay Bohemia"
- 2—Intermezzo, "An Arabian Schou"
- 3—March, "United Emblem."
- 4—Intermezzo, "Bird of Paradise"
- 5—March, Selected
- 6—Overture Schloepzroll

Force of Habit

An inebriated individual was observed to walk up to the U. S. mail box in front of Magnes & Matson's store last evening. He opened the letter trap and dropped in a nickel, then craned the trap and waited for results. As nothing seemed to come he stooped down and looked the machine all over, then reached for another nickel, but some one across the street commenced guffing him, and he jumped the game.

State and General

John Hanahan, a miner employed at the Gold Bug-Grisly mine, was severely injured Friday while preparing a blast. He was drilling a hole when the drill point came in contact with a charge put in on a former occasion, but had missed fire and was overlooked. Hanahan, utterly unconscious of his danger received the force of the explosion in his shoulders and face. Fortunately he was not blinded, but his features were badly bruised and disfigured and his right hand injured by the drill being forced through it.

The State Board of, Portage Railway Commissioners, composed of Governor Chamberlain, Secretary of State Dunbar and State Treasurer Moore, will receive the report of Engineer A. E. Hammond concerning his preliminary survey of the proposed route of the road. The Board is desirous of pushing the work as rapidly as possible, and unless there are matters intervening that will make delay necessary they will probably determine upon a course and direct the engineer or some one else representing the board to proceed to secure the necessary right of way.

The politicians of Aumsville, Ohio, learned that it does not pay to indulge in practical jokes in the election of Mayor. They tried it, and as a result the town has for Mayor a man who was known as a tramp, who has served time in the Cincinnati workhouse. It was all a joke, but it has become a stern reality since Governor Nash has refused to exercise his power under the new municipal act and set aside the election, leaving Mayor Clark in possession of the office.

Thursday three masked men held up Captain Myrick, of the Connor Creek mine, on Snake River, 18 miles from Huntington, and at the point of a pistol compelled him to open his office safe. The current cleanup in gold bullion, valued at approximately \$10,000, and a number of valuable ore specimens, as well as a considerable sum in cash, were taken. Deputy Sheriff John F. Hannon, of Huntington, is in pursuit of the robbers with a posse, but so far absolutely no trace of them has been found. Captain Myrick believes that he recognized one of the robbers as a prospector who has been hanging around the mine for a week.

The Fischer Company

Those who like to have their feelings harrowed had an excellent chance to do so last evening by attending the performance of East Lynne, by the Fischer Company, and many took advantage of the opportunity.

This most exasperating of all dramas was well presented by the troupe, which

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has been strengthened since it gave the same play here last Fall. Miss Fischer, as Lady Isabel made one wish that she might escape the the bitter consequences of her own indiscretion, wails J. B. McCowell made a sufficiently villainous Sir Francis Levison, and Wm. Winterhall carried off the doubtful honors of Sir Archibald's part in good shape.

Tonight, the farewell performance of the Fischer company will be "The Firemen's Ward," a comedy drama in four acts, with a realistic fire scene in the last act. The play is built on the story of a waif who is adopted by a Fire Company and becomes the ward of the company, grows up and eventually marries the Chief. The central male character of the play is the Irishman, Dennis Flanagan, played by Wm. J. McBride, who is imitable in such a part. The play abounds in comedy and specialties and is guaranteed to bring laughter in unlimited quantities.

Teachers Examination

The regular examination of applicants for State and County papers will be held in my office in Coquille beginning Aug. 12th at 9 a. m. and continuing three days. Dated this 16th day of July, 1903. 7-19-142w W. H. Bosen, Co. Sup't.

DIVERTING OREGON TRADE

Coast Line Road Intended to Further San Francisco Interests

Engineer E. E. Cooper, of San Francisco, with 20 men is running a line out of Drain to Empire on Coos Bay, via Elkton and Gardiner on the Emque river. The survey is being made for the Coast Line railroad that is to connect with the old Humboldt line at Eureka, Cal. The Humboldt line was recently purchased by the Southern Pacific and while Mr. Cooper will not admit that his work is being done for the Southern Pacific it is generally understood here that such is the case.

This road will open up a very rich country and make marketable a large body of fine timber. San Francisco is gradually encroaching Portland territory. Nearly all the products of Southern and Central Oregon have been diverted from Portland to San Francisco and the new road will come still nearer to Portland's door.

WAIFS FROM RUSSIA.

Half the newspapers and periodicals published in Russia (872 in number) are of official character.

A Russian charitable association at Vladivostok is sending out traveling parties of oculists to give free treatment to the poor.

Russia controls the platinum market. The Ural mines furnish 8,800 pounds a year, the rest of the world hardly a thousand. The price is nearly \$300 a pound, as the supply is not nearly equal to the demand.

Two young Russians, Arsen and Paul Draglow, have, according to a dispatch from St. Petersburg, wagered \$10,000 that they will accomplish the journey around the world on the back of a camel within one year from starting.

THE DEADLY AUTOMOBILE.

Even Spain, land of bullfights, is now hostile to road races of automobiles.—New York Tribune.

Since the latest auto race in Europe the horrors of war do not seem so dreadful.—Toronto Mail.

Headache Facts.

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