

Personal and Local

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ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

"Editing" a boiler plate Woman's Page must be a very strenuous occupation.

Robt. Burns, who also can, and was, left the city for his home on the lower Rogue this morning.

J. D. Laird, an enterprising rancher of Brewster Valley is trading with Marshfield merchants today.

Attorneys Seabrook and McKnight started for Salem this morning on business before the Supreme Court.

E. J. Wagoner, and W. L. Vagroun capitalist of Spokane, Washington arrived in our city yesterday and are sojourning at the Arlington.

Dick—Are you ever going to pay me that \$5? Tom—Sure—a dime at a time; come right along and have a cigar on me.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

For sick headache take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by John Pruess.

"Do her family approve of her ambition to go upon the operatic stage?" "Um—er—yes and no. That is, they approve of her going away to sing."—Detroit Free Press.

A very pretty little surprise party was given to Mrs. J. D. Thesham, who is a guest of Mrs. P. M. Wilber in this city, last evening. The friends, though unexpected, were received in royal style and highly entertained at whist and other games until the hour of departure when dainty refreshments were served.

Off For St Louis

Ray Tibbets, Wm. Burnett and Albert Campbell, left on their bicycles for St. Louis and the great World's Fair yesterday they rode out of this city at one o'clock in the afternoon, and expected to make their real start on the long journey, from Myrtle Point at 4 o'clock this morning. Their route will lay by way of Roseburg, Portland, Boise City and Omaha. They have promised to furnish their friends with a report of their travels each day.

Board Meets

The Marshfield Chamber of Commerce met at their rooms here last night and among other adoptions of important measures decided to use their influence toward getting the navy department to send one or two gun boats and a monitor to Coos Bay as a feature of the big celebration Marshfield is going to give on the coming 4th of July. It was also decided to enter at once into the arrangements for giving the steamer Breakwater a grand reception on her arrival here next Friday.

Allegany Items

Owing to the bad weather Wednesday there was no services at Allegany. Mr. Blake and Carrie Bremer are among the new mumps cases. Mrs. Vincamp, is not improving much. Allegany School delayed opening because Miss Adams was unfortunate in not arriving until Wednesday evening. Several of Allegany people attended Decoration Day exercises in Marshfield. The Graves at Allegany were tastefully decorated also.

The Breakwater

The following extracts are from San Francisco papers of recent date and are regarding the new steamer Breakwater soon to be added to the fleet now plying between this port and San Francisco: The steamer Breakwater, purchased at New Orleans by J. D. Spreckels & Bros. for the Coos Bay route, connecting with this city, and lately brought to this Coast by Captain George Seaman, has been greatly improved during the last few weeks at the Riedon Iron Works. She is now regarded as the best of the smaller coasting steamers in the Pacific, and will soon be placed in commission.—Chronicle

The splendid steamer Breakwater is nearly completed and will be put into commission about the first of June. It is expected that the new ship will be one of the finest vessels in the company's line and will ply between this port and Coos Bay and will carry passengers and freight.—Call.

MARSHFIELD BAND TO GIVE AN EXCURSION

The steamer Breakwater leaves San Francisco tomorrow afternoon at 5 p. m. for Coos Bay, and will arrive here at 8 a. m. Friday. The Marshfield Band will leave here at 7:30 on the steamer Flyer, and the North Bend Band will leave North Bend on the steamer Cruiser, and will meet the new steamer at the jetty and escort her up the bay to Marshfield.

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

The Ladies Art Club will meet on June 10th at the home of Mrs. Burnett.

Martin Broeg started this morning for Portland, as delegate to the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons.

J. S. Fairchild has finished the work of repairing and remodeling the residence of Mrs. Thos. Hirst, and she now has a very neat and modern dwelling.

The Coos Bay Marble and Granite Works are today being moved from the old location near the foot of A street, back to the slough near the foot of 3rd.

It is reported that there will hardly be a half crop of strawberries this year owing to blight that has attacked the vines, on Wirth Bros. patch alone over half the vines being killed outright.

The steamer Breakwater sails from San Francisco this afternoon and will arrive in Marshfield Friday early in the forenoon. Tickets for the return voyage are now on sale at the Spreckels Company's warehouse.

Father Donnelly, who has been in New York since the first of the present year, returned today, coming in by way of Drain and the Gardiner stage. He announces that he will be in this city next Sunday.

Among the third class post offices which have recently received an increase in the salaries on account of their growing business was Marshfield. Postmaster W. E. Curtis receiving an increase of \$100 per year. His salary was raised from \$1600 to \$1700.

The tug Roberts, Capt. Johnson, of Florence, arrived in the bay last night, coming down for the little steamer Lillian which has been employed with the Government dredger on the lower bay. The Roberts brought the families of Captains Johnson and Christenson, and a small consignment of freight from the Sitlaw. She will leave with the Lillian tomorrow morning.

CHAMBERLAIN'S STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS BETTER THAN A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION

Mr. J. W. Turner, of Truhart, Va., says that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have done him more good than anything he could get from the doctor. If any physician in this country was able to compound a medicine that would produce such gratifying results in cases of stomach trouble, biliousness or constipation, his whole time would be used in preparing this medicine. For sale by John Pruess.

Will be Laid up

The steamer Casarina cleared for San Francisco yesterday afternoon. This will be her last trip for some time, as she will be laid up and thoroughly overhauled and repaired. It is expected that she will be held up about two months.

Moving Picture Show

The moving picture show given last evening in I. O. O. F. hall drew a fair audience and gave good satisfaction. The gramophone did fairly good work under the manipulation of an inexperienced hand and the picture machine is strictly first class and is handled with consummate skill. The views both still and moving were fresh, and very few if any had been seen here before. There are many picture shows which are simply fakes, and Marshfield has been sold by some of them; the MAIL therefore takes pleasure in recommending the Steel & Freeland entertainment as a strictly legitimate proposition and well worth the price of admission.

Mischief Caused By Statistics

Harper's Bazaar
The announcement that the director of Yale "compons" has been obliged to put up the price of meals to \$4.50 a week henceforth and that at the old price of a dollar or so less, the college has lost \$20,000 a year, will doubtless fill the hearts of many patient housekeepers with unspoken gratitude. For years the American housewife has been suffering from the baleful activity of the man of statistics, who proves conclusively in the columns of endless periodicals that \$3 a week will feed any body royally, and that a delightful dinner may be given for \$2.50, including flowers.

A periodical ostensibly devoted to the interests of the American home once published statistics showing how a man and wife and two children had lived comfortably on \$200 a year. The misery caused by these statistics over the whole broad land, is beyond computation.

SUED BY HIS DOCTOR

"A doctor here has sued me for \$12.50, which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coconella, Cal. "At the trial he praised his medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say under oath that it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by John Pruess.

CITY BOARD MEETS

More Improvements Ordered—Sprinkler to be Added

At the meeting of the Marshfield City board held last night several important improvements to the city were ordered. The subject of establishing a complete sewer system in the city was discussed with the result that the surveys were ordered to begin at once in Marshfield.

A sprinkler, water tank and gasoline engine were ordered with plans for establishing the water station near the city hall on the water front. Salt water is to be used.

The opening of Front street, from the end of the present improvements near 8th out to the city limits was authorized.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

H. Lockhart, is in Coquille City on business today.

The steamer Arcata sailed from San Francisco at 10 o'clock this a. m.

S. C. Brown and Arthur Hodgins went to Sumner this morning to begin a large contract of painting for Capt. Harris.

The steamer Alliance will be due here from San Francisco tomorrow and is advertised to sail for Portland next Saturday morning.

F. M. Friedburg and family, accompanied by Miss Beamie are spending a few days at Engsten's grove on Coos river in hopes of benefiting Mr. Freidburg's health.

It is said that a lady spiritulist has bought a large tract of Oregon timber land. It is not known whether her purchase was directed by the spirits or good judgement. If the spirits instigated the move, she should stick to the spirits, as the investment will doubtless prove a good one.

A telephone message received from Roseburg last evening stated that Albert Campbell, Ray Tibbets and Wm. Bennett, the Marshfield boys who recently left this city on bicycles for St. Louis, arrived in Roseburg in due time Tuesday and left that city, north bound for Portland yesterday morning. They expected to reach Eugene last night.

A Fish Story

This is essentially the era of "combinations," but the following combination story of fish and lumber, fathered by the Daily News, of Galveston, Texas, is refreshingly unique: "At the Kirby Lumber Company's mill a log was hauled up, put on the carriage, and when the third board fell on the live rollers two big catfish tumbled out of a hollow that the saw had cut into. The larger of the two weighed twenty-five pounds. Both were fat and as the saw had not scratched them, they floundered around until one of the crew put a piece of line through their gills and carried them below."

Rates Were Equalized

(Puget Sound Lumberman)
In spite of Wall street fights for railroad control there is evidently a spirit of co-operation in the practical operations of the roads. For instance: a few months since California roads were making a better rate on doors to the Atlantic Coast than the roads were giving the door makers of Washington and Oregon. A request was made for a reduction to equalize the rate. After some time and considerable correspondence the rates were made the same, by raising the California rates. It might be well for lumbermen to copy railroad methods.

No Respector of Persons

(Puget Sound Lumberman)
A saw mill is no respector of persons, as a judge in Seattle recently discovered. A personal injury suit was up before him. In order to understand the workings of a gang edger he took the jury into a saw mill. The jury managed to keep out of the way, but a four inch cant caught the judge amidsthips and started another personal damage case. For a minute his life was not worth much. A fortunate turn saved him with only a few bruises and a little loss of dignity. The next day he threw the case he was trying out of court. Motto: Example beats precept even when applied to the court.

The Second Evening

The Steel & Freeland Moving Picture Co. closed its two nights' engagement at I. O. O. F. hall in this city last night. The attendance for the last evening was exceptionally large and the company met with general satisfaction on the part of the audience. The illustrated songs were good, though the moving pictures were the real entertainment, and the "Attack on Port Arthur," presented last night was in itself, worth the price of admission. This company puts on a very good show of its class, as will be testified by those who saw the "Trip to the Moon" and the "Midnight Alarm" of the first evening, and who were present on the second evening, when the program was greatly changed and many new features introduced.

Will Give Grand Ball

The Marshfield Fire Department Band have announced that they will give a grand ball at Odd Fellows hall in this city next Saturday evening June 11th. The affair is to be given as a band benefit, the net proceeds going towards purchasing paraphernalia and equipments for the band. Music will be furnished by the Kirkman Orchestra, a swell program will be arranged and a highly pleasurable evening is insured all who attend. The selling of the tickets will be in the hands of the band boys and every patriotic Marshfielder who is solicited should buy one whether he dances or not. This band has been organized and maintained under somewhat discouraging circumstances and, it

is the duty of the town to lend its support and encouragement to their efforts by a liberal turnout next Saturday evening. The good time that is insured will be well worth the price of admission.

ANOTHER MEETING

Fourth of July Committee Opens Carnival Contest

The Marshfield 4th of July Committee met at their rooms in the Lockhart building here again last night. The feature of all the reports was that turned in by the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce which appears elsewhere in this issue. Plans for opening the contest of electing the carnival queen and Goddess of Liberty were discussed at considerable length, and it was finally decided to open the campaign today by establishing booths at different places in the city, inviting all the neighboring towns to put out candidates and begin the sale of voting coupons at once. It was announced last night that the grand water carnival would take place in the evening and would be followed by the fire works.

The 4th of July Committee is doing a grand work and the town has taken up the matter in a systematic manner that means success.

TRIUMPHS OF MODERN SURGERY

Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely; bones are spliced; pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and in one third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on the same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which such injuries entail. For sale by John Pruess.

NAVY DEPARTMENT MAY

AID IN CELEBRATION

Oregon Delegation at Work—Secretary Moody Favorable Will Notify Squadron

From telegrams received by the Chamber of Commerce in this city late yesterday evening and early this morning, high hopes are now entertained that a portion of the Pacific squadron may be sent to Marshfield to participate in the grand celebration this city will hold on the coming 4th of July.

The general celebration committee met last night to continue its preparations and to receive the reports of all affiliating organizations in the city. As a report from the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce on its efforts to secure a cruiser and gunboat to be present on the occasion and to take part in the water carnival, the following telegrams were handed in:

Roseburg, Or. June 8, 1904.
Chamber of Commerce,
Marshfield, Or.

Have just telegraphed navy earnestly urging cruiser or gunboat to participate at ensuing Fourth July celebration at Marshfield.

BINGER HERMANN,

Astoria, Or. June 7 1904,
Coos Bay Chamber Commerce,
Marshfield, Or.

I have this day wired the Secy, of the Navy earnestly urging that a cruiser or gunboat be detailed to participate in your Fourth of July celebration.

C. W. PULTON,

Washington, D. C. June 8, 1904.
Marshfield Chamber of Commerce,
Marshfield Or.

Telegram received. Will do all in my power to secure cruiser or gunboats to participate in the Fourth of July celebration.

JOHN H. MITCHELL,

Washington, D. C. June 8, 1904
Marshfield Chamber of Commerce,

Ayer's

Sometimes the hair is not properly nourished. It suffers for food, starves. Then it falls out, turns prematurely gray. Ayer's Hair Vigor is a

Hair Vigor

hair food. It feeds, nourishes. The hair stops falling, grows long and heavy, and all dandruff disappears.

"My hair was coming out terribly. I was almost afraid to comb it. But Ayer's Hair Vigor promptly stopped the falling, and also restored the natural color."
Mrs. E. G. R. WARD, Landing, N. J.

50c a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Poor Hair

Marshfield, Or.
Will refer your request to Commander in chief of Pacific squadron, due to arrive at Puget Sound June 30th, with directions to comply if practicable.

MOODY,

OFFICIAL FIGURES

We open the forms to give the following official figures of the majorities in Coos county, just phoned in from the county seat:

Binger Hermann 532
Moor 564 Bailey 561
Hamilton 414
Brown 1947
Pierce 56
Sherwood 69
Hermann 451
Gallier 87
Watson 190
Dulley 476
Thrift 353
Bunch 694
McCulloch 479

COOS COUNTY

REPUBLICAN

Landslide for Hermann—Joint Senator Close

According to the official returns received here up to a late hour this afternoon, Coos county is Republican by a nice little majority. Binger Hermann has carried the county by some, thing over 500 votes. The race for joint senator is very close, though latest returns show John S. Coke, the Republican nominee, to be about ten votes in the lead. With one known exception the full Republican county ticket has been elected. The joint representative also is conceded to the Democrats. Local option, it is thought, has carried the county by a small majority. The Flat Salary Amendment was defeated and direct primary law carried.

BORN

STONELAKE—Marshfield, Oregon, June 4th, to the wife of the late Matt Stonelake a daughter.

DIED

LENNON—At Empire City, Or. June 7, Loyd Lennon, of brain fever.

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