#### LAND CONTEST EVIDENCE HEARD BY SWANTON

Evidence in the land contest wherein John Weiser appeared with the hope of sustaining his claims to the south half of the northeast quar ter and the north half of the south east quarter of section 10, township 25, was taken yesterday by Bennet Swanton, and will be forwarded to the land office at Roseburg. The witnesses for the defendant were: Iver J. Peterson and Jorden Schapers. Olaf Peterson is the man defending the title to the land.

#### REMOVING RAILS TO BANDON FOR JETTY

William Wakefield, of the firm of the salmon Jacobson & Wakefield, who are putting in the new jetty at Bandon, was here this week to remove the rails from the government pier at the entrance to Coos Bay, for removal to Bandon. There were two scow loads of the rails which are now at the Southern Pacific depot waiting ship-ment to Cedar Point, and transfer at that place to boats bound for

## SHOULD MEET ON

There is a belief that the meetings of the North Bend and Marshfield Chambers of Commerce would obtain better results if they were held on different evenings, instead of both on Friday nights, as is now the rule. Such an arrangement would give the members in each of the cities oppor-tunity to visit the neighboring meet ings and thus, through affiliation, be come better acquainted with each other and with the needs of the bay

#### LAWHORNE PRODUCES GRAVENSTEIN APPLE

Roy Lawhorne has an apple car toon in the Chamber of Commerc window which attracted considerable attention yesterday. The greatness of the Gravenstein is shown by the cartoon, wherein a small man is carrying an apple several times his size. Lawhorne is a handy man with the pen and his fame will sooner or later attract attention outside of the Coos Bay country.

#### **BLACKBERRIES AND** GREEN CORN IN MARKET

Green corn and blackberries came into market the forepart of this week, and the supply has been sufficient for all purposes. Corn sells at 25 cents per dozen ears, and black-berries, three boxes for 25 cents. These come from Coos river, as does most of the green stuff now in mar-

## SUIT OF CAPT. EDWARDS SETTLED OUT OF COURT

The case of Capt. C. E. Edwards against the North Bend Condensery, called yesterday for trial before Justice Pennock, was settled out of court to the satisfaction of all par-The case was brought by Capt. Edwards for recovery of charges for transportation of milk.

## WILL NOT RETURN UNTIL DEER IS SLAUGHTERED

Dr. E. E. Straw, Ly Condron, Will Ford and Mr. Chas. A. Deubelt, of the Union from Works, of San Pran-cisco, left for an extended hunting trip to the Gould neighborhood, and will be absent for over a week. The parties said before they left that the friends need not expect to see them. Hend Made in 12 Minutes. in Marshfield until some one of the party lands a deer.

## REPAIRS ON ALLIANCE WILL REQUIRE 10 DAYS

Mr. Is. W. Shaw, agent of the steamer Alliance, was seen yester-day and asked what news he had from the damaged vessel. Mr. Shaw said he had been advised by the Portland agent of the boat that the repairs would likely not require more than ten days, if as many. This is certainly good news for the bay, since this is the really heavy of the season in passenger

#### ROBERT MARSDEN HAS A NEW MANAGER

Robert Marsden has placed in charge of his wholesale liquor house, Mr. Jack Rice, of Tennessee, a gentleman born and bred in this time of active business. He is a genial gentleman on all occasions and will be pleased to meet all old customers and new patrons of the business.

## O. A. C. REPRESENTATIVE VISITING ON COOS BAY

L. B. Baldwin, representing the Oregon Agricultural College of Cor-vallis, is in Marshfield, soliciting stu-dents for that institution, gathering data, and finding what schools of this section can be placed on the ac-credited list for admission of their students to the college.

#### NEW HOMES GOING UP IN BUNKER HILL

August Frizeen has ordered lumber for the first of three cottages in Bunker Hill addition. That section of the suburban surroundings is building up fast, and other territory near there is building as fast. At Bay Park, Flagstaff and Millington, new homes are going up every day and the real estate activity in these places is marked.

#### E. R. STEVENS HAULS LUMBER FOR HOME

E. R. Stevens, who lately bargained for lumber with which to build a home in Ferndale, commenced hauling his material to the site yesterday. The new home will be a six-room cottage and will be completed within a short time.

## SEALS IN BAY INDICATE SALMON SEASON IS ON

Parties who were out towards the entrance to the bay yesterday report hundreds of seal within the bar. This is said by old timers to indicate the opening of the salmon season, since the seal is always alert when the salmon commence to run for

## TO ARRANGE FOR A SUMMER RESIDENCE

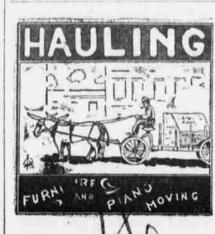
George Stolz, C. M. Rhodes and T Lewis will go to Ten Mile this afternoon for a two days' stay. Mr. Lewis will complete arrangements for the erection of his new house on Black creek.

#### DIFFERENT DATES DR. MINGUS AND ALBERT MATSON RETURN HOME

Dr. Everett Mingus and J. A. Mat-n returned yesterday from a sek's trip to Ten Mile. They paid week's trip to Ten Mile. little attention to hunting but en-joyed a rest and caught all the lake rout they cared to eat.

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