

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
*Absolutely Pure*  
 The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar  
**NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE**

**TIMBER'S FAST GROWTH HERE**

**Dr. Schenck Estimates It Will Nearly Double That In German Forests.**

Dr. Schenck, head of the Biltmore Forest school, Messrs. Allen and Chapman of Portland, who are identified with the conservation work of the big timber owners, John Lafon and A. E. Adelsperger have returned from a trip to the Eden Ridge country where the latter have been inspecting the timber and investigating the possibilities of reforestation.

Dr. Schenck is enthusiastic over the possibilities of reforestation in this section as well as over the wonderful stand of timber here. Dr. Schenck says that this section far eclipses the reforestation possibilities of Europe where so much attention is being given the work. He estimates that the growth of timber here on reforested tracts will average about 1,000 feet per acre per year while in Germany the average is only about 600 feet per acre per year. In consequence of this, Dr. Schenck expects to see this region become one of the foremost in the reforestation work in the future.

Mr. Allen formerly had charge of the government conservation work in Oregon and Idaho but resigned that position to become identified with a conservation movement of the big timber owners. He was instrumental in getting the recent legislation through in Oregon concerning the care of forests. He is now working to reduce the fire hazard and also to encourage the reforestation movement.

E. T. Allen is forester of the Western Conservation association and C. S. Chapman is secretary of the Oregon Forest Fire association. They came here on invitation of the Coos County Fire Patrol association to inspect the work being done in this territory. They expressed themselves as highly pleased with it after personally going over some of the territory and discussing it with Messrs. Conrad and Adelsperger of the association.

**Don't Miss This Chance**

\$14.75 buys any of our \$20 to \$25 suits.  
 \$17.50 buys any of our \$25 to \$35 suits.

**The Famous High Art Clothing**

Made by Strouse & Bros., Baltimore, Md., absolutely guaranteed to be of the best on the market in style, fit and quality. Even if you have a new suit, you can't afford to miss this bargain. Wear a suit of quality for what you would pay for a cheap shoddy working suit. Also a few

from \$25 to \$30.

**Overcoats**

**While They Last \$17.50**

Call early and get your pick

\$5.00 and \$4.50 Packard Shoes \$3.65  
 \$2.00 and \$1.50 Cluett Shirts \$1.35  
 \$2.00 and \$1.50 .....  
 \$3.00 Kingsbury Hats .....\$2.35

Big reduction on other goods too numerous to mention.

**The Toggery**

Corner Broadway & Central

**Where Sail Meets Rail**

Items of Interest Concerning Masters and Vessels of the Pacific Coast

The President and Argo sailed from Coos Bay this morning.

The Nann Smith arrived in at 6:30 this morning from Bay Point after a good trip up the coast.

Recently quite a number of old vessels on the north coast have been changed into barges. Those with an undiminished capacity are being loaded with all kinds of freight and towed to Alaska and California points. To such an extent has this sort of transportation come, that steamer men are becoming somewhat alarmed at the prospect and well they may be, for this kind of traffic is assuming considerable proportions. Recently the Grays Harbor tug Darling, has been chartered for a year to engage in towing barges loaded with lumber from Puget Sound south, which are expected to return with cargoes of cement and general merchandise. One barge company has contracted to deliver six million feet of Puget Sound lumber to Prince Rupert at once.

The Federal authorities are on the lookout for new fishing grounds. With that object in view the United States Fisheries vessel Albatross has sailed from Seattle for Bering Sea, carrying a number of experts. There are on board Captain Joyce, an experienced operator on the halibut banks.

"We will make a thorough investigation of the northern fishing grounds," said Major Alexander Just before the Albatross sailed. "We will start in the lower portion of Bering Sea and work northward from Unimak Pass, and then eastward as far as One Hundred Fathom Curve, conducting our researches in shoal waters as well as profound depths. We will trawl, will cast nets wherever possible, and use all the apparatus at our command to conduct a thorough search for fish.

"The halibut is migratory, shifting as the fish upon which it feeds shifts, and, accordingly, one object of our voyage will be to gather data enabling fishermen to trawl upon the most productive grounds. The northern banks have always been most prolific, but before any great while they will be fished out. The industry is too important to this coast to pass, so our efforts may unfold new banks.

**GARDINER DAIRYING CENTER.**

Gardiner, in Douglas county, Ore., near the mouth of the Umpqua, is one of those regions whose advantages are almost unknown because "away off from anywhere." The most impressive fact is the number of registered dairy bulls this little Smith River region is getting to have. J. E. Morris has both a Jersey bull and heifer purchased from the Ladd Hazel Fern herd last February. He is grading his entire herd into Jerseys. Neal Black has a Jersey bull from Hazel Fern and he also has a trio of registered Duroc swine. W. N. Lyster, Will York and Ed. Haskell each has a Jersey bull purchased from Walter Domes and C. E. Ricker; Will Daily and Mike Dolan each have a Jersey bull. Frank York has a Holstein bull and Fred McHarr on the Wade place an Ayrshire. These are of course, all registered animals. W. P. Reed, the merchant at Gardiner, who is also the largest dairyman in the valley, in partnership with R. P. Barnhardt, being some seventy odd cows, has a Jersey bull of very rich breeding. And W. Chambers, who has charge of the Cowneend creamery here, still declares he has the cleanest, best set of dairymen in the state to deal with. These include those up the Umpqua as well as Smith River and he expects to be present at the state dairy convention this winter and show a sample of the butter he puts up—Rural Spirit.

**Obscure Scottsburg Was Once Pioneer Metropolis**

LITTLE TOWN IN THE UMPQUA VALLEY HAS ROMANTIC HISTORY.

(From Portland Oregonian)

The determination of the Harriman system to build into the Coos Bay country by way of the Sluslaw drops as it were the curtain of obscurity over Scottsburg, once the metropolis of Southwestern Oregon. This was the head of navigation of the Umpqua, and supplies for the mines of Southern Oregon and Northern California were brought in here by water over the bar of Winchester Bay, and the pack trains were deep trails across the mountains and out through the Cow Creek Canyon to the south and north into the Willamette valley.

The flood of 1862 washed away the greater part of the town, which at one time had ten merchandise establishments. Among these was Wadsworth, Peters & Ladd, who were wholesale liquor dealers, in addition to carrying miners supplies. R. J. Ladd later went to Portland. It is said that in Scottsburg four men got their start for the office of governor of Oregon. Two of them were practicing law at the time of the inundation—Stephen F. Shadwick and Addison C. Gibbs. The latter had for a partner Judge Stratton, later on the supreme bench. It was here that Judge Deady first attained eminence he only relinquished when death came.

Here flourished Pat Flanagan, father of James Flanagan, the Coos Bay banker. One of the best known men of the Umpqua country was L. L. Williams, a trapper and Indian scout, whose life was saved by the late Cyrus Hedden in the Rogue river Indian wars. Williams was wounded, and Hedden literally packed him to Scottsburg on his back, about 40 miles over the mountain trails. D. J. Lyons was editor of the Democrat, weekly newspaper published here in 1845. He was a blind man of considerable ability, and came from Louisville, Ky., with his bride, overland. Like many of the argonauts, her parents were slaveholders, and she had never done a day's domestic labor in her life, and was poorly fitted for the rougher duties devolving on the women of the frontier. But these sweet Southern women lent a charm and distinction to the earlier days of Oregon, socially. The town being swept away, there was little business for a newspaper here, and the press and outfit were packed over the mountains to Jacksonville, the rival metropolis. William J. Beggs was the printer of the paper, and followed his fortunes. Now there is little left of that newspaper enterprise, but a few copies in the hands of Colonel Lyons' daughter, now Mrs. George Blanchard of Ysquina Bay.

There were two hotels in Scottsburg in those days—the Palmer House and the old Scottsburg House, which was originally built for a fort in the days of the Indian wars. It was owned by Captain Levi Scott, who named the town. How he escaped being called Colonel, the hereditary title of hotel keepers and newspaper men in those days, is a mystery. Copies of the Scottsburg paper of June 16, 1854, contain thanks to S. P. Chadwick for a mess of green peas and lettuce—the lawyer was then on his way to the governorship. The paper contained reprints from San Francisco papers as late as June 3, New York news of May 5, and New Orleans news of May 7, and the paper boasts of its enterprise and news facilities.

In the way of social news these old newspapers contain matters of some persons now living. The Umpqua Gazette, published at Scottsburg, Oregon Territory, June 23, 1854, announces the marriage at the residence of V. K. Pringle, Esq., by Rev. A. F. Waller, of Elisha Strong to Mrs. Phoebe Bain, both of Marion county. The same paper of June 9, 1854, contained the announcement of the marriage by Rev. T. F. Royal, who died at Portland a few months ago, of Dr. Jesse Robinson and Miss Luttia Constant, both of Jackson county. The same paper has a marriage announcement of J. H. Russell to Miss Anna H. Hill, both of Jacksonville, the ceremony being performed by Judge T. McF. Patton, father of the Patton brothers. The papers in those days contained very little local news, and most of the contents was ancient history in the rapid life of present-day journalism. One item chronicles the death by falling from his horse of Theodore T. Tierney, a reporter on the Salem Statesman. Mr. Tierney had been elected Territorial Librarian.

**POSSES SEEK KIDNAPER NOW**

CANADIANS SEEK FOR NORTH DAKOTA RUFFIAN WHO KEPT TEACHER PRISONER IN FOREST FOR THIRTY HOURS.

By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times

SNOWFLAKE, Man., Sept. 13.—A fierce man hunt has been under way for the last 24 hours, ten miles south of here and between here and the United States boundary, following the kidnaping of Eleanor Gladys Price, a school teacher, Monday, by a man alleged to be Henry Wilson, alias "Bill" Minor of Hannah, N. D. It was first reported that Miss Price was killed, but she escaped Tuesday after having been detained by the ruffian in a forest for thirty hours. The man released her after he had exhausted a supply of gin and cigarettes which he carried. The girl put up a desperate fight at the school house before her assailant overpowered her. Blood hounds picked up the fugitive's track and he is believed to have been surrounded. Feeling is high, and if he is not killed by the posses, it is expected that the citizens will not permit him to come to trial.

**CIRCUIT COURT NEWS.**

Case of Jack Marsden to Come Up For Hearing at Coquille.

COQUILLE, Ore., Sept. 13.—The case of Jack Marsden was slated for trial in Circuit Court here today. Mr. Marsden was charged in the indictment with assaulting J. W. Bennett with intent to kill. An effort was made to postpone the hearing but District Attorney Brown who is here from Roseburg insisted that the case be tried at this term of court.

Alvin Pierce was tried and convicted in three hours on the charge of shop lifting. Sentence has not been passed yet.

Two liquor law violators were up, one pleading guilty and the other being convicted after a short trial. A fine of \$20 was imposed on the one pleading guilty.

**ANNOUNCEMENT TO PUBLIC.**

Mr. L. S. Weeks of this city has been commissioned to handle stock in the Salmon Mountain mine. Those wishing to invest in a good thing will find him at the Chandler hotel.  
 ORVILLE DODGE,  
 Sec. and Manager

**Foley's Honey and Tar Compound**  
 Still retains its high place as the best household remedy for all coughs and colds, either for children or grown persons. Prevents serious results from a cold. Take only the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and refuse substitutes. For Sale at the Red Cross Drug Store.

**PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY**

**D. R. E. F. WINKLER,**  
 Naturopath and Chiropractor.  
 All chronic diseases treated. Consultation free. Office hours: 9 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 5 and 6 to 8 p. m. Naturopath Institute—Room No. 1, No. 126 Broadway, Marshfield, Ore.

**D. R. G. W. LESLIE,**  
 Osteopathic Physician  
 Graduate of the American school of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo. Office in Eldorado Bldg. Hours 10 to 12; 1 to 4; Phone 161-J; Marshfield; Oregon

**D. R. C. C. TAGGART,**  
 Physician and Surgeon.  
 Office 209-210 Coke Building.  
 Phones: Residence 96L; Office 162J

**J. W. BENNETT,**  
 Lawyer.  
 Office over Flanagan & Bennett Bank Marshfield Oregon

**D. R. J. T. McCORMAC,**  
 Physician and Surgeon  
 Marshfield, Oregon.  
 Office: Lockhart Building, opposite Post Office.  
 Phone 105-J

**D. R. A. C. BURROUGHS,**  
 Scientific Massagist,  
 Treats all diseases—Office, corner Second and Central Avenue.  
 Office hours 11 to 12 a. m. 2 to 5 p. m.

**D. R. A. J. HENDRY'S**  
 Modern Dental Parlors.  
 We are equipped to do high class work on short notice at the very lowest prices. Examination free. Lady attendant, Coke building, opposite Chandler hotel.

**D. R. H. B. MOORE,** Chiropractor.  
 Chronic Diseases a Specialty  
 203 Coos Bldg — Phone 81-L  
 Office hours 1 to 5; 6:30 to 7:30  
 Sunday 3 to 5

**Hub Clothing & Shoe Co.**

**"Money Talks"**

That you can buy here for cash cheaper than elsewhere is evinced by our increasing patronage. Dependable merchandise, small prices and cash are the levers which merit your patronage. Others enjoy this saving, why not you?

Everything new in

SUITS — OVERCOATS — RAIN COATS,  
 SHOES — HATS — and — FURNISHINGS.

**"Money Talks"**

**Hub Clothing & Shoe Co.**

MARSHFIELD

BANDON

FAST AND COMMODIOUS

**Steamer Redondo**

EQUIPPED WITH WIRELESS

Sails for San Francisco from Marshfield Wed., Sept. 13, 1 o'clock  
 INTER-OCEAN TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.

Phone 44

C. F. McGEORGE, Agent.

"THE FRIEND OF COOS BAY"

**S. S. ALLIANCE**

EQUIPPED WITH WIRELESS

CONNECTING WITH THE NORTH BANK ROAD AT PORTLAND

Sails from Coos Bay for Portland, Wednesday, Sept. 13

NORTH PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

PHONE 44

C. F. McGEORGE, Agent

EQUIPPED WITH WIRELESS

**Steamer Breakwater**

ALWAYS ON TIME

SAILS FROM PORTLAND AT 9 A. M. ON SEPTEMBER 3, 8, 13, 19 AND 26 AT 8 P. M.

SAILS FROM COOS BAY AT SERVICE OF THE TIDE ON SEPTEMBER 5, 10, 16, 23 AND 30.

L. H. KEATING, AGENT

PHONE MAIN 35-L

**FAST SERVICE TO ROSEBURG**

Our autos, leaving Marshfield at 6 o'clock every morning, connect with the evening train to Portland. Fare \$6.00.

COOS BAY ROSEBURG STAGE LINE.

OTTO SCHETTER, Agent, C. P. BARNARD, Agent, ROSEBURG, Ore.

PHONE 11

A Modern Brick Building, Electric Lights, Steam Heat, Elegantly Furnished Rooms with Hot and Cold Water.  
**HOTEL COOS**  
 C. A. METLIN, Prop.  
 Rates: 50 cents a Day and Upwards.  
 Cor. Broadway and Market Marshfield, Oregon.

**BARGAINS IN DWELLING. BUY NOW**  
 5-Room house at Bay Park. Price \$700. Cash.....\$150  
 6-Room house, lots 100x100.  
 Eastside .....\$1,200  
 Dwellings in Bunker Hill, West and South Marshfield, Ferndale and North Bend at bargains.

**AUG. FRIZEEN,**  
 Real Estate Insurance and Rentals  
 68, Central Ave., Marshfield, Ore.

**MEN** of ideas, who have some inventive ability please write GREELEY & MONTGOMERY Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C.

**Good Livery Service**

Fancy new rigs, good horses and careful drivers are now at the disposal of the Coos Bay public at  
**REASONABLE RATES**  
 Rigs or rigs with drivers ready for any trip anywhere any time. Horses boarded and rigs cared for.  
 New hearse and special accommodations provided for funeral parties.

**W. L. CONDRON'S**

LIVERY AND FEED STABLES  
 PHONE 273-J

**MARSHFIELD'S POPULAR FAMILY HOTEL THE LLOYD**

Rates reduced to: Day—50c, 75c and \$1.00; week—\$2.00 to \$5.00. House-keeping apartments with gas ranges \$10.00 to \$18.00 per month. FREE BATHS—E. W. SULLIVAN, Prop.

**UNIQUE PANTATORIUM**

We are expert dyers and cleaners. Hat work of all kinds. Our work will please you.  
 Suits made to order.  
 256 Central Ave. Phone 250X

**ROSS & PINEGOR**

PROPRIETORS

**Have That Roof Fixed**

NOW  
**See CORTHELL**  
 Phone 8121