

### Counterfeit Coins Passed.

Counterfeit money is making its appearance on Coos Bay and there is much excitement among the different firms that found themselves in possession of the spurious coins.

The North Bend News Company of North Bend was the first firm known to have been victimized.

The first intimation received in Marshfield was in the shape of a warning to Robert Marsden, proprietor of the billiard parlor on Front street. After being informed, Mr. Marsden was on the lookout for the coins and on Saturday night one answering the description was handed in. The gentleman passing the coin was entirely innocent that he was in possession of a counterfeit coin and was nonplussed on being informed of its real character.

The North Bend News Company of North Bend has discovered five of the coins in its till. The money is in every case five dollar gold pieces dated 1903 and said to be an excellent imitation.

### Coquille Notes.

From the Sentinel.

And still another large sawmill for the Coquille river is assured. The present flurry in the lumber market has not disturbed the confidence of lumber manufacturers in the future of Coos County timber. F. A. Spencer, H. E. and G. W. Shelley are incorporating for \$50,000 for the purpose of building a mill on the new Prosper townsite which was laid out recently near the present Prosper Mill Co.'s plant.

The name assumed is the Spencer-Shelley Lumber company and their articles of incorporation will permit them to engage in sawmilling, logging and owning and operating their own line of lumber-carrying vessels. The stock will be fully paid up as soon as the organization is complete, and a site was reserved for mill and boom purposes when the town was platted.

Mr. G. W. Shelley, the well known traveling man, is the manager of the business at this end of the line. He left last Saturday on his way to Washington to confer with the other members of the company.

Mr. Spencer is a practical saw mill man as well as others of the new company; so the undertaking will not be an experiment, but will be conducted by men who understand their business in all its phases.

We extend the glad hand to these people and wish them complete success in their new enterprise.

Married:—On the 11th inst. at the home of J. S. Clinton on the North Fork, Mr. Jas. E. Conger and Miss Nellie R. Ginton, Judge E. C. D. Holden officiating. This young couple are known as among our most worthy young folks, the bride being a native born daughter of Coos, and the groom almost to the manor born, having been a resident of the same since early childhood. Their many friends wish them a happy future.

Last Sunday was the last trip of the Plant to Coos Bay for some time, as on her return to San Francisco she will be put on the drydock to be overhauled and it will be several weeks before she is back on the run. In the meantime there will be no means of transportation by water between San Francisco and Coos county. The Plant arrived in Coos Bay last Sunday after being at sea 64 hours on account of her journals becoming heated which caused her to run at a slow rate of speed, and from head winds.

Several changes have been made in the ownership and management of the Coquille River Steamboat Co. Capt. C. J. McLean having purchased David Perkin's interest. As other parties are about to become interested it is said that the capital stock in the corporation will be raised \$50,000. New boilers will be placed in the Dispatch and Liberty in order to increase their speed. It is stated that a new hull for the machinery of the Antelope will be built and thus the service will be much improved.

### Demand For Technical Men.

In view of the general impression that the professions are greatly overcrowded, it is surprising to learn that some of the leading railroads of the country are finding much difficulty in securing properly qualified young men to fill subordinate positions on the engineering staff. One road in particular has recently gone so far as to make the fact known in the public press, and to invite communications from young men who have passed through technical schools, and possess the necessary qualifications to enable them to commence work as rodmen and chainmen, or do the simpler instrumental work connected with the construction and maintenance of the railroad. It was further stated that the remuneration would be sufficient to enable these men to maintain themselves at once in decency and comfort, and that for those who showed aptitude and application there was a reasonable expectation of early promotion. Further evidence of the excellent opening afforded by the present industrial activity is found in the fact that, in one of the technical colleges of the country, every member of the graduation class of 1906 had secured an appointment some month before the close of the college year. The demand for technically-qualified men in railroad work has unquestionably been stimulated by the recognition of the fact that the increase in the capacity and weight of the motive power and rolling stock, and the demand for more intelligent supervision due to the introduction of electric traction on steam roads, is rendering it desirable that not only the engineering department, but also those which have to do with the maintenance and operation of the road should be run by men with sufficient technical knowledge, and sufficient training in natural science, to enable them to exercise a more intelligent oversight of their department than is possible in the case of men whose theoretical knowledge is bounded by the limits of a common school education.—Scientific American.

### Port Orford Notes.

From the Tribune.

The little child of Louis Farrier, aged about 18 months, died last Friday night after a long spell of illness, resulting from measles and other complications. We extend our sympathy to the sorrowing parents.

Ed Hughes was in town Monday on business. They are milking a few more than one hundred cows this summer at their fine dairy at the mouth of Sixes river, where they have one of the finest herd of cows on the Pacific coast, having been breeding them up for more than a third of a century. They have one of the most up-to-date creameries in the state.

Mr. Russell, Supt. of the Gold Bar Mining Co. on Rogue River, was in town over Sunday night on his way to Roseburg with a team to meet his wife and daughter, who are on their way to meet him there and will return with him to his home at the mine. He is not piping now, but will commence again soon. He has great faith in his mine and expects to make a fine showing for the next year's work. This mine embraces about 400 acres of high river bars, easily worked, and is a most beautiful location about 40 miles up the river from the ocean.

State Fish Warden Van Dusen, J. D. Wilson, Deputy Fish Warden for Southern Oregon and the U. S. Fish Commissioner were in Port Orford last week on their way to Rogue River to study R. D. Hume's method of feeding young salmon and holding them until they are large enough to escape their enemy when turned into the rivers. Mr. Hume has devoted his life to the study of the nature and habits of salmon, and is no doubt, the best authority in the world on all that pertains to their artificial propagation, and there is much to learn in studying his methods and implements, many of which

are original and the results of experience.

The S. P. surveyors moved part of their outfit into the Northberg building yesterday, but it may be a week before the main crowd move into town. From here there will be made a careful examination of the difficult coast to the south, and the feasibility of tunneling the west end of Humberg mountain and thence around on the south side of the mountain will be looked into.

Mr. Pearce, the Draftsman of the S. P. surveying party now camped on the Sixes river, was in town last Thursday. He says the survey is completed up the coast to Crescent City, but it will take many months for this party to close up the survey. How soon active construction may begin no one knows, but there are several reasons why completion may be delayed.

Who said picnic? Are you going to get some of those sweet pickles and chipped beef from Lorenz & Hoyt's to take along? The picnic won't be a success unless you do.

### For Sale.

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### For Sale.

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Call at the Bandon Co-operative Realty Co.

Dr. Prentiss, Dentist, has leased rooms in the Deveraux building next to the Post Office and will locate permanently in Bandon August 1st.

### Seven and one-half Chicken Ranches.

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### Notice.

To whom it may concern Notice is hereby given that I, C. G. Schmalz, of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Anna Schmalz, she having left my bed and board. Dated July 5, 1907.

C. SCHMALZ.

### Ice Cream Social.

The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will give an Ice Cream Social in Concrete Hall August 3rd 1907. A short Program will be rendered.

### Real Estate List.

2 one acre tracts, adjoining town cheap.  
280 acres improved ranch, fine bearing orchard, 90 acres bottom land, 10 miles from Bandon. Large amount of white cedar on it, price \$4000.  
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