LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. J. Hoffman was a passenger down on the Annie Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Olive, of this place, is filer in the Marshfield stave mill.

Prof. J. B. Hermann, a music teacher, has located at Marshfield.

P. Dean and J. Rimmer of the upper river were in town Saturday.

A school teacher is wanted at Ten-mile. Apply to Supt. McCormac, Marshfield.

See our new ads. this week. The Empire City celebration promises to be a grand affair.

John Frantz had his left leg broken at North Bend a few days ago while skylarking with Thos. Minott.

Just received an elegant line of summer Dress-Goods, Ladies' and children's Hats at the Myrtle Point store.

The new jury law has been declared unconstitutional, and the jury for this county was drawn the old way.

By those coming from the interior of the state, it is claimed that times are better in this county than elsewhere.

Miss Nancy Prewett arrived Sunday last from Washington territory, where she has been visiting for two years.

Judge Mosher, of Roseburg, was in town Wednesday en route to Ellensburg, where he has business before the circuit court.

C. Thompson, who prospected the Randolph mine about 32 years ago, has returned to this county from the east, and is looking for a location.

James Candlish, wife and babe have been visiting friends in this place. James left here nine years ago, since which he has been in Nevada.

Ho for Coos bay!—Our old friend, Fred Jarvis, has started up his stage running from this place to Utter City twice a day. See his ad in this paper. n37tf

Messrs. E. Bender and Ben Shull were chosen as delegates to the grand lodge, A. F. & A. M. which meets at Portland on the 9th inst., from Myrtle Point lodge.

Wanted—a man (young or old) that can transport a greater amount of educated humanity, on a truck than Capt. Snyder—time ten o'clock P. M.; place—near salt water.
Buck Eye.

A ball will be given at Myrtle Point on the 24th inst. by the Masonic lodge of that place, the proceeds of which will be used to buy carpets, chairs, etc., for their hall. A good time is guaranteed, and everybody invited to attend.

Capt. Jensen's little fishing schooner is completed, and is expected to sail to-day. She is said to be a staunch vessel and capable of weathering a heavy sea. We understand that she will fish off the Coos and Curry county coast the present season.

The schooner Truckee sailed from this river at midnight last Friday night. This is more than can be said of many bars on this coast. There were 16 feet of water on the bar when she sailed, and the bar was being inspected by Col. Mendell and Capt. Powell at the time.

Willard Wright and his sister, Miss Pansy, arrived in town Friday from their home in Dallas, Polk county. Having lived in this place several years they were greeted by shouts of welcome by all the young folks. It was regretted that Willard had to proceed the day of his arrival to Port Orford to join his father, who has a government contract of surveying in that part.

Mr. O. C. Huntington had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse in this place last Sunday. He had barganed for the animal and brought it from Douglas county, and it was taken suddenly sick and died very much as though it had been poisoned. It is thought it had got hold of lark-spur, fox-glove or some other poisonous herb, for it was in a good pasture where other horses were kept, and in a few minutes after the attack the animal was past human efforts to save.

Carl Volkmar returned to the bay yesterday.

Mr. Border returned from the bay yesterday.

Fred Jarvis came over from the bay yesterday to inspect the road.

A cloud burst killed nine Bohemians last Tuesday near Indianola, Neb.

Hon. B. Hermann is expected here from the bay where he is attending court.

Mrs. Ohman returned yesterday from a visit to her brother, Capt. Reed, of Norway.

The schooner Parkersburg is due this river and is liable to put in an appearance at any time.

Col. Mendell and Capt. Powell returned from the mouth of the river Saturday, and proceeded to the bay.

Miss Ella Hodson and sister, Mrs. Dillion, passed through yesterday to visit their brother, Byron Hodson at Norway.

A large number of people from the upper river have passed through town the past few days en route to Empire to attend circuit court.

Don't forget that the largest stock of General Merchandise on the river can be found at the Myrtle Point store. Low prices and fair dealing.
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The steamship City of Rome which arrived in New York on Wednesday last reports having collided with a French fishing bark, resulting in the sinking of the latter and drowning 22 of her crew.

The sealing boat which was commenced last winter by Mr. Southwell, at Randolph, has been completed by Russel Panter, for Richard Thrush and Geo. Holton. They intend to make it tropical for the sea-lions, which infest the rocks off the mouth of this river, the present season.

The Henryville Mine.

Wm. Phillips, superintendent of the Henryville coal mine under its new management, arrived by the Arcata last Sunday and on Monday morning he went to Henryville and took possession to the mine and all the property thereunto belonging. He found things in about as good condition as he expected to find them, and he is now engaged in erecting a smokestack, preparatory to starting the engine and freeing the mine of water.

Only a few hundred tons of coal were ever taken from this mine, and after it has been relieved of the water that has accumulated in it, since the suspension of work there several years ago, it will be necessary to run gangways and open rooms before any considerable amount of coal can be shipped from it.

It is not the intention of the new management to rush things furiously at first, and for some time the force employed at the mine will not be large, unless the coal market should so improve as to justify a more speedy opening of the mine than is contemplated at present.

F. Bernard & Co., owners of the steamer Wilmington, have offered to carry the Henryville coal to San Francisco at $2 50 per ton, and negotiations are pending between the lessee of the mine and the owners of the steamer Coos Bay for the use of the vessel as a collier.

There appears to be no difficulty in obtaining steamers to carry the coal at reasonable figures and it now looks very probable that the mine can and will be profitably worked.

Wm. Phillips, the superintendent, is an experienced coal miner, well and favorably known here as the superintendent of the Eastport mine prior to the time it passed into the hands of its present owners.

W. T. Davis, the lessee of the Henryville mine, is an energetic business man and experinced in gold and silver mining, but this we believe to be his first venture at coal. We know the gentleman well and have no hesitation in saying that he means business and that the Henryville mine will be worked for all there is in it.

Davis is expected here by next steamer, and also an engineer to take charge of the machinery at the mine.—Coast Mail.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

[Gold Beach Gazette.]

A. H. and Fred Moore are engaged in building a pile driver for the Hunters Creek bridge.

Last Wednesday Rice Murray captured a fine fur seal that he discovered on the beach some distance from the surf.

The tug Pelican found eight feet of water on the bar. A freshet in the river is needed, to cut out the channel.

J. J. Wilson has departed for Crescent City to give that burg another chance.

Asa Carey lost a horse last winter, and after diligent search, it was found that he had followed off a band of elk. His tracks have since been seen on several occasions in company with the elk tracks, and there is no doubt that the elk have stolen the horse. Asa thinks things have come to a pretty pass when the State enacts laws to protect horse-thieves.

[Coos Bay News.]

Trout are scarce in Coos river at present.

Chas. Rogers, who has charge of the Southport mine, received orders by the Arcata to send to San Francisco immediately the mining tools and cars belonging to the mine, which are to be forwarded to the company's mine at Green river, W. T.

W. S. Vanderburg received a letter from H. P. Whitney, last week, dated at Glydon, Penn., May 12th. The snow was falling fast while the letter was being written. He says he has seen no place yet that offers as many advantages for the working man as Coos bay. He expects to return in August.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

[Robinson House.]

Tuesday—W C Angell, M D City; M E Anderson Bandon; Wm Mast Hall's creek; W L Rowlond Myrtle Point; Thos Drane Hall's creek; M P Whitington, Wm Crutchfield South fork; D J Lowe Parkersburg; C H Wright, the barber, city; Si Goodman city, J K P Elliott Elliott.

Wednesday—Ed Johnson river; O Nelson N rway; W L Rowland, J A Devaul, J C Mast Myrtle Point; G A Neely Douglas Co; A Jackson Gravel Ford; J C Dean river; Jas Clinton North fork; John Shelton Utter City; Jas Sheerly South fork; H Thurston river; Mrs C E Bullard, W C Bullard Hall's prairie; W C Angell M D city.

Thursday—J H Roberts Myrtle Point; Wm Mast Hall's creek; Esau Prewett Bear creek; Wm Perkins Bandon; Amos Hatcher Fairview; Oden Nelson, N J Nelson Norway; C Lehnherr Myrtle Point; Mrs Capt Reed, Miss McClosky Norway; Jas Castillian; Robt Ward Catchen creek.

Friday—K McBlish Marshfield; James Candlish and wife Randolph; E E Taylor, Wid Taylor, Mrs Esau Prewett Miss Martha Prewett Bear creek; Mr Winkler Randolph; John Shelton Utter City; Wm Cox Denmark; Benj Figg river; P Dean North fork; M E Anderson Bandon.

Saturday—Capt Jensen Parkersburg, J A Devaul, Jas Brown Myrtle Point; Geo W Johnson Gravel Ford; L Harlocker Fishtrap; Jas Clinton Gravel Ford; Oliver Wason; W L Mast river; Isom Cox city; Hiram Thurston river; P Dean North fork; Ed Johnson river; Chas Ross Parkersburg; John Rimmer Middle fork; Samuel Coheen Coaledo; J W Sugg Cunningham creek;

Sunday—W L Mast river; Will C Angell city; Jas B Dye Cunningham creek; J C Dean city; Geo Collier river; Chas Collier, W H Dean, E B Miller city; O D Sargent river; Jas Shirley South fork; Jo Men.

Monday—Mrs. J Knapp Empire; W L Rowland Empire; A Ustick and son Springfield; C M Wickham city; L Harlocker wife and daughter Fishtrap; S Bernstein S. F.; Mrs. R Bernham Denmark; Mrs. J P Tupper Bandon; Mrs. W C Bullard, Mrs. J F Munford Hall's creek; John Shelton Utter City; Wm Mast, Ed Johnson river.

OLIVE HOTEL.

Tuesday—G Grube Randolph; L F Mosher Roseburg; L L Harmon Gravel Ford; M Wise Myrtle Pt; Mrs D H Getchell Parkersburg; E G Flanagan Marshfield; H Schroeder Hermansville; D W Carriger Marshfield; D J Lowe Randolph; Wm Border Wm Rohm, Lewis Bender Myrtle Pt; G A Smith Empire City.

Thursday—G W Beale North slough; A E McFuller river; Mrs M Roberts Marshfield; Mrs Blacklock Port Blacklock; W H Smith Empire City; W G Wright Dallas.

Friday—G H Mendell S F; Capt Chas F Powell Portland; J H Roberts, Oscar Reed Myrtle Pt;

Saturday—A H Fish Angora; W Rohm W Philips Myrtle Pt; Mrs C Ohman and son Marshfield; Al Lilly Norway; G H Mendell S F; T H Neil Myrtle Pt; John Mast Rowland; Jas L Bush, Carl Volkmar, G D Elgin M D Myrtle Pt; T C Whitted river.

Sunday—H Virgil river; John Sanoke; Jerome Howland.

Monday—Carl Volkmar, W Warner, W A Border Myrtle Point; J O Curless Sixes; F N Getchell Parkersburg; Fred Jarvis Empire; W C Angell city; Mrs Ohman, Mrs Dillon Marshfield; Ella Hodson Coos river.

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Little Roy Drew came near being killed by a stray ballet while he was at work the other day. The fool, from whose gun the ballet came, should be prosecuted. There are always people who use no other precaution than to know that there is no one between themselves and the target at which they are shooting, or at the direction of the nearest thicket. If there was any hope of shooting some of these carless, worthless things that are endangering the lives of others, we should not protest, but the chances are that some decent person will be the victim.

TIMBER LAND NOTICE.

Roseburg, Oregon,
May 29, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that George F. Williams has applied to purchase lots 5, 6, 7, and 10, section 12, T. 23, south of range 14 west, W. M., under the act of June 3d 1878 for the sale of timber lands in the state of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington territory. Any and all persons claiming adversely any of the above described lands must file their claim with the Register of the Roseburg land office during the sixty days publication hereof, and failes to do so their rights will be barred by statute.
jun2 W. F. Benjamin
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon,
May 25, 1885.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Judge or Clerk of Coos county, at Empire City, on Friday, July 10, 1885, viz: Peter Lasswell, homestead No. 3320 for the lots 4 S W ¼ of N W ¼ and N ½ of S W ¼ Sec 4 T 25 S R 14 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

L. A. Lawhorn, F. P. Mast, E. J. Coke, Tamana Coke — all of Dora, Oregon.

Also at the same time and place, before the county Clerk.

Edward Lasswell, pre-emption D. S. No. 4431 for the S ½ of N E ¼, and lot 1, Sec. 6 T 25 S R 14 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

L. A. Lawhorn, E. P. Mast, E. J. Coke, Thomas Coke — all of Dora, Oregon.

jn2 Wm. F. Benjamin,
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Miss Delaney was thrown from a horse, near La Camas, a few days ago, and her left eye gouged out by a stump.

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