

**CHURCH DIRECTORY.**  
 Methodist services, by Rev. T. P. Haynes are held as follows:  
 First Sabbath at North Fork 11 A. M.  
 2d " " Lampy creek " "  
 3rd " " Fish Trap " "  
 4th " " Coquille City " "

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

A. J. Sherwood, of Coos river, is in town.  
 Hon. J. H. Roberts called on us yesterday.  
 There are but 76 Asiatic Chinese in Seattle.  
**WANTED.**—By Lyons & Son, 5000 pounds good bacon.  
 Mr. Wm. Lyons, our mill man, went to the city Wednesday.  
 Call at Lyons & Son's store and see their splendid stock of goods.  
 The splendid horse Young Cap Sligert, will be in town this week. See him.  
 The All Fools ball will be on the evening of 2nd of April. See ad and come.  
 C. L. Pape, formerly of this place, is now at his old home at Govanstown, Md.  
 Road supervisor's receipts, and justices' blanks for sale at this office, and also deeds and mortgages.  
 There are more strikes in progress now than at any time for several months. It has become contagious.  
 Mrs. A. G. Aiken and Miss Rachel Kroneberg returned from the up river yesterday, where they had been visiting.  
 Miss Lehman will commence school in this place Monday, April 6. Remember this and start the children the first day.  
 John Billings had the misfortune to have both of his legs broken while working with some logs, last week above Myrtle Point.  
 The steamer Annie came down late on Sunday and remained over at this place till early Monday morning repairing a tube in her boiler.  
 Canneries on the Columbia promise a big run this season, in anticipation of the good times now at hand, says the Portland Daily News.  
 Send along your orders to us for job work; we will do the work as good and cheaper than you can have it done any where. Remember this.  
 James Boyle, lately from Illinois, has purchased the James Ludley property east of R. E. Buck's place in this town, from Chas. Watkins.  
 Lewis O'Neil was hanged at Jacksonville on the 12th inst. for the murder of Lewis McDaniel at Ashland on Nov. 20th 1884. He died without a struggle.  
 Edwards Burke & Co. Myrtle Point, are fixing up the building formerly occupied as a saloon for a store. They will engage in general merchandising.  
 The singing conducted by G. A. Edmunds will continue eight nights. All who wish, can have the benefit of the balance of the term, including tickets to the concert, by paying 75 cents at once.  
 Our townsman, Mr. J. B. Hunt, is moving to the ranch he purchased of C. Watkins last week. Mr. Hunt is a great worker, and having one of the best places in the county is bound to succeed.  
 The commercial editor of the Oregonian writes this office in regard to the finding of the steamer City of Hankow's nameboard down the coast, and if any other wreckage was found. Let us know about it.  
**NEW FIRM.**—Johnson and Rose, the market men, have purchased S. S. McAdams' stock of goods, and are now selling groceries and provisions in addition to meats. Give the boys a share of your patronage.  
 If you are suffering from a sense of extreme weariness, try one bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will cost you but one dollar, and do you incalculable good. It will do away with that tired feeling, and give you new life and energy.  
 Have you a cough? Sleepless nights need no longer trouble you. The use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, before retiring, will soothe the cough, allay the inflammation, and allow needed repose. It will moreover, heal the pulmonary organs, and give you health.

Ex-Gov. Irwin of California is dead.

Frank Smith suicided at La Grange, this state, on the 15th.

It is announced that President Cleveland will be married early the coming summer.

The schooners Parkersburg and Helen Merriam sailed from this river last Friday morning.

The Oregonian is trying to incite mob law by organizing vigilance committees. Scott and the Chinese must go.

The gold mines of Oregon and Washington are creating a great stir of late, several new mines of marvelous richness having been found.

Dora Hunt who got the youthful fever, which incites young men to ramble, at this writing is again at the good home of his parents, with fever cooled down, and fully convinced there is "no place like home."

Phillips Bros. and Mr. Young of Oakland have bought nearly all the young cattle in this valley. The price of beef will rise high this year as all purchases go east of the mountains. Newcomers will find hard work to buy cattle. Some of the largest bands being taken from here go to Montana.

Miss Molina A Laird, familiarly known as "Tena," whom we reported last week as being very sick, died in this place on Thursday at noon, and was buried in the Masonic cemetery. Upwards of two hundred people attended the funeral which shows the great esteem in which she was held. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Nosler, in the church. The grief stricken relatives have the sympathy of the whole country.

**CONCERT.**

There will be a grand concert given by G. A. Edmunds' singing class, at the church in Coquille City, Thursday evening, April 1st, 1886. Following is a partial list of the programme:

"The Fortuna Teller," a comic quartett. Characters; Mr. Bluffins, a fortune teller, basso; Mr. DeSmythe, tenor; Miss Angelina Tompkins, soprano; Mrs. DeSmythe, contralto.  
 "Only a Dream of the Old Home," duet, soprano and alto, with tenor, basso, alto and soprano chorus.  
 "Hail to our Beautiful Queen," basso, tenor, soprano and contralto quartette, with obligato duet consisting of first and second soprano combined with chorus of tenor, basso, soprano and contralto.  
 "The Ocean Spray," "Babies Lullaby" and numerous other pieces both comic and social. Part of the pieces will be in regular opera style. A fine orchestra will be in attendance. Remember this will take place Thursday evening, April 1st, 1886. Admission 50 cents; children under 15 years of age half price.

**Card of Thanks.**

Ed. HERALD:—Allow us to express our heart-felt gratitude through your paper for the kindness shown us by the people of Coquille City and vicinity through the sickness of dear departed one, Miss Tena Laird; and especially do we feel grateful to Mrs. Robinson and those connected with the Robinson house, and also to Mrs. McEwain.

James Laird,  
 Emma Laird,  
 Jas. D. Laird,  
 J. C. Laird,  
 W. L. Laird.

March 19th, 1886

**Striking Miners.**

Huntington, Pa, March 18.—A General strike among miners in the bituminous coal regions was formally declared yesterday and satisfactorily carried into effect. Eight thousand are on a strike for higher wages.

**Indian Land Sales.**

Washington, March 17.—The senate yesterday passed a bill authorizing the secretary of the interior to sell certain lands on the Umatilla Indian reservation, Oregon, to William S. Byers and others.

**ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT**

Of Coos County for the Year Ending March 1, 1886.

To the State Superintendent of Public Instruction—Sir: I herewith transmit to you the annual report of Coos county for the year ending March 1, 1886.

Dated Marshfield, Or., this 15th day of March, 1886.

Signed: J. T. McCormac, Superintendent of Public Instruction for Coos county, Oregon.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Whole number of organized districts in this county.....	51
Number of school districts reporting (seven new districts).....	44
Number of persons between 4 and 20 years residing in this county (2370 in 1885)—males 1294; females, 1182.....	2476
Number of pupils enrolled in public schools during the year between 4 and 20 years of age—males, 723; females, 654.....	1377
Average daily attendance.....	1062
Number of teachers employed in the public schools during the year ending March 31, 1886—males, 18; females, 76.....	34
Number of applicants for teachers certificates—males, 20; females, 19.....	39
Number of teachers employed holding first-grade certificates—males, 9; females, 5.....	14
Number of teachers employed during the year holding second-grade certificates—males, 9; females, 11.....	20
Number of pupils enrolled in private schools during the year.....	417
Number of children not attending any school during the year between 4 and 20 years of age.....	850
Number of teachers employed in private schools during the year.....	19
Average number of months public schools have been taught during the year in this county—178 months for 44 schools.....	4,222
Number of months private schools have been taught in this county during the year.....	49
Number of private schools which have been taught in this county during the year.....	17
Number of school houses built during the year.....	none
Number of school houses in the county—log, 3; frame, 43.....	46
Estimated value of school houses including school house grounds.....	\$15,635 00
Estimated value of school furniture belonging to the school-houses.....	\$1012 00
Estimated value of apparatus, including maps, globes, charts, school tables, etc.....	\$305 00
Average amount of salary paid male teachers per month in the public schools during the year.....	\$45 70
Average amount of salary paid female teachers per month in the public schools during the year.....	\$34 70
Number of graduated schools in the county, 1; teachers employed, 4; pupils attending.....	168
Number of academies in the county.....	none
Number of colleges in the county.....	none
Number of school rooms furnished with Webster's Unabridged dictionary.....	6
Number of districts furnished with suitable record books, about.....	30
Number of teachers employed in this county taking an educational journal—males, 1; females, 2—total.....	3
Number of schools visited during the year by the county superintendent.....	24
Average length of time (hours) devoted to each visit, about.....	2
Number of miles traveled in the performance of official duties, about.....	500
Teachers' institutes held in the county during the year.....	1
Number of teachers in attendance at the institute.....	35
Salary paid the superintendent of this county.....	\$400
Taxes levied for school purposes for the year—building fund, \$122.74; teachers' fund, \$906.86—total.....	\$1029 60

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Amount of school funds in the hands of district clerks for year beginning first Monday in March, 1885.....	\$1422 70
Amount raised by districts on district tax account during the year.....	1023 60
Amount of money appropriated to school district for the county school fund during the year.....	5740 78
Amount of the county apportionment of the state school fund for August, 1885.....	1873 20
Amount of money raised by rate bills and amount of school funds received from all other sources during the year.....	1873 20
Total amount of school funds received during the year by the school districts of the county.....	\$11,345 78

DISBURSEMENTS.

Amount paid out for teachers' wages during the year ending first Monday in March, 1886.....	\$6757 09
Amount paid out during the year for the purchase of school furniture.....	138 17
Amount paid out during the year for apparatus, maps, charts, school tables, etc.....	81 06
Amount paid out for all other school purposes during the year.....	132 40
Total amount paid out during the year for school purposes in the county.....	\$10,114 78
Amount of school funds in the hands of the district clerks March 1, 1886.....	1,224 00
Total disbursements.....	\$11,342 78

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**Market Report.**

Corrected weekly by A. L. Nosler, of the Cash Store.

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Apples, per bushel.....	40
Flour, per barrel.....	5.75
Butter, per roll.....	50
Cheese, per pound.....	20
Beefsteak,.....	12 1/2
Beef, per fore qr.....	6
do, per hind qr.....	7
Mutton.....	8 @ 10
Salt Pork.....	8
Corned Beef.....	7
Hams.....	11
Bacon (sides).....	10
do (shoulder).....	9
Lard.....	12
Potatoes.....	1
Cabbage.....	2
Onions.....	4
Sugar.....	8 1/2 @ 10
Coffee, in tins.....	30
do, green.....	14
Tea, green.....	30 @ 70
do, English bkfst.....	75
Rice.....	10
Beans.....	4
Apples, dried.....	8 1/2
Rasins, do.....	20
Currants, do.....	12
Wool.....	15

Remember we give the Home And Farm, a splendid farm paper as a premium to all who settle arrearages and pay one year in advance for the HERALD.

**Syrup of Figs.**

Manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal. Nature's Own True Laxative. This pleasant liquid fruit remedy may be had of Mr. W. L. Dixon, agent Myrtle Point, J. H. Nosler, agent Coquille City, Henry Sengstacken, agent for Marshfield and Empire. Sample bottles free, and large bottles at fifty cents or one dollar. It is the most pleasant, prompt and effective remedy known, to cleanse the system; to act on the Liver, Kidneys and Bowels gently yet thoroughly, to dispel Headaches, Colds and Fevers; to cure Constipation, Indigestion and kindred ills.

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Of the age in medical line is the liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs, manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Co., San Francisco, Cal. It is agreeable to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, harmless in its nature, painless yet prompt and thorough in its action. For sale by W. L. Dixon, Myrtle Point, J. H. Nosler, Coquille City, H. Sengstacken Marshfield & Empire.

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All Fools' Ball!

April 2nd, 1886,

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Coquille City, Oregon.

Good music by the Coquille City String Band.

Ladies in masque, with lunch for two; the lunch will be sold to the highest bidder, the bidder to have and to hold the lady as his partner for the evening.

Managers—Harry Kribs and Ed Gallier.

Grand March and Sicilian Circle at 9 o'clock sharp.

Tickets 50 cents, Ladies free.

Steamer Little Annie will leave Bandon at 6 o'clock Friday morning, making the trip to Myrtle Point, and returning to Coquille City in the evening, calling at all intermediate points on the river.

On Saturday the Little Annie will run to Bandon and return to Myrtle Point, thus giving all an opportunity to attend the ball and return home the next day to any part of the river.

WANTED.—Lyons & Son want beans, oats and barley.

Remember this: We give the HERALD and San Francisco Chronicle for \$2.75 per year; the HERALD and S. F. Call, \$2.50; the HERALD and S. F. Examiner, \$3.00; and the HERALD and Home & Farm \$2.50—all in advance. The latter paper, the Home & Farm, will be sent a year free to any address by the sender paying one year in advance for the HERALD and any arrearages that he may owe.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, February 25, 1886.

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 Register or Receiver at Roseburg Land Office, on Tuesday April 13, 1886, viz: Milton R. Lee pre-emption D. S. No. 4890 for the W. 1/2 of S. W. 1/4, S. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 Sec. 27, and lot 3 Sec. 34 S. R. 13 W. Mer.

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

Charles W. Dye  
 Lewis Billings  
 Alva Lee  
 Lloyd Spire

Also at the same time and place.

Charles W. Dye pre-emption D. S. No. 4377 for the E. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 Sec. 21, S. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 and N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 Sec. 22, Tp. 31, S. R. 13 W. Mer.

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

Alva Lee  
 John E. Crutchefield  
 W. H. Crutchefield

Also at the same time and place.

Lloyd Spire pre-emption D. S. No. 4863, for the S. 1/2 of S. 1/2 of sec. 34, Tp. 28, S. R. 12 west Will. Mer.

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 F. M. Decker

Wm. F. Benjamin, Register.

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Mrs. S. E. ROBINSON, Proprietor,

COQUILLE CITY, OREGON.

I have again taken possession of the ROBINSON HOUSE, and will spare no pains or expense to make it pleasant for guests.

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Jas. Cartwright, Prop.

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