

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

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

Seed peas for sale at J. A. Collier's, Front St.  
 Dr. M. M. Murphy, a late arrival, has located on the bay.  
 Tom Coker, of Dora, was in town Thursday on business.

D. L. Watson, Esq., of Coos City, was in town Thursday.

For the best meals and at any hour go to the Olive hotel.

The light house tender Manzanita visited Coos bay last week.

Horse racing will be indulged in at the bay during circuit court.

Uncle Isaac Bingham, of south Coquille, was in town yesterday.

Grandpa Newcomer, of Norway, is cutting a new set of teeth like a child.

Johnson & Rose, the market men, are selling groceries at reduced prices.

Allen Arrington and wife are returning to Oregon from San Diego, Cal.

The San Francisco Examiner has been sued for \$25,000 libel by Samuel Sankey.

Those owing us MUST pay. We need the money and must have it. Remember this!

Peter Laswell, Jr., was very low with consumption at his home near Dora, at last accounts.

A Longshoreman's association has been organized at Empire City with Oliver Hilborn as president.

Our old friend Johnny Mast called on us Tuesday. He is proprietor of a livery stable at Myrtle Point.

Mr. Wm. Lyons returned from the city last Wednesday, and brought up a nephew, a young man of 18.

Stephen Wilkes and Miss M. Ellerby were married at Marshfield Saturday evening, say the bay papers.

J. D. Garfield is buying his hardware in the east, and it is claimed he can do better than to deal on this coast.

Mr. Green, of Sixes mines, was in town last week. Tom has a good mine and was slinging his loose cash all sorts.

Steve Gallier come up yesterday, and reports the sick at Langlois & Nelson's as improving. Steve looks quite thin.

The Helen Meriam made the trip from this place to San Francisco on quick time, arriving there some 10 days ago.

The steamer Coos Bay made the trip from San Francisco via Port Orford in 46 hours arriving at the bay on the 30th ult.

Mr. F. Marks, Marshfield, is prepared to make fancy pickets, so that the people of the bay need send to San Francisco no more.

R. E. Back's livery and feed stable is the favorite. Horsemen will find it largely to their advantage to go with the crowd.

The schooners Coquille, Helen Meriam and Parkersburg are en route to this river, the latter standing off the bar yesterday morning.

Mr. Hermann thinks he will be able to have \$15,000 more added to the \$35,000 for the work at the entrance at Coos bay, and we trust he will be successful.

Miss Mollie Lehman, principal, and Miss Laura Beyers, assistant, arrived from Sumner on Friday, and yesterday commenced our public school with a large attendance.

The registration law was decided by the supreme court, to be a nullity; yet in this place, as is doubtless the case in many other places, the officers received no official notice and registration is going on.

The slight cold you think so little of may prove the forerunner of a complaint that may be fatal. Avoid this result by taking Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the best remedy, for colds, coughs, catarrhs, bronchitis, incipient consumption, and all other throat and lung diseases.

Mr. V. N. Perry, of this place, had his hand badly sawed on the edger saw at Lyons' mill yesterday, by which he lost one finger and came near losing another.

The schedule time of the mail from this place to Marshfield was changed last Wednesday, and runs as follows: Leaves Marshfield at 6:30 A. M. and arrive at Coquille City, at 11:30. Leave Coquille City at 1 P. M., arrive at Marshfield at 6 P. M. Remember this.

"How are we ever going to get through our spring and summer work? We are all run down, tired out, before it begins." So say many a farmer's family. We answer, try Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This is just the medicine you need, and will pay compound interest on the money it costs you.

**THE ENTERTAINMENT.**

Aprèpòs of the concert given by Mr. Edmunds and his class on last Thursday evening, a local reporter sends us the following:

Long before the trouble commenced, the elite of the city had assembled enmasse, at the church where an elegant stage had been reared and new and original scenic exaggerations were lavishly displayed by the artistic manager, to the highly expectant audience. It was a superlatively recherche affair, and most of the seats were reserved.

The tout ensemble was immense and the faux pas were as numerous and amusing as the most fastidiously severe critique could wish. The ladies were tastefully attired and performed their respective parts very well, indeed.

The costumes of the gentlemen, especially of the manager, were not exactly a la mode but were generally conceded to be the sine-que-non-ne-plus-ultra-omnes-abominibus of uniqueness, and were extremely spectacular. Their main costume for the evening was a gorgeous suit of pomptypimpins.

Each was brilliantly attired in a neat white shirt and low necked breeches, cut pompadour and abbreviated at the knees; the lower extremities being encased in variegated hose. The effect was simple, but original and striking, and was received with great ecclat by that part of the audience, which is always most enthusiastically demonstrative.

It was difficult for those present to tell what the costumes were intended to represent. The costumes might be taken for a group of ancient Hibernian knights, or a company of midnight roysterers on a lark, after having partially disrobed for the night, and were having a frolic in negligèe abandon.

The style of the manager and his manner of handling his singers, particularly in the choruses, gives rise to the opinion that he has studied under Wagner, as he seems to endeavor to produce those startling and sudden effects which electrify an audience, forcibly arrest their attention and hold them in quivering ecstasy throughout the lengthy passages, while the musical elements roll and surge and crash and verbate and reverberate, each individual part warring, contending and striving for mastery. Melody of course is to some extent sacrificed, but what is lacking in quality is more than made up in quantity, so we get the more for our money's worth.

The quartette, a lullaby song by four little girls was decidedly sweet, as were also many of the solos by the young lady members of the class. In the choruses some of the voices were a trifle too eloquent for a small hall, and in the scramble for supremacy, hardly gave those of lesser power a fair chance.

In the pianissimo passages the wonderful effect of unrestrained vocal power was painfully notable, but in the fortissimos, and the sudden bursts of the staccandos, the richness, brilliancy and sonorous influence could with difficulty be resisted, and in the stormy parts, when the crashing nerve-tearing climax, produced by harmonious discord, gave full scope to the dynamic properties, their triumph was complete.

The chef d'œuvre of the evening, however, was reserved for one of the audience. The contretemps was all the more relished because it was a volunteer performance, and produced the most hearty encore of the evening, although it was not by any means the most musical part of the concert.

On the whole, the entertainment demonstrated the fact that we have musical talent of a high order among our young people which only requires time and careful culture to develop.

[Coast Mail.]  
 John Leddy, alias "Bucksin Jack," died at San Francisco on the 16th ult.

Jas. McLea, who returned by the Coos Bay, has been as far east as Louisville, Ky., where, it is said, he was successful in organizing a company of capitalists to engage in black-sand mining in the vicinity of Randolph. It is understood that McLea brought machinery with him and that several of the men who are furnishing the stamps will be along in a few weeks to make a personal survey of the situation.

It is reported that Capt. A. J. M. Campbell will soon visit San Francisco and that when he returns he will bring a new and higher smoke-stack and a bigger and better wheel for the steamer Comet, to increase her speed, after which she may change her run to take in Utter City and Henryville once or twice a day.

**Items by the Man About Town.**  
 LOOKS BETTER.—Since the pickets were all put on the new fence around W. H. Noler's property it looks (2) lots better.

**SOMETHING NEW.**—The first Barnes' scroll saw ever brought here, came to the Nichols Bros., on Friday.

**DAMP.**—The heavy dews of last week were nearly as bad as a regular rain, and newcomers could hardly detect the difference.

**IMPROVING.**—Mr. Wright and son-in-law are putting the necessary lumber on the farm of Mr. C. W. Olive for a dwelling. As the place is only a short distance below town, Mr. Wright will still be a townsman. We should be sorry to lose our only jeweler.

**THAT AUCTION SALE.**—The All Fools Ball on last Friday evening was a very enjoyable affair, and though the first of its kind in this place, was a success, socially, and financially, as we understand that after all expenses were paid there was a little left. There were but ten maskers, and the prices paid for their lunch baskets, ranged from \$1.50 to \$3.25. There were over fifty ladies present, and we surmise that the reason why so few came masked, was, that ladies usually prefer to have something to say about who shall be their partners even for an evening. During the first dance, the ladies all unmasked, and from the general good feeling prevailing, we think they were all satisfied with the sale.

**The Perfection.**  
 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.

**The Carson Mint.**  
 WASHINGTON, March 31.—Senator Fair is working to accomplish the re-opening of the mint at Carson, as he says, the necessities of the state demands. He says the mint will resume, but the illness of Manning will complicate matters. He believes he will finally accomplish the result, and business in Nevada will brighten up immediately.

**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 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.

**Items Gleaned Along the River.**  
 [By our Regular Cor.]

It is reported that the schooner Parkersburg sailed for this river from San Francisco April 1st.

Manley Roberts returned to his home at the bay on Thursday, after a visit to his parents and friends on upper Coquille. He informs us that he and his brother, Capt. Danny, have leased the steamer Comet for another year to run between Empire and Utter City, in opposition to the Myrtle and Coos.

The Annie laid over one day last week at Beaver slough for Capt. Snyder to go to Empire to renew the boat's license.

Capt. Rackliff started for San Francisco on the 30th, ult., to purchase a new boiler for the steamer Little Annie.

Capt. O. Reed hurt his leg seriously while unloading a hen coop at Beaver slough on Wednesday.

**Secretary Manning.**  
 WASHINGTON, March 31.—Secretary Manning passed a somewhat restless night, but his condition is reported unchanged this forenoon.

**Gigantic Stealing.**  
 NEW YORK, March 31.—The World's Washington special gives three and a half columns of stealings of the Pacific roads. It asserts they have robbed the country of \$100,300,000. It says Cleveland will soon send a special message to congress in regard to them.

Congress is discussing the subject of enlarging the army.—[Ex. That's nothing; the common people are doing as much, minus the dis.]

The luxury of lady clerks at the last regular session of the Oregon legislature has had a peculiar effect on members of that body. Walter Sutton, of the Gazette, sets type with gloves on his hands, and Mr. Roberts was seen the other day sowing wheat with an umbrella over his head, with the staff or handle lashed to his back parallel with the vertebrae.

**Death of Mrs. Nelson.**  
 Ed. HERALD:—I write to inform you of the death of Mrs. Nelson of Bandon. She died here at my residence on last night at eleven o'clock after an illness of eight weeks.

The immediate cause of her death was a severe cold which she contracted while temporarily stopping at her residence at Bandon, where she occasionally went to air and look after the house of which she took excellent care.

Ed. Fahy.  
 Randolph, Mar. 31.  
 Our Baby Boy Has Gone.

Your sweet young life has passed away; You came just three short months to stay To cheer us like a sunny ray. Sweet baby boy.

It was evening, when with sacred bliss We pressed the last warm loving kiss Upon the form we sadly miss. Dear baby boy.

The morning dawned, and we beheld Thy little form so pale and cold; Our grief—Oh it can never be told, Oh baby boy.

Thy form is now beneath the sod; Thy soul has winged its flight to God. For help to bear the chastening rod, We humbly pray.

We'll cherish 'er thy memory sweet, And when around the throne we meet, We hope that in heav'n shall greet Our angel boy. Michael J., and Dora A. Kranz.

**MARRIED.**  
 At S. S. Barklow's near Norway, April 4, Jasen Bandleman and Miss Sarah Barklow. At S. S. Barklow's near Norway, April 4, John Root and Miss Julia Barklow. Near Gravel Ford, March 28th, Mr. K. H. Hansen, and Miss Ida Jackson, all of Gravel Ford.

**BORN.**  
 Near Randolph, April 2, to the wife of Robert Bullard, a daughter. Mother and babe doing well. On Lower Coquille, April 2, to the wife of Steve Steward, a son weight 11 lbs.

**HERE, YE!**  
 Beef, beef beef Sent to any part of the river by Johnson & Rose, Coquille City.



We are indebted to Mr. H. Sengstacken, agent for the deservedly popular ocean steamer, the Coos Bay, for the following passenger list—those who arrived March 30:

Mrs. F. Mark, M. D. Jackson and wife, Nellie A. Jackson, D. J. Jackson, Perlle M. Jackson, Daisy Jackson, Hessie M. Jackson, H. Waranke and wife, J. E. Waranke, L. Perceval, Judge Lyons, Master Lyons, M. E. Elliott, W. D. Peters, Robt. Ely, Mrs. Johnson, F. B. Haight, F. McCarthy, Jas. McLea, A. F. Hind, J. P. Kenfield, C. H. Pearse, D. McKenzie, S. H. Carter, B. H. Rhodes, C. F. Brockman, J. W. McClune and 13 in the steerage.

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 arrearsages 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 all of Myrtle Point. Alva Lee Lloyd Spire Oregon.

Also at the same time and place. Charles W. Dye pre-emption D. S. No. 4377 for the E. 1/2 of N. E. 1/4 Sec. 21, S. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 and N. W. of S. W. 1/4 Sec. 22, Tp. 34, S. R. 13 W. W. Mer.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Alva Lee M. R. Lee John E. Crutchfield all of Myrtle Point, Oregon. W. H. Crutchfield

Also at the same time and place. Lloyd Spire pre-emption D. S. No. 4868, for the S. 1/2 of S. 1/2 of sec. 34, Tp. 28, S. R. 12 west Will. Mer.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Alva Lee Milt R. Lee J. C. Brown F. M. Decker all of Myrtle Point.

Wm. F. Benjamin, Register.

**HAULING!**  
 HAULING done to suit the times! Shingles, Slakes and pickets furnished on short notice. A. G. Allen, Coquille City, Ogn.

**FARE TO SAN FRANCISCO Per Steamers Arcata & Arago**  
 CABIN. . . . . \$6.00  
 STEERAGE. . . . . \$3.00  
 ja26 FRED SCHETTER, Agent.

**NEW Blacksmith Shop!**  
 J. W. Hughes, Prop.

All kinds of farm work solicited. Horse shoeing and plow work a specialty. Supplies for logging work, wedges, dogs, rings, cant-hooks and everything used in logging camps kept on hand. Satisfaction guaranteed in every respect. Shop near Steamer Landing, COQUILLE CITY OREGON.

**PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY!**  
 The new A I Schooner PARKERSBURG,

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**ROBINSON HOUSE,**  
 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. A share of the patronage is solicited.  
 Board and lodging, \$4.00  
 Board without lodging, \$3.50  
 Meals, 25cts.  
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**City Livery & Feed Stable**  
 Empire City, Or.  
 W. R. GETTY, Prop.

Horses and Buggies at all hours. Good Pasturage by the day, week or month. v1n49 3m.

**Feed Stable,**  
 Myrtle Point, Oreg.

All Kinds of HAULING Done at short notice. Hack Connecting with both Steamers. G. A. Brown Proprietor, F. M. Decker, Agent. n18tf

**OLIVE HOTEL,**  
 JAS. CARTWRIGHT, Prop.,  
 Coquille City, Oregon.

Meals at all Hours, At from 25cts Upwards.

THIS Popular Hotel has recently been put in better order than ever before, and is truly a favorite resort. The tables are supplied with all the delicacies to be had, and in style to suit the most fastidious epicure. Its dining-rooms and sleeping apartments are second to no hotel in Southern Oregon. v1n6 Jas. Cartwright, Prop.

**Land Agency!**  
 The Undersigned Has OPENED A

**Land Agency**  
 IN Coquille City and

Is prepared to buy or sell for reasonable consideration. He has the following for sale:

A great chance for making Money, GREAT BARGAIN!

200 Acres of good, cleared, bottom land, on Four Mile creek, 8 miles from Bandon. The place is nearly all under a good, stone fence, and is in tame grass. Some stock and farming implements go with the place. Price \$3,000; enquire of Mrs. Emma Erickson on Four Mile, or at this office.

THREE LOTS. A House of 5 rooms centrally located in Coquille City very cheap for cash.

A Brewery for sale—capacity of six barrels. Good Location—Everything convenient. Sit aactory reasons given for wishing to sell.

One and a half acres one-half mile from Coquille City, on stage road; house of five rooms, wood-shed, good cistern, 150 fruit trees, some bearing. Very cheap.

137 acres on North fork near Gravel Ford; 25 acres cleared, house 16x26, barn 20x54, smokehouse, wood-shed, bee house; 4 stands of bees, 2 cows, household and kitchen furniture, farming tools, wagon and harness, 15 acres of crops; range outside and convenient for 100 head of stock, less than one mile from school house and post office—\$2500.

162 acres, 4 miles above Parkersburg, on Coquille river; 25 acres bottom—balance bench and hill land. House 20x28 barn 42x30; good, young orchard, bearing; good timber on the on the place; good outside range for stock. Price, 1250.

1500 for 160 acres of land, 80 acres under fence, 600 fruit trees house, barn 60x40. A good range for cattle adjoining.

200 ft range and two lots in Coquille City; very cheap.

17 for House and lot in Coquille City. 100 for two unimproved lots in Coquille City.

320 ACRES—A splendid ranch, at a very low bargain. At least \$300 worth of good timber in close proximity to the water. Two to three hundred sheep go with the place. Place well improved—75 acres cleared—price, cash down, \$2500.

243 ACRES on Coquille river, 80 acres bottom land, 6 acres cleared, balance good timber, cedar and fir—convenient to log. Small house with three rooms; \$2200. Or, 120 acres including the bottom and house \$1200—a splendid chance for one wishing to make a home. Liberal terms given. One choice business lot in Coquille City—very desirable.

A BARGAIN. 158 acres at Gravel Ford, all bottom land. 50 acres under cultivation, 30 acres good pasture. One of the best places on the North fork; would make a good dairy farm. For particulars enquire of the undersigned or on the premises of J. B. Fox, Gravel Ford, Oregon. CHEAP! CHEAP!! 5 acres in Bandon City, on Main street; 5 large building of five rooms, etc., also barn. The premises are cleared and fenced, are pretty, and will be sold extremely cheap.