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 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco, is  
 the authorized agent. This paper is kept on file  
 in his office.

**Do It.** THE GOLDBUG MICROBE  
 is instantly killed by sending  
 a 3-cent stamp to the Ameri-  
 can Bimetallic League, Wash-  
 ington, D. C., and asking for free literature.  
 Do it.

**Bandon's Budget.**

Bandon, Feb. 8.—The schooner  
 Lina and Mattie is now at the gap  
 in the north breakwater and will  
 be in the river in a few days.  
 Messrs. Danielson and Reed have  
 taken the contract to get her into  
 the river; they have moved her  
 some two hundred yards and intend  
 to pull her through the gap into  
 the river. This is the same as the  
 life-saving crew was working to do  
 when the contract was let.

Wm. Bingerman and Miss Rosa  
 Alumbaugh were married last Sun-  
 day night, by Justice A. D. Morse.  
 Will had the cage made and fur-  
 nished and was married at his own  
 home and went right to housekeep-  
 ing. Well, that is about as it  
 should be. Here is our friend,  
 Long life and success to you.

Elbert Dyer left last Tuesday  
 morning for California to see his  
 father and attend to business. Mr.  
 Dyer has a fine farm in California  
 and he loves to roam about and  
 admire the growing crops.

J. B. Hunt moved into his  
 new quarters this week, some half  
 mile above town. Mr. Hunt has a  
 small farm and expects to supply  
 Bandon with vegetables in the near  
 future.

The broomhandle factory will  
 shut down tonight for some two or  
 three weeks, or until Mr. Dyer gets  
 back from California.

These fine days have started peo-  
 ple to gardening and cleaning up  
 for spring. No place like Oregon  
 for nice weather all the year round.

Several of our townspeople had  
 picnics on the beach this week; the  
 school had a romp after the waves,  
 and the sports caught several nice  
 strings of fish off the rocks.

Grandma Golden is very poorly  
 and is expected to pass away at  
 any time. Old age seems to be  
 the only trouble.

The southeast winds a few days  
 ago gave several of our townspeople  
 bad colds, and that is the kind  
 they most always get.

Girls, get your fellows and make  
 this ball the best Bandon ever had.  
 You can if you only will, but don't  
 ask the wrong one. RAMBLER.

**Rumblings from Rural.**

Rural, Feb. 8.—It becomes our  
 painful duty to record a horrible  
 massacre in the vicinity of Rural.  
 There were quite a number rather-  
 less slain and partly devoured by  
 the cannibalistic fiend.

A few days ago our usually quiet  
 and law-abiding citizens were  
 greatly shocked by learning that a  
 horrible massacre had been perpe-  
 trated on some of the inhabitants  
 of the neighborhood. Several  
 were killed outright and their bod-  
 ies terribly mangled and partly  
 devoured by the inhuman cannibal.

The cannibal did not molest the  
 older inhabitants, but sought for  
 the young and rising generation on  
 which to feast and satisfy the crav-  
 ings of his voracious appetite; but  
 the cannibal was finally discovered  
 and caught in the very act of  
 devouring one of its victims and  
 was immediately arrested and put  
 in close confinement and will never  
 more be set at liberty. But she is  
 being well cared for and will ul-  
 timately be brought to the slaughter  
 house, dressed, and made into a  
 nice batch of pork! You see the  
 cannibal was nothing more nor less  
 than John Hayes' old sow, which  
 killed and ate some of the smaller  
 hogs.

Some time ago "Send" said he  
 thought he plainly heard the merry  
 tinkling of wedding bells in this  
 locality, but I, being a little deaf,  
 could not hear them, though, at  
 present I think I can hear a slight  
 sound in the air which I imagine  
 is either the distant sound of wed-  
 ding bells or the merry warblings  
 of the sweet singing birds of spring  
 as they joyously welcome that  
 delightful season.

I have but little news from the  
 miners and trappers; at last account  
 they were still at their posts and  
 doing reasonably well. I hope the  
 boys will succeed beyond their  
 most sanguine expectations.

**Ru. RAL.**

**WANTED—AN IDEA** Who can think  
 of some simple  
 thing to patent? Perfect your idea; they may  
 bring you wealth. Write JOHN WEDDER-  
 BURN & CO., Patent Attorneys, Washington,  
 D. C., for their \$1,000 prize offer.

**The County Seat.**  
 ED. HERALD: It is possible  
 that, some time in the near future,  
 the voters of Coos county will be  
 called upon to decide by their votes  
 where the county seat of Coos is  
 to be located—perhaps perma-  
 nently located. If this question  
 ever does come up to be voted on  
 it is quite reasonable to conclude  
 that Empire City, Marshfield, Co-  
 quille City, Bandon and Myrtle  
 Point will enter the field as rival  
 claimants for the prize, and that  
 through the influence of those  
 people whose business interests  
 respectively are immediately con-  
 nected with those places above  
 mentioned; the claims of each,  
 backed by motives of self interest,  
 of a small minority, will be thrust  
 upon the attention of the entire  
 community with the greatest pos-  
 sible vigor.

In order to discuss this question,  
 with a reasonable degree of fair-  
 ness, we will be necessarily com-  
 pelled to adopt a line of argument,  
 or policy, whichever you may  
 choose to call it, which is simply  
 this: each individual voter should  
 regard his own private interest as  
 being paramount to all other inter-  
 ests. This kind of logic may not  
 be just exactly right in all cases,  
 and under all circumstances, but in  
 this case, we are unavoidably  
 forced to adopt it.

Each and every individual in  
 Coos county may, and is liable to be  
 called upon to make one or more  
 business trips to the county seat  
 during each year; and each one of  
 such trips involves a certain  
 amount of expense, which has to  
 be paid in actual cash, and there  
 is no way around it. Now comes  
 the query, which constitutes the  
 most important factor in the con-  
 sideration of this subject? First,  
 what percentage of the voters of  
 Coos county will necessarily be  
 compelled to pass through Bandon,  
 or that immediate vicinity, on their  
 way to the present county seat,  
 and what will be the expense of going  
 from Bandon, by way of the pres-  
 ent means of transportation to  
 Empire City and back to Bandon  
 again the same way? Figure up  
 the percentage and see. If it is  
 found too largely in the minority,  
 with an absolute certainty every  
 vote cast for Bandon is a vote to  
 keep the county seat where it is,  
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 costs to go from Coquille City to  
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 juice, gets so boisterous about town  
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 cooler, and when he goes home,  
 puts his wife and babies out of  
 doors at two o'clock on a cold,  
 rainy night, when this performance  
 is repeated regularly about once  
 a week, it seems about time that  
 some steps were being taken to  
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 manity toward his children. But  
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 we need the amount paid for the  
 saloon license in our town treas-  
 ury!!! Bosh!!! KRANK.

**Riverton Riottings.**

Riverton, Feb. 8.—Mr. Carpenter  
 of San Francisco was visiting our  
 J. H. Timon.

Stacy Lee and family have be-  
 come citizens of our town once  
 more.

Messrs. Robt. Walker, Stitt and  
 Long, were up on business during  
 the week from Bandon.

J. H. Timon has taken a partner  
 in his coal business, W. A. Bean  
 having purchased a 1/3 interest in  
 the same. Consideration, \$1500.  
 The new firm's name is Timon &  
 Bean.

Dr. F. G. Kelly, formerly of  
 this place is now visiting friends  
 here. His family is now living at  
 Santa Rosa, Cal.

Sturtevant and Hazeltine got out  
 a large raft of cedar, fir and spruce  
 logs during the past high water. It  
 was undoubtedly the finest col-  
 lection of logs that has been boom-  
 ed on this river for many months.

Walter Kelly has returned from  
 Coquille City where he has been  
 attending the academy.

Sunday the steamer Antelope  
 brought up Messrs. Walker, Boyd,  
 Ross and Loggie, of Bandon, and  
 A. Pershbaker of Prosper.

W. B. Pauter, the present owner  
 of the little steamer Maria, went  
 to Bandon Sunday taking with him  
 E. J. Price, J. H. Timon and W. A.  
 Bean. Mr. Price was engineer and  
 Mr. Panter captain of the vessel.

Our apartments were invaded  
 and captured by Mrs. O. A. Kelly  
 last Saturday, she having re-  
 turned from Coquille City. "Com-  
 me il faut." DONNA ANA.

**A Recommendation from Los Angeles.**  
 632 Castler St., Los Angeles,  
 Cal.—After having suffered for a  
 long time from acute rheumatism  
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 almost immediately relieved. I  
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 medicine known.—D. M. Hamilton.  
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 gist.

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 \$3 for \$2—two papers for the price  
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 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose  
 references and self-addressed stamped en-  
 velope. The Dominion Company, Third  
 Floor, Omaha Building, Chicago, Illinois.

**Empire Cityisms.**  
 Empire City, Feb. 8.—Sheriff  
 Gage returned from a trip to the  
 Coquille.  
 L. S. Rogers has rented the  
 Lockhart hotel and opened up  
 ready for business.  
 Leo Cook's new house is en-  
 closed and nearing completion.  
 He will have a handsome residence  
 and in a beautiful location, com-  
 manding a splendid view of the  
 bay.  
 Ed Hansen is now engineer on  
 the tug Columbia and Geo. Robert-  
 erts handles the levers in the hold  
 of the Comet. Mr. Roberts has  
 moved to Marshfield.  
 Fred Schetter returned last  
 week from a trip to Portland for  
 medical treatment and is much im-  
 proved since his return.  
 Captain Polhemus also returned  
 from a trip to San Francisco for  
 medical treatment and is much  
 better health than he had been for  
 a long time prior to his trip.  
 Adam Pershbaker paid our town  
 a business call yesterday, return-  
 ing today.  
 And our street improvements  
 still continue. We ought to have  
 some handsome streets if work and  
 expense count for anything.  
 The Darktown Minstrels played  
 to rather a small audience last  
 night.  
 Some real estate has been chang-  
 ing hands in our town, and other  
 transfers are talked of. It seems  
 to be the inclination of our young  
 men to prepare the cage first and  
 catch the bird afterward. Well,  
 this may be all right when they  
 are sure of a pretty bird, but it  
 might be well to remember the old  
 adage, "a bird in the hand," etc.  
 Chas. Johnson is the proud  
 father of an eleven pound girl,  
 Charley "set 'em up" all around  
 next day, and smiled and seemed  
 happy, but yet a longing in his  
 features seemed to say "Boy  
 Wanted."

An ordinance to prohibit the  
 running at large after certain hours  
 of an evening that variety of nec-  
 essary evils generally denominated  
 "kids" has been passed by our town  
 board. And yet all other kinds of  
 live stock—horses, cattle, sheep,  
 goats, chickens and hogs—are  
 allowed undisputed sway both day  
 and night. What a glorious, en-  
 lightened, civilized, moral, clearly  
 set of asses we are in this com-  
 munity! Will some one blow out  
 the light to hide our blushes for our  
 own village.

Dance tomorrow evening at the  
 S. O. Company's hall.

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**UPPER - RIVER DEPARTMENT.**  
 Myrtle Point and the Upper-Coquille,  
 and What is Going on There.

W. P. Hermann is reported as  
 being in poor health again.

E. C. Green and lady, of Deer  
 Park, are visiting friends in town.  
 J. F. Schroeder and lady visited  
 friends in town last Saturday and  
 Sunday.

Our city election is on the d-cket  
 at this writing and much interest  
 is exhibited.

The "hayseed" primary con-  
 vention brought some of our staunch  
 farmers to town Saturday.

J. H. Bryan and Joe Leggett are  
 preparing to log quite extensively  
 on Catching creek next summer.

Joseph Steel, a pioneer of Coos  
 county, is stopping at Mrs. Bark-  
 low's, near this place, and is in fee-  
 ble health.

Two fine spring days last week  
 brightened up the emerald hues of  
 the hillsides and meadows. Coos  
 county's climate against the world.

Daniel Giles & Sons are expect-  
 ing to burn several hundred thou-  
 sand brick the coming summer and  
 be ready to furnish for the new  
 courthouse and jail.

The county seat question is be-  
 ing discussed. Arago is one of the  
 prettiest townsites in Coos county.  
 Some, however, are interested to  
 know whether Coquille City will  
 get a move on and make as good  
 an offer as Myrtle Point proffers.

Fritz Moser, who operated a  
 cheese factory on the old home-  
 stead of the late Henry Schroeder,  
 sr., last summer, has moved to the  
 Gravel Ford creamery, having  
 leased Alex Jackson's place. Mr.  
 Moser will superintend the cream-  
 ery at that place the coming season.

**Does position effect sleep?**  
 asked a medical writer. It does  
 when the man holds the position  
 of nightwatchman.

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 Health for all Mankind.**  
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 tant diseases:  
 Rheumatism,  
 Gleet, Stricture,  
 Syphilis, in all  
 its forms, Skin Diseases,  
 Nervous Debility,  
 Impotency, Seminal Weakness and Loss of  
 Memory, the consequence of self-abuse  
 and excesses producing the following sym-  
 ptoms: Sallow countenance, dark spots un-  
 der the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in  
 the ears, loss of confidence, diffidence in  
 approaching strangers, palpitation of the  
 heart, weakness of the limbs and back, loss  
 of memory, pimples on the face, coughs,  
 consumption, etc.

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One of the twin babies of Mr.  
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 ing with quinsy.

Miss Alta Dodge went down to  
 Dairyville Monday and will stop  
 at Alex Thrift's for a season.

Prof. Wright has concluded to  
 continue his private school here  
 until the public school commences.

Miss Ada Wise expects to visit  
 Portland with her sister, Mrs.  
 Stevenson, and remain all summer.

J. C. Brown has some very desir-  
 able bottom lands adjoining Myr-  
 tle Point that he offers at a bar-  
 gain.

S. B. Hermann, wife and mother-  
 in-law will soon be at home again.  
 Mrs. H. is returning from a visit  
 east and was met by her husband  
 in San Francisco.

Will Guid, the barber, has  
 enlarged his rooms and now keeps  
 candies, nuts and cigars, besides  
 notions too numerous to mention.  
 His gentlemanly treatment of cus-  
 tomers will no doubt bring him a  
 good trade.

Now comes Myrtle Point with  
 brick and sand to build a new court-  
 house and jail to be delivered on  
 a beautiful site donated for the  
 purpose; provided the voters of  
 Coos county select the place for  
 a seat of justice. It has often been  
 remarked that this valley can get  
 the county seat, if the people agree  
 on a place. Therefore, Coquille  
 City and Bandon are respectfully  
 urged to stand by us. A bond will  
 be given as security for the offer.  
 Who will do better?

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 160 acres; 25 acres in cultiva-  
 tion; good house, barn and orchard.  
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 North Fork, 5 miles from Norway.  
 Address this office, or Jack Wood  
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 acres of the finest timber in Coos  
 county for lumbering, being mainly  
 yellow fir, and extra fine. This  
 body of timber is located on the  
 North Fork of the Coquille river,  
 and lies directly on the river and is  
 well situated for logging. If sold  
 so it can be had cheap. Enquire  
 at the HERALD office and go and  
 see the timber.

**A 50 ACRE FARM**—all in cul-  
 tivation; 40 acres as good bot-  
 tom land as can be found in Coos  
 county; 10 acres level bench, good  
 orchard with all kinds of fruit in  
 abundance; good house and barn,  
 good fencing, and everything in  
 first-class condition; farming tools,  
 some stock cattle, chickens, hogs,  
 etc. This lovely home is located  
 in a nice neighborhood, with good  
 school and church advantages. It  
 is 1/2 mile from steamboat landing  
 on river, and 5 miles from Coquille  
 City. This place can be bought for  
 \$3700, on good terms. Call at, or  
 write the HERALD office, Coquille  
 City, Oregon.

**An Elegant Home**  
 for Sale, Cheap.

**4 Acres, 1/2 mile from**  
 Myrtle Point postoffice; all rich bot-  
 tom land, cleared, fenced and in high  
 state of cultivation. GOOD HOUSE  
 and new barn, about 50 bushels of pot-  
 toes and a large amount of garden truck; 27  
 tiers hard wood, good cook stove, 75 chick-  
 ens, about 20 bushels of corn, and a good  
 skiff with two pairs of oars.

**ALL OFFERED FOR \$500.**  
 Call at Wells, Fargo & Co's Express office  
 at Myrtle Point for further particulars.

**Chance for a Nice Home, Cheap**

**1 1/2 ACRES OF LAND, WITH A**  
 good, new 2 story house of 7  
 rooms, besides closets and porches, all well  
 finished, good spring close to house, barn,  
 chicken-house and yard, high land garden,  
 young orchard of prunes, plums, cherries,  
 apples, pears and peaches, with an abun-  
 dance of small fruits. About one-half is  
 bottom land, with garden, or pasture for a  
 cow, with stock water, and all cleared and  
 fenced. Apply to G. W. NORTON,  
 Coquille City, (West Side).

**TO EXCHANGE.**—A good young team  
 of horses, with harness and wagon, 2  
 milk cows, together with 40 ACRES OF  
 LAND near Drain, Douglas county, Oregon,  
 to exchange for land or town property in  
 Coos county. For particulars,  
 Address, BOX 65,  
 Coquille City, Oregon.

**Dr. Gibbon**  
 This old reliable and most successful spe-  
 cialist in San Francisco, still continues to  
 cure all Sexual and  
 Seminal Diseases,  
 such as Gonorrhoea,  
 Gleet, Stricture,  
 Syphilis, in all its  
 forms, Skin Diseases,  
 Nervous Debility,  
 Impotency, Seminal Weakness and Loss of  
 Memory, the consequence of self-abuse  
 and excesses producing the following sym-  
 ptoms: Sallow countenance, dark spots un-  
 der the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in  
 the ears, loss of confidence, diffidence in  
 approaching strangers, palpitation of the  
 heart, weakness of the limbs and back, loss  
 of memory, pimples on the