

REGULAR TRAINS

Table with 3 columns: Leave, Arrive, and Station. Rows for Marshfield and Myrtle Point.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Additional locals on 2d page. The bon-bon ball next Saturday night. La grippe is having a run in this section.

This steamer Coquille River is looked for by all. Miss Laura Barklow passed down to Bandon last Friday.

"Everybody dance"—at the bon-bon ball Saturday night. Johnson Bros are selling cheap, for cash—and cash only.

We are getting our winter now—rain and sleet and snow. Gus Buckingham came down from Myrtle Point yesterday.

A. D. Wolcott, of Marshfield, came over on Monday's train. Mrs. Houghton, of Norway, took the boat to Bandon last Friday.

The steamer Coquille River left San Francisco for Coquille last Friday. K. D. Gorham, of the lower-river, was shopping in town last Wednesday.

A fine chicken supper for 25 cents, and rare musical treat, at Masonic hall tonight. Watch and jewelry repairing in a workmanlike manner at the lowest rates, by C. L. Gray.

M. J. Krantz, deputy assessor, was in town yesterday. He is operating on the river at present. A good supper and nice musical program for one price at Masonic hall tonight. Don't miss them.

At the school meeting at Myrtle Point, Thos. Barklow was elected director and L. A. Roberts re-elected clerk. Baker, the photographer, will hold cabinet photos at \$1.50 per dozen this summer, from Myrtle Point to Bandon.

Fresh milk at Stanley's. J. H. Radabaugh was down on business yesterday. Don't forget the bon-bon ball next Saturday night.

The schooner Antelope came in over the bar Sunday. Turn out for chicken supper at Masonic hall, at 6:30 o'clock. Read the Herald's great clubbing offers—the best ever offered.

Archie McNair, of Myrtle Point, was on out streets yesterday. Fine music by Gray's orchestra Saturday night at the bon-bon ball. Glenn Cox of Bandon returned from a trip to Marshfield yesterday.

D. L. Watson, jr., of Marshfield, came over yesterday and went to Bandon. Miss Nellie Figg has been chosen teacher of the Fishtrap school for the coming term.

J. J. Stanley will start a bran new milk wagon April 1st. Save him your orders. The schooner Parkersburg was towed to this place this morning by the tug Triumph.

Rev. J. S. McCain will hold services next Sunday at Masonic hall, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Drugs, family medicines, stationery and garden seeds kept in stock at the Coquille Pharmacy.

J. P. Goodman went down to Prosper yesterday to plaster the new residence of A. Pershbaker. Handsomely and artistically enlarged photographs at home. See Charley Zevely, at HERALD office.

The largest and best stock of cigars and tobacco ever brought to Coquille City just received by B. E. Nosler. Tonight will be given the chicken supper and musicale. Either part of the program will be well worth the whole cost.

Dr. Jennings, dentist, and wife arrived at this place, via Drain and the bay, last Friday, proceeding at once to the lower river. Lumber had been delivered and work was begun on the bridge to West Side last week. It will now certainly be finished.

Prof. M. O. Hawkins, teacher at our Collegiate Institute, made a visit to his father's in Curry county, last week during vacation. Ralph Edmunds closed his term of school at Arago on the 26th ult. He gets the school again, term to begin 1st Monday in May.

Parties wishing marriage licenses can obtain the same through D. P. Dean at Coquille City. Apply with witness at least a day or two before the documents are needed. Rev. Mr. Horsfall, Episcopalian minister at the bay, will conduct services at the Christian church in this place next Sunday, morning and evening, at the usual hours. The public is cordially invited.

The steamer Albion went out Sunday. J. J. Stanley wants to buy a few choice dairy cows. Best of bacon at Johnson Bros., also eastern honey drip syrup.

The World Almanac is for sale at this office for only 25 cents. B. E. Nosler has received a large and choice stock of tobacco and cigars. The summer term of public school will begin next Monday a week—March 22d.

WANTED—To borrow, \$400, on 3 or 5 years' time; good security. Apply at HERALD office. At Dr. Moore's Coquille Pharmacy you will find prices to correspond with the depressed value of your produce.

The Christian Sunday-school will conduct an Easter service, and has in preparation a very pleasing program of song and literary numbers. Do not fail to send for a setting of Silver-Laced Wyandotte eggs. They are taking the lead as an all-purpose fowl. See ad of Mountain View Poultry & Stock Farm.

Several first-class Dairy and Agricultural papers are offered free for one year to cash subscribers of the HERALD. Make your selection from our splendid clubbing lists. FOR SALE, OR LEASE—A splendid blacksmith and wood-work shop, two forges, first-class location, and supplied with necessary tools and machinery. Apply and learn particulars from the HERALD OFFICE.

F. A. White has received his stock and is now prepared to do shoemaking and mending, harness repairing, etc., of every kind. Shop—First street between Nosler's livery stable and Wilson's new blacksmith shop.

The Labor Exchange meeting was fairly enthusiastic last night. Next Monday night is the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors, and others will meet with them, as also two committees that were appointed last night. Several of our "crack shots"—and others are invited—will meet at C. L. Gray's next Friday evening to organize a rifle club, under Creedmoor rules. It is expected other towns and neighborhoods will organize and that contests can be arranged for future occasions.

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F. L. Gilman, the ship carpenter and boat-builder, who just completed the new little river steamer, "Ralph," for Capt. Clark Ballard, passed down to Bandon in his little sail-boat, "Alice," last Wednesday. He expects to take a contract at Bandon for the building of a small schooner for a whaling party. After this is through, or in case of no boat to build, he will proceed in his little boat to Chetco for a time, and later again return to this section. His little sail-boat is 24x7 feet, a very pretty model and light and swift. Many citizens viewed the little craft while she was moored at the wharf last Wednesday morning.

A Surprise Donation Party was given at K. V. Millard's residence, near the Methodist church, in this place, Wednesday evening of last week. It was a complete success in every respect, being a thorough surprise to Mr. Millard and family, and in ministering liberally and cheerfully of the good things of this life. Besides the attendance was overflowing, being participated in by many of his church members as well as friends of the congregation, including so many young people who went armed with sacks of flour, bacon, beans, sugar, coffee, etc., to the extent that these latter were crowded out from their social functions and retired to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Deau for the balance of the evening. Here they indulged in vocal and instrumental music, games, plays, etc., till a convenient hour. The older friends spent the evening with the minister and his family in social converse, passing, altogether, a very pleasant visit.

Riverton Riottings. Riverton, March 8.—Once more the mines have resumed work, the steamer Albion having arrived with a cargo of freight and departed with an entire cargo of coal. The Coquille River is expected in today. She will also take a load of coal. The B. B. Coal Co. is prepared to load even more vessels now, provided the steamers make no faster time than heretofore. A brand, spanking new dray in town drawn by mules. I tell you we'll get there yet. Yesterday the news arrived in town that a new-comer had arrived at the home of J. D. Donaldson and wife. Later we were told that it was a pair of girls. Come, now, Joe; bring up the cigars. At last we have a bill drafted for the incorporation of Riverton. A petition to the legislators praying for the passage of the bill is already signed by our 50 legal voters within the proposed corporate limits. Now, Hon. W. H. Nosler, what are you going to do with that? DONNA ANA.

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She Was Out of Coal. The steamer Coquille River, which was reported off Point Arena short of coal last Tuesday, was towed into port this morning by the Alliance. The disabled steamer was on her way down the coast with a load of lumber, when she encountered strong head winds. So fierce was the gale that for twenty-four hours no headway was made, through the engines were running at their greatest speed. All of the coal was consumed and over 1000 feet of the load of lumber went into the furnaces. The tug Sen Queen, which was sent from this city to find the steamer, missed her in the thick weather, and the Alliance found her with fires almost out.—Examiner, Mar. 4.

Our Public Schools. The school board met last Friday night and transacted important business, including approval of the clerk's bond, coming to an understanding regarding ways and means, the selection of teachers for the school. Mrs. Bontell's bond as clerk was set at \$3000, and her salary at \$25. She had no trouble filling her bond, and she is an intelligent, efficient, painstaking official. A term of three months' summer school was agreed upon, beginning the 3d Monday of the present month—March 22d.

There were 13 applications as teachers, and doubtless every one a worthy and fully qualified. Prof. M. O. Hawkins was selected for the principalship, at a salary of \$55 per month; Claud Nosler was chosen for the intermediate grade, at a salary of \$45 per month; and Miss Mary Quack was selected for the primary school, at \$35 per month. Bandon Recorder.

The wooden mill was short of wool again this week and was obliged to shut down a day or two until a steamer arrived. The fever has left town, and all the patients are getting better. The mumps still hold on and now and then a new case is reported. William Wallen was elected director and J. B. Inman clerk of school district No. 29, at Two-mile, last Monday, at the annual school meeting.

On Sunday and again on Monday an attempt was made to launch the Bessie K into the lagoon but both failed. On Tuesday, however, the boat was successfully floated in the lagoon where she will remain for two weeks or until the tides are larger. At the annual school meeting on Monday Elbert Dyer was elected to succeed R. H. Ross, whose term of office expired, and W. D. Shoemaker was elected to fill the unexpired term of Robert Walker, resigned. M. L. Swift was chosen to serve as clerk for the current year.

On February 18 the schooners Parkersburg and Antelope left San Francisco for this port and they had hardly got clear of the heads when a small struck them. They turned and ran back to the city. The Parkersburg stood up to the wind but in so doing lost her main-sail and was driven 100 miles south of the Golden Gate and came near drifting ashore before the mainsail could be repaired.

Look Out For the Wagon. MILK at all times. Fruit and Vegetables In Their Season. J. J. STANLEY, Sanford Ranch. STEAMER COQUILLE RIVER WILL LEAVE San Francisco for Coquille river direct about March 1st. Will receive passengers and freight for all Coquille river points. O. C. BENJAMIN.

Gravel Ford Items. Gravel Ford, March 6.—M. O. Hooton of Bridge neighborhood visited the Shiloh district Monday, the 1st. Minnie McCloskey will teach the Gravel Ford school the coming term. We wish her success. John Porter has taken possession of G. G. Swan's place, while G. G. is clearing some of his bottom land.

M. O. Stemler will most certainly get the Shiloh school the coming term. We hope he may, because he was liked so well some years ago. Weekly and Minard have been toiling faithfully for the last two weeks, so I have heard. Boys, I guess that is not quite so nice as going to college where you can talk to the girls every day.

Miller & Son have banked their saw-logs ready for a higher tide, so that they can run out into deeper water and land them below. Assessor Hansen and Deputy Krantz started out on their official work the 1st of the month. The Shiloh school district still holds its own. The attempt to merge two (Districts No. 48 and 92) into one is fiddlesticks; it is too far for children to have to go four miles to school. JIM LEXITON (Marshfield Sun.)

Wm. Carlson, who was badly burned at the Beaver Hill mine some six weeks since, is spending a few days in town. It will be a long time before he will be able to go to work again. Dr. Avers has a preparation to preserve wool against the ravages of the destructive teredo. He claims it a success and says he has been offered a handsome sum for his right.

The marshals' litigation has assumed a new phase. H. W. Daugham's attorneys have served notice upon counsel for W. F. Elrod that they will move on the 15th (before the supreme court) for an order dispensing with printed abstracts, briefs, etc., as is the usual custom, and that the case be tried immediately on oral argument. Daugham's attorneys also ask for \$500 damages.

The Coquille Dramatic Club. Gave its initial entertainment at Masonic hall last Saturday night to a large and enthusiastic audience. The play, "Little Goldie, or The Child of the Camp," is a comedy-drama of considerable merit as to characterization and illustrative of life in gold camps, which, in course of time, grow to importance and invite within their environments the advents courier of civilization—the school teacher, doctor, lawyer, colonels, majors and the usual social elements. George Leach, as Judge Perkins, was immense, and lost nothing in popularity as an actor. The other parts, also, were unusually well sustained and each received merited applause. Anderson Lamb, as Joe Harwood, a squar man, played well; Frank Strang, as Bummer Jones, S. M. Nosler, an Irishman, Fred Nosler, as Harold Godfrey, captain of the Black Hawks, each sustained their parts admirably. Miss Birdie Nosler, as "Little Goldie," the pride of the camp, made a decided hit while Miss Marie Nosler and Mrs. Lou Nosler each did well. All in all the play proved very entertaining and enjoyable. Leach's orchestra furnished very entertaining music during the program.

From Cripple Creek. After the big fire in Cripple Creek. I took a very severe cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled. After using three small bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, both the cough and cold left me, and in this high altitude it takes a meritorious cough remedy to do any good.—G. B. HENDERSON, editor Daily Advertiser. For sale by R. S. Knowlton, druggist.

Mr. Elwell—Isn't it strange, but true, nevertheless, that the biggest fools always marry the prettiest girls? Mrs. Elwell—Oh, now go on, you flatterer.

MARRIED. HAYNES-CHAMBERLAIN—At Marshfield, March 3, 1897, by Rev. George Gillespie, Frank Haynes and Miss Ursula Chamberlain.

BORN. HARRINGTON—At Bandon, March 4, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harrington, a son. JOHNSON—At Bandon, Feb. 26, 1897, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson, a son.

WARNING.—All hunting parties or individual hunters, with or without dogs, are hereby warned to keep off my premises, or suffer the penalties of the law. M. J. PENDLETON.

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Notice to Taxpayers

TAXES for the year 1896 are due and payable from Feb. 15, 1897, and will become delinquent April 1, 1897. On and after that date three (3) per cent will be added to the amount of tax. Sheriff and Tax-Collector of Coos County, Oregon. FOR SALE—Two full-blood Jersey Bulls, both eligible to registry for pure blood, one yearling and one spring calf. The yearling can be bought for \$40, and the four-month old calf for \$20. Address the HERALD office for particulars, or write JUDGE J. H. SCHROEDER, Arago, Coos county, Oregon. july74f

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