

REGULAR TRAINS  
MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS will run as follows:

LOCAL ITEMS.  
Additional locals on 2d page.

Nails at \$3.50 per keg at The Fair store.  
Johnson Bros are selling cheap for cash—and cash only.

Rev. Mr. Black of Sumner was in town a brief spell last week.  
Best of bacon at Johnson Bros, also eastern honey-drip syrup.

Fine Omaha syrup at George Robinson's at 35 cents per gallon.  
Jesse G. Leneve, of Parkersburg, was in town visiting his parents last Saturday.

POLKA DOT WASHABLE WINDSOR TIE, ONLY 50 CENTS.  
BERLIN STORE.  
Mrs. Nosler, of Riverton, came up Saturday to visit relatives and friends at this place.

WANTED—To borrow, \$400, on 3 or 5 years' time; good security. Apply at HERALD office.  
Dr. Tower came over last Friday and examined Uncle Billy Way for an increase of pension.

Drugs, family medicines, stationery and garden seeds kept in stock at the Coquille Pharmacy.  
Charley Lorenz went to Bandon on the 1st inst., and will remain awhile in their store at that place.

The largest and best stock of cigars and tobacco ever brought to Coquille City just received by B. E. Nosler.  
A. O. Wheeler, our livery and express man, has moved into the Collier property on Second street, adjoining T. A. Walker's.

Mrs. C. W. Martin has a full line of men's and boys' clothing, which would be well for all to see and price before purchasing elsewhere.  
J. J. Stanley started in last Thursday, April 1st, to furnish milk at the doors of our citizens. His nice, new wagon will soon be ready.

Bert Johnson came on a visit home from Beaver Hill last Friday. He still uses crutches as a consequence of his recent hurt at the mine.  
Several first-class Dairying and Agricultural papers are offered free for one year to cash subscribers of the HERALD. Make your selection from our splendid clubbing lists.

The following were her passengers to the bay: Mrs. Clark, Bandon; E. J. Deven, St. Louis; O. G. Dalaba, Elk City; D. M. Hunter, city; H. Van Meter and J. F. Hall.  
You need not go nor send elsewhere for clothing, either for men or boys. Mr. and Mrs. Martin have brought them right to your door, and have the invoices of much more to come on next steamer.

The following new star mail service has been adopted in Oregon: Myrtle Point to Eckley—Leave Myrtle Point Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m., arriving at Eckley by 5 p. m.; leave Eckley Monday, Wednesday and Friday 7 a. m., arriving at Myrtle Point by 5 p. m.  
J. C. Wilson received his steam pump for the Stockman coal mine at the edge of town per steamer Coquille River last Friday. The engine has been in place and ready for several days, and now work will begin in good shape. Uncle Jack is determined that the coal mine at this place shall be operated.

In a letter to the manufacturers Messrs. Davis & Buzard of West Monterey, Pa., say: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has cured people whom our physicians could do nothing for. We persuaded them to try a bottle of it and they now recommend it, as do the rest of us." For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle by R. S. Knowlton, druggist.

"X," Empire City correspondent of the Coast Mail: Empire City, the greatest horse pasture town on the coast, came near being the scene of a sad accident last Wednesday. The two little children of Mr. Earle were playing on the sidewalk near Twambley's market, unaware of any danger, when, without warning, one of a herd of racing cayuses ran upon the sidewalk and right over the children before they could move. They were both knocked down and cut in several places, but fortunately escaped without any serious damage.

The city election is drawing nigh. WANTED—A 24 or 25-inch wagon. Lowest cash price. Apply at the HERALD office.  
Watch and jewelry repairing in a workmanlike manner at the lowest rates, by C. L. Gray.  
Handsome and artistically enlarged photographs at home. See Charley Zevely, at HERALD office.  
The Bachelors' Club gave another of its high jinks last Friday night at Masonic hall to invited friends.  
J. W. Field has moved to the residence portion of the new blacksmith and wagon-shop, which he has leased.  
At Dr. Moore's Coquille Pharmacy you will find prices to correspond with the depressed value of your produce.  
Mrs. C. W. Martin has received a fine stock of goods fresh from the city, and at very low prices. Call and see them.  
Grandma Roberts returned by last Friday's train from a visit of some weeks with children and friend on the bay.  
Baker, the photographer, will hold cabinet photos at \$1.50 per dozen this summer, from Myrtle Point to Bandon.  
W. C. Jones, of Santa Rosa, Cal., arrived at this place last Friday. He comes with a view to locating and going into the stock business.  
To restore gray hair to its natural color as in youth, cause it to grow abundant and strong, there is no better preparation than Hall's Hair Renewer.  
Comrade S. G. Jones and wife, of Myrtle Point, moved down to Bandon last Saturday. Mr. J. had a pet deer with him that was admired by all.  
Arrivals per Homer, Thursday: At the Blanco hotel—H. E. Watson and wife, Oakland, Cal. At the Central—E. N. Perkins and family, Bandon; W. C. Jones, San Francisco; D. Bianchi.  
Next Friday—April 9th—is Arbor day. The new school building was secured too late for a proper observance at this place, but it is to be hoped in the future a suitable program can be arranged and enacted.  
WALK INTO OUR STORES—WALK OUT IN OUR SHOES—That's about the best advice that we can give you. Why? Because we can fit you better and cheaper than any other house. BERLIN STORE.  
Buy an "Arlington" high-arm self-threading sewing machine, of the "New Home" pattern, warranted for 10 years—a \$65 machine and as good as the best high-priced machine made—for only \$18.50! Send through the HERALD, or direct by sending the coupon in the advertisement on our first page. Read the advertisement.  
At a recent meeting of the school board, with a view to protecting the pupils during recess and play hours, the following order was made:  
COQUILLE CITY, March 29, 1897.  
The school board orders all parties not attending school to refrain from loitering on the playground during school hours.  
MRS. LAURA BOUTELL, Clerk.  
Lieut. A. L. Moser and wife, and Comrade L. J. Sipe, of God's Regular Army, arrived in this place last Friday to arrange for their second anniversary exercises. They prepared the way by holding preliminary meetings—out-door meetings were intended, but inclement weather drove them in-doors to the Methodist church last Friday night. Lieut. Moser was assisted by his wife and Bro. Sipe, of the detachment, and they were joined here by Bro. and Sister White, Bro. and Sister Geo. Martin and others of this place and made quite an interest.  
The river steamers Dispatch and Antelope were lately transferred to W. R. Panter, G. W. Leneve and D. L. Perkins, and on the 1st inst. reached Coquille City under new management. Capt. Leneve has rented property in this city and will at once move his family here, from which point the steamer Antelope, under his mastership, will leave this place every morning for Bandon, returning in the evening, while the Dispatch, under Capt. Panter, will continue on her present schedule, leaving Bandon in the morning for this city and returning to Bandon at night. This arrangement will be very acceptable to the people, and will undoubtedly increase patronage both as to passenger traffic and freight shipments.

"The Fair" will pay cash for fresh eggs.  
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Read the HERALD's great clubbing offers—the best ever offered.  
Mrs. E. O. Carter, of Fishtrap, spent a few days in town last week.  
New goods—new goods at bed-rock prices at, Mrs. C. W. Martin's.  
C. W. Paterson, the marble-cutter at Marshfield, came over on yesterday's train.  
WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR women to travel for responsible established house in Oregon. Salary \$750 and expenses. Position permanent. Reference, Enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope, The National Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.  
Uncle Tom Willard was out a short while last Thursday, and has taken a room on the Mercantile & Shipping Association's lot adjoining his old quarters.  
L. L. Dietz, a practical watch repairer, will soon open a shop in Coquille City—in the meantime will do all kinds of repairing at home, at the Judge Nosler residence.  
Capt. Manley Roberts, of the bay, came over on a business trip last Friday, extending his visit to Bandon. He returned home yesterday. The HERALD office had a pleasant call.  
Charley James holds the position of deckhand on the steamer Dispatch, under its new management. He is an intelligent and faithful employe, and now holds an engineer's license.  
The Coquille creamery started up on the 1st inst. and has a most promising season before it. Everything is in first-class shape for a prosperous year, so far as arrangements can be made ahead.  
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.  
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Next Sunday a week will be Easter. Appropriate services will be held at the Southern Methodist church in the morning and at the Christian church at night, each furnishing attractive literary and musical programs.  
Miss Flo Boyrie, a pupil of Miss Keeley's art class, has finished a very handsome painting of the coal-bunkers and surroundings at Riverton. The view from the standpoint taken on the north side of the river, taking in the steamer Coquille River and other features, with the hills in the background, makes it a very beautiful scene and is artistically drawn.  
A pleasant birthday party was given at Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fox's last Wednesday evening, in honor of Miss Myrtle. A host of young friends greeted her, and enjoyed a happy evening. The time was spent in the usual manner, in social converse, music, games, etc., and refreshments were served. The HERALD joins the many friends of Miss Myrtle in wishing her many happy returns of her anniversary.  
We would like to look into the pleasant face of some one who has never had any derangement of the digestive organs. We see the drawn and unhappy faces of dyspeptics in every walk of life. It is our national disease, and nearly all complaints spring from this source. Remove the stomach difficulty and the work is done.  
Dyspeptics and pale, thin people are literally starving, because they don't digest their food. Consumption never develops in people of robust and normal digestion. Correct the wasting and loss of flesh and we cure the disease. Do this with food.  
The Shaker Digestive Cordial contains already digested food and is a digester of food at the same time. Its effects are felt at once. Get a pamphlet of your druggist and learn about it.  
LAXOL is Castor Oil made as sweet as honey by a new process. Children like it.  
The HERALD today publishes the law on compulsory education in this state. State Superintendent Irwin has issued a circular letter regarding the law and its enforcement and it is to be hoped parents in this district who are so disinterested or neglectful, or short-sighted, whatever the cause may be, of their children's future welfare and prosperity, will arouse themselves to duty and save the suns lost to them and their families by resisting the law to carry out a whim or eccentricity into which they have trained themselves. The public welfare demands education, as much of it as we can acquire, and the citizen who arraigns himself against so plain a duty at this day raises a doubt as to his good citizenship and his obligations for the advancement and prosperity of his generation and country. Read the law and act up to its requirements.

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Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the architect, or at the office of J. J. Lamb at Coquille City, Oregon, from and after the 25th day of March, 1897. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Done this 15th day of March, 1897.  
J. HENRY SCHNEIDER, County Judge.  
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Those pimples or blotches that disgrace your skin, are blood bubbles. They mark the unhealthy condition of the blood-current that throws them up. You must get down to the blood, before you can be rid of them. Local treatment is useless. It suppresses, but does not heal. The best remedy for eruptions, scrofula, sores, and all blood diseases, is Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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The Choral society has changed its regular meetings from Monday to Friday nights hereafter.  
Wm. Noble, the logger, came over from the bay yesterday. He is arranging for another season of business.  
Mrs. Figg was shopping in town last Saturday, and also left some choice lard at Mrs. Hersey's for sale. Mrs. Hersey keeps eggs, butter and other family supplies for sale.  
H. H. Dean, representing the Weston-Dygart Co., printers, lithographers, stationers and book-makers of Portland, visited our section the past few days. Mr. D. made the HERALD a pleasant call.  
At a meeting of the city council last night, the following persons were appointed as an election board: Judges, B. E. Collier, Joe Hudson and George Wickham; clerks—N. W. Leneve and C. C. Myers.  
A number of persons will be immersed on Easter Sunday, in the morning, by Mr. Millard, weather permitting. They are converts and have been received into membership of the Church of Redeemed Israel. There will be 10 or 12 of them.  
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