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Coquille Valley Apples.
 Almost with the first settler in the Coquille Valley the apple orchards were started. At first the orchard was put out for home supply alone, but later on, as the possibilities of the valley were appreciated, larger and better orchards were planted. This was with the idea of future revenue from shipping apples to San Francisco and other coast towns.

But the apple orchard takes time to mature, and much care and attention to produce the best results; and at the present up here the results were far from satisfactory. About ten years ago the first creamery was erected on the river, the natural result showing itself within a few years, in the increased productive value per year of the heretofore neglected milk cow.

Many acres of land have since been cleared, fine barns built, creameries erected, and a permanent financial improvement to be noted throughout the valley. Those early pioneers in the manufacture of butter and cheese, are to be remembered by all of those who are now able to sell all the milk they can produce, and are now reaping the benefit of their desire to introduce modern methods. Much yet remains to be accomplished by the dairyman in the more careful cropping of his land, and increased feeding under conditions most favorable to the production of the essential buttermilk.

During and owing to this dairy boom the old family orchards have been lost sight of, and their yield looked upon as only a side issue of little value. Instead of carefully pruning the trees year by year, breaking up the soil and enriching it to the betterment of the product and getting the best from the land, the orchards, both large and small, have been woefully neglected. There is hardly an orchard in the valley but shows trees ill trimmed or not trimmed at all; trees moss grown; the ground covered with weeds, and in some places even too hard to grow weeds. Some orchards have been used as a run for stock, others have been planted to hay or green fodder. That substance which remained in the soil has been taken out entirely for the benefit of the cows; the natural result being smaller and poorer apples than should have been expected from the careful forethought of the early pioneer settlers.

Year after year, under the worst possible conditions for success, the farmer has packed and shipped apples to the City to a commission house, expecting to receive the fancy prices quoted for apples in the daily papers. The fact that the large centers of consumption were receiving the finest of apples, grown under conditions most favorable to the production of perfect fruit, packed with every care possible to safety of transportation, was lost sight of, and apples of all sizes, kinds, grades and quality were put up in rough cases and shipped to compete with the finest. Almost always the same result: but barely enough returns to cover expense of shipping, let alone picking and any possible cultivation.

During the past few years a somewhat different stand has been taken regarding this product and shipping. Parties were interested in the work only as a side issue have shipped apples carefully packed, sometimes in large quantities sometimes in small, with varying results. At no time has there been a systematic effort made to bring the orchardist and packer into close harmony. This should be done to accomplish the desired effect.

During the past summer two young men, one a resident of this county, the other from California, have been quietly studying the situation and are preparing to make the start in the right direction to utilize the apple crop. Many orchards have been inspected and much valuable data regarding their size, acreage, number of trees, variety of fruits, age, care and attention have been gathered. The result, while not entirely to the credit of the valley, show that with proper attention paid to the orchards by their owners that in the near future the orchard land can be made to yield as good a return as the pasture or crop land now yield through the cow.

Arrangements have been made with the owners of some few of the best orchards for the handling of their crops. These apples will be hauled to the packing house at Myrtle Point, where under the most careful supervision they will be packed ready for the market in Alameda county, California. During the last few weeks a small shipment of Gavensteins were taken south, and used as a feeder to determine just what was required regarding

quality, etc., by the consumers of fancy apples. All or nearly all of these conditions can be met here, and with the work this fall only the finest of Coquille Valley apples under the name of the Laurelwood Brand will be introduced in such a way to create a permanent demand for this output.

Much in regard to the ultimate success of this work depends upon the careful handling of the fruit from the orchard to the packing house, packing and transportation to the city. This will be attended to most carefully in the future. It is not here that the care and attention ends or begins, but it is with the farmer that the foundation of the work must begin. It is by his careful cultivation, judicious pruning of trees, and study of conditions necessary to the production of the best, and only the best that he, the farmer, and through him the valley from end to end will reap the benefit it deserves. Temporary quarters have been secured at Myrtle Point for the handling of this year's apple crop. Here all apples will be carefully graded as to size, quality and kind; they will be wrapped in paper, similar to the orange and lemon in the south, carefully packed in specially prepared boxes, and then loaded into cars preparatory to shipment to California. Supervision of this branch of the work will be under Mr. F. W. Wright, a thorough chemist and pomological expert. During the winter months he will be located at Myrtle Point where he can be found at any time and always ready to transact business. Whenever it is a question regarding the care and attention of trees, variety to plant, or any detail regarding this branch of the work it will be well to consult him.

Mr. B. H. Henderson, while at present here superintending the start of this season's pack, will probably remain in the south, where he will receive each shipment upon its arrival in the city. He will have charge of the disposal of all fruit shipped, and will place it where it will count the most for the credit of the Coquille Valley. Oregon apples have always had the name of being fine apples, and as such met with ready sale. But Mr. Henderson proposes to create a demand for a special line of apples known as the Coquille Valley Apples, Laurelwood Brand.

As has been said during the summer Mr. Henderson has gathered a great deal of information regarding orchards in the valley, but there is still much desired by him. He desires to get into correspondence with all those having orchards that are within reach of either Myrtle Point or Coquille. Data regarding location of orchards, number of acres covered, number of trees, age, and variety is wanted. This is all to be used in the preparation of work for next fall when packing on a much larger scale will be carried on. Mr. Henderson's address is 1509 Oxford street, Berkeley, Calif. It is to be hoped that those who are interested in the development of their own properties, and the future of the Coquille Valley will aid and assist in this matter by sending all the information available. It is only through the hearty co-operation of all interested that the best results can be reached. It is well known that the natural advantages of this valley exceed any other along the coast, and that we can lead in every branch when we make up our minds to do so. Now that there is a fair prospect of improved railroad and steamer transportation, let each and every one determine to do much better in the future than in the past and make a name for ourselves that shall become a household name for all that is the best and finest. Let our motto be:

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 The Valley of the Coquille.

For Sale or Exchange.

I will sell or exchange for Coos county property 4 lots in placer mining camp on Gravel creek, Josephine county, Oregon, also 1 hotel, furnished; 1 feed barn and all out buildings; 4 dwellings connected by private first class telephone on above lots; 3 lots; 1 good rustic frame house; 1 barn with good well; good orchard and all necessary out building, four blocks from railroad depot and 1 block below track on south side of Grants Pass, Josephine county, Oregon. This property foots up \$3,000 dollars and brings in clear rent cash above insurance and \$1.00 per day. Will exchange for Coos county property, or cattle, sheep or goats. For particulars write the owner, Thos. Butts, Bridge, Oregon.

Natural Anxiety.
 Mothers regard approaching winter with uneasiness, children take cold so easily. No disease costs more little lives than croup. It's attack is so sudden that the sufferer is often beyond human aid before the doctor arrives. Such cases yield readily to One Minute Cough Cure. Liquefies the mucus, allays inflammation, removes danger. Absolutely safe. Act immediately. Cures coughs, colds, grip, bronchitis all throat and lung trouble. F. S. McMahon, Hampton, Ga.: "A bad cold rendered me voiceless just before an oratorical contest. I intended to withdraw but took One Minute Cough Cure. It restored my voice in time to win the medal." R. S. Knowlton.

A Trip to Bandon.
 A representative of this paper paid the lower river a visit last week, going to Bandon on Thursday morning, and everything showed signs of life and energy from the first to the last of our trip. Every steamer seems to have plenty to do in all the different lines of business. On the day mentioned, J. K. McLeod's pile driver was towed to the island near Parkersburg where it will finish the driving of piles to complete a large log boom being constructed there by Chas. Ashton.

At Bandon all seemed life and hostile. The Mandalay had just arrived and the distribution and receiving of freight gave things about the water front a very lively appearance. The schooner Albion was lying at the dock loaded with lumber from the mill of Col. Rosa near that place, and which was towed to sea on Friday. The woolen mills here presented an exceedingly busy appearance, running on full time and as much over as the hands are willing to work. This institution seems to be doing a good business, while the match factory and other industries show signs of energy and enterprise.

At Prosper we found everything moving along lively. Capt. George Ross with his crew of shipbuilders are a jolly and industrious lot. The Captain tells us that a better ship was never put up of wood than the one now in construction under his supervision. Only the very best of Coos county timber—the best for ship building purposes in the world—are going into this vessel, and the quantity used is far greater than is usually put into vessels of her size, every inch of timber being used that would add one atom to her strength. This will certainly be a staunch little craft and do great credit to her builders and be thoroughly satisfactory to her owners. She will be launched in about two weeks. The chances are favorable for Mr. Ross to get the contract for building a couple more such vessels next season.

At Parkersburg all was on the move. The new vessel, the Advance, is rapidly nearing completion. This is a beautiful sailing schooner, a sister ship to the Oward built at that place last season, both vessels constructed by Master Builder S. Danielson. These are vessels of great carrying capacity built on plans which make them especially suitable for the river, being able to carry great loads on a light draft of water, which is necessary till there is more government work done on our river. The rigging of this vessel is almost complete and the carpenters will be done her cabins in a few days. It is expected that she will be ready to begin to receive her cargo next week. When this vessel is ready to do her part there is no question but the mill will be able to run quite steadily as these two vessels will be able to keep her docks clear without any trouble.

The mill at Riverton is undergoing considerable repairs and improvement, and is not running just now but will be in a short time. The docks at this mill have been reshaped and the mill put in good shape for cutting lumber. It is expected that this mill will be running regularly in a very short time. The Mandalay having made good trips lately gives the mill a good chance to keep busily at work. Thus, upon a whole, the entire lower river presents a wide awake and busy appearance.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to make known to the people of Coquille and vicinity, as far as words can express, our profound gratitude for the liberal aid recently so kindly tendered our afflicted daughter.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR WITH THE WILL ANNEXED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have been duly appointed by the county court of Coos County, Oregon, administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of Magnolia Morrison, deceased, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, duly verified, to me, at the office of Sperry & Chase in the city of Coquille, county of Coos, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.
 W. C. CHASE, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Magnolia Morrison, deceased. Lated July 15, 1902.

A Big Bargain.

One hundred and three and one-half acres, about 60 in the bottom. The whole place cleared except 3 acres in the bottom. About 200 bearing fruit trees. Five miles of Myrtle Point; 2 miles from post office and cemetery. Call on Willian Hall at the premises.

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The powerful machinery of municipal government is in action. All the departments are in hearty co-operation, and are of one sentiment in relation to the vexatious gambling problem. The ordinances must be enforced and the evil wiped out. Judge Hogue has put himself on record as being in favor of using the most drastic measures possible to discourage vice. The Public Prosecutor's office is in favor of the most vigorous action. The police will exercise all possible vigilance in the future. The Grand Jury is in session and from information secured from persons in a position to know, will make a thorough investigation of the charges of graft made by Councilman Merrill. The law-abiding citizens and the prominent business men of the city are aroused. They want the matter sifted to the bottom, and, if evidence of corruption is brought out, want the guilty punished. What they demand is vindication of past charges and surety that the laws will be enforced in the future.—Portland Daily Journal.

Don't forget the date of the free entertainment at Riverton, October 18th. A good time is assured. There will be a fine large cake with a valuable prize in it, guessed off, and the prettiest girl will be voted on. Go and take part in the fun.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, October 2, 1902.
 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 H. B. Hazard, County Clerk, at Coquille, Oregon, on November 12, 1902, viz: Lash S. Flinn on H. E. No. 2973 for the S¹/₂ NW¹/₄, N¹/₂ SW¹/₄, Sec. 22, T. 27 S., R. 19 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. N. Harry, of Siskiyou, Oregon; John H. F. Inn, of Fairview, Oregon; R. A. Easton, of Siskiyou, Oregon; W. A. Flinn, of Fairview, Oregon.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
 United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Sept. 15, 1902.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner, at Marshfield, Oregon, on November 1, 1902, viz: Everett Mings on H. E. No. 10498, for lots 2 and 3, section 19, township 27 south, range 18 west.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. S. Chandler, W. B. Beebe, O. J. Seeley and John Ward, all of Marshfield, Oregon.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

Do Good—It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia, when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Said by R. S. Knowlton.

Aaron Cratchfield and S. S. Knight, of South Fork, made our office an exceedingly pleasant call yesterday as they were on their way home with a herd of Angora goats which they purchased of Capt. W. R. Parry, of the lower river. These are fine animals, and the best of attention will be given them in the future. Samples of mohair from them were left with us which shows their fine breeding. Some of the kids clipped four pounds while the older ones exceeded this considerably.

Card Of Thanks.

The members of the W. C. T. U. take this means of expressing their heart-felt thanks to our city council for their recent actions in passing an ordinance in regard to minors frequenting saloons and also in ordering the marshal to rigidly enforce the Sunday closing law.

FRANKIE DEAN, MRS. A. DAHFT,
 Secretary, President.

Run a Ten penny Nail Through His Hand.

While opening a box J. C. Mount of Three Mile Bay, ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

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