

LOCAL ITEMS.

Order Peart's coal. Buy a Hinze piano. Kribs sells the Oliver plow. For good apples go to Drane. Sour pickles in bulk at Lyons'. Wall paper at the Furniture Store. Coal from Peart's mine is on the market again. I. P. Hanley, of near Riverton, was in to see us today. Three papers of garden seeds for 10 cents at Knowlton's. Full stock of grass seeds at Knowlton's drug store. Mrs. S. E. Wilkins, of Hall's creek, remains quite ill. The Emporium is closing out its stock of rope, nails, and saws. Peter Gehlke, of Prosper, had business in town on Thursday. For nice prepared horseradish, go to P. E. Drane's meat market. Uncle Henry Grady, of Norway had business in town on Saturday. R. S. Knowlton is behind his counter again, having lost his grip. Knowlton's writing tablets, pencil tablets and pencils are the very best. Nice, fresh, ready prepared horseradish kept at P. E. Drane's market. If you have a house or barn to move, call on or address W. A. Goodman, Coquille City. Miss Gertrude James, late of this valley, was married to Walter Casard, at Berkeley, Cal., on Feb. 19th. J. H. Matheny, of Myrtle Point called in to see us on Saturday while in town to see a party on business from the lower river. To make room for her spring stock of ladies' hats Mrs. Sugg will sell her present stock at prices below cost. See her bargains. If it's a bilious attack, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick recovery is certain. For sale by R. S. Knowlton. Monday, June 1, has been appointed the date for the special election to fill the vacancy of the late Representative Thomas H. Tongue. The patterns for the new boat to take the place of the Dispatch came down from Portland by the last Alliance and was taken to Parkersburg Saturday. Jess Taylor, of Bear Creek, had business in town Thursday, and greeted many old friends. Mr. Taylor is not a very frequent visitor to this city. Caddy Lockwood, the engineer, returned from a trip of several months in California by Sunday's Alliance. He greeted many friends in town yesterday. The Chas. Grisen Music Co. has lately been established at Marshfield with Rev. R. C. Leas Manager. All orders left at the Herald office will receive prompt attention. Wid Taylor, of Parkersburg, was among those of the lower river who rushed up the last of the week to transact business with our county officials, principally in the way of paying taxes. "Mrs. Partington and Her Son Ike," was presented by our local dramatic company to a large and appreciative house at Bandon on Saturday evening, a large number of our citizens went from this city. FOR SALE—One hundred and sixty acres. One and one-half million feet white cedar logs, also 2000 smaller trees suitable for piling and telephone poles. Situated 2 1/2 miles south of Prosper. Inquire of L. R. Edmunds, Bandon, Oregon. Mrs. D. Morgan, of Fishtrap, received two fine thoroughbred Barred Plymouth Rock roosters last week which were sent her by her son Roy who is attending the state Normal at Ashland. These are beautiful fowls and will be valuable additions to their already well-bred flock. W. A. Crane, the drummer temperance lecturer, spoke to a large and appreciative audience in the M. E. church at this place yesterday evening. This gentleman is of rare ability and wide experience, and gives lectures which it is a treat to hear. Arrangements are being made for a protracted meeting to take place in this city next week at which he will be present at least a portion of the time. Do not miss this opportunity to hear him.

Canned pineapples at Lyons' Store. Disc and spring-tooth harrows at Kribs'. Ladies' hats below cost at Mrs. Sugg's. Macintoshes and rubbers at the Emporium. Many different kinds of fine apples at Drane's. Mrs. Wm. Grow, of Coaledo, was in town yesterday. Perfumery—the finest imported at the New Drug Store. If your scissors are dull, take them to McDonald, the barber. Mrs. J. M. Perkins paid Coquille a between-boats visit on Friday. Highest market price paid for chickens at Johnson Dean & Co.'s. J. G. Fish, of Myrtle Point, was down to the county seat yesterday. A new line of clothing at the Emporium. Call and price them. For Oregon cassimere clothing call at the Emporium and get prices. Z. T. Johnson, of Myrtle Point, transacted business in town on Friday. S. J. Davis' creamery at Norway will start up the 15th of this month. BORN.—In Riverton, March 1, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. Pat McGourty, a son. The Misses Logan, Anna and Lena, of Bandon, spent Sunday in this city. Telephone Lineman E. C. Cole, of Marshfield, had business in town yesterday. BORN.—In Riverton, March 2, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Price, a daughter. Pat Hennesy, of the Newport mine, spent several days on the river last week. If you are interested in apples interview P. E. Drane. Special rates to dealers. W. T. Leubherr, of Myrtle Point, had business at business at the county seat today. C. M. Skeels sold out his furniture business last week to Arthur Ellington, our new furniture man. FOR RENT.—A neat little place in the suburbs of Coquille. For particulars apply to H. T. Schweers. Rev. G. M. Dimmitt, of near town, will preach in the M. E. church in this city next Sunday at 11 a. m. Rev. B. J. Hoadly, of Myrtle Point, came down Saturday and joined Brother Myers in his services on Sunday. WANTED—A position by a first-class machinist and engineer. Will furnish tools and keep machinery in repair. B. per. COQUILLE HERALD. McDonald, the barber, has secured a newly patented device for sharpening scissors. Those needing scissors sharpened should call at once. A beautiful turquoise set from a ring was lost on the street near Hotel Coquille one day last week by Bill Nye, the drummer, who will pay the finder \$25.00 for leaving it at this office. C. T. Riley, of Myrtle Point, spent two or three days in town last week and then made a trip to the new and flourishing town of North Bend just to see how things are running on the bay side. Mr. and Mrs. R. Weston, who spent the winter on Mr. Quirk's place onampa creek, came up yesterday and proceeded to the bay today. They expect to stop at North Bend for the present. Will Oddy, of Camas Valley, who recently made a tour of this county taking orders for the Co-ro-na Medicator, the latest and best remedy out for catarrh, did a good business, a great many of our people becoming convinced of the efficiency of this remedy. W. M. Burgess has just returned from Marshfield, and while there made a deal with the Coos Bay Ice and Cold Storage people to supply their patrons with the Sharpless Tubular separators. They had advantageous offers from two other separator companies but considered the tubular the best. J. H. Miller, of Dora, who recently patented a very convenient apparatus to keep a cow from kicking while being milked, has given Uncle Jack Wilson, our all-round mechanic, the contract for the manufacture of a number of the devices which will be on the market in the very near future. Each and every dairyman should have one of those about his barn. There is no question as to the merits of the concern.

Onion sets at Kanematz's. Snow Flake flour at Perry's. Try the canned asparagus at Lyons' Store. A farm to lease for 6 years. Apply at this office. Chas. Dodge, of Myrtle Point, was in town on Friday. Writing tablets, pens, pencils, etc., at the New Drug Store. C. A. Pettingill, of Parkersburg, had business in town Friday. Umbrellas, eggings and other winter goods at the Emporium. R. S. Knowlton keeps International Stock and Poultry Food. For fine cigars go to the New Drug Store, Dr. G. A. Churchman, proprietor. For fresh cookies, doughnuts, etc., call at Thompson's restaurant, Front street. Lost. An umbrella at the M. E. church Sunday. Finder will leave it at this office. J. V. Foster, of Riverton, came up to town Friday and took hands with many friends. Anyone wishing a spanking driving team will do well to call on G. W. Wimer, of Arago. Those who trade to the extent of \$2.50 in one day at Lyons store will receive a ticket good for one load of wood from their mill. FOR SALE.—Eight head of dairy cows, some fresh and others coming in, and fifteen head of shoats and two sows. J. QUICK. New music and music books constantly received at the music store of Chas. Grisen Music Co., Odd Fellow's building, Marshfield Oregon. Dr. J. W. Strange the dentist, of Myrtle Point, was down to this place on Saturday greeting old friends in his usually good-natured manner. J. C. Shields was up to town yesterday to get material to build, having decided to put up a new house on the place he recently purchased down the river. R. J. Dean is supplying our market with fine prepared horseradish which is highly appreciated by our people at this season of the year when vegetables are scarce. Mrs. Zilpha Neely, of Fairview, accompanied by her son, A. L., came in on Thursday to prove up on her timber claim before County Clerk Hazard. The HERALD acknowledges a pleasant call. M. O. Hollenbeak, of near Fairview, who has lately engaged in the logging business with the Messrs. Barker on the North Fork, was in town yesterday getting some blacksmithing done. John Kierman, of Portland, contractor for the government jetty work at Bandon, passed through town on Saturday on his way to the lower river where active operations will soon be inaugurated. Chas. Watson, of Cunningham, near town, having purchased the stock of fine thoroughbred Brown Leghorn chickens of R. D. Sanford, will be able to fill orders for eggs for hatching purposes at 50 cents per setting. Mrs. B. J. Brotherton, widow of the late lighthouse tender at Bandon, who started for her former home, met an appointment at the bay as assistant keeper of the Bandon light and returned immediately. The Lyons mill was obliged to discontinue running at night on account of not being able to procure a crew of men. As soon as men can be found who will do the work, a night shift will be put on and lumber put out as rapidly as possible. The Sharpless Tubular separator was by a majority of the students of the late short course of the Oregon Dairy school at Corvallis just closed, voted the best separator. There were four other makes of separators competing. W. M. Burgess, Agent for Coos County. Married, March 3, 1903, at Bancock, Mr. and Mrs. John Appleton, Mark Hardman and Miss Emma Appleton. Following the marriage ceremony a wedding dinner was served, about fifty invited guests being present. In the evening the young people present tripped the light fantastic until a late hour. All join in wishing the young couple success and happiness as they go through life together.—Enterprise. The ministers of Coquille met at the study of Rev. Adolph on Monday morning and organized a ministerial association. Rev. H. C. Allen was elected president and Rev. Adolph Haberly was elected secretary for the next six months. It was decided to hold a union gospel temperance meeting every quarter or on the 5th Sunday in co-operation with the W. C. T. U. These meetings are to rotate around among the various churches, and the resident pastors are to take turn about as speakers. It was also decided to hold the evening church services in all the churches at 8 p. m. from this time on during the summer. Please note the change of time. ADOLPH HABERLY, Secretary.

Buy your garden tools at Kribs'. Onion sets and garden seeds at Knowlton's. For the best of fresh standard patent medicines go to the New Drug Store. The prices will surprise you on men and boys clothing at the Emporium. Knowlton has received his stock of fresh garden seeds. Farmers should make a note of this. Anyone wishing fine Blue Nile Peas, apply to W. H. Schroeder or Frank Sumner, Arago, Oregon. Dave Carey was in town Thursday. He is making preparations to begin farming in good shape. Standard-bred White Plymouth Rocks (Hazelwood strain.) Eggs fifteen for \$1.00 F. M. Gevrez. Miss Nellie Dement, of Myrtle Point, has been employed to teach the next term of school at Fairview. J. L. Bean, of Parkersburg, transacted business in town last Saturday. The HERALD was substantially remembered. The Asen Bros., of Arago, are preparing to do a big season's logging on the South Fork, in the neighborhood of Etelka. B. T. Vandecar, the jeweler, and O. C. Hortle returned from San Francisco lately. The former passed through town today. Walter Laird came in from Sitkam the latter part of last week for his wife who had been visiting here for a couple of weeks. Hundreds of satisfied patrons testify to the superior fitting of spectacles. Write. I will call. M. G. Pohl, the Myrtle Point Optician. The fine jack of S. J. Lyons arrived from the valley the last of the week. He is a nice fellow and should be seen by those wishing horses. George Belloni, of the Figg place, is raising some fine pigs of which hog raisers should make a note. They are of the O. I. C. registered stock. Mr. J. J. Baker, of Myrtle Point, was in town two or three days last week visiting Mrs. Joel Patterson and many other friends. The HERALD enjoyed a pleasant call. McDonald, the barber, has just received a full stock of barbers' supplies of the finest quality which he sells at bottom prices, as well as a big supply of Newbro's Herpicide. Rev. F. M. Sanderlin, of Bandon, being somewhat indisposed was unable to fill his appointment at Riverton on Sunday and Rev. Dahuff, of this place, filled it for him. Our South Fork friend, J. C. Whittington, dropped in on us Friday, making us a pleasant business call. He reports things running smoothly in his neighborhood and farming operations starting up in good shape. Uncle Dave Stone came down from Myrtle Point today and is visiting the HERALD family. He informs us as we go to press of the death of Grandma Lewellen, who has been lying at the point of death for several weeks. List your real estate with me. I am having more calls for property than I can supply, especially dairy farms. The investors all see me before buying, and if you wish to sell at a fair figure, I can certainly do you good service. O. C. Sanford, the real estate man. Rev. Mulkey will preach at Myrtle Point next Sunday, morning and evening. Next Sunday week he expects to commence a series of Fortnight Lectures. The subject in the morning, "Watch Tower Warnings." In the evening "The Development of a Human Soul." Superintendent of Public Instructions Ackerman, of Salem, has our thanks for several publications which are devoted to the interests of the public schools of our state, among which are the "Fifteenth Biennial Report of the Superintendent of Public Instruction of the State of Oregon to the Legislature Assembly of 1903;" "State Normal of the Course of Study for the Public Schools of Oregon," and "Catalogue of Library Books Suggested for Use in the Public Schools of the State of Oregon," all of which contains valuable information concerning our public schools. The entertainment given at the Academy on Friday evening by the pupils of that institution was well attended, the house being crowded to its full capacity by an appreciative audience. The program consisting of two light plays and an exceedingly laughable farce, was creditably presented, and taking into consideration that the whole of the talent was found within the school and no great deal of time spent in its preparation, the performance was good and the young people who took part are to be congratulated upon their success, while the management of the Academy has certainly gained the confidence of the patrons of the school as thorough trainers and competent instructors.

Bay your garden tools at Kribs'. In Memory of Ethel Topplin. Our darling Ethel's gone to sleep Her soul is among the blest, And whither here for her do we? Her spirit is at rest. Then why, oh why our aching hearts? Oh! rest our weary brains, She is freed from all life's cruel darts, She's spared all mortal pains. One more Death's repit her way came He passed but to admire, But his very presence chilled her frame And caused her feet to tire. And he said this fair but is too frail To stand life's storms that rise, So with immortal her cheek I'll pale And bear her to Paradise. And tonight methinks I see her there With other angels sweet, Amid Heaven's most beatitudes glare Sitting at Jesus' feet And when at last upon Death's shore We'll stand at life's eventide The boatman pale shall wait us o'er To meet at the other side. A LOVED ONE. Telephone to Arago. In pursuance to a call in last week's Bulletin there was an exceedingly enthusiastic meeting of Coquille merchants and farmers of the Arago and Fishtrap sections, at the office of that paper yesterday evening. At the outset D. D. Pierce, was elected chairman of the meeting and H. N. Lorenz, secretary, whereupon an extended discussion ensued. After fully understanding the main points, an adjournment was had, and the representatives of the two sections last mentioned called themselves together and a second meeting was held, taking up the proposition of our business Judge Schroeder was elected chairman and F. W. Wright secretary of this meeting, forming a temporary organization, with a membership as follows: J. H. Schroeder, F. W. Wright, J. D. Clinton, D. Morgan, W. C. Bingham, C. T. Robinson, G. T. Robinson, J. W. Byers, G. W. Wimer, George Belloni, J. A. Yates. The following committee was appointed to perfect the organization: D. Morgan, R. S. Tyrrell, F. W. Wright, Wm. Strong, C. T. Robinson, which committee agreed to meet at Mr. Morgan's at 10 a. m., today to draft terms of agreement, etc. The purpose of this move is the construction of a telephone line from Coquille to Arago for the accommodation of the people living along this line. This is a step in the right direction and shows the spirit of genuine enterprise which is taking hold of the people. Judging from the vim with which the matter has been taken hold of there is no question but these three sections are going to be brought into speaking distance of each other in the very near future. Academy Notes. The Academy Entertainment was a financial success. We have heard many compliments for which our friends have our thanks. Another is talked of for the near future. It will consist mainly in recitations and musical selections, both vocal and instrumental. Some of our best students left us this week. We feel sure that most of these who go out from us will have a good word to say for the C. C. A. We hope many of them will return early in the fall. While we are losing we are also gaining, as one new name has been added to our enrollment this week. We need several more to enlarge our Fourth Grade class started last week. A number of subjects have been completed already and others will be finished before the close of the term. The examinations in almost every case have been quite satisfactory. We feel proud of our Seventh Grade class. It has done splendid work. If we can only hold them until they finish our course we can demonstrate what the C. C. A. can do for the earnest, faithful student. Residents Reply to "Dairyman." In the last issue of the HERALD I see a communication from "Dairyman" on the question of a Rural Free Mail Delivery for the lower Coquille. For the information of "Dairyman" and others who may be interested in the R. F. D. question, will state that since writing the article referred to by "Dairyman," in the HERALD of some weeks ago, that I have written to A. W. Machen, General Superintendent of R. F. D., Washington, D. C., stating in a brief way the conditions that exist here on the lower river as regards mail facilities. I received a reply to the effect that the department could not at this time consider an application for a R. F. D. route by a water system as it did not fill the requirements of the department. Yours Sincerely, RESIDENT. Card of Thanks. We take this means of expressing our sincere and heart-felt thanks to the many friends and neighbors for the many expressions of kindness and sympathy as well as valuable assistance during the late illness, death and burial of our father. ARTHUR S. SELF, CHARLES T. SELF, EMILY S. SELF.

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