

**LOCAL NEWS.**

County court is in session. Tom Wells came up from Prosser yesterday. Lewis Strong was down from the Point yesterday. Frank Flann was among our visitors from the lower river yesterday. The big schooner, Rubv, arrived in the river from San Francisco Wednesday. Lunch Fruits at Drane's. A. E. Smith returned Wednesday from a visit with his brothers and new sisters-in-law on Fishtrap. Hats at your own price at Mrs. Payne's. J. B. Moomaw, the Arago hop man was in town yesterday. He is doing some plowing already. Mrs. Avens, of Marshfield, visited her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Payne, one of our lady merchants, this week. Everything for luncheons at Drane's. Mrs. Elbert Dyer, of Bandon, returned home yesterday after a visit of several days with Mrs. R. E. Buck. Attorneys J. T. Hall and C. F. McKnight, of Marshfield, had business before the county court yesterday. Lunch chicken, lunch veal and loaf canned meats at Drane's. The regular preaching service will be held next Sunday morning and evening at the Presbyterian church. All are invited. Mackintoshes, Storm Coats, etc., at Strang's. Miss Jessie Tupper went to the bay yesterday on her way to Portland to enter school again after the holiday vacation. A specially fine lot of handkerchiefs. The Misses Laura and Fannie Sturdivant, of Myrtle Point, returned by yesterday's train from a visit on the bay. W. F. Ray, of the bay side, came over by yesterday's train. He informs us that his parents, Grandpa and Grandma Ray, are in good health. W. H. Hayes, of the upper South Fork, paid our office a pleasant call Tuesday afternoon. He has been down this way for several days looking after his logging interests. Facinators, shawls, misses' caps, rubbers and umbrellas at J. S. Kanematz's. Roy Stevens, the young man who repairs stoves, is now on the bay and the people of that side will have an opportunity to get good and reliable work done at reasonable rates. For good meals, splendid rooms and bath, go to Mrs. Sugg's boarding house. Revival services will begin at the M. E. Church, South, Sunday, Jan. 8th. They are holding prayer meetings every afternoon of this week. All are cordially invited to attend these services. Robert Holverstott, of Fairview, has purchased the old homestead that was settled upon by Samuel C. Braden, Sr., over a quarter of a century ago, of S. C. Braden, Jr., the administrator of the estate. Mr. and Mrs. John Fox, of this city, returned from Riverton yesterday. Mr. Fox had good luck in getting out his logs from the marsh near that place, having succeeded in floating about four hundred. R. T. Davis, of Brockway, Douglas county, who visited this section some three years ago in company with his father, came in by yesterday's train, having come in by the Drain route. He went to Bandon and will look about considerably before returning. Articles of incorporation have been filed for the incorporation of the Coos Bay Tide Land Co. They are to incorporate for \$45,000 capital fully paid up. The incorporators are G. W. Gant, Wm. Vaughan and A. Vanzile. The Company starts with nine stockholders with equal shares of stock. The incorporation is for the purpose of buying and selling tide lands etc. This Company has just taken about 1400 acres of tide land opposite North Bend and Marshfield across the Bay.—Citizen.

Miss Irene Lamb, of this city, went to Marshfield on a visit yesterday. Jos. Ferry, the Riverton merchant, was up to town on business yesterday. Mrs. George Yoakam, of Coos river made Coquille City a short visit yesterday. Lex Cope, of Bandon, came up yesterday to visit with George Billoni and family. Chris Long, of Bandon, was in our city yesterday looking after business matters. Steven Bean, of Lampa Creek, is still low with no prospects of improve. John Hamblock, of the lower river, greeted old friends in town yesterday. For Ashland House Lining go to Strang's. Grandma Leneve, of this city, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Marshall Way, of Myrtle Point, who is ill. Don't forget that Strang keeps Shoes of all kinds. James Brown and William Page, of Myrtle Point, went to Bandon Wednesday, returning yesterday. Rolled Barley, Bran, Shorts and Potatoes, at Strang's. Andrew Hanson, a prominent lower river dairyman, returned from a business trip to the bay yesterday. If you want to look at a fine line of underclothing go to Strang's. R. W. Bullard, the lower river merchant, made our office a pleasant call yesterday while in town on business. Fine Cape Cod Cranberries at Drane's grocer. The steamer Elizabeth sailed Wednesday. The bar was in fine shape, there being 16 feet of water and very smooth. Judge Holden, U. S. Commissioner, was called to Marshfield yesterday to attend to business matters pertaining to his office. For a supply of Jersey Cranberries, call on Drane, the grocer. John Bear, one of Marshfield's prominent citizens and popular livery men, had business at the county seat yesterday and today. For fine carpet and rug weaving apply to Mrs. K. Holverson, of the McAdams place. The socialists of this city held a meeting one day this week and have decided to keep up the local which will meet each Tuesday evening. A fine line of the latest in dress goods is being received at Mrs. Payne's store on Front street. J. C. Doan, of Marshfield, general agent for the state of Oregon for National Art and Crayon company, of Chicago, is in town soliciting orders for that well known and reliable firm. Drane, the grocer, received his Christmas supply of Cranberries a little late, but they are fine all the same. John Morgan, the Empire City hotel keeper, came over by yesterday's train and went on up the river for a short business trip. He is in town today on his return and is meeting many old-time friends who are glad to see him looking so well. R. J. Dean, son of the late Murphy Dean, of Humboldt county, has come up to take charge of the farm purchased by his father near Norway, as also young Mr. Jacobson to run the Kerrigan place bought by his father, J. P. Jacobson, a few years since. The big new schooner, Hugh Hogan, which was built on the bay lately and brought over to the Coquille, is now loading at Prosper. She will carry out about six or seven hundred thousand feet of lumber. This will be the largest cargo ever taken out of the Coquille. J. L. Bean was up from Bandon yesterday for the purpose of having an operation on one of his legs, the bone of which he had broken some years ago, a splinter of which seems to be working loose. The limb was too badly swollen for the operation, and he was obliged to return and wait for a more opportune time. For SALE.—At a bargain, team of horses, set of light harness, also good thoroughbred hack. Enquire of C. H. James.

Cleofas Perfumes at the Russell Pharmacy. Don't forget the school entertainment. School Superintendent Bunch is in town. Ed Abernethy, of Dora, was in town yesterday. School entertainment on Saturday night, the 14th. Charley Doan is over from the bay on business. Will Oddy, of Arago, had business in town yesterday. D. S. Rouse, the Riverton coal miner had business in town yesterday. Mr. Aberson, of near Parkersburg, was in town on business yesterday. Great bargains in Ladies' Hats and Shirt Waists at Mrs. Payne's. Remember the school entertainment for the benefit of the school piano fund. A good Winchester Rifle for sale cheap. Inquire at this office. The school entertainment, the proceeds of which go to purchase a piano for the school, takes place Saturday the 14th. For great bargains in Ladies' Hats and Shirt Waists call on Mrs. Payne. J. D. Stewart, of Bandon, was among those who were in town yesterday to look after business matters pertaining to the county court. I am closing out my line of Ladies, Gents' and Children's Mackintoshes' Call and get prices. Z. C. STRANG. The HERALD representative visited Mr. Timon at his coal mine lately, and was inspired to witness the courage of this pioneer of the coal industry in this section. The mine itself reveals a vein from six to thirteen feet thick of highly inflammable coal; but the mines reveal whole mountains of the best qualities of manhood, hope, perseverance and work. The HERALD hopes that he will soon realize his desire, to surround himself with some of life's sweets. FOR SALE—A fine property consisting of splendid garden lots, good house and barn. For particulars call at this office. We have been informed that Hon. Thomas Richardson, who is one of the prime movers in getting our state in presentable condition when the Lewis and Clark Centennial is fully realized, will speak here in the near future. It is a fact that many thousands of people will visit this state from the blizzard-swept eastern and middle western states who will come west to attend the great fair and take a look at our state, and who will locate if properly impressed with the surroundings, the molding of which we have in our hands to a great extent. Everyone should not only come out and hear Mr. Richardson talk, but be ready and willing to put a shoulder to the wheel and start things going in the right direction. Standard Patterns are now reduced to 10 and 15 cents each. For sale at Kanematz's store. There are some new-comers dropping in to see our section of country with a view to locating, and while it is a fact that our country is not in its most presentable condition there are few advantages at present, among which is the fact that it is a great grass producing country, and another is that irrigation is not needed. Special inducements should be offered all to prospective settlers who are willing to take a hand in the opening and stocking of dairy lands. We have the creamery facilities for taking care of a much greater output. All of our present dairymen should make every effort to enlarge and improve their herds as rapidly as possible and develop their places to meet the demands of the increase of stock as rapidly as possible. There is no danger of ever glutting all the markets to which the Pacific Coast has access with a first-class article of butter or cheese.

**Local Option Convention.** Pursuant to a call issued by the Coquille Local Option League, a number of citizens met at the court house and were called to order by Hon. J. J. Lamb, who stated the purpose of the meeting. J. J. Lamb was elected chairman and Adolph Haberly secretary of the convention. It was moved and carried that we organize a Coos County Law and Order League. Hon. J. J. Lamb was elected president. It was moved and carried that we elect a vice-president from each precinct. The following vice-presidents were then elected: D. E. Stitt, Bandon; T. J. Perkins, Parkersburg; E. B. Fish, North Bend; W. R. F. Brown, Myrtle Point; F. E. Hall, Riverton; W. B. Smith, Norway; A. L. Nosler, Enchanted; W. H. Bunch, Dora; T. W. Shuck, Lee; Frank Harnish, Missouri; F. M. Stewart, Marshfield; Capt. C. E. Edwards, North Coos River. It was moved and carried that the president appoint vice-presidents for the other precincts. Rev. Adolph Haberly was elected secretary of this league and Rev. A. H. Mulkey treasurer. The vice-presidents of this league were authorized to appoint financial committees in their own precincts to collect a fund at once for use of this league. All funds are to be sent to the treasurer, A. H. Mulkey, Coquille, by the vice-presidents. It was moved and carried that the chair appoint a committee on constitution consisting of five. The chair appointed the following committee: A. H. Mulkey, W. A. Goodman, W. D. Kistner, B. H. Burns and Adolph Haberly. It was moved and carried that this League employ Judge E. C. Bronaugh, of Portland, as its counsel in trying to get the temporary injunction dissolved. A subscription paper was circulated and a substantial sum was raised to defray expenses. It was moved and carried that the president, secretary and treasurer constitute an executive committee to employ counsel and arrange terms with same. It was moved and carried that this convention adjourn to meet on Friday, January 20, at 10 a. m., on arrival of boats at this place, to consider the report of the committee on constitution, and also to act upon any proposition or advice from Judge Bronaugh that may be received by that time. ADOLPH HABERLY, Secretary. Harry Morse was up from Bandon yesterday. J. O. Christie, of San Francisco, secretary of the Coquille Coal & Lumber Company, is here looking over the company's property. He seems high pleased with the appearance of our city and surrounding country. Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D. Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

**BUSINESS NOTICES.** Five bars Naptiol Soap 25c at Lorenz's. School books at Knowlton's Drug Store. Give J. G. Fish your orders for apple boxes. Hats at your own price at Mrs. Payne's store. New Goods arriving every day at W. T. Kerr & Co.'s. Mrs. David Fulton still has a nice lot of choice plants for sale. Lard and Bacon at wholesale at the Coquille Valley Packing Co. Largest stock of Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods at Lorenz's. Mens' boys' and children's clothing, cheapest in town, at Lorenz's. W. P. Fuller's prepared Paints, Oils and Varnishes at J. A. Lamb & Co.'s. W. A. Goodman will go anywhere in Coos county to move your house or barn. TO TRADE—Fifteen head of cows and several head of young cattle for good sheep. J. S. Jays has fine Oat Hay for sale. Delivered in town, on the cars or on the boat at \$12 per ton.

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\$2800 A fine corner business property

\$2750 Furniture and box factory, thriving town in western Oregon, good machinery, good location and doing a good business. This is a bargain.

\$1600 Fine small farm of 30 acres on river bank, 12 acres cleared, just what you want.

\$1500 Nice small place of 8 acres near town, well improved, 4 acres full bearing orchard, balance pasture and meadow. Good evaporator. This is a good investment.

\$ 900 House and two lots in good location.

\$ 800 Good house, barn and four lots in fine location.

\$ 800 Corner business property. Better investigate this now.

\$ 750 A hill ranch on Fishtrap of 150 acres, 4 acres cultivated, 40 acres in grass, 2 rock houses, barn, 100 young fruit trees, about 300,000 feet fine cedar timber. This is a genuine bargain.

\$ 500 A residence property that is dirt cheap.

\$ 400 Two of the best residence lots in the city.

\$ 300 Two lots nicely located.

\$ 250 Two fine lots near the school-house.

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\$ 100 Two corner bottom lots.

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O. C. SANFORD,  
Coquille, Oregon.

**Notice.**

Notice is hereby given that all Coos county warrants (on General Fund) endorsed prior to Jan. 1, 1903, will be paid on presentation at my office in Coquille City, Oregon. No interest will be allowed after Dec. 31, 1904.

J. B. DULLEY,  
Treasurer Coos County.  
Dated this 15th day of December, 1904.

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