Professional Cards

MERELY MENTIONED

S. Reed was up from Lampa Sunday.

S. D. Carl was down from Norway Friday.

Earl Chisholm spent Sunday on the Bay.

Ed. Stein, of Bandon, was in town Thursday.

C. F. Smith was up from Prosper yesterday.

S. C. Small was over from the Bay Wednesday.

Ed. Steinhoff was up from Bandon Saturday.

Fresh Vegetables at all times at Lyons & Jones.

P. M. Kirshaw, of Portland, was in town Friday.

W. H. May, of Dora, was a Coquille visitor Friday.

Try a can of that Tuna Fish at Lyons & Jones —only 15c per can.

George Hyde was in from McKinley yesterday.

C. A. Holverstott was in from Fairview Thursday.

J. P. Tupper was a Bandon visitor Sunday.

Choice onion sets 10c a pound at Knowlton's Drug store.

Theo. Clinton, of Norway, was in town Saturday.

Jim Jenkins was up from the lower river Thursday.

Ivan Laird was in from Brewster valley Saturday.

Alva Harry was in from Brewster valley yesterday.

Geo. Mullen was down from Myrtle Point Wednesday.

W. W. Smith was in from McKinley one day last week.

J. E. Edmunds was in town from the Bay Thursday.

W. F. Magill was here from Bandon the last of the week.

Farm, Field and Grass Seeds at Knowlton's drug store.

John Lowe, of Delmar was in town for a while Saturday.

Sam Stout was in from Fairview the middle of the week.

C. L. Sparreton, of Langlois, spent last week at this place.

Just received a supply of very fine onion sets at Knowlton's Drug Store.

Marion and Jess Clinton were down from Norway yesterday.

Miss Maggie Hanley was up from the lower river Saturday.

G. N. Bower, of Myrtle Point, was a Coquille visitor Wednesday.

WANTED—Chitham Bark. 1916 Peel. Geo. T. Moulton tf

Dale Flynn was in from the Fairview country the last of the week.

District Attorney Liljeqvist came over from Marshfield yesterday.

Frank Catterlin was over from the Bay on business the last of the week.

D. P. Plymale, of Bandon, was a Coquille business visitor Wednesday.

The fishing season for salmon closed to-day, to open again in July.

Daniel Barklow, of Myrtle Point, was a Coquille business visitor Thursday.

R. S. Moore, of Portland, was a visitor at this place for a while last week.

Call on Lyons & Jones when you want a Nemo Corset.

Hector Macpherson, of Corvallis, was looking our city over one day last week.

F. S. Lundy and Sam Barklow, of Myrtle Point, were Coquille visitors Friday.

W. R. Pickford, of Empire, was transacting business at this place yesterday.

Geo T Moulton will pay highest market price for wool and mohair 3-14tf

G. W. Barkley, of Myrtle Point, was a Coquille business visitor the first of the week.

G. S. Matthewson and Harvey Minard, of Dora, were in town the last of the week.

Full stock of best quality Garden Seeds in bulk at Knowlton's drug store.

Mrs. Claude Moon, of Powers, spent a couple of days visiting at this place last week.

Marcus Brown, of McKinley, was attending to business at this place last week.

We have the very best onion sets 10c per pound. Knowlton's Drug Store.

E. A. Folsom is still making changes and improvements in his confectionery stand.

Isaac R. Tower, the auto dealer of Marshfield, was a Coquille visitor one day last week.

FARMERS—Geo T. Moulton wants your hides. Better see him about it. He wants furs also. 8-3t

Last week a man registered at the Baxter and his signature is a puzzle in black and white. It seems to be a cross between shorthand and a music scale, with Chinese letters thrown in.

Geo. Musick, who has been spending several days here, went over to the Bay yesterday.

C. L. Campbell and S. E. Brackett, of Portland, spent a couple of hours in our city last week.

Lyons & Jones are agents for the Nemo Corset. Just received some new styles. Call and see them.

Ex-Mayor F. E. Allen, of Marshfield, was a county seat business visitor one day last week.

Dr. R H. Hopkins spent Sunday baiting his hook and casting it back into the river. Result—1 fish.

Wolf, the "candy kid," was up from 'Frisco last week, peddling out candy to his customers at this place.

Warner A. Ackerman, of Marshfield, announces his candidacy for the State Senatorship in this judicial district.

The meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the city library March 24 at 3 p. m. A large attendance is desired.

Mrs. Mary Carlisle, of Bandon, was released from the county jail today upon bail being furnished, for her freedom.

Dr. Walter Culin reports the birth of a ten pound boy to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartley, Tuesday, March 21, 1916.

H. M. Shaw, M. D.,Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, will be at Hotel Baxter, Coquille, on Friday, April 7th 1916. Glasses Fitted.

Clara Kraus, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Holbrook, of Bandon, was adjudged insane today and committed to the State asylum.

Tuna Fish at Lyons & Jones 15c per can.

Hal Baxter and (Roleaux) C. A. Dooley, who have been in town for a copule of weeks, went to the jungles in the employ of the Aasen Bros. last week.

Why pay the price for seeds in packets when you can get from two to four times as much for your money at Knowlton's drug store.

Cupid must have been out shiner-fishing with the kids last week, as only one marriage license was issued. It wa sto George H. Rotnor and Kathryn Tucker.

The Coquille Valley Creamery started making cheese today. They will make it a business to supply the trade on the river, and probably elsewhere.

Dr. V. L. Hamilton is the possessor of a brand new Ford car. He traded his old one in on the new one. The way the doctor drives he ought to be good for about three Fords per year.

Garden seeds at Knowlton's drug store.

Don't forget that the last chapter of The Broken Coin will be shown at the Scenic tomorrow night. But you're not likely to forget, for no such popular serial has ever been shown on the screen.

Baby Buggies and Runabouts All kinds of Fruit Jars, Stone Jars, Stone Churns, and 1 10 gal Barrel Churn, good as new. At Quick's Second Hand Store.

A. H. Mansell has purchased of Johnson Buckley the residence property in Elliott's addition, formerly known as the Strang property, and is now living there. The deal was made by Wm. Oddy.

For 30 days, beginning Feb. 15, I will tune, regulate the action and polish any Coquille piano for $5 and guarantee the work. O. Sumner. Phone 926.

Just arrived at Rose's Cash Store, our new Spring and Summer line of up-to-date goods, consisting of fancy voils, whipcords, Jacquard suiting, silk crepe, silk suitings, French serge, dotted Swiss and ginghams.

1 Simplex Cream Separator, 900 lbs. capacity 1 Little Giant Russian Steam Turbine Separator, 400 lbs. capacity. 1 Remington Sholes Typewriter No 11 in good condition. At Quick's Second Hand Store.

The picture houses on this circuit of Myrtle Point, Coquille and Powers have closed a deal for the General Film Co. service of licensed pictures, replacing the Universal which have been used for the past six months.

ATTENTION, FARMERS! We now carry a line of the Best Stock Tonics, Stock and Poultry Preparations on the market. SATISFACTION POSITIVELY GUARANTEED. Ask for free booklets. Farmers Union Store. 2-15tf

The Revival Meetings.

The revival at the Christian church closed Wednesday night. Great crowds and intense interest prevailed throughout the meeting. Mr. Price's great gospel sermons were of interest to all and greatly strengthened the church. We hear much praise both within and without the church concerning Mr. Price's fair and loveable method of presenting the plain, simple gospel.

Much credit for the success of the meeting is due to the efforts of Mr. Claude Nosler and his chorus of singers, who did excellently in the singing. We feel that the meeting will bring forth fruit for some time to come.

Simpson Deal Closed

The Bay papers report the closing of the deal which has been pending for some time, by which the Buehner syndicate purchases a large portion of the holdings of the Simpson heirs in Coos county, including the mills and interests in manufacturing plants in the new town of North Bend and other property there, and over 22,000 acres of timber lands. The Simpsons retain the old mill and holdings in the original town of North Bend, as well as a large area of timber land, so they will probably continue to operate here The Buehner syndicate hails from Portland, but it is hoped that they will operate their plants, rather than simply hold for the rise, and the fact that the deal was closed in San Francisco gives good ground for that hope.

East Fork Items

A. T. Arnet, of Myrtle Point, was up the East Fork looking for beef cattle last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leatherman, of Harrisburg, came in to visit their son Lloyd and family. They walked from the summit to Lairds, where Lloyd met them.

Wm. Culbertson is building a barn on the Howe place.

Sam Stout, superintendent of road district No. 4, and County Roadmaster Merdock were looking over the road proposition on the Coos Bay wagon road last week.

J. D. Laird bought a Ford car, turned it into a truck, and is using it on the Sumner & Sitkum mail route.

R. A. EASTON.

Do They Bite?

While Jim Laird was in town recently he was asked by a local fisherman, "Do the trout bite out your way, Jim?" "Not that I know of, I have lived out there all my life, and none have ever bit me yet", replied Jim Whereat the fisherman relapsed into a profound silence.

Wilson Brought Back.

Ed Wilson was brought back from California by W. C. Laird and lodged in the county jail today on a charge of non-support. He was one of the crew of the Barnacle, which was captured in 'Frisco Bay and its entire crew arrested for counterfeiting. He served a year in the Federal prison in California and upon being released was brought to this place to face another charge.

Business Growing.

C. A. Machon has had a 12-foot extension built on to the east end of his pool hall. He will install a new pool table and a billiard table and when everything is arranged he will have one of the most up-to-date places of its kind to be found in the county. With 3 pool tables and as many card tables, he expects to do his share of the business.

Another Pioneer Gone.

Mrs. Annah Crunk, wife of G. W. Crunk Sr., passed to her reward Saturday morning, March 11, after a few days' illness, during which all that loving hearts could plan, or willing hands could do, was done for her comfort. She was attended by her three youngest daughters and one son, besides other relatives and friends, who will sadly miss her. The funeral service was held at the cemetery on the hill near Bancroft Sunday at 2 o'clock, Rev. C. D. Price officiating.

Mother Crunk was known and loved by many. She had a kind word and ready sympathy for all who came to her home, and not one can say she did them harm. She lived to a ripe old age and was ready for the summons from her Master when he called her to rest. A Friend.

Not So Bad.

Like the report of the man's death about which we have read, the news in our esteemed contemporary of the Herald editor's breakdown last week was "greatly exaggerated;" and we won't give him a scoop on an item like that any more. It is true that one side of him went on the retired list all of a sudden, but it was only a short vacation, and it was on duty again the next morning, a little the worse for wear. Chas. Walker and E. A. Folsom guided the erratic footsteps of the patient to his home, where Dr. G. Earl Low pronounced the trouble as the bursting of a small blood vessel and prescribed some medicine that we will never forgive him for nor forget. The most entertaining feature of the performance was to see the concern expressed in the faces of Messrs. Walker and Folsom when the editor tried to explain that they needn't be alarmed,as he was all right, the net result of his efforts being a repetition of the first syllable of his would-be oration. The attempt to use more emphatic language only brought a succession of "Da-da-da-da," like a dodgasted baby. Then when he was compelled to laugh at the idiocy of his attempts at speech, they naturally thought his mind had given way. So that promenade homeward was not a success as a conversashiony. However, it is worth while to have something happen to you once in a while for the sake of seeing what a number of people take a kindly interest in your welfare and are ready to volunteer any help in their power. And we are convinced that there are fully as many people of that kind per capita in Coquille as any other place in the world.

Woman's Study Club.

The domestic science department of the Woman's Study Club met yesterday after noon and commenced the chapter on Animal Foods in "Nutrition and Diet." Besides this there was a reading by Mrs. Kistner on "Meats." The lesson assigned for April 3 is the remainder of the chapter, beginning with "Food Value," on page 161.

The literary department meets next Monday, March 27. The program was given in last week's Herald.

F. C. Pursley is the agent for Ford cars in Coquille. He is offering some attractive inducements to prospective buyers.

The Haberdashery is carrying everything in furnishings, clothing and women's and children's shoes.

Saved His Knee.

Ten Robinson was down from Fishtrap Saturday walking with the aid of a cane. He informs us that he dropped a cross cut saw on his knee cap while sawing wood and that the teeth cut rather deep, making a painful wound. He came to this place to consult a doctor.

Amazing Transformation.

One may be a speckled trout in the country and a codfish in the city, according to an observer, who believes that many country boys would do well to stay at home.

"A farmer," he said, "once caught a fine speckled trout, which he decided to present to his aunt in the city. Accordingly, he wrapped it in green leaves and placed it in a basket in the body of the wagon. As he stopped for refreshment at a roadside tavern some mischievous boys took a codfish from a nearby grocery stall and substituted it for the finny beauty.

"Arriving in the city, he presented the fish to his aunt. 'What do you mean?' she cried. 'This isn't a trout; it's a codfish.'

"Rather crestfallen, he took it back, but on the road the boys again made a substitution, and when he showed the fish to his wife it was a speckled trout. She listened to his tale with an amused smile. 'Yes,' she said finally, 'it's like you—a speckled trout in the country and a codfish in town.' "—Exchange.

The Split Infinitive.

The split infinitive is the term used to designate the infinitive form of the verb that generally begins with the preposition "to," when separated by a qualifying adverb or phrase, as in the following: "To briefly designate," "to readily understand," "to suddenly and completely change front," "he knew not which to most admire," "to sweetly sing," "to humbly walk." This use is held by literary critics and grammatical purists to be highly improper, but it occurs abundantly in English literature, from the time of Shakespeare to the present day. Nearly every standard author is guilty of it, and it is very general in popular speech The splitting of the infinitive is often dictated by a sense of rhythm, the placing of the qualifying adverb after the verb and before the weak adjunct or object which follows the verb resulting often in disharmony of rhythm or stress.

Administrator's Notice

The undersigned has filed his final account as administrator with will annexed, of the estate of Walter Drane, deceased, and the County Court of the State of Oregon for Coos County, has made an order fixing the first day of May, 1916, as the time for hearing objections to the same. Objections to said account must be filed on or before said date. P. E. DRANE,
3-7-5t Administrator.

Teachers Elected.

At a meeting of the board of education last Thursday evening, all the teachers now employed in the Coquille schools were offered their present positions for another year. As yet it is not known how many of them will accept the offer, but it is hoped that most of them will remain. Continuous service on the part of the teachers is a very important factor in the efficiency of the school. Coquille has been exceedingly fortunate during the last few years in securing good teachers who were willing to remain on the job. Realizing the importance of retaining satisfactory teachers when they have been secured, the board has made a practice of raising the salary of such teachers each year until an established maximum has been reached. At present the maximum is $75 per month for first and eighth grade teachers and $70 for the other grades below the high school. Service in the high school has been less permanent than in the grades so a definite maximum has not yet been established there.

It might be of interest to the people of the district to know that Coquille is the third town in the county in average salary for grade teachers for the present school year. Powers stands first with an average of $81, Marshfield second with $75, Coquille third with $67.50 while Bandon, Myrtle Point and North Bend pay $66.33, $62.50 and $61 respectively. Bandon has a higher scale of salaries than Coquille but fewer of the teachers remain long enough to receive the maximum. Of the five towns in the county having four year high schools, Coquille is the lowest in the matter of high school salaries, the highest salary paid here during the present year being equal to the lowest paid in any of the other schools. In the matter of superintendents' and high school principals' salaries, Coquille stands third, Marshfield and North Bend holding first and second places respectively.