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HT (31 March 1855) Trout Fishing--Those of our clients, gentlemen of early leisure, boys, etc., who have the time, are devoting it to trout fishing. The brooks and creeks emptying into the bay are filled with speckled trout, who readily bit at almost any bait and in consequence our tables are kept supplied with that most luscious variety of fish.

HT (26 Jan. 1856) John M. Dyer offers his 160 acre farm known as Dyer's claim for sale. Situated three miles in southeasterly direction from Union and lying on Jacoby Creek. Choicest land for agricultural purposes; some fenced land; some cultivated; houses and outbuildings.

HT (22 June 1861) Road Around the Bay--Road overseer Stokes of the Union District has been at work on the road at the upper end of the bay and has completed a good carriage road as far this way as Brainard's Point. It is his intention we believe to continue the same kind of a road to the southern extremity of his jurisdiction. When Mr. Long shall have expended the labor due on this road in his district, we shall have pretty fair wagon navigation between this town and Arcata.

HT (22 March 1862) On Friday night of last week, David Roe started from Dyer's Landing with a scow load of hay, consigned to John Chapman, Eureka. When off Union Wharf the wind sprung up causing considerable sea and the scow filled and sank....

HT (9 Aug. 1862) Wagon Road to Arcata--The road from this place to Arcata, around the Bay, which is now opened, is a good piece of work and reflects credit upon the overseers of both districts, Messrs. Waite and Daby. We are truly glad to announce the completion of this much needed enterprise; it is a matter of importance to the community at large, as well as of great convenience to the dwellers on the Eastern Shore.

The first trip over the road on wheels was made by C.W. Long and J. Traney on Thursday. Charley has promised us the use of his new carriage and that spanking team, Prince and Boxer, "some of these fine days...."

HT (9 May 1863) Beat It--Capt. W.H. Fauntleroy of Arcata caught a trout on Saturday last in Jacoby's Creek which weighed two pounds and three ounces and measured twenty-nine inches. It was a genuine speckled trout and the largest we ever heard of.

HT (2 Sept. 1863) Road to Arcata--We hear repeated complaints made in regard to the condition of a portion of the road between this place and Arcata--that it is very much in need of repairs. The portion complained of is that lying between Mr. J.S. Long's and Mr. Mel Robert's place....

HT (12 Sept. 1863) Salmon--These fish are abundant in our bay just now, being the commencement of the fall run. There is much sport in fishing for them at the entrance with hook and line.

HT (20 Feb. 1864) Another Indian Raid--On Wednesday last, citizens of Arcata and vicinity were thrown into a state of excitement on account of an attack made upon the residence of Capt. J.M. Dyer, situated a short distance from Arcata, by a band of Indians numbering forty or fifty. Capt. Dyer was in town at the time; his wife and Jerry -----, a man in the Captain's employ, were the only persons on the premises when the attack was made. It occurred about 11 a.m. Jerry was plowing in a field just south of the house when he was fired upon from an ambush not more than eight steps distant, the ball taking effect in the right arm, about midway between the shoulder and elbow. He immediately turned with the intention of reaching the house where Mrs. Dyer was, but seeing that the Indians had cut him off in that direction, he had no other chance to save himself than by a run toward the bay. Four of the red devils followed, sending as many shots after him, none of which took effect. Having on heavy shoes, clogged with mud from the plowed ground, the Indians gained on him and he saw that they must soon overtake him unless he could divest himself of them. This he could not do without cutting the strings by which they were tied. He therefore stopped suddenly and turned toward his pursuers at the same time drawing a sheath knife which he had upon his person. Taking this as a movement to draw a pistol on them, they stopped also and retreated a few steps; taking advantage of the moment thus afforded him, Jerry cut the strings, kicked the shoes from his feet and resumed his flight. The Indians seeing their mistake and finding they could not overtake him, abandoned the pursuit.

Mrs. Dyer, discovering the Indians when the shot was fired and seeing their number and position were such as to preclude the possibility either of Jerry's reaching the house or of her defending herself, she also sought safety in flight. Before leaving she bethought herself of the guns in the house, two in number, and to keep them from the Indians put one of them in a feather bed and with the other she fled. The rascals then proceeded to pillage and destroy. They took every article of clothing in the house, emptied the feather beds and took the ticking; in this

operation they found the secreted gun; opened the grain sacks and scattered the contents upon the ground, in fact, appropriated everything of any value and afterwards set fire to the house.

As soon as the alarm was given to the citizens in town, they hastened to render what assistance they could at the scene of devastation and were so fortunate as to reach them in season to save the buildings.

A messenger was also dispatched to Fort Humboldt for assistance which was responded to by Col. Black with a promptitude deserving of the highest praise. Although this call was made upon him within a few hours after he landed from the steamer, the order was forthwith issued, transportation furnished and a detachment of sixty-five men of Co. C, 6th Regiment, Capt. Buckley, accompanied by Maj. Wright, landed at an early hour in the evening at Arcata.

We understand that this detachment, guided by citizens of Arcata, are now in pursuit of the Indians and we sincerely wish them success.

HT (5 March 1864) Destruction of Stock by the Indians--Large numbers of stock, consisting of cattle, horses and mules, have been slaughtered of late, we are informed, by the Indians on and in the immediate vicinity of Kneeland's Prairie. These depredations are supposed to have been committed by the same band that made the raid upon Captain Dyer's a few days since.

HT (30 April 1864) Marriage in San Francisco, April 20th, William Carson of Humboldt and Sarah Wilson of New Brunswick.

HT (between April and Sept. 1864) Road to Arcata--We see from notices posted about town that proposals are called for to build a section of the road laid out between Eureka and Arcata. This is an important matter. Everyone knows the convenience of a good road around the bay. Everyone is familiar with the route and the character of the road at present traveled; we refer more particularly to that portion between the Ryan and the Big sloughs and must have long since become satisfied that the route of the proposed road is laid is by far the most eligible. We hope this call for proposals will receive the attention which the importance of the work as a public convenience and improvement demands.

HT (10 Sept. 1864) Our Roads--We noticed in riding over the road between this town and Arcata that there are several places in it which require to be immediately repaired. Between the Big Slough and Arcata several of these occur where there is great danger of a horse breaking his leg or being otherwise injured if they are suffered to remain in the condition they now are. These are in passing over some of the bridges that cross some of the small streams along the way....

HT (10 Sept. 1864) Salmon--This delicious fish may now be caught in our Bay. Numbers have already been taken with hook and line. We are under obligations to Capt. Josh Van Zant for a fine large one left at our office a few days since.

HT (25 Nov. 1865) Clear the Road--We learn that the road between this place and Arcata is blocked up in several places by fallen trees....

HT (21 July 1866) To Arcata--Messrs. Williams & McConnaha, the enterprising proprietors of the Livery, Feed & Sale Stable on Second St., are now running their stages twice a week, Sundays and Thursdays, between Eureka and Arcata.

HT (26 Jan. 1867) On Saturday last, the mail carrier between Arcata and this place in attempting to cross Jacoby's Creek was swept down the stream by the current and barely escaped with his life. He lost his mule and the mail.

Deeds F:283 (7 March 1867) Charles A. Murdock to Joseph Arbuckle, \$2480, NE qt Sec. 33; N half SE qt Sec. 33; W half NW qt Sec. 34, 6N1E. known as "Murdock's Ranch."

HT (1 June 1867) We are requested to state that the road between Eureka and Arcata will be from this day till next Tuesday in a condition not fit to travel. The removal of a bridge from the old to the new road is the cause.

AU (11 May 1901) Isaac Minor's Del Norte Enterprise--....Mr. Minor first engaged in the redwood business 33 years ago as a part owner in the Washington Claim, upon part of which Bayside now stands.

HT (15 May 1869) The Arcata Road--Complaints long and loud are being made in regard to the condition of the road between this place and Arcata....Much of the Arcata road is nothing more than a tolerable summer road, the moment the rains come they are flooded and a very little travel suffices to cut them up and render them impassable....

HT (4 June 1870) We were over a portion of the county road between this place and Arcata a few days since and were pleased to see that overseer McLachlia of this district has made some good and substantial improvements on the same.

HT (20 Aug. 1870) In and About Arcata--Two lines of daily stages are running between Arcata and Eureka. That carrying the U.S. mail is owned by Mr. George Corners [Conners?], an obliging and attentive gentleman. The other line is owned by Messrs. Murphy and Simpson, proprietors of the Arcata Livery Stable....

Deeds H:737 (1 Oct. 1870) [Foltz Place] David F. Dyer to Amos Foltz and O.H. Spring, \$2000, all that portion of E half NW qt, W half NE qt Sec. 10, 5N1E, lying north of south bank of Jacoby Creek.

HT (13 May 1871) Farm For Sale--The undersigned offers for sale his farm lying two miles south of Arcata on the county road leading from Eureka to Arcata. Said farm contains 364 acres composed of part of hill, bottom and marsh land. The improvements consist of a dwelling house, barn, smoke-house, sheds, chicken house, orchard, etc. The place is divided into six different fields or pastures with running water in each the year round. The growing crops, consisting of barley, oats, peas and potatoes, together with all kinds of farming implements will be sold with the place. Teams, cows, horses, mules, hogs and other stock, young and old, at the option of the purchaser. The place is well adapted for dairying, raising hogs or poultry.

Also, unimproved land on Jacoby Creek lying on the county road in quantities to suit, from five to fifty acres. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to W.C. Martin, Eureka or to the undersigned in Arcata. Austin Wiley.

WCS (7 June 1871) As the season of good roads draws near, the route from Eureka to Arcata around the Bay becomes an attractive one. At present, with the exception of a few rough places between Cal Long's and Jacoby Creek, the road is in splendid traveling condition.

WCS (27 March 1872) Arcata Stage--The road around the Bay is again open to travel and that careful and accommodating driver Mr. A.P. Murphy made the initial trip with his 4-horse passenger wagon on Wednesday. Murphy desires us to say that he will from this time forth make daily trips and solicits the patronage of the traveling public.

WCS (3 April 1872) District Court--The following disposition of cases has been made in District Court since our last issue. Foltz and Spring vs. Geo. M. Dyer--action to quiet title. Judgment in accordance with prayer of plaintiffs and all persons claiming title to the premises described in plaintiffs' complaint by, through, or under defendant are perpetually estopped from settling up any claim thereto. The similar case of Wiley & Minor vs. Dyer was similarly disposed of.

WCS (3 April 1872) Real Estate. Wm. Carson to George & Skiffington Carson, 360 acres in sections 26 and 17, 5N1E.

WCS (24 April 1872) Eureka and Arcata Stage--We call attention to the summer arrangement of Croghan and Murphy, proprietors of the above line, who are too well known to require special mention from us. Murphy desires us to assure the public that punctuality and a disposition to accommodate will be his motto. Their stages will connect with the Trinidad line on three days of the week, whence passengers can take saddle animals for Crescent City.

WCS (26 June 1872) John Thomas was badly hurt in the logging claim of George Carson....A chopper named Grant was stuck by a falling limb in the logging claim of James Gannon near Arcata.

WCS (30 Oct. 1872) Real Estate Transactions. John Vance to George and Skiffington Carson. E half SE qt; SE qt NE qt sec 20; SW qt NW qt sec 21; NE qt; W half SE qt; E half NW qt sec 21 [?], 5N1E, 640 acres, \$9,000.

WCS (30 Oct. 1872) On the night of the 20th Robert Wilson and James H. Percy left this place for Arcata driving a double team. While passing through a dark place in the timber this side of "Washington Claim" the wheels of the buggy struck a fallen tree lying parallel with the road, throwing Percy out upon the tongue and frightening the team into a runaway. [Percy died; Wilson survived]

WCS (6 Nov. 1872) Real Estate Transactions. Austin Wiley to Wm. Carson, fract. NW qt; undivided 1/2 interest S half NE qt; N half SE qt; NE qt SW qt sec 9; fract. SE qt NW qt; fract W half sec 10, 5N1E, \$2000.

WCS (9 April 1873) Supervisor Daniels is turning his attention to improvements in the road between this place and Arcata....

WCS (16 April 1873) Fine Sport--The spring run of salmon trout is just now affording fine sport for knights of the rod and line in the small streams which put into the Bay. We have seen splendid specimens of this fish which were taken in Freshwater and Elk River. They are the most palatable fish which the year affords in this section.

WCS (2 July 1873) Birth of a son to A. Foltz near Arcata.

WCS (24 Dec. 1873) Dolbeer & Carson have nearly completed an important extension and enlargement of their Bay Mill wharf.

SBF 23:67 WCS (1 Jan. 1875) Seed Potatoes For Sale. The undersigned offers for sale the following varieties of choice seed potatoes, crop of 1874 and all raised on new ground. Earl Rose, Mischance, Early Blue, Kidney, Strawberry and Long John. Will be sold in quantities to suit. Apply to the undersigned at his farm on the Arcata Road. D.F. Dyer, Jacoby Creek.

WCS (17 Feb. 1875) Iron Logging Road--We learn from reliable authority that Dolbeer & Carson will build a railroad with iron tracks from their timber possessions on Jacoby creek to the old dump of the "Washington" claim near the Eureka and Arcata road. The road will be a mile and a half long. The firm named owns somewhere in the neighborhood of a thousand acres of timber in the Jacoby creek section.

WCS (24 Feb. 1875) Big Contract--A bargain was consummated on Monday between Geo and Skiff Carson and Russ Pickard & Co. by which the first named parties agree to furnish the mill with \$100,000 worth of logs during the next two years.

WCS (21 April 1875) Birth at Jacoby Creek, March 29th, to wife of Geo. Conners, a son.

Deeds P:94 (14 May 1875) [Foltz Place] O.H. Spring to Amos Foltz, \$1800, commencing at point 2.77 chains (182.82 feet) W from quarter section post on N line Sec. 10, 5N1E; thence E 22.77 chains (1502.82 feet); thence S to S bank Jacoby Creek; thence W following meander to point 2.77 chains (182.81 feet) W of quarter Sec. line; thence N to beginning, 59 acres.

WCS (5 May 1875) The work of grading Carson's new railroad into the Washington claim has commenced and Skiff and Geo. Carson are grading a railroad from Brainard's Point into their timber possessions.

DHT (1 June 1875) A large fire was burning in the woods yesterday in the vicinity of Jacoby Creek. The strong wind which prevailed no doubt helped it along. An immense volume of smoke rose from the locality.

DHT (9 June 1875) Mr. McDaniel, mail carrier and driver of the stage between Eureka and Arcata, informs us that while on his way to Arcata on Monday afternoon and near Jacoby Creek bridge, the breast strap of one of the wheel horses broke which caused the horse to jump forward and while endeavoring to control him, the horse fell, the fore wheel of the stage running over one of his legs, completely crushing it from the knee to the hoof. Mr. McDaniels found it necessary to dispatch the animal at once to put him out of his misery.

HT (3 July 1875) Petition received and approved by Board Supervisors for organization of Jacoby Creek School District

WCS (28 July 1875) Teacher Wanted--An election for Trustees of Jacoby Creek School District was held on the 7th of July resulting in the choice of David F. Dyer, Geo. Conners and Bernard Doyle. A good teacher is wanted to whom good wages will be given, female preferred. The attendance will average about 25 pupils. Apply at this office or to D.F. Dyer.

WCS (25 Aug. 1875) [School fund apportionment; most except for large schools got \$107.17; Jacoby Creek, \$107.17. Forty schools in County.]

WCS (8 Sept. 1875) Last Saturday morning Skiff Carson sustained serious injuries in his logging claim on the Arcata road. While helping to dump a log from the track into the slough, a bar which was being used struck Mr. Carson in the chest, knocking him down and inflicting severe injuries but it is hoped none of a serious nature.

WCS (13 Oct. 1875) Last Friday, John Colby moved a redwood tree which scaled 50,000 feet from the claim of George and Skiff Carson on the Arcata road to the shore of the Bay.

WCS (3 Nov. 1875) Work has ceased in many of the logging camps about the Bay, as a result of the heavy rains. But we are told that work still progresses in the claim of George and Skiff Carson on the Arcata road and they will get several million more feet to tide water the present season. This is one of the benefits of having a substantial railroad from the Bay to the scene of their present operations.

WCS (8 Dec. 1875) Tomorrow evening the electors of Jacoby Creek School District will vote on the proposition to levy a special tax for the purpose of building a school house. There is no doubt but the proposition will carry, as the people of that section have great faith in the moral results which follow the building of school houses and encouragement of the public school system.

WCS (15 Dec. 1875) At the election held in Jacoby Creek School District on the 9th instant to vote whether or not a special tax of \$500 should be levied for the purpose of building a school house, the vote was unanimously in favor of the proposition.

WCS (22 Dec. 1875) The Trustees of Jacoby Creek School District ask for proposals for building a School House in accordance with specifications to be seen at the office of John A. Watson in this city and at the store of Harpst, Spring & Co. Arcata. Proposals to be addressed to D.F. Dyer, Jacoby Creek.

WCS (22 March 1876) The new school building in Jacoby Creek District is about completed. The Trustees selected a very pleasant location for the building.

WCS (29 March 1876) [Jacoby Creek flourishing little community of farmers and lumbermen; new school district at Jacoby Creek organized last year; new school cost \$550. Erected by Anger and Marlow of Arcata; Geo. Connors clerk of the Board of Trustees; Miss A.F. Tanson of Arcata will teach summer school.]

WCS (19 April 1876) Jacoby Creek school district--Commencing at SW cor SE qt sec 33, 6N1E; N on line in center of section to NW cor NE qt sec 33; E on section line 1 1/2 mile to NE cor sec 34; S 1 mile to SE cor sec 34; E on township line to Mad river; up said river to S boundary line of Union Township; W on line to margin of Humboldt Bay; thence following margin in Nly direction to a point where the S boundary line of 6N1E intersects the Bay; thence E to place of beginning.

WCS (19 April 1876) On Saturday last the survey of a site for a new steam saw mill was made at Clark's Point in the southern portion of the city, Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. is to be the...title of the new lumber-making association which consists of John Harpst and Jas. Gannon of Arcata and D.J. Flanigan and T. Brosnan of Eureka. Work on the mill structure will be commenced immediately.

WCS (3 May 1876) A Thousand--The logging firm of George and Skiffington Carson are making sad havoc in their claim on the eastern shore of the upper Bay. We are authorized to state that since the commencement of the present year, one thousand redwood trees have been cut on their claim--that number are now on the ground as evidence of the last four months' work....The Carson firm have already delivered 2,000 cords of shingle bolts this season and we are told that they can easily furnish 100,000 cords without interfering with their logging operations.

WCS (10 May 1876) A Thrifty Locality--A friend who has been up to Jacoby Creek fishing furnishes us with the following items of news from that neighborhood.

John Smith has bought the Campbell place of 60 acres, paying \$4000. The Henry Brothers are building a public house at the Washington claim railroad crossing, a short distance this side of Jacoby Creek. The place now boasts a school house and Matheson Brothers have started a blacksmith shop. D.F. Dyer, Chris Brown and Geo. Connors will build new residences this summer. Forty men are now employed in the Washington logging claim of Dolbeer & Carson. Capt. Jas. Franzen has leased the Jacoby Creek warehouse and slough from Chris Brown. F. Getchell has purchased 30 acres of land of Dolbeer & Carson and will built on it this summer. Amos Foltz is improving the old Dyer place. Andrain & Carlson have bought the Spring farm and will build a new residence this summer. For the sake of brevity and distinctiveness we suggest to the people of Jacoby Creek the propriety of adopting the name of "Carson" for their prosperous little hamlet.

WCS (17 May 1876) Arcata Route--Two daily six-horse coaches between Arcata and Eureka makes a gay showing for that route. Lew McDaniel made his first trip with the new coach on

Monday and Croghan and Cave's new coach came sailing down 2d street yesterday running for the first time.

WCS (7 June 1876) Jacoby Creek is one of the attractive points on the Arcata road now. It has every appearance of prosperity. The new hotel at the railroad crossing is completed. The car wheels and axles lately received from the East for Dolbeer & Carson's logging claim are on the ground and the cars are being made ready for use as rapidly as possible.

WCS (26 July 1876) On Friday of last week while Andrew Henry was working a raft of logs in the neighborhood of Brainard's Point, a capstan bar slipped from its socket and the next one striking the back of his head knocked him senseless.

WCS (26 July 1876) On Tuesday afternoon of last week, Mr. Sam McFarland was seriously injured by being thrown from a car on the railroad of the Carson claim, Jacoby Creek. The accident was the result of a collision between the first and second landings and Mr. McFarland was thrown from the car with such force as to render him senseless to which fact alone his escape with life is attributed. The cars passed over him as he lay between the rails, the under gear striking his head resulted in concussion of the brain. Dr. Gross was summoned to attend him and latest reports give fair hope of his speedy recovery.

WCS (2 Aug. 1876) Birth at Jacoby Creek July 26th to Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, a daughter.

WCS (9 Aug. 1876) School Census, Humboldt County. 42 schools; Jacoby Creek, 55 pupils. Total for county 3,266.

WCS (18 Oct. 1876) And now the word comes to us that the Jacoby Creek people have simmered down to liking "Bayside" better than "Waterside" as a name for their prosperous hamlet and we are instructed to address the *Signal* accordingly. Good taste is one of the weaknesses of the Jaco---"Bayside" people.

WHT (21 Oct. 1876) A great deal of building is going on along the road between eureka and Arcata and at the present rate of improvements, Carsonville will soon become quite a town.

WCS (21 Feb. 1877) The co-partnership lately existing between George and Skiffington Carson has been dissolved by mutual consent.

WCS (28 Feb. 1877) Bayside--A resident of the little town which has grown up at Jacoby Creek writes us that the public school will open next Monday with Mr. E.B. Greenough as teacher. On Thursday night a party for the benefit of the Bayside school will be held at the school house and all friends of the cause are invited to participate. A Division of Sons of Temperance is soon to be started with 22 charter members. Some sickness prevails in the lower part of town.

WCS (14 March 1877) We are informed that no work will be done in the Washington logging claim of Dolbeer & Carson, Jacoby Creek, this summer and that the iron track railroad will not

be used. The above firm have some 6,000,000 feet of logs already cut which will be a sufficient supply for the Bay Mill during the year.

WCS (14 March 1877) With all the talk about dull times, we cannot hear that any other than the Washington claim will remain unworked between this place and Arcata during the summer. John Brown will log in one of the Carson claims and Long & Graham are getting ready to work just beyond Freshwater.

WCS (28 March 1877) Editor *Signal*--On Friday evening last 37 members of Morning Star Division, No. 106, S of T went to Jacoby Creek (Bayside) and organized Bayside Division Sons of Temperance with 22 charter members and a number of others to come in as such on next Friday evening. We had a pleasant meeting, and I have reason to believe that the new Division will be a thorn in the sides of the champions of King Alcohol....

Bayside is some 2 1/2 miles from Arcata on the Eureka road. The night was dark and after the Arcata party had gone to Bayside, some person placed a log about 50 feet long and a foot and a half through across the road near Gannon's railroad track....it took six men to move the log before teams could pass.

WCS (18 April 1877) Birth at Bayside, April 9, to Mr. and Mrs. John Matheson, a son.

WCS (11 July 1877) Birth at Bayside, July 3d, Mr. and Mrs. F. Getchell, a son; July 5th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McGuire, a son.

WCS (29 Aug. 1877) School Fund Apportionment, 43 schools; Jacoby Creek \$83.36 from State; \$90.00 from County.

WCS (10 Oct. 1877) Entertainment by Sunday School teachers and pupils at Jacoby Creek [participants] A. Foltz, M. Albee, Miss Addie Carson. W. Webster, Misses Alice and Ida Morton, E.D. Greenough, Mrs. John Mitchell, Maria Carson, Master Thos. Carson, Chas. Steen, H.A. Carlson, J. Andrain, Miss E. McCullough, Anna McGeorge, Emaline Mitchell, Annie Carson, Bertha Carson, W. Henry.

WCS (23 Jan. 1878) The Gale at Bayside--We learn that the gale amounted almost to a hurricane in the Jacoby Creek section night before last. Hundreds of mammoth redwood trees were uprooted by it and there was no cessation of the heavy music thus occasioned during the night. It demolished the warehouse 44x20 feet of D.F. Dyer, located at the mouth of the creek. Mr. John Wood was sleeping in the building at the time and awoke to find himself in the open air and drenched with the rain. The roof and one side of the warehouse had blown over him without doing any personal injury. Dyer's granary, containing 6 or 8 tons of produce, was moved 6 inches from the foundation. At present his warehouse occupies about 200 yards of the earth's surface. Mr. Chas. McGuire's wagon sled was also uprooted.

WCS (23 Jan. 1878) Death at Jacoby Creek, Jan. 17th, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGuire, nine years old.

WCS (30 Jan. 1878) Skiffington Carson filed for bankruptcy.

WCS (6 Feb. 1878) Birth at Bayside, Jan. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Amos Foltz, a daughter.

WCS (20 March 1878) Arcata Jottings--Bayside Lodge, S. of T., which was organized one year ago, celebrated its first anniversary on Saturday last by having a splendid dinner in the School House at that place in the afternoon and a dance and big supper in the evening.

Democratic Standard (23 March 1878) Arcata—Bayside Division of Sons of Temperance celebrated the anniversary of their Division last Saturday, commencing with a sumptuous dinner at noon and then engaging in the merry dance and other amusements till midnight.

WCS (10 April 1878) M.G.W. Writing from Bayside, April 8th, says: Editor *Signal*--Yesterday (Sunday) the Bayside Sunday School was reorganized. The officers chosen were Superintendent Geo. W. Roger; Secretary and Librarian John Andrian. A full corps of teachers was enlisted. The spirit of the community is manifested by the fact that about 40 persons were present and that the school was continued through the rainy season. Steps were taken to secure the purchase of a good organ for the school. Beginning with next Sunday, Rev. Mr. Taylor of Arcata will give us a sermon on alternate Sundays.

SBF 23:154 (WHT 14 April 1887) Petition for road from Matheson's land running along south side of Jacoby Creek easterly to west line of McCutcheon's land [Graham Road]

WHT (20 April 1878) Leg Crushed--A serious accident occurred about five o'clock yesterday afternoon on the Washington claim, Jacoby Creek, to Mr. Fred Getchell, resulting in a severe and probably fatal injury while felling a tree. It appears that having cut down the tree, which in falling struck its top against a log, causing the butt to spring back over the stump catching Mr. Getchell on the thigh just below the hip. Strange to say no bone was broken, but it crushed the flesh to jelly. Dr. Gross was immediately summoned, who on his arrival, found the leg much swollen and intensely painful to the unfortunate sufferer. A careful examination disclosed the fact that the blood from the arteries had been forced all through the flesh, which had already commenced mortifying and consequently no recourse but amputation remained, which was duly performed at once. From the nature of the injuries, it is doubtful if he can survive. He has a wife and two small children depending upon him for support. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity; also a member of Humboldt Lodge No. 77, I.O.O.F., of this city--*Star*.

WCS (25 Sept. 1878) School District Clerks, 48 schools, Jacoby Creek, D.F. Dyer, Clerk.

WCS (5 Feb. 1879) Married at Bayside, Jan. 30th by Rev. D.W. Chilson, Mr. David F. Dyer and Mrs. Rebecca Tobin, both of Bayside.

WCS (23 July 1879) The new mill of Dolbeer & Carson in this city stated up in earnest last Monday

WCS (13 Aug. 1879) Wm. Donald had his foot badly crushed by a rolling log in the "Washington" claim near Bayside.

AL (16 Aug. 1879) A resident of Bayside tells us that Mr. A. Foltz has a five acre field of wheat near that place that stands over eight feet in height. How is that for high?

WCS (20 Aug. 1879) Our correspondent at Bayview [sic] on the Arcata road writes that mosquitoes are so plentiful that the residents don't know it is daylight until Fred Stokes rattles Uncle Sam's Mail over the bridge at 9 "o'clock in the morning." Dyer has resigned the position of Post Master in consequence.

DHT (12 March 1880) RE: mail...The mail carrier this morning brought from Eureka and distributed to different parties along the road between Eureka and Arcata thirty-two letters and this is about a fair average during the winter months. During the summer, when the logging claims are running, the daily average would amount of two or three times the number.

There are printed in Eureka two daily and three weekly papers. The citizens along the road depend on the mail rider to bring their papers, daily to their doors. There is on the road some fourteen boxes used by the citizens for forwarding and receiving their mail. Some of these boxes are for single families and some for several families who live nearby, the mail rider taking from and delivering any letters or packages he may find there and depositing any letters or parcels he may have to deliver....

During the summer months, there are several hundred men at work on claims between Eureka and Arcata....

DHT (27 March 1880) We understand that the residence of Wm. L. Carson on the Washington Claim at the head of the Bay with its entire content was burned about eleven o'clock last Monday night. Not an article either of clothing or furniture was saved. Mr. Carson had occasion to leave the house to attend to some matters at the dam some distance therefrom and left a lamp burning. He was gone longer than expected and thinks the lamp exploded, causing the fire.

DHT (15 July 1880) To Sportsmen--We venture the assertion, which is substantiated by every person of sporting proclivities who has been here, that there is not a county in this State which possesses more attractions to the sportsman than Humboldt....Hundreds of streams, many of them emptying into the bay afford as good fishing grounds as one could wish for, where either the brook or salmon trout are numerous....

DHT (18 Aug. 1880) [reference to Arcata Road between McFarland's slough and Eureka]

AL (9 Oct. 1880) Born at Jacoby Creek, Oct. 3d, to the wife of D.F. Dyer, a son.

WHT (22 Jan. 1881) The Storm--The Jacoby bridge was lowered four feet on the east end by the current washing away the bank and at last accounts, J. Sowash, the overseer, was hard at work putting forth strenuous efforts to prevent the structure from being carried off bodily.

WHT (5 Feb. 1881) Wm. Carter of Jacoby Creek had his hand severely injured by the explosion of a shotgun cartridge which he was loading.

WHT (19 Feb. 1881) Wm. Carter of Bayside, who had his hand injured two weeks ago by the accidental discharge of a gun cartridge, has been attacked with lockjaw in consequences and is dangerously ill.

WHT (26 Feb. 1881) Dead--William Carter, of whom we spoke as being dangerously ill last week, died on Tuesday evening. He met with an accident to his hand some three weeks ago by the explosion of a gun cartridge. About a week afterwards he exposed himself to the weather, got wet, and allowed his clothes to dry on him. From this carelessness, he contracted a cold which produced lock jaw that proved fatal. Mr. Carter was a steady and industrious man and owned a small place on Jacoby Creek. On Monday afternoon he sent for Mr. Spring of this place and told him about his business, made his will and appointed Mr. Spring his executor. He came here from Kentucky and had, when he left home, three sisters and four brothers living, but has not heard from them for a number of years. He left no family but a host of friends--*Leader*.

WHT (5 March 1881) ....Gannon's logging claim on Jacoby creek will start up next week and the men who will thus be taken from town will leave our streets almost deserted.

WHT (30 April 1881) A horse belonging to Frank Fulton, who has been hauling shakes on Gannon's claim, was killed yesterday.

WHT (30 April 1881) Supervisor Dinsmore is lying in a dangerous condition at Jacoby creek from the injuries received from a fall a few days since. (7 May 1881) [improving and will return to home on Eel river]

WHT (4 June 1881) David Armstrong had his hip dislocated in the woods at Jacoby creek on Tuesday. Dr. Gross attended the case.

WHT (23 July 1881) [reference to "Gannon's logging camp near Arcata"]

WHT (20 Aug. 1881) Railroad on Jacoby Creek--The immense timber comprised in the Jacoby Creek country is about to be opened up more extensively than ever before. A railroad is to be constructed from tide water up into the dense forests that cover the slopes and fringe the hill tops. The logs brought down by the railroad will be rafted to the mill of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., to be sawed. It is said that this mill firm and Harpst, Spring & Co. of Arcata have an interest in the road. The Arcata firm owns a large tract of timber in the Jacoby Creek country. A short railroad has been built on the stream by Dolbeer and Carson, but it does not reach back into the large body of timber.

WHT (27 Aug. 1881) A Brace of Accidents--John Mitchell was run over twice on Saturday at Jacoby Creek and sustained two fractures of one of his legs. His team, attached to a lumber wagon, ran away and knocked him down. The wagon ran over one leg and broke it. His disabled

condition prevented him getting out of the way and the team turned and ran over the same leg again, making a second fracture.

WHT (10 Sept. 1881) Four redwood logs containing by actual measurement 26,902 feet of lumber were hauled by a ten-ox team on Gannon's logging claim last week, a distance of three-quarters of a mile. It is claimed that this is the largest load ever hauled in the county by ten oxen. James McCready was the teamster.

WHT (17 Sept. 1881) A load of logs rolled upon an ox team belonging to James Gannon on Thursday, killed one ox and injured several others.

WHT (24 Sept. 1881) Obit from Leader--James Beith, Sr., breathed his last at the residence of his son near Arcata on the 9th of September, Admission Day, after a brief illness of seven days, aged 88 years and four months. He was born in the village of Largs, Ayrshire, Scotland on the 19th of May 1793....On the 4th of November 1853, he arrived in this county....In his youth he excelled in all the athletic sports and up to a few years ago was fond of a gun and rod. He leaves behind one son, two daughters, ten grandchildren, and one great grandchild....

WHT (12 Nov. 1881) Gravel from Jacoby creek has been placed on G street between 2nd and 3rd streets [Eureka]. This is the first occasion of the use of gravel for paving the public streets.

WHT (26 Nov. 1881) A raft of logs owned by James Gannon was towed down the bay yesterday, the destination being Flanigan's mill. Near Jones' mill on the Island, the raft struck a pile in Jones' boom and the fastenings were broken. The logs floated down the bay with the ebb tide. The major part was recovered by the steamer.

WHT (10 Dec. 1881) Work on the Jacoby creek railroad is going ahead and the road will be completed in '82. It will have an iron track and be operated in a like manner to the road leading to Carson's claim on Jacoby creek. It is expected that 8,000,000 feet of logs will come over the road next year.

SBF 23:107 (10 Dec. 1881) New shingle mill to be built on Murdock claim, John Harpst, James Gannon and J. Sowash.

WHT (24 Dec. 1881) The New Jacoby Creek Railroad--The route of the logging railroad to be built on Jacoby Creek by Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. has been surveyed. The road will be about a mile and a half in length and will be extended as the timber is cut. Iron T rails will be used. The line of the railroad crosses the Arcata Road very near the Jacoby Creek school house, running through Mitchell's land. Work will begin as soon as possible.

WHT (24 Dec. 1881) The Log Supply....Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. have but a few logs on hand. This firm is about to build a railroad on Jacoby Creek to bring logs from the woods to tide water.

WHT (31 Dec. 1881) At one o'clock yesterday morning, when the tide was at its highest point, a heavy squall of wind swept across the bay. A boom below Flanigan and Brosnan's mill,

enclosing 286 logs belonging to Russ & Co., was broken and 35 or 40 logs floated away. Some drifted out to sea and others were left along the beach in the bay.

WHT (7 Jan. 1882) Shingle and Stave Mill--A mill will be built by Dolbeer & Carson near the Washington Claim on the Arcata Road for the manufacture of shingles and staves.

WHT (14 Jan. 1882) Repairing the streets in Eureka--Very good gravel can be secured at Freshwater or Jacoby creek but heavy expense would be incurred for hauling the material to this city.

WHT (14 Jan. 1882) Flanigan, Brosnan & Co.'s mill has been shut down for the winter. It is probable that work will not be resumed at this mill before June. The quota of lumber allowed by the Redwood Manufacturers Association to be sawed in this mill, has been reached and work has been suspended in consequence.

WHT (8 April 1882) Dolbeer & Carson have three large orders ahead for railroad ties and lumber for Altata, Mexico.

WHT (15 April 1882) Arrangements are about completed and in a very short time all the logging camps around the bay will be in full operation. Crews of men are leaving the city every day. A large amount of work will be done in the woods this summer.

WHT (29 April 1882) Some months ago mention was made of the fact that Russ & Co. and Dolbeer & Carson were making arrangements to build a steamer for towing purposes on the bay, but more particularly for handling rafts coming out of Elk river and the sloughs in the upper bay. The boats in use on the bay did not have power sufficient to do the work required.

WHT (6 May 1882) The locomotive for Flanigan, Brosnan & Co.'s railroad arrived on the schooner *Ida McKay* yesterday. It was built at the Globe Iron Works, San Francisco and weighs sixty tons. It has six-inch cylinders. It has also a gear attachment that is to be used for loading and general purposes and is claimed to be an improvement. A man from the Globe Works will arrive here shortly to set the locomotive up and get it in running order.

WHT (13 May 1882) Frank Thomas at work on the Jacoby Creek railroad met with an accident yesterday. He was handling a crowbar or pry when the instrument flew back, striking him on the cheek bone and injuring the eye.

WHT (13 May 1882) The dredger completed the work of deepening the channel at Arcata Wharf and the scows were brought down to Jones' Wharf. The dredger was towed up Jacoby Creek toward evening where she will be employed for two or three days in filling a bulkhead for Flanigan & Brosnan....

WHT (20 May 1882) John Dolbeer states that he has purchased the steamer on the Sound for towing purposes on this bay, paying therefore the sum of \$5,200.

WHT (3 June 1882) Sandy Garcelon, having purchased an interest in the Arcata stage line, informs us that in addition to the regular daily trips, he will run an afternoon stage from this city to Arcata every Saturday for the accommodation of people along the road.

WHT (3 June 1882) A messenger from the Washington Claim yesterday afternoon brought the information that Mel Albee had been badly injured at that place. Dr. Gross went out to attend the wounded man, but no particulars were obtained. Later: The injury is not serious. It occurred by a "grab" giving way and striking Mr. Albee a severe blow on the right shoulder, which will be temporarily crippling and cutting him across the mouth and knocking out a tooth or two.

WHT (17 June 1882) The steamer *Onetta*, owned by Russ & Co. and Dolbeer & Carson, put in an appearance yesterday morning....Built at Pioneer City, Oregon in 1872 and is 95 tons burden....The *Onetta* is intended to do towing on Humboldt Bay and principally in the interest of the two companies who own her. She is staunch and powerful and will be able to tow a raft or load at any stage of the tide with ease.

WHT (1 July 1882) The barkentine *Catherine Sutter* is at Flanigan's where she will load lumber, probably for the islands....

WHT (8 July 1882) Woodcock and Thomas who hold a logging contract at Jacoby creek have sold out to Frank Graham. There are two teams now at work there and a third is to be put in at once.

Demo Stan (19 Aug. 1882) Married at Bayside Aug 13 by Rev. D.D. Bowman, John E. Wilson and Rosa Ward.

WHT (26 Aug. 1882) Married at Bayside, Aug. 19th, by Rev. John B. Chisholm, David W. Hanson and Laura J. Mitchell, both of Bayside.

WHT (9 Sept. 1882) Six hundred dollars wanted to borrow on 200 acres of redwood timber land on Jacoby Creek.

WHT (2 Dec. 1882) The road overseer, if he had a mind to, could make improvements on his portion of the road around the bay to Arcata. In some places the road is in a miserable condition and heavy loaded teams get stalled. This should be remembered. There is too much travel over the road to permit of such a state of affairs.

WT-T (20 Jan. 1883) Work has been resumed at Gannon's camp on Jacoby Creek. It is reported that an extra force of men will be put to work.

DTT (8 Feb. 1883) Active operations will soon commence in the lumbering claims on Jacoby Creek. A good working force is already employed in Carson's and Gannon's claims, but the number of workmen will be doubled a month or two hence.

WT-T (10 Feb. 1883) Active operations will soon commence in the lumbering claims on Jacoby Creek. A good working force is already employed in Carson's and Gannon's claims, but the number of workmen will be doubled a month or two hence.

WT-T (3 March 1883) Logging camps are beginning to show considerable activity. The bosses are putting on men and preparing for a vigorous logging campaign. There is every indication that logs will be high and scarce throughout the season. Old claims that were abandoned years ago will be scoured for whatever there is on them that will make lumber.

WT-T (17 March 1883) News comes from Arcata that a man named Chamberlain at work for Gannon on his logging claim met with a serious accident by having a peeling bar run through his leg above the knee.

WT-T (14 April 1883) A.L. Pardee, who owned the old Jacoby ranch below Arcata, has exchanged property with Joe Nellist, who owned a nice residence in Arcata.

Deeds 9:515 (1 June 1883) [Bowles Place] Henry and Josephine Bennett of Idaho Territory to Philip E. Bowles of San Francisco, E half, SW qt, E half NW qt Sec. 34, 6N1E, 560 acres; NW qt NW qt, E half NW qt, NE qt, E half SE qt, SW qt SE qt Sec. 3, 5N1E, 423 acres; W half Sec. 2, 5N1E, 335 acres.

WT-T (16 June 1883) Garcelon & Hally's stages have commenced making two trips a day, each way, between Eureka and Arcata, leaving both points at 7:30 o'clock a.m. and 3 o'clock p.m.

WT-T (28 July 1883) Died at Bayside July 17th of consumption Abner H., son of George B and Caroline A. Getchell, aged 18 years, 4 months.

WT-T (28 July 1883) Yesterday in the Carson claim at Rocky Gulch, James Vickers had one leg badly injured, but so far as we could learn last evening no bones were broken. This is a year of accidents in the woods.

WT-T (20 Oct. 1883) A correspondent at Bayside writes that there was some tall shooting near Flanigan & Brosnan's railroad the other day. The men were at breakfast when a large buck was seen quietly grazing by the side of the road--that is all the boys were at breakfast except Frank and Charley. They saw the deer and if they had had a shot gun....

WT-T (27 Oct. 1883) The funeral of the late Mrs. John Wilson of Bayside will take place in Ferndale this afternoon...died suddenly on Oct. 24th.

WT-T (1 Dec. 1883) Duncan Weatherby returned last Sunday from a visit to his old home on the other side of the continent. While in St. Stephens, he took a partner for life and Mrs. Weatherby will share with him the joys and sorrows of her California home.

WT-T (8 Dec. 1883) Born at Bayside, Dec. 3d, to Mr. and Mrs. David Hanson, a daughter.

WT-T (22 Dec. 1883) A festive wedding party took place at Bayside last week. A locomotive conveyed the guests to the scene of the marriage feast and such musical instruments as are to be found about a well regulated cook house in the tinware department were improved to serenade the newly wedded pair. No lives lost.

WT-T (9 Feb. 1884) Born at Bayside Jan. 30th to Mr. and Mrs. McCutcheon, a son.

WT-T (5 April 1884) A man working in the logging woods on Jacoby Creek was severely injured Monday by a jack-screw.

HS (5 May 1884) [Logging resumes in Rocky Gulch after several years. Dumping place at Brainard's Point. Carson's shingle mill at Bayside produces 40,000 shingles per day. Harpst and Gannon mill which is one mile from Arcata and less than  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile from county road at head of large gulch which forks north and east produces 75,000 shingles per day. Mill sheltered from north wind.]

WT-T (10 May 1884) Born at Freshwater May 5th to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Getchell, a son.

DHS (12 May 1884) Flanigan, Brosnan & Co.'s Mill--We took a look at the mill of this firm last week and gathered a few items of interest relative to their operations at the mill and in the woods. Union Mill. This mill is known as the "Union Mill," location about one and a half miles from the center of the city of Eureka on nine acres of land bought from Dr. Jonathan Clark, whose estate still owns a large body of salt tide marsh land immediately surrounding it. The land of this company extends to the main channel and their wharf is at the narrowest point of said channel, which fact gives them ample deep water at all times, so that vessels can come along side and load. The capacity of the mill is 45 M feet per day, with a shingle mill that turns out 25,000 shingles every twenty-four hours. There are employed in and about the mill 42 men; these men are boarded at the company boarding house, and are paid so much and boarded. The company have a boom at the mill which will hold 2,500,000 feet of logs. The road from the mill across the marsh to the main county road has been made by hauling the saw dust and spreading it. The waste lumber is sawed into firewood and sold for fifty cents a cord, 1,400 cords of this wood was sold last year. The schooner *Ida Schnauer* was just completing her cargo while we were at the mill. She goes to the Sandwich Islands. The *Eva* and *Mary Buhne* loaded last week for San Francisco from this mill.

Logging Camps. In the Jacoby Creek forest, this firm have a large force of men employed. The camps are under charge of Mr. James Gannon, the pioneer logger. Mr. Morrison is overseer at the upper camp, on the bank of the creek, and Mr. Gannon is now preparing to re-commence work in a former camp to the left of the railroad and about half a mile distant. A side track is being laid to this camp, and the main road extended across the creek. Some splendid timber is being moved, and the land generally is very favorable for logging purposes. Steam donkeys do the ugly work, and Andy Orr and John Thomas handle the two, ten-ox teams. The main line of railroad is well ballasted and the trestles are substantially constructed. Some 40 odd men are employed at the upper camp, and Johnny Andrain and his sisters always make the visits of sightseers pleasant. The round house and landing headquarters are located midway between the county road and the landing. Rafting at the latter point is done by Hubert Woodcock and

David McAdam. The boom at this point has a capacity of 2,500,000 feet. After the logs are rafted they are towed to the mill by a steamer.

Jacoby Creek Marble. On the lands controlled by this company on Jacoby Creek are a variety of building stones. There are two qualities of sandstone, one very hard and one soft, both well defined ledges. The stone can be quarried without expensive stripping, the outer surface being free from earthy matter. This stone is within a few hundred yards of the railroad now used for logging by the company. In the same vicinity is a good quality of marble. A block of this marble can be seen at our office. It has been polished and shows the stone to be suitable for furniture and many other uses. It will not be long before these valuable deposits will be profitably utilized. We have been promised blocks of the different varieties of building stones to be sent to commissioner Hanks for exhibition in the State collection.

DHS (12 May 1884) Samuel W. McFarland, a native of New Brunswick, was admitted to citizenship in the Superior Court on Friday, May 9th.

WT-T (17 May 1884) Born at Bayside May 8th to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hilburn, a daughter.

WT-T (17 May 1884) Died at Bayside May 6th Mary C. Henry, 15 years 4 months and 21 days.

WT-T (12 July 1884) Born at Bayside July 4th to Mr. and Mrs. Angus McDonald, a son.

WT-T (26 July 1884) There is on exhibition at the County Clerk's office a sample of sandstone or an inferior granite, as some choose to call it, taken from the almost inexhaustible ledge on Jacoby Creek, property of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. The rock is easy worked and is better even than granite for building purposes.

WT-T (9 Aug. 1884) Accident in the Woods.

WT-T (16 Aug. 1884) Jacoby Creek Water Company--For a year or more there has been considerable talk about bringing water through pipes into this city, from some mountain stream and establishing for this purpose a regular system of water works. Like a good many other propositions it has dragged along until it was thought the scheme would end as it began--in talk. One great difficulty was in finding a suitable stream, but that obstacle was overcome and a few weeks ago several of our business men took the matter in hand and formed a corporation under the name and style of the Jacoby Creek Water Company. They have filed their articles of incorporation and will soon begin operations to carry out the proposed arrangements.

The purposes, as stated, for which the company is formed are to introduce into and through the City of Eureka, pure, fresh water for the purpose of furnishing it to said city and its inhabitants for all the uses to which water can be applied and for said purposes to condemn, purchase and acquire all the water flowing through and in the stream, known as Jacoby Creek and its tributaries and all such land as may be convenient and necessary to so supply said City of Eureka as to divert all the waters of said stream and its tributaries and to conduct and lead the same into and through said city. The principal place of business is Eureka and the term for which the corporation is to exist is fifty years. The number of directors is five and the names are William Carson, John Harpst, O.H. Spring, T.F. Brosnan and D.J. Flanigan. Capital stock is

\$350,000....Jacoby Creek is a clear-running mountain stream and the quality of its water is equal to....

HS (4 Oct. 1884) Obit James B. Morrison, fatally injured in logging camp on Jacoby Creek; young man; funeral at Catholic Church.

WT-T (1 Nov. 1884) A sad accident occurred at Jacoby Creek yesterday afternoon by which Milton Fulton, a very worthy man, was killed. We have no particulars than that the locomotive ran off the track, doing considerable damage besides killing Mr. Fulton [regarding above] Theodore Heilbron writes: "It was not the locomotive but a car load of logs that jumped the track in a fifteen degree curve, opposite the camp. The damage done to property amounts to nothing except the tearing up of one rail length of track and slightly damaging one car. The cause of the accident was the car being loaded too heavy. On one side there was one small log and a medium sized butt of a log on the other, the heavy log on what is called the short side of track or the inside of a curve. The train was running very slow. It did not go but two cars' length after jumping the rail. The head truck broke through a small trestle, causing the larger log to fall off the car, forward end first, throwing the small log at right angles with the track and rolling over the brake platform, taking the unfortunate man with it, crushing his skull in a horrible manner, causing death instantly. The log did not strike the track until it was exactly over his head making no bruises on his body. The platform caught his ankle, crushing it in a frightful manner. Mr. Pierce (?) and wife and J. Matheson were looking at the man when he was killed as they were not more than twenty yards from him.

WT-T (1 Nov. 1884) Died at the Washington Claim, near Eureka, killed by a rolling log William M. Fulton, native of Charlotte Co., New Brunswick, aged 19 years 2 months 11 days. [St. Stephens papers please copy]

WT-T (8 Nov. 1884) Born near Bayside Oct. 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, a son  
Born at Bayside to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Monahan, a son.

WT-T (22 Nov. 1884) Died at Bayside Nov. 1st David M., son of Samuel and Caroline Getchell, 27 years, 6 months 9 days.

DHS (3 Jan. 1885) Real Estate, John Dolbeer & William Carson to Samuel Getchell, 3.84 acres, \$100.

DHS (22 Jan. 1885) James Gannon, who is superintendent of timber cutting operations in the claims of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. on Jacoby Creek, went up on the *Alta* this morning. He makes a very favorable report in regard to operations there.

DHS (11 Feb. 1885) Arcata Letter---....The shingle mills, Dolly Varden, Jolly Giant, Harpst & Spring and Carson at Jacoby Creek are all running....

DHS (28 Feb. 1885) James Gannon and Superintendent Morrison have a large crew of men chopping on Jacoby Creek.

DHS (20 March 1885) Messrs. Flanigan & Brosnan have more woodsmen engaged at present than any other firm in the county.

DHS (20 March 1885) Born on Jacoby Creek March 18 to the wife of T. Frazier, a son.

DHS (23 March 1885) Carson & Dolbeer started up a force of shoppers and peelers at Washington claim this morning. They will not start up the roads until all fear of a big storm is passed.

DHS (26 March 1885) Letter from Arcata--....All the shingle mills are running. The Dolly Varden, Jolly Giant, Union, and Carson's on Jacoby Creek are all busy turning out a splendid article of shingles....

DHS (4 April 1885) Flanigan & Brosnan's mill will resume work. This will give employment to about sixty men.

DHS (8 April 1885) We are pained to announce to our readers the death of James Gannon of Arcata. The deceased has been a permanent resident of this county for over twenty-five years, was by occupation a logger and owner of large interests in timber land as well as being a partner of the firm of Flanigan & Brosnan. His genial qualities endeared him to the hearts of many friends. He was generous in the extreme and beloved by all those in his employ. Mr. Gannon had been ill only nine days with pneumonia. His age about 52 years, a native of Ireland, also a member of the Humboldt County Pioneers. He has not a known relative in America.

DHS (10 April 1885) Logs are being hauled in the logging claims on Jacoby Creek.

DHS (23 April 1885) Logging operations are about to be commenced on Rocky Gulch by Wm. Carson

DHS (24 April 1885) A large quantity of shingles at Jacoby Creek.

DHS (12 May 1885) Farmers from the vicinity of Jacoby Creek report that munificent of "gentle rain" would be acceptable now. Grain is looking well and promises a good average yield.

DHS (11 June 1885) At Flanigan & Brosnan's claim on Jacoby Creek yesterday, Wm. Flanigan was badly hurt and Paddy Hughes slightly. While they were engaged in felling a tree, another that had been set on fire had burned nearly in two and fell injuring the men. Hughes was cut with the saw and Flanigan stricken to the ground by a very large piece of wood. The latter was brought to the city for treatment. His injuries are on the knee, hand, and chest.

DHS (29 Sept. 1885) Born at Bayside Sept. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nicholson, a son.

DHS (30 Sept. 1885) The potato crop in the neighborhood of Bayside, which is now being dug, is said to be turning out well.

DHS (16 Oct. 1885) Cutting Affray at Rocky Gulch

DHS (2 Nov. 1885) Died at Jacoby Creek Nov. 1, Benjamin Porter, aged 35 years.

DHS (3 Nov. 1885) Burial--This afternoon occurred the burial of Benjamin Porter, who died at Jacoby Creek on the first inst. The members of Fortuna Lodge and the Orangemen turned out and considering the very unfavorable state of the weather, a good many others attended. The fact that the burial was to take place today brought to the City a number of people from Jacoby Creek and other places.

DT-T (16 Jan. 1886) There is not a little complaint in regard to what ought to be a daily and legitimate mail service around the bay between this place and Arcata. Our obliging friend Garcelon, who engineers the daily stage on that route, has tried hard to accommodate the people on that road. We have never heard a complaint of failure on his part to do so. But it would be better on the part of everybody interested if post offices could be established at Freshwater and Bayside. It remains with the people of those up-the-bay points to act. Both communities referred to have six times the number of people to entitle them to mailing points. But they want to say something to the post office department in connection with the accommodation which we refer to.

DT-T (24 Jan. 1886) Born at Bayside Jan. 22d to Mr. and Mrs. David H. Halliday, a son.

DT-T (30 Jan. 1886) Born at Bayside Jan. 29th to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Monahan, a son.

DT-T (12 Feb. 1886) Flanigan & Brosnan's mill has shut down for the want of logs.

DT-T (14 Feb. 1886) Mrs. Nancy Weatherby, mother of D. Weatherby, a logger well-known on this bay, died at St. Stephens, New Brunswick on the 17th ult.

DT-T (17 Feb. 1886) James Morrison, superintendent of logging operations on the Flanigan & Brosnan claim on Jacoby Creek, was in the city on Sunday. He says the winter has been one of the moistest he ever knew in the logging woods and outside of chopping but little work has been done. Fifty odd hands are employed at present, but the number will be increased to a hundred as soon as the weather permits. The railroad is in good repair all the way from the new camp to the landing on the bay. The farmers in the Jacoby Creek region feel assured that this year's crops of grain and vegetables will exceed those of any very recent one.

DT-T (20 Feb. 1886) Born at Bayside Feb. 14th to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cox, a daughter. Born at Bayside Feb. 15th to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCutcheon, a son.

DT-T (24 Feb. 1886) David Williams, the man who was injured Thursday while at work in the logging woods on Jacoby Creek, died at his home in this city yesterday morning....The deceased leaves a wife and four children.

Died in Eureka Feb. 23 David Williams a native of New Brunswick, aged 45 years.

DT-T (23 March 1886) The Rocky gulch logging claim on Jacoby Creek is to be started up in a few days.

DT-T (23 March 1886) Born near Bayside March 21st to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drew, a daughter.

DT-T (31 March 1886) Robert Young has been selected by Wm. Carson as foreman of the Rocky Gulch logging claim on Jacoby Creek and has taken charge. A full crew of men will be put to work there next Monday.

DT-T (31 March 1886) The gentlemen interested in the manufacture of lumber are now selecting crews to work in the logging woods and are making arrangements to commence operations. A large number of men will be placed in the woods this spring.

DT-T (7 May 1886) Daniel Cloney met with an accident while at work on Flanigan's claim on Jacoby Creek by which he cut off one of his toes.

DHT (6 June 1886) Died at Bayside June 1st of pleuropneumonia, wife of John E. Matheson, aged 37 years and 4 days, a native of Lake George, Prince William, New Brunswick.

DHT (6 June 1886) The shingle mills of Dolbeer & Carson and Harpst, Spring & Co. on the Arcata Road, are in active operation.

DHT (6 June 1886) Five weeks ago Mrs. George Connors started for a visit to her old home in New Brunswick, where she will pass the summer months.

Geo. Connors of Jacoby Creek was in Eureka yesterday. He reports splendid crop prospects and that road overseer Sowash has placed the road from the crossing of the Flanigan, Brosnan & Company railroad to the Nellist farm in splendid condition. The firm above named are now employing about one hundred men in their logging camps.

DHT (12 June 1886) Born at Bayside June 5th to Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Noble, a daughter.

AU (25 Dec. 1886) Flanigan & Brosnan will continue their logging operations on Jacoby Creek all winter.

AU (12 Feb. 1887) Postmaster Dyer of Bayside has his new post-office in full blast, though a few conveniences in the way of mail bags, a mail contractor, blanks and some other little matters have not yet been provided. Bayside is a growing place and contains a thriving and energetic people. A sidewalk is soon to be built from the Carson railroad to the school house, which will be a great accommodation to pedestrians, particularly to school children.

SBF 23:47 (30 April 1887) Geo. Connors has sold his little farm at Bayside, Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. were the purchasers. We learn that the firm will soon erect a building and open a store on the land. It adjoins their Jacoby Creek ranch.

AU (18 June 1887) The large store of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. on Jacoby Creek is nearly ready for occupancy. The Huestis Bros. are doing the painting. It will be a valuable addition to that enterprising burg.

AU (6 Aug. 1887) Henry Stern and Winters went fishing to Jacoby Creek last Friday. Trout? We should say so. They brought back their baskets and pockets full of them.

AU (20 Aug. 1887) There is no rural district in the county that is improving faster than Bayside. Some very cosy residences have been built, and others are in course of erection, about which are tasty flower gardens and clusters of small fruits growing. The store of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. sits to the right of the road just as you enter the creek bottom, going from Arcata to Eureka, nearly opposite the Good Templar's Hall, a building used for occasional religious services and other public purposes. A good sized school house, a few hundred yards north of the hall, is well filled with intelligent looking children, many of the girls in attendance being well grown Misses. The store is a large and handsome building and will be quite an acquisition to the place when the goods with which it is to be stocked arrive. David Dyer is a pioneer of the place, has a nice little farm and garden and a pleasant and lovely location on the bank of the creek at the bridge. We make special mention of our old friend Dyer because he is the only living Republican postmaster north of San Francisco that we know of. He keeps the postoffice at his house.

AU (3 Sept. 1887) Postmaster Dyer of Bayside left at this office a box of German prunes grown on his place that are the largest we ever saw. They are of excellent flavor.

AU (10 Sept. 1887) John Mitchell of Bayside cut his throat with a razor on Tuesday morning, with suicidal intent. Dr. Force was called and arrived just in time to sew up the wound and save the victim's life. Mr. Mitchell was one of the early settlers of Bayside and is a sober, industrious man. His family affairs, however, have not been pleasant for some years past. A year or more ago he was divorced from his first wife, marrying again immediately after. The second marriage proved of shorter duration than the first, his wife sharing his bed and board but a few weeks. The last separation caused him much trouble and we believe is still in court. He ate his breakfast on Tuesday morning, went to his room, and got his razor, and slashed it across the left side of his throat. He did not reach the jugger, but cut a frightful gash, from which so much blood had flown before the doctor reached there that life was almost extinct. He told the doctor he had not slept for two weeks, and it is thought that nervous prostration had produced temporary insanity. The doctor thinks he will recover from this attempt, and it is to be hoped he will think better of the matter and conclude to remain on earth a while longer. He has no children.

AU (10 Sept. 1887) The new store of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. at Bayside has been opened with a complete assortment of new goods and will be found quite a convenience to that thickly populated locality. Frank Stern, the old time accommodating clerk of Harpst & Spring, has been placed in charge of the business. Could not be in better hands.

AU (5 Nov. 1887) Local Resources. Jacoby Creek. Paper No. 1.

Twenty years ago the broad area of bottom land was crossed by the present wagon road. This undertaking created a desire for settlement. The land was covered by a dense growth of

underbrush; tall spruce trees of giant dimensions reared their stately heads over the jungle, the branches straight and needle covered, reaching almost to the ground; alder, ash, willow, maple and pepperwood, royally draped in a close and shimmering emerald foliage, flung a roof over all, forming a natural conservatory. The soil was moist and yielding, even to the summer months, and in winter a swamp almost impossible to cross. This natural condition prevailed over the entire bottom, with two trifling exceptions--a small opening about the center and another small patch opposite, Mr. Foltz's house. Both openings were covered with hazel and wild rose, the former utilized by the Indians as a food supply, while the latter shed around the lustre of its beauty and filled the air with the fragrance of its odors. This bottom was the natural home of the elk, deer and bear, and up to 1860, they roamed in almost undisturbed abandon. The stream was filled with speckled beauties, and the salmon--in season--crowded in thousands up this silvery pathway. This introduction is necessary to prepare the mind fully for the present marvelous transformation. Today all this is changed. Forest and jungle have alike disappeared, as if a Merlin had waved his wand and brought forth this marvelous scene by the power of enchantment. Cosy homes dot the landscape, and well-tilled fields attest, by their annual yield, the fruitfulness of the soil. A large, well-appointed school house stands in proud prominence as a factor in this civilization to afford means for a healthy mental growth--ample accommodation for about 80 children. Altogether this locality bears manifest evidence of what can be done by active, energetic and wide awake people. Nearly all of these settlers worked in the logging woods during the summer months, and during the winter worked laboriously clearing the land, and today enjoy the blessings of their thrift and labor.

Five years ago, Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. inaugurated an undertaking, which has steadily developed, and which is still going forward with a momentum adequate to the force employed. The railroad from the landing to the edge of the redwood was located and surveyed by R.F. Herrick, and is an admirable piece of road, carefully graded and in first-class condition. From the edge of the woods, up the creek, the difficulties of engineering begin. From this point Mr. Flanigan, with indefatigable zeal, skill and energy has prosecuted the work. The wonder is how an untried engineer could have been so successful in grappling with the situation. Every advantage is taken of the rough character of the ground, the formidable difficulties being overcome in a most skillful manner, and the grade pushed to the falls. No description of this property would be full or veracious without mentioning the able lieutenant of Mr. Flanigan, Mr. Selvage, whose intelligent efforts to second his chief has largely contributed to present forward condition of the work. At this point the full flow of all the resources of this section is fully developed and opened for commercial purposes and all this has been accomplished in the face of the weekly output of logs. The trees are magnificent, and cover the ground at an average of 50 to 60 M feet per acre. One hundred men are employed with all the modern appliances of logging, under the energetic superintendence of James Morrison, who is fully alive to the trust which is reposed in him by the company. To witness the system and order of all the details of the work; to see the great logs moved from the ground to the various landings for railroad transfer to tide water is a treat which well repays a visit.

#### Marble

Close to the present terminus is the famous ledge of marble which promises to afford, in the future, occupation for a great number of men. This marble will compare favorably with the best Italian marble imported. It has been thoroughly tested by the Carlow Bros. of Sacramento, and for beauty and luster of polish, grain, fibre and brilliancy of face, is of surpassing elegance.

Water can be brought from the creek to run the saws, and it does not require the spirit of prophecy to predict that in a short time the finest slabs for billiard tables, shafts for monuments, and in the numerous domestic uses to which it can be put, such as table and bureau tops, wash basin and closet trimmings, it will take the place of the imported article, and be a formidable competitor in the market, afforded at a much cheaper rate to the purchaser, and thereby save thousands of dollars to the State. Should it be able to withstand our humid climate, it will entirely drive its rival from our field at least, the Italian marble, not having given entire satisfaction. It is safe to state that this marble will become of great commercial importance and that it will find its way to the East in profitable lots to the manufacturers.

AU (5 Nov. 1887) Two weeks ago an infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Frazer of Bayside died of diphtheria. Mr. Frazer informed us this week that there has been no more cases in the vicinity....

AU (12 Nov. 1887) Local Resources. Jacoby Creek. Paper No. 2.

#### Lime

This marble quarry is bound in the future to display a very important part in the commercial relations of the county. This is advanced in no spirit of boasting, but springs from a thorough knowledge of the subject and a realization of its commercial importance. The sagacious mind of Mr. Flanigan fully appreciates the fact; and the railroad is pushed rapidly to completion, to forward these results. As a lime quarry this marble is an overgrown fortune. With every accessory to make an article of commerce cheaply, it will become a formidable rival to the Santa Cruz monopoly. When we view all the natural facilities which abound within easy reach, a glance will convince the most skeptical that lime can be manufactured here cheaper than at the Santa Cruz kilns. The quarried material can be laid down at the kiln from an incline; the kilns discharged on a level with the railroad platform. The material for barrels and firewood is lying in an abundant profusion on every side. The mill that manufactures the barrels can be run by water for a motor. The lime can be shipped daily on the railroad--thus saving storage handling--and be deposited at steamer warehouse, where three dollars per ton--or perhaps less, will place it on the wharf at San Francisco. This is not imaginative or ephemeral as the picture projected on the plane of a magic lantern, but can be verified any day by parties desirous of becoming familiar with the facts. There is no business that keeps step with the music of the times, as this of lime. It is a growth of our growth, and must keep pace with the wants and necessities of the people....

AU (19 Nov. 1887) Local Resources. Jacoby Creek. Paper No. 3.

#### Granite

An excellent quality of this rock is found on the creek. It is not so hard as the now famous Mad river granite, but is firm and flawless, of first rate cleavage, and much easier wrought into shape. For curbing, coping and stepping, it will compare favorably with the Rocklin article, and its accepting a handsome polish would answer admirably for all monumental purposes. Should the Government resolve to build a breakwater, or seek to improve the harbor by jetty, no better stone could be found than this. It resists the action of water and fire, and atmosphere has little or no disintegrating effect upon it; these qualities being recommendations of the highest order. It could be furnished at the very lowest rates, as transportation is easy, freight at nominal figures, and access complete.

### Sandstone

By far the most interesting feature of this creek is the sandstone formation. Here nature, in her great laboratory, is engaged in the wonderful process of development. From the soft to the hardest, so plastic that it may almost be formed by the fingers, and so solid that it requires the very best of tools to form it into shape. It rapidly hardens when exposed to the air, can be readily quarried to any sized blocks, and as a cheap building material, durable and fine in appearance, would soon work itself to the front in public favor. In this connection, there is a very fine grained sandstone close to Boynton's Prairie admirably adapted for grindstones. The texture of this rock is such that for grinding edge tools it can not be surpassed by any article of the kind brought from the east.

### Quartz

There is also a quartz ledge at the head of the creek, which, doubtless, carries gold. It has never been prospected thoroughly from the fact that it is too near home and consequently worthless. No evidence of coal has been found on the creek, although an excellent quality of lignite has been found in this range, and doubtless, if a thorough exploration were extended, coal might yet be found.

### Water Supply

The force and volume of this clear crystal fluid can not be overestimated. With an abundance of material on hand for building a concrete dam, any length or height, for a storage pond of clear cold water, free from all impurities, can be developed. Here would be a chance for Eureka to own her own water works at very little expense; the mains could be laid directly to the town across the marsh, the whole distance within the compass of ten or twelve miles. Again, as a source of power it could be utilized for milling purposes, affording the best and most economical....[illegible]

The time is near at hand when mills will be an absolute necessity in the various industries which this section can furnish. There is no hazard in asserting there will be a woolen factory, also factories of all kinds of wooden ware, veneering, paneling and moulding; utilizing the ungainly stump, which is now a blemish to the landscape and too expensive to be removed for the purpose of making a farm. The day this force would be brought out of the creek would hail the dawn of a new era, and manufacturing become the rule and not the exception as it is at present.

### Redwood Stumps

If a person would say that there were many redwood stumps standing in the forest that were worth one thousand dollars each, he would be regarded as a crank. But nevertheless there are thousands awaiting the saw to cut them into proper dimensions for commercial uses. Let but a method be advised for cutting the stumps into sections, and the finest specimens of veneering, moulding, paneling that ever were seen would be the immediate result. Banisters, posts, and in fact in every situation where the beauty of the native wood is desired, this timber will vie with mahogany, and for elegance and beauty of shade and figure would bear off the palm. This industry must soon begin and the first mill erected will be the prelude to others. This is an important though undeveloped resource; it would require less capital than the shingle mill, and its profits would be greater. A beginning is only necessary for this enterprise and although the material is almost limitless, the demand would, for years, far exceed the supply. This wood is readily adapted to the class of cabinet work for bureau and cabinet fronts, and delicate paneling, where soft warm tints are required. For elegant stands and center tables, admitting an infinite degree of finish and polish this would be worthy the deft manipulation of the most skilled

workman in the country. A great industry lies concealed within this resource which is almost beyond computation in extent and value. As it remains now, it is not only utterly worthless but a damage to the land.

AU (26 Nov. 1887) Local Resources. Jacoby Creek. Paper No. 4.

#### Tan Bark

This industry has assumed large proportions of late years under the manipulation of James F. Denny. The business has acquired a prominence which very few people would fully realize. During the season hundreds of men are engaged peeling; and fifteen or twenty teams employed in the daily transportation to the various shipping points. A short distance above the present terminus of the Jacoby Creek Railroad the bark timber begins to be found. Tan bark trees grow to an elevation of from 100 to 200 feet, reaching a diameter of from two or three feet. The tree is tall and finely shaped, sparsely limbed and foliage slight. At a certain period the bark can be easily peeled off, when it is sun dried and corded, ready to be marketed. Southeast and west from this point, the groves are magnificent and the trees thrifty and large. A wagon road cut to the creek to intersect the railroad from Kneeland and Boynton's Prairie would bring all this output within easy reach of the railroad and thus afford a cheap route for the commodity. When the railroad is pushed up the creek a mile or so farther, it will provide a means for transportation for all the ridge beyond, extending for miles and affording occupation for hundreds of men, and a wide field for teamsters. The demand for bark is constantly increasing, and as the range is widening, the hauling or moving of it cost too much, not affording a safe margin for profit. But with pressing the railroad into this new belt, and developing this source the field will again be opened, and it will last for years to come. Thus the railroad would tap a supply of oak lying so near the line that the shameful waste of the stripped trees might be avoided by chopping them into stovewood, which would always command a good price in Eureka. A bark claim in that event would be worth three times its present value, which would be ample consideration to give it favorable attention. When the railroad would tap this oak the merits of some of this species would be better and more widely known. A market might also be found for it, and quite a business developed. The permanence of this road would be assured, as Jacoby Creek is the natural outlet for Kneeland and Boynton Prairies. It would place those two points within eight miles of Arcata; and it would be fair to imply that a constant stream of up river travel would connect at this point. It is worthy attention from a business point of view.

#### Enterprise

In taking leave of Jacoby Creek, we do so with great reluctance, for justice cannot be fully done to its vast resources in the small compass of a few brief notes. Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. have exhibited a creditable degree of energy and enterprise in developing this prolific region, and they are desirous to meet all its varied requirements of transportation by affording opportunities for handling freight in a very economical manner. For this purpose they propose to build large scows, capable of carrying ten or twelve cars. Upon these scows the cars can be placed and borne to any part of the Bay, thus saving the cost of handling and consequent loss of time. This will be an important factor in the bark industry, as it would afford the barkmen an opportunity to store their bark under shed on the line of the road, when it could be shipped when desirable, by this means controlling the lower market, instead of San Francisco controlling the market here. It would then have a specific value and would vastly improve the business. The wise prudence and business sagacity which has been displayed in every step of this enterprise is of the most

commendable character, and the time is close at hand when they will realize the full advantage of the venture.

AU (3 Dec. 1887) Local Resources. Ranch of Harpst & Spring. Paper No. 5.

Braeside, the magnificent estate of Harpst & Spring, is situated on the west side of the long spur which divides the waters of Mad river from Humboldt Bay. Braeside is a compound word, and embraces in its significant meaning every salient feature of this interesting landscape. As the firm of Harpst & Spring is actively engaged, not only in their mercantile enterprises, which are large, but also in the development of local resources, an article devoted to a description of this ranch must, necessarily, be of interest. Nestling in its warm and sun-gilded shelter, it presents a beautiful appearance. It reaches from Foltz's creek on the south to within half a mile of the town of Arcata. To add to its interest the entire valley was, in a past geologic period, the outlet of Jacoby creek; and it is a beautiful study to view the means nature employed to change the stream to its present course. Vast landslides have interposed, doubtless brought about by the subsidence of the waters. In the economy of nature this gives warmth to the entire basin, as it is underlaid by a bed of decomposed gravel, which receives heat rapidly and radiates it slowly.

#### Clearing

The 2779 acres which this ranch contains are in all stages of transition, from the finest careful cutting for lumber, next gathering shake and shingle bolts; then firewood; then again the "slashing," and finally the passage of the fire king over all. These processes are in active operation on all sides; and at present, the already seeded portions affords pasture for about 400 head of cattle. It [illegible] an evidence of the exceedingly great fertility of this soil, and the capricious activity of nature to say, that in 1860 the entire basin of this ranch was an open prairie. Now it is covered by a thicket of fir trees, grown so closely and densely as to preclude the possibility of other growth, native to the soil. You can view beneath this leafy arbor the remains of the former shrubbery. A large portion of this recent growth has been cut and cleared, there being usually about one hundred acres "slashed" burned and seeded annually.

#### Sheepfold

For a sheepfold it would be one of the best in the county. The sunny exposure of the hills; the nutritious browse which the entire slope affords; the abundant water supply, dancing merrily in its course, and above all the natural advantages which the ranges afford for the growth of every variety of tame grass. In the valley the moisture is sufficient for thrifty and almost continuous growth; on the mountain top, the summit is enshrouded during the summer months with fogs, affording abundant moisture, with a perennial verdure. This is one of the most important undeveloped resources of this estate. If a good seed can be found, one not easily trampled out, of strong and resistant growth, this land can be made one of the best pastures in the State. A sheep ranch can be conducted here, upon most economical and advantageous principles. Sheds, for their shelter, could be cheaply erected. The sheep fattened here can be shipped to the San Francisco market without the fatigue and consequence loss of flesh of long drives. The wool shorn and baled, and with the aid of railroad facilities, landed in the lower market at the very minimum of expense.

#### Shingles

This vast and ever increasing industry has here one of the best fields in Humboldt County. On August 1st, 1882, a shingle mill was built, which has been running continuously since. A

glance at the output will furnish some conception of the vast proportion of this immense business:

1882.....	6,500,000
1883.....	20,000,000
1884.....	20,000,000
1885.....	20,000,000
1886.....	20,000,000
1887.....	17,500,000

  

Total.....	104,000,000
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These figures are of sufficient magnitude to attract attention, and when we add that this may be continued for twenty years to come, some idea may be formed of this valuable industry. Shingles are steadily increasing in price, as the demand has already extended beyond the confines of the State. To add interest to these marvelous and stupendous results, the whole of this princely revenue is derived from the waste incidentally accruing from logging, that costs the company nothing, save the cost of production.

In 1884, a fancy shingle machine was introduced which adds to the former figures, 1,500,000. In 1885 through the ingenuity of Ole Hansen, a shake machine was put up, which bids fair to outrival all others for practical utility. This invention is a genuine automatic machine, running without the slightest jar, and as steady as a clock; the [illegible] fall from it from any gage or width; adjusting itself to the ever varying bolts, with remarkable ease, precision and speed. Its daily output is 15,000. By the mechanical skill of Mr. Hans Anderson all this wonderful machinery has been greatly improved. To his patient and untiring efforts this machinery has been brought to its utmost capacity, every class of labor saving implements have been added, and all of the drudgery and heavy lifting of the old fashioned system of milling has been entirely superseded by his improved methods. About twenty-five men are employed about the mill.

#### Shake and Shingle Bolts

Mr. C.J. Harpst has the control of the yards and woods. This labor has been completely systematized and its subdivisions are under competent and energetic foremen. Sixty-five are employed in the woods getting out bolts; twenty-eight horses and mules, with large heavy wagons, capable of carrying two or three cords, are employed in the transportation, and such is the provident character of this company that 1000 cords are piled within the area of the mill yard for winter use. The convenience for the delivery of the shingles, as taken from the packers hands, are placed on a car and hauled to the landing over a well appointed tramway, a distance of one mile and a half and from that point boated to the sea going vessels.

#### Barns and Stables

There are four large barns on the ranch. One 200 feet in length, with stall room for 40 head of cattle; two barns 60 feet long each for teams and feed, and one hay barn for the cattle on the range.

All of this large business flows directly from gathering the waste, following the first logging. The broken portion of the large logs are made into bolts, every piece that will make a shake or a shingle goes; after this the residue gathered for locomotive firewood; by this careful

system the minutest fragments are saved and a profit drawn from it all. In the final clearings, fire is put to the remainder, and the ashes serve to enrich the ground for the reception of the grasses.

#### Butchering

This ranch has a finely equipped butcher shop under the skillful management of Mr. Joseph Meagher. The company supply the camp of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., the Jolly Giant camp, their employees on the ranch and several minor customers. This requires seven beeves per week. Great numbers of hogs are slaughtered; tons of bacon and hams, and many thousand pounds of kettle dried lard put up in 5 and 10 lb. tins annually.

Harpst & Spring, in connection with their mercantile business, own an interest with Mr. S. Meyers in the Jolly Giant shingle mill, which has an annual output of 22,000,000 shingles. Also in the lumber manufacturing firm of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., one half interest in mill, railroad, and timber land, thus identifying themselves with every lumbering interest north of Jacoby creek to the Jolly Giant Mill.

AU (14 April 1888) Death of James Beith—James Beith died at his residence two miles from Arcata on the Eureka road, on last Monday afternoon. He came down with pneumonia on the first day of April and died on the 9<sup>th</sup>.

Deceased was born in the city of Glasgow Scotland on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1729 and was 59 years of age on the 4<sup>th</sup> of last month. He arrived in Arcata (then Union) in 1851, where he was joined by his father and family in 1853. The family settled upon the homestead above mentioned shortly after their arrival here, where they have since resided and where the father died a few years ago, having lived more than four score years.

James Beith, though never having enjoyed the advantages of a finished education, was far above the average of educated men as an orator and writer. As a fluent and entertaining public speaker, he had few if any equals in Humboldt County, and none were better read in European history. He took a lively interest in the development of our county, and has done much with tongue and pen to make known our slumbering wealth. He was the author of the interesting articles that appeared in the *Union* last winter under the head of "Local Resources." He served the county on the Board of Supervisors, where he was active and vigilant and the people owe to him as much as any other man, the magnificent court house that now graces the City of Eureka.

Deceased was generous to a fault, warm hearted as man can be, true as steel to his word, devoted to those whose care devolved upon him and loyal to his friends. About two weeks before his death, eh was loaned by the writer of this the works of Henry M. Stanley—*Through the Dark Continent*. He had spoken to us from time to time of his great interest in the perilous marches of Stanley and in his delirium during the fatal sickness, his mind wandered into the jungles along the banks of the Congo and he talked of boats, falls, savages, etc. A leaf turned down in the chapter describing the loss, by going over the falls, of Frank Pocock, the last of Stanley's European companions, shows at what point he dropped the book. This made an impression on the mind of the deceased that held presage in his burning brain. Poor Beith. While so deeply interested in following the great explorer through the Dark Continent he was himself called to that mysterious continent about which no return voyage has ever written a book. Peace to his ashes.

The funeral took place from the family home at 10:30 Wednesday under the direction of the Humboldt County Pioneers of which deceased was an active and worthy member. There was

a large turn out of pioneers from Eureka, some coming by the morning boat, others around the bay. The pall bearers were Robt. Walker, B. Pouleur, R. Wiley, B.M. Stokes, John McConnaghy and Frank Bincaz. The procession was one quarter of a mile in length, there being 50 carriages and buggies in line. Deceased was laid along side his venerable father in Greenwood Cemetery, the impressive burial service of the Pioneers being read by Pioneer, Rev. J.S. Todd.

AU (12 Jan. 1889) Salmon in great numbers have been finding their way from the bay into Jacoby creek for a week or more past. The fish are in search of spawning grounds and are being captured by the boat load near the mouth of the creek.

AU (27 July 1889) Mary B. Morton, as administratrix of the estate of James Beith, deceased, has sold certain real estate for \$3075.50 and she petitions the Superior Court to confirm the sale. Aug. 6th is set for hearing the matter.

Deeds 32:108 (10 Aug. 1889) [Lauffer Place] James Beith Estate (Mary Morton administratrix) to J.B. Lauffer, beginning at SE corner NE qt NE qt Sec 4, 6N1E, thence N along E line Sec. 4, 7.42 chains (489.72 feet); thence S 89 degrees 30 minutes W 25.37 chains (1674.42 feet) to county road; thence along E side of road S 17 degrees 30 minutes E 7.78 chains (513.48 feet) to S line NE qt NE qt Sec. 4; thence along line N 89 degrees 30 minutes E 23.10 chains (1524.60 feet) to beginning, 18 acres.

AU (31 May 1890) Joseph Nellist, who owns and lives on the old Jacoby ranch near Bayside, sent to this office on Wednesday some ripe and [delicious] strawberries grown on his place. The hillside part of his ranch is just the place to grow this fruit.

AU (20 Sept. 1890) Postmaster Dyer of Bayside was in town on Tuesday. He reports farming operations on the creek in a satisfactory condition. The hay crop is all in, but threshing has not begun. The potato and fruit crop is larger than usual.

AU (6 Dec. 1890) Suit has been commenced in the Superior Court by Wm. Nicholson against Samuel Getchell to have defendant enjoined from maintaining a bulkhead or breakwater across Jacoby Creek at his premises near Bayside which adjoins those of plaintiff. An injunction in this case was issued out of the Superior Court last Wednesday. The plaintiff is represented by Thos. H. Selvage, Esq.

AU (31 Jan. 1891) To the people of Bayside and Arcata, the bar improvement now under contract to Simpson & Brown is of considerable interest as much of the labor to be performed and money to pay for the same will be directly felt by them. The rock, which is the principal item of expense in the work, will be taken from the extensive granite quarry of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. on Jacoby Creek. The quarry is located on the south side of the creek and is within a few steps of the firm's logging road, so that no extra road building will be required to reach the quarry.

Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. have a contract with Simpson & Brown to supply the 50,000 ton of rock and haul it to deep water, Simpson & Brown doing the quarrying and loading and unloading the cars. To comply with the contract, Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. will have to build a

wharf and railroad track from their present dump out to deep water, a distance of about one mile. Mr. Brown, an experienced quarryman, will take charge of the work at the quarry, while Mr. Flanigan will superintend the building of the wharf and rail track. Work has been commenced for the wharf and will be pushed with all possible speed, depending somewhat on the weather. As Mr. Brown will have quite a large crew and F.B.&Co. a good many men, times will be pretty lively about Bayside the coming summer.

AU (7 Feb. 1891) Three branches of the Farmers Alliance, one at the Janes district, one at Bayside and one at Arcata, have been organized this week. J.W. Hines, State organizer, has been here on that business. Farmers appear to take kindly to this new order of things.

AU (11 April 1891) Active operations in the Jacoby Creek granite quarry have commenced and the blasts from there this week have rung out through this section like a bombardment. The wharf is completed and is waiting the arrival of rails to finish the track.

AU (25 April 1891) In about three weeks a blast will be touched off in the Jacoby Creek quarry that will shake this section in a way that will cause people to think that Satan has gone gunning for sinners. A tunnel into the solid ledge, 125 feet in length, is now being run at right angles from the end of the main, two side tunnels will be run 50 feet in length, all of which are about 100 feet below the surface of the ledge. When completed 18,000 pounds of powder will be placed in the tunnels and all ignited at once. It will be for the heaviest blast ever made in this county. The ordinary blasts of rock and redwood trees, which our people are accustomed to hear, are about like the report of shotguns as compared to what this blast will be. It will be touched off by electricity and due notice will be given to people to stand from under.

The face of the ledge has already been blasted off and there is now a large quantity of rock ready for shipment. The rock in this quarry is inexhaustible and it is expected that the big blast will break up thousands of tons. The railroad will be completed today to the end of the wharf in the bay channel and the work of delivering rock at the entrance will begin next week.

AU (2 May 1891) Born at Bayside, April 26 to wife of Robert McCutcheon, a son.

AU (30 May 1891) The big blast in the Jacoby Creek quarry, of which mention was made a month or more ago, was set off one week ago last Sunday. The report was not great, but the earth was shaken for quite a distance around the discharge. The blast did all that was expected or required. Seams were opened from the tunnels to the top of the rock so that the work of blasting is made easy. Perhaps not less than 100,000 tons of rock was loosened by the blast.

AU (6 June 1891) Born at Bayside, May 31, to the wife of Wm. Henry, a son.

AU (13 June 1891) The beautiful valley of Jacoby Creek, with its fertile fields and cosy houses, is one of the inviting sections of the county. Flying through the lower valley on the train yesterday, we almost envied the possessions, their tempting gardens and clover blossoms.-- *Humboldt Times*

AU (5 Sept. 1891) Jacoby Creek Works--In 1887, the late James Beith of this place wrote a series of articles under the head of "Local Resources," which were published in the *Arcata Union*. The papers referred principally to the undeveloped wealth of the Jacoby creek section. Among the various sources of latent wealth of which the writer spoke was the one of the valuable rock that line the banks of that stream for quite a distance, and the facilities for getting it out. Sooner, perhaps, than was then anticipated this branch of Mr. Beith's predicted wealth has come to the surface.

On Saturday last, in company with O.H. Spring and E.L. Allen of San Francisco, we paid a visit to the Jacoby creek quarries where the work of getting out rock for the bar improvement, now under contract to Simpson & Brown, is in progress. Taking a seat in the big locomotive that moves the rock cars, we went to the end of the wharf and witnessed the operation of loading cars on the railroad scow. The scow has three rail tracks which connect at the apron of the wharf with three other tracks. Each of the tracks on the scow carries seven cars, making 21 in all, each car being loaded with ten ton, or over of rock. The work of loading the cars on the scow is quickly done, the apron being adjusted to the scow by the locomotive, and the cars run on in about 15 or 20 minutes. After witnessing the operation of loading the scows we returned to the shingle mill cook house and partook of a substantial and well cooked dinner. Mounting the big locomotive again, we were whirled along through the lovely little valley of Jacoby creek to the quarry, about two miles above the county road. Three different and distinct quarries, within a quarter of a mile of each other, are being worked on the creek, with railroad switches to each. Large derricks, rigged with wire rope, and run by stream donkeys lift the rock from the bed of the creek to the cars. Three-fourths of the rock must weigh over a ton to each piece. The large rock is lifted into the cars by chains, while the smaller rock is hoisted in cribs. The rock is easy of access and there is no limit to the quantity. Forty-two car loads, or about 450 tons, each day, is the average days work.

The railroad over which the rock is carried is the property of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. and connects directly with the logging and shingle works of that firm. The road running out into the bay was built under the supervision of Mr. Flanigan, and is the most substantial piece of work in the county over tide water. The big locomotive and tender, weighing 45 tons, does not shake it. The caps and stringers are of hewn timber, 12 or 14 inches in thickness, and broad enough to bear any weight that can be placed on the road. Under each cap are three piles, and as the fresh water from Jacoby creek runs parallel with the road to the channel, it is not likely that worms will ever seriously interfere with the piles. The railroad is valuable for the reason that it will serve the double purpose of delivering into tide water both rock and logs.

Handling the rock cars is one of the responsible positions of the work. All this is done by the big engine in charge of engineer Chas. Monahan, who delivers the empties to the different quarries, picks up the loaded cars and delivers them on board the scows. Telephone stations are located at the switches, quarries and logging stations so as to inform the engineers of the movements of the locomotives.

The day was pleasantly spent in viewing the works, and to Mr. Spring, Frank Stern, manager of the Bayside store, and engineer Monahan and his assistant, Mr. Allen, the *Union* editor desire to publicly acknowledge their thanks for courtesies shown them during the day.

AU (7 Nov. 1891) On last Saturday afternoon a fatal accident occurred at Jacoby Creek. As nearly as can be learned, two men named John Healey and Gus Johnson were working at the face

of the quarry when a huge boulder fell on them from above. The other laborers noticing the boulder loosening shouted a warning and Johnson started to run, but Healey, seeming to have lost all presence of mind, stood as one dazed and the huge mass fell full upon him, crushing the life out of him. Although warned in time, Johnson was unable to get completely out of the way and being struck by the rock sustained a broken arm. The dead man was about 30 years of age, but as yet nothing can be learned of his [relatives].

Deeds 41:117 (3 Dec. 1891) [Titlow Ranch] Thomas Titlow to Harpst & Spring, undivided 1/4 interest. Beginning at quarter section post in center Section 32, 6N1E, thence E 40 chains (2640 feet) to a post; thence S 40 chains (2640 feet) to corner of Sections 32 and 33; thence W 22 chains (1452 feet) to Humboldt Bay; thence following meander of bay N 44 degrees W 20.12 chains (1327.92 feet); thence N 60 degrees W 4.26 chains (281.16 feet) to subdivisional line; thence along line N 23.66 chains (1561.56 feet) to beginning, containing 143.98 acres, excepting two parcels of 16 acres and 13.56 acres.

AU (1 Jan. 1892) As will be seen by ad in another column, postmaster Dyer of Bayside will dedicate his new hall at that place this evening by giving a grand ball an supper. The hall is new, 40x80 and is well and substantially built.

AU (23 Jan. 1892) Ad for Masquerade Ball Dyer's New Hall, Bayside, Friday Evening, Jan. 29th....

AU (20 Feb. 1892) Our Marsh Land--Partly surrounding Arcata, extending from Brainard's Point on the southeast to the vicinity of the mouth of Mad river on the west, is a strip of marsh land, most of which the tide ebbs and flows over, consisting of several thousand acres. No richer or more productive land than this is to be found in any country, but it cannot be utilized while salt water flows over it. One or two attempts have been made to dike small patches of this land, but in only one case that we know of was the dike built in such manner as to keep out the salt water long enough to give the land a fair trial. Recently, however, work has been commenced with a view of making a success of the undertaking. Thos. Bair, President of the Bank of Arcata, is the owner of a half section of land about two miles west of Arcata of which 200 acres is marsh....A contract has been let to build over 500 rods of dike, which will reclaim pretty much all the marsh land and convert the entire 320 acres into one farm, all of which can be cultivated....

Deeds 42:595 (21 April 1892) [Harpst & Spring; Premium Dairy Site] E.S. Mason to Harpst & Spring, \$372, Beginning at the quarter section post on S line Sec. 33, 6N1E, thence N on quarter section line 10.92 chains (720.72 feet) to SW corner of a parcel of land conveyed by Mary B. Morton to E.S. Mason, 12 Aug. 1889, (Deeds 32:54); thence N 87 degrees E 296 feet to W line of county road; thence northerly along road N 19 degrees W 615 feet to N line of S half SE qt Sec. 33; thence along W line of road N 15 degrees W 190 feet to SE corner of parcel conveyed to E.S. Mason to Harpst & Spring, Jan. 10, 1884 (Deeds 12:17); the same being the right of way for Harpst & Spring railroad; thence S 56 degrees W along line of right of way 9.62 chains (634.92 feet); thence continuing along line of land of Harpst & Spring S 41 degrees W 9.36 chains (617.76 feet); thence S 17 degrees E 11.05 chains (729.30 feet) to S line Sec 33; thence E on section line 10 chains (660 feet) to place of beginning, 24.30 acres., i.e., all of Mason's land in

Section 33 that is south of the road bed of Harpst & Spring railroad and west of county wagon road.

HDS (23 April 1892) Editor Standard,....We called at Flanigan & Brosnan's works and on invitation of Messrs. Flanigan and John Harpst, we visited their marsh improvements. They intend to reclaim about 150 acres and Harpst and Spring are also reclaiming a large tract in the vicinity.

We next visited the logging camp, where we found James Morrison in charge, who received us kindly. Here a large force of men is at work removing a big slide which occurred a few days ago. They are removing the debris by means of sluice boxes, the water being brought from some distance up the creek. The boxes are run almost full and the men shovel the mud into them, five men doing the work which it would take 25 men to do any other way. Mr. Flanigan informs us that he will have the slide out of the way in a couple of days. Logging progresses at this camp when the weather permits.—Observer.

AU (21 May 1892) The Bayside WCTU are preparing for a Demurest silver medal contest, which will take place at Temperance hall next Friday evening, May 27th. The competition will be lively and the entertainment an interesting one. To meet expenses an admission fee of ten cents will be charged. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

HDS (30 May 1892) Up Arcata Way—On a visit up Arcata way, from which I returned yesterday, I saw plenty of things that may be of interest....At Harpst & Spring's Union Shingle mill they are manufacturing from eighty to ninety thousand shingles per day, twenty thousand of which are fancy shingles in the usual shapes. They are running 18 hours per day which may account for the large cut. They now have 35 men at work in the mill and woods and for the number turn out lots of work.

Besides the mill and woods crew the company has 18 men employed in dyking marsh land which on completion will make a claim of 160 acres reclaimed from old ocean. They are now running a larch ranch of which they have this year 150 acres in grain. They employ on the ranch four men who are kept busy on the ordinary work of the place. They have 325 head of cattle on the range, 100 head of sheep and a large number of hogs. In the dairy they have 100 cows furnishing milk and butter for their men.

C.I. Harpst is the superintendent of this business and he is most painstaking in his outlook over its affairs. The enterprise is a large one and is growing every day.—Observer

HDS (6 June 1892) [picnic at Jacoby Creek]

AU (18 June 1892) The Harpst & Spring Dike--....It starts in on the bank of Butcher Slough just beyond the town line and follows the course of the slough as near as possible to the bay. Here it follows along the edge of the mudflats for a mile or more and crosses Flanigan and Brosnan's railroad at the edge of the bay. It then goes down along the bay, comes up and crosses the big slough by the draw bridge where a flood gate will be put in, and follows down the further bank of the slough to the mouth of Jacoby Creek. From there it follows up the bank of the creek till it gets out of the reach of the highest tides and there ends.

The dike is ten feet wide at the base, 4 1/2 feet at the top, and five feet high....The dike, when finished, will be 400 rods long and will enclose about 350 acres of land. Of this land 115 acres belonged to the old Titlow place now owned by Harpst & Spring. Mel Roberts owns a part, Flanigan and Brosnan a part and Harpst & Spring, the remainder....

The dike will be fenced along the inside and when finished will be a very large pasture.

The first owner who took up this marsh as swamp and overflowed land never dreamed that this large stretch of country, from Arcata to Jacoby Creek, inhabited only by the festive clam and the busy little crab would some day be pasture for hundreds of cattle....The expense of building and the credit of inaugurating this fine piece of work was shared in alike by Flanigan & Brosnan and M.P. Roberts.

AU (22 Oct. 1892) In the Matter of the Organization of a Reclamation District of the Lands Herein Described--To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt....Your petitioners, who represent, are the holders of title to more than half of a body of swamp and overflowed lands....413 acres already reclaimed....John Harpst, O.H. Spring, M.P. Roberts, Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., Mrs. Mary B. Morton and Edwin Mason.

AU (7 Jan. 1893) [storm, "Bayside hall was removed and considerably damaged."]

AU (18 March 1893) Contractor Bull informs us that there are now between 40 and 50 men at work about the Jacoby Creek quarries, preparatory to begin removing rock. Either the middle or last of next week, Major Heuer and his assistants will arrive and lay out the work for a beginning on the north jetty and hauling rock will be commenced at once.

DHS (3 April 1893) [Contractor John Bull, Jr. took crew to spit; the cook house is in running order and the gypsy was to have been taken down this afternoon. The double track railroad at the quarry is about finished.]

DHS (13 April 1893) A message from Bayside at noon informs us that the first load of rock for the north spit jetty had just passed that place and that this rock will be dumped at the jetty tomorrow.

AU (29 April 1893) Work on Jacoby creek quarry is progressing as well as possible under the stress of prevailing weather. The creek was higher last Sunday than it was at any time last winter and interfered with the foundation of the derrick which caused some delay this week. Two or three tunnels are being run which will be set off simultaneously with a view to knocking down the whole face of rock in front of the works.

AU (18 Aug. 1893) Reclaiming Tide Lands--For many years residents of Arcata owned the tide lands adjoining the bay south of town, using them as an inferior pasture occasionally, but the salt water made the feed very inferior and the land, covered by the tide twice a day, served only as a breeding place for mosquitoes and was an eye sore as one approached the place by the railroad. But this is all in process of change. Over a year ago certain men in Arcata determined to redeem their marsh land if possible, and immediately commenced to dyke against the tide, beginning just east of the railroad embankment and working east to the place of M.P. Roberts, who joined with

them. From Mr. Roberts' place the work was continued east to the railroad of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., where a flood gate was put in, and from there further east, redeeming the tide lands of that firm. Altogether the levee is two miles long, ten feet wide at the bottom, and five feet wide on top. The cost was in the neighborhood of five dollars per rod.

At the present time the dyke forms a most efficient barrier against the tide, thoroughly redeeming what would otherwise be valueless marsh land. The amount of land reclaimed is about 400 acres, which, at the present time--but little over a year from the time the dyke was completed--affords excellent pasturage for many head of cattle and horses as the fat stock on the ranch of M.P. Roberts, and of his neighbors, Messrs. Harpst & Spring abundantly prove. The land has not yet been seeded to clover, as there is still too much salt in it for the grass to grow luxuriantly, but here and there sprigs of clover are coming up showing that when the rains of another winter have done their part to clear the land of salt, that the land will be inferior to none on Arcata bottom in its ability to grow a strong crop of that grass. This is land worth in the beginning but a few bits an acre for inferior pasture, transformed in the course of a year to a valuable property, the equal, if not, the superior of any other for grass growing and crop raising purposes.

AU (21 Oct. 1893) Bayside Items, Oct. 19th. Times are lively here now (that is considering the present Democratic Administration). Our public school, under the supervision of W. Saunders, is progressing very rapidly and to the entire satisfaction of all. Miss Sadie Young who has charge of the primary department is doing nicely.

The C. of F. & T. meet as usual every Thursday night and a very enjoyable evening is usually spent.

Rumor has it that wedding bells are soon to be rung in our midst, but as yet, I have not been able to locate the happy couple. But it is very probable that the event will take place in Arcata or at Janes Creek.

There is to be a masquerade ball here next Saturday night and I suppose if the weather permits, there will be a large crowd present. Quite a number of Baysiders attended the masquerade ball at Blue Lake last Saturday evening and all returned home well satisfied with their evening's enjoyment.

Well, so much for this time, the next letter I write my name won't be PLUTO.

AU (28 Oct. 1893) Contractor J.C. Bull, Jr. is to be congratulated for the energy he has shown in getting nearly all of the rock required by his contract on the jetties into place. Work is going on at such a rate that by Dec. 1st, to which date the contract to be fulfilled has been extended, all of the required 60,000 tons will have been put in. Mr. Bull's contract is a continuous one and will last for several years, or until the improvements at the mouth of the harbor have been completed. Mr. D.J. Flanigan, who is superintending the work, has shown the greatest energy in his department and work is now going on at the quarry at night by the electric light.

AU (18 Nov. 1893) The eight-month-old child of Mr. and Mrs. James Coady died at their residence on the Eureka Road Sunday evening about 9 o'clock from gripp and bowl complaint.

AU (9 Dec. 1893) Bayside Letter, Dec. 5th. The past week has been a very lively one in this section, considering weddings, minstrel shows, and last, but not least, the timber fever that struck

here a few days since. From present appearances it seems as though the storm is over for the present and the tillers of the soil will now have an opportunity to proceed with farm work as usual.

W.S. Lamb and Mrs. M.E. Albee were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the residence of Mrs. Geo. Mitchell of Bayside, mother of the bride this week. The Rev. Griffith Griffiths of Eureka officiated and none but relatives and a few intimate acquaintances were present during the ceremonies. The newly married couple repaired to their future home at Rohnerville at once, consequently the boys were not afforded their usual opportunity of serenading them with tin pans, cowbells, horns, etc.

The minstrel show given by the amateur talent of this place was a grand success in every particular and although the weather was disagreeable, the hall was comfortably filled and all were very well pleased with the evening's performance. After the performance the seats were set back and all who wished were afforded an opportunity to dance, as long as they chose. At midnight a sumptuous supper was served by Mrs. Dyer to which about forty couples did ample justice.

Well, the grip has about let loose here now and a few days since the timber fever struck. Last Sunday morning a number of Baysiders struck out, taking with them a guide with the intention of making a stake by making a speculation in timber land, but it seems as if nobody knows where. At any rate we hope the boys will have success and if so, perhaps we will try it next time we have an opportunity.

Geo. Hill of Eureka, formerly of your town, came up from Eureka last Tuesday on a duck hunt, but from all appearances of his game bag on his return, it is very probable the ducks flew too high for him.

The water was very high here last Friday which caused the boys to put on their high water boots in order to go calling anywhere close to the creek. PLUTO

AU (30 Dec. 1893) The Humboldt County pamphlet contains good pictures of Devlin's tannery, the creamery, the Methodist church, a bird's eye view of Arcata, Geo. Zehndner's wheat field, the school house, the Mad river quarry, a train load of logs at Bayside, Isaac Minor, Jr's combination bull donkey, the Arcata wharf, the dyking machine at work near town and pictures of all the Mad river mills and scenes in the logging woods above and near Arcata are reproduced.... The price is 50 cents per copy and 10 cents postage will send it to any part of the U.S. or Canada....

AU (6 Jan. 1894) Bayside Warblings, Jan. 2d. The timber fever has at last subsided and with one or two exceptions, no very serious cases are reported. The notorious but once prominent Mr. Wood has left us, most probably looking for more timber land in a more favorable section.

Bayside celebrated Christmas with a Christmas tree on the evening of Dec. 23d and on Christmas night a grand ball was given in Dyer's new hall. It was without doubt one of the grandest affairs ever given at Bayside. Twelve sets were on the floor until 2 o'clock in the morning, when few by few they began to return home. However, dancing was kept up till five o'clock in the morning. Over one hundred people partook of the excellent supper at midnight, which was served by Mrs. Dyer for the occasion.

A Christian Endeavor Society is being organized at this place, their meetings to be held each Sunday evening in the Temperance Hall.

The Salvation Army have held several meetings here lately. They always have crowded houses and their preaching and singing is listened to very attentively by the people.

The Bayside minstrels are to give another entertainment in the near future of which more will be said through the columns of the *Union* in due time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Nicholson, who have been on a visit to Chicago and other places of interest in the east, returned home three weeks since. Both report having had a good time and are warmly welcomed back by their many Humboldt friends.

Rumor has it that a saloon is soon to be started in this place, but at present no particulars have been learned in regard to the matter. Bayside has done very well in the past towards keeping the saloon out, and no doubt will do all that is possible to rid our quiet little village of such a business in the future. Tom and Jerry.

AU (10 Feb. 1894) J.C. Bull, Jr., contractor for jetty work on the bar, informs us that operations will begin at once to carry on the work for the present year, at the same place as formerly. W.E. Dennison, Secretary of the San Francisco Street Improvement Company, which concern holds a large interest in the contract, will have entire control of operations this year. It is the intention to be ready to commence dumping rock by the 15th of April and it will require all the time between now and then to get ready. Large additions are to be made to the rolling stock and machinery of the company. A flume will be built by which water will be conveyed to the rock to wash down the loose dirt, tunnels are to be made and blasting to be done. The Flanigan railroad will be extended 2800 feet to deep water, connecting with the Brainard Point slough, near the black stump. In the face of all the bad luck and other embarrassments that the company had to meet last year, all that was required was performed and it is to be hoped that the business will be conducted in the future with less annoyance to the company.

AU (3 March 1894) Bayside, in and about F.B.&Co.'s store, is a busy locality just now. In company with a lady of our acquaintance, we drove down to Bayside on Monday. Met Mr. Flanigan there. He informed us that between 60 and 70 men were at work at the quarry landings, stripping and washing down rock, building, erecting hoisting works, etc. One train load of piles passed the store while we were there, and as the contract has been let for driving and capping the wharf extension, work will be commenced there this week. A trip through the shingle mill was made. The company has two Hansen machines in operation. These machines are the best so far invented and it would seem that no improvement could be made on them, but there doubtless will be. It requires three packers for the two machines, two of whom are Arcata boys, or young men, Walter Orman and Burr McConnaha. The packers occasionally get so close up with their work that they have a rest for a few minutes. To the foreman of the mill and young McConnaha, the *Union* returns thanks for kindness shown the editor and his lady friend.

AU (31 March 1894) The extension of railroad wharf of the Flanigan Company to the Brainard channel, a distance of 2800 feet, is about completed and will be ready for rock cars in about two weeks.

AU (7 April 1894) There are now about 125 men at work in the quarries at Jacoby Creek and not more than two weeks time will be required to have everything in readiness to begin moving rock.

AU (9 June 1894) Flanigan, Brosnan's Bayside store has been placed in telephone communication with the end of the wharf, where the boats take rock cars in tow.

AU (23 June 1894) The family of Frank Stern has gone into camp on Jacoby Creek, where they will remain for about two months. We believe Mrs. Stern has pitched the first tent of the army of campers that will take the field later on.

BLA (7 July 1894) Foster Evans, who has for several months been employed at the Jacoby Creek quarry, was in town Tuesday and told of the strike there the day before by which, as nearly as he can figure, about 145 men went out. The hands were receiving from \$1.25 upward, according to occupation, but were required to pay fifty cents a day for board. The strike was for same pay with board free. The men went out at noon Monday, refusing when the whistle sounded after dinner to return to work.

BLA (14 July 1894) more on strike

AU (14 July 1894) The men engaged in the Jacoby Creek quarry, getting out rock for the jetty, "hit" for an increase of wages the forepart of last week. Concessions were made by the contractors and the crew returned to work Tuesday, being out just one week.

AU (15 Dec. 1894) Another Creamery--Harpst & Spring are preparing to build a creamery and the new concern will be located on the bay side of the road leading from Arcata to Eureka near the residence of Mr. Mason. The firm has two plans on hand, one of which they will build from and the work will be commenced soon. The new creamery will not be a joint stock concern, the growing dairy interests of Harpst & Spring rendering it necessary for them to handle their own milk.

AU (2 Feb. 1895) Operations have been commenced on Harpst & Spring's new creamery and the gravel to be used in the concrete foundation is now being hauled. The location of the land will do away with a tank and pump. The water will be from the creek which has been dammed above the shingle mill, affording an abundant supply of pure water the year around. The hog pen will be on the slough below the creamery and the skimmed milk will be carried down by gravitation, also doing away with a steam pump.

AU (25 May 1895) Harpst and Spring Creamery--The new creamery, built by Harpst Spring is now in complete running order and is handling about five tons of milk daily, a little more than one fifth of which is produced by their own dairy. The building of the creamery was not so much an enterprise for handling the milk of others as for their own convenience. Their creamery is the cheapest one so far built at this end of the bay, costing less than four thousand dollars, but with a capacity of about 10 tons of milk daily. It is provided with two Alpha separators and a Babcock tester and those who have tried the butter pronounce it fully up to the best produced in this section. Located near the edge of the marsh, with the northwest wind that sweeps across the bay, butting up against the butter room on the west side of the building, the room is cold storage without any further artificial aid than keeping the floor wet with cold water.

The water works of the firm, from which the creamery is supplied, are somewhat extensive and are fed from near the head of a rocky gulch, watered by springs, some distance above their shingle mill. To provide against accident, they have a 23,000 gallon tank which is kept filled all the time and which can be used for butter making in case rains should color the spring water. The water, of which there is an abundance, not only supplies the creamery but is carried to the hog pen some distance below on the marsh, and on across their large tract of pasture land, over that of M.P. Roberts, adjoining and ending at the eastern terminus of the Arcata Water system on the Titlow place in town. A watering trough is placed in one corner of each lot of four fields into which the grazing lands are divided. These troughs and floats are placed so that cattle in either or all of the four fields can be supplied with the finest kind of pure water, a very valuable consideration in the manufacture of good butter.

The idea of utilizing marsh land for grass and clover producing pasture is new in this section, but the fact has been established to a certainty that no land on Arcata bottom produces better or richer pasture than the marsh land when once the salt water has been shut off from it. In proof of this, last year Harpst & Spring planted 20 acres in clover, simply scattering the seed upon the top of the ground, without either plowing or harrowing. Now the clover is well set, looks rank and fine, while the old marsh grass is dying out and is replaced by a growth of tender young grass mixed with the clover. The firm has now sown 300 acres more of dyked land to clover and expect to have pasture in another year, together with their upland fields, to keep 300 head of milch cows.

AU (25 May 1895) The death of Mrs. Jessie, wife of Amos Foltz, at Bayside on Wednesday evening last was a sad blow to the family and friends of that much beloved lady.

Deceased had resided at Bayside for 24 years continuously and had long been a leader in church, temperance and social affairs. She leaves, besides a husband and seven children, one sister in Arcata, Mrs. Hadley, and some brothers and sisters in Oakland, to mourn her loss. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. Baesler of Blue Lake conducted the religious service.

FE (16 Aug. 1895) Russell, the bicycle thief who escaped week before last from one of Eureka's constables, was captured last Friday at the Jacoby Creek quarry and is now in Sheriff Brown's retreat....

AU (23 Nov. 1895) About 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon the residence of Amos Foltz at Bayside took fire from a defective flue and was totally consumed. The house contained six rooms and under its roof the family of children have been raised, some of whom are grown up. There also, Mrs. Foltz died a few months ago. But little was saved from the house, even the clothing of the children was burned.

AU (7 Dec. 1895) It is rather amusing to see men trolling for salmon in the bay when a man can take a spear or a shot-gun and kill all he can carry in Jacoby creek, in a short time.

BLA (25 April 1896) Mr. F.E. Ferguson, the popular bookkeeper for Messrs. Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. of Bayside...reports that times in Bayside promise to be quite lively this summer. At present the three shingle mills belonging to Messrs. Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., Harpst & Spring,

and Wm. Carson, respectively, are running full blast, thus giving employment to quite a number of men. The Jacoby Creek quarry will soon present a busy appearance and it is expected that about 200 men will be employed there this season.

AU (2 May 1896) A Presbyterian Church will be organized at Bayside next Tuesday evening by a committee consisting of Revs. Adsit, Baesler, and Todd and Elders Cullberg and Shaunty, who were appointed by the Presbytery of Benicia at its last meeting in San Rafael.

AU (9 May 1896) Bayside Church--After considerable preparation a Presbyterian Church was organized at Bayside last Tuesday evening. For some years, Rev. Mr. Todd of Arcata and lately Rev. Mr. Baesler of Blue Lake had supplied the pulpit there, Rev. Mr. Nesbitt of Eureka alternating with Mr. Baesler. In the organization Rev. Mr. Todd acted as chairman and the new church was named the Calvary Presbyterian Church. Rev. Wm. Baesler, pastor of the church, 16 in all, baptized one adult and two children, and administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. In the communion service, he was assisted by Elders Cullberg and Smith of Arcata and J.M. Thompson of Eureka. Rev. S.M. Adsit of the Presbyterian Church of Eureka preached the organization sermon from the words: "When the Son of Man cometh shall He find faith on the earth?" and made the prayer of consecration. The new church has a most auspicious outlook. Among the members are the heads of many of the most influential families at Bayside.

AU (9 May 1896) The dance at Bayside on the evening of May 1st was the event of the season. The attendance was very large and a number of young people from Arcata and Eureka were in attendance.

AU (30 May 1896) Road to Eureka—The present road between Eureka and Arcata was located upon the same principle that were Indian trails in the early days. Whereon the least obstruction was found there was the course run, without regard to altitude or other difficulties. Leaving Eureka, the road should follow the edge of the marsh so as to avoid Ryan Slough hill and changed in other places so as to leave as little grade as possible.

AU (20 June 1896) A Fatal Accident--News reached Arcata on Sunday that an accident had happened at the Jacoby Creek quarry by the premature discharge of a blast by which Michael Kirrane was killed and Patrick Barry badly injured. The *Times* says: At the time the men were charging a blast hole with giant powder, using for this purpose an iron pipe through which the sticks of powder were pushed to the bottom of the hole to avoid the chance of explosion by the concussion that would result from dropping the powder loosely into the hole. The powder was well thawed and some of it quite soft, in which condition, it is liable to be exploded by the slightest concussion. This was probably the cause of the accident Sunday, as one of the soft sticks of powder had been mashed out of shape, thus choking the pipe and it was while attempting to dislodge it that the explosion occurred. Barry was holding the pipe with both hands and Kirrane was prodding the powder in the pipe with a bar of half inch round iron, one end of which was bent in the form of a ring to serve as a grip to the hand.

When the explosion occurred both men were blown away from the hole and when Kirrane was picked up, it was found that the iron bar had been shot through his body and was protruding from his back. This was the handle end and by it the bar was afterward pulled out of

the injured man's body. The broad handle end of the bar had entered from the front just below the shoulder and close to the left side, where it tore a large hole and passed diagonally through the body and the lower part of the left shoulder blade, from which it protruded. In addition to the injury it was found that both forearms had been broken but despite his horrible wounds, Kirrane lived nearly two hours.

Barry's condition was not so serious but being well advanced in years, his injuries may prove troublesome. He is a resident of Arcata and was taken to the Arcata Sanitarium for treatment.

The dead man was a native of Ireland, aged about 24 years, and was a fine specimen of manhood, being about 6 feet 4 inches tall and built proportionately. He came here a few months ago from San Francisco and was expecting to return there in a few weeks to become a member of the police force. He was unmarried and his only known relative is an uncle, John Kenny, resident of San Francisco and to whom the body was shipped.

Barry has been unfortunate. One year ago last spring he had his leg broken in the quarry and was laid up with it for about five months.

BLA (10 Oct. 1896) Mr. John C. Monroe, formerly of Blue Lake, came up from Bayside en route to his father's ranch at the mouth of Grouse Creek where he intends to spend a couple of weeks hunting. Mr. Monroe has been employed in the Carson shingle mill at Bayside for some time past and reports that the mill, which is operated by contract by Mr. Hans Anderson, is now running in full blast. Bayside has three shingle mills and a creamery, besides being close to the Jacoby Creek quarry and when every institution is in operation that little town does not feel the pressure of hard times. Mr. Monroe tells us that the night crew of the quarry was ordered to quit work last Saturday night for the balance of the season, but about 50 men are still employed there in the day time.

AU (10 Oct. 1896) Mrs. Getchell, wife of Samuel Getchell of Bayside, died at that place on Wednesday, the 7th, after a short illness. Deceased was 79 years of age and was the mother of Fred, Freeman and George Getchell of Bayside. Deceased is a native of St. Stevens, N.B. and has lived in this section a long time. The funeral took place from the family residence Friday afternoon.

Died: Getchell, at Bayside, Oct. 8, 1896, Mrs. Getchell, a native of St. Stevens, N.B., aged 79 years and 6 months.

BLA (10 Oct. 1896) Wednesday afternoon Grandma Getchell of Bayside breathed her last. She was a native of New Brunswick, aged 79 years, 6 months and 5 days. She resided there until about 12 years ago, when she came to California and located at Bayside. Besides her husband, she leaves three children, George, Fred and Freeman Getchell, and a number of grand and great grand children. Her surviving husband is 86 years old. The funeral took place from the family residence at Bayside yesterday and the remains were interred in the Arcata cemetery. Rev. Wm. Baesler of Blue Lake officiated.

AU (17 Oct. 1896) The quarry is running the day shift [illegible] and about 90 men are employed. They are taking out a great deal of large rock which is the most needed at the present

time. A large slide some days ago delivered up some of the best rock. The monitor is now being placed in position to [illegible] out a new place to commence quarrying.

BLA (5 Dec. 1896) The *Advocate* is informed that last Tuesday evening Mr. J.C. Monroe and Miss Maggie Smith were united in marriage by Rev. Wm. Baesler at the residence of the bride's parents at Bayside....Miss Smith is the accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith of Bayside....

BLA (9 Oct. 1897) Bayside, Oct. 6--The new Presbyterian Church is now under headway under the management of Mr. S.F. Hall. Mr. Hall is a skilled workman and the church will surely be a credit to the people of this community....

AU (23 Oct. 1897) The people of Bayside are showing a commendable spirit in pushing to completion their handsome little Presbyterian edifice. The work is under the supervision of Shep Hall, a competent mechanic.

BLA (20 Nov. 1897) Lumbering Notes--....The *Advocate* has received the information that Messrs. Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. are adding another Hansen shingle machine to their already fine plant at Bayside. When completed, they will turn out 150,000 to 175,000 shingles per day of twelve hours.

AU (4 Dec. 1897) Closed for the Term--The Jacoby Creek school closed its term yesterday for the winter's vacation. Educational matters here received more attention this year than has been the custom in the past, and the school under the management of Principal Kendall is in a flourishing condition, the average daily attendance being greater than ever before. Jacoby Creek hopes to be well represented in the High School next year, the graduating class consisting of Jessie Stinson, Maud Smith, Edna Drew, Anne Nicholson and Maud Orr.

After appropriate exercises in the afternoon followed by an hour's address upon "The Public School: The Corner Stone of American Citizenship," by Mr. Manasse, the school was dismissed with the best wishes of all for future profit and success.

AU (11 Dec. 1897) Born at Bayside, Nov. 23, 1897 to the wife of Geo. Monahan, a son.

AU (11 Dec. 1897) The basket social given at the new Bayside Church last Saturday evening was well attended and was a help to the church financially. Quite a number of young folks went down from Arcata and Sandy Garcelon kindly afforded free passage for all who cared to go. Much fun was caused by the auctioning of the baskets and one Arcata young lady had her basket purchased by a young man who was either too bashful or too hungry to invite her to participate in the good things, so went off in a corner and ate them alone. He was still alive at last accounts.

AU (18 Dec. 1897) Death Charles Dyer--Upon the threshold of young manhood, and before the troubles and tribulations that too often beset a mature life had a chance to come to him, Charles T. Dyer, bid farewell to this world. A native of Bayside, and at the time his health failed, a pupil in the Arcata Grammar school, the deceased was well known here. Bright in his studies, affable, courteous in demeanor, young Dyer was beloved by all who knew him. The funeral took place

from the family residence at Bayside on Tuesday forenoon and was largely attended. The interment was in the Arcata cemetery.

Died: Dyer in San Francisco, Dec. 11, 1897, Chas. T. Dyer, a native of Bayside, aged 17 years.

AU (18 Dec. 1897) Born: McCutcheon at Bayside, Dec. 14, 1897, to the wife of H. McCutcheon, a son.

BLA (15 Jan. 1898) Bayside, Jan. 12.... "Cliff" Clendenin is soon to erect a handsome dwelling near the residence of Mr. John Smith. Lumber is already on the ground and Messrs. Beers and Murray of Arcata have secured the contract for building....

The Harpst & Spring creamery is turning out daily about 400 pounds of butter. John Silva is acting as butter maker.

AU (29 Jan 1898) There is more sickness at Bayside than there should be and more than there would be with proper drainage. Residents there should adopt some system of drainage if they would save doctor bills.

AU (29 Jan. 1898) Frank Stern has resigned his position as manager of the Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. store at Bayside and taken the management of the Sellers Commercial Co. of Eureka.

AU (29 Jan. 1898) The *Times* says that James Brown has leased his logging donkey to George Pinkerton of Bayside who has a contract with Bendixsen to furnish two million feet of pine for shipbuilding.

AU (9 April 1898) The old Beith place has been leased to a gentleman named Nelson, who will dairy on the place. Shep Hall will move from the ranch to Eureka.

BLA (9 April 1898) Bayside, April 5--

BLA (7 May 1898) Breeze from Bayside, May 4--....About 150 men are at present employed in the quarry and more will be added in a short time. George Pinkerton has a crew of men at work above the quarry getting out pine logs for H.D. Bendixsen of Eureka.

Mr. S.H. Hall and family, who until April 15th had the property of Mrs. Morton leased, have moved to Eureka. Mr. Nelson, formerly of Alliance, has leased the above named property for a term of five years....

AU (26 March 1898) Duncan Weatherby, one of the old timers of Humboldt and a resident of Bayside, was in Arcata on Tuesday for the first time in twelve months. His old time friends, those who have not seen him for years, would scarcely recognize him now. Though wearing the same pleasant smile as of old, his weight has been reduced and his step is not so elastic nor his movements so lively as when in his prime. He is an invalid caused by an injury received when a young man.

AU (2 April 1898) Bayside shingle mill is running 12 hours daily, cutting about 150 M shingles. The shingles are being shipped about as fast as they can be made. The Riverside mill is in good working order now, and is cutting about 42 M feet of lumber and between 75 and 100 M shingles per day.

AU (16 April 1898) The ladies of the Bayside Presbyterian Church will give a social for the benefit of the church this evening. Quite a number will go down from Arcata.

AU (17 Sept. 1898) Miss C. Graham, daughter of Walter Graham of Bayside, was married to W.C. Songer of San Francisco at Bayside Tuesday night. The young couple will reside in the city.

BLA (31 Dec. 1898) Obit Joseph Arbuckle; came to Humboldt 1858 from New Brunswick; old-time woodsman; age 76; He was engaged in farming at one time, owning what is still known as the Arbuckle farm at Bayside, on which the creamery of Harpst & Spring is now located.

BLA (21 Jan. 1899) Bayside, Jan. 18--Mr. Horace Pinkerton has purchased a piece of ground from Mr. Able Young, adjoining the latter's home and it is said that he will erect a nice residence thereon in the near future....A grand time is expected here on Friday at Dyer's Hall. Dancing parties are becoming quite popular of late. The "conundrum party" given at the residence of Mrs. A. Nicholson last week was a decided success, both socially and financially. The receipts of the evening were generously contributed to the fund which is now being raised to purchase an organ for the Presbyterian church.

Temperance Hall was reshingled last week, the heavy winds during last storm having carried away quite a number of the old shingles.

Flanigan, Brosnan & Co.'s shingle mill shut down last Saturday for lack of bolts, the continuous rain making it impossible to haul some from the woods. Miss Eva Noble is now the possessor of a teacher's certificate....

AU (25 Feb. 1899) A. Willis and Miss Sadie Nicholson of Bayside were married at the residence of the bride's father on Wednesday evening of this week. The couple will take up their residence at Bayside.

BLA (1 April 1899) Wm. Ayers, editor of the defunct *Western Watchman*, and son are now engaged in building a half mile wagon road from the upper end of the rock quarry on Jacoby Creek to a point where they propose to establish a lime kiln works.

BLA (29 April 1899) Obit Mrs. Cliff Clendennin; age 27; daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

AU (13 May 1899) The Presbyterian Church at Bayside will be dedicated Tuesday evening May 23d. Super will be served in the church after the services.

BLA (20 May 1899) Church Dedication--The new Presbyterian Church at Bayside will be dedicated next Tuesday evening, May 23d. The service will begin at 7:30 p.m. and Rev. J.H. Wythe of Eureka will preach the dedicatory sermon. Rev. J.S. Todd, D.D. of Arcata will dedicate

the building by prayer and other ministers will assist. After the service the ladies will serve a nice lunch in the lecture room nearby....

BLA (27 May 1899) The dedication of the new church at Bayside last Tuesday evening drew a large number of people from the surrounding community to witness the services. The edifice was simply packed with people, there being about 450 present....After the service the many visitors repaired to a large room nearby and partook of a sumptuous repast which was prepared by the ladies of Bayside.

BLA (10 June 1899) [Richard McChristian crushed by slide at Jacoby Creek quarry; died of his injuries]

AU (17 June 1899) Stacks of lumber, large and small, in Arcata, on the Bottom, and at Bayside, indicate that improvements in this section from now until fall will be brisk....

BLA (8 July 1899) The lime kiln at Jacoby Creek will be running in full blast again in a few days. For the past several months, Manager Ayres has had a crew of five men at work constructing a large new kiln which when finished will be the largest yet built by the company.

BLA (8 July 1899) The kiln of the Humboldt Lime Company at Jacoby Creek was completed last Saturday and the work of preparing for the first burning is being pushed, says the *Times*. Messrs. Ayres and Foster, the proprietors, have met and overcome many difficulties in the development of this enterprise, but they have built only the one kiln instead of three as was mistakenly reported last week. Though beset with difficulties, they have steadily overcome every obstacle and are now in a condition to operate and will have lime on the market in a few days. We are informed that the house of H.H. Buhne & Co. will become the sole agent for the county for No. 1 lime, while No. 2 lime, for agricultural purposes, will be handled by the company direct to the farmers, they having secured the most favorable wholesale rates on the various lines of transportation. The Company is composed of Frank E. Ayres of Eureka and Robert Foster of Arcata. Wm. Ayres has been made the general agent for the Company and as soon as all arrangements are complete will in person make a canvass of the sections within reach of transportation.

AU (15 July 1899) Pete, son of J. Battaglia of Bayside, was very badly scalded a few days ago by pulling a kettle of boiling water off of the stove onto his head. The face, breast and arms of the lad were fearfully burned.

AU (15 July 1899) Reese Bros. erected the frame of a large new barn for farmer McCloskey at Bayside this week.

AU (15 July 1899) Frank Getchell, a well known young man of Bayside, died at the home of his father last Tuesday with consumption, from which he had been a sufferer for a long time. The funeral took place from his late residence Thursday afternoon and was largely attended. The funeral was conducted under the auspices of the Arcata Lodge Knights of Pythias of which deceased was an honored member. Rev. S.A. Nesbitt of Eureka delivered the address.

Died: Getchell at Bayside, July 11th 1899, Frank Tyler Getchell, a native of New Brunswick, aged 28 [?] years 2 days.

AU (5 Aug. 1899) Contractor Dean commenced work on an 8-room cottage for Joseph Dubeault on Jacoby Creek, a short distance below the quarry, this week.

AU (5 Aug. 1899) The marriage certificate of Geo. E. Rice and Alfretta Henry, both of Bayside, was filed for record last Saturday.

AU (19 Aug. 1899) Death at Bayside--William Nicholson, an old and highly respected citizen of Bayside, and a pioneer of Humboldt, died at his home last Sunday afternoon at half past four. For the past six months deceased had been a great sufferer from cancer of the liver and although the best of medical aid was consulted, nothing could be done to stay the dread disease.

Wm. Nicholson was a native of Prince Edward Island and was about 50 years of age. He came to California thirty-two years ago, and located at Bayside about 21 years ago, where he resided up to the time of his death. A wife and four children are left by his death, besides a brother, Angus, living in the Province and a nephew Archibald Nicholson of the firm of Nicholson and Mager of Arcata.

Deceased was a well known lumberman, having been engaged in the business up to within about 5 years ago. He was an upright citizen and leaves many warm friends. The funeral took place from the family residence at Bayside on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. J.S. Todd of Arcata, conducting the services. A delegation from Fortuna Lodge I.O.O.F., of which order deceased was member, held services at the grave. The pallbearers were John R. Smith, John Smith, Joseph Barber, John Berry, James Noble and George McCloskey. The interment was at Myrtle Grove cemetery, Eureka.

AU (2 Sept. 1899) Contractor Will Dean has completed the work on the new residence of Joseph Dubeault of Bayside and that gentleman expresses himself as being well satisfied with the work of the builder. George Trask has secured the contract for painting the building and will commence work Monday.

AU (14 Oct. 1899) Farm Footings 3/3

AU (14 Oct. 1899) Mrs. Sarah J. Purves passed away at the home of her daughter Mrs. John F. Berry at Bayside early last Saturday morning....

AU (23 Oct. 1899 [should be 21 Oct.] Bayside Improvements--The Bayside section seems to have participated in the prosperity now with us and a number of improvements in the building line have been going on there for some time past. Robert McCutcheon is building himself a nice house near the Barber place and has the work well in hand. John Brown who lives beyond Jacoby creek has recently finished a comfortable cottage and is now settled in his new home. S.W. McFarland has built an addition to his house, which adds much to its looks and comfort.

Geo. Getchell, who recently sold his 10 acre farm to Wm. Morrell, has moved his family to the Sands [?] house. Mr. Morrell removed his family to the farm some days ago. He secured the place at a bargain.

DHS (9 Nov. 1899) [Harpst and Spring shingle and shake mill at Bayside burned. Built in 1882, Valued at \$8000.]

BLA (11 Nov. 1899) It is reported that work on the Ayers Bros. lime quarries near Bayside will soon be re-opened, a first class barrel maker from the city having been engaged.

AU (16 Dec. 1899) Death of Mrs. Walter Graham--Mrs. Walter R. Graham passed peacefully away at her home near Bayside last Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock after a lingering illness of more than three years duration, the last year of which she was confined to her bed. Mrs. Graham's demise was caused by tuberculosis. Three young children are left with the father to mourn her untimely end, beside four grown brothers only one of which is at present in this section.

Margaret Ann McCutcheon was born in New Brunswick in 1868 and has been a resident of Bayside since she was five years old. She was married to Walter R. Graham at that place about 11 years ago. Mrs. Graham will be greatly missed from her home circle, as well as by a large circle of friends. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the Bayside church.

AU (16 Dec. 1899) The stir in the house building line seems to be increasing and the demand for carpenters still continues. Carpenter E. Johnson has three houses to build in the near future, one for Archie Nicholson in Arcata, one for Louis Larsen at Bayside and another for Mr. Keidel at Warren Creek.

AU (23 Dec. 1899) Good Man Gone--Duncan C. Weatherby died at his home at Bayside last Sunday morning. Deceased came to Humboldt nearly 40 years ago and engaged in the logging business for a long time following rafting on Ryan Slough. About 10 years ago his health failed, the result, as he thought, of exposure in his business. Mr. Weatherby was a man of fine physique, a big and liberal heart, a jovial disposition, good habits, and a strictly honest and upright man.

The funeral was held from the family residence at Bayside, Revs. J.S. Todd and Wm. Bassler, officiating.

Died: Weatherby at Bayside, Dec. 17, 1899, Duncan C. Weatherby, a native of Charlotte Co., New Brunswick, aged 66 years 4 months and 7 days.

AU (30 Dec. 1899) Notes From Our Neighbors. Bayside--The ladies of Bayside had a Christmas tree for the benefit of the little tots at Dyer's Hall last Saturday evening. The older ones in attendance danced until midnight when everybody went home, after having spent an enjoyable evening.

On Christmas night the young people of this section gave a ball in Good Templars Hall and everybody present had a most delightful time.

Roy and Joe Nellist, who have been running the A. Falor ranch near Mad river for about two years have sold their lease back to Mr. Falor.

Wm. Richmond of the F.B.& Co. has moved his household furniture to Eureka where he and his wife will keep house, though Billy is still located here.

Mr. Fred Smith and wife (nee Annie Mitchell) will move into the Albee house vacated by Mr. Richmond.

Mr. H.A. Kendall, principal of our public schools, has rented the Nicholson residence and will move in next week. Chas. Maquire will move into the house vacated by Mr. Kendall. He has just purchased it from Cliff Clendenin. Mr. Maguire has sold his farm to Mr. Thos. Ferrill of Ferndale. Mr. Ferrill has lately taken unto himself a bride and will become a permanent and welcome resident of the growing city beside the bay, but for short called Bayside.

AU (6 Jan. 1900) Notes From Our Neighbors. Bayside--The Humboldt Lumber Co. have recently built a 2000 gallon tank for E. Dubeault. It is now in the depot at Arcata.

George McCloskey lost a valuable work horse this week. Dr. Beckenstone was called from Eureka but did not succeed in saving the animal.

Mrs. Henderson and family of Eureka are visiting with Mrs. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maguire.

Chas. Orman of Arcata visited his brother Walter this week and took in the dance Monday night. Miss Look of Ferndale has been visiting Mrs. Orman who is her sister.

Miss Jessie Stinson, who is attending the Eureka High School, is spending her vacation at home.

Joe Nellist and R. McIntyre gave a dance at Dyer's Hall on New Year's evening. The attendance was good, a stage load arrived from Alliance.

Mr. N.A. Willis and wife are entertaining a young gentleman who arrived at their home last week. See birth column.

Mr. L.S. Foltz and family moved to Arcata Wednesday. Mr. Foltz still retains his position as brakeman on F.B.&Co.'s railroad.

Mrs. Wm. Henry has taken the position as cook in the F.B.&Co. bolt camp.

Born: Willis at Bayside, Dec. 29, 1900, to the wife of W.A. Willis, a son.

AU (20 Jan. 1900) Notes From Our Neighbors. Bayside--Geo. C. Niles, who has been running a locomotive for F.B.&Co. for several years past, has taken charge of the engines and machinery of the Humboldt Mfg. Co. Geo. is one of the best machinists in the state.

Misses Nellie and Maud Orr who have been visiting friends in Eureka for several days are home.

Mr. Brandt, one of our shingle sawyers, is laid up with a sore hand. Henry Carr of Arcata is filling his place.

School opened last Monday with the same teachers, Professor Kendall and Miss Nellie Orr.

The young folks enjoyed another party at the home of Thomas Fraser last Saturday evening. Mr. James Mahoney of Blue Lake was a visitor at Bayside yesterday. Mrs. Stuart Titlow of Arcata visited friends in Bayside Thursday. T.F. Brosnan of Eureka visited Bayside one day this week.

AU (27 Jan. 1900) At Jacoby Creek--Mr. D.S. Newell of Fortuna, who has taken the contract to furnish logs for Flanigan & Brosnan's mill on the bay, was in Arcata on business Thursday.

Mr. Newell says work will be commenced in the woods on or about the first of February, when a crew of 40 men will be put to work. Nothing will be done but chopping and peeling until April 1st, when the first burning will be done. Unless it is an exceptionally good spring, no logs will be hauled before June 1st. It is expected that the mill will start up about the same time.

When running full blast, Mr. Newell will have a crew of about 65 men, which with the men employed at the mill and on the railroad will make about 130 men employed and not 250 as has been reported from other sources.

George H. Newell will have immediate charge of the work under his father and will constantly be at the scene of operations. Mr. D.S. Newell will continue to reside in Fortuna and will visit the work at regular intervals.

Mr. Newell's contract only calls for the delivery of the logs on the cars and F&B will deliver them to deep water, where they will be rafted to their mill. Mr. Newell is having a large bull donkey built for the work at Pine's foundry in Eureka. Langford Bros. are building the boiler, which will be a locomotive boiler and fire box. The bull donkey will be set up on the landing. Mr. Newell has contracted to remove all the timber from this claim, which is on the main creek. This work, it is estimated, will take more than ten years. The logging crew will occupy the upper cook house and buildings formerly used in the quarry operations. All of the rigging and other apparatus was brought up by rail from Scotia to Eureka, transferred to a barge and towed to the Bayside pier, from where it was taken to the woods, arriving there on Thursday. Two donkeys will be used for the operations, one of which has arrived. The other will be brought up later. Mr. Newell will probably use a donkey in connection with the bull donkey to draw in the cable.

Bayside people and others are glad to have things open up again. The mill and woods have been shut down for five or six years. It is probable that the mill will have a long run.

AU (27 Jan. 1900) Notes From Our Neighbors. Bayside--Plowing is the order of business on the upper lands in this section. Jos. Nellist has early grain that is looking fine.

Mr. W. Strowbridge and family, late of Los Angeles county, have located permanently in Humboldt and have rented the Mitchell ranch at Bayside for a year....Orville Rice and wife of Alliance visited relatives at Bayside on Wednesday.

Quincy Jones commenced work this week on the new barn of Joseph Dubeault on Jacoby Creek. The building will be 30x40 and will be conveniently arranged in every particular. Mr. Dubeault will assist in the work.

Rev. Baesler has been holding special meetings in the Presbyterian Church of Bayside. George Thurston has moved into the Farian house near the H.&S. creamery. George will work in the new shingle mill.

BLA (27 Jan. 1900) At Jacoby Creek--Indications at present are that Flanigan & Brosnan's mill which has been closed for several years past will be re-opened again in the near future. A contract was closed with D.S. Newell and Son Saturday that means that the mill will be supplied with logs in the spring. Needed repairs will be made and not many months will have past before the plant is again running full blast. The re-opening of the properties of Messrs. Flanigan & Brosnan means the employment of about 250 men, all told. D.S. Newell, who has secured the contract to furnish the logs, will soon put a force of men to work on the timber land owned by Flanigan & Brosnan at Jacoby Creek.--*Times*

AU (3 Feb. 1900) News From Our Neighbors. Bayside--Miss Ellis, a minister of the Adventist church, has been holding meetings here this week. The lady is a good speaker and has had crowded houses.

Mrs. A. Nesman has returned home after spending a few days in Eureka. Chas. Maguire and Andrew Orr went to Freshwater this week where they have secured a contract for hauling wood, which is to be used for the dredger.

Frank Herrick and Mr. Meyers, who surveyed several days in this vicinity, have returned to Eureka. John Quill of Eureka brought up about 20 of Dan Newell's crew Thursday.

Amos Foltz has sold out to the McCloskey boys. Mrs. Van Nellist of Alton visited Bayside Monday. Mr. Dan Newell's logging outfit arrived over T.B.&Co.'s railroad on the 28th. Logging operations will soon begin and will mean much for Bayside and vicinity. Mel Roberts of Arcata called on us Wednesday. Hector Morrison and family moved into the Weatherby house last week.

AU (10 Feb. 1900) News From Our Neighbors. Bayside--Miss Edna Drew, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity and Arcata for the past few days, has returned to her home in Eureka.

Mr. John Berry, a well known resident of this place, will leave on the *Humboldt* today for Alaska where he goes to make his fortune. A number of friends gathered at his home Thursday evening and gave him a farewell party. The evening was an enjoyable one and Mr. Berry was given a rousing send off.

Walter Kirby, who will do the blacksmithing for Newell's camp, moved his family down from Glendale this week.

W. Stowbridge, who rented the Mitchell place recently, has moved to another part of the county. Amos Foltz, who sold his place recently, is thinking of going to another part of the state.

Indians are at work trimming up the spruce trees for wood on land belonging to John Smith.

F. Henry will soon have water connection with his house. He is building a tank on the elevation back of the house and will pipe it down. He will have plenty of water all the year.

Jos. Dubeault is busy clearing land and burning stumps. E. Dubeault has his new barn completed. It is a well built and convenient structure.

Geo. McClaskey, who recently bought the Foltz ranch, has been busy this week making a new bed for Jacoby Creek. For several years past the stream has been cutting into the land in the shape of a horse shoe and had taken out about three acres of rich bottom land. A four foot ditch was dug and the creek dammed up, thus turning it back into its old channel.

AU (24 Feb. 1900) News From Our Neighbors. Bayside--Mrs. Buchanan, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nellist for several weeks, has returned to her home in San Rafael. Mr. B.F. Stern called on us last week. Frank is now in the commission business and is doing well. J.F. Murray and James Noble recently visited Eureka and each brought back handsome new buggies with them. They didn't say whether old man "Prosperity" had anything to do with the purchases or not. Winfield Lamb of Rohnerville has recently been at Bayside buying up calves.

AU (3 March 1900) News From Out Neighbors. Bayside--Jas. McCutcheon, who has been away from Bayside for 8 or 9 years, has returned and we understand will make his home here in the future. Bayside is gaining in population since logging commenced. The schools are crowded and there is some talk of a new school house. Mrs. S.J. Titlow is visiting relatives and friends at Bayside this week. Mrs. H. Orman of Arcata visited her son Walter this week.

AU (17 March 1900) Bayside--Will Richmond, the general bookkeeper has resigned his position here and will go into business for himself at Waddington. Neil McMillan, who has been connected with the Eureka post office for a number of years will take his place. Mrs. Fred Smith is visiting with her mother at Rohnerville. Mrs. Frank Dinsmore and Mrs. Archie Fletcher moved to Bayside this week. Their husbands are employed at Newell's camp. Several teams are at work hauling some much needed gravel. Farmers are beginning to plow. Mrs. Walter Orman has gone to Rohnerville to visit relatives and friends.

AU (24 March 1900) Bayside--Mrs. Kendall has been very ill this week and the Professor had to close his school in order to be near her. Jas. McCutcheon has started a blacksmith shop at Long's corner, Freshwater....

AU (24 March 1900) Jas. Coady, who purchased 10 acres of land from E.S. Mason at Bayside some time ago, has the lumber on the ground for a new house and barn. The house is to be a substantial structure of 1 1/2 stories. As soon as the buildings are completed, Mr. Coady will move his family to Bayside.

BLA (24 March 1900) Marriage March 17, William McFarland and Bertha Smith, Bayside.

AU (31 March 1900) W.W. Rease has secured the contract to build the house and barn for James Coady at Bayside. He has until November to finish the job.

AU (31 March 1900) Bayside--Will McFarland and wife have returned from their wedding trip and we understand are soon to go to housekeeping....Bayside has all kinds of amusements. We had a dance last Saturday night and this evening we are to have a dance and entertainment.

AU (7 April 1900) Bayside--Billy Hill, the well known Humboldt woodsman, has charge of the logging operations....

AU (14 April 1900) Bayside--We had a dance and a general good time last Saturday night. It was given in honor of several of our young men who left to seek their fortune elsewhere. We have our share of the grip at present. Josh Henderson is dangerously ill. Miss Maud Orr, who has been visiting friends in Eureka, has returned home. Harry Mercer has two pile drivers at work fixing a logging dump and putting in some extra trestle for F.B.&Co. Miss Nellie Orr bought a new Cleveland bicycle last week. Mrs. Dyer and daughter returned from the hills last week, where they have been enjoying a few days vacation.

AU (21 April 1900) Bayside--Rumor says that renewed operations are soon to commence in the lime business here again. Frank Ayers visited Bayside Thursday in connection with this business....F.B.&Co.'s shingle mill has been shut down this week but will start up again Monday.

AU (28 April 1900) Bayside--The shingle mill started up last Wednesday. Mr. Joe Raymond late employee of the Vances went to work on the train here last Thursday.

AU (5 May 1900) Fire at Jacoby Creek--Last Sunday morning about 11 o'clock a small house situated on Jacoby Creek above Bayside, occupied by Archie Fletcher and family, was burned to the ground along with its entire contents....The building was owned by Joseph Dubeault...Mr. Fletcher is employed at Newell's camp.

AU (12 May 1900) Bayside--Chas. Maguire, with the help of his two sons, is building a new barn. Archie Fletcher has about finished his new house. The young folks had a dance last Saturday night at Temperance Hall and it is unnecessary to state that they had a good time. George Rice and wife were presented with a baby girl this week. Dan Newell's bull donkey went up to the woods Monday. This is one of the largest in the county. Those who have had the pleasure of a meal at the Flanigan & Brosnan cook house at Bayside are loud in their praises of the cooking. Mrs. Abe Young is mistress of the range, while Mr. Young cooks at Newell's camp.

AU (19 May 1900) Disastrous Fire--A bad fire which occurred at Flanigan & Brosnan's barn above the quarry on Tuesday evening resulted in the loss of 8 heavy draft horses, 4 sets of harness, several tons of hay and grain and other valuable articles. The flames broke out about 9:30 in the evening and the whole building burned rapidly. The stable door was locked and could not be forced open in time to save the poor animals. A member of the firm places the loss at \$2500 but before the outfit can be replaced, it will probably cost nearer \$3000. The loss comes at an unfortunate time, right in the midst of the busy season and draft horses are scarce and higher price. The firm has purchased a heavy team from Howard Barter and are on the look out for more teams.

AU (19 May 1900) Papers have recently been signed whereby Edw. B. Carr, Philip Calanchini and Silvio Comisto, all of Ferndale, agree on November 1st to buy of Harpst & Spring and Flanigan & Brosnan, a tract of land consisting in round numbers of about 400 acres. This tract all lies south of the county road and reaches from the Titlow ranch on the west to the Bayside store on the east and around to the mouth of Jacoby Creek, skirting the bay shore. In the Harpst & Spring property is reserved the creamery and railroad rights of way with what land is necessary for their operation. Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. also reserve their store, mill, roundhouses, etc. and necessary land. Of the 400 acres, 300 is reclaimed land and the remainder, cleared bottom land over which the salt water has never flowed. The reclaimed land has been dyked for about eight years and makes as good pasture as bottom land. The greater part is seeded to Italian rye grass which with the wild clover which springs up when the salt water is taken off, makes fine feed.

The three gentlemen who made the purchase are practical dairymen and wide awake business men. It is their intention to divide the tract up into four or five good ranches, putting houses, barns and necessary buildings on each and renting to practical dairymen. This is just what the Union has always hoped and predicted would be done with the reclaimed land lying near town. It will add to the property and advancement of Arcata and will as we believe prove a profitable investment to the purchasers. In view of the location and the fact that lands are rising in value, the price paid was quite reasonable.

AU (26 May 1900) Bayside--The first load of logs from Newell's camp passed through Bayside Thursday. The last load of redwood logs hauled over this road was, we believe, in the fall of '93. Bayside is now entering upon an era of lively times.

AU (2 June 1900) Bayside--Our supervisor has had Mr. McClaskey and sons repairing the bridge over Jacoby Creek. Ed. Purcell has accepted the position of deliveryman for F.B.&Co. John Burke will be tallyman in the F.&B.Co.mill. [several fires] Last came the disastrous blaze at F.B.&Co.'s wharf Wednesday evening which destroyed several thousand dollars worth of shingles.

WHT (7 June 1900) Costly Fire at Bayside Wharf

AU (9 June 1900) Bayside--Miss Nellie Orr closed her school last week and Mr. Kendall will close his this week. At the school election held here William Quear and William Stephens were elected. Mr. and Mrs. Van Duzer are at Newell's camp. S.W. McFarland has been making some extensive repairs in his water system taking up about 1500 feet of pipe and replacing some of it with larger pipe in order to gain a larger flow. We are getting tired of seeing that sprinkling wagon going by empty; would like to know what that tank near the old Carson shingle mill was built for.

AU (16 June 1900) Bayside--Joe Shaw and party have been surveying the land of F.B.&Co. and Harpst & Spring sold to Ferndale people. Mr. Thos. Ferrill is making quite a number of improvements around his place which helps out its appearance. Dr. McKinnon was called to Newell's camp to attend to Tom McCallen who had his collar bone broken.

AU (23 June 1900) Bayside--Miss Minnie George of New Brunswick is visiting her sister here, Mrs. E. Dubeault. The Arcata Creamery Company shipped 139 hogs last Sunday. They weighed 25,760 pounds and caused the scow to get stuck on the mud flat and did not arrive at Eureka until Monday morning.

AU (30 June 1900) Bayside--The ladies of the Presbyterian church gave an ice cream social last Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. Harpst, Miss Stone of Arcata and Miss Brown of San Francisco were at Bayside. They enjoyed a visit to the logging woods. P. McRorie is building quite an addition to his house. Jas. Coady is having a barn built on his place. We understand that he intends to build a home in the near future. Miss Florence Maguire of Eureka attended the social Saturday night.

AU (21 July 1900) James Coady has a crew of men working on his new house.

AU (28 July 1900) Notice for Bids--Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will receive sealed proposals up to six o'clock p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 4, 1900, for building one cow barn, 78x150 feet in size; one, one-story building, 30x30 feet in size with rear annex, 16x24 feet in size; one, one-story lodging house, 20x22 feet in size, said buildings to be erected and completed not later than Nov. 1, 1900 on what is known as the Harpst & Spring and Flanigan, Brosnan & Co. land between Arcata and Bayside, etc....E.B. Carr, Ferndale, plans at Calanchini and Comisto.

AU (28 July 1900: Notice for Bids, for cow barn, 72x100 feet; one, one-story dwelling, 30x30 feet with 16x24 feet annex at rear, on what is known as Titlow place near Arcata. Plans at Calanchini and Comisto, Peter Johansen, Ferndale.

AU (4 Aug. 1900) Bayside--Jas. Noble has secured a contract for getting out piles for the C&NRR Co. He intends to start in next week at Freshwater. The C&NRR Co. are building a camp near the mouth of Jacoby Creek which will accommodate about 75 men.

AU (11 Aug. 1900) Mr. E.B. Carr of Ferndale was in Arcata. The gentleman informs us that the bids for the buildings recently asked for in the *Union* have been let, Messrs. Hill and Acorn of Eureka securing the contracts for the Carr buildings and Messrs. Jorgensen and Johnson of Ferndale for the Johansen buildings....lumber from Minor Mill & Lumber Co., 250,000 feet.

AU (11 Aug. 1900) Railroad Work--Mr. J.W. Reid of Eureka has finished building the camp for the C&NRR Co., three miles below Arcata at the mouth of Jacoby Creek. The bunk house, which is 26x42 feet is so arranged as to accommodate 72 men in separate bunks. The mess house is 26x50 feet, with a kitchen, pantry, bedroom, store room and tables to accommodate the full crew. The camp will be well regulated and a boy hired to keep the bunk house in order. Mr. Reid has done a good job on the buildings and they are very comfortable and conveniently arranged. The first meal was partaken of by 35 men. James McClosky of Eureka is the chief cook and serves up fine meals. The floating cook house and bunk house have been moved further up on the Eureka end and the two camps are now about two miles apart. There are about 90 men on the other end and work is being rushed with all possible haste.

The new steam shovel recently purchased by the Klamath company was partially assembled at Samoa and was taken to Vances Wednesday....

AU (11 Aug. 1900) Joseph Dubeault gives notice that trespassing on his ranch on Jacoby Creek must cease. He does this on account of people setting fires which endanger his property.

AU (18 Aug. 1900) Bayside--Miss Pearl Morrison has gone to live in Arcata where she is attending the high school...[much more]

AU (18 Aug. 1900) A new home has been fitted up near Harpst & Spring's shingle mill the past week, which will be presided over by a most estimable young lady from West End. The nuptials will occur tomorrow.

AU (25 Aug. 1900) J.C. Bull, Jr. of Arcata has purchased the one-quarter interest of T. Flanigan and T.F. Brosnan in the firm of Flanigan, Brosnan & Co., the other members of the firm being O.H. Spring, John Harpst, B.F. Stern and Jas. Tyson of San Francisco. The property consists of the Union lumber mill at Eureka, the big shingle mill, store, trestle and wharf at Bayside and the railroad running to the woods. The company has a lease on several hundred acres of fine timber which will last them for many years to come....The new company will incorporate soon under the name of the Bayside Mill & Lumber Co....

AU (25 Aug. 1900) Bayside--At the Republican primary election held here Wednesday night, Thos. Carson, John Monroe, Jas. Nellist, and Chas. Monahan were elected delegates to the county convention....Thos. Ferrill is having a new tank and windmill put up. Judge Beers and Ed Morton are doing the work....[more].

AU (1 Sept. 1900) Bayside--Dan Newell is said to be the superintendent of the Bayside Mill & Lumber Co.

AU (8 Sept. 1900) Killed--Lewis Zortnan, a shopper at Newell's camp Bayside, was struck on the head by a falling limb Thursday and instantly killed.

AU (8 Sept. 1900) Bayside--J. Coady has moved his family into his new house.

BLA (15 Sept. 1900) Articles of Incorporation of the Bayside Mill & Lumber Company, formerly the Flanigan & Brosnan Company, were filed for record Saturday. The new corporation has named Eureka as its principal place of business and is to exist for a term of 50 years. The Company is capitalized for \$200,000, consisting of 2000 shares all of which have been subscribed. The directors, who are also the stockholders, are as follows: James Tyson 500 shares; John Harpst 750; O.H. Spring 125; J.C. Bull 500; B.F. Stern 125. All of the directors are residents of Arcata with the exception of Tyson who lives in San Francisco. It is understood that Dan Newell has purchased an interest in the company. He is now superintendent of the logging woods and general interest of the company at Bayside.

AU (22 Sept. 1900) Bayside--Geo. McClaskey has replanked the bridge on the county road opposite his place.

AU (13 Oct. 1900) Bayside--Ambrose Marsh has rented 125 acres of land from Geo. Pinkerton and is going into the stock business. He is having a house built at Indianola....The Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. are making considerable improvements to their shingle mill....The schooner *Bertha Dolbeer* took a load of shingles from Bayside last week.

AU (20 Oct. 1900) Bayside--Jas. Noble is building a new barn.

AU (27 Oct. 1900) Bayside--The Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. bolt camp shut down last Friday.

AU (27 Oct. 1900) Ready for Occupancy--Improvements on the C.C.C. Ranch About Completed--Some time ago mention was made of the purchase of a tract of dairying land near Bayside by Messrs. E.B. Carr, P. Calanchini and S. Comisto, all of Ferndale, from Harpst & Spring and Flanigan & Brosnan. The tract consisted of 335 acres of land, a large portion of which was reclaimed marsh land. The land contained no buildings or improvements, as it was the intention of the new owners to make it a model dairy ranch, bids were asked for the erection of the buildings. Hill & Acorn were the successful bidders and the work was completed but a few days ago and the buildings will be ready for occupancy by Nov. 1st. The first building is the cottage for the family, a cosy six-room house, 20x20 feet with an L 16x24 feet. It has a commodious wood shed at the rear and the sitting room is fitted with a fireplace. Altogether

when completed, it will be a cosy home. It is now ready for the painters and paper hangers. This work is to be done by E.G. Pluke of Eureka. Immediately to the rear of this cottage is the lodging house for the hired help which is 20x25 feet, containing four rooms. Next comes the wagon shed, 20x30 feet, to be used for storing wagons and agricultural implements so as not to take up unnecessary room in the barn. The big barn is 78x150 feet and is as fine a structure as can be found in this part of the country. It has 24 foot posts and the eaves slope to within ten feet of the ground. A twelve-foot space on either side of the barn is set aside for the cows and will accommodate 50 on a side, or 100 in all. Toward the center between the cows and the hay mow are twelve-foot driveways, one on each side. By this means, a team can drive in one end of the barn, drop off the green feed in front of the cows, and drive out at the other end. The hay mow is through the center and the hay rests on the floor. It is put in by means of a patent carrier which works to perfection. In one end of the barn in a space 25x30 feet is a horse stable with accommodations for eight head of horses. The barn is 37 feet high at the peak and is open and well ventilated. It is very solidly built from foundation to roof, the beams and rafters being braced in every direction. The sills are of "sinker" redwood and the foundation blocks are placed every six feet under the whole structure.

One of the best features about the ranch is the abundance of fresh water. On one end of the property Jacoby Creek cuts in and on the other side Beith Creek. Ditches carry the water from these streams to the places where the stock can be watered. Besides this there is at present being constructed a water system which will give an abundance of running water to the house and barn. On the Harpst & Spring property across the road is a boggy place at the foot of the hill. Here four springs have been tapped and by means of 3-inch tiling the water is conveyed to a settling box by two main pipes. About 20 feet below this box is placed a 3500 gallon tank built at Korbel. This is used as a storage tank and the water is conveyed from this by a pipeline to the house and barn on the slope below. This gives about a 30 foot fall and an abundance of water all the year around. It is estimated that the springs will yield 4000 gallons per day while 2500 gallons will be ample for all purposes. The overflow from the tank will run into a trough to be used in connection with the ranch owned by Harpst & Spring on which the tank stands. The tank settling box and pipes are all put far enough under ground so that the place can be ploughed over. This water system will drain the piece of ground which at the present time is practically worthless. The work is being done by C.L. Bottle of Ferndale, who has had considerable experience in putting in gravity water systems. More than the 1100 feet of pipe will be used to carry the water.

The lessee of the ranch is C.E. Sacchi, who has operated the Zane dairy ranch at Elk river for the past 8 years and also the creamery at that place. The gentleman is a practical dairy and creamery man and will undoubtedly meet with success in his venture. He will start with 90 head of cows, but it is expected that in the course of a couple of years that 200 head can be carried. This would necessitate the building of another large barn which will undoubtedly be done when the proper time comes.

The contractors for the job, G.F. Hill and Herbert Acorn, have done a fine piece of work and Mr. Carr expresses himself as more than pleased with the way in which the work has been done. They were assisted by Mr. Seymour Acorn and the three accomplished what it was intended four men should do by working a little over time. They not only finished the work before the required time but did it to the entire satisfaction of the owners of the ranch. Mr. Sacchi will move his family up and take possession about Nov. 1st. He also has most of his hay stored in the big barn.

Messrs. Carr, Calanchini and Comisto are to be congratulated upon their venture. When all improvements are completed they will have expended about \$30,000 in their investment. It adds much to the wealth of this section, brings in desirable settlers and encourages others to improve and build up our county. Mr. Carr personally has done some good work in selling dairy lands and inducing thrifty Ferndalers to settle in this section and it is sincerely hoped that he and his partners will reap golden returns from their investments. The *Union* is pleased to chronicle such improvements and hopes to see the good work continue.

AU (27 Oct. 1900) Messrs. Hill and Acorn have been busy the past few days making repairs on the old Lauffer house, which stands on the ranch owned by Harpst & Spring. They have put weather boarding on the outside and built a kitchen on the rear, 14x16 feet. They have also been engaged in making some improvements upon the Union shingle mill and expect to do some more work on the shingle mill at Bayside.

Deeds 70:498 (1 Nov. 1900) [Bayview Ranch, Three Cs Ranch] John Harpst & O.H. Spring and the Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. to Philip Calanchini, Silvio Comisto and Edward Carr:  
 Beginning .21 chains (13.86 feet) W of the closing quarter section corner situated on N line Sec. 4, 5N1E, thence E 3.07 chains (202.62 feet) to standard quarter section corner on S line Sec. 33, 6N1E; thence N 10.92 chains (720.72 feet); N 87 degrees E 4.57 chains (301.62 feet) to W line of public road; thence along road N 18 3/4 degrees W 9.75 chains (643.5 feet); thence S 63 1/4 degrees W 14.87 chains (981.42 feet); thence S 46 1/2 degrees W 11.23 chains (741.18 feet); S 37 1/4 degrees W 7.52 chains (496.32 feet); to township line; thence along line E 1.59 chains (104.94 feet) to 1/8 section corner; thence along 1/8 section line S 1/4 degree E 62.52 chains (4126.32 feet) to a 1/8 section corner; thence along 1/8 section line E 37.02 chains (2443.32 feet); thence following a division line fence S 43 3/4 degrees E 10 chains (660 feet); thence N 46 1/4 degrees E 2 chains (132 feet); thence S 43 3/4 degrees E 2.87 chains (189.42 feet); thence N 46 1/4 degrees E 1.06 chains (69.96 feet); thence S 43 3/4 degrees E 2.04 chains (1346.64 feet) to N boundary line of county road; thence following line of road 47 degrees E 5.55 chains (366.3 feet); thence at right angles N 43 degrees W 6.62 chains (436.92 feet); thence N 72 degrees W 4.32 chains (285.12 feet); N 29 degrees 20 minutes W 13.27 chains (875.82 feet); thence N 72 degrees 4.32 chains (285.12 feet); thence N 29 degrees 20 minutes W 13.27 chains (875.82 feet); thence N 57 degrees W 4.21 chains (277.86 feet); thence N 60 degrees 13.73 chains (906.18 feet) to W line of county road; thence following said line N 30 degrees 21.30 chains (1405.80 feet) to division line fence; thence following said fence line S 89 3/4 degrees W 16.37 chains 1080.42 feet and N 1/2 degree W 22.14 chains 1461.24 feet) to beginning.

Also the right to construct and maintain such cattle crossings with proper cattle guards across the railroad of Bayside Mill and Lumber Co.

Also right of tapping the water pipe of Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. which runs to its shingle mill and taking therefrom sufficient water for domestic purposes.

Also right of tapping the water tank of Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. near its shingle mill at a point one foot below the top of said tank and of diverting and using the overflow water of tank.

Also right of draining surface water from lands into the ditches on either side of railroad of Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. and also into the ditch inside of the shingle mill enclosure and close to the south line thereof and the right to enter enclosure for repairing and keeping ditch open.

Also right of crossing and passing over the tramway of Harpst & Spring which is adjacent to the land conveyed at any and all times and places with cattle and other stock.

Also right of tapping water main of Harpst & Spring at or near the Harpst & Spring Creamery situated on county road near SE corner of NE qt SW qt, Sec. 33, 6N1E.

Reserving unto Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. a strip now occupied by its railroad 50 feet wide (25 feet on either side of center).

Deeds 70:501 (1 Nov. 1900) Agreement from Harpst & Spring to CCC regarding water from springs on H&S property.

AU (3 Nov. 1900) Bayside--The steamer *Homer* took a load of shingles from the Bayside Mill & Co. wharf on Friday. Horace Pinkerton has lumber on the ground with which he intends to remodel his house and make other improvements....Dan Newell and son are still hauling logs. The bad weather does not seem to affect them very much. It is something new to see them hauling logs here while it is raining. The bull donkey is all right. Andrew Nesman has sold his fine trotting mare to Jas. Coady....

AU (17 Nov. 1900) Bayside--Mr. Sam Getchell was 89 years old last Thursday. Mr. Getchell still makes bolts and seems to be as much at home as ever with a cross cut saw or an axe. Dan Newell's camp shut down last Wednesday. Quite a number of the men went to town, while others will remain to make bolts.

The Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. is putting in electric lights in its shingle mill, store, and cook house. Charles Kalstrom is doing the work.

AU (24 Nov. 1900) Bayside--Mr. Sacchi moved his family from Elk river into his new house, opposite the Nellist place.

BLA (24 Nov. 1900) Logging operations at the Newell camp at Jacoby Creek have been discontinued for the present. Quite a number of men are still employed there chopping and making bolts.

AU (5 Jan. 1901) C.H. Monahan of Bayside was an outgoing passenger...offered Mr. Monahan a foremanship on the immense dry dock at Hunter's Point, which the company [City Street Improvement Co.] is building.

AU (19 Jan. 1901) The Bayside Mill and Lumber Co. is building an addition to their store building, which will be fitted up for an office.

AU (19 Jan. 1901) Probably the busiest railroad center in Humboldt county at present is on the marsh near Harpst & Spring's shingle wharf, where four railroads will soon cross and re-cross each other in an intricate manner. The four lines are the Bayside Mill & Lumber Co.'s, Eureka and Klamath River Railroad Co., California & Northern, and Harpst & Springs' "one mule railroad."

W.J. Mathews and crew of the E.K.R.R.R. Co. is engaged in building a 600 foot switch which will connect all four railroads....The switch is being put in for the primary purpose of

moving the Harpst & Spring shingle wharf to the mouth of the slough or about 1200 feet below its present location. This change will obviate the necessity of the two companies now building around the bay from building an expensive draw bridge over this slough....When completed it will be possible for a train to run from Newell's Camp above Bayside to Samoa or Mad river.

AU (2 March 1901) Born at Bayside, Feb. 16, to the wife of F.A. Orcutt, a son.

BLA (9 March 1901) Death, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Orcutt, March 6 at Bayside, age 2 weeks and 4 days.

AU (9 March 1901) Old Firm Dissolves Partnership--As will be seen by the legal announcement in another column, the old established firm of Harpst & Spring is no more. The interest of O.H. Spring in the late firm has been purchased by John Harpst, who assumes all liabilities, and to whom the accounts are to be paid.

The beginning of the present business was made by John Harpst and W.J. McKenna, afterwards county clerk of Humboldt. The two opened a general merchandise store on the plaza about where Galey's barber shop is located in the year 1873. Two years later McKenna retired and O.H. Spring and George Harpst, Sr. entered the firm. The big fire of 1875 burned them out, and the store was reopened in a frame building formerly occupied by B. McConnaha about the site of the present store. The same year the brick store was built, which has been occupied ever since. In 1883, Geo. Harpst retired from the firm, which was continued under the name of Harpst & Spring up to the present time. In 1882, the Union mill was built and was burned down in 1889, but was rebuilt the same year. In 1885 the H.&S. creamery was built. The firm during all these years has added considerable to its possessions in timber and farming land.

The property conveyed to Mr. Harpst consists of some 2000 acres of land, all lying east and north of the county road to Eureka. It consists principally of redwood timber land and land that has been logged over, while at Bowles Prairie there is about 500 acres of bottom land, part of which is cleared. The Titlow and Pardee ranches were also owned by the firm, but were sold to Ferndale parties last year. The transfer includes the store, mill, creamery, tramway, wharves, barns and other buildings. There are still some other transfers to be made in the way of stock and fixtures.

It will seem strange to people in this vicinity to not know the old established firm of Harpst & Spring any more. Of the employees, David Burrows has been with the firm 18 years and Thomas Emmerson 20 years.

Although nothing definite has been given out, it is more than probable that there will be some further transfers made of different parts of the property before a great while. Negotiations are now pending and other changes are expected soon.

AU (16 March 1901) A Strong Combination--Last week the *Union* reported the dissolution of the old firm of Harpst & Spring and intimated that further important changes would soon follow. On Thursday a deal was consummated whereby the Harpst & Spring creamery below town was sold by John Harpst to a company composed of C.E. Sacchi, Peter Johansen, L. Rasmussen, Peter Mazza and William Spaletta. Mr. Sacchi is the lessee of the Carr, Calanchini and Comisto ranch at Bayside, composed of about 240 acres. Messrs. Johansen and Rasmussen are the owners of what was formerly the Titlow ranch below Arcata and dairy about 175 acres. Peter Mazza leases

the M.P. Roberts ranch of 200 acres and also the Wm. Hill ranch of 35 acres on the bottom and Wm. Spaletta occupies the ranch owned by Thos. Bair, comprising in the neighborhood of 300 acres. The company controls the milk of about 500 cows and is said to be the strongest creamery combination in Humboldt county. The new owners will take possession on April 1st. Ed. B. Carr of Ferndale represented Mr. Harpst in the matter and closed the deal. Further changes in the property are expected soon and will be announced in due time.

AU (23 March 1901) Big Land Sale--Another big sale of the John Harpst property was made this week and the papers will be signed Monday. John Larsen, a well known resident of Arcata, buys 480 acres and Charles Grotzman, who owns considerable property in this vicinity, purchased about 1100 or 1200 acres more. The property is known as the Arbuckle, Bowles, Fickle and Lauffer places and takes in all the land owned by Mr. Harpst with the exception of the 20 acres--the site of the Union shingle mill. The right to cut all the timber on the land suitable for shingle bolts is also reserved by Mr. Harpst. Mr. Grotzman intends to cut the land up into small ranches and sell it off to permanent settlers as rapidly as possible. He will build roads to connect with the county road and will offer every inducement to prospective purchasers. It is his intention to reserve about 500 acres for his own use. A large part of the land is covered with brush, which, when cleared, will be as good dairy or farming land as any on Arcata bottom. Every person interested in the growth and welfare of northern Humboldt should rejoice to see these large holdings cut up, thus paving the way for new settlers and bringing increased property.

BLA (23 March 1901) The grand St. Patrick's Day ball given at Bayside last Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Korbel Concert Band, proved to be a grand success in every particular. People came in to attend from all the neighboring towns and by 10 o'clock the hall was literally filled to the utmost capacity. The music furnished by the band was greatly appreciated, so were the services of floor manager Chris Hanson of Korbel and his valuable aids. Mrs. Dyer served a splendid supper at midnight and all present had a most enjoyable time.

Deeds 71:259 (25 March 1901) [Grotzman Ranch] John Harpst to Charles Grotzman: NE qt, N half SE qt Sec 33 (excepting the portion lying on W side of county road); N half SW qt, SE qt SW qt S half SE qt Sec 34, 6N1E. Also W half Sec 2; E half E half, SW at SE qt, W half NE qt, E half NW qt, NW qt NW qt Sec 3, 5N1E, 1,160 acres.

Commencing at SE corner NE qt NE qt Sec 4, 5N1E and running thence N along E boundary line Sec 4 7.42 chains (489.72 acres); thence S 89 degrees 30 minutes W 25.37 chains (1674.42 feet) to county road leading from Arcata to Eureka; thence along E side of road S 17 degrees 30 minutes E 7.78 chains (513.48 feet) to S line of NE qt NE qt Sec 4; thence along last mentioned line N 89 degrees 30 minutes E 23.10 chains (1524.60 feet) to begin, containing 18 acres, subject to public lane 20 feet wide along S line N half SE qt Sec 33 and along S line NW qt SW qt Sec. 34. Reserving:

1. All redwood trees and timber suitable for shingle and shake bolts on E half SW qt, NW qt SW qt, S half SE qt Sec. 34; W half Sec 2 and E half E half, SW qt SE qt Sec 3.

2. The engines, boilers, and machinery in shingle mill on Sec. 33 and the dwelling house belonging to Charles I. Harpst in Sec 33.

3. The use and possession of ground to the extent of 20 acres on which shingle mill and adjoining houses, barns, and other buildings are situated and the ground on which a tramway is

built from the shingle mill to the public road for 14 years at annual rent of \$11 per year for first seven years and \$10 per year for last seven years.

4. Waters flowing in a gulch in Sec. 33 which waters are now impounded and collected by means of a dam constructed across gulch and the pipes through which the same are conducted from said dam to shingle mill.

5. Water flowing in another gulch in Sec. 33 south of gulch mentioned in 4 above with right to enter, collect, impound and divert waters and right to build dam.

Deeds 71:261 (25 March 1901) [John Larsen Property] John Harpst to John Larsen, N half, N half SE qt Sec. 34; N half NW qt Sec 35, 6N1E, 480 acres, reserving

1. all redwood timber and trees suitable for shingle and shake bolts on N half NW qt sec 35 and on N half SE qt Sec 34, for 14 years.

2. right to enter land to take such timber, et

BLA (30 March 1901) Peter Mazza, C.E. Sacchi, L. Rasmussen, Peter Johansen and William Spaletta, who recently purchased the Harpst & Spring Creamery near Arcata, have re-organized the company and incorporated under a new name. The articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk and recite that the new corporation shall be known as the Premium Creamery Co....

AU (20 April 1901) Bayside--The plow and harrow have been kept busy this week and the farmer is in good spirits as regards the weather. The shingle mill has closed down for a couple of weeks for repairs and to put in an elevator and shake machine. H. Anderson is doing the work. A crew of men are at work making preparations to open the lime kiln on Jacoby Creek. D.S. Newell and son have a new method of traveling to and from the store to their logging camp in the way of a cycle attachment for riding on the railroad track. C.E Sacchi, who has the Carr, Calanchini and Comisto property rented, is milking about 60 cows. John Fletcher is having lumber hauled for a new house.

AU (27 April 1901) Bayside Lime Kiln--The old lime kiln above the quarry cookhouse at Bayside, formerly conducted by Ayres and Cutler, is again being developed and put into operation by Robt. Foster of Arcata. Mr. Foster, who has leased the place, has already put three men to work cleaning out the old kiln and is removing the old drawback, the lack of a road by building a new one. John Tracy, the veteran brick and lime man of Arcata, has been engaged to build the kiln. Mr. Tracy's private opinion, after testing much of the lime rock in the vicinity of the kiln, is that it is some of the best he ever handled and is the equal of the lime obtained from the noted kiln at Rogue River kiln in Oregon. Mr. Tracy is a man of experience along these lines and he admits that if properly conducted this kiln should produce profitably.

71:375 (3 May 1901) [Union Shingle Mill] John Harpst to Union Shingle Manufacturing Co., SE qt, E half SW qt, NW qt SW qt Sec. 34; N half NW qt Sec. 35, 6N1E; W half Sec. 2, E half E half, SW qt SE qt Sec. 3, 5N1E, said trees and timber were reserved to Harpst in deed to John Larsen and to Charles Grotzman, excepting trees belonging to Philip E. Bowles. [Essentially Harpst granted the reserved trees back to mill]

Also all cars, donkey engines with wire rope, blacksmith tools, wagon and harness, bolt tools, cookhouse furniture, 16 horses, 2 mules, a crop of oats growing on the "Lauffer Place" (conveyed to Charles Grotzman) and the growing crop on eight acres adjoining and back of the Lauffer place and the growing crop in the field opposite the Larsen and Johnson places and on Bowles Prairie, 80 acres.

AU (4 May 1901) Union Shingle Mfg. Co.--Under the above name a new company has been incorporated in this section, the papers being filed the early part of the week. The directors for the first year are Chas. I. Harpst, Louis Larsen, Geo. Marken, Geo. W. Harpst and Henry P. Carr. The sale of the Union shingle mill first owned by Harpst & Spring and later by John Harpst was made to the first three gentlemen named who took in the other two when the company was incorporated. The property includes the mill, including two shingle machines, two miles of tramway and a wharf, 16 head of heavy horses and two mules, 500 cords of bolts at the mill and all the redwood timber suitable for shingle or shake bolts.

AU (11 May 1901) Isaac Minor's Del Norte Enterprise--....Mr. Minor first engaged in the redwood business 33 years ago as a part owner in the Washington Claim, upon part of which Bayside now stands.

AU (11 May 1901) Bayside--The young ladies of Bayside will hold a Dairy Maids Convention at Dyer's Hall next Saturday evening. D.S. Newell and son intend to resume logging operations about the middle of next week.

Deeds 71:486 (16 May 1901) [Premium Creamery] John Harpst to Humboldt Premium Creamery Co.

AU (18 May 1901) Bayside--The first train load of logs for the season was hauled Tuesday afternoon.

AU (18 May 1901) At the annual meeting of the Bayside Mill & Lumber Co., held Monday, the following officers were elected. Pres. John Harpst, Vice-President J.C. Bull, Jr., Secretary W.H. Richmond, Treasurer Humboldt Count Bank. These officers, with James Tyson of San Francisco, also constitute the board of directors. The hauling of logs has been commenced and the mill will soon resume operations.

AU (25 May 1901) Bayside--John Fletcher's new house about a mile this side of Newell's camp.

AU (1 June 1901) Railroad Progress at Brainard's--At work on the monster cut at Brainard's Point. This cut is a wonderful piece of work [description of machine; dirt used for fill on road]

The road level has been made up to a point known as the Harpst & Spring wharf....It is the intention to run the road up to the Flanigan crossing and thence along Butcher Slough and into the lower portion of town. Of the 110 thousand cubic yards, formerly in the cut, 65 thousand remain. At present from 20 to 25 thousand yards are being taken out monthly and it is supposed that the railroad will reach Arcata about Aug. 1st. The cut, when completed, will be 70 feet deep

at the highest point and will be one continuous cut for about 500 yards, thus making it one of the largest in California....

AU (15 June 1901) Bayside--Shipping has been brisk at the Bayside wharf during the last two weeks. The steam schooners, *Aberdeen* and *Noyo* took cargoes of shingles last week and the schooner *Lottie Carson* is loading this week. Farmers are haying now during the nice weather.

AU (29 June 1901) S. Comisto has built an addition to his house which is situated near the old Harpst & Spring shingle wharf.

WHT (22 Aug. 1901) Bayside--The California and Northern Railway Company is now through the cut at Brainard's Point and they are now working on the Arcata side.

AU (14 Sept. 1901) Fred H. Getchell of Bayside and Miss Maud Chelstrand of Eureka were married at the Episcopal Church in Eureka on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 10th, in the presence of a few friends. The groom is a well known young man of Bayside, where he has many friends. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Chelstrand and is an accomplished young lady. The young couple left on the *Pomona* the same afternoon and will spend their honeymoon below.

AU (28 Sept. 1901) Chas. G. Matthews, assisted by Wm. Smith and Sewell Cates, have gone to work on the residence of P. McKenzie of Bayside. The house will be raised and enlarged, new shingles put on and other needed improvements made.

AU (28 Sept. 1901) Died at Bayside--Mary Ann, wife of John R. Smith of Bayside, died at that place on Monday, Sept. 23d at 11:45 p.m. of paralysis after a short illness. Deceased was a native of St. Andrews, New Brunswick and was 60 years and one day old. She was married in 1874 and came to the county in 1879. Besides her husband, she leaves three children, Fred W. Smith, Amy E. Smith and Maud G. Smith....

AU (16 Nov. 1901) [Died at Bayside, Nov. 12, 1901, Florence E., beloved wife of Frederick E. Getchell and mother of Walter, Mabel, Howard, Percy and Helen Getchell, a native of New Brunswick, age 52 years 1 day. Obit on same page]

AU (13 Dec. 1902) New station for Bayside under construction on California and Northern Railroad; connected with settled part of Bayside by 1/2 mile road and sidewalk.

AU (7 Feb. 1903) Bayside's new school about ready; description; W.G. Mohn contractor, cost \$4200.

AU (18 April 1903) Farmers are very busy at present all over the county adjacent to Arcata. C. Grotzman has plowed up a lot of ground that has not been seeded for 16 years and the pasture adjoining the Bull slaughter house is being put into a new crop.

HT (19 July 1903) From Bayside—Mr. Mohn is very busy moving the old school house upon the land recently purchased from A. Bayreuther by ? Young and H. McClellan. He has cut the

building in two and will make two houses of it which will be a great improvement to railroad avenue. It is quite an undertaking to move the building. He has the locomotive and crew hired in the evening to move it, but so far is making very slow progress.

AU (16 April 1904) Obit. Joseph Nellist of Bayside.

AU (28 Sept. 1904) An Important Transfer [regarding lime works]

AU (19 Oct. 1904) Bayside—The new residence of Oscar Nellist is rapidly nearing completion.

AU (17 Dec. 1904) Mr. G.E. Simmons, who purchased the 17-acre ranch on Beith Creek from A.J. Clarno some three months ago, has sold it to Louis Larsen who will take possession soon....

AU (17 Dec. 1904) Carpenters have been busy at work building an addition to the barn on the Nicholson place.

AU (29 March 1905) Dan Newell has only about 7,000,000 more feet of logs to get out of the logging camp at Bayside before his contract with the Bayside Lumber Co. will expire. He expects to have all that amount by July 1<sup>st</sup> and the Bayside camp will close down. Mr. Newell will also retire from active business life having had 45 years of continuous work in the logging woods.

AU (19 April 1905) [Mary Morton lease to E.H. Meller, Beith Ranch on County Road below Arcata.; 99.54 acres in section 4, 5N1E and section 33, 6N1E, for 5 1/2 year at \$400 per year]

AU (3 May 1905) Wild pigeons have been reported along Jacoby Creek the past week. There is no law against killing these birds and no limit to the size of the bag....

AU (3 May 1905) New Slaughtering Business; E.H. Meller Branches out in the Wholesale Meat Business—For some time past, it has been evident that there was to be an opposition slaughtering business in this end of the county and although nothing was made public about the matter, people were convinced that this was to be the case when Ed Meller, who recently sold his retail business in Arcata to Mr. Twombly, took a lease on the Beith Ranch belonging to Mrs. Morton for 5 1/2 years.

For some time past, Tom Barter and a crew of four men have been busy putting up a modern slaughter house and on Saturday two beef were slaughtered and hung up in the new plant. The building is 26 by 36 and is fitted with all modern improvements for quick work, including sausage machines, cauldrons, etc. The building is situated on the north side of the county road, out of sight of the road and on Beith Creek, where an abundance of pure water is obtained. The ranch, which contains a hundred acres, will be used for pasture and corrals and part of it will be farmed, the land being rich and productive....

AU (20 May 1905) People who drive on the county road have probably noticed the fine garden on the Grotzman property, near the Premium Creamery below town. Here is a garden covering six acres where as fine vegetables are to be found as any that grow out of doors....

AU (5 July 1905) Hauled His Last Log--The last log to be hauled by Dan Newell under his contract with the Bayside Lumber Company was hauled from the woods on Jacoby Creek last Saturday. With that log Mr. Newell's contract expired and he will now retire from active woods life. His experience as a woodsman covers a period of about forty years, during which time, he has filled almost every position, giving him as thorough knowledge of woods life as any other man in Humboldt county. Mr. Newell's son may decide to take a contract with the company, or it may decide to get the logs out for themselves, as there is much valuable timber left in that locality..

U (12 Aug. 1905) Joe Roba has purchased the lease of his brother, G. Roba, in the vegetable garden on the Grotzman ranch below town, which now goes under the name of the Bay View Truck Garden. This place consists of six acres of rich ground and is all in growing vegetables. Joe will market a large part of his vegetables through the Diamond Fruit Company and will also sell to private customers. Messrs. G. Traverso and B. Falco, expert gardeners just out from the old country, have charge of the garden.

AU (23 Aug. 1905) Takes a Contract—Geo. H. Newell has taken a contract from the Bayside Lumber Co. to cut twenty-five or thirty million feet of logs. He has already a crew of choppers at work in the same gulch where with his father, D.S. Newell, he finished last month a big contract for the same company, a contract which by the way was the closing one in his father's busy career as a logger in Humboldt County. Mr. Newell states it will require three years to finish his new contract.

AU (30 Sept. 1905) Mr. Kane is digging a well on land recently purchased from Mr. Bayreuther. Will build soon.

AU (18 Oct. 1905) Bayside—Mr. Kane's new house is rapidly growing and is nearly ready for the shingles. Mr. Haywards is building a cottage on the land recently purchased near the Steven's home.

AU (29 Nov. 1905) Geo. W. Ripley and Elmer Sage complete contract for 7-room house they built for John Kane at Bayside; short distance from Bayside Lumber Company store.

AU (2 Dec. 1905) Aged Man Passes Away--Samuel Getchell, one of the oldest men of this section of the county, passed peacefully away at the home of his son George at Bayside Thanksgiving Day about 5 o'clock.

Mr. Getchell was fifteen days past 94 years of age and had enjoyed good health up to the very day of his death, when he became ill and passed away in a few hours. Mr. Getchell came to Humboldt county from New Brunswick about 21 years ago and had worked in the woods a greater part of that time. He leaves three sons living at Bayside, George, Fred and Freeman, and six grandchildren. The old gentleman was particularly well preserved for a man of his years and up to a short time ago went into the woods daily to swing an axe, which was enjoyment and passed time for him. The funeral will take place from the Presbyterian church at Bayside today at

one o'clock. Rev. E.P. Shier of Eureka will conduct the services and the interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

AU (10 Jan. 1906) Bayside—Mr. Kane has built a barn and woodshed on his place.

AU (14 Feb. 1906) O. Rice commenced work this a.m. on the new home of Mr. and Mrs. R.R. McClaskey.

AU (21 Feb. 1906) [obit John Harpst, age 67. In 1879 Harpst and Spring built the Union Shingle Mill which they conducted successfully for some years. Harpst and Spring partnership lasted 29 years, dissolved in 1892.]

FE (12 April 1906) Silvio Comisto, Philip Calanchini, Edward Carr and Kate Harpst have granted to the Union Shingle Manufacturing Co. a right of way 20 feet wide for a tramway and land for wharf site at mouth of Gannon slough and land for warehouse for shingles in 4N1E and 5N1E.

AU (12 May 1906) Carpenter O.M. Rice and his assistant Thomas Ferrill have just finished a neat and cozy nine-room house for Reuben McClaskey. The inside work is being done by Bert Downs, the artistic decorator.

AU (8 Dec. 1906) The Bayside shingle mill closed down last Saturday for an indefinite period on account of a demand of the shingle weavers for a raise from the old scale of 6 ½ cents per thousand to 7 cents. Another reason for the shut down is the large amount of shingles already on hand.

AU (1 Sept. 1906) Bayside Notes—A new home has been started on the Carlisle place. Mr. Barber has been busy stacking his peas on the Dubeault place. Christensen Bros. are hard at work cutting peas. Considerable threshing will be done here this year. F. Getchell has his barley all stacked.

AU (24 Nov. 1906) Golden Wedding celebration for Francis and Phoebe Henry; children: Hiram, George, Wellington, Henry, Mrs. Geo. Rice, Mrs. H. Getchell, and John; six grandchildren.

AU (19 Jan. 1907) A band of 40 mules belonging to the Brizard company passed through Arcata on their way down to the Grotzman place, where they will be pastured for the winter months.

AU (23 Feb. 1907) Obit. [David Dyer, age 74; born Maine in 1833; came to California ? "In 1870 he bought the small place at Bayside on the banks of Jacoby Creek, where he reared his family and spent the remainder of his days. He kept a small store and was the post master of Bayside for a number of years...." Leaves wife and step daughter]

SBF 23:234 (30 March 1907) Stanley Thompson has opened a new logging camp at Bayside near Newell's camp, where he will get timber for the Bendixen shipyard.

AU (27 April 1907) Rebecca Dyer to Viola Watson on 22 April 1907, land on Jacoby Creek for \$500.

AU (14 Sept. 1907) Obit. Francis Henry; born York County, New Brunswick in 1828; age 79; came west, stopping in Minnesota in 1873; came to Bayside in 1876; farmer; survived by widow and six children.

AU (12 Oct. 1907) Charles Sacchi sues Bayside Lumber Co. for damage to land from water and driftwood resulting from long jam on Jacoby Creek breaking dyke.

AU (18 Jan. 1908) James Cody, one of the well known residents of the Bayside section, has been making some improvements on his home at that place recently and carpenter Quincy Jones has been doing the work. The improvements consist of new porches, a bathroom, kitchen, and other additions, and the house is made more roomy and convenient in many ways. Mr. Cody was a former resident of Arcata and has been quite successful since moving to his new home.

AU (15 Feb. 1908) Bayside Notes—Work was commenced on the addition to the I.O.G.T. Hall Monday, and is progressing nicely. Orville Rice is head carpenter, assisted by a number of G.T.s.

AU (6 June 1908) Obit. Edith Nellist, wife of Vennie Nellist; formerly Edith Mitchell; leaves 18-year-old son George; sisters: Mrs. W.S. Lamb of Rohnerville, Mrs. D.W. Hanson, Mrs. Fred Smith; brothers: Mark Mitchell of Carlotta, Frank Mitchell of Freshwater and Ernest Mitchell of Eureka.

AU (20 June 1908) Marriage of Louise Marie Zehndner (daughter of Jacob) and James Edmund McClaskey.

AU (4 July 1908) Bayside Pioneer Is Dead--Fred E. Getchell, another of Humboldt's pioneers, has answered the final call, having passed away at a Eureka hospital last Saturday afternoon.

Deceased has been suffering from a paralytic stroke which he received several weeks ago. He was brought to Eureka from his home at Bayside and placed in a hospital, but in his weakened condition, the frail frame could not withstand the fatal affliction, death relieving his suffering as before stated.

Mr. Getchell came to Humboldt in the early '70s and for many years was employed by Dolbeer & Carson Lumber Company. He was almost at the allotted mile post when the grim reaper summoned him over. The funeral was held in Eureka.

Deceased leaves to mourn his loss, Walter, Howard, Percy, Mabel and Helen Getchell, and two brothers, Geo. S. and Freeman L. Getchell. He was a native of New Brunswick, aged 66 years and 3 months.

AU (17 July 1909) Pretty Wedding at Bayside--A pretty wedding took place Wednesday, July 14, at the bride's residence, Bayside, when Miss Helen Margaret Getchell was united in marriage to Hugh Addison Monahan, in the presence of the relatives of the young couple.

The various apartments were lavishly embellished with variegated sweet peas and ferns. The dainty bride was exceedingly attractive in a handsome white silken gown, exquisitely trimmed with lace and insertion. She carried a shower bouquet of white carnations.

The impressive and beautiful ring service was performed at 8 p.m. by Rev. C.P. Hessel of the Arcata Presbyterian Church. After congratulations, a sumptuous repast was served and later, a company of friends surprised the party, bringing a host of good wishes.

The bride is one of the most winsome young women of Bayside and the groom is also popular. Mr. and Mrs. Monahan will make their home at Korbel, where the groom holds a responsible position.

AU (11 Sept. 1909) Wedding at Bayside--A pretty wedding took place Tuesday evening Sept. 7th at 8 o'clock at the residence of John R. Smith at Bayside, when his daughter Miss Maud Gertrude Smith was united in marriage to Harvey Monahan...

The bride is a well known and popular teacher and the groom holds a responsible position at Korbel where the future home will be made.

AU (5 Feb. 1910) Bayside Postmaster Found Dead—Benjamin Barwise

AU (2 April 1910) Charles Sacchi wins suit against Bayside Lumber Company.

AU (9 April 1910) H.L. Getchell runs the horse stage between Arcata and Eureka; will now have auto stage with two round-trips per day.

AU (23 April 1910) Obit. Reuben McClaskey; age 36; born New Brunswick; came to Bayside with parents in 1882; married Edith Ferrill in 1902; one son Clemens; parents: George McClaskeys; sister Mrs. William Quear; brothers John and Ed.

AU (2 July 1910) Obit. Mrs. Wm. Nixon Campbell, age 79; born Kentucky; raised in Iowa; married Campbell in 1859; came to Bayside in 1871; lived there three years before moving to Arcata on 7th Street.

AU (17 Sept. 1910) Charles Sacchi is milking 100 head of cows on the Three C Ranch at Bayside. Mr. Sacchi has secured another eight year lease on the ranch....

AU (29 Oct. 1910) Ranch For Sale--The Beith Ranch of 100 acres at Bayside. Inquire Mrs. Mary B. Morton, 1137 4th St., Eureka.

AU (24 Dec. 1910) Young Man Dies—Joseph Coady, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Coady of Bayside, died at the home of his parents on Friday evening Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> of quick consumption. Besides his parents he leaves three sisters and one brother to mourn his loss. He was 24 years of age. The funeral was held from the Catholic Church on Monday morning at 10:30, Rev. Father Tevlin officiating. Arcata Aerie of Eagles, of which order the deceased was a member, turned out in a body. The pall bearers were Joseph Mooney, Chas. Monahan, N.W. Haugh, R.E. McKenzie, Mat Carroll, Jr. and Chas. Sacchi, Jr.

HS (5 May 1911) Bayside—Carpenters are now at work on the new residence being built for Henry Monahan.

AU (6 May 1911) Obit. John R. Smith, Bayside; born St. John, New Brunswick; age 68; lived at Bayside for 40 years; children: Mrs. Maude Monahan, Miss Amy Smith, and Fred Smith; uncle of Frank Smith of Arcata.

AU (13 May 1911) C.H. Pierce has new bungalow on Jacoby Creek; built by A.C. Johnson.

AU (24 June 1911) On Wednesday of this week, the Union Shingle Company of Arcata consisting of Charles Harpst, Louis Larsen, T.R. Emerson, George Harpst and Henry P. Carr, passed out of existence as a corporation and the plant, located about a mile from town was closed down. The old mill and machinery have been sold to Charles Grotzman, upon whose land the buildings stand, and Mr. Grotzman has several thousand cords of bolts on which he will make into shingles later.

The mill was built in 1896 by Harpst & Spring, who operated it until 1902, when the Union Shingle Company, mentioned above, bought them out. Messrs. Harpst, Larsen and Emerson were the principal stockholders, Messrs. Carr and Geo. Harpst owning one share each. Charles Harpst acted as manager, Mr. Emerson kept the books and attended to the clerical work, and Louis Larsen did the teaming. Harry Carr has worked in the mill as sawyer during the 15 years that it has been in operation.

The mill has been running for about four months this summer to clean up a quantity of bolts which were on hand. The shingles have all been sold and the Union Shingle Company has passed into history. Manager Charles Harpst severed his connection with the plant on Wednesday and stated that all he had to do to move was to whistle to the dog and cluck to his horse to "get up."

AU (9 Sept. 1911) Obit. Thomas Carson; age 85; born New Brunswick; came to Humboldt County in 1860s; double cousin of William Carson.

BLA (7 Oct. 1911) The *Herald* leans that the Jacoby Creek quarry will be used by the Hammon Engineering Co. from which to supply the government with rock for the reconstruction of the Humboldt Bay jetties and that Capt. H.H. Cousins of Eureka has been awarded a contract to tow the rock barges on the bay during the reconstruction operations.

BLA (4 Nov. 1911) Engine Went Through Trestle [two men killed near Monkey Rock near Newell's camp at Bayside]

AU (10 Feb. 1912) Obit. Mrs. James Noble; married Hugh J. Noble in 1874; born 1850 in New Brunswick; came to California in 1875; children: Wm. Evelyn Wilson, Hattie, Jean and Harold.

AU (16 March 1912) George Burchard buys Nellist Ranch at Bayside.

AU (23 May 1912) Work progressing at Jacoby Creek quarries.

BLA (25 May 1912) Obit Helen Noble, daughter Hugh James Noble, age 25 years 11 months.

BLA (26 Oct. 1912) Double Murder and Suicide at the Jacoby Creek Quarries

BLA (14 Dec. 1912) [man injured at Newell's logging camp at Bayside]

AU (30 Jan. 1913) Random Notes—The 60-acre ranch of the Anwick family at Bayside is rapidly developing into a fine poultry farm. One poultry house, 16 by 100 feet, with scratch yard downstairs is a home for 500 white Leghorn beauties and another house of the same size is also under construction. Clarence Anwick finds time to study two hours daily on a poultry and agricultural correspondence course. [more]

AU (20 Feb. 1913) Obit. Mrs. Charles Monahan; committed suicide by throwing herself in surf at Samoa; has been living with daughter Mrs. Dexter. Suicide runs in family, her father and brother died that way. Survivors: husband C.H. Monahan, children Hugh A., Harvey W., Charles J., and Mrs. Ed. Dexter; 3 brothers: Geo., Horace, and Jack Pinkerton; sisters: Mrs. E.J. Armstrong, Mrs. Ernest Manuel, Mrs. T.H. Orcutt, Miss Minnie Pinkerton.

AU (6 March 1913) Mrs. P. McRorie of Bayside, an experienced maternity nurse, will take cases at her home.

AU (16 Oct 1913) Probably Fatal Accident at Bayside

AU (11 Dec. 1913) Obit. John Smith, Bayside; born 1833 in New Brunswick; came to California in 1855; logged; returned home in 1869 and married Margaret McKenzie; returned immediately; settled in Bayside eight years later; wife died five years ago; survivors: Mrs. J.C. Monroe, Mrs. Wm. McFarland, Herbert and John G. Smith.

AU (11 Dec. 1913) Random Notes—[Three Cs Ranch]

AU (11 Dec. 1913) W. Graham of Bayside is raising blooded Jersey stock. The gentleman will build a new up-to-date cow barn this year. He will have cement floors and mangers and four feet of window light for each cow.

SBF 23:268 (27 Dec. 1913) Bayside Camp Closed--Newell's camp at Bayside has shut down for good, the timber supply being exhausted. The Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. have been operating there for the past 30 years and some excellent timber has been chopped down and manufactured into fine lumber. Bayside Mill & Lumber Co. will get their log supply from southern Humboldt, where they own some fine timber.

AU (1 Jan. 1914) Walter Coady Is Dead—Word was received from Denver the early part of this week announcing the death of Walter, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Coady of Bayside. The young man left Humboldt some months ago, and has been in Colorado, hoping that a change of climate would better his condition. His sister Mrs. Wm. Reynolds of Scotia had been with the patient

nursing him for some time previous to his death. The remains are now on the way here and are expected to arrive towards the end of the present week. Besides his parents and Mrs. Reynolds, deceased leaves one more sister, Mrs. Michael O'Reilly of Eureka. A sister, Mrs. Murray and a brother Joseph, died some time ago. Deceased was a native of Humboldt and aged 28 years.

AU (19 March 1914) Union Shingle Mill burned to ground.

AU (9 April 1914) J.W. Henry of Bayside, the well known woods foreman, has announced himself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor for the Fifth District....

Mr. Henry has been in the employ of the N.R.L. Co. for the past 16 years and for ten years has been in charge of one camp. He is an experienced road builder and possesses the other necessary qualifications for the office of supervisor.

AU (14 May 1914) ....Large numbers of silverside salmon (coho or hookbills, if you choose) are netted in the winter months along with the steelhead in the channels leading to Jacoby Creek, Freshwater and Elk River....

AU (14 May 1914) William Quear and family moved from Bayside into Robt. Murray house in Pleasant Hill. Mr. Quear works at Korbel mill; Eva to attend Normal School and Everett with Arcata Hardware and Plumbing Co.

AU (2 July 1914) Obit. Geo. Watson, head chopper in Carson woods; killed June 24 by limb falling on his head; born Nova Scotia; age 50; lived at Bayside seven years; leaves widow and two children; a sister and five brothers in Rhode Island.

AU (10 Dec. 1914) Obit. Wm. Everett Quear, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Quear; born 1892.

AU (14 Jan. 1915) Bayside Notes--Messrs. Wm. and Joseph Dubeault are clearing land on their farm located below the Jacoby Creek quarry. They have purchased a new stump puller which will, no doubt, be of great value in their work. At the present time, they have a herd of sixteen milk cows and a fine flock of five hundred white Leghorn fowls. The gentlemen expect to increase the size of their dairy herd, since the land they are clearing will enable them to produce an abundance of green feed and hay. An acre of berries is to be set out this season on a plot of ground well adapted for that purpose and no doubt a portion of the crop will in time be handled in the plant of the Humboldt Fruit Packers Association at Arcata.

Howard Getchell returned from San Francisco on the steamer Sunday after an absence of several months.

AU (21 Jan. 1915) Bayside Notes--It has been reported that work at the Jacoby Creek quarry is to commence in real earnest the first of next month. Two locomotives are to be placed on the run and a large crew of men put to work.

FE (26 Feb. 1915) The Price Creek Fish Hatchery [salmon juveniles from Eel river and Mill creek station on Sacramento] liberated in Mad river, Elk river, Jacoby creek, Freshwater creek, Eel river and Price creek.

AU (4 March 1915) Random Notes--Work is being done on the ditch alongside the road leading to the Seely Ranch which runs east from the Premium Creamery.

AU (1 April 1915) Bayside Notes--With the first evidences of approaching spring seems to have come an awakening spirit in the social movements of our people. Like the trees and plants that have remained dormant during the winter months and with the first warm days of spring are now sending forth their leaves and blossoms, so also has the seemingly active social spirit been moved to action. A real jolly crowd it was that gathered at the little hall located near the store last Wednesday evening. It was the second of a series of "get together" meetings which are said to be in store for the future season and judging from the attendance and the happy spirit which prevailed throughout the evening, future socials will be looked forward to with great interest. The evening was spent in dancing and in playing various games. Music was furnished by Mr. H.N. Halvorsen on the violin, accompanied by Mrs. Halvorsen on the organ. Light refreshments were served. Everyone brought his smile, which helped to make the meeting a most enjoyable affair.

AU (8 April 1915) Bayside Notes--Last Tuesday evening a farmers' meeting was held here and plans were discussed for the organization of a local Farm Center. Mr. A. Elliott was elected chairman of the meeting. Farm Adviser A.H. Christiansen was present and spoke at length on the subject of farm cooperation and outlined the work of the Farm Center movement. Mr. R.L. Werner, Secretary of the Humboldt County Farm Bureau, was also present and made a few brief remarks regarding the business side of the Farm Bureau. About ten farmers signified their willingness to organize a permanent Farm Center here and a number of others promised their support should such an organization be effected.

After some discussion by different farmers present, it was decided to hold another meeting on Friday evening, April 9th. At that time, women are invited to be present, refreshments will be served and a social time enjoyed. A good crowd is expected to attend that meeting and the farmers hope to perfect the proposed new organization.

The morning of April first found the banks of Jacoby Creek and other smaller streams of this vicinity lined with enthusiastic fishermen. While Jacoby Creek was not in the best condition for good fishing, owing to the fact that work at the quarry is causing the water to become somewhat muddy, a number of very good catches have been reported.

AU (15 April 1915) Bayside Notes--Mr. Dickson, superintendent of the Jacoby Creek quarry, made a business trip to Eureka Monday. The gentleman states that about 200 men are now employed at the quarry and that four or five barges of rock are being sent to the jetties daily. Two locomotives are being used to haul the rock from the quarry to the wharf.

AU (15 April 1915) Bayside Notes (13 April 1915) At a meeting held here last Friday night, the farmers of this community organized a Farm Center with a charter membership of ten. Mr. A. Elliott was elected president of the new organization and Clarence Anwick secretary. The meeting was first addressed by Mr. R.L. Werner, Secretary of the Farm Bureau, who discussed the future plans of the Farm Bureau. This was followed by a discussion of questions on lime, Sudan grass, and the feeding of dairy cows. Farm Advisor Christiansen gave a very interesting talk on "Balanced Rations," using the blackboard to illustrate the principles of the scientific feeding of

dairy cows. This was of special interest to dairymen and led to a lively discussion of feeding questions. After the business session and program, refreshments were served by the farm ladies, this being followed by a social time in which everybody took an active part, and it was nearly midnight before the little hall was vacated.

AU (22 April 1915) Bayside Notes (20 April 1915) Sunday, being a fine day, found the road lined with automobiles, motorcycles and buggies. There seemed to be almost a continuous stream of traffic, everyone seeming to enjoy the sunshine and fresh air and the ride over good roads through the rural districts.

AU (22 April 1915) Morton L. Tower Killed in Accident--A serious accident occurred near the Jacoby Creek quarry early last Thursday afternoon when a gasoline track car with Lieutenant Colonel T.H. Rees, Engineer Morton L. Tower and Supt. E.W. Dickson of the Pacific Engineering and Construction Company, as passengers, and C.A. Tucston as driver jumped the track a short distance from the upper quarry, throwing all of the four men into the gulch some eight or ten feet below. The injured men were picked up by a rock train which happened to be coming up the track behind the track car and were immediately taken to Bayside....

The party had gone to the quarry for the purpose of inspecting the work and Colonel Rees, having arrived on the steamer that morning, arranged with Engineer Tower for a trip to the quarry in the afternoon. Mr. Dickson met the two gentlemen in Eureka taking them over in his automobile as far as the end of the wagon road, which extends toward the quarry. There they were met by Tucston with the track car and taken up the track behind the work train, which was proceeding to the quarry. They succeeded in passing the train some distance up the track and went on ahead till they reached the upper end of the high trestle a short distance below the upper quarry. The grade at that point is very steep, about 8 or 10 percent. The car left the track after it had passed the highest point of the trestle and this is fortunate for had it been derailed at a point some 80 or 90 feet farther down the track the result would probably have been far worse as the highest point is about 25 or 30 feet above the creek with nothing but large boulders and driftwood below....Morton L. Tower has been in charge of the jetty construction on Humboldt Bay since March 1912 and was one of the best known engineers on the Pacific coast....

AU (20 May 1915) Bayside Farm Center Meets (18 May)--At its first regular meeting last Wednesday night, the Bayside Farm Center held one of the most successful meetings of its kind held in this community for some time. A splendid program had been arranged by Messrs. J. Dubeault and W.R. Graham, members of the committee of arrangements for that occasion. One of the features of the evening was a song by a quartet composed of students of the Humboldt State Normal School. A vocal solo by Mr. Clyde Sage was well received. This was followed by a splendid talk on "Horticulture" by Prof. J.B. Corcoran of the Normal School faculty....The gentleman stated that Humboldt County has a bright future in the fruit industry and strongly emphasized the importance of taking better care of the orchards. Dr. B.J. Cady of the U.S. Bureau of Animal Industry was next introduced by Farm Adviser Christiansen. The gentleman took for his subject "Hog Cholera and Its Prevention." The lecture was illustrated by means of stereopticon slides showing views of hog farms in many of the eastern states, conditions that are favorable for the spread of disease and also the method of using the anti hog-cholera serum and

virus. How the anti hog-cholera serum and viruses is manufactured was shown and explained in detail and figures showing the percent of hogs infected with cholera in each state was given....

After the program and business meeting, the floor was cleared for dancing, music being furnished by Mr. and Mrs .H. Halvorsen on the violin and organ. Later refreshments were served after which dancing was resumed and continued until a late hour.

AU (3 June 1915) The Cannery Has Started--Arcata's new cannery started up this week. An excellent location has been secured in the building on the William Lord property across the street from the Grammar School and temporary Normal site....Humboldt Fruit Packers' Association [more]

AU (17 June 1915) Bayside Notes (15 June)--The Bayside Farm Center held its regular meeting last Tuesday evening with a very good attendance. The farmers of the community are deeply interested in what the Farm Bureau is doing and are entering quite actively into the work. Both Farm Adviser Christiansen and Business Agent R.L. Werner were present and addressed the meeting. Mr. Christiansen explained in detail about the pure milk bill which recently passed the Legislature....

Frank Light, Director of the Freshwater Center, was present and gave a very interesting talk on Farm Center work and how it affects a community and its people. The farmers of the Freshwater Center and those of the Bayside Center are planning to hold a picnic together at Freshwater some time in July....

Howard Getchell is breaking some fine young colts for John Monroe.

AU (24 June 1915) Cannery Business Is Flourishing

AU (30 Sept. 1915) Big Farm Bureau Meeting Here On Saturday--The Second Annual Farm Bureau meeting of Humboldt County will be held in Arcata Oct. 2nd....

BLA (2 Oct. 1915) Frank Miller Instantly Killed [at quarry]

AU (6 Jan. 1916) Random Notes--John Monroe of Bayside sold recently what was probably one of the best teams of farm horses that ever hit a collar in Humboldt. Both are jet black, four and five years old, about fifteen hundred pounds in weight and ran loose until last summer when Howard Getchell, who works for Mr. Monroe, took them in hand. On Wednesday the team was turned over to their present owner Clarence E. La Boyteaux, the young farmer who recently purchased the A. McCloskey place, better known as the Shaw ranch. Mr. La Boyteaux is a U.C. graduate from Berkeley and will undoubtedly make good.

AU (13 Jan. 1916) Empty Dwelling Burns at Bayside--A small residence belonging to the Bayside Lumber Company, located near the round house, burned to the ground....

AU (27 Jan. 1916) Obit. Mary Mitchell; wife of Geo.; born New Brunswick in 1837; came to Bayside in 1875; Geo. died in 1890; children: Mrs. W.S. Lamb of Rohnerville, Mrs. F.W. Smith, Frank Mitchell, Mark Mitchell of Carlotta, Mrs. D.W. Hanson and late Mrs. Edith Nellist and Ernest Mitchell.

AU (3 Feb. 1916) Random Notes--C.E. Sacchi will employ a couple of experts to handle his milking machine and these two men will handle the milk from 120 cows.

AU (17 Feb. 1916) Track Walker Is Drowned--Bartola Dezero, a track walker employed by the Bayside Lumber Company, was drowned some time Sunday night or Monday morning in the bay about mid way between the end of the trestle and the edge of the marsh [more].

AU (17 Feb. 1916) Bayside Farm Bureau Meets--The Bayside Farm Center held a very interesting meeting in the town hall on last Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance and many matters of interest to farmers were brought up. Business Agent R.L. Werner addressed the meeting upon subjects relating to Farm Bureau activities, special emphasis was placed upon the subject of the standardization of such products as potatoes and fruits. He urged all farmers interested in fruit raising to co-operate with the newly-organized Fruit Growers' Association in producing a better grade of fruit. Farm Adviser Christiansen spoke on "The Grading and Marketing" of farm products and told how the Bureau expects to handle the apples or other fruit produced by members. Following this, Mr. Christiansen made soil tests from samples brought to the meeting, having brought with him the necessary laboratory equipment for that purpose. How to test accurately the acidity of soils was also shown. After the business session and program, a social time was enjoyed. Later refreshments were served by Mesdames C.E. Sacchi, W.R. Graham, Elmer Baxter, Chas. Burchard and A. Elliott.

AU (17 Feb. 1916) Bayside Farm Bureau Meets--....James Coady recently sold his farm to his son-in-law, Mr. M. O'Reilly of Eureka. The place consists of a little less than 20 acres of choice land located near Jacoby Creek.

AU (2 March 1916) Bayside Pioneer Passes--Andrew Orr, an old-time resident of Bayside, died on Monday morning. He was a native of Warwick County, N.B. and aged 75 years. He came to California when but 25 years of age and worked in the redwoods for a number of years as an ox team driver and for the past twenty-five years had been engaged in ranching at Bayside. He was a member of Humboldt Lodge No. 177, IOOF, having joined more than 50 years ago. Besides a wife he leaves four daughters Mrs. Nettie Starr of Brandy City, Mrs. Oscar Nellist of Eureka, Mrs. R. Fryer of Falk and Mrs. Frank Page of Eureka and one son, Milton Orr of Bayside.

AU (23 March 1916) Respected Bayside Resident Dies--George McClaskey, an old and esteemed resident of Bayside, died at the family home on Tuesday from a complication of troubles. Deceased was born in Charlotte County, N.B. on Feb. 22nd 1837 and was 79 years and 29 days old. His early life was spent in the east and after making two trips to this coast, he returned and brought his family out in 1881, making his home at Bayside since that time, where he engaged in ranching.

Mr. McClaskey was married to Elizabeth Armstrong on July 15th 1868 and the widow still survives together with the following sons and daughter: Mrs. William A. Quear, John A. and Edmund McClaskey of Arcata, one brother James McClaskey of Eureka and two grandchildren Mrs. Eva L. Hunt of San Francisco and Clemens A. McClaskey of Arcata.

AU (23 March 1916) Bayside Notes--One of the biggest meetings ever held by the Bayside Farm Center took place on Friday evening, March 10, when nearly two hundred people gathered to listen to the interesting program which had been prepared for the occasion. So crowded was the little hall that standing room was at a premium. Following a discussion of agricultural problems by Farm Advisor Christiansen, Mr. Chas. Duck and two children of Eureka kept the crowd in an uproar with humorous recitations and songs. Through the courtesy of Misses Harmon and Morrison, teachers of the Bayside school, the school cooperated with the Center in carrying out the program, singing several songs. A folk dance in which several small school girls took part was also well received. Farm Advisor Christiansen....Director Frank Light of the Freshwater Center spoke briefly, touching on problems of interest to farmers.

At the conclusion of the program, dancing formed the chief amusement. Refreshments were served at a late hour, the dining hall being in charge of several ladies of the Center....The Bayside Post Office, which is now in charge of Mrs. Rader occupies a part of the office of the Bayside Lumber Company's store, having been moved from the Fred Smith building near the school.

William Day, the hustling poultryman and gardener, is branching out into the berry business, having set out about ten thousand strawberry plants. His farm, located near the James Noble place, was formerly the Stringfield place.

AU (27 April 1916) May Move Cannery to Bayside--A new step in the activities of various farm centers throughout the county will be inaugurated by the Bayside Center if plans discussed at the meeting of the organization recently are carried out. Members of the center are desirous of owning and operating a cannery to be used for the canning of vegetables and fruits grown and produced at Bayside and vicinity. Arrangements are now under way to purchase the plant of the Humboldt Canners Association at Arcata, the company having made a very desirable offer to the farmers. A committee was appointed to look into the matter of purchasing the cannery. The product of the cannery, if it is bought by the farm center, would be handled through the Humboldt Farm Bureau.

AU (8 June 1916) Random Notes--Many people visit the Sacchi ranch to see the milking machine in operation. Howard Getchell of Bayside was much taken up with the work of the machine on Sunday afternoon, when it milked 50 cows in thirty minutes.

HS (14 July 1916) The Bayside Farm Center will hold a business meeting tonight at Temperance Hall in Bayside. This organization is now just one year old....Farm Advisor A.H. Christiansen will be there.

AU (20 July 1916) Bayside Notes--An interesting meeting of the Bayside Farm Center was held at the town hall last Friday evening when a good sized crowd gathered to listen to a splendid program. Prof. Gordon True of the Division of Animal Industry of the University of California gave a fine talk on dairying, which proved very interesting and instructive, especially to the dairymen of the community....Annual picnic will probably be held on August 26....

AU (3 Aug. 1916) Random Notes (Bayside) Howard Getchell, who for 25 years clung to Jersey cows as the best milkers, is now using the Guernsey stock and claims to get better results from

this breed. Fred Graham has a fine crop of spuds this season. Forty pounds were recently taken from two hills. The Sharples milking machine is "pumping" the milk from 120 cows on the Sacchi ranch. Joseph Capaul is now running the Grotzman ranch south of Arcata and has started dairying with 20 cows and will increase the herd to 50 next year. Mr. Capaul has taken a 15-year lease on the place. He is a recent arrival here from Willows.

AU (3 Aug. 1916) Random Notes--The cream skimming station near Bayside in charge of Pete Sacchi is in a splendid sanitary condition. The waste matter from the casein is carried a half a mile distant in a 6-inch sewer.

AU (10 Aug. 1916) Farm Bureau Nominations [for directors at large...District 2, Clarence Anvick, Bayside and two others from elsewhere]

AU (24 Aug. 1916) Picnic at Anvick's Grove--On Saturday August 26th the Bayside Farm Center will give a picnic at Anvick's Grove below Arcata to which a number of the farm centers in this locality have been invited. Free coffee and cream will be served and sports and races will be indulged in. The leading event will be a 100 yard dash for a purse of \$20 (stage money) between Chas. Sacchi, Fred Smith, Elmer Baxter and M.J. O'Reilly....

AU (31 Aug. 1916) [Geo. Burchard remodeled cottage on county road to Eureka, house stands in the midst of a thriving Eucalyptus grove and an artesian well furnishes a flow of fine water; has sun parlor with colored glass and pergola]

AU (31 Aug. 1916) Bayside Farm Bureau Entertains--The meeting of the Bayside Farm Bureau at Anvick's Grove near Arcata Saturday was a successful affair. [somebody spoke on "Good Roads" and "Girls Canning Clubs."; president of Rohnerville Farm Center was there]

AU (31 Aug. 1916) Old Bayside Resident Dies--Mrs. Mary Jane Barber, a resident of Humboldt for more than 40 years, passed away at her home at Bayside on Thursday at the age of 79 years, 3 months and 2 days. Deceased was born in Charlotte County, N.B. on May 22, 1843 and was married to Joseph Barber in 1864, the couple later coming to California...lived at Bayside for the past 28 years. Children at Bayside: Mrs. Carrie Young, Mrs. Elizabeth McClellan, Mrs. Marietta Pinkerton, John T. Barber, Christie Barber and William Barber, and husband.

AU (7 Sept. 1916) A letter received from George H. Burchard at Ferndale carries the information that the second annual rally of the North Humboldt Farm Centers will be held at Arcata on Sept. 29th....

AU (26 Oct. 1916) Bayside Boy Meets Tragic Death--Obit. Noble; 23 years of age; son of Hugh James Noble, Bayside, hunting accident.

AU (30 Nov. 1916) Random Notes--Chas. Grotzman has just had erected on his property opposite the United Creameries skimming station south of Arcata, a modern and convenient cottage which will be occupied by the family of Peter Sacchi. Thomas Ferrill did the work.

AU (11 Jan. 1917) Grotzman erecting garage for Peter Sacchi.

AU (14 Dec. 1916) Random Notes--John Monroe of Bayside is a firm believer in the Guernsey as a dairy cow and is building up a fine herd by scientific breeding....A social time was had for the young folks of Bayside last Saturday evening, when a dance was given in the old cook house on the Grotzman ranch. The affair was managed by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grotzman, Mr. .and Mrs. C.E. Sacchi and J. Capaul and wife.

AU (4 Jan. 1917) The 11-month infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rogers of Bayside died at the family home on Dec. 28. The funeral took place from the St. Mary's Catholic Church Sunday morning.

AU (11 Jan. 1917) Random Notes--Chas. Grotzman is erecting a garage for Peter Sacchi on his place south of Arcata.

AU (18 Jan. 1917) Bayside Notes--On Friday evening the Bayside Farm Center held its regular monthly business meeting. The subject of "Feeding Dairy Cows" was taken up by the Farm Adviser and a number of questions in connection with this subject were taken up and discussed before the meeting.

AU (3 May 1917) Random Notes (Bayside)--John Rogers on the fine ranch of Milton Carson has one of the finest constructed and handy milk houses to be found on any ranch.

AU (14 June 1917) Clarence Anwick, who is well known as a poultry expert, is also a success as a strawberry raiser. Some of the finest berries yet seen in the market have been on sale at the Banducci store this week. They are called the Admiral Dewey....

AU (21 June 1917) Random Notes--Joe Capaul on the Grotzman ranch has a fine stand of alfalfa and clover and is assured plenty of green feed for his dairy herd until the beets and carrots become large enough to pull. The hillside above the Grotzman ranch present a most beautiful sight this season with the bright colors of the azaleas and rhododendrons in full bloom among the setting of the deep blue myrtle blossoms. The sight is most pleasing to the eye.

AU (26 July 1917) Obit. John C. Monroe; born Carroll County, Iowa in 1870; died of T.B., age 46; Family came to California when he was small; lived at Alliance; attended Arcata schools until 15; in 1889 rented John Smith's ranch; married Margaret Smith in 1896; four children: Wilbur, Ernest, Curtis and Bertha.

HT (8 Sept. 1917) Bayside Farmers Holding Annual Picnic Today—A special good time rather than the usual outdoor literary and musical program is the aim of the Bayside farmers, who with their friends, will gather at Bayside today for their annual picnic.

The Bayside district holds the name of being one of the most fertile spots in the county and its farmers are known as leaders in agricultural committees. One day each year, according to custom, is given over to enjoyment and aside from informal talk, farm matters will not be taken up today.

A general invitation is extended to the public to come early and stay late as the guests of the Bayside people. Basket luncheons will be in order. Amusements of various kinds are planned.

HT (9 Sept. 1917) Bayside Farmers Picnic....100 people there.

AU (26 Oct. 1917) Random Notes--C.E. Sacchi of Bayside has recently received a new potato digger from the east made necessary by a large patch and a scarcity of men....

AU (10 Jan. 1918) C.E. Sacchi is a very busy man these days looking after crops besides milking more than 100 cows. Mr. Sacchi has in his employ Wm. Walker, Antone Battagi and Natal Brodercari, all experienced and competent dairymen....Harvey Monahan is in charge of the fine herd of Guernseys belonging to Mrs. John Monroe and no better selection could have been made.

AU (24 Jan. 1918) Joseph Barber is Dead; well known Bayside resident.

AU (14 Feb. 1918) Our young poultryman Clarence Anwick finds his Ford a valuable help since taking the United Creamery bookkeeping job.

AU (21 Feb. 1918) Obit. Samuel W. McFarland; born New Brunswick in 1836; at age 17 went to work in lumber mill; married Eleanor Wilson in 1865; came to Humboldt County in 1866; foreman for Dolbeer and Carson for 28 years; lived at Bayside for 40 years.

AU (28 Feb. 1918) Random Notes--Silvio Comisto, one of the owners of the "Three C" ranch visited the property last week. The ranch is being tiled for draining, the gravel and cement being hauled to the ranch where the tiling will be made. This choice property at Bayside is under lease to C. Sacchi.

AU (28 Feb. 1918) Joseph Capaul, who has had the Charles Grotzman place below Arcata, has given up his lease and gone to work for Eugene Biondini of the W.W. Stone ranch.

AU (9 May 1918) Bayside Budget--The logging camp lately started is progressing rapidly. Under the supervision of Messrs. Adams and Buttons, the logging section will commence as calculated about June 1st. Choppers are already employed along with a large section crew. The cookhouse was moved last week up to the proposed site of the logging operations. The locomotive will remain in its former housing at Bayside. A night watchman has already been employed to look after it. Mr. Stovall, the civil engineer of the corporation, has resigned his position and accepted an opening offered him at Hammond.

AU (16 May 1918) Bayside Budget--The farmers held their monthly meeting Friday, May 10 [several talks; supper was served]

AU (23 May 1918) James Coady Dies of Injuries; Runaway Accident Fatal to Bayside Pioneer; Laid to Rest on Saturday—James Coady, who was injured last week by having his team run away, died at a local hospital on Thursday. Deceased was born in 1846 in County Carlow,

Ireland. In 1870 he arrived in this country and later settled in Humboldt County and was married in 1884 to Miss Kathleen O'Rourke.

Mr. Coady was a successful pioneer rancher of Bayside, having retired a few years ago and taken up his residence in Arcata. He was a worthy citizen and an industrious man and at the time of the accident was preparing to put in a war garden to help solve Uncle Sam's problem "over there."

Deceased is survived by a widow and two daughters Mrs. Michael O'Reilly of Bayside and Mrs. William J. Reynolds of Scotia.

The funeral was held on Saturday morning at St. Mary's Catholic Church at Arcata, Rev. Father Nugent officiating, where a Requiem Mass was said. The following were the pallbearers: Elmer Baxter, Joseph Dubeault, Martin Haugh, Charles Walker, Joseph Leveque and Rasmus Anderson. Burial in the Catholic cemetery.

AU (6 June 1918) Bayside Budget--A farewell party was given in honor of Clifford Rasmussen who has enlisted in the Naval Reserve....The coming Friday, Walter Graham plans on filling his silo, he has been busy gathering together the neighboring ranchers to aid him.

AU (6 June 1918) Clarence Anvick at South Beach, Oregon with Warren Spruce Company.

AU (1 Aug. 1918) Red Cross Dance at Bayside--The ladies of Bayside will give a Red Cross Dance at Watson's Hall, Bayside, Aug. 3rd. The music will be first class and will be furnished by Fritz Anthings orchestra of Eureka. [75 cents admission, ladies free; proceeds to Arcata Auxiliary of Red Cross]

AU (8 Aug. 1918) Random Notes--Dubeault Bros. at Bayside are going to seed extensively for alfalfa for the coming year. They have added a young Jersey bull to their herd, purchased from John Hanson near Loleta.

AU (23 Jan. 1919) Peter McKenzie, a former resident of Bayside and an old time woodsman, died at the family home in Eureka on January 21st. He was a native of Charlotte County, New Brunswick, aged 82 years, 5 months and 9 days and came to Humboldt in 1868. For a number of years he was employed by the John Vance Lumber Co. and made his home in Bayside up to six years ago. He leaves a widow and two sons, John W. of South Fork and Elmer P. McKenzie with the U.S. forces in France.

AU (23 Jan. 1919) Clarence Anvick, a well known young man of this section, who has been in service in the Spruce Division for nearly a year past, was mustered out at Vancouver Barracks on Jan. 9th....

SBF 23:136 (25 Jan. 1919) F.A. Montgomery and M.F. McAlister of Ferndale have purchased the Pinkerton ranch near Bayside, 258 acres for \$50,000. Said barn one of best in county.

BLA (8 March 1919) Bayside Camp Shut Down--Owing to the high water, a number of bents in three or four railroad trestles on Jacoby Creek near Bayside went out Sunday and the **Humboldt**

**Pine Timber Company**, operating there, was forced to shut down their logging camp. They are now busy repairing the damaged track and it may be a week or more before logging operations will be resumed there

AU (10 April 1919) Married Ernest Warren Monroe of Bayside and Josephine C. Cairns of Eureka.

AU (26 June 1919) [Marriage Elmer Abrahamson and Miss Grotzman; attendants William Grotzman and Doris Lyons "it came nearly being a double wedding."]

BLA (28 June 1919) Bayside Mill to Start Up--Logging operations will soon be underway in the woods of the Bayside Lumber Company. A crew is being assembled as rapidly as possible and as soon as sufficient men are available the season's work commence. Charles Hutchinson, an experienced logger, will have charge of the woods crew and is now receiving applications for positions. The mill at Eureka will resume operations as soon as possible.

AU (7 Aug. 1919) Hiram Henry, postmaster at Bayside, was struck by an auto driven by Miss Helen Cave near the Jacoby Creek bridge about 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon and seriously injured. Mr. Henry was going from his home to the post office...carried to the home of his sister Mrs. H.L. Getchell near by.

AU (18 Sept. 1919) Lumber is being shipped to the Humboldt Pine Company who will use it to build sheds and bolt landings at their new shingle mill up Jacoby Creek.

AU (27 Nov. 1919) Painter Dwight Knapp has been busy the past few days painting and papering the old Harpst house on the Grotzman tract getting it ready for the occupancy of William Grotzman and wife. Mr. Grotzman will make his home there as soon as the place is ready and will engage in dairying.

AU (1 Jan. 1920) Quincy Jones completed a feed barn on the Wm. Seelig ranch at Bayside, 40x60 feet; center for storing hay; 16-foot racks on both sides and ends for stock feeding; 50 head; plans laid out by Seelig before his sudden fatal illness.

AU (16 Jan. 1920) Random Notes--Amos Johansen, who owns the 14-cow dairy at Bayside, has a classy bunch of Guernseys.

AU (22 Jan. 1920) R.J. Wilson of Bayside deposited \$10.00 with Judge Wagner on Wednesday for allowing a horse to run loose on the county highway.

AU (29 Jan. 1920) Obit Edward McCutcheon.

AU (4 March 1920) Bayside Jottings--On account of the rain Saturday, the Bayside train only made one trip to camp to haul up supplies. The train crew was laid off until Monday. Our congenial conductor A.F. Button of the Humboldt Pine Company's train at Bayside, had the misfortune to badly bruise his right hand one day recently. The bookkeeper for the Humboldt

Pine Company, Edwin Wrought, with his wife, were visitors in Eureka on Wednesday, returning to camp Thursday morning. Alfred Switcher has given up his job at Scotia and has gone to work as brakeman on the Bayside train.

HS (6 March 1920) The Bachelor Club of Bayside, namely Herman Kerr, Wilbur Monroe, Harry Sparks and Frank Buttons, will give a dance in the Bayside Hall next Saturday. A three-piece orchestra will furnish the music. Supper will be served at midnight and a large crowd is anticipated.

AU (11 March 1920) Isaac Pelkonen and Thomas Kiskeya, choppers employed by the Humboldt Pine Company on Jacoby Creek, were injured on Thursday morning while falling a redwood tree and were soon afterwards taken to the Trinity Hospital, a special train being sent down to the Bayside Crossing from where they were taken by auto to the hospital....

AU (18 March 1920) Arcata Man Purchases Mill [Ralph W. Bull and associates purchased Bayside Lumber Co. mill on Bay, lumber in yard and on wharves; also logging apparatus on Nanning Creek in southern Humboldt] "together with 2000 acres of land, divided between standing timber and cut over lands. It is understood that there are several millions of redwood timber yet standing...The report that the deal carried with it a transfer of property on Jacoby Creek is incorrect as neither the railroad or timber lands in this section were included."

AU (18 March 1920) Sacchi Sells Lease of CCC Ranch--Selling dairy leases is becoming the order of the day in the vicinity of Arcata and on March 15th the largest deal recorded for a long time past was closed **when Charles C. Sacchi sold his lease of the C.C.C. ranch at Bayside to Joe Riberio and his brother-in-law, John Menzes.** The ranch, which is for the most part reclaimed marsh land, with the exception of about 20 acres of upland next to the road, all lies on the south side of the county road. With the lease Mr. Sacchi sells 106 head of cows, 70 head of young dairy stock, consisting of yearlings, two and three year olds, milking machine, trucks, tractor, implements, feed, etc. The place contains 335 acres and is under a high state of cultivation. The new lessees expect to milk between 120 and 125 head of cows the coming season and took possession on Tuesday, March 16th. They have been given a lease for six years. The price paid was \$41,500 which is the record price for this year. Mr. Sacchi, who has been lessee of the ranch for the past 21 years, expects to move his family to Arcata....

AU (18 March 1920) Bayside Jottings--The Humboldt Pine Company's shingle mill has been closed for a few days on account of making necessary repairs....On account of the heavy rains of Saturday evening and the sudden rise of the creeks, the track walker was ordered to go over the railroad track and trestles before the train went up Sunday evening to camp.

AU (18 March 1920) The Humboldt County Supervisors recently awarded the contract for the building of a concrete bridge over Jacoby Creek between Eureka and Arcata on the state highway to the Mercer-Fraser Company, whose bid was \$6915.

AU (1 April 1920) Bayside Jottings--Friday as the logging train was rounding the curve at the **lower quarry**, owing to a defective rail, two car loads of seventy foot logs jumped the track and

went into the ditch badly wrecking one of the cars... Chas. McKinney the camp foreman was a visitor to Eureka....James Noble has purchased another car, having disposed of his roadster to our corner grocery man R.J. Wilson. If the county supports a humane officer, he certainly should look into the inhumane treatment accorded calves which are being purchased from the dairyman at the present time.

AU (8 April 1920) Charles Grotzman, assisted by his sons William and Henry, have gone into the dairying business on quite an extensive scale and expect to be milking 40 cows this summer. The Grotzman ranch below town, consisting of more than 1000 acres is fitted for dairying, containing a desirable proportion of bottom land and also some good grazing land for dry stock. It is expected 100 cows will be milked eventually and after things are well underway, Mr. Grotzman expects to turn the entire management over to the sons. The milk is being sold to the United Creameries Association.

AU (8 April 1920) Bayside Jottings--So far there has not been very good luck for those who have been busy with the rod and reel. The water in the creeks is too high and too muddy for good success in fishing.

AU (15 April 1920) Bayside Jottings--The report is that our corner groceryman R.J. Wilson has sold his store and will retire from the grocery business.

AU (22 April 1920) Fred Anderson Buys Bayside Store--On Monday Fred Anderson, for the past four and a half years manager of the Northern Redwood Lumber Company's store at Korbel, purchased the general merchandising business formerly conducted by Rollin J. Wilson at Bayside corner and took possession. Mr. Anderson grew up in the merchandising business and was in the employ of the N.R.L. Co. for more than 14 years, part of the time being employed in the business office and the post office and later acting in the capacity of store manager. He will be assisted in running the Bayside store by Mrs. Anderson and has been out this week meeting the local residents and getting acquainted. Some extensive improvements will be made on the store interior and the business will be brought thoroughly up to date. Mr. Anderson moved his household goods from Korbel on Friday and the family are occupying the Hugh Monahan home near the Jacoby Creek bridge.

AU (22 April 1920) Bayside Jottings--The road from Bayside corners to the Dubeault home is in a very bad condition, owing to work being done on the road followed up by the heavy milk truck traffic, makes it almost impassable for light autos to travel.

AU (20 May 1920) Bayside Jottings--Two loads of fine logs are coming down daily from the Humboldt Pine Company's camp for use at the Rolph yards....A U.S. Navy sign was put up at the Bayside Corner [kids knocked it down].

AU (27 May 1920) Bayside Jottings--The Russ Company passed through Bayside with a herd of one hundred and fifty cattle to be taken up to the Russ ranch at Redwood.

AU (17 June 1920) Bayside Jottings--There are rumors of the Bayside Lumber Company getting the contract to supply rock for the jetty this year. The logs put out by the Humboldt Pine Company are now being shipped to the Bayside Lumber Company's mill in Eureka.

AU (12 Aug. 1920) Obit. Mary McRorie.

AU (9 Sept. 1920) Marriage of James Venning Nellist and Mrs. Daisy Moulton.

AU (16 Sept. 1920) Louis Larsen has sold his 17-acre ranch on Beith Creek just beyond the old Premium Creamery on the road to Bayside to J.E. Morton, Sr., the price being \$9000. With the place was sold five dairy cows, two heifers, horse, implements, etc. Mr. Larsen has purchased the Charles Monahan place in the southwestern part of Arcata and expected to move to his new home this week. Mr. Larsen has owned the ranch for 16 years and originally paid \$3500 for it, which represents a nice increase in real estate values in that time. The place has a good house and barn and has been well kept up. Mr. Morton recently sold his ranch on Arcata Bottom and has been looking for a smaller place for some months past. The deal was closed on Friday.

AU (7 Oct. 1920) John Rogers' new barn at Bayside is about completed.

AU (18 Nov. 1920) Random Notes--Z.C. Saffell, who bought the Premium Creamery property below Arcata some time ago, is making preparations to build a modern bungalow on the site. The old skimming station will be torn down and a residence built in its stead. Mr. Saffell, who is a contractor and builder, came from Modesto.

AU (27 Jan. 1921) Joseph Riberio, owner of a dairy ranch through which the track of the Jacoby Creek railroad passes, has brought suit against W.J. Turner of the Humboldt Pine Company and other lessees of the railroad for \$10,000 damages which he claims has been sustained by his land by oil leakage from the railroad company's tank....

AU (3 Feb. 1921) William and Arnold Selig have re-entered the retail butcher business....The killing will be done by Frank Poole at the slaughter house on the Selig ranch near Bayside.  
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AU (22 Sept. 1921) Mrs. Chas. Grotzman and son Henry, and Gweneth Lancaster and mother arrived home Wednesday from a pleasant trip to Santa Rosa, San Francisco, Davis and Sacramento. Mrs. Grotzman and son visited with Mrs. Antone Lyons and son at Davis, during the fair week at Sacramento, making the trip back and forth every day. They also visited with their cousin Clarence Anwick at Sacramento...head bookkeeper for Carl Hansen who has a fine creamery....

AU (12 Jan. 1922) Obit. Phoebe Henry, widow of Francis Henry; born 1841 in New Brunswick; married 1856; left New Brunswick in 1873, three years in Minnesota; then came to Humboldt County; nine children, six of whom survive.

HT (11 Feb. 1922) AT a meeting of the Bayside Farm Center held last night, it was decided to give a dance to be held in the Bayside hall this evening for the purpose of raising funds for the improvement of the hall. Septic tank construction was discussed and a project to build a septic tank for the Bayside school was adopted....

FE (28 April 1922) The Humboldt Fish and Game Association has received 200,000 Quinnat salmon from the Fort Seward hatchery which will be released for anglers in Freshwater, Salmon Creek, Jacoby Creek, Elk River and Ryans Slough.

AU (18 May 1922) Prize Steelhead Taken on Fly in Jacoby Creek--Geo. Unsoeld of A. Brizard, Inc., caused some surprise among our local anglers by taking far up Jacoby Creek on Sunday a fine steelhead, measuring 29 inches in length and weighing 6 3/4 pounds [?]. The lure used was a No.12 red ant and the fish put up a game fight before the angler landed him. The fish had a brilliant marking along the sides which caused some discussion as to the classification. If there is any doubt about a steelhead just insert a finger in the fish's mouth and there will be found a double row of teeth running down the central bone or vomer in the upper jaw. A trout has no teeth on the front part of the vomer, which fact alone is enough to bear in mind in the identification of this gamiest of fish. Mr. Unsoeld is justly proud of his catch and should be as the specimen is the largest fish taken from Jacoby Creek on a fly for a good many years.

HS (12 June 1922) Septic Tank Construction is Witnessed by Bayside residents—photos; 1903 school getting septic tank; project of the Farm Bureau.

AU (20 July 1922) [P. Hof buys three acres from H.G. Guthridge, building house with three rooms, plus pantry and bath, screened porch.]

AU (22 Feb. 1923) Bayside Budget, by Allen Otto. The railroad track up Jacoby Creek will soon be a thing of the past. For the past several days a crew has been working on its removal.

AU (8 March 1923) Bayside Budget--Several carloads of railroad steel have been removed from the Jacoby Creek track during the past few days.

AU (29 March 1923) Bayside Budget--The railroad line along Jacoby Creek is now a thing of the past. ON last Saturday the last of the rails were torn up and the right of way forfeited. A Carlotta lumbering concern has secured the locomotive.

AU (17 May 1923) Bayside Budget--The old cookhouse that has stood so many years on the Carson property at Bayside is being torn down by Frank Christensen.

AU (5 July 1923) Bayside Budget--Some very fine specimens of cutthroat trout were recently taken from Washington Creek and were on exhibition in the window of Sam Well's sporting goods store in Eureka.

BLA (28 July 1923) A New Tie Camp Near Bayside--E.G. Ogle of South Fork was in this section for the purpose of completing arrangements for opening a railroad tie camp on Jacoby

Creek near the site of the old rock quarry. According to the *Union*, Mr. Ogle recently purchased 160 acres of redwood timber land in that section formerly owned by the Robert Haughey interests. Part of the claim has been logged off but it still contains a large stand of virgin redwood timber which will be felled and made into railroad ties. Some 30 men will be employed in the camp and the work will be under the management of Mr. Ogle's son, A.M. Ogle. The ties will be transported to the wagon road with a cable system and then hauled by auto trucks to the NWP RR for shipment to other parts of the county and state. The rails on the old Bayside railroad were taken up some time ago so there is no chance to ship by this means. Mr. Ogle is negotiating with the railroad company for the use of a spur track at Brainard's Point, which will necessitate a five mile haul from woods to railroad.

AU (26 July 1923) Bayside Moonshiner Pleads Guilty--Angelo Favre who was arrested last month for running a moonshine distillery at the old Jacoby Creek quarry was arraigned before Superior Court Judge Denver Sevier, pled guilty.....

AU (2 Aug. 1923) Bayside Budget--The Bayside store has just received a coat of new paint, yellow with red trimmings, the colors of the Shell Oil Company.

AU (9 Aug. 1923) Random Notes--Michael O'Riley of Bayside is milking half a dozen choice Jersey cows. He also has two acres planted with certified seed potatoes which look fine. Mr. O'Riley handles the ranch by himself and is kept busy. At the large Three C ranch leased to Joseph Riberio, a hundred and thirty cows are being cared for. Feed looks well on the ranch and the output of milk is heavy. The ranch crew is enlarged to seven men during haying time and while the extra men are on the job, milking is done by hand. As soon as the haying is over the Universal machine will be back on the job.

AU (24 Jan. 1924) Obit. William Nixon Campbell; born Pennsylvania 1832; nephew of Isaac Nixon of Arcata; came to California with him. Has lived on 7th in Arcata since 1874.

AU (27 March 1924) Obit. Mary Nellist; born Mary Ellen Clark in Wisconsin in 1848; came to San Francisco in 1853; married Joseph Nellist there in 1866; lived in Pardee place in Arcata then moved to Bayside; eight children survive [James V., Guy C., Roy, Joseph, David, Frank, Wm., Mrs. Nellie Murray], 16 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

AU (9 Oct. 1924) The Grotzman Brothers recently purchased 500 head of sheep from the A.M. Lyons and Son ranch in the Bald Hills. The young men are well known Arcata ranchers and have been associated for some time past with their father Charles Grotzman in raising cattle on the home ranch south of town.

AU (13 Nov. 1924) Obit. George S. Getchell; born 1835 in Charlotte County, New Brunswick; married Caroline Tyler in 1864; came to California in 1875; logger; son Fred Getchell; adopted daughter Laura; brother Freeman Getchell.

AU (13 Nov. 1924) Random Notes--One of Bayside's old landmarks has disappeared. The large dance hall built by David Dyer, deceased, covered too much good ground which the new

proprietor could put to better use, consequently, he pulled down the old building where many a good time was enjoyed.

AU (5 Feb. 1925) George Stephens, son of Wm. Stephens, returns after 25 years in Alaska. Left Bayside in 1899; mined but for past seven years; has been in freighting business. Long article about his experiences.

AU (26 March 1925) From Busy Bayside

AU (21 May 1925) Mrs. Morton, Pioneer, Passes—Another well-known Humboldt pioneer has departed in the person of Mrs. Mary Beith Morton, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Snider, in Eureka on Monday.

Deceased was born in Scotland in 1841 and was past 84 years old. Her father left Glasgow in 1852 in a sailing vessel, bringing with him three children around Cape Horn and arrived in Arcata the following spring, joining a son, James Beith, Jr., who had preceded him to this country. The family settled on what is still known as the Beith Ranch a short distance from Arcata. In September 1855 Mary Beith married William H. Morton and to her was born four children, Minnie E. Hall, who died in 1924, James Edwin Morton, Alice G. Pardee and Ida L. Snider. Mrs. Elizabeth K. Warren, a half sister, lives in Sonoma County, California.

She was a member of the Society of Humboldt County Pioneers and of Ramona Temple, Pythian Sisters of Eureka.

The funeral was held in Eureka Wednesday afternoon under the auspices of Pythian Sisters, Rev. R.A. Crichton officiating. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery, Arcata.

BLA (6 Feb. 1926) The Lentell Water Project

AU (20 May 1926) Obit. Albert Bayruther, age 90, came to area in 1861.

AU (1 July 1926) Marriage of Clarence Anwick and Emma Torgersen.

HT (12 Aug. 1926) Garbage Dump Meeting Held—[dump between Eureka and Arcata on A. Batini marsh alongside highway; The Bayside Civic Club at the call of their vice-president, Mrs. Albert Otto, who acted as chairman of the combined Arcata and Bayside committee yesterday, will meet tonight in the Bayside hall to hear her report and to consider what further action is to be taken.

HT (13 Aug. 1926) Arcata—A committee of six was appointed by the Bayside Civic Club at a meeting held in the Bayside hall and empowered to act for the whole Bayside community with regard to taking action to have the garbage dump removed from the Eureka-Arcata state highway marsh.

The committee is to procure the advice of a lawyer and to report to the club on his investigation of what action is possible, a meeting having been called for Monday night to hear the report.

It was also decided to send a night letter to the state highway commission asking if the commission in granting permission to have the garbage dumped on its present ground knew all the facts of the case and complaining that the garbage trucks in turning on the road near the dump sometimes held up traffic.

Mrs. Albert Otto, presided at the meeting at which there were about a hundred present, the members of the committee being George Stephens, chairman; H.J. Guthridge, Michael O'Reilly, Louis Rasmussen, William Quear and Mose McAllister.

AU (7 Oct. 1926) Bayside Hall Being Improved—Under the head of "Bayside Budget" in this issue, the Union correspondent makes reference to a neighborhood gathering held on Sunday when considerable work was done on the community hall at Bayside Corners. Since the above mentioned article was in print, another Bayside resident has kindly submitted some additional item which will be of interest.

It was noted that 65 people were present Sunday and took part in the community entertainment, and the ladies cooked and served at noon a most tasty and substantial repast and 63 people were seated at the banquet table.

An interesting incident in regard to the gathering is that two of the old time residents of Bayside, who were present Sunday and assisted with the work were Charles Monahan and John Pinkerton and the saem two were among those who helped build the hall in 1881 or 45 years ago. The hall is naturally in need of improvement and new underpinning is being put in and the building is being almost reconstructed.

Most of the labor is being donated, the money for the purchase of building materials has been raised by the Bayside Civic Club by means of socials, card parties and dances....

HT (5 April 1927) Obit George Henry of Bayside; born 14 Feb. 1862 in York County, New Brunswick; came to California with parents in May 1866; worked in woods practically all his life at Freshwater for Excelsior Co. and at Korbel for Northern Redwood Co. and Riverside; survived by widow and son Ernest; three brothers and two sisters; Hiram and John Henry of Bayside; J.W. Henry of Fieldbrook, Mrs. Geo Rice of Berkeley and Mrs. H.L. Getchell, Bayside; burial Greenwood Cemetery.

AU (19 May 1927) Baxter house burns at Bayside.

AU (26 May 1927) Mrs. Edith Stephens of Bayside has been located at Hoopa for the past month filling the position of Financial Clerk on the reservation under Superintendent Keely. Miss Stephens was formerly employed at the Golden State butter plant in Arcata and for two years with Belcher Crane Co of Eureka, having to give up her position on account of poor health. Miss Stephens is filling the position at Hoopa temporarily.

AU (2 June 1927) Walter Graham of Bayside reports that his Jersey cows, as well as all the family, greatly appreciate the DeLaval mechanical milking machine which, in the year it has been on duty, has proved its worth.

AU (28 June 1927) Walter Graham, Jr. manages the home dairy on Jacoby Creek. He sells pure raw milk from one of the best Jersey herds in the county. Mr. and Mrs. Graham and a younger son are touring through British Columbia and expect to arrive soon.

AU (18 Aug. 1927) Two automobiles plunged over a 20-foot bank on the Sandy Prairie road one mile south of Fortuna at 3:30 a.m. Sunday when the drivers failed to see that the road ended abruptly above the bank, having been washed out by Eel river last winter. Leonard Guthridge and Charles Percy, both of Bayside, drivers of the cars, sustained cuts and abrasions to their heads and were taken to the county hospital....

AU (6 Oct. 1927) Mrs. Margaret L. Getchell, a well known and esteemed resident of Bayside, died at the family home on Wednesday, Sept. 28 after an illness lasting nearly three years. Mrs. Getchell, whose maiden name was Margaret Louise Henry, was born at Freshwater on Dec. 29, 1878 and was 48 years 8 months and 29 days of age. She was married at Bayside on Dec. 12, 1900 to Harold L. Getchell who survives. Besides her husband, four children Henry D., Ruth and Raymond Getchell of Bayside and Mrs. Allen Otto of Arcata survive; also three brothers John, Hiram, and Wellington Henry of Bayside and one sister Mrs. George E. Rice of Oakland. Funeral services were held at Bayside Presbyterian Church. Interment Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Charles Fay, Milton Orr, R.J. Wilson, Elmer Baxter, Howard Getchell and William Stephens.

AU (17 Nov. 1927) Supervisors--A petition for a road 40 feet wide beginning at the south end of the present road up Jacoby Creek, in a southeasterly direction along the old logging road of the Bayside Lumber Co. to south line of N half sec 14, 3000 feet in length. Loren Peterson, George W. Harpst and County Surveyor Frank E. Kelly were appointed viewers to report at next meeting.

AU (5 April 1928) Pioneer Bayside Woodsman Passes--John Brown, a resident of Bayside for more than half a century past, died at his home on Sunday evening after an illness of six weeks.

Deceased was born in York County, New Brunswick, March 10, 1844 and was 84 years and 22 days of age. He came to California in 1872 and was married in Eureka to Margaret Henry of Bayside the same year. Mrs. Brown died in 1902. After working in the logging woods for 26 years, Brown retired and has since lived peacefully at his little home beside the highway at Bayside. Passersby will miss the pleasant-faced old gentleman with the long white beard who sat by the window daily for so many years.

He leaves an adopted son, Frank Brown, with whom he made his home and also several nieces and nephews in the east. The funeral was held from the Bayside Presbyterian Church. Interment Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were J. Noble, William Stephens, Howard Getchell, Harry Getchell, Charles Fay and R.J. Wilson.

AU (12 July 1928) Former Bayside Lady Passes Away--Mrs. Sarah Getchell, wife of Freeman L. Getchell of Eureka, died at the county seat on Monday, July 9th, after a lingering illness.

Deceased was born in Nova Scotia and was aged 75 years, one month and 11 days. The family lived at Bayside for a number of years, where Mrs. Getchell was highly esteemed and have made their home in Eureka for a number of years past. She is survived by three sons, William L. Mills

and Harry G. Mills of San Francisco, Fred G. Mills of Ferndale and a daughter Mrs. Cora Erhard of Santa Barbara. She also leaves two brothers Jack Henderson of Willow Creek and Charles Henderson of New Brunswick. Mrs. Stewart Titlow of Arcata was a niece of Mrs. Getchell. Interment Ocean View Cemetery.

AU (13 Sept. 1928) Obit. Margaret Stephens, 78, born Germany; came to U.S. in 1869; married William Stephens in Chicago in 1871; came to California in 1875; lived in Eureka for 20 years, then moved to Bayside; survivors are husband and William F. George, Anna, Gertrude, Edith, and Margaret Mohn.

AU (5 Sept. 1929) Obit. Harry L. Getchell; born Humboldt County 1876; married Margaret Henry 1901; drove Eureka-Bayside stage for 15 years.

BLA (18 Jan. 1930) The Community Hall painted inside; money raised by the Bayside Civic Club.

AU (17 April 1930) Obit. Walter Graham at Bayside.

AU (12 June 1930) Jacoby Creek Holds Graduation—Wednesday night of last week the graduation exercises of Jacoby Creek school were held at Bayside Hall [program and students listed].

AU (23 June 1930) Obit. William Stephens; born Germany 1842; came to U.S. at 8 years of age; served in Civil War; lost an eye; farmer and road overseer

BLA (30 Aug. 1930) Hoopa—The public school opened last Monday with 17 pupils. Miss Getchell of Bayside has been appointed teacher.

SBF 23:130 (18 Sept. 1930) Louis Larsen has sold his 17 acre ranch on Beith Creek, just beyond the old Premium Creamery on the road to Bayside, to J.E. Morton, Sr., \$9000.

BLA (27 Sept. 1930) Bayside—The new home of H. Guthridge is now having the tiled roof put on by the Eureka Roofing company. Peter Tracy of Arcata is building the fireplace.

BLA (4 Oct. 1930) Bayside, Sept. 29—The Improvement Club met on Wednesday to plan for a sale to be held later to raise money for the Bayside hall fund.

AU (2 April 1931) New five-room bungalow built by Wm. Shano for William McFarland on ranch at Bayside formerly leased by John Rogers.

AU (1 Jan. 1937) [marriage of Ernest Henry and Meilynn Emma Tripp; to live in Bayside]

SBF 23:269 (30 July 1937) Jacoby Creek Tract Is Opened By Barnum for Summer Home Seekers--The opening of a virgin territory for the sportsman, a paradise for the outdoor enthusiast

and a substantial, fertile tract for the summer home seeker was announced yesterday by F.B. Barnum, Inc.

The tract is a logged-off area between Jacoby Creek and Freshwater which in 1867 was obtained from President Grant with script held by the late Senator Haines of Nevada....The authority to Barnum yesterday to subdivide and sell the tract provides an opportunity for every moderate wage earner to own and maintain a convenient easily accessible summer dwelling.

In the center of the property is the 20-foot Jacoby Creek falls, abounding above in steelhead trout, below in the cherished Dolly Varden and Rainbow varieties. Wild game is frequently encountered during the hunting season. "The land, fertile and 2000 feet high, out of the fog belt, affords a splendid view of Humboldt Bay," Mr. Charles Barnum said.

"Temperatures are moderate and the property is accessible from the county highways."

Free building material will be provided persons erecting summer homes according to company plans. Stone is obtainable from an old quarry on the tract. Much timber also is available there, should a builder prefer a log cabin.

The tracts will prove ideal for local equestrians since much grass land is available in the area and countless bridle trails may be utilized....

BLA (16 July 1938) Obit Eleanor Wilson McFarland, Bayside, few days before 95<sup>th</sup> birthday; native of St. Stephens, New Brunswick; was married there to late Samuel McFarland; last of eight children; husband associated with Wm. Carson Lumber Co.

A son, William, died five years ago; daughter-in-law Bertha McFarland and nephews and nieces survive, John Milton Carson, J.H. Wilson, Eureka; Hugh and Stephen Wilson, Fieldbrook; H.E. Hill, Arcata; Clifton Wilson, New Brunswick; Mrs. W.H. Emerson, Minnesota; Mrs. Milton Smart, Vancouver, B.C.; Elizabeth Wilson, St. Stephens; Mary A. Wilson and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, Arcata; Mrs. Joseph Spinney and Mrs. David Wilson, Eureka; a great niece, Mrs. J.D. Moore, Mad River; burial Greenwood cemetery, Arcata.

AU (16 Feb. 1940) [Bayside Grange purchases property]

BLA (13 April 1940) Obit Horace W. Pinkerton, Bayside resident for many years; born Maine, age 55; wife Marietta Pinkerton; sisters Mrs. Hester Orcutt and Mrs. Edward Armstrong, Eureka; Mrs. Ernest Manuel, Siskiyou Co.; grandchildren Verda and Marion Getchell, Eureka; burial Myrtle Grove, Eureka.

AU (19 July 1940) Obit Charles Grotzman, 80.

AU (19 July 1940) Bayside Grange will confer the first and second degrees on a large class of candidates tonight. At the last meeting it was reported that the clearing of the building site is progressing with the members of the Grange meeting evenings and on Sundays to work on the project.

BLA (20 July 1940) Obit Charles Grotzman, 80, died at home on Old Arcata Road, native of Germany, lived here 60 years, farmer, wife Lena, sons Henry and William Grotzman of Bayside, daughter Mrs. Violet Abrahamson of Eureka.

AU (26 July 1940) Members of the Bayside Grange are meeting at the Grange hall Sundays to work on the building site which is rapidly being cleared and will soon be ready for the building, which the building committee hopes to have under construction shortly. Members of the Bayside Home Economics Club serve hot luncheons to the groups of workers every Sunday.

AU (2 Aug. 1940) Bayside Grange Meets Tonight--....Work is progressing on the Grange building site. Groups of members are meeting evenings and Sundays to clear and fence the lot. Discussion of the building will come up at the Friday meeting and all members are urged to attend.

AU (16 Aug. 1940) Bo-Peep. Bayside Progress--The latest sign of progress in Bayside is the new roof which is being put on the Bayside school. The other sign of progress is the new grange hall which is slowly but surely getting under way under the very capable supervision of Mr. Dewey Dolf. Each Sunday all the men work together, clearing, driving stakes and putting in the piers. Inside the old hall the women slave over the hot stove, getting goodies ready for the gents. [Monica Hadley said Bo-Peep was ? Miller]

AU (6 Sept. 1940) Bo-Peep. Bayside Grows--This week a new home was started by Mr. "Standard Oil" Peterson of Arcata. Mr. Peterson bought the corner lot on the road leading to the golf course and his home is already under construction.

AU (6 Sept. 1940) Bo-Peep. Bayside Fun--An open-air dance is really and truly going to take place on the newly erected floor of the new Bayside Grange-to-be. The dance will occur on September 145h, weather permitting. There will be a huge bonfire and there will also be a hot chicken supper. Boy!

AU (20 Sept. 1940) Bo-Peep. Bayside Dances. Last Saturday night a record crowd of people gathered in Bayside to dance on the new Grange floor in the open air. The party, very obviously, was a tremendous success. As one approached the pavilion, gaily strung with colored lights, it looked like a top-of-the-season summer resort dance. Most of the crowd danced, while others gathered on benches around a huge bonfire.

The music was very good and we never saw anybody get such two-fisted pleasure out of ripping up and down the ivories as did piano-player, Mrs. Atlant Dolson. Rollow Guthridge, with his shirt collar up about his neck, in true Byronic fashion and with eyes squeezed shut, dragged every possible bit of swing from his trumpet. As far as our wee groupie (ugh) could see, fashion favorites of the evening were Mrs. Audrey Lynn in a very good looking light sports coat over a darker dress and hair smoothly streamlined and Mrs. Hal Guthridge, Jr. with a bright red coat over a black dress with a very smart collar and her blonde hair making a surefire contrast.

We can't mention everyone who was there because there were so many, not just from Bayside, but all over....The high spot of the evening was the hot chicken supper. Oh my, but we still would like to wring the neck of the young boy who piled THREE plates of chicken in front of himself and left the rest of us to yearn futilely. I guess that's all.

AU (13 Dec. 1940) ....Work is progressing rapidly on the new Grange hall with a large crew of men working every Sunday. The framework of the main building is about completed and work has started on the wall and roof.

AU (14 Feb. 1941) ....Dewey Dolf announced that the work on the new hall was coming along very nicely and Rollo Guthridge announced that March 1 had been set as the date for the first dance in the new hall....

AU (28 Feb. 1941) Alliance News by Merlyn Allen. Opening Dance--A grand opening dance will be held tomorrow night in the new Bayside Grange hall at Bayside. A hot chicken supper will be served at midnight by the ladies of the Home Economics Club. The proceeds from the dance and the supper will go into the building fund for completion of the new hall....

Work on Hall--Last Sunday many Bayside Grange members worked on the new hall and others helped with the furniture that was moved from Eureka to the new hall. Windows and doors were put in place, a store room sealed up and work on the floor are some of the things the crew did getting the hall in readiness for the dance.

AU (7 March 1941) Bayside News--Bayside Grange's opening dance last Saturday night turned out to be a decided success. It is estimated that nearly 500 people attended the dance during the evening. The chicken supper served by the Home Economics Club of the Grange was enjoyed by nearly 300 of the people attending the dance

AU (4 March 1941) Bayside News--.... Grange Convenes. Bayside Grange met last Friday night at the Bayside hall with Master Louis Pontoni presiding. The group decided after some discussion to instruct the building committee to go ahead with the building of the kitchen and dining room....

HT (16 Aug. 1940) Work Proceeds on New Grange Hall at Bayside

HT (21 June 1941) New Bayside Grange Hall Dedicated; State Officers Present at Impressive Services.

AU (4 July 1941) Percy M. Getchell, 57, Died Suddenly.

HT (24 Sept. 1941) Bayside Grange Will Hold Dance in New Building—A harvest dance will be held Saturday night Oct. 18 in the new Bayside Grange hall, it was announced yesterday. Although not yet completed, the new \$6,000 structure is sufficiently finished to be used.

The large hall will be elaborately decorated for the dance, special prizes including a turkey...Fasello's orchestra will play from 9 to 3 o'clock....Conveniently located at Bayside Corner, center of a delightful community, the main hall is 40x96 feet. Built of redwood, the structure has a pleasing rustic exterior. When completed the interior will be paneled in knotty pine, according to plans. The structure has been built by volunteer labor through the fine cooperation of grange members and friends....

BLA (21 Feb. 1942) Obit Rollin James Wilson, age 84; died at Bayside home; born Pennsylvania; came to California 1905; associated with Bayside Lumber Co. in Eureka; later managed the company's store at Bayside and bought the store after the company cased lumber operations; also operated small dairy. In 1909 married Evelyn Noble; wife died in 1938; children Rollin N., Mary Catherine, Isabel Wilson, Bayside; Mrs. Helen Frazee, Louisville, Kentucky; six brothers and sisters in Pennsylvania and brother in Oakland; burial Greenwood cemetery, Arcata. AU (18 Feb. 1942)

BLA (21 March 1942) Obit Hiram Henry, age 84, born Magundy, York County, New Brunswick; came to Bayside in 1917; brothers and sisters Wellington Henry, Arcata; John Henry, Alhambra; Mrs. George Rice; Berkeley; nephews and nieces, Ernest Henry, Bayside; Frank Henry, Eureka; Raymond Getchell, Marshfield; Henry Getchell, Bayside; Mrs. Charles Monahan, Arcata; Clarice Otto, Klamath Falls, Oregon; Ruth Jamison, San Francisco; two cousins Ralph and Ellsworth Davis, Arcata; burial Greenwood cemetery, Arcata.

AU (2 July 1943) To show their appreciation to the many members and friends who so willingly purchased "Goodwill Bonds," Bayside Grange gave a bond burning party in their hall recently. The purchase of these bonds enabled Bayside Grange to start construction on their hall which is considered one of the finest Grange halls in this locality. [more on program, etc.]

Refreshments of creamed chicken, hot rolls, cake and ice cream were served in the dining room which was gaily decorated for the occasion.

BLA (25 Dec. 1943) Obit James Wellington (Billy) Henry, age 79, born New Brunswick; came to Humboldt County in 1876 with parents [more]

AU (31 March 1944) Jacoby Water Project Important to Future Development of Arcata.

AU (14 April 1944) Purchase of J.N. Lentell Water Site Property is Favored by Arcata Voters.

AU (14 July 1944) City Council....Discussion Held on Jacoby Water Site--Discussion was given to the Jacoby Creek water project and J.N. Lentell property which is under option to the City of Arcata. The option expires July 31.

It was brought out that a number of people hold water rights along the creek below the proposed dam and reservoir site. Some of the rights held are for more water than there is in the lower stretch of the creek.

Superintendent Warren H. Moulton of the water department indicated in his report that the flow is larger upstream and would make it appear that there is part of the flow going underground as it reaches the low lands....

AU (4 Aug. 1944) Plans Started for Jacoby Creek Water Project

BLA (14 Oct. 1944) Bayside store and post office at the junction of the Old Arcata highway and the former quarry road have been removed to the property formerly owned by Charles Monahan, Sr., about a quarter of a mile beyond the old location on the highway. Mrs. Alvin Warren has

been postmaster at Bayside for the past twenty years. The new change is the first in more than fifty years.

HT (13 Oct. 1944) Removal of the Bayside post office and store from the junction of the Old Arcata highway and the former quarry road has been announced by the postmaster, Mrs. Alvin Warren. Both are now established on the property formerly owned by Charles Monahan, Sr., about a quarter of a mile beyond the previous location on the highway. Mrs. Warren has been postmaster at Bayside for the past 20 years. The new change in location is the first in more than 50 years.

AU (20 Oct. 1944) Bayside Store In New Location--The Bayside store and post office have moved to a new location near the Bayside school, the proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Warren having recently purchased the home of the late Charles Monahan, Sr., which has been remodeled for a home and a new addition added for the store and post office.

The old location at the forks of the Bayside and Quarry roads has housed the business for nearly 70 years and this is the first time the building has been vacant. Mr. and Mrs. Warren purchased the business from Supervisor Fred Anderson twenty years ago and Mrs. Warren has been post mistress for twenty years.

BLA (13 Jan. 1945) Obit Charles Sacchi, age 77, pioneer dairy rancher, born Switzerland

AU (2 Feb. 1945) William Grotzman Kills Housekeeper; Then Shoots Self [wife Doris, daughter Ethel, both of Palo Alto, son Charles, Mother Lena]

BLA (13 April 1946) Bayside Road To Be Improved

BLA (21 Sept. 1946) Bayside Church Scene of Wedding--The first wedding to be solemnized in the Bayside Community Church in the 40 years since it has been established took place Sunday afternoon when Marion L. Guthridge of Bayside and Bernard Edward Cook of Eureka exchanged marriage vows as Rev. William T. Kennedy, Arcata Presbyterian clergyman, conducted the ceremony.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthridge of Bayside, the new Mrs. Cook is a graduate of Arcata High School, attended Humboldt State College, and is employed in the Harvey M. Harper agency office. Cook attended school in New Orleans and served in the Navy, having been stationed for a time at the naval airport at McKinleyville. The couple will live in Eureka where the groom is employed as an accountant.

AU (4 April 1947) Florence Getchell to marry Donald Kring on June 15.

BLA (12 April 1947) Engagement of Florence Getchell and Don Kring.

BLA (24 May 1947) Flames which originated near a gasoline electric generator ravaged a lumber mill at Bayside owned by Charles Symes of Eureka...

AU (29 June 1947) Florence Getchell and Donald Kring Wed in Church Rites.

AU (11 May 1956) [photo and story on Bayside Church addition dedication]

AU (27 Oct. 1967) Pioneer Bayside Woman Observes 93rd Birthday [Mrs. John C. Monroe]

T-S (15 May 1999) Obit Rollin Noble Wilson