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The policy of the Coos Bay Times will be Republican in politics, with the independence of which President Roosevelt is the leading exponent.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET

For President, WILLIAM H. TAFT. Of Ohio For Vice President, JAMES S. SHERMAN. Of New York. Presidential Electors, J. D. Lee, of Multnomah county. F. J. Miller, of Linn County. A. C. Marsters, of Douglas county. R. R. Butler, of Gilliam county.

PROPAGATION OF THE PACIFIC COAST SALMON

Last year was one of general disappointment for the Pacific coast salmon packers. In nearly every cannery district the pack decreased from 25 to 50 per cent in comparison with the packs of the preceding season.

As a compensation feature, however, there is the fact that while probably 30,000,000 salmon were required for the poor pack the canneries did produce, yet in the spring of that same year over 500,000,000 salmon were liberated in the various streams of the coast by the combined efforts of the government and private hatcheries.

Half a billion salmon fry may not sound large to the lay reader who knows of a recent slump in Wall Street stocks; but it sounds tremendous to the salmon packers, who know that if there had been one-tenth of that number of full-grown salmon available for packing purposes during the 1907 season the salmon pack would have been as large as ever.

This means that four years from 1906, in 1910, there will return to the various rivers of the Pacific coast, and be available almost entirely for packing purposes, 250,000,000 salmon weighing ten pounds each, or an aggregate bulk of salmon weighing 2,500,000,000 pounds—a supply of fish sufficient to allow every man, woman and child in the United States during the following year a quota of over 30 pounds of salmon, or quite enough fish to feed the entire nation for cover a month, if no other food supplies were available.

AT THE THEATRE.

Tonight at I. O. O. F. Hall, the Margaret Hea Company will play the celebrated comedy-drama "The Great Strike," a piece that tells about the labor question. It is a bill that is full of comedy and is a beautiful story. If you miss this you miss a good show. Remember tonight and Saturday night. Reserved seats on sale at Lockhart & Parsons' Drug Store.

Steamer BREAKWATER sails from Coos Bay for Portland SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, at 10 A. M.

LEE EDWARDS invites all his old friends to call at O. K. Barber shop.

WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING. The purposes of the Almighty are perfect and must prevail, tho we erring mortals may fail to accurately perceive them in advance.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN. Be Calm. Time enough to get excited Later in the year. Let the campaign go to Guinea Till the end is near.

Calm yourself; be even tempered For a week or two, For it is, no odds who's winner, All the same to you.

If a candidate is running, Why not let him run? Exercise may be his hobby; He may call it fun. Do not go to his assistance Though for help he cries. Sit around, enjoy yourself, If you would be wise.

Nothing in it when the climate Fits a palm leaf fan— Pulling chestnuts from the griddle For another man. You have not, my masters, any Written guarantee He'll recall you if elected. He should chance to be.

Somewhat later in the season You might take a peep At the candidates in waiting. For the list will keep. For the present let the others Worry o'er the scrap, Get worked up and all excited While you take a nap.

Try these—a kind thought, a kind word, a kind deed. Every girl thinks that all parents should give their daughters grand weddings.

When a man is sober he knows he has no sense, but when he is drunk he forgets it. A man's occupation as a rule is as uninteresting as washing dishes, sweeping rooms and making beds.

A shareholder is a man who spends the money; the promoter is the man who gets it, and the original owner of the idea is the man who holds the sack.

LADIES OF THE BAPTIST church will have a COOKED FOOD sale at Stutsman's office, Saturday. Steamer BREAKWATER sails from Coos Bay for Portland SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, at 10 A. M.

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For Address Good for one vote filled out and sent to The Times office by mail or otherwise on or before expiration date. No ballot will be altered in any way, or transferred after being received by The Times.

TATTLE OF THE TOWN

COOS BAY TIDES. The following tables give the hours of high and low tides for every day this week:

Table with columns: HIGH WATER, Date, A. M., P. M., ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m.

Table with columns: LOW WATER, Date, A. M., P. M., ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m. ft. h. m.

WEATHER FORECAST. (By Associated Press.) WESTERN OREGON.

Fair tonight and Saturday. Cooler with light frost tonight.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending 5 p. m., Oct. 8, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer. Maximum 68 Minimum 46 At 5 p. m. 54 Precipitation none Wind, Southwest; cloudy.

Dance Tonight.—The Assembly Club will give its first ball this evening at the Knights of Finland hall.

Build New Homes.—E. F. LeMieux and his partner in the painting and decorating business, Mr. Monteith, have built two fine homes in Ferndale this summer.

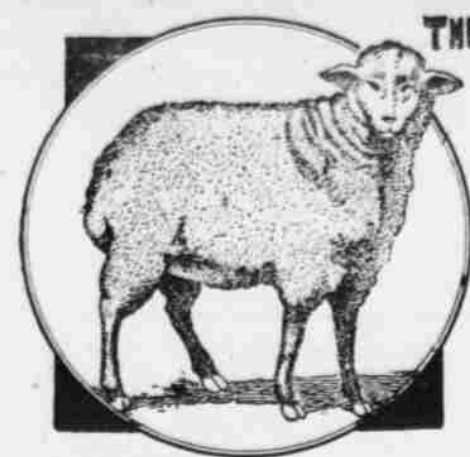
Reception For New Pastor.—The congregation of the First Baptist church will unite in a reception in honor of the arrival of the Rev. Cleveger and family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Mills this evening. Rev. Cleveger is the new pastor of the Baptist church and he and his wife arrived on the Breakwater today.

Buy Interest In Firm.—Isaac R. Tower has purchased an interest with his brother in "The Gunnery" and will be actively identified with the sporting goods house from now on. It is their intention to enlarge the stock and business. The gas engine business which I. R. Tower has worked up, will be conducted along with "The Gunnery."

Criticise Bridge.—Some of the 'C' street property owners have been criticising the work of Contractor John Backman on the new 'C' street bridge. They have taken the matter up with City Engineer Sandberg who has warned the contractor that the work must be up to specifications or that it will not be accepted when completed unless the changes are made.

Had Narrow Escape.—While coming up from Bandon, the Enterprise's engine went down and had to be taken in tow by the Osprey, R. D. Hume's other new boat. While being towed in across the bar, the line broke and the Enterprise was almost carried over onto Guano rock. Those on board had secured life-preservers, but the incoming tide carried the boat past the danger. R. D. Hume was on the Osprey and witnessed the ordeal.

Likes Coos Bay.—Prentiss Gray, one of the owners of the steamship Alliance, who with his wife arrived from San Francisco yesterday for a few days stay here, expressed himself last evening as delighted with the improvements in Marshfield since his last visit about five years ago. He has always been an earnest admirer of Coos Bay and a believer in its possibilities, but the development that has been made was a revelation to him. Today he and Mrs. Gray and Agent H. W. Skinner went over to the Coquille Valley to look over that section.



J. L. BOWMAN, Prop.



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