

# MAIL TANGLE IS BAD ONE

### No Sunday Service Provided For Coos Bay—Arouses Protest.

The change in Coos Bay's mail service is arousing a storm of criticism here, and steps will probably be taken soon to get relief from what is feared will be the worst service that the Bay has had in years. As yet, no definite statement has been received here as to the government plans, and it looks as though the Postoffice Department was going to let "a hit or miss" mail service prevail.

Today, it was learned that it was likely that Coos Bay would not have any Sunday service. At any rate, the local railway has not been instructed to provide Sunday train service which will be necessary to transport the mail between here and Myrtle Point.

The local railway owing to its old contract for handling the local mail between here and the Coquille Valley does not receive any additional pay for the additional service it is required to give in handling the outside mail. Since the outside mail has been added, the railway has to provide additional drayage service to carry the mails between the postoffices and the trains which cost almost as much as the company gets for handling the mail.

Besides this, the mail has been getting into Myrtle Point late and nearly every day the train has to wait for it. Agent Miller stated today that the train could not be held long and when the roads get real bad, it is likely that there will be many days during the winter when Coos Bay won't receive any mail.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will probably be called within a few days to take the matter up with the postoffice department.

### ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The Washalore has finished taking on her cargo at North Bend and sailed for San Francisco.

All of the boats in the lower Bay which had been delayed by the rough weather outside crossed out yesterday.

The Chehalls was sent to Grays Harbor this week. She originally sailed for Coos Bay but her destination was changed and word was sent out to her by the tug Columbia when she arrived off the bar here.

### NOTICE.

I have taken up two-year-old red heifer. Unless owner claims animal within five days, I will sell same under city pound ordinance.

A. G. AIKEN,

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| (Tokays)    | Green Tomatoes |
| (White)     | Green Corn     |
| Bananas     | Carrots        |
| Oranges     | Parsnips       |
| Lemons      | Beets          |
| Apples      | Turnips        |
| Pears       | Sweet Potatoes |
| Quinces     | Cucumbers      |
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| Walnuts     | Green Peppers  |
| Almonds     | Red Peppers    |

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## Personal Notes

STEVE LAPP is here from Coquille for a few days' visit.

WM. McNEIL of Ten Mile, is a Marshfield business visitor.

BENNETT SWANTON will leave tomorrow for Portland on business.

C. E. HOLLOPETER of Bandon, is in the city en route to Portland on business.

TOM JAMES and family left this morning for Ten Mile where they will spend a few days.

E. W. KAMMERER will leave tomorrow for Portland and other northern points on business.

MISS HELEN SIMPSON will leave tomorrow for Portland where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

C. C. GOING is having a residence erected just east of the intersection of Eleventh street and Central avenue.

EGAN AHLQUIST, who has been in Portland for the past few months, arrived here today and will remain on the Bay.

JOHN MICHELBRINK of Allegany, was in town this week securing lumber for a house he will erect on his place near there.

MISS SIGNA LARSON, who has spent the past year in Portland, arrived here today. Her folks reside in Bunker Hill.

WARREN LITTLEFIELD and wife and Miss Teresa Manciet arrived here from Portland today. They are en route to Bandon.

THOS VIGARS, formerly engaged in the real estate business in North Bend, arrived here from Portland today to look after business on the Bay.

MRS. HARVEY, who has been visiting at the home of her son, Tom Harvey, will leave on the Breakwater for her home in Grants Pass.

J. C. MANN, familiarly known as "Dad," has resigned as night clerk at the Blanco hotel and will leave the Bay soon. Frank Lang succeeds him.

MR and MRS. H. W. GREEN and family who recently came from Seattle, have located a home in West Marshfield, and are going to spend the winter here.

O. W. BRIGGS was taken suddenly ill at his home on South Broadway last evening. He is suffering from a severe attack of stomach trouble and may be taken to the hospital today.

REV. G. LeROY HALL of Medford, arrived here on the Breakwater today and will occupy the pulpit of the Marshfield Baptist church at the Sunday morning and evening services.

ED. SMITH, who has been engineer at the Prosper Mill Company's logging camp on the Coquille, is spending a few days here before taking a new position in the camp at Smith's Basin.

WM. WINSOR of Gold Beach, who has been in Portland and other points for a few weeks, arrived here on the Breakwater today. He will visit with his son, C. S. Winsor, at North Bend for a few days before proceeding home.

SUPERINTENDENT T. C. RUSSELL of the Beaver Hill mines, was in Marshfield on business yesterday. He now has one of the largest forces at work in the mine that has ever been employed there to supply the demand for coal in the various markets.

J. B. ZIEGLER returned today from a trip to his old home near Spokane, accompanied by his children. Mr. and Mrs. Ziegler came here a short time ago to look the country over and have decided to remain here. They are occupying the McFarlane flat on South Broadway.

J. HARRIS will leave today on the Plant for his home in Jacksonville, Florida, for a visit of two months. Mr. Harris has been here for the

past seven months as a member of the United States Civil Engineers Corps that has been surveying in Coos and Curry counties principally upon the timber reserves.

A. B. DALY has returned from a business trip to Bandon. He says that the construction of the new Cody mill is being rushed as rapidly as possible and they expect to begin roofing some of the buildings within the next ten days. The mill will have a capacity of about 100,000 feet per day when completed.

WM. CANDLIN of Coquille, is in Marshfield on business. He reports that the schooner Oregon, with a cargo of bricks from San Francisco for the new First National Bank building of Coquille, came clear up the river yesterday and is unloading at the Coquille wharf.

DANIEL R. S. WALKER, the well known Oregon loan man of Roseburg, accompanied by his wife, arrived today for a stay in Marshfield. He has opened temporary quarters in I. S. Kaufman & Co.'s real estate office and expects to locate a permanent branch office on Coos Bay.

### PRIZES FOR ARTICLES.

\$5,000 To Be Given For Best Essays On Pacific Northwest.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 5. — Five thousand dollars will be given by the Portland Commercial Club in prizes for the best newspaper and magazine articles on Portland, the state, or the Pacific northwest. The offer holds good during the coming year and the one writing the best article will be rewarded with a check for \$1,000. Second best will get \$500, and a gradually diminishing scale of prizes will reward 80 writers.

The contest is open to everyone. The conditions are that the articles must be printed in a newspaper or magazine of general circulation, printed anywhere outside of the states of Oregon and Washington. Marked copy of the publication must then be sent to the Portland Commercial Club, where it will be turned over to three judges named by the governor of Oregon. The articles may be printed between the dates of November 1, 1909, and December 31, 1910.

Almost any phase of the northwest may be used as subject matter of the articles. The length and treatment is optional with the writer. The plan of the Commercial Club is not to have the northwest "boomed" in the common meaning of the term so much as it is to have the people of the country become more familiar with this portion of the United States and give expression to their views in such articles as will be acceptable to papers throughout the entire continent.

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