

ROSEBURG AND VICINITY. Rain or Snow Tonight and Sunday.

The Evening News

A live evening paper prints the news—not history. Here's where The Evening News puts it over all competitors. All news fit to print in this paper's slogan, and we "make good".

VOL. III.

ROSEBURG, DOUGLAS COUNTY, OREGON. SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1912.

No. 58

OFFER PROTEST

Taxpayers Will Oppose the Change of Bridge.

COMMITTEE VISIT COUNTY COURT

Alleged That Much Money Has Been Invested, Based Upon The Present Lines of Travel—Gives Expression.

Believing that any act on the part of the county court in the direction of removing the so-called Umpqua bridge from its present site, at the foot of Lane street, to the foot of Oak or Washington streets, will result in great injury to the business interests of the city...

would result in strong opposition. Mr. Marsters claimed that a majority of the buildings erected during the past few years were based upon present lines of travel, which if changed, would result in great injustice to the taxpayers.

"VARIETY ISLE"

Has Many Good Numbers—Singing and Dancing Excellent.

The presentation of "Variety Isle" by the Raymond Teal Comedy Company, at the Palace theatre last night was a distinct success and elicited much applause from the crowded house.

LOCAL NEWS.

W. F. Zaekerson, of Tacoma, Wash., has been here the past few days looking over the holdings of the Oregon-California Railway Company.

KILLED THE GIRL

Rev. Richeson Confesses His Guilt Today.

WANTED TO MARRY HEIRESS

Plumbing Trust Dissolved at Los Angeles—New Mexico Admitted Into Statehood—Burns Arrested.

(Special to The Evening News.) BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 6.—Rev. Richeson, the former pastor of the fashionable Immanuel Baptist church in the city of Cambridge, confessed his guilt today as to having murdered his sweetheart, Avis Linnell.

LOCAL NEWS.

E. M. Morgan, of Dixonville, was in the city today. William Kent, of Dillard, was a business visitor in the city today.

Levens, who is ill of appendicitis at the local hospital.

F. L. Verrell and W. E. Carl, both of Edenhower, paid the News office a business visit today.

Papers of final settlement were filed in the probate court today in the estate of Edward Clark, deceased.

O. D. Grant, a member of the Portland Fire Department, and for many years a resident of Drain, is spending a few days in Roseburg visiting with friends.

I. R. Smith, manager of the local telephone exchange, spent the day at Sutherlin and Millwood attending to business matters connected with his official duties.

Harold and Willis Thomas left for their home at Elbe, Wash., this morning after two months spent in Roseburg visiting at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas.

G. W. Rutter and wife, the former a local Southern Pacific fireman, left for Portland and Albany this morning where they will spend a week or ten days visiting with friends and relatives.

Attorney O. P. Conhow and wife and Dr. E. B. Stewart, who have been spending the past few weeks in California with their daughter and wife are expected home Monday evening.

The county court this afternoon commenced the task of drawing the circuit court jury list for the present year. It is not likely that the task will be completed before late Monday.

A new desk was today installed in the sheriff's office for the convenience of the clerks in handling taxes. The desk is a beauty, and its purchase by the county court is deeply appreciated.

J. C. Brown left for Portland this afternoon where he will spend a few days visiting with friends. From there he goes to San Francisco where he has accepted a position with the Pacific Transportation Company.

The boundary board met late yesterday, but on account of the absence of the secretary, County School Superintendent Thurman Chaney, the meeting adjourned until March.

LOCAL NEWS.

John Hunter leaves for Portland tonight where he is erecting a spray manufacturing plant. He expects to remain there for several weeks, or at least, until such time as the plant is completed and in readiness for operation.

FIERCE STORM

St. Louis in Grip of Terific Blizzard.

NEW YORK PEOPLE SHIVERING

Fifty Below Zero on the North Shore of Lake Superior—More Indictments Are Returned At Los Angeles.

(Special to The Evening News.) ST. LOUIS, Jan. 6.—Four deaths and appalling suffering are a few of the results of the terrific blizzard that swept down on this city today.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Presbyterian Church. J. E. Burkhardt, pastor. Sabbath school at 10 a. m.; morning worship at 11 o'clock; young people's meeting at 6:30 p. m.; evening worship at 7:30 o'clock.

spend a few days visiting with friends.

John Spangh, the Looking Glass farmer, was a business visitor in Roseburg for a few hours today.

A few pure bred Ancona cockrels for sale from five-dollar eggs. The best I could buy. H. Jay Stone, 717 Hamilton St., phone 288-R.

You and your children are safe if you wear Dr. Lowe's glasses. They cost no more than others, and you have the benefit of his skill and more than 20 years experience.

Mrs. George L. Sheridan, of San Francisco, Cal., arrived in Roseburg last evening and will remain here about two weeks visiting with friends. Mrs. Sheridan was formerly Miss Elsie Brown, and resided in the vicinity of Glide.

Dr. Herman, eyesight specialist, will be in his office until Monday, January 15. A thorough examination of the nerves and muscles is made as well as the refractive conditions of the eyes. All glasses guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded.

After a trial lasting the greater part of the day, Walter Christie, a local striker, was this afternoon convicted in Justice Marsters' court on a charge of assault and battery.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 6.—Bearing several secret indictments the federal grand jury reported today to Judge Welborn and adjourned. Warrants were issued and placed in the hands of the United States marshal for service. It is unknown who are indicted but the action of the grand jury is the outcome of further investigation into the dynamiting charges.

NEW YORK CITY, Jan. 6.—With the entire population shivering and the mercury eight above zero the city is experiencing its coldest weather for years. Municipal shelters are overcrowded and much suffering is prevalent among the poor.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 7.—Secretary Knox and his first assistant, Huntington, and Mr. Wilson today held a lengthy conference, understood to be in reference to the reported movement to send American troops to China. It is the impression that the war department will be requested to send troops from Manila.

REBELS ARE ADVANCING. PEKIN, Jan. 7.—Terrified by the reports that the rebels are advancing on Peking 30,000 strong from Nanking, the Manchu princess has summoned Premier Yuan who reassured them saying he had dispatched that the rebel army was to menace Nanking, the rebel capital, and this would stop any advance. It is unknown whether the rebels intend to attack Peking or are merely feigning to bring the surrender of Manchu. Seven hundred are reported killed in the battle at Hankow yesterday and much fighting is expected there today.

Attorney Dexter Rice this morning filed notice of appeal to the circuit court in the case of Joseph Powala, a Southern Pacific strike-breaker, who was yesterday convicted on a charge of carrying concealed weapons contrary to law. Powala is under bond in the sum of \$250.

News Presidential Preference Ballot

Table with columns for Republican and Democratic candidates. Republican: Wm. H. TAFT, ROBT. LA FOLLETTE, THEODORE ROOSEVELT. Democratic: Wm. JENNINGS BRYAN, JUDSON HARMON, CHAMP CLARK, OSCAR UNDERWOOD, WOODROW WILSON.

The "News" in order to sound the sentiment in the county on presidential candidates offers its readers an opportunity to express their preference for the man they would like to see nominated.

Advertisement for "My Friend From Australia" comic opera at Palace Theatre. Includes details about the show and a small illustration of a man with a book.

Large advertisement for "Great Ten Days Sale" by Henry Easton. Commencing Monday, January 8, ending Thursday, Jan. 18. Everything in my store will be sold at cost. Store open evenings until 7:30. Address: 344 North Jackson Street.

Continuation of local news items from the middle column, including reports on business visitors and local events.

Continuation of local news items from the middle column, including reports on business visitors and local events.

Continuation of local news items from the middle column, including reports on business visitors and local events.