

COOS BAY BRIEFS

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DRAIN STAGE.

Drain stage leaves Marshfield at 6 a. m.; returning, arrives at 2 p. m.

HOTELS.

Blanco.—E. M. Van Patten, Fort Dodge, Ia.; A. H. Powers, city; J. E. Maginnis, Roseburg; B. M. Watson, Grants Pass; W. H. Kennedy; J. L. Geistel, Portland; A. L. Anderson, Portland; E. Galena, Portland; D. Bogart; Mrs. M. Stemmler, Myrtle Point; Mrs. W. J. Peterson, San Francisco; S. L. Towers, Seattle; S. J. Mann, Salem; E. J. Larsin, Coquille; S. B. Leighton, Portland; Charles Slocum; W. Littlefield and wife, Bandon; R. B. Symington, San Francisco; L. A. Crinkshank, Portland; A. Goldberg; J. W. Billings; Paul Meitke.
Central.—Foy Cox; J. F. Tanner; I. McDonald, San Francisco; George W. Peoples, Coquille; Lee Montgomery; O. R. Barrow, Coquille; Charles Apenz; E. Hutton; Andrew Thompson; J. E. Maginnis, Redding; J. Johnson, Snohomis, Wash.; Burt Wilson, Minneapolis.
Steam Roller Shed.—The steam roller, purchased by the city some time ago and used on the streets for a time, was introduced to its new home on Broadway yesterday. The shed recently erected for this purpose stands well into the street and is an unsightly arrangement.
Hold Adoption Ceremonies.—Degree of Pochontas, Sacajawea Council No. 9, held adoption ceremonies at its regular meeting on Monday night. After the ceremonies, refreshments were served and a general social time was enjoyed by the members.
Hold Special Meeting.—Kooos Tribe No. 33, Improved Order of Red Men, will hold a special meeting at their hall on Front street tonight. Business of importance will come before the meeting.
Fish Is Overhauled.—The gasoline boat Fish has been receiving a thorough overhauling and has been re-

Painted. The work was done on the beach at Charleston bay.
Prove Up On Claims.—Mrs. D. Cathcart and Mrs. E. A. Anderson were at Coquille yesterday to prove up to their timber claims. Mr. Cathcart, Mrs. Nellie Owens and Watt Short were present as witnesses.
W. J. Rust's Claim.—W. J. Rust visited Coquille yesterday to prove up on a timber claim. Dr. W. Haydon accompanied him and witnessed the papers.
Curious About Bridge.—Residents in the vicinity of the north bridge are wondering when the structure will again be ready for traffic. It has been torn out for several weeks and there is no indication of its being repaired.
To Build Residence.—A. H. Stutsman is preparing to build a ten-room residence in Bay Park, south of Marshfield, in the vicinity of Bunker Hill.
Go To Coos River.—Mrs. Wickman and family, of Empire, arrived in Marshfield yesterday noon on their way to Coos River, where they will camp at Enegren's Grove for a week or ten days.
Will Be Bookkeeper.—Mr. Geo. Lullig has accepted a position as bookkeeper in the employ of Davis & Schutz, wholesale dealers, of North Bend.
In the Hospital.—Mrs. Frank Rogers, of Coos River, is receiving treatment at the General Hospital.
Departs for East.—Frank Boutan, Jr., departed Sunday afternoon for Bayfield, Wis., where he will remain for a short time, and then make a tour of the States farther east.
North Bend Attorneys Here.—Attorneys Guerrey, Hollister and Derbyshire, and H. Behnke came over from North Bend yesterday on business matters.
Painting Interior.—Painters are touching up the interior of the Rogers building on Front street.
Gow Why's Warehouse.—Gow Why gave orders yesterday for a warehouse on Fourth street, 20x50. It will be used as a store room for pianos.
Hatchery Improvements.—Lumber has been ordered for improvements of the Coos River hatchery.
Ready For Excavating.—The Flanagan-Bennett bank site on the corner of A and Front streets is cleared and ready for excavating.
Central Office Upstairs.—The Central Hotel office is quartered in the second story of the old hotel building for the present, awaiting the fin-

ishing touches on the downstairs office on A street.
Plant Leaves.—The Plant left North Bend yesterday at 3 o'clock.
Begin Work On Mill.—Structural work on the C. A. Smith mill will commence today, since the last pile was driven yesterday. The beams are mostly ready for the work.
Will Build Home.—Mr. Chas. Olson received lumber at East Marshfield today and will begin immediately to build a home in that town.
New Traveling Man.—W. H. Wood, a San Francisco man who lately received the Coos Bay and Coquille assignment for his firm, is here, having arrived on the Plant.
CLAIMS COOS BAY AS HEADQUARTERS
H. E. Murray Gets In Mixup In Aberdeen While Visiting Carnival.
Aberdeen, Wash., Bulletin: H. E. Murray is the traveling representative for a magazine publication at Marshfield, Oregon, exploiting the advantages of the Coos Bay country, visited the Midway on the carnival grounds last Saturday evening. While engaged in perambulating up and down the enchanted space he was hit in the eye with a rubber ball in the hands of one M. T. Thorpe.
Murray says he held his peace for the time being, but later attempted to remonstrate with Thorpe when, he says, a whole army of fellows pitched on to him and proceeded to beat him up some. The result is that Thorpe is charged by Murray with assault and battery, and the case will probably be heard tomorrow in police court.
Thorpe and his friends assert that he was merely doing his best to preserve order and was in fact acting as peacemaker when the trouble occurred.
TO SURVEY TEN MILE RANCH LAND
T. J. Lewis will go to his ranch on Ten Mile today, accompanied by Olin Arnsperger, who will survey the forty acres owned by Mr. Lewis, and which lies on both sides of Black Creek. Mr. Lewis will arrange for lumber from the Muetzel mill for a summer bungalow while there. The building will be erected immediately. They will be absent about three days.

BREAKWATER BEATS RECORD

Arrives On Coos Bay From Portland In One Hour Less Time.

BRINGS MANY PASSENGERS

Cites Tramp Vessel Near Cascade Head In Trouble—Good Trip.

What few people who were left in town after the Coos River legira of yesterday were at the Breakwater dock last night to see the boat tie up on her second trip to Coos Bay, after having beaten her previous good record of 22 hours steaming by an hour. It seemed the whole city was out to welcome the boat and meet friends they were expecting. The crowd which stood about was brimming over with good nature, and several wags got busy as the passengers came off the ship. Among the quips were: "The only seven-story brick hotel in the city," "Free bus to the Blanco," "Trains every half hour to Plat B." "Beware of microbes."
The Breakwater left Portland Monday night at 8:10, and tied at her Marshfield dock last night at 9:30, 25 hours and 20 minutes out. The time from Portland to Astoria was considered something of a record, it being made in 6 hours and 40 minutes.
There was a smooth sea and clear weather on the trip, and the only delays were at Astoria for loading freight and at sea about ten miles west southwest of Cascade Head, where the Henrik Ibsen, of Bergen, a tramp ship, was sighted and found to be in trouble. She was spoken and it was learned the difficulty was only a hot bearing, and she had that cooled in about an hour and proceeded on her way.
The officers and crew were as highly pleased over this trip as they were over the maiden effort, and the

chief engineer said the machinery worked even better than before.
The people of Coos Bay are coming to appreciate the fact that this section is now receiving good transportation service, the best in the history of the country. When, without railroads, passengers can reach here from Portland in 24 hours, people will not miss the coming of the Breakwater on the run. Following are the passengers:
Mrs. Larsen, Miss Larsen, H. Ormandy, W. J. Tilly, S. Marsden, J. Wilber, Mrs. T. Crewe, Mrs. E. John, J. A. Bank, C. A. Kraft, Mrs. Montgomery, George Montgomery, J. R. Malone, J. H. Bolton, G. Pitter, J. E. Baxter, Boyne (2 children), M. R. Loyne, Mrs. Boyne, Wm. Duncalfe, S. W. Shildig, Thos. Hipp, J. W. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, Miss B. Wilson, Mrs. Wilson, H. D. Groken, Mrs. Groken, Miss Martin, O. E. Woods, A. Laing, Thos. Noble, A. Smith, Miss Hashbarger, Mrs. Dole, A. A. Penland, Mrs. Penland, Mrs. Ingram, Mr. Ingram, Miss Miller, Mrs. Mautzey, S. Gabrielle, A. H. Allen, Mrs. Osteger, John Hill, W. C. Walling, R. Gibson, W. Tenpew, R. Lind, W. F. Grennon, E. L. Pelles, Gus Waderson, G. Doll, L. H. Gadsby, C. A. Caudiff, H. D. Larske, E. Aislog, J. Nels, Mrs. Nels, H. Nels and Otto Nels, H. C. Burnett, C. R. Everson, and 20 steerage.
HOTEL BONDS ARE AWAITING PURCHASERS
Marshfield Hotel Proposition Will Be Held Up Until They Are Taken.
There are yet \$12,000 worth of seven per cent first mortgage bonds awaiting purchasers at the Chamber of Commerce headquarters, and until these are disposed of the hotel proposition in Marshfield will be held up. It was thought the bonds would be purchased immediately after the announcement was made that Mr. Gibson intended to go ahead with the building of the hotel. As the different parties interested in the venture have put up a liberal share they do not feel inclined to go any farther until Marshfield people show their faith by taking the remaining portion of the bonds.
Dan Keating returned from the Coquille country yesterday.

Some Pertinent Facts About Coos Bay
As Set Forth On the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce Letter Head
The Chamber of Commerce has new letterheads which are calculated to prove advantageous to this community. A few salient items of interest are related on the sheet and the officers of the institution are named, the matter reading as follows:
Coos Bay is the only harbor in the United States that has its own coal mines.
Tributary to Coos Bay are immense bodies of the finest timber left standing in the United States.
Coos Bay has the most equable climate known to the temperate zone.
Coos Bay is an ideal dairy country—a veritable cow heaven.
Grass grows green the year round, and stock keeps in good order without feed.
Large sawmills and factories in operation, and others going up.
One railroad building; two others prospective.
Factories have the advantage of coal and wood cheap and close at hand.
Game in the mountains, fish in the streams for sportsmen; surf bathing and yachting for pleasure-seekers.
Fruit of finest varieties thrives; strawberries ripen until December; excellent opportunity for truck gardening.
Good schools, churches and fraternal societies.
No cyclones or thunder storms.
Officers.—Dr. J. T. McCormac, president; I. S. Smith, vice-president; Walter Lyon, secretary; J. H. Flanagan, treasurer.
Executive Committee.—Dr. C. W. Tower, J. D. McNeil, I. S. Kaufman, F. S. Dow, H. Sengstacken, Claude Nasburg, Dr. J. T. McCormac, I. S. Smith, J. H. Flanagan.
Dr. W. Haydon made a business trip to Coquille yesterday.

Something That Will Appeal to Your Purse if You are Contemplating the Purchase of a Talking Machine.

Table listing Edison outfits with prices: EDISON OUTFIT NO. 1 (\$15.70), EDISON OUTFIT NO. 2 (\$26.00), EDISON OUTFIT NO. 3 (\$37.00).

We carry in stock all styles of Victor and Edison Talking Machines; deliver the goods to your door, at the same prices and less than you can get the same goods for by sending away.

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