

ONLY 2 OCTOBERS FINER THAN THIS

Rain Has Fallen But Once, While Average Amount Is 3.69 Inches.

October, 1907, may go down in local history as a very peculiar month, so far as weather conditions are concerned.

There has been but one shower during the present October, and that occurred on the first day of the month.

The exceptions noted were in October, 1874, when there was but .36 of an inch of rain, and October, 1895, which showed but four traces.

That the slight rainfall of the present month is far out of the ordinary may be learned by turning back over the files of the records, which reveal the average precipitation of October to be 3.69 inches.

Records on file show that the rainy season usually begins about the middle of October.

For steaks and chops—Melrose Coffee House.

TALKS TO SPOUSE BY COURT ORDER

Chicago Man Prepares Speech Which Spouse Does Not Appreciate.

Chicago, Oct. 25.—Adolph Fielder, who was ordered by Judge Cleland to talk to his wife for half an hour each day, or appear in the courts and converse with her three hours has submitted to the thirty minute part of the order.

You can get waited on quick at the Melrose Coffee House.

VALE OIL COMPANY WORKING IN SECRET

Has High Board Fence Around Its Tanks and Signs "Keep Out."

Vale, Or., Oct. 25.—A large and well equipped company is boring for oil near town, and there is a growing fever of excitement on account of the increasing evidence of a probable successful result.

A few suits for men and boys at cost at Prentiss & Co's.

Four dollars for the first hour and reduced rates for a longer time. See Mr. Andrews at the Coos Bay Transportation office.

Chicken dinner? Alright, Melrose Coffee House Sunday.

If you want something real fine in the meat line don't overlook the Sanitary Meat Market. Phone 1001.

See A. H. Eddy's ad in business directory.

A. H. Eddy for plans and specifications of your new home.

BANDON NOTES.

Bandon, Oct. 25. F. B. Waite, of Coos Bay, was a visitor in Bandon yesterday.

S. B. Simmons, of Coquille, has been in town for several days on business. He left via steamer Liberty this morning.

The rapid transportation afforded by the launch Eagle is commanding a large patronage between here and the county seat.

The Elizabeth left for Frisco today with a full list of passengers and 300,000 feet of lumber and a mixed shipment of canned salmon and manufactured woollen goods.

The Bandon Pulp and Paper Mills Co. have a representative in the East purchasing machinery for the mill.

Plans are being prepared and the foundation work will commence on the first of January, 1908. This institution with a capitalization of \$200,000, promoted and controlled by local men will be a big addition to our industries.

Mrs. Owens, of St. Louis, who has been visiting with relatives in Coquille, was one of the number of passengers who left on the last Elizabeth.

Aitty. G. T. Treadgold left this morning for Coquille on business connected with the county seat.

Albert Harman, charged with maliciously cutting a seine in the Coquille river, was discharged yesterday by Justice of the Peace Geo. P. Topping, who decided there was no wantonness nor malice shown.

Mrs. J. M. Upton, of Marshfield, is visiting with Capt. White's family. Little Thomas is reported considerably better.

A new shingle mill is being erected on the Parker place below Parkersburg. Warren Parker and J. E. Young, Bandon business men, have formed a partnership for the purpose and they already have their machinery enroute from Portland.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DISCUSSED HIGH SCHOOL

The chamber of commerce met last evening and considered several matters of importance, but owing to the absence of the chairmen of the committees it was decided to dispose of only the most pressing business. The proposition to extend Front street across several unplatted tracts so as to connect at Plat B, and Porter with the city streets of North Bend was considered and on motion the president appointed a committee of three to confer with a committee already appointed by the North Bend chamber of commerce, as follows: Chairman Eugene O'Connell, J. W. Bennett and Henry Sengstacken.

Considerable discussion also occurred in regard to the four years high school on which the people will vote on the 31st inst. The consensus of opinion was that a four years high school was necessary to maintain the credit of the city and the hope was expressed that every citizen of Marshfield would vote at the election. Some talk was had in regard to organizing a committee to make special efforts to induce the voters to get out and vote so as to make the vote as large as possible.

Fresh Halibut Today. Hardshell clams, crabs and oysters, at the Empire Fish Market, on wharf back of Pioneer Grocery.

FARMERS SHOULD LEND AID FOR EXHIBIT

The committees appointed by the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of gathering the apple display for the Portland exhibit, say they are obliged to depend upon the patriotism of the farmers of Coos and Coquille rivers in order to gather such an exhibit as should be sent out. As an instance, one of the committee said yesterday that it would be impossible for the committee to go out into the highways and byways and hunt up the apples, and that this trouble could be saved if the farmers would take an immediate interest in the matter and bring one or two boxes of the very best apples they have.

When you want an automobile ride see Mr. Andrews at the old Breakwater office, A street dock. Prices from 50 cents up.

The steamer Plant arrived in yesterday from San Francisco early in the morning. She brought the usual number of passengers, and will sail on the return trip on Sunday at ten o'clock, from North Bend. Following are the passengers who came: J. Harker, Miss A. Johnson, George Hood, J. C. Greene, S. Lammels, Miss Lammels, A. E. Snyder, A. C. Browne, E. Furman, Violet Henderson, B. F. Adams, C. Anselmo, three Anselmo children, Mrs. L. M. Noble, H. Grosset, F. H. Bizet, 11 steerage.

An Argument for Education.

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ing chairs and tables, where also, should be found all the best current literature, to afford students opportunity leisurely reference work and study.

Would the cost of all this be too great for Marshfield to bear? Yes, if attempted on an extravagant scale; no, if kept within reasonable economical bounds.

Another matter that should engage the attention of the public immediately, is the enlarging of the school district to take in East Marshfield, and the Bay City Mill, and the Smith Co's. new Mills.

Three are all questions that should be discussed freely and openly. It is hoped that all, both pro and con, will turn out and express their views that none may say the matter was cut and dried.

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FOR SALE—A bargain, 16 foot gasoline boat, with one and one-half horse power engine. (Union Saloon). Charles Johnson.

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WANTED—Sisters of Bethany will do hemmed and hemmed-stitch sewing. Pres. Miss Agnes, Hutchinson.

WANTED—Timber claims. To buy timber claims. Location no objection. Address P. O. Box 142, Marshfield, Ore.

WANTED—Bids for clearing streets in Bay Park. I. S. Kaufman & Co.

FOR SALE—22-foot cabin launch. Address P. O. Box 306, No. Bend.

FOUND—Fishing skiff No. 01176. Owner can have same by calling on John Tellefson, East Marshfield.

FOR SALE—Gasoline launch, 22-ft. long, 5-ft. beam; 5 h. p. Standard engine. John Tellefson, East Marshfield.

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