### **ONLY 2 OCTOBERS** FINER THAN THIS

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

October, 1907, may go down in October, 1907, may go down in F. B. Walte, of Coos Bay, was a tunity local history as a very peculiar visitor in Bandon yesterday. He inmonth, so far as weather conditions cidentally invested in a tract of land are concerned. So far, with two ex-situated in suburban quarters.
ceptions, there has been no October S. B. Simmons, of Coquille, has er Bureau, showing such infrequency of rain. .

noon. Then the clouds cleared away and there has been no moisture

19 are shown on the records in the office of District Forecaster Beals, but they were no more than light mists and difficult to distinguish by the unfracticed eye from fog, which bas given everything a look of dampness during the past fortnight.

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, none of which came in measurable

That the right 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. The greatest downpour of any October was in 1882, when 11.63 inches of

Records on file show that the rainy season usually begins about the middle of October. on until in the spring fair days are far in the minority. However, it is often cloudy when no rain occurs, and again the precipitation is frequently in the form of mist .- Tele-

For steaks and chops-Melrose Coffee House,

## TALKS TO SPOUSE

Chicago Man Prepares Speech Which Spouce 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. But Mrs. Fielder does not approve of the man- lose of only the most pressing busiher in which he converses with her. hess. The proposition to extend She complains that her husband Front street across several unplattalks mechanically to her, and his ted tracts so as to connect at Plat B, conversation is not unlike that of a and Porter with the city streets of graphophone. She wants him to North Bend was considered and on talk to her like he used to when motion the president appointed a

According to Fielder he was a as follows: Chairman Eugene O'Confluent talker before his wife forced rell, J. W. Bennett and Henry Senghim to give up drinking. Fielder stacken. thinks there is nothing in the con-stitution that compels a man to red in regard to the four years high talk to his wife if he dosen't want school on which the people will vote to, but says: "I would rather talk on the 31st inst. The concensus of to her half an hour at home than opinion was that a four years high three hours in the presence of the school was necessary to maintain the judge, so I will obey his orders, and credit of the city and the hope was am preparing a series of conversa-tions which I am sure she will en- Marshfield would vote at the elec-

-You can get waited on quick at

### VALE OIL COMPANY

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

well equipped company is boring for oil near town, and there is a growing for the Portland exhibit, say they fever of excitement on account of are obliged to depend upon the patthe increasing evidence of a prou-riotism of the farmers of Coos and able successful result and of real Coquille rivers in order to gather or assumed fear on the part of the company that its secrets may leak out. As an instance, one of the com-

visitor in the face. interviewed by an agent of the com- the matter and bring one or two boxpany to assure him that no oil had es of the very best apples they have. yet been found, and to seek to allay the excitement being aroused by the the committee is this; few farmers activity of the oil company.

then?" was asked. 'Those," replied the representa-

company are putting their own mon-ey into the prospect at Vale and no one else can get in, is a sufficient guarantee that there is something in sight worth hiding and holding. They have been working double shifts recently.

-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, A street dock. His automobile is for hire.

-Chicken dinner? Alright. Mel-rose Coffee House Sunday.

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

-Bee A. H. Eddy's ad in business directory.

—A. H. Eddy for plans and speci-fications of your new home.

Bandon, Oct. 25.

in the past 37 years, or since the es- been in town for several days on no, if kept within reasonably ecotablishment of the Portland Weath- business. He left via steamer Liberty this morning.

The rapid transportation afforded expense would be surprisingly There has been but one shower by the launch Eagle is commanding a during the present October, and large patronage betwen here and the necessary to employ only two, or at

Co. have a representative in the East purchasing machinery for the mill. Plans are being prepared and the foundation work will commence on Since worth measuring.

Traces of rain on October 12 and the first of January, 1908. This inby local men will be a big addition to our industries. Among rectors of the concern are R. E. L. rectors of the Concern are R. E. L. Bedillion, Col. L. J. Cody, W. J. Marshall, F. J. Marshall, Col. C. T. Blumeurother, Chas. Lorenz and Bartlett F. Johnson.

Mrs. Owens, of St. Louis, who has been visiting with relatives in Co-quille, was one of the number of passengers who left on the last Eliza-

Atty. 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 Parkers-burg. Warren Parker and J. E. Young, Bandon business men, have formed a partnership for the pur-pose and they already have their machinery enroute from Portland.

-if you want those lots cleared, BY COURT ORDER just grop a card to Geo. B. Harris, the contractor, about it.

### CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DISCUSSED HIGH SCHOOL

their courtship was in progress, committee of three to confer with a twenty years ago, when he talked with his eyes as well as his lips.

According to Flatter the president appointed a committee of three to confer with a committee already appointed by the North Bend chamber of commerce, North Bend chamber of commerce, as follows: Chairman Eugene O'Con-

tion. Some talk was had in regard to organizing a committee to make -20 per cent off on embroidered special efforts to induce the voters shirt waist patterns at Prentiss & to get out and vote so as to make the vote as large as possible.

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

### WORKING IN SECRET FARMERS SHOULD LEND AID FOR EXHIBIT

The committees appointed by the Vale, Or., Oct. 25.-A large and Chamber of Commerce for the pur-The oil company has erected mittee said yesterday that it would be a high board fence around its wells and its huge tanks and everywhere the words "Keep Out" stare the trouble could be saved if the farmers The Telegram correspondent was would take an immediate interest in can send in more than one or two What are those big tanks for, boxes, and thus it is best to have the farmers volunteer to do the work and bring in the apples, for which WANTED-Young ladies to learn tive, "are for a purpose, but they are not to hold oil!"

The fact that the members of this

The sapeles are wanted not later than next week and the scoper the better. next week and the sooner the better for early arrivals will aid the committee in expediting their work. hoped to make an exhibit which will not be put in the shade by apples from any other part of Oregon, and the farmers are the ones under the circumstances, who can make the matter a success or a failure.

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

Plant in Port. 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. Groset, F. H. Bizet, 11 steerage.

An Argument for Education,

(Continued from page 1.)

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

Would the cost of all this be too great for Marshfield to bear? if attempted on an extravagant scale nomical bounds. Aside from the cost of a building and its furnishing, the For the next few years it would be that occurred on the first day of the month. It the rained 4 of an inch and people at once began to prophesy that the wet season was en in earnest. The records show that the shower started at 2 o'clock in the morning and continued at indemands, without perceptible increase in taxation.

Another matter that should engage the attention of the public immediately, is the enlarging of the school district to take in East Marshfield, stitution with a capitalization of district to take in East Marshfield, \$200,000, promoted and controlled and the Bay City Mill, and the Smith Co's, new Mills. With the starting of the free ferry this would give to these communities the advantages of the high school, while they might still retain their primary and grammar schools as at present, but all under the one supervision, and in one educational unit.

Thrse 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. Let the people come out, not a mere dozen or so, to settle these important questions. done, let Marshfield take her proper position educationally. F. H. Golden.

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FOR SALE-Household furniture. Inquire Times office, or phone 887.

telephone operating. Positions as soon as competent. Apply to Mr. Robertson at the telephone office.

WANTED-Boy to learn to be telephone operator. Position when competent. Apply to Mr. Robertson, telephone office.

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

WANTED-A competent bookkeeper to work on books a few nights each week. Address "A" care

FOR SALE-12 horse power gasoline engine for sale, cheap. Apply Coos Bay Lumber & Coal Co.,

-For Sale: Midget Cafe building and restaurant fixtures. Doing good business. Reason for seiling, sick-ness, Call on or address Midget Cafe, North Bend, Oregon.

WANTED-Party with \$2000 or more to take interest in local business enterprise. For further par-X. D. S. ticulars address

care Times office.

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

WANTED-Timber claims. To buy timber claims. Location no objec-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. Stand-ard engine. John Tellefson, East

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