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COOS BAY AND PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

The message of President Roosevelt to Congress at its opening on the 2nd of December was a strong and timely statement in the vigorous and direct style for which the president is famous, of the legislative needs of the country. The subjects which are discussed in that document which are particularly interesting at this time, are finance and the recommendations as to waterways, and these are treated frankly and without equivocation. On the subject of finance the President insists that the nation needs greater elasticity in the currency and it is his opinion that in times of stringency the banks should be permitted to issue notes for circulation which should be taxed at so high a rate as to drive these notes out of circulation as soon as their need should cease. This is practically the same recommendation made by the president a year ago. These recommendations are accompanied with some very pertinent observations on the folly of speculation and the futility of any attempt to correct the folly of individuals in this respect, by legislation.

On the subject of waterways and their improvement the president expresses a hope that the present congress will undertake the work of such improvement. He is of opinion that the Mississippi river basin is the first locality in point of importance to command the attention of congress and that the Columbia river is the next in importance. He also recognizes the fact that such improvement should not be undertaken to the exclusion of other important localities on the coast of Washington, Oregon and California, and he calls special attention to the fact that the Pacific coast is just as much a part of the United States as the Atlantic. It is probable that the President thought that the Eastern world has not grasped the fact that he asserted and that it should be remembered of its truth. The special value of this recommendation is that the present congress, acting contrary to precedent, will pass a Rivers and Harbor bill, and that Oregon will have an opportunity to have her deep sea harbor of Coos Bay included as well as the Columbia river. This is particularly interesting to Coos Bay and should suggest the propriety of having some strong representative in Washington who shall have no other work to do than merely of urging the committee and the congressional and senatorial delegates to do justice to this section.

BOUND FOR SECOND PLACE

Oregon City, the oldest except perhaps Astoria in the state, at its recent election cast 771 votes. Oregon City is supposed to have a population of some 6000 people. It is an interesting fact because of the vote of Marshfield is about the same and because Marshfield claims over 5000 population based on her vote and school census. It also shows that Marshfield is taking rank very rapidly and indicates that she will outstrip all competitors for second place among Oregon cities in a short time. Nothing can stop her.

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WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

- A good neighbor is the safest guide.—German.
- When there is no fish in one spot cast your net in another.—Chinese.
- What is the use of running when we are not on the right road?—German.

SUN KISSED HILLS OF OREGON.

Upon a foreign battle field
A dying soldier lay;
His falling breath came soft and low,
His thoughts were far away
With those he loved across the sea
And left one summer day.
The tropic moon threw shadows soft
Around him as he lay,
And his eyes closed low in death
These words I heard him say:
(Refrain.)
"Oh take me back to Oregon,
The home I love so well,
Where birds sing song and melody
The chorus sweet do swell;
And flowers are blooming bright and fair,
'Neath silvery waters spell;
Oh, take me to the sun-kissed hills
Of dear old Oregon."
Within a palace grand and fair,
A woman old and gray
Was thinking of the dear old days
That now were passed away;
And o'er her memory's vision came
A cottage plain and neat,
With honeysuckles 'round about,
And birds that sang so sweet;
And as her blue eyes lighted up
These words she did repeat:
(Refrain.)
—Perry Reigelman.

Blood will tell and so will some Coos Bay girls.

When a telephone girl breaks an engagement it is a case of ring off.

Some Marshfield men blow their own bugle when they go on a toot.

Some people in Marshfield get corns on their feet trying to toe the mark.

These are days when even a long headed financier may find himself short.

There are some men in Marshfield who never lie, but they can exaggerate wonderfully.

It would require a surgical operation to bring out the best there is in some men in Marshfield.

A Denver man has testified in court that he kissed his wife 40,000 times in two years. His other occupation is not stated.

If visitors to Coos Bay do not like our mail facilities they should not blame the city. The people who live here do not like it either.

There are some Coos Bay men who desire to own a mansion above but who want to know in advance what the tax rate is going to be.

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"Eat more candy," is the admonition given by Dr. Woods Hutchison in the Christmas edition of the Woman's Home Companion, and as the Doctor is competent authority, and is, moreover, a former Oregonian, his advice will not pass unheeded in these parts. Listen to his sweet words: "Give children plenty of sweet sugar, taffy and butterscotch and they'll have little need for cod liver oil. Sugar is, after bread and butter, our next most important and necessary food. The more sugar and sweets a man takes at a meal, the less alcohol he wants. Conversely nearly every drinking man will tell that he has lost his taste for sweet and more candy a nation consumes the less alcohol." This advice will be gratifying to many adults as well as the younger generation and the information and suggestions contain a temperance object lesson. Fortified with this opinion from an expert, the demand on the candy shops during the forthcoming holidays promises to be abnormally large.

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	Junction	
Lv. 9:45a.m.	Coquille	Lv.11:30a.m.
Ar.10:20a.m.	Myrtle Pt	Lv.10:45a.m.

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