

Tattle of the Town

Little grains of fact sifted from the chaff of gossip flying up and down the town.

Mrs. Bickford, of Daniels Creek, is ill at her home.

Thomas Nielson, a Prosper resident, is in Marshfield for a short stay.

Born—To the wife of Mr. McCarrville, of Marshfield, on Tuesday, a daughter.

James Robertson, one of Ten Mile's substantial citizens, is in the city for a day.

Born—On Wednesday, December 4th, to the wife of A. A. Nicholls, of Newport, a son.

J. A. Messer, of Coquille, arrived on the Plant after an extended visit in Los Angeles.

E. Heuchendorf, the Prosper ship-builder, came in today at noon on the Coquille passenger.

There has been no change in the sailing date of the Plant and she will leave North Bend at the morning at ten o'clock.

E. M. Wiedner and family have moved into the new residence just completed by Harry Noble, on south Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Myers, of Myrtle Point arrived on the Plant after a several months' visit at their old home in Tennessee.

George E. Peoples, of Coquille, who had been in San Francisco for some time, arrived yesterday and left on the nine o'clock train today for home.

Rev. Summerlin, of North Bend, underwent an operation at the Mercy hospital yesterday. Dr. Horsfall was the attending surgeon, and he reports the patient doing nicely.

C. P. Coleman, who owns one of the largest tillable ranches in Coos county, is in from Ten Mile on business. Mr. Coleman has 700 acres of fine land and is making money from its products.

Edgar McDaniels, proprietor of a large job printing establishment in Eugene, Oregon, is spending a few days in North Bend and Marshfield as the guest of his friend Editor Whisnant, of the Coos Bay Harbor.

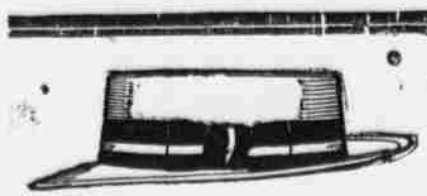
Charles Erickson, of Daniels Creek, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past three weeks, is now improving slowly and his friends hope for a speedy recovery now that a change for the better is observed.

Captain Harris, of Sumner, sent down a quantity of fire clay this morning to a local clay expert for experiment. The clay was taken from one of the coal croppings on the Captain's ranch, and is said by the man who found it to be the best grade of brick clay.

The members of the Marshfield high school are preparing for a reception to be given to the North Bend high school football team in the Marshfield school building on the evening of Saturday, December 21st. The arrangements are as yet not worked out, but the affair will be a return for that accorded to the Marshfield high school students at the close of the football season. The festivities will last from six in the evening until nine-thirty.

Marshfield will be rather dry in the way of amusements for a time, as the Crystal has closed down for the present, awaiting the arrival of new films. The Mong stock company has gone to North Bend for an engagement and will go to the Coquille country afterwards. The Masonic theatre will be opened again on the 16th when the first stock company to be sent by the Northwest Theatrical trust will be on hand to open an engagement for an extended period.

Stephen Rogers, of the steamer Coos River, says this fall and the fore part of December has shown remarkable weather for Coos River. There has never been a time since he has lived here, and that is a great many years, but the tomato vines have been killed much earlier in the season. He says these vines are still in as good shape as they were in the summer, with the exception of natural deterioration. He adds that grass and stock are in as fine shape now as in any previous season he remembers.



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Saturday is the last day of the vote on name. The total will be estimated and given in the columns of The Times and the sentiment so expressed will stand as a strong suggestion of what name is most acceptable when the selection will finally be made for submission to the voters. It is not likely that this selection will be made for some time yet as it is understood that North Bend sentiment is not favorable to consolidation. But consolidation in some form is certain to come sometime if not soon and when it does, the name of the great city will resound through the land.

The vote to date is as follows:

Empire	334
Coos Bay	92
Venice	55
Coosbay	23
Coos	23
Grand Harbor	8
Coos City	8
Imperial	4
Golden Gate	3
Coosport	3
Coosalone	2
Bayport	2
Marshfield	3
City of Sunrise	2
Koos City	2
Emmarshend	2
Strawville	2
Smithville	14

- Ballot -

Put a cross opposite the name you prefer for the consolidated city on Coos Bay. Sign your name and mail to the Times or hand it in at the business office. One blank for other names not given.

Name

Mark Here

EMPIRE	
COOS BAY	
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Voter Sign Here.

The Steamer

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