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Personal Notes.

GEORGE TAYLOR, of Coquille, was a pleasant visitor to friends in this city yesterday.

W. H. NORVAL, of Riverton, arrived on the noon train for a visit in Marshfield.

H. W. ORMANTY, of Portland, arrived on the Drain stage from the Rose City this morning.

C. C. TAGGART, of Beaver Hill, arrived in the city on the noon train on a business trip.

JAMES DUNCAN, of North Bend, will leave on the Alliance for a few weeks in Portland on a business trip.

W. E. M'CORD, of Portland, is a visitor to friends in the city, having come in this morning on the Drain stage.

J. O. STEMLER, of Myrtle Point, is a pleasant visitor to friends in the city today, having arrived on the noon train.

LOCAL MANAGER RAYMOND, of the German-American Hospital Association, was a business visitor in North Bend yesterday.

H. W. WELCH, of Detroit, Michigan, who has been visiting Coquille and other points in the county, arrived in the city on the noon train.

THOMAS BRADLEY, of San Francisco, who has been looking after business in the Coquille valley, has returned to Marshfield for a short visit.

GUS ADELSPERGER and Louis McMullen, of Bandon, are spending a few days in the city visiting friends. They are guests at the Blanco hotel.

THREE NAMES FOR FRUIT INSPECTORSHIP

No Lack of Material for the New Office to be Created in Coos County.

The Coquille Valley Fruit Growers' Association will meet at Myrtle Point the first Wednesday in February. It is expected that the state fruit inspector will be in attendance at that time and will make his appointment of an inspector, for which office there are three candidates. Geo. M. Moulton of this city is the choice of the Coquille valley fruit growers; Jess Smith of the Coos bay fruit growers, and M. G. Pohl is an independent candidate. — Coquille Sentinel.

COMMUTATION TICKETS

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Tattle of the Town

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

W. C. T. U. Meets.—The W. C. T. U. of East Marshfield met at the school house at 2:30 this afternoon.

A New Charter.—The Coquille city council has appointed a committee to draft a new charter for the city to be submitted to the voters at the next regular city election.

Mothers' Club.—The regular meeting of the Mothers' Club will be held Friday, Jan. 24, at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Reese. A special program consisting of musical numbers, reading, etc., has been prepared for this meeting. All are cordially invited to come to this meeting.

Correction.—The item appearing in The Times yesterday about Norton & Hansen engaging in the flour and feed business was an error. The firm that should be named was Thompson & Hanson. Norton & Hansen will continue dealing in food for the intellect instead of for animals.

Resent North Bend's Boast.—Several local citizens have taken exception to the remarks of North Bend citizens that they have the only "city duck pond" on the bay. They are confident that Marshfield has deeper and wider city ponds than the neighboring city, and they resent the imputation of North Bend citizens that they hold the candle.

Will Frame Picture.—It is reported that the city council of North Bend has had pictures taken of the mud ponds recently shown in the city streets, and that these pictures will be framed and placed in the city hall for future reference, when the present council shall have "reformed" the streets so that the rain will be unable to make mud.

Will Move Into New Quarters.—The German-American Hospital association headquarters, which have been located in the building above Lockhart's drug store, will be moved in a few days into the lower floor of the Owens' building just below the Presbyterian church, where it will be in charge of Local Manager Raymond, who has been connected with it for over a month.

Victor Is Fast Boat.—The 55 foot launch finished up by Max Timmerman for Victor Whittick, of North Bend, has been completed for several days and has been given several trials runs, which indicate that the boat has considerable speed even with a 16 horse power engine. The boat is shaped somewhat like a steam tug and presents an excellent appearance in the water, her name being Victor.

Interest Is Growing.—Much interest is being shown in the Union Evangelistic services which have been held at the Presbyterian church every night this week. Rev. Thurston preaching each evening during the illness of Rev. Browne. Interest is growing at each service and six conversions have been made in the past few days. The services will be continued next week and everybody is given a hearty invitation to attend.

Plumber Goes Bankrupt.—Ira E. Wheeler, a plumber of North Bend, has gone into bankruptcy and at a meeting of the creditors on January 21, C. Jay Mahoney, of Marshfield, was elected trustee of the concern. The liabilities of the firm were \$1500 while the assets amounted to half that sum, the creditors being principally Portland firms. Mr. Mahoney went over to North Bend this afternoon to appraise the stock and take an inventory.

Arrives From the Valley.—Young's Musical Comedy company arrived from a trip down the Coquille valley on the noon train today after playing to crowded houses at every performance in Bandon and Coquille. The company will play here three nights and will leave on the Plant for San Francisco, where they will open up a two months' tour of the state. Manager Dalley left for the Gate City on the last steamer to bill the production in various cities of California.

Dog Taxes Coming Rapidly.—Marshal Jack Carter has collected dog taxes for the present year to the amount of \$187.50, and the dogs without tags appear to be almost as thick as ever. Not a single arrest has been made for non-payment of the dog tax thus far, but two dogs with apparently no owners have been killed. The marshal asserts that quite a number of dogs will be killed in a few days unless the owners come forward and have tags placed upon them.

They Stuck in the Mud.—The Blanco hotel bus, in charge of that well known driver, "Buckshot," stuck in the mud opposite George Goodrum's store today at noon, and about half a dozen passengers were compelled to pile out in the deep mud and wade to the sidewalk. The road has become soft where the gas pipes of the Coos Bay Gas & Electric company has been laid recently, and the right hand wheel of the vehicle became fast in the mire, the passengers all having to move before the rig could be started.

Why the Gulls Are Tame.—The seagulls on the bay are given a daily meal by the employees of the various factories and mills along the waterfront in Coos Bay. When the weather is fine the employees who do not return home for the noon meal eat their lunch at the water's edge, sitting on the wharves. The gulls come from all directions having learned to know when the hour of noon approaches. The men give the gulls crumbs and scraps left from lunch and the birds have become marvelously tame in their efforts to secure the food.

Says Meat Goes to Roseburg.—Marshfield is said to be up against a meat famine and some beef is being shipped in from Portland to supply the demand. The Times recommends fish as a substitute and the fact that clams are selling as high as a \$1 a bucket indicates that fish and clams are in demand. It might be a good plan for cattle buyers from the bay to get out among the stockmen earlier in the season. Hundreds of heads of fine beef cattle are driven out to Roseburg each season that might be kept on hand to supply Coos county's requirements under proper conditions.—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

Citizens Take Things Easy.—Stories are told of the Englishmen managing to attend to their business and taking life pretty easy at the same time. The nervous energy of the American is also a historic topic. But a visit to three out of every five offices of professional and business men in Marshfield will develop the fact that some Marshfield citizens take life pretty easy. Numerous offices in the city are unopened at 10 o'clock in the morning, and they also close quite early. Yet there is as much business accomplished as though the men who have offices were wracking their nerves with long hours and energetic work.

Work Being Rushed.—Construction on the foundations of the Finnish Temple being erected west of the Masonic Temple is progressing rapidly since the work started over a week ago. Quite a large force of men are at work on the structure and the greatest interest is being shown in the erection of this building which will be the home of the Finnish societies of Marshfield. It will be a very handsome home for them when completed, which is expected to be within the next two months. Quite a few of the members of the society have contributed several days' work on the building, which will undoubtedly be well built because of the interest each man will have in the structure.

Sculptural Art Exhibit.—The latest addition to the chamber of commerce exhibit is a fine miniature stone font executed by J. Y. Arnot, of this city. It is chiselled from the native sandstone of the county, a slate color, which shows up well in such work. The font represents the American eagle with wings half spread, the bird standing on the ground. In front there is a small receptacle and another on the right side, somewhat similar to drinking fountains at a public fountain. The work is pretty good and is causing considerable interest among visitors to the chamber of commerce. The exhibit goes to show that this is another use to which the innumerable resources of Coos county may be applied.

Astounding Gullibility.—Local citizens are still wondering over the extreme gullibility of San Francisco and Portland people who took about a quarter million of stock in the airship company which was to run a line of airships between Portland and San Francisco. The advertisement of the company in the Portland papers amused the people here as a bare-faced fake, and the Times even had the temerity to say something supposed to be funny over the dropping of the mailbags in the city as the airship passed over. That anybody would take stock in such a proposition, which did not even enter into the St. Louis airship contests, was never considered by Marshfield citizens, who experienced with something of a shock the news that two large cities had been lured by such brazen methods as those disconcerting the people from a quarter million dollars in "hard times."

MARSHFIELD IS WELL IN FRONT

Daughter of Citizen Gains Musical Honors in Big Eastern College.

The fame of Coos Bay continues to spread in a manner which cannot help but draw the attention of the people of the United States to this famous seaport and its prospects as a future great city. A Marshfield girl has gained fame in Cornell University, in New York state, recently and thereby helped to spread the Coos Bay gospel. The young lady is Miss Mabel Mills, daughter of C. J. Mills, vice president and general manager of the C. B. R. & E. R. R. & N. Co., of Marshfield.

Miss Mills took part in the program given recently by the advanced students in a recital at the Ithaca Conservatory of Music and was highly complimented as the best singer at the recital. She has a splendid contralto voice and spent three years in Portland studying under Mrs. Walter Reid. She is at Cornell rounding out her musical studies and has drawn considerable attention from musical experts of that place. On the program of the recital with the names of other participants from the large cities of the country, Miss Mills gave her home as Marshfield, where she will come next spring.

CELEBRATION OF BURNS' BIRTH

Scotsmen of Coos Bay Will Honor Memory of Famous Poetic Genius.

Extensive preparations are under way for the big celebration to be held on the 149th anniversary of the birth of "Bobbie" Burns, the famous Scotch poet of memory beloved by Scotsmen the whole world over. Scots, sons, grandsons, wives, daughters and sweethearts will assemble in Redmen's hall next Saturday night from all over this district. There will be an excellent program closing with a banquet. A meeting of numerous Scots was held last Saturday night and all arrangements for the celebration were made, the following committee being appointed: Secretary Hugh Sneddon, Peter Scot, Jr., and Edward Mitchell.

It is a favorite theme among Scotchmen what Scotland would have been today if Robert Burns had not been born; and the theme is sometimes amplified to what the world would have been but for his advent among the sons of men. In the bulletin or box bed in the kitchen of a modest Scotland home on January 25, 1759, Robert Burns, one of the greatest geniuses of any age or country first saw light, and about the dwelling he lived the first seven uneventful years of his life in Ayrshire which he later made famous.

Real Estate Talk is Lively.—During the past week real estate on Coos Bay has begun to pick up considerably. The principal subject of conversation on the streets this week has been real estate, and the prospects for a good year were never brighter. The talk of "panic" and "hard times" has had no effect whatever on prices and local real estate men insist that nothing will have any effect on Coos Bay property except to raise its value. It is contended that the long delayed growth of this section had only commenced when the "bubble" in other parts of the country fell flat, it is said that even in hard times the growth of this section would be away beyond its present state, and consequently money conditions will have no effect here. It is certain that living is as high as ever, and the price of lots is rather astonishing to many newcomers. Every indication points to a good year in real estate because so many outside investors are pouring into the county on prospecting trips.

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