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### A GOOD PLAN

It is always a pleasure to listen to Mayor L. J. Simpson, of North Bend, when he speaks of the material interests of Coos Bay and it is especially so when he voices in his clarion tones and with the promise of his personal action, the editorial suggestion made by the Times that a delegation from Coos Bay should go to Washington and urge with their utmost energy the appropriation of the sums recommended for the improvement of Coos Bay. Mayor Simpson is not only a man of excellent personal attractions and commanding ability but he has the material interests and financial backing to make him a power, and his patriotic adherence to the cause of progress on Coos Bay endears him to all the people of the bay.

Mayor Simpson and Mr. C. A. Smith have the largest active industrial interests on the bay and their interests will be greatly improved by any improvement which may be made in our harbor facilities. It is gratifying to learn that they have agreed to go to Washington when the proper time arrives and personally attend to the presentation of Coos Bay's needs to the committee on rivers and harbors. It is hoped that in so doing they will realize that members of congress and senators, who have much interest in Coos Bay are also interested in a thousand and one matters which may be, in their estimation, even more important. Committees take up questions affecting localities very much as courts take up cases. If the interested parties are not present the case is stricken off. Coos Bay will be very fortunate in having these two very able business men in Washington to appear before the proper committee, rescue the reports and information affecting Coos Bay from the oblivion of departmental alcoves, and place the facts before the committee effectively.

### TIMES WILL BE BETTER.

Let those who are disposed to regard the present little interference with the progress of business matters take the time to remember that a country the size of the United States and with its immense, illimitable resources cannot long remain in the industrial "dumps."

There are too many of us here, there is too much to do, its varied interests are too numerous for a standstill policy to have any inking of long duration.

There is too much of a demand for our products abroad as well as among our own people for a period of idleness to afflict us long. The crops of the farms last year are estimated by Secretary Wilson to be worth \$7,500,000,000! And can a people be long depressed under such conditions as these?

Under such conditions as these it is as impossible to support a period of hard times, or to have it at all, as to do any other absurd or impossible thing. The only trouble at this time is a lack of money in circulation—not a scarcity of it in existence. Precisely as soon as our people abandon the hoarding habit, just that soon will their financial trouble cease.

A thousand dollars hoarded is the same as a thousand dollars destroyed—as long as the hoarding continues. Let go and cheer up!

To please your girl  
 Just get in line  
 And go to the Red Cross  
 For a nice valentine.

"Convincing" advertising is usually put forth by the "convincing store"—the store that has something worth while to offer you.

Read the Want Ads.

### AS SEEN BY THE SENTINEL.

Six Days Doings at Coquille as Viewed by a Pencil Pusher.  
 W. U. Douglas of Marshfield was in Coquille Monday.

County Superintendent Bunch left Tuesday to visit the schools throughout the county.

Assessor Thrift starts the first of February to take the assessment for the coming year.

Everett Hatcher was in Marshfield the first of the week on business.

Attorney L. A. Liljeqvist of Marshfield paid the Sentinel office a pleasant visit Tuesday.

Edwin Ellington was in Marshfield Tuesday on business.

We learn that Deputy Sheriff Gage in making an inspection of the jail Tuesday found a large iron bar hidden in one of the cells.

Last Friday evening the Order of Eastern Star entertained Grand Worthy Matron Florence Bargelt and Grand Ruth Mrs. Marsh of Marshfield and Grand Warder Mrs. Ora X. Maury of this city.

The Coquille Shingle Co. have commenced the shipment of shingles to San Francisco. They report that the market is weak with but a few sales. They are averaging nearly 90,000 per day.

Marion Wilkinson has brought F. E. Hull's dairy stock and leased his farm at Riverton and will try his hand at dairying. He and Mrs. Wilkinson moved down to the place Saturday, but do not take charge for a few months.

James Hatcher and son Everett have purchased the stock of "Shiners Place" from Chas. Harrington and will move it into "Tracey's Place," which they also bought of E. W. Gregg & Co., closing the deal yesterday, and will conduct it under the firm name of Hatcher & Co. They have had considerable experience in this line and we predict success for the new firm.

Robt. Goetz of Lee was in Coquille Saturday and filed his petition for school superintendent.

Marshal Lee Goodman arrested a hobo by the name of Frank Johnson last Friday evening for stealing a box of combs from the store of Mrs. Mary Nosler. He arrived in the city on the afternoon boat and it is claimed that he stole a pair of shoes belonging to Pete Fox. His hearing took place Monday forenoon before Justice Holden who bound him over to the circuit court in the sum of \$500 bonds.

### COQUILLE BUILDING BOOM.

Low Price of Lumber Starts Things Moving at County Seat.

The low price of lumber has been taken advantage of by the people of this city who have desired to build and have been putting it off on account of the high prices that have been prevailing for the past two years. In conversation with a gentleman of this city in regard to the building that will be done here the following year he gave us the names of the following persons who are building and intend to build at present: D. J. Mitchell, Max Tennyson, Wm. H. Mansell, residence and barn; Frank Burkholder, four houses and a barn; J. H. Bledsoe, Jonathan Snow, J. C. Frye, W. V. Cope, Lee Goodman, Rev. W. H. Smith, Perry B. Robinson, W. T. Kerr, T. T. Land, R. R. Pownder, W. C. Chase, livery barn; W. C. Rose, blacksmith shop; E. M. Furman. Besides these there are the new bank building and three other business blocks that will be erected this summer of brick and cement, but at present it is impossible to say anything further in regard to these as the plans have not been prepared. The coming summer will be a prosperous one for this city as with the buildings that will go up there will be others who will build dwellings.

### COQUILLE SHIPPING NEWS.

Items of Interest of Vessels and Navigators From Coquille Herald.

The schooner Advance sailed from the Coquille for San Francisco on Saturday.

The schooner Lizzie Prien came into the river from San Francisco last Thursday.

The gasoline launch Eagle, which ran on the lower river for several weeks lately, sailed for Coos Bay last Wednesday.

Capt. Goodmanson, of the schooner Lizzie Prien, which is taking on a load of lumber on the lower river, came up Saturday, meeting many old friends.

The steamer Bandon sailed from the mouth of the Coquille for San Francisco on Wednesday.

F. S. Dow, the Marshfield commission man, spent a day or so in town last week, looking after his branch in this city. The slip for transferring freight from his warehouse to the steamers is about complete, and his gasoline hoisting machine is here and will soon be in place and ready for work.

## DIES FROM EFFECTS OF HER FIRST BATH IN NINETY YEARS

BELEFONTAINE, Ohio, Jan. 31.—To the first bath since her childhood days, physicians here ascribe the illness which ended the life of Mrs. Nancy A. Neaston, 95 years old, recently.

She was taken to the Logan county infirmary some weeks ago from her home in Mcaroe township and there was forced to plunge into a bathtub of warm water and soapsuds. She protested vainly.

"I have not been in water since a child. I took my last bath in St. Mary's river 90 years ago and I can't stand water now!" she cried.

A chill came over her soon after she emerged and she took to her bed with what the physicians pronounced pneumonia, dying recently.

## CARNEGIE TO SAVE COAL MINERS' LIVES

Philanthropist Makes Practical Move For Benefit of Toilers Beneath The Crust of the Earth.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Arthur A. Hamerschlag, director of the Carnegie technical school, Pittsburgh, to which Andrew Carnegie has given \$6,000,000, called upon the Mauretania today, commissioned by Carnegie to study the most approved methods of mining coal abroad, also as to the machinery used and other methods taught in the great technical mining schools of Europe.

Carnegie's purpose in sending Hamerschlag on this mission is explained by the fact that the coal mines in the United States have been killing three times as many men for every 1,000 employed as in Europe. That was indisputably proved by experts, who gathered data for 1906 for the government.

By applying European methods in this country, Carnegie hopes to reduce the casualties rate in American mines.

### EVER SEE A SYZGY?

Oklahoma in Throes of Controversy Over New Word.

KINGFISHER, Okla., Jan. 30.—That Oklahoma, although the youngest of states, is not deficient in learning and literature is evidenced by the number of books that have been issued from the press of late by Oklahoma authors. Thousands of pounds of literature have been produced in the last few months and the output promises in time to equal that of Indiana. The latest production of an Oklahoma savant is a controversial work of a religious nature entitled "God Is," from the scholarly pen of F. S. Jacobs. The work has created a sensation among local literary critics and a fierce controversy is raging as a result of its publication. The conclusions of the author are summed up in the final paragraph of the brochure, which is as follows:

"Through the syzgy we have outlined here, relative environment cannot be thought of as defeating affinity in the absolute. We conclude that God is and that immortality is a fact that the syzgy of abiding places is open to view."

The principal difference of opinions among the critics is as to the "syzgy," some declaring that it is a wild animal, while others insist that it is a new "prohibition" drink. Considerable alarm is also felt at the author's use of the word "affinity," the oldest citizens declaring that there has never been a case of affinity here and that such an implication is a reflection on the town.

## WILL HAVE TO SIT ELSEWHERE

Kentucky Health Board Does not Approve of Handy Method of "Pressing" It.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31.—Candy makers can no longer press into shape candy in the course of making by sitting upon it. The health department has declared the practice unsanitary and has served notice on candy manufacturers that it must cease.

The fact that such a practice was being indulged in was brought to the attention of Dr. M. K. Allen, the retiring health officer, more than a week ago, and in order to satisfy himself he began an investigation. He ascertained, he said, that in most of the candy kitchens in Louisville the candy makers made a practice of pressing candy into a compact mass by sitting upon it.

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## Business Directory

### Doctors.

**D**R. GEORGE W. LESLIE  
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**D**R. J. W. INGRAM  
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 Office over Sengstacken's Drug Store.  
 Phones—Office 1621; Residence 783.

**D**R. A. L. HOUSEWORTH  
 Physician and Surgeon.  
 Office over First National Bank.  
 Residence, two blocks north of Crystal Theater. Office Phone 1431. Residence Phone 1656.

### Lawyers.

Francis H. Clarke Jacob M. Blake  
 Lawrence A. Liljeqvist

**C**LARKE, BLAKE & LILJEQVIST,  
 ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
 Times Building, Marshfield, Ore.  
 United States Commissioner's Office.

**J**. W. BENNETT,  
 Office over Flanagan & Bennett Bank.  
 Marshfield, - - - Oregon

**C**. F. MCKNIGHT,  
 Attorney at Law.  
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**C**OKE & COKE,  
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**ST. VALENTINE'S DAY**  
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