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BLUE seems to be the coming fashion in laws as well as women's hats and gowns.

Have a home of your own is a good motto and the present is a good time to get it.

The watched pot that contains the paving material for Marshfield streets is slow to boil.

The Coos Bay Push Club seems to have gone to sleep. What is needed is a stuffed club to make the Push Club push.

The end of the world is being prophesied again, but the modern mind has in it a tinge of Emerson, who said, on hearing such a report: "Very well, we shall get along all right without it."

While you are finding fault with others, be sure the reform should not begin at home. If each person was himself perfect there would be no need of reform and cries of reform.

"Never kick at any news published that is given without prejudice," is a bit of good advice given by the sage editor of the Albany Democrat.

A poor man can not deviate from regular hours of toil, regular hours of rest, and a regular life in general. Only the idle rich can afford to be eccentric and dissatisfied.

The discussion on the amount it costs to keep a hen one year brought out the declaration from a southern editor that it depends entirely on whether the hen plays bridge. Isn't that Editor the mean thing?

Medford has just voted to bond itself in the sum of \$300,000 for a municipal water system—and the city will go to work, without delay, and build. Medford is another western Oregon city that is forging rapidly to the front. This is something Marshfield must be thinking about soon.

NOW IS THE TIME.

The Times agrees with and desires to endorse the advice of one of its advertisers that now is the time to build. It is an auspicious time for anyone contemplating building to go ahead with their enterprises. Lumber men generally state that the indications are that prices will advance as soon as the rate question is settled, as it probably will be eventually, perhaps within a month or two. There is at least a good sign that now is probably the cheapest time that will prevail for building, something which makes its own suggestion. This is not given in the interest of the lumber business, but in the interest of boosting Coos Bay.

HERE'S TO THE LADIES.

The enterprising women of Coos Bay are to play an active part in civic improvement. The A. N. W. Club of Marshfield and the Beautiful America Club of North Bend have already proven their worth as active agents in the promotion of progress along these lines.

No city can reach the highest state of beauty and symmetry without the delicate and artistic touch of woman's hand, or at least the work being done under her direction. Then here's to the ladies who are to be of such valuable assistance in beautifying the city.

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LOCAL OPTION HELPS EUGENE

Prominent Lane County Business Men Say it Has Been a Great Benefit.

The following is a self-explanatory letter which should be read carefully by every voter in Coos county before he votes on the local option question at the general election next Monday: EUGENE, Ore., Apr. 23, 1908.

Gentlemen: Believing that Local Option as applied to Lane County, Oregon, has passed the experimental stage, having been tried for nearly two years, you should now be ready to state from personal experience, whether or not the prosperity of the City of Eugene is dependent upon the presence of the saloon.

As business men we respectfully request that you reply to the following questions, with permission to use your name for publication, if it is so desired:

First. "In your opinion, has your business suffered any since Local Option went into effect two years ago?"

Second. "Do you not think that the absence of the saloon is desirable, on account of the University being located here?"

Third. "Do you not think that the absence of the saloon is desirable for the protection of our boys and girls?"

Fourth. "Do you favor the present conditions, i.e., a 'dry town'?"

Fifth. "Do you favor the return of the saloon to our city?"

Note. These signatures were all in favor of Local Option, and not one business man would sign in favor of the saloon.

Note. With two or three exceptions, these signatures were secured for each question, the exceptions being principally due to the fact that some had not been here two years and could not sign for conditions prior to the time the law became effective.

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J. H. Daniel, grocer. J. H. Vincent, meat market.

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George H. Irish, grocer. R. Daniel, grocer.

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H. F. Dorris, city recorder. W. J. Balderce, capitalist.

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O. L. Langford, capitalist. J. M. Hamilton, grocer.

F. L. Chambers, firm of F. L. Chambers & Bro., probably largest hardware store in Oregon, outside of Portland.

Some of the largest firms here informed the canvassing committee that while they did not care to have their names published, they would vote for Local Option this year, which would be a reversal of their vote of two years ago.

The saloon men declared that if Local Option won the fight of two



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THE ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE OF LANE COUNTY, OREGON.

Rev. Clarence True Wilson
Of Portland
Will address the people of Coos county in the interest of Local Option as follows:
Marshfield, Tuesday, May 26th.
Coquille, Wednesday, May 27th.
North Bend, Thursday, May 28th.

Mr. Wilson is one of the ablest advocates of Temperance in the State, and his work will do much toward placing Coos County in the list of "Dry" counties.

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