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HOPE IS ETERNAL.

"I have long since abandoned the measured and proscribed prospect for this city and section, for the prospect fortuitous. Whatever comes to Coos Bay henceforth will come as a gift not as an achievement wrought of her own unity and design. It is too much to expect her people to merge on any one large and excellent thing; it is not of her quality; it must come through the happiest inadvertence, the largess of luck and the beneficence of some extraneous interest and agency; some other man's or town's opportunity. I have been driven to this conclusion, finally and inevitably. "With the whirl of a great commercial awakening in the Northwest she may yet come in to her own through the shrewdness of some friendly giant who realizes, at a glance, the potent facilities she offers for business and advancement; this is her only resource."

The foregoing is the substance of the talk put up by an ex-resident of Empire who still retains sharp interest in the city and county, and lately sojourning here. He speaks sorrowfully, with the honesty of resolute conviction born of thirty years of disappointment.

And the thoughtful Coos Bay citizen will do the wisest thing of his life if he takes this old ex-citizen's words for what they are worth and weighs them in the scale of his own greater or lesser experience. The time is ripe for a genuine awakening in this man's town. Hope is left us; and with this and the undisturbed natural advantages as eternal as that hope, we may rise to a unified, direct and successful program and field, that will annihilate such sad prophecies, deep founded and justifiable as their prophet may deem them.

SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Elizabeth Kauffmann spent a part of the morning of Wednesday last week visiting the High School. Miss Rogstad of the Gardiner school spent Thursday morning of last week visiting the Primary grades.

This week has seen the hardest work of the year as the final examinations have taken place. Results will be announced next week. The High School picnic was enjoyed very much by those who attended. The good time will be written up by one of the pupils and printed later.

Miss Tiffany expects to leave immediately after the closing of school for Eugene to be present at commencement at the University of Oregon. She is a member of this year's class, and will receive her diploma. She will return next September and will have charge of the departments of English and History in the new High School.

The Fourth and Fifth Grades had a very pleasant picnic to Eastport on Saturday last. Mrs. Rood and Miss Stenholm accompanied the boys and girls. After luncheon the party visited the old Eastport Coal mine, which was running over fifty years ago, but has been abandoned of late years.

Miss Mary Hansen and Miss Helen Bradley had very high yearly averages, both over 99 per cent, with a very small fraction in favor of the first named.

Highest standings for the year's work in the different grades were made as follows:

- First 'A'—Eugene Kelly.
- First 'B'—Clara Ferguson.
- Second—Ernest Drews.
- Third 'A'—Eva Hutchison.
- Third 'B'—Hattie Rehfeld.
- Fourth—Carl Back, Helen Stoltz, Eva Hansen.
- Fifth—Mary Kruse, Dorothy Horton.
- Sixth—Myrtle Cowan.
- Seventh—Ralph Kruse.

AT THE CHURCHES

The Rev. J. E. Burkhardt of North Bend, will occupy the pulpit in the Marshfield Presbyterian church tomorrow, the services being held at the usual hours. The subject of his morning sermon will be "Pattern in the Mount" and of the evening sermon "What are you worth."

The English Lutheran services which were regularly held in the Red Men's hall, will be discontinued for the present. As the pastor came here under the prospectus of a growing town, and would not have come under present conditions, he thinks it better to start afresh again when the town makes a fresh start. The same good people who so loyally helped the movement from the very beginning are still with us, the same need of an English Lutheran church is felt now as it was then, but what the movement needs is a sufficient influx of members (not of local churches), but of other Lutheran churches such as the German, the Danish and the Norwegian. These will certainly come when "The Call of Coos Bay" is being answered, but at present no living members of any Lutheran churches except the local Swedish are located in Marshfield. We herewith thank the good people for their zeal and their sacrifice, and are confident that a movement began and continued under the present unfavorable conditions must be successfully finished and completed at some future and not far distant time. WM. F. HOLL, Pastor.

Mass will be solemnized in the Catholic church at 8 o'clock and 10:30 Sunday morning, the Rev. Father E. Donnelly celebrant.

The regular Sunday morning and Sunday evening services will be held at the Episcopal church, morning service being at 11 o'clock and evening service at 7:30.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Services will be held in the Masonic Temple, Sunday, at 11 a. m. Subject: "God the Only Cause and Creator."

At First Baptist Church. 10 a. m., Bible school, F. M. Stewart, superintendent; 11 a. m., sermon, "State Missions"; 3 p. m., Junior Union, Ivan Gulovson, superintendent; 7 p. m., Young People's Prayer meeting; 8 p. m., Evangelistic services. Rev. M. M. Bledsoe, pastor-at-large for the State of Oregon will preach both morning and evening. Baptism at the morning service also the regular monthly communion. All of the members are especially requested to be present. Special music by the large chorus choir at the evening services. Rev. Bledsoe will preach at the church every evening next week.

At Methodist Episcopal Church. 10 a. m., Sabbath School, E. L. Church, Superintendent; 11 a. m., Sermon, subject, "Real Life." 3 p. m., Junior League, Nettie Woolley, superintendent; 7 p. m., Epworth League, Topic "The Promise of the Father." 8 p. m., Sermon, subject, "From the Palace to the Pig-sty."

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