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The following tables give the hours of high and low tides for every day this week:

SEPTEMBER, 1908.					
HIGH WATER			P. M.		
Date	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	
Monday	21 10:15	6.6	9:44	5.9	
Tuesday	22 10:50	5.9	10:30	6.1	
Wednesday	23 11:22	6.3	11:10	6.2	
Thursday	24 11:49	6.5	11:47	6.3	
Friday	25		12:15	6.6	
Saturday	26 0:24	6.3	12:43	6.6	
SUNDAY	27 1:00	6.3	1:09	6.7	

SEPTEMBER, 1908.					
LOW WATER			P. M.		
Date	h. m.	ft.	h. m.	ft.	
Monday	21 3:36	0.4	4:07	2.9	
Tuesday	22 4:21	0.3	4:51	2.5	
Wednesday	23 5:00	0.4	5:29	2.0	
Thursday	24 5:31	0.6	5:56	1.6	
Friday	25 5:59	0.8	6:22	1.2	
Saturday	26 6:26	1.	6:52	0.9	
SUNDAY	27 6:54	1.3	7:24	0.6	

WEATHER FORECAST.  
(By Associated Press.)  
WESTERN OREGON. —  
Fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday. Westerly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.  
For twenty-four hours ending 5 p. m., Sept. 20, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer.  
Maximum . . . . . 63  
Minimum . . . . . 48  
At 5 p. m. . . . . 60  
Precipitation . . . . . none  
Wind, Northwest; clear.

BORN.  
GOULD—To Mr. and Mrs. George Gould of Allegany, a daughter.

Arthur McKeown Out.—Arthur McKeown is rapidly recovering from his recent operation for appendicitis and is able to be out. He drove out to the ball game Sunday. He is feeling good but will have to be careful for a few days yet.

Improved in Health.—A brief note in a business letter to The Times states that Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sanford, who have been staying in Oakland, expect to leave on September 22d for Coos Bay. It will be pleasing news to Mrs. Sanford's friends to learn that her California sojourn has greatly benefitted her health.

Schooner Ivy Wrecked.—The schooner Ivy, a one-top-master which formerly ran into Coos Bay, was wrecked at Point Barrow Friday. All of the crew were saved. She was on a cod-fishing trip at the time of the disaster. All of the crew were saved. Captain Lindqvist commanded her when she ran into Coos Bay, carrying small cargoes of lumber out of here, and it is understood that he was still master of her.

San Gabriel Known Here.—The San Gabriel, the lumber steamer on which an oil explosion at San Pedro Saturday injured several, is well-known to local navigators as she has been running to and from the Umpqua river and San Pedro for some time. She has a lumber carrying capacity of about 500,000 feet and is owned by the Kerkhoff-Cuzner Lumber Company of Los Angeles. She usually carries a crew of ten.

Wedding a Surprise.—The announcement in The Times Saturday of the issuance of a marriage license to Kenneth Perkins of Bandon, and Jessie M. Tupper of Coquille, came as a great surprise to the numerous friends of the young lady here. She is the daughter of Mrs. Tupper who has conducted the Tupper house at Coquille for a number of years. While attending St. Helen's hall at Portland, she visited on the Bay many times.

ISSUES NEW PAPER.  
A. W. Myers of North Bend, Starts "The Dry Goods Exponent."

"The Dry Goods Exponent" is the name of a newspaper issued by A. W. Myers of the Myers store of North Bend, the first copy of which has just been received by patrons and friends of the store. It is an eight-page 4-column monthly publication and is filled with interesting news concerning the business and persons who have recently visited the store with much of general interest. The first copy demonstrates Mr. Myers' versatility, that he can make a paper as well as a success of the mercantile business. The paper is sent free to the friends and patrons of the store and it is needless to say that it will always be more than welcomed by those who are fortunate enough to receive it.

Are you cutting out your coupons in The Times Popular Voting Contest?

## CHARTER WINS IN NORTH BEND

Carries Election Saturday By 152 to 40—Talk Waterworks.

By a vote of 152 to 40, the electors of North Bend Saturday adopted a new charter for that municipality. The new charter will become effective as soon as the North Bend city council canvasses and certifies the results of the election. The council will meet Tuesday evening to do this.

The election Saturday passed off very quietly. The bulk of the vote was cast in the afternoon, only about 60 being cast up to 1 o'clock. There was no united opposition to the new charter which is modeled closely after the Portland charter, only such changes being made in the Rose City document as were essential to make it suitable to the smaller town. Captain A. M. Simpson, who at first came out against the new charter withdrew most of his objections towards the last, his principal opposition being based on a point that had been settled some time ago—that is the annexation of the old town.

The principal feature of the new charter is the increasing of the maximum indebtedness that the city may incur. Under it, the city may issue bonds up to twenty per cent of the assessed valuation and issue warrants to the amount of \$20,000.

Plan Water System.  
Special provision is made to enable the city to install its own waterworks system and it was stated today that this will be taken up at once. It was stated that just as soon as the new charter becomes effective, some of the business men and members of the North Bend city council propose to arrange for the flotation of a bond issue to meet the expense of putting in the new waterworks system. There has been considerable agitation in the past in North Bend for a waterworks system of its own, but it has not materialized in any action because of the inability to raise the funds. The change in the charter removes this barrier, it is said. The advocates of the new waterworks system are undecided yet whether to go ahead with a municipal system or to award a franchise to another corporation. The Marshfield Water Company now has pipes in North Bend but some appear to be dissatisfied with the service given.

## ALLIANCE IN FROM NORTH

Steamship Brings 245 Tons of Freight and Sixty-Five Passengers.

The Alliance arrived in early this morning from Portland with 245 tons of freight and about sixty-five passengers. Captain Olson reports that they had a good trip down. The bar was a little rough but did not delay their entrance. While coming in, they sighted the tug Columbia with the dredge in tow off the bar and witnessed the toppling over of the dredge's smokestacks. They reported the location of the dredge and tug to Captain Magee of the Columbia who went out early to aid in bringing the dredge in.

Among those who came down on the Alliance were the following: Chas Thom and wife, J. T. Harrigan and wife, Emerson Harrigan, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. M. L. Sill, Jas Laidlaw, Joe Smith, A. L. Smith, A. P. Smith, Willa Hall, Mae Walker, J. A. Kranick, G. W. Schrock, Jno. Potter, Mrs. L. Coak, J. H. Hubbard, J. Isidor, R. A. Chapin, Grace Chapin, Lyman Chapin, Mrs. R. A. Chapin, C. E. McCoy and wife, Frank McCoy, John McCoy, Nell Murchison, E. Plep, H. Neumann, T. Plep, Mrs. Newman and two children, Mrs. Plep, Mr. Plep, Miss Plep, Miss Kohlhaw, Erick Plep, Ernest Plep, Mr. Strain, J. E. Murphy, Irene Malmo, J. F. R. Webber, E. Marsh, R. W. Hannaford, Robt. Hannaford, Mrs. R. W. Hannaford, Dona Hannaford, Geo. Huther and wife, Paul Gumbert, A. P. Smith, T. S. Rosenthal, A. Mat-tall, Frank Wood, L. A. Murray, H. Bradley, Tom Cuga, Jno. Cousbie, Geo. Brown, F. Schreder, Lillian Hall, Geo. T. Moulton, Mrs. Nosler and nine steerage.

## VISION TOLD OF DROWNING

Twin, Though Miles Away, Knew of Death at Moment Quicksand Engulfed Him.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 21.—While her twin brother Fred was being drawn to death in the quicksands of Long Lake, near Mitchell, Ill., recently, Merle Huber, seventeen years old, who was twelve miles away, in Granite City, at home alone, shrieked and fell to the front porch in a faint. Neighbors ran to her assistance and revived her.

"Fred is dying. I can hear him calling to me. He is drowning. Let me go to him," moaned the girl. Merle made frantic efforts to leave the house, but was held back by friends, who assured her that Fred was all right. The girl could not be quieted.

Five minutes later a message came from Mitchell that Fred had been drowned. When the news reached his sister she again fainted and is in a critical condition.

The Huber boy, who was a student at the Granite City High School, was spending his vacation with friends on a farm. Accompanied by two of the farm hands, Henry Stovall and Jesse Collins, he went to Long Lake to swim. The men decided the water was too cold, but Huber swam out several yards and then started to return. He threw up his hands and fell back.

Stovall and Collins jumped in to save him and when they reached the boy he was still alive, struggling to free his feet, which had become imbedded in the sands which are several feet deep all along the shore of the lake.

The farmhands stayed only a few seconds with Huber, loaded down with their clothes and shoes, the quagmire was already pulling them down, and it was only with an effort that they were able to tear themselves free and get to the shore.

An hour later a rope was tied about the boy's body and it was dragged out of the sands. It required five men to extricate it.

A comparison of time showed that the girl had fallen into the faint at the moment when the boy became entangled in the quicksand.

Agricultural College. The Rev. W. R. F. Browne goes to attend the annual the Methodist Episcopal at Salem.

### Personal Notes

H. R. FRISBIE and wife, left on the Roseburg stage Sunday morning.

A. J. DAVIS and wife, have gone to Looking Glass valley for a short stay.

JOHN MERCHANT and wife, are spending a few days at Bastendorf's beach.

MISS LILLIAN HALL returned on the Alliance today from a short visit in Portland.

H. S. BRADLEY of Portland, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bradley.

LLOYD CUTLER left Sunday morning to re-enter the Oregon State University at Eugene.

TOM MINOT, who was here to attend court, left yesterday for his home in San Francisco.

GEORGE N. BOLT and wife and son, are expected home tomorrow from a three weeks trip through central Oregon during which they visited at Portland, Corvallis, Lebanon, Grants Pass, Jacksonville, Salem and other points. They will return via Roseburg.

ERIC BOLT and Carl Larson made a bicycle trip to Charleston Bay and Bastendorf's beach yesterday. They report the road is in fair condition. The tugs Astoria and Columbia with the dredge in tow were anchored beyond the jetty and were in plain sight of the crowd that gathered at Charleston Bay yesterday.

MRS. I. S. SMITH, Miss Kathryn Smith, Mrs. Shersbesman, Mrs. Foote, Miss Foote and the Rev. W. R. F. Browne left on the Roseburg stage this morning. The Smith family goes to Corvallis where the children will enter the State



WANTED—Immediately, saleslady for ladies suits and coats. Apply United Stores next Breakwater at once.

LOST—Leather carrying case for Eastman camera, at ball grounds, Sunday, size 2x5x10. Reward if returned to Geo. Goodrum.

LOST—A silver cigarette case with initials L. J. S. at ball game Sunday. Reward. See Jack Flanagan.

FOR RENT—Store building on Front street, 20 feet front, 62 feet deep. Inquire of W. C. Deubner.

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FOR RENT—The Easton ranch, on Coos Bay Wagon Road, between Dora and Sitkum. A rare bargain. Call and investigate.

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