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The Best Clubbing Offer of the Season

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This popular hotel will inaugurate the \$1.00 per day for room and meals, commencing January 1, 1909. Meals will be served in dining room at 25 cents.

Special rates by week and month. Good cooking. Good meals. Good service.

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NORTH BEND HARDWARE & SUPPLY CO
North Bend, Oregon.



WEATHER FORECAST.

(By Associated Press.)
Rain tonight and Wednesday with southerly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 5 p. m., Feb. 1, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer.
Maximum.....56
Minimum.....48
At 5 p. m.....54
Precipitation......59
Wind, Southwest; cloudy.

Council Tonight.—The Marshfield city council will meet tonight. Street matters and other improvement projects are to come up.

Duck Season Ends.—The duck season closed Sunday night and local nimrods will have to wait patiently for several months now before they can legally satisfy their ambitions.

Notice to Mariners.—Capt. Parsons of the Am. S. S. "Alliance," reports that on January 28, 1909, in lat. 43 55' N., long. 124 18' W., he passed a mammoth tree standing upright in the water, is reported by John McNulty, N. E., of the government office in Portland.

Boys Must Obey Law.—Deputy



FOR SALE.—Setting of eggs, pure Rhode Island reds, \$2 per setting. Apply Wm. Reichert, Old North Bend.

FOR RENT.—Two furnished rooms flat 4, O'Connell building.

LOST.—A sack containing feather bed. Shipped from Empire to Marshfield addressed to W. W. Hayes and left in Ekblad's hardware store, was evidently taken by mistake. Reward paid for return of same to Snyder's hotel South Broadway.

FOR RENT.—Two stores; three flats; one dwelling, also two good business chances for sale, well located. Title Guarantee Abstract Company.

FOR RENT.—A 6-room house lately repaired, modern conveniences, on West 'C' street. 10 minutes walk from "The Chandler" hotel. Rent \$20 a month. Inquire Mrs. Farringer, phone 1755.

FOR RENT.—McKeown bungalow in South Marshfield. Fire place and all modern conveniences. Apply Arthur McKeown, Flanagan & Bennett Bank building.

FOR SALE.—A pair of heavy mare's (chunks), well broke and in good condition, also a large team of horses.—F. M. Wilson, phone 1711

FOR SALE.—Good second-hand cook stove cheap. Apply Anson Rogers.

A SNAP.—A good reliable gasoline boat, suitable for pleasure parties or heavy work. For particulars, apply at John Bear's Livery.

WANTED.—Potatoes. See F. S. Dow.

FOR RENT.—Large storeroom, double front, adjoining Breakwater warehouse. See Robt. Marsden or phone 481.

WANTED.—Carpentering and job work. Corthell, phone No. 561.

Do not forget that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills made. They are pleasant little pills that are easy to take and are prompt and gentle. We sell and recommend them. Sold by LOCKHART & PARSONS.

COLUMBIA MACHINE WORKS

Cavanagh, Chapman & Co.
General Repair Work and Woodturning. Launches a Specialty Foot of Queen Avenue, Marshfield

Game Warden Cal. Wright says that boys of twelve to fifteen years old who are carrying guns and hunting must provide themselves with licenses or pay fines. He says that he saw a number of lads shooting song birds. He proposes to strictly enforce the game law and if the offenders don't take a tip and be good, they are liable to be prosecuted in the near future.

House Burned Down.—The home of Will Wirth near the north forks of Coos River was destroyed by fire last Friday. The loss falls heavily on Mr. Wirth and yesterday a petition was circulated among friends to assist him in rebuilding.

Writes of Mystery.—The Times is in receipt of a letter to which no name is attached which states that the discovery of the bones of a man found in the dredgings may throw some light on the mysterious disappearance of a man named Fred. Burger or Burgess several years ago. No details are given.

Delays Nann Smith.—The yards of the C. A. Smith Lumber Company at Bay Point have been flooded as a result of the high water in California. In consequence, the Nann Smith could not unload promptly when she reached there this time and will not reach here on the return trip until late this week.

Heavy Rain Last Night.—One of the heaviest rainstorms that has recently prevailed on Coos Bay struck here shortly after midnight last night. It did not last long but came some while it did prevail. In the twelve hours ending at 4:30 this morning, the rainfall, according to the record kept by Mrs. E. Mingus, local observer, was 1.43 inches.

Dredge Catching Inlet.—Capt. Harris of Sumner, was in Marshfield today and announced that he had engaged the Simpson dredge for use in deepening the channel of Catching Inlet to Sumner. The people of that district have gotten together and will do the work themselves, merely paying so much for the use of the machinery. The work will start just as soon as the weather will permit.

Ship Potatoes.—Four scow loads of potatoes were brought down from Sumner yesterday and shipped to San Francisco to take advantage of the high price there. Potatoes are selling for two cents per pound in Frisco and as it costs about thirty cents per hundred for freight and commission, the producers realize about a cent and three-quarters per pound or about \$1 per bushel. This is considerably higher than local people have been receiving for "spuds" in the past, it being figured that a cent a pound was a pretty good price.

THEATRICAL ATTRACTIONS.

Manager Butler Leaves For Portland to Book Some Good Shows.

Manager Butler of Masonic Opera House, leaves today for Portland to arrange for the production of some good attractions for his house and the Coos county circuit. Mr. Butler says he realizes that Marshfield is one of the best show towns in the state but the people are like the man from Missouri they must be shown and attractions must make good to receive the patronage. He has several companies in view among which are the "Alcazar Stock" and "Lyric Stock" also a musical comedy company, but in order to make no mistake he is going north to satisfy himself that the attractions are all right before bringing them in. He refused to book two companies last week for the reason that he knew nothing of them and was afraid they could not make good to the people of this city. Marshfield has the right kind of people and there can be no doubt but that good productions will be highly appreciated.

It costs as much to apply poor paint as it does S. H. P. AT MILNER'S.

German cough syrup for colds and coughs at the RED CROSS.

MITCHELL WAGONS run easiest AT MILNER'S.

If you want to get the want you want to get, you want to get the want you want to get into the want getter, the Coos Bay Times.

TO PASS LAWS OVER PEOPLE

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amendment provides that the convicts shall be conveyed by sheriffs, who shall receive \$3 a day and actual expenses.

New Bills In Senate.
Merryman—County clerk to provide each voting precinct with two ballot-boxes, one for county and one for state and district offices.

Hart.—To create the Oregon Conservation Commission, composed of seven members appointed by the governor, to serve without salary, but with \$1,000 for expenses.

Bailey.—County officers to keep fee books and turn fees into the treasury monthly, but the sheriff need not turn in fees received for the care of property.

Coffey.—To create a code commission to codify the criminal laws of the state and to designate C. U. Gantenbein and John F. Logan as such commissioners. Appropriation \$4,000.

Sinnott.—To require warehousemen to give a receipt showing quantity and condition of property received and the storage charges.

Oliver.—To amend the law regarding filing of lists of passes issued by railroad companies, by excepting trip passes to regular employes, though this list must be kept on file for inspection by the Railroad commission.

Miller of Linn.—Requiring that Oregon history be taught in the public schools.

Caldwell.—To define arson by enlarging the meaning of the term.

Bingham.—To prohibit and punish formation of trusts or combinations in restraint of trade.

Bingham.—To require that notice of delinquent taxes be given at the expense of the delinquents.

Nottingham.—To amend the sailor boarding-house law.

Sinnott.—To amend the statute of limitations.

Bills Passed By House.

Miller.—Requiring plaintiffs in civil suits to give bonds for costs when such suits are filed in county of which defendant is a non-resident.

McKinney.—Admitting as evidence in other than murder cases the declarations of a dying person.

Five of the six Senate bills of the 1907 session, vetoed by the governor and which were passed over his veto in the Senate at this session, were passed by the House this morning, when they came up as a special order. Four of the bills provide for District Agricultural Societies in eastern Oregon and carry appropriations of from \$1,500 to \$2,500 per annum each. The fifth measure permits the garnishment of the salaries and wages of state and county officials.

Dimick.—Requiring duplicates of all claims against estates to be filed with the probate court.

Killed By the House.

Clemens.—Prohibiting contracts by attorneys on a contingent-fee basis.

McDonald.—Authorizing the governor to appoint peace officers on steam boats and railroad trains at request of those corporations and at their expense.

New House Bills.

Hughes.—Regulating breeding of horses in cities and towns.

Hughes.—Providing tax exemption of \$500 to be referred to people at next general election.

Clemens.—Creating convict labor board and working convicts on roads.

Bedillion.—Provides for a road poll tax in incorporated cities and towns of \$3.00.

Bedillion.—Provides for reinstatement of corporations on payment of delinquent assessments owing to the state.

Miller (request Rogue River Fish Protective Association).—Closed season for trout fishing in Rogue River all year except with hook and line.

New Bills In House.

Brooke.—Providing for free inspection of all state, county, school, city or town records.

Abbott (request State Board of Forestry).—Creating chief fire marshal and appropriating \$15,000 for expenses of department.

House Bill Favors Beer.

Some local pastors and local option supporters are said to be in favor of House bill No. 167, which calls for a separate vote on beer and whiskey and ultimately prohibition. Hopmen who have been lobbying for the bill claim they have lined up a number of local option supporters.

Personal Notes

W. C. ROSE of Coquille, is in Marshfield.

R. F. NEWTON of Coquille, is in Marshfield on business.

W. S. McFARLAND leaves on the Alliance today for Portland.

CAPT. W. C. HARRIS of Sumner, was a Marshfield business visitor today.

SEYMOUR ERICKSON of Ten Mile, returned today from a business trip to Portland.

MRS. E. E. STRAW is entertaining a number of friends at Bridge at her home this afternoon.

MR. and MRS. NORIS JENSEN left today on a combined pleasure and business trip to San Francisco.

ALBERT SEELIG leaves today for Portland where he will appear as a witness in the 'B' street opening case.

ROBERT BOOTH, local manager of the C. A. Smith Lumber Company's yards, will leave this afternoon for Portland.

MR. OLSON, a partner in the firm having the general construction contract for the new Chandler hotel, left this morning for Missoula, Mont. He has been here for some time.

NORTH BEND NEWS

Phil. Reichert of Marshfield, was the guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. Reichert.

Miss Amanda Peterson of North Inlet, is the guest today of her sister, Mrs. John Vreeland.

Henry I. Reese, who is head sawyer at the Johnson mill, spent Sunday with his family here.

Misses Genevieve and Lizzie Telferson of Eastside, were the guests Sunday of Mrs. J. J. Burns.

Miss Lora Colver of Coos River, who is attending the Philomas College taking a course in art, is expected home this week.

The entertainment at Sumner Saturday evening was a social and financial success. The proceeds will be used in completing the hall.

Dr. G. R. Gale who has been ill in Portland is very much improved. This will be gratifying news to Dr. Gale's many friends on the Bay.

Mrs. M. D. Sherrard and daughter, Pauline, and Miss Minnie Coy of Bay City will were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. Sherrard's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Carey.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. H. Somers and W. J. Morrow under the firm name of Somers-Morrow Mercantile Credit Clearing Agency is this day dissolved by the withdrawal of W. J. Morrow who has assigned all his interest including business and good will to J. H. Somers who has assumed its indebtedness and to whom all debts and claims due the said firm should be paid.
Dated this first day of February, 1909.

(Signed) J. H. SOMERS,
W. J. MORROW.

LUNCHES.

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