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THE EDISON HOUSE.

A LITTLE CRITICISM appears to work as a stimulant to the talents of Thomas A. Edison. Two years ago he offered the world his plans for a \$1,200 concrete house which could be built in two weeks. Architects and builders pronounced the scheme impossible. Mr. Edison went about his idea more seriously.

Plans for a house to be cast from moulds are now available for anyone who chooses to use them. The entire house—walls, roof, floors, stairways, partitions, door frames and window frames—can be cast in one piece together with laundry tubs, bath room fixtures, interior decorations and ornamental panels. Concrete, as liquid as it is possible to make it, is to be poured from the roof into the moulds set up in their entirety. The operation, in Mr. Edison's opinion, can be carried through in fourteen days.

New and more wonderful applications of concrete are coming into use every day. It would be somewhat dangerous to sneer at the suggestion of a city of concrete raised, dried out and inhabited in the course of a month.

IN OUR HANDS.

THE DAILY East Oregonian of Pendleton, reprints from The Times the interesting statements of Herbert Lockhart in reference to city building and uses it as a text for a little sermon that is quite as applicable to Marshfield as to Pendleton. The East Oregonian says:

Not long ago a prominent Marshfield man made a visit through the northwest and returning home he made a statement to the Marshfield Times as follows:

"The only reason on earth why the most prosperous cities are located where they are is the energies and efforts of the citizens. A number of men with some money and the proper energy can build a city almost anywhere. Many of the cities of the interior of what is known as the Pacific Northwest have no particular natural resources behind them."

The idea that a city need have no natural resources can scarcely be accepted. But it is a fact that the energy displayed by the citizens of a city has an immense influence upon the growth and advancement of that municipality.

The city of Pendleton has enormous resources and if only the proper efforts are put forth by the people of this place, Pendleton cannot help advancing. But what Pendleton needs is hard, united effort towards the upbuilding of the town. If the people of this place will but get together and work hard and intelligently they can make Pendleton a far greater town than it is at present. It is a fact and a fact that local property owners should never forget, that the future of Pendleton is largely in the hands of the people of the city.

COOS BAY WILL.

When Mr. Hill finally builds that railroad into Central Oregon, he will take a look around and see if it is not worth while to go a little further. California and Coos Bay, please take notice.—Portland Oregonian.

SPRING CHICKENS at the SANITARY MARKET.

"CASTLEWOOD" at the P. K.

California WHEAT hay at HAINES

WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

We shall one day forget all about duty, and do everything from the love of the loveliness of it, the satisfaction of the rightness of it.

Selected.

The Concrete Craze.

We've got a brand new concrete house; they're quite the latest stunt; It's got a concrete bathtub and a concrete porch in front; A set of concrete washtubs and a garage up to date; And a concrete stove and mantle-piece and jardineer and grate.

It's wonderful the way the stuff is coming into use! It comes in pans and dishes and in knobs that don't come loose. Flatirons moulded from the stuff are proving rather neat. And auntie's having false teeth made of reinforced concrete.

We used it for our sidewalks and for cellars and for stairs; It comes in stines and bottles, too, and coffee pots and chairs. There's one place where it doesn't seem to be successful, though; Concrete won't pay our bills; we have to use the old style "dough."

HUGH McLAIN.

Every man seems to make a different noise when he sneezes.

We are all fools; the only question is, who is the greatest one.

Some Coos Bay people take delight in pouring ice water on enthusiasm.

What is known as "strong will power" is usually pure devilishness.

It must be a lot of consolation to a lazy man to feel that a germ causes it.

A Marshfield woman can always find a good excuse for going down town.

A Coos Bay man always has money enough to buy things not good for him.

Any Coos Bay boy can fool his mother, but any Coos Bay man cannot fool his wife.

Most Coos Bay people have good hearts, but many of them have mighty poor heads.

After a man marries the only distinction he can hope for is that of being a good provider.

Don't expect to make every "scheme" go. If one in 20 "goes" you will be doing well.

When you read in your Times last evening about the way they were melting with the hot weather in Kansas, Oklahoma and the East didn't it seem good to be on Coos Bay.

GOLD BEACH NEWS.

Events There As Recorded By The Globe.

Mrs. Anthony of Smith River, registered at the Gauntlet House Friday night, en route to North Bend to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Winsor of that place.

Dr. Schlemann was called to Agnes Sunday evening to minister to Mrs. Ed. Miller who is seriously ill. Mrs. Miller, a few days ago, sustained injuries about the back and shoulders by being thrown from a horse.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mrs. and Dr. F. J. Schlemann, Mr. Wesley Miller and Miss Fritzie Schlemann were united in marriage in the presence of the immediate families of the contracting parties. Judge Bailey said the words that joined the two hearts together for life's rough journey. The wedding was not a surprise to their many friends by no means, and when Judge Bailey and family dressed in their best and went to dine with the doctor's family told the tale. The news went out and all the tin can musicians gathered about 10 o'clock that night and started them off on life's journey with the best music their crude instruments would furnish.

JOHN W. BUTLER, Recorder of the City of Marshfield.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until 10 o'clock A. M., Friday the 20th day of August, 1909, for the clearing, grubbing, plowing and harrowing of five acres of land belonging to the I. O. O. F. Cemetery Company described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning 175 feet north of the corner of sections 1, 2, 11 and 12, township 26, south of range 13 west at a cedar post 4 inches square and run thence west 466.6 feet to a cedar post 4 inches square; thence north 466.6 feet to a cedar post 5 inches square; thence east 466.6 feet to a fir post 3 inches square; thence south 466.6 feet to the place of beginning containing 5.00 acres of land.

Dated this 16th day of August, 1909. JOHN F. HALL, Secretary of I. O. O. F. Cemetery Corporation.

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BANDON IS BOOSTING

Sends Seventeen Delegates to Development Congress and Raises \$400.

"You can tell the people of Coos Bay that Bandon is ablaze with enthusiasm for the Oregon-Idaho Development Congress," remarked Steve Henderson, the advance guard of the Bandon contingent who registered at the Chandler today noon and started in boosting immediately. "We had a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Bandon Chamber of Commerce last night and selected seventeen delegates to the Congress and raised \$400 cash for entertaining the delegates from abroad and Coos Bay people at a grand clam bake at the Bandon beach on Sunday. The people of Bandon believe in a broader public spirit and are willing to go more than half way and do their full share for anything that will aid and advance any part of Coos county, believing that anything that helps any section of the county will help all sections."

The meeting last evening was a large and representative one and was an index of the sentiment of the community according to Mr. Henderson. There will probably be a large number of citizens to accompany the regularly accredited delegation of seventeen whose expenses will be paid by the Commercial Club. Mr. Henderson states that there will be about forty or fifty in the delegation headed by Mayor Steve Gallier and Col. Rosa and will include C. R. Wade, State Representative R. J. Bedillion, G. T. Treadgold, Col. Coach and other prominent citizens.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given, by order of the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, dated the 24th day of June, 1909, that a special election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m., and 6 o'clock p. m., on TUESDAY the 24th, day of August, 1909, for the purpose of submitting to the legal voters of said City for their approval or rejection, an amendment to Section 110 of the city Charter of said City of Marshfield, to increase the limit of indebtedness to five per cent of the assessed valuation of the property within the corporate limits of the said city, and also an amendment to sub-division 34 of Section 28 of the Charter of the said City of Marshfield, authorizing and empowering the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, to issue and dispose of bonds of said city, not exceeding five per cent of the assessed valuation of the property within the corporate limits of said City of Marshfield, said bonds to be payable in not less than ten nor more than twenty years, the same to bear interest not exceeding six per cent, for the purpose of redeeming and paying off the warrant indebtedness of the said City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon.

Witness my hand this 12th day of August, 1909.

JOHN W. BUTLER, Recorder of the City of Marshfield.

NOTICE!

Any person cutting Timber or Bark of any description on the lands of the Southern Oregon Company, or removing same, or other property, from said lands, without being duly authorized in writing, will be prosecuted according to law.

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