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### TATTLE OF THE TOWN

#### WEATHER FORECAST.

(By Associated Press.)

OREGON—Fair tonight; Sunday, cooler.

#### LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 p. m., Nov. 5, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer.  
Maximum.....48  
Minimum.....44  
At 4:43 p. m.....46  
Precipitation......46  
Wind, Southwest; cloudy.

**More Strawberries.**—D. D. Brannard, the Haynes Inlet rancher, brought in another fine lot of strawberries today, some of which are on exhibition at the Chamber of Commerce.

**Build Bungalow.**—Davis and Swanson have awarded the contract to Fairbairns and Noah for a five-room bungalow to be erected at the corner of Eleventh and Central avenue. It will be started next week.

**Hold Meeting.**—The Citizens' League held a meeting at the Finnish hall last evening. There was a good attendance. A debate between R. A. Copple and D. L. W. Traver on municipal affairs was the principal matter on the program.

**Capt. Edwards Ill.**—Captain E. S. Edwards, United States Inspector of Steam Hulls, is ill at his apartments at the Mortarier, Thirteenth and Washington streets. He was threatened with pneumonia, but it is said this has now been broken.—Portland Telegram.

**Will Come Soon.**—J. H. Somers writes that the Messrs. Haas & Kuettners will probably reach the Bay within a few days to push the proposed electric line between Coos Bay and Roseburg. They may arrange for surveying crews to begin work on the road soon.

**Purdy to Roseburg.**—W. W. Purdy, the electric railroad promoter has arrived in the city from Marshfield where he spent several weeks attending business matters connected with the proposed railroad which he is furthering from Oakland to the coast. He was accompanied here by Allen Frake.—Roseburg News.

**Is Fined.**—Yesterday, Justice C. L. Pennock imposed a fine of \$5 and costs on Chas. Denison, who was charged with assault by Moses George. George had a fine pair of black eyes and some bruises on his body where Denison hit him with a can of fruit after he had knocked him down, four times, and George was trying to make a hasty exit. Denison claimed that

George had insulted or threatened Mrs. Denison but Judge Pennock thought his treatment was a little too severe even though there were some extenuating circumstances.

**Drills For Oil.**—E. L. Crispen who is in charge of the drilling for oil near Dairyville, Curry county, passed through here today en route to Portland for additional machinery. He reports that they discovered a big deposit of gas at a depth of 600 feet and he believes they will soon get oil. They have been delayed in drilling by accidents to their machinery.

**Dredge Oregon.**—The dredge Oregon, which has been employed deepening the channel of the Columbia between Vancouver and the mouth of the Willamette, will complete the job in another week or so. She will then be sent to Grays Harbor, in the Seattle district, for similar work. She has deepened the channel from the barracks city to the Willamette to the 20-foot mark.—Portland Journal.

### NORTH BEND NEWS

Mrs. Lincoln Reynolds is ill at her home.

The Ladies of the Baptist church will hold a bazaar the first week in December.

The W. C. T. U. will serve dinner every day next week for the carpenters that work on the Tabernacle at Mrs. Jones' Bakery, on Union avenue.

The W. C. T. U. will have a special meeting Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church, on Union avenue. Mrs. E. McGray, county president of the W. C. T. U., will give an address on the convention held at Hood River. A special musical program has been arranged for the evening. Rev. J. C. Lininger will have charge of the singing.

### MILLINERY SALE IS ANNOUNCED

Commencing Monday, November 8, Big Reductions Will Be Made.

I will offer to the Ladies of Coos Bay for 15 days 300 TRIMMED HATS at ONE-HALF ORIGINAL PRICES ranging from \$2.50 to \$15. CHILDREN'S TAILORED AND PATENT LEATHER HATS at \$1.50 each. CHILDREN'S TRIMMED HATS AT \$3.00.

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### Personal Notes

JOSEPH BLUDSOE of Coquille, is here on business.

N. C. MEDLEY of Coquille, is a Marshfield business visitor.

G. B. HAIGHT of Myrtle Point, is looking after business here.

MISS ANNIE SMITH of Daniels Creek, is a Marshfield visitor today.

MRS. T. J. MACGENN of Empire, spent today with Marshfield friends.

J. C. SAVAGE, editor of the Coquille Sentinel, is a Marshfield business visitor today.

FRANK MARHOFFER and bride of Bay City, were Marshfield visitors this morning.

MRS. E. L. ROBERTS and daughter of Catching Inlet, were Marshfield visitors yesterday.

WM. GRIMES is expected home today from Ten Mile where he has been hunting for a few days.

MRS. M. M. MURPHY of South Second street, is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

MRS. GEORGE ROSS and children of Catching Inlet, were guests of Marshfield friends today.

S. W. VAN ZILE, the well-known North Bend furniture dealer, was a Marshfield business visitor today.

A. E. NEFF and E. S. Bargelt leave this afternoon for Ten Mile where they will enjoy a few days hunting and fishing.

MISS MABLE KING will leave for Portland soon to visit friends and relatives and will attend school up there the first of the year.

WM. GUNN, who has been employed at the C. A. Smith mill, will leave on the Nann Smith, Sunday, to enter school at San Francisco.

JOE NAY of Curry county passed through here yesterday en route home from a business and pleasure trip to Portland and Seattle.

JUDGE JOHN F. HALL is expected home today from Coquille where he has been attending the quarterly session of the county commissioners.

MRS. E. W. SULLIVAN of South Coos River, is quite ill at the home of Mrs. F. A. Haines in this city. She is suffering from a severe cold and other complications.

W. J. PRESTON of Boise, Ida., is here with a view of starting an electrical supply business on the Bay. He was here three or four years ago and is greatly surprised of the developments meanwhile.

TOM GOODALE and P. R. Crooks, who disposed of the Tioga a few days ago, will leave this afternoon for the Shasta mining district where they will do some prospecting. They may be absent several weeks.

WARNER OGREN and J. B. Tower returned today from a three days' hunting trip on Haynes Inlet during which they secured thirty ducks. Had the weather been a little better, they claim they would have made the record killing of the season.

A. E. POLLEXPEN and E. W. Kammerer, who had planned to leave today for Portland, have had to postpone their trip one week. Mr. Kammerer being detained here by his partner, W. T. Merchant, being called to San Francisco by the death of his brother-in-law, John Preuss.

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## MANY TRIBUTES TO JOHN PREUSS

### Passing of Well-Known Coos Bay Business Man Mourned.

Seldom has Coos Bay heard more tributes paid to the passing of a man than have been paid to John Preuss who died yesterday at San Francisco. The news of his death while not entirely unexpected, came as a shock to his many friends and business associates in this section. Ailing for several years and his health in a critical condition for several months past, little hope had been held out for him but everything that could be done was done for him.

John Preuss was a self-made man in the full sense of the word. Coming to Coos Bay in 1883, very little money and no acquaintances to pave the way for him, he took hold and by sheer personal efforts built up one of the principal businesses on the Bay, accumulated considerable property and established a reputation for himself as a substantial citizen, as a man of honor and square dealing that few can claim. Paying attention to his own business, he engendered none of the animosities that mark the pathway of some.

"I consider John Preuss one of the best business men Coos Bay had," said Dr. J. T. McCormac, who had known Mr. Preuss since he first arrived on the Bay. "He was absolutely self-made, was a man of honor and absolutely square." Many other similar tributes were paid by men around town.

John Preuss was born in Basel, Switzerland, January 1, 1864. When young he moved with his parents to various parts of Germany, his father, Jacob Preuss being engaged in railroad work. When he was six years old, his father died. When about eighteen, he with his mother and brothers and sister moved to America, first settling in New York. In a year or so he started westward, reaching Coos Bay the latter part of 1883. He first became identified with the Hagenback pharmacy here and later was pharmacist for the late Dr. Golden. In 1886, he became identified with Henry Sengstacken's pharmacy with which he remained until 1896 when he and Dr. Neilsen started the Red Cross Drug store. After a year or so, he purchased Dr. Neilsen's interests and from that time on conducted the business alone.

A few years after his arrival on the Bay, he married Miss Sarah Merchant who died in 1894. Three children were born to them, Misses May and Irene who are at home here and John, who is attending school in Portland. December 28, 1904, he was united in marriage with Miss Agnes Ross Gibbs, a Marshfield school teacher, who survives him. Other surviving relatives are his mother, Mrs. Barba Preuss of Marshfield, three brothers, Chas. Preuss, now in Germany, and Wm. and Adolph Preuss of New York, and one sister, Mrs. W. T. Merchant of Marshfield.

The body will probably be brought here on the M. F. Plant next Thursday and the funeral will probably be held here next Friday but the exact date will not be announced for a few days.

W. T. Merchant, a brother-in-law of the deceased, left on the M. F. Plant yesterday for San Francisco and will assist Mrs. Preuss in arranging to bring the body here.

#### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that the Supervisor of Road District No. 4 of Coos County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a public waterway in Kentuck Slough, according to plans and specifications, a copy of which may be seen by calling on the undersigned, or at the office of Hall & Hall in Marshfield, Oregon.

Bids to be opened at the office of Hall & Hall, Marshfield, Coos county, Oregon, at 2 o'clock P. M., November 27, 1909.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 6th day of November, 1909.

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