



**FREE! FREE!**

WITH every Boys' Suit or Overcoat sold this week we will give, as a Christmas Present, a

**DAISY AIR RIFLE**

Boys' Suits - \$3.00 to \$7.00  
Boys' Overcoats \$4.50 to \$10.00

**WOOLEN MILL STORE**

Mill-to-Man Clothiers

Marshfield, Oregon

Boys' Sweater Coats \$1.25 and \$1.50

**TATTLE OF THE TOWN**

WEATHER FORECAST.  
(By Associated Press.)

OREGON—Rain or snow in south; snow east; fair in north-west portion tonight and Tuesday.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 p. m., Dec. 20, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer.

Maximum . . . . . 49  
Minimum . . . . . 29  
At 4:43 p. m. . . . . 43  
Precipitation . . . . . none  
Wind, Northwest; clear.

Council Tonight.—The Marshfield city council will meet this evening to take up various matters.

Is Injured.—Ellis Grant, a son of Mrs. Grant residing in West Marshfield, sustained a badly sprained knee in a fall this afternoon.

Excursion Saturday.—The Marshfield football team has decided to run their excursion to Coquille Saturday and play the Independents there Saturday afternoon instead of Sunday as had been planned. The change was made in order that some

of the local prize fights could go over to take in the football game and the fight at the same time. The train will leave here Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

**Ride With Us.**—Magnes & Matson have arranged a special automobile transfer for their customers to and from their store during the present week. A telephone message will bring the automobile to your door and return with you when you have completed shopping.

**Coldest of the Year.**—Last night was the coldest of the season on Coos Bay, the government thermometer reaching 27, two degrees colder than the previous night. One night last winter, the thermometer reached 25 or lower but the cold snap only lasted a day or two instead of several days as it has this time.

**Dr. Prentiss Ill.**—Word has been received here that Dr. A. B. Prentiss, formerly a well-known Marshfield dentist, is quite ill in a hospital at Portland. Dr. Prentiss moved from here to Bandon about two years ago, but later had to give up his practice on account of ill-health. A year ago he and Mrs. Prentiss went to California in hopes of benefitting his health and they have travelled since in a futile effort to secure the desired benefit.

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**Personal Notes**

B. D. JONES of Empire, is a Marshfield business visitor today.

R. C. CORDES is spending a few days at his homestead in the Sand Hills.

CAPT. C. W. HARRIS of Sumner, was in Marshfield today on business and pleasure.

MRS. VICTOR WICKMAN and sister, Miss Gotty, of Empire, were Marshfield shoppers yesterday.

F. M. FRIEDBERG and wife, Miss Horrell and Charlton Lee are spending a few days at the Sand Hills.

SEYMOUR H. BELL and Judge Coke went to North Bend this afternoon to attend a meeting of the directors of the Bank of Oregon.

MR. and MRS. McCLOSKEY, came down today from their claim at Loon Lake and are en route to Myrtle Point where they will spend the holidays.

C. H. LUNDGREN, who left here last February for Colorado, returned on the Alliance yesterday to spend the winter here at least. He says that Coos Bay beats any of the smaller cities of the Rocky Mountain section that he has visited.

**Business is Good...**

WHICH SIMPLY PROVES THAT OUR STOCK OF CHRISTMAS GOODS IS OF THE PROPER KIND, AND THAT OUR PRICES ARE VERY REASONABLE. LET US DEMONSTRATE THESE FACTS TO YOU.

**BROWN DRUG CO.**

GRADUATE CHEMISTS, PRESCRIPTION SPECIALISTS,  
347 FRONT ST., MARSHFIELD, ORE., PHONE 141



**Next Time**

YOU ORDER WHY NOT TRY "SNOWDRIFT"? IT IS SURE TO PLEASE FOR IT MAKES BREAD "AS LIGHT AND WHITE AS THE DRIVEN SNOW."

A GOOD CAKE FLOUR.

ASK YOUR GROCER.

**NORTH BEND NEWS**

Geo. Black of Catching Inlet, has gone to San Francisco.

Captain Edgar Simpson left on the Plant for San Francisco.

Mrs. W. E. Best came in on the Plant and will occupy Dr. Gale's residence.

Miss Hage and Miss Hattie Hage came on the Alliance from Portland yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Keiser and little daughter are spending a few days with Mrs. Gebhart.

Misses Grace and Mae Smallwood of Eastside, left on the Plant to visit friends in Los Angeles.

**SALAD SETS at MILNER'S.**

**MUSICAL COMEDY Opera House TONIGHT.**

**WATCHES \$1.00, \$2.00 and \$5.00 at MILNER'S.**


**Christmas Candies  
Christmas Goodies  
Christmas Tree Ornaments**

Everything to make the Children's Christmas a thing of Beauty and a Joy forever, one that will be remembered always.

Your Christmas shopping is not complete until you visit

**CORTHELL'S**

And see their Fine Line of Candies and Christmas Dainties.



DON'T FAIL TO EXAMINE OUR STOCK BEFORE MAKING YOUR PURCHASES.

OUR HOBBY IS DISHES. WE CARRY THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK IN THE CITY AND OUR PRICES ARE 20 PER CENT LOWER THAN OTHERS.

WHY? BECAUSE WE BUY FOR 20 PER CENT LESS AND ARE SATISFIED WITH A SMALL PROFIT TO MAKE THE SALES.

YOU WILL FIND HERE AWAITING YOUR PLEASURE: DISHES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, SILVERWARE, CUTLERY, CARVING SETS, AIR RIFLES, NICKEL-PLATED WARE AND OTHER XMAS GOODS.

SEE OUR STOCK BEFORE MAKING PURCHASE.

10 PER CENT SPECIAL THIS WEEK ON WASH MACHINES AND WE HAVE SOME DANDYS.

**PIONEER HARDWARE CO.**

**The Price is Right,  
The Quality Better**



FIVE CENTS PER LINE PER DAY.

WANT ADS

FIVE SHORT WORDS MAKE ONE LINE.

**EXCHANGE**—Fine fruit and garden land near city and deep water, for house and one or more lots in Marshfield or Eastside.—Address "Owner P O Box 612".

**FOR SALE**—Marshfield Skating Rink at a very low figure, if taken before January 1.—Enquire D. L. Avery.

**FOR SALE**—All my household furniture will be sold cheap as I am leaving city. T. R. Hadley across street from Catholic church.

**BLACKSMITH WANTED**—Apply at railroad shop.

**FOR SALE**—Pure bred Collie puppies. Just the thing for Xmas present. J. W. Flanagan, Phone 33

**FOR RENT**—Houses close in. Also new storeroom at Fourth and Central ave., soon. Phone 164-J.

**FOR SALE**—At bargain, the confectionery store and billiard hall in Knights of Finland building. Good lease including living rooms. Apply on premises.

**LOYD HOTEL** Formerly the Garfield. Only family hotel in town. Opened under new management. Thoroughly remodeled and refurbished. Rates 50c to \$1 day or; \$2 to \$5 per week. Special rates by e h th. Free Bath. Fine Marine View. L. V. BRIDGES, Prop.

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**FOR HER**

WE HAVE THE FINEST AND LARGEST LINE OF

**Holiday Stationery in Beautiful Christmas Boxes**

EVER SHOWN ON COOS BAY. WE CAN SUIT ALL TASTES AND ALL POCKETS

FROM \$1.00 TO \$3.00 PER BOX.

IF IN DOUBT WHAT TO GIVE YOU CANNOT MAKE A MISTAKE BY SENDING ONE OF THESE BEAUTIFUL GIFTS TO MOTHER, WIFE, SISTER OR SWEETHEART.

**LOCKHART & PARSONS**

**DRUG COMPANY**

"The Busy Corner"

Prescriptions Accurately compounded.