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NORTH BEND NEWS

Dr. Bartle and wife left today for their summer home, "Kamp Kib-Kare," on Coos River.

The North Bend Knights of Pythias will give a social at Taylor's hall tonight.

J. A. Allen is planning extensive improvements in his news and confectionery store. He will add an ice cream parlor and make other alterations.

Improvements now underway in the Porter mill will cost about \$15,000. New machinery will be put in, the output increased and the cost of production lessened.

THE MYSTERY SOLVED.

Editor Times:
"When is \$5 not 500 cents? Never. The "mystery" is caused by ignoring the rules of arithmetic. Two concrete numbers cannot be multiplied. The apparent trouble lies in multiplying \$5 five times while 500 cents is multiplied five hundred times. Five times \$5 is \$25. Five times 500 cents is 2,500 cents or \$25. Five hundred times \$5 is \$2,500. Five hundred times 500 cents is also \$2,500."
MRS. G. L. HALL.

PROBLEMS PUZZLING HARVARD.

If You Can Solve Them Offhand You Will Have Forty Professors Beaten.

BOSTON, Mass., March 5.—These problems were put up to 40 Harvard professors by Mr. Griffin, a lightning calculator, at a private quiz:

"My birthday is April 23. If the next time my birthday comes on Easter Sunday I shall be 20 per cent older than next April, how old am I now?"

And yet, again: "If on that Easter birthday the population of Boston were 60 per cent more than the sum of all the numbers from 14,107 to the next prime number above, and they should all celebrate my birthday by giving me as many Easter eggs at 41 cents a dozen, what would be the common interest on the money at 3 per cent from that day until the next time my birthday falls on Easter Sunday?"

Griffith said he could solve them without putting pen to paper. He was not challenged.

The professors have been at work on the problems ever since. Properly it was Mr. Griffin who was being quizzed and not the professors, and it was only at the close of the hearing that he so unkindly turned the tables on them. He had been invited by Prof. Julian C. Coolidge of the Harvard mathematics department to demonstrate his abilities. Professors and instructors all expressed their amazement at what they saw. The questions came in rapid fire, to be answered off-hand, no less rapidly, while at a far slower rate the questioners sought with blackboard and chalk eight of them at a time to certify their correctness.

CARD OF THANKS.

I hereby wish to express my heartfelt thanks for the many kind acts and sympathy shown me by friends and neighbors in the loss of my beloved husband, Andrew O'Connor.

MRS. ANDREW O'CONNOR.

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LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.
For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 p. m., March 4, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer.
Maximum.....53
Minimum.....47
At 4:43 p. m.....49
Precipitation......16
Wind, Southwest; cloudy.

Test Machinery.—A. Thels is now testing the machinery for the briquetting plant and expects to try the first batch of briquets next week. The machinery is working in good shape.

Buys Property.—Roy Moore and wife have purchased the residence, which they occupy on Pine street from Mrs. G. A. Bennett. The deal was made by Tom Hall and the price is understood to be \$2,500.

Council Monday.—The Marshfield city council will meet next Monday evening to take various matters. Among these will be a conference with County Assessor T. J. Thrift relative to the assessments.

In Spokane.—R. F. Crittenden, who spent some time on the Bay and who started several schemes here is now located in Spokane where he has started a big real estate agency. This is the first heard of him since he dropped out of the Port Orford Orchard Tracts proposition.

More Litigation.—It is believed that the estate of the late C. D. McFarlin, the well-known North Inlet cranberry grower, is likely to be the cause of much litigation. Several months ago, nephews of Mr. McFarlin began suit against the widow, now Mrs. T. J. Lewis, for a part of the estate on the ground that their father was interested with him in the project. They made Mr. Frazer who purchased the place a party to the suit and now, it is understood, Mr. Frazer will begin suit against Mrs. Lewis charging her with misrepresentations when she sold him the place.

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Personal Notes

JOHN STAUFF went to Coquille today on business.

C. F. McKNIGHT went to Coquille today on business.

WM. WATERS of North Inlet, is in Marshfield on business today.

MISS CARRIE RODINE spent today with friends in Marshfield friends.

MRS. JAS. FORTY of Millington, is a Marshfield shopper.

H. C. DIERS of North Bend, was a Marshfield visitor today.

E. L. PIERCE came down from his logging camp at Allegany today to spend Sunday.

J. J. CLINKINBEARD, the well-known Coos River rancher, was in Marshfield today on business.

RAY PINKERTON, who is teaching school on Coos River, is in Marshfield today on business.

JAS. MURRAY, the well-known traveling man, left yesterday for San Francisco.

W. C. WAITE of Acme, Oregon, arrived here yesterday to receive medical treatment.

MRS. H. E. BESSEY and sons, Lawrence and George, left today for Bandon where they will visit for a few days.

WATSON SHORT celebrated his birthday March 4. From the maturity he has always been proud that his natal day and the inauguration of a president of these great United States occurred on the same date.

VICTOR BACKLUND came over from Bandon today to take a position in the new logging camp of Selen and Stora on Catching Inlet. The opening of the camp will be delayed somewhat owing to the fact that they are short about a quarter of a mile of steel for their logging road.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The steamer Lucy Neff will arrive here from San Francisco tomorrow with about 100 tons of freight. She will take back a cargo of Beaver Hill coal. She was chartered by the Southern Pacific for one trip only. Whether she may be chartered for a longer time will probably depend on the San Francisco market and the rapidity with which she can handle coal cargoes. She sailed from San Francisco Friday.

REMARKABLE LEATHER SHIPMENT

O. O. Lund has just received a shipment of absolutely waterproof leather that was tanned to order by the famous tanners Pfister & Vogel of Milwaukee. The order for this leather was given two years ago and all orders must be placed two years in advance. It is the only leather that is guaranteed to be absolutely waterproof and is used for making loggers' boots. Coos county loggers should see this leather and get Lund's prices.—O. O. LUND, 215 South Broadway.

LEE BARR'S bankrupt jewelry stock sold at auction in North Bend commencing Tuesday, March 8, at 10:30 in the morning.

Just received 1,200 writing tablets of all kinds, 5c to 25c at FRIZEEN'S

ASSESSOR TO START MONDAY

T. J. Thrift Appoints W. J. Rust to Assess Marshfield Property This Year.

COQUILLE, Ore., March 5.— On Monday the county assessor and his force will start out on their yearly rounds to get at the amount of property, both real and personal in the county. The work of making the assessment this year will probably occupy about six weeks unless unexpected difficulties are encountered. County Assessor Thrift and five deputies will attend to the assessment this year. Their names and districts areas follows: J. S. Lawrence, Myrtle Point and the river between there and Bandon and to the Curry county line. W. W. Williams of Myrtle Point, the north, south and middle fork and Kitchen Creek sections. Charles Jackson of Marshfield, the north end of the county and the Coos River section. W. J. Rust of Marshfield, will assess Marshfield. C. J. Van Zile will assess North Bend. Mr. Thrift himself will have Bandon and Coquille.

Talk Good Roads.

The county court convened Wednesday in its regular bi-monthly session. Nearly all of the road supervisors handed in their reports as requested but it was impossible to get through the entire list and the road business was continued until this morning, when the remainder of the reports were received. The reports show that he roads of the county are generally in a fair condition though nearly every district has some sections of bad roads. However with the supervisors working in harmony and the commissioners giving their aid as required there is little doubt that the roads of the county will be in a far better condition next year.

JACKSON COUNTY PESTS.

A General Cleanup of All Kinds of Trees Being Made.

MEDFORD, March 5.—The war in Rogue River Valley over the fruit inspectors is a thing of the past. State Horticulturist Carson, at the urgent demand of the Rogue River Horticultural Society, having rescinded his order that no additional fruit inspectors be employed, and the entire force of eight men is now at work under the direction of Professor P. J. O'Gara of the department of agriculture, and of County Fruit Inspector, J. W. Myers, forcing a clean-up of fruit trees more thorough than has before been made in this valley.

The towns are being given the greater attention by Professor O'Gara and his corps of inspectors for the commercial orchards are practically free of pests. Medford is the first town to feel the iron hand of a vigorous enforcement of the state fruit pest laws, and a large number of fruit trees and ornamental shrubs that were too badly infested with pests to be saved were cut down. Those spared are to be sprayed by the owners or will be cut down by the inspectors. That a hardship shall not be put on any one. County Inspector Myers has arranged for a large power sprayer to spray such trees as the owners wish to save. The entire force of inspectors went to Talent and from there will in succession give a cleanup to the other towns of the county.

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