

PORT COMMISSION PURCHASES WATER FRONT FOR PUBLIC DOCKS

Thirteen Lots in Marshfield North of Standard Oil Warehouse.

WILL GIVE HELP TO KENTUCK INLET PLAN.

Coos River Channel Is to Be Marked by Row of Piling.

ACTION OF PORT.

Thirteen lots on Marshfield water front purchased for public docks.

The commissioners of the Port of Coos Bay held their regular monthly meeting yesterday at the office of the secretary, Heary Sengstacken.

An ordinance providing for the dredging of a channel or canal from the present completed channel of Coos Bay was passed to its first reading.

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Plans and specifications for the marking with piles of the Coos River channel from Marshfield to the foot hills were adopted.

Engineer Robinson reported that the people of North Inlet and Ten Mile were in need of channel improvement, and he was directed to formulate a project with plans and specifications which would meet the needs of the locality.

Attorney C. R. Peck reported that he had complied with the instructions of the board and had requested Mr. Bennett to join in a motion to advance the case of the Bennett Trust Company, et al. vs. Sengstacken et al.

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Abel A. Adams of Los Angeles, Cal., appeared before the board and stated that he had been informed that the Port was contemplating buying water front for the purposes of public wharves and docks, and that he had eleven lots immediately north of the Standard Oil warehouse which had cost him \$1,260 each, but by reason of the fact that he needed money in his business at this time, he would be willing to sell the eleven lots to the Port for \$10,000, on terms of \$4,000 cash, \$3,000 on or before one year, and \$3,000 on or before two years at 6 per cent interest payable semi-annually.

SURVEY FOR POWER PLANT

Grants Pass Men Doing Extensive Work on South Fork of Coquille.

Engineer Eugene Robinson has returned from a trip to the south fork of the Coquille River, where he went in the interests of the Coos Bay Traction Corporation.

While in that neighborhood Mr. Robinson ran across some of the men who are doing the engineering work for a new electrical power plant which is to be built by M. J. Anderson and his associates of Grants Pass.

FINDS MORE BAD FRUIT

P. M. Hall-Lewis Goes After Apples and Pears at North Bend.

P. M. Hall-Lewis, the county fruit inspector, was in North Bend to-day and branded some of the fruit there as unfit for sale.

He found about a dozen boxes of pears and sixty boxes of apples, which were infested and which he ordered off the market.

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This condition is imposed by a city ordinance and I have no option but to enforce it. Parties living near a sewer and whose places are not connected up with it are requested to secure a copy of the ordinance from City Recorder Butler and inform themselves concerning this provision.

THORNTON, WASH., SWEEPED BY FIRE

The Entire Business Section Is Wiped Out, Financial Loss Is \$60,000 and Whole Place Was Threatened.

(By Associated Press.) COLFAX, Wash., Sept. 13.—Thornton was swept by fire last night. The entire business section was destroyed and only the strenuous work of the

citizens saved the town. The financial loss will reach \$60,000. The explosion of a gasoline stove in a restaurant was the cause. A high wind spread the fire rapidly and in a short time the business section was in ruins.

FOREST FIRES UNDER CONTROL

Troops Are No Longer Needed at the Yakima Indian Reservation.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13.—A telegram to the Indian office has been received from Superintendent Young of the Yakima Indian Reservation in Washington, saying that the fire conditions are greatly improved.

IS A SMALL HEAVY WEIGHT

Lyon's Sermons Heavily Loaded—Hear Him To-Night at Tabernacle.

(By Rev. G. LeRoy Hall.) WOMEN INVITED.

On Wednesday afternoon Mr. Lyon invites the women only to his afternoon service at 3 o'clock.

That Rev. M. H. Lyon is a small heavyweight is pronounced by all who see him. This his sermons are heavy with sound teaching is attested by all who hear him.

His train of thought, so far from being like a string of empty fat cars, rattling by, likely to jump the track at any small provocation, is comparable rather to the heavily loaded train thundering along, impressing one with the greatness of its value and the weight of its merchandise.

No tricks are used by Mr. Lyon. His sermons are strong appeals to men and women to decide for Jesus Christ. He keeps his coat on, has not as yet injured the pulpit, and the chairs thus far have no need of repairs.

LYON HOT SHOTS.

"If the churches and Christian people were taken out of Marshfield, the blackest hearted infidel would sell his property for twenty cents on the dollar. It is the gospel of Christ that makes any community worth living in."

"I have more respect for the saloonkeeper who acknowledges he is serving the devil and expects to go to hell than I have for a church member who rents his building for that damnable purpose."

"Can anything be more contemptible than the coward who is afraid to take a stand for the right for fear he will lose the trade of the vicious element?"

"Did you ever know of a town trying to build up by advertising its large number of booze joints and disorderly houses?"

"The high toned club that tempts men to drink is just as much an agent of the devil as the low down saloon. What right has the one to deal out booze without a license any more than the other?"

MRS. A. G. AIKEN will have her fall and winter millinery on display on and after SEPTEMBER 14

WILL INDICT THREE MORE

Government Is After Chicago Packers Charging Them With Illegal Monopoly.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—It is expected that two more meat packers will be indicted by the federal Grand Jury which yesterday charged ten Chicago packers of conspiracy and illegal monopoly, and to-day the government announced its intention to force an early trial of all.

TRYING WHITE MURDER CASE

Work of Securing a Jury Progressing Slowly in Circuit Court.

The White murder case is on trial in the Circuit Court at Coquille. Nine jurors have been selected, but it is likely that only five of these will be accepted by both sides.

It is understood that a plea of insanity will be the defense. White is a young man who lived at Bandon and who last winter killed his step-father at the family home.

WILL TRY FLAGG CASE.

North Bend Divorce and Criminal Action Will Both Come Up.

The divorce suit of Inez Flagg against Oren Flagg is to come up at this term of the Circuit Court. The defendant is the young man who was arrested while leaving the country in company with his sister-in-law, Cleo Covey.

Flagg claims that he was not guilty of anything wrong when arrested in company with his sister-in-law. He claims, his attorney states, that the girl was going away to find work and that as he was also going away they left together.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—The wheat market to-day closed as follows: September, .95%; December, .99%; May, \$1.05.

BIG POLITICIAN HERE.

Dennis Flynn, prominent politician of Oklahoma City, Okla., arrived in the city last night on the Roseburg stage and is the guest of Col. William Grimes. Mr. Flynn has been entertaining Vice-President Sherman at his home just before departing for Coos Bay.

ELECTION IN MAINE RESULTS IN A DEMOCRATIC LANDSLIDE

925 REGISTER IN MARSHFIELD

Estimate To-Day Shows About That Number of Names on Books.

The registration before the primaries closes to-morrow when those who have been registering the voters must forward their papers to the County Clerk. The registration books open again after the primaries and voters can register for the election.

Of the 925 voters who were registered in Marshfield about twenty per cent are not voters in this city but vote in other precincts and registered while in Marshfield.

COAST LEAGUE BALL SCORE

Portland Loses Game Played Yesterday With the Oakland Team.

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Sept. 13.—Portland lost a game to Oakland yesterday. The scores of yesterday were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Team, Score. AT OAKLAND—R. H. Oakland 2 1, Portland 0 3. AT LOS ANGELES—R. H. Los Angeles 0 3, San Francisco 3 5.

PERSONAL MENTION.

SHERIFF GAGE is here to-day from Coquille. F. A. SACCHI was at Sumner yesterday on a visit. DR. J. W. INGRAM went to North Bend this morning. GEORGE W. WATKINS was in Coquille to-day on business. ERIC BOLT has gone to Golden Falls for a few days' recreation. JOHN HENDRICKS of North Coos River was in the city to-day. ATTORNEY C. A. Selby will go to Coquille to-morrow on business. TOM BENNETT was in Coquille to-day to look after business in court. M. J. MCKENNA of the Cody Lumber Company of Bandon is in the city to-day. MISS LUCY HORTON left yesterday for Seattle where she will attend the University of Washington. MISS JESSIE CHASE, who is to be one of the teachers in the Marshfield schools, arrived in the city on the steamer M. F. Plant. MRS. MORRIS, an elderly lady of Coquille, was brought here to-day and taken to Mercy Hospital. She is in poor health due to old age. H. S. WIEDER, who has been in the city visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Wieder, will leave to-day on the steamer M. F. Plant for San Francisco. DISTRICT-ATTORNEY GEORGE M. BROWN left for Marshfield and Coquille Saturday, where he will attend the regular term of court for Coos county.—Roseburg News. JOE JOSEPHSON has resigned his position in Foote's pantatorium and has taken a place with the Marshfield Cleaning Works. W. E. Foote has taken Josephson's place in the Foote shop. MRS. H. S. TOWER and daughter, Miss Nora Tower, accompanied Mr. Tower who left yesterday for

T. W. Plaisted Chosen Governor Over Republicans By Big Majority.

TWO DEMOCRATIC CONGRESSMEN ELECTED.

Republicans Lose Majority in Both the State Senate and Lower House.

(By Associated Press.) PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 13.—The Democrats of Maine had no difficulty to-day in contemplating the magnitude of their victory yesterday in the struggle with the Republicans. With two scores of small obscure forest towns and island plantations to hear from the returns give Colonel Fred W. Plaisted, Democrat, 72,711 votes for Governor, and Governor Bert M. Fernald, Republican, 43,090. Two Democratic Congressmen were also elected.

Legislature Also.

Complete returns on the vote on State Senators show that the Democrats have 21 out of the 31 seats. The last State Senate was made up of 23 Republicans and eight Democrats. With but four representative districts to be completed, the Democrats have elected 84 Representatives and the Republicans 63.

DEMOCRATS NOT PRESENT

Failed to Attend Meeting of Republicans of Ballinger-Pinchot Committee.

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, Sept. 13.—A meeting of the Republican members of the Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee is being held to-day. As was expected the Democratic members and Madison, the insurgent Republican, who on Friday made public their findings which condemned the official acts of Ballinger, failed to attend to-day's session. All the Republican members except Flint, who is abroad, are in attendance. His absence will result in no quorum. It is reported, however, that Chairman Nelson has a letter from Flint authorizing him to cast his vote with the majority of the Republicans.

THREE NEGROES ARE LYNCHED

Are Executed Under Mob Law Rule Near Tiptonville, Tenn.

(By Associated Press.) NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 13.—Will Sharp and both the Bruce negroes were lynched near Tiptonville, Tenn., last night. They attempted to assault two little girls.

Charles City, Ia., where he was called on account of the illness of his mother. HARRY WINKLER, of the Busy Corner, and W. J. Conrad, are spending a few days at the Herbert Rogers place on Coos River, and putting in their time fishing and hunting—a good time.

CAPT. HARRIS is here from Sumner, having come down yesterday to attend the meeting of the Port Commission. Capt. Harris has sold his dairy business at Sumner, but still retains his residence there.

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