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Marshfield, Oregon

## PLANT UNABLE TO CARRY ALL

Too Much Freight For Steamer to Take South Today—Some Left Behind.

The M. F. Plant sailed this afternoon for San Francisco with a capacity load of freight leaving behind about one hundred tons which she could not handle this trip. There was a big shipment of salmon from the Siuslaw in addition to other miscellaneous freight and consequently some had to be left behind.

The Plant will probably sail from San Francisco the latter part of the week for Coos Bay and may possibly get back here for Christmas Day. Among those sailing from here on the Plant were the following: Walter Nudinger, H. C. Hart, A. Malo, Alf. Nelson, Clyde Littlefield, Mable Lang, Mrs. Leonard Mauzey, C. Brent and E. Brown and wife.

## BUY PROPERTY AT HUMBOLDT

H. M. Bylesby and Company Secure Big Holdings Around Eureka.

H. M. Bylesby and Company, owners of the Coos Bay Gas and Electric Company, is now extending its field of operations into California, buying the big properties around Eureka. Concerning the latest deal, the Eureka Herald says:

"At San Francisco, a million and a half dollar deal will be consummated when the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company holdings in this county will be transferred to H. N. Bylesby & Company, later to be transferred to the Western States Gas and Electric Company, a fifteen million dollar corporation.

"Departing on the steamer Santa Clara were W. S. Clark, president of the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company; H. L. Jackman, general manager of the company, and Milton Carson, heavily interested in the company. From authentic sources, it is learned that the million and a half dollar deal will be consummated at San Francisco.

"The sale of the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company is of more vital interest to Humboldt county than any deal that has been made in years. The new blood and new capital entering the county is such that will work a benefit to the county from numerous viewpoints. Operating sixty plants in different cities of the western states, Bylesby & Company is a friend to every community, enjoys the heartiest friendship and cooperation of every community. This is because of the energetic, liberal and progressive policies the company adopts.

"The properties which the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company own in this county consist of three power stations in Eureka and a power station over on the Trinity river which is connected with Eureka by a transmission line 65 miles in length besides the gas plant. Station A at the foot of C street was acquired by the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company when it absorbed the old Eureka Lighting Company. Station B is situated on the western bay shore and is a complete plant in every detail. Station C was constructed by the Humboldt Gas and Electric Company, then the North Mountain Power Company. This station not only generates power within itself but transforms power brought over the mountains from the Trinity river power plant. The holdings also include the gas plant located near Station B electric plant. The gas plant was taken over when the Eureka Lighting Company property was purchased."

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## LOCAL GLEANINGS

### COOS BAY TIDES.

DECEMBER			
High water	A. M.	P. M.	
Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.
Tuesday, 20	3:38	7.3	2:47
Wed'd'y. 21	4:29	7.4	3:46
Thursday 22	5:18	7.5	4:52
Friday... 23	6:11	7.7	6:08
Saturday 24	7:03	7.8	7:31
SUNDAY 25	7:54	7.9	8:51

DECEMBER			
Low water	A. M.	P. M.	
Date.	h. m.	ft.	h. m.
Tuesday, 20	9:04	3.5	9:48
Wed'd'y. 21	10:10	3.4	10:38
Thursday 22	11:23	3.1	11:28
Friday... 23	12:33	2.7	12:35
Saturday 24	0:22	1.8	1:43
SUNDAY 25	1:20	2.3	2:48

### LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD.

- For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 p.m., Dec. 19, by Mrs. Mings, special government meteorological observer:
- Maximum . . . . . 61
- Minimum . . . . . 31
- At 4:43 p.m. . . . . 47
- Precipitation . . . . . none
- Wind—East; clear.

No Council.—The Marshfield city council will not meet tonight, having adjourned until next Tuesday.

In Vaudeville.—The many friends Miss Dixie Loftin has made among the theatre goers of the city will be pleased to learn that she is to appear at The Royal Thursday evening in a delightful comedy sketch entitled "Dolly's Dinner."

No Inquest.—Coroner Golden decided it was not necessary to hold an inquest over the body of Matt Miller, the tall-sawyer who met death at the C. A. Smith mill yesterday. After an investigation of the affair, he decided it was purely accidental.

Kills Dog.—Yesterday the Lockhart Grocery Delivery auto ran over a small dog belonging to H. H. Wilson of South Broadway, killing it almost instantly.

Christmas Programs.—Ministers of Coos Bay churches are requested to send the programs for their Christmas exercises to The Times not later than Thursday night to insure publication as it is desired to publish them all Friday, if possible.

Sails Thursday.—The Nann Smith will sail Thursday from San Francisco for Coos Bay and owing to the Redondo making the trip to Bay Point this time, the Nann Smith will bring up freight usually brought by the Redondo.

Is Fined.—Justice Pennock today fined Roy Rezin \$5.00 and costs for assaulting Joe Ross in the Melrose restaurant last evening. The quarrel started over Rezin alleging that Ross had not paid a small bill and Ross claimed that the bill was against a brother. Not many blows were struck.

Safe Topples Over.—The new safe which is to be installed in City Recorder Butler's office, toppled over this morning when Street Commissioner Lawhorne was trying to pull it up-stairs. It crushed the sidewalk in front of the city hall entrance but whether it damaged the safe cannot be ascertained for awhile. The safe is a very large one and moving it upstairs is a difficult task.

Berries Ripen Again.—Coos Bay is now enjoying the second crop of wild raspberries, a most unusual occurrence. Yesterday Geo. Tribbey saw a party bring in over a gallon of them from the gulches west of the

city. It is very seldom that the wild fruit produces two crops in a season. Louis Default of Flagstaff is gathering some fine ripe strawberries at his ranch.

## Personal Notes

FRED VAN BERGER of Lakeview is in Marshfield today.

H. C. DIERS of North Bend, is Marshfield visitor today.

MRS. C. E. EDWARDS of Allegan is a Marshfield shopper.

L. A. ROBERTS of Myrtle Point, is a Marshfield visitor today.

CHAS. SIESTROM of Ten Mile, is a Marshfield visitor today.

E. A. WILLIAMS of Catching Inlet is a Marshfield visitor today.

L. W. COPE of North Bend, was Marshfield business visitor today.

MATT MATTON and wife of Sumner, are Marshfield visitors today.

MISS MAY STAUFF is assisting a Norton & Hansen's during the holidays.

F. L. MATSON of Ash, Douglas county, is spending a few days in Marshfield.

MRS. GEO. A. ROSS and Mrs. Mary Smedberg of Catching Inlet, are Marshfield visitors.

H. L. ANDERSON is down from Hoek's camp to spend the holidays with Marshfield friends.

JAY C. MAHONEY left Portland today for Marshfield where he will spend Christmas with his sisters, Mrs. Adams and Miss Mahoney. He will come via Drain.

## North Bend News

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the North Bend Presbyterian church.

The Coos Bay Mercantile wish an error that crept into The Times the other day be corrected. In an item concerning the firm, it was stated that F. S. Smith had been acting as receiver of the company when it should have been stated he had been manager. The company has at no-time been in the hands of a receiver.

The Coos Bay Motor Boat club has issued invitations for its first annual ball which will be given at the Simpson Park pavilion Wednesday evening, December 28. The list of patronesses includes Mrs. H. E. Burmeister, Mrs. M. G. Coleman, Mrs. H. O. Mara, Mrs. C. Williams and Mrs. I. B. Bartle.

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## MORE STRINGENT GAME LAW NEEDED.

Warden Stevenson Submits Report and Offers Many Important Suggestions.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 20.—Many suggestions for amendments to the game code passed at the last session of the legislature are made by State Game and Forestry Warden R. O. Stevenson in his biennial report, which was presented to the governor recently. Mr. Stevenson recommends that more stringent laws be passed regulating the deer season, that the laws against killing elk be made more severe, and that the code in several instances be remedied where now, according to the game warden, there are defects.

Mr. Stevenson believes that deer should be better protected, and that the closed season should begin October 1, instead of November 1, as at present. He further recommends that the number of deer allowed by law to be slaughtered by one man be reduced, and suggests that a limit of three be fixed. He wants a penalty of imprisonment made by law for the killing of elk.

On the other hand the master game warden says that beavers are doing much damage in some parts of the state because of their plentifulness, and recommends that the protection of these animals be removed for one year, so that they can be destroyed in the sections where they have become harmful. He holds that the present duck limit of 35 for seven consecutive days is too high, and that it should be reduced to 25 a week, and believes that the law preventing the sale of ducks in the open market be made more stringent.

Trout hatcheries are needed, says Mr. Stevenson, and he recommends the enactment of a law permitting the taking of funds from the game and protection fund for the establishment of trout hatcheries.

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## WANT ADS

WANTED—Experienced dairyman wishes employment on dairy or would lease dairy. Can furnish best of references. State particulars. Address "Dairy" Times.

WANTED—Woman to do family washing at home for small family. Address "F" care Times.

FOR RENT—20-acre ranch in city limits of Myrtle Point—well improved. Good bearing orchard, loganberries and raspberries, 2 acres bearing strawberries, half-mile from postoffice or high school. Rent reasonable. Apply

L. Amadon, 178 Broadway, Marshfield, Oregon.

FOR SALE—Blooded fox hound pups Sherman Ave, N. Bend, A Hoelling

LOST—Between O'Connell building and Melrose Restaurant, Saturday, one ladies' English walking glove "English make" stamped on clasp. Finder, please call 289-J, or notify this office. Reward.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Good wages. Address P. O. Box 101, Marshfield.

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