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# Christmas Shopping Made Easy

Presents for Any Member of the Family

Slippers . . . . .75c to \$2.50 | Shoes . . . . .50c to \$7.00  
 Umbrellas . . . . .75c to \$5.00 | Mufflers Silk or Wool . . . . .50c to \$2.00

Any sizes not right cheerfully exchanged after Christmas.

## Useful Gifts for Men

Suits \$10.00 to \$30.00; Overcoats, \$14.00 to \$35.00; Raincoats, \$10.00 to \$30.00.  
 Silk or Wool Mufflers . . . . .50c to \$2.00  
 Silk Hose, all colors, 50c; Hose (boxed 6 pairs) \$1.25 and \$2.00 per box.  
 Underwear, cotton, silk or wool, \$1.00 to \$5.00 suit; Pajamas, \$1.50 to \$2.50.  
 Cluett Shirts, \$1.50 and \$2.00; Monarch Shirts, \$1.00.  
 Individual boxed Suspenders, 50c to \$2.00; Initial Handkerchiefs, Silk or Linen, 25 and 50c.  
 Spaulding Jerseys and Sweaters, \$2.00 to \$5.00.  
 Gloves, 50c to \$2.00 per pair.  
 The largest assortment of Neckwear (direct from the East) on Coos Bay. Individual boxes, 25c to \$1.50.

All goods Plainly Marked at Cash Prices Do your trading at this store. IT PAYS!

"Money Talks"

**Bandoa Hub Clothing & Shoe Co.** Marshfield



## WOMAN'S WORLD

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byterian church, officiating. Mrs. Lee L. Heath acted as the lady of honor and Emily Kane as flower girl while Will Pond was best man. Last Saturday, the young couple left for Portland where they will make their home. Those present at the ceremony and banquet following were: Mr and Mrs. C. E. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Taylor Archie Taylor, J. S. Taylor, George and Will Pond, Mr and Mrs. Lee Heath, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Lemanski, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Rogstad.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Miss Uma Marsh, who is staying with relatives and attending the Lincoln High School in Portland, arrived home this week to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Marsh.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Chas. Eckhoff and Miss Anna Wyatt, two well-known and popular North Bend young folks, which will be solemnized in North Bend Wednesday, December 28.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The Minnie-Wis club is taking a vacation for the holidays and the date and place of the next meeting is to be fixed later by the officers.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Lou Hazard of Coquille, is expected here today to spend Christmas at the C. F. McKnight home, Mrs. Hazard and the children being in California where they are spending the winter.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The marriage of Wm. N. Ekblad and Miss Lillian Hall, which was solemnized in Portland last Wednesday was an event of much interest in Coos Bay social circles where both are so popular. Until a year or so ago, the bride was a resident of Marshfield and her charming personality and musical ability endeared her to a large circle of friends here. Mr. Ekblad is one of the most prominent young business men in Marshfield. They are now enjoying a

honeymoon trip to northern points but will come to Marshfield shortly to make their home.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The American Woman's League will hold its next regular meeting at the home of Mrs. C. H. Murr in North Bend the third Monday in January.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

week's vacation for the Christmas holidays, will meet Thursday, January 5, at the home of Mrs. Chas. Stauff.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Miss Evelyn Anderson, who has been spending the past seven months in the East and with her sister, Mrs. Eric Wold, in California, has written that she will return home soon after the holidays.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The Marshfield Degree of Honor is making preparations for its annual installation of officers which takes place the first Tuesday in January. The annual banquet has been postponed to the last meeting in the month owing to the numerous holiday functions being likely to interfere with the attendance at the first meeting. The new officers will be installed by Mrs. Hattie E. McCormac and are as follows:

- Chief of Honor—Mrs. Anna Holland.
- Lady of Honor—Mrs. Lizzie White
- Chief of Ceremonies—Mrs. Sarah Vincent.
- Recorder—Mrs. Fannie Hazard.
- Financier—D. L. Reed.
- Receiver—S. B. Cathcart.
- Usher—Mrs. Grace Nagle.
- Inner Guard—Mrs. Martha Flanagan.
- Outside Guard—Mrs. Mary Bowker.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Miss Lucy Horton returned this week from the Washington University at Seattle to spend a couple of weeks' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Horton.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The Evergreen Whist club will be entertained a week from today at

club passed one meeting on account of the holidays.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Mrs. Catherine Beitys is spending the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Richard J. Coke of North Bend.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The A. N. W. club, which took a The Bridge club will be entertained next Wednesday by Mrs. Wm. Horstall, Jr., at her home.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Mrs. R. K. Booth will entertain a few friends at her home in West Marshfield next Tuesday complimentary to Miss Lucy Horton.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Mrs. E. F. Morrissey will entertain a few friends at a luncheon next Wednesday.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**OREGON COAL SUPPLY.**

**Government Report On Output Last Year.**

The United States Geological Survey reports that the total production of coal in Oregon was 87,276 short tons, having a spot value of \$235,685, differing very slightly from that of the preceding year, when the output amounted to 86,259 short tons, valued at \$236,021.

According to estimates prepared by M. R. Campbell, of the United

How to cure a cold is a question in which many are interested just now. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has won its great reputation and immense sale by its remarkable cure of colds. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**MOVE LOGGING CAMP.**

Smith-Powers Camp No. 2 was moved to the bay side of the county the first of the week and will begin operations there as soon as the necessary preparations can be made. The last of the equipment of the camp was taken over on Sunday. The camp will still retain the name of "Camp 2" and will be situated just this side of Henryville Junction. The logging operations of the camp will be conducted on the west side of Isthmus Slough and nearly a mile of logging road will be necessary before active operations in the way of taking out logs will be begun.—Coquille Sentinel.

Take your SUNDAY DINNER at THE CHANDLER. Special menu. RESERVE tables for PARTIES by PHONE.

**THE COMMERCIAL BASIS.**

I have lived a long time in this valley of tears, and my head has been whitened by hurrying years; I've sized up the world as I toddled along, I've sampled the right and I've sampled the wrong; I have herded with goats and I've frolicked with sheep, I have learned how to laugh, and I've learned how to weep; I have loafed, I have dreamed, I have whacked up some wood, and I'm sure of this fact, that it pays to be good. Whene'er I do wrong, with malicious intent, then I feel for a while like a counterfeit cent; I would swap myself off for a water made of brass, I haven't the courage to look in the glass. But when I do right, then how cheery I feel! The village is filled with my jubilant spell! I feel that a feather is placed in my hood, and I guess I am right, for it pays to be good! Oh, what are the things of particular worth? And what are the prizes we gain upon earth? They are not the gems that go clinkety-clank, they are not the bundles we have in the bank. Respect of our neighbors, the love of our friends, some credit up there where the firmament bends—those things are the guerdon for which we should strive, they give us an object in being alive. And you'll never gain them, as gain them you should, unless you believe that it pays to be good. WALT MASON.

**PORTLAND MURDERER FREE**

(By Associated Press.)  
 PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 24.—George Chamberlain, who killed Andrea Masina for the alleged despoiling of his home, was permitted to go free by the county grand jury who heard the evidence in the case and secured a statement from Mrs. Chamberlain that she had been indiscrete. This is believed to be the first time in the history of the country that a self-confessed murderer has been permitted to go free by a grand jury.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Take your CHRISTMAS DINNER at the CHANDLER hotel tomorrow from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock in evening. Music by an orchestra of six pieces. Reserve tables by phone.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Take your SUNDAY DINNER at THE CHANDLER. Special menu. RESERVE tables for PARTIES by PHONE.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

## Merry Christmas

To all our friends and patrons we extend the greetings of the season with best wishes for all the joys that symbolize the glad Christmas tide. Thanking you for your kind and appreciated patronage.

**THE BAZAR**  
 THE QUALITY STORE

This store will be closed all day Monday.

## COOS BAY LIVERY

We have secured the livery business of L. H. Heisner and are prepared to render excellent service to the people of Coos Bay. Careful drivers, good rigs and everything that will mean satisfactory service to the public. Phone us for a driving horse, a rig or anything needed in the livery line. We also do trucking business of all kinds. Blanchard, Rezin & Blanchard Livery, Feed and Sales Service. 141 First and Alder Streets. Phone 133-J

**HOTEL GARDNER.** at Gardner, Oregon, has been remodelled and improved and is under new management. Special accommodations for stage passengers and for people desiring a rest at the seashore. "You'll Like the Place." J. E. SCHILLING, Proprietor.

**BREAKWATER HOTEL.** Front St., Marshfield, Ore., UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT. Has been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished. Rooms reasonable, by day, week or month. Mrs. J. H. O'DONNELL, Prop.

**VINCENT'S TRANSFER.** CALL 298—Hauls everything, anteed. E. V. VINCENT, at the station.

## To Our Friends:

We sincerely thank you, one and all for your most liberal patronage during the holiday season. Our business has considerably exceeded our expectations.

We wish for each of our friends and customers, present and prospective, the merriest Christmas ever enjoyed. May this time of goodwill be the brightest and happiest season in all the year for each of you.

Yours very truly,

## Brown Drug Co.

GRADUATE CHEMISTS — "THE QUALITY STORE"