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### AUGUST PRIZEEN.

68 Central Ave. Marshfield, Ore. would be insane at the end of the

### ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The M. F. Plant left San Francisco yesterday and should reach here early tomorrow on her final trip to Coos Bay for the time being at least.

The Nann Smith is due in this afternoon from Bay Point.

### GIRL OF 16 IS BIGAMIST.

First Marriage Result of Joke, the Second a Dare.

ALBION, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Esther Dahike of Buffalo, 16 years old, has been received as an inmate of the western house of refuge here, having pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy. rlage was the result of a joke and According to her story her first marriage second a dare, both occurring within the last six months.

### LIBBY COAL

I have secured the last two months' run of the high grade coal from the old Libby mine and am able to sell and deliver it now for \$5 PER TON. Send in your orders at once. Orders promptly filled.

Remember I am still giving the best livery service possible.

### W. L. CONDRON'S LIVERY AND FEED STABLES

PHONE 273-J.

## HIGH SCHOOL HAS TROUBLES

Pendleton School Girls In a Wrangle Over Rats and Puffs.

PENDLETON, Ore., Feb. 2.—After two days of a ratless, paintless, puffless existence, the freshman girls of the high school are displaying signs of an impending rebellion which may flare forth at any moment. The cause of their dissatisfaction is an alleged violation of the terms of the agreement entered into between themselves and the co-eds of the upper classes to the effect that all artificial beautifiers be dispensed with.

A delegation of the insurgents called at the East Oregonian office and stated their grievances in no uncertain tones. They declared they had lived up to the letter of the agreement, have discarded all superfluous hair and gone to school with their cheeks colored only by their healthy blood. But, they assert, the senior girls, who were the instigators of the anti-rat movement, have not been true to their pledged word but have openly and flagrantly violated their agreement by appearing with their heads upholstered as before. Therefore, these indignant freshmen have had their poet laureate promulgate the following for the benefit of the haughty and erring seniors.

### To the Seniors.

Now, my gentle senior, girls, We of the freshman class Would gladly take off our puffs and curls

And comb our hair out from that awful mass.

To change the name high school Which we did not help to make so bad.

And when we think of those that did it

It makes our hearts feel sad.

So now, you noble, high minded, upper classmen,

Come down from off your perch And set a good example.

Or we'll leave you in the lurch.

### OBSERVATIONS.

Women don't talk as much about themselves as men do.

If an inspector finds anything he is pretty apt to find fault.

The use of big words, however, is not so much to be deplored as their misuse.

Denver, where women vote, went wet by a majority of 10,000. Wouldn't that jar your theory?

If you borrow so much as a dime from a Coos Bay man and forget to pay it back, he'll remember it.

## North Bend News

Sig Hansen, timekeeper at the Pearson camp near Allegany, returned to that place today after a brief visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hansen.

The executive committee of the Mothers' and Teachers' club will hold a meeting at the Central school Friday afternoon to perfect arrangements to be given on February 22 in observation of Washington's Birthday.

Mrs. Ann Gustafson and family have removed from Empire to North Bend where they will occupy one of the L. J. Simpson houses. Mr. Gustafson is a mate on the schooner Echo now on a voyage to Valparaiso, Chili.

The Union meetings which are being held at the Methodist Episcopal church are growing in interest and attendance nightly. The meetings are in charge of Rev. Hisey assisted by Rev. R. G. Summerlin, Rev. Albright, and Rev. A. D. MacLeod.

Dr. W. A. Worden, whose death was reported in The Times recently, was well-known to many of the pioneer residents of Coos Bay who learned with regret of his death. Dr. Worden first came to Coos Bay on the same boat with Robert McCann, from the same place, Kingston, Canada. They made the trip on the old steamer Eastport in July 1874.

## LOCAL GLEANINGS

### LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 p. m., Feb. 1, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer:  
 Maximum . . . . . 45  
 Minimum . . . . . 40  
 At 4:43 p. m. . . . . 40  
 Precipitation . . . . . .20  
 Wind—Northwest; rain.

### THE WEATHER.

(By Associated Press.)  
 OREGON, Feb. 2.—Fair in west and rain or snow in east. Colder tonight and Friday generally fair.

### BORN.

HARRINGTON—To Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Harrington a nine pound son, February 1. Mother and child are doing nicely.

First National Sign.—The First National Bank was adorned today with one of the largest and handsomest gold letter sign in the city.

Moves Office.—F. W. Estberg is moving his office from First Trust and Savings Bank building into the F. S. Dow office at the old First National stand.

Initiate Two.—Marshfield lodge of Elks last evening initiated Fred W. Powers and Lloyd Rosa, the latter being from Bandon. Following the initiation, a social time was enjoyed.

Enterprise Market to Move.—The Enterprise Meat Market has rented the building across the street from their present quarters and will remove there as soon as it is renovated and fitted up.

Present Fine Play.—Beginning tonight, the Bernell Stock Company will play the famous play "The Girl of the Golden West." This play has won nation-wide favoritism and Mr. Hollingsworth and the remainder of the company think the company has shown up stronger in it than in anything they have attempted at the assonic. The play will be presented at least three nights at the Masonic.

Almost Has Fire.—A. C. Gabernache narrowly escaped having a fire in his home on South Fourth street, just south of the Mill Slough bridge. It seems that when the house was last papered, the paper hangers put paper over the stovepipe hole leading into one side of the chimney without putting any metallic covering over it. So today, the paper over aperture caught fire from the stove pipe on the other side. Luckily it was noticed immediately and was easily extinguished without the fire department being called out.

WM. FRANZENBACH returned today from Portland where he has been consulting specialists concerning his little son who has been troubled with spinal affliction.

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They are so rich, so temptingly good and so delicately flavored that once eaten they are never forgotten. Our Chocolates are all fresh, no stale ones carried on the shelf for months, but made every day. You will find no old strong musty chocolates in our boxes. They are made right here in our sunny, well ventilated factory by experts who know what the particular people like.

The policy of our two stores is "Quality, Cleanliness and Courtesy." Always something new at



TWO STORES.  
236 Front St.—146 Central Ave.

## Personal Notes

J. H. HOLLISTER of Bandon was a Marshfield visitor today.

CARL DAVIS returned today from a visit at his old home in Minneapolis.

DR. WETMORE and wife of Myrtle Point are expected here tomorrow en route to Portland.

E. K. JONES returned today from a business trip to Portland and other northern points.

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red eggs \$1 per 15, special rate per 100. Address Mrs. J. H. Price, Allegany.

MISS WATSON of Coquille will leave Saturday for a short visit in Portland and other northern points.

JACKSON KINGSLEY, who came in from Sitkum today on business, reports that the road is getting back in fairly good condition, considering the weather.

M. J. McKENNA of Bandon, came over yesterday to attend the meeting of the Elks' lodge. He is connected with the Cody Lumber company at Bandon.

J. S. HUME of Wedderburn will leave Saturday for Portland and Salem where he goes in the interests of the bill providing for commercial fishing on lower Rogue river.

ARNO MEREEN, general superintendent of the C. A. Smith mill, who has been at Bay Point and Berkeley since prior to the holidays, is expected back on the Nann Smith today.

I. R. TOWER arrived home today from Portland where he attended the annual automobile show. He says there was a big crowd and a fine display of cars. He retains the Buick agency for this county for the coming year.

COL. R. H. ROSA of Bandon, came over yesterday to witness the initiation of his son, Lloyd Rosa, by the Marshfield lodge of Elks. Col. Rosa reports that everything at Bandon is prosperous and the outlook is for an unusually good year.

### TOPICS OF THE TIMES. A CHAMPION KICKER.

He was a curious sort of man and nothing seemed to please him; If you proposed a certain plan a different plan would seize him. No matter what you'd say or do he was a cranky being; No matter what your point of view he'd joy in disagreeing, No matter what your scheme might be flaws he was always picking— It was no wonder he became a master mind at kicking.

He kicked at every one he knew, at all times, in all places; He snarled and growled and howled and made the wryest kind of faces.

He kicked at woman, man and child, at all who came anear him. He kicked in such a manner that all people came to fear him.

He kicked at all with whom he dealt with greatest of endeavor, And acted just as if he felt he had to kick forever.

There was naught left worth kicking at—'twas hard luck and he struck it;

With no one near he clutched the air and straightway kicked the bucket!

## BANDON PLAYS TEAMS ON BAY

High School Plays North Bend Tonight and Marshfield Friday Night.

The Bandon high school basketball team will meet the Marshfield team at the Tabernacle, tomorrow night at 8:30, and it is expected that the game will be hotly contested from start to finish, Marshfield having worked hard to get in shape.

The Bandon team came over today and went to North Bend where tonight they will play the North Bend high school basketball team. The Bandon team is strong, having played Myrtle Point a 17 to 19 game recently and though they lost that contest, they believed they have gained considerable strength since.

The Marshfield boys will have the advantage of playing on their own grounds and will try in a measure, to make up for the poor start that they have had so far. S. Clarke, captain of the team will probably be out of the game on account of sickness, so Larsen will be put in at center and McCormac, with Bolt will take the guard position. Stutsman and C. Clarke will play forwards.

The tabernacle will be put into such shape that it will accommodate a very large crowd. A large crowd of rooters will probably be out to help the boys all they can by cheering.

Sees Shadow—Unless Mr. Groundhog was an unusually early riser this morning and retired while the fog obscured the sun, he sure saw his shadow. If the old time weather forecaster's faith in him is justified, we will have six weeks more of winter.

### OPPORTUNITY.

Upon the hour when I was born, God said, "Another man shall be," And the great Maker did not scorn Out of himself to fashion me; He sunned me with his ripening looks, And heaven's rich instincts in me grew, As effortless as woods and nooks Send violets up and paint them blue.

Yes, I who now with angry tears, Am exiled back to brutish clod, Have borne unquenched for four-score years A spark of the eternal God; And to what end? How yield I back The trust for which high uses given? Heaven's light hath but revealed a track Whereby to crawl away from heaven.

Men think it is an awful sight To see a soul just set adrift On that drear voyage from whose night The ominous shadows never lift; But 'tis more awful to behold A helpless infant newly born, Whose little hands unconscious hold The keys of darkness and of morn.

Mine held them once; I flung away Those keys that might have open set The golden sluices of the day, But clutch the keys of darkness yet; I hear the reapers singing go Into God's harvest; I, that might With them have chosen, here below Grope shuddering at the gates of night. Jas R. Lowell.

Women cry over their own troubles, not yours; and yet a woman who cries a good deal is called "sympathetic."

### AN OLD SPANISH MAXIM PERTAINING TO

## OLIVE OIL

Is—"Be a miser with vinegar, a counselor with salt and a spend-thrift with oil." But first be sure the oil is not only pure, but of such fine quality and flavor as to make it entirely acceptable to the most fastidious taste.

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