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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MUNICIPAL  
ELECTION OF THE CITY  
OF MARSHFIELD.

Pursuant to the direction of the  
Common Council of the City of  
Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, notice  
is hereby given that on Tuesday,  
the 5th day of December, 1911, there  
will be held in the Council Chamber  
in the City Hall of the said City of  
Marshfield, a regular general election,  
for the purpose of electing a  
Mayor to serve for the term of two  
years, commencing the first Monday  
in January, 1912, and of electing  
two members of the Common Council  
to serve for the term of three  
years each, commencing the first  
Monday in January, 1912, and of  
electing a Recorder to serve for the  
term of one year, commencing the  
first Monday in January, 1912; and  
for the purpose of submitting to the  
legal voters for their approval or  
rejection "An Amendment to the City  
Charter of the City of Marshfield,  
changing the name of said City from  
"City of Marshfield" to "City of Coos  
Bay," and for the purpose of sub-  
mitting to the legal voters for their  
approval or rejection "An Amend-  
ment to the Charter of the City of  
Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon,  
changing the name of said City from  
"City of Marshfield" to "Millicoma."  
The said election will be held be-  
tween the hours of nine o'clock A.M.  
and six o'clock P. M. Provided, That  
the judges of election shall have the  
power to adjourn one hour at noon,  
the proclamation of such adjournment  
being made.  
J. R. Lightner, A. D. Wolcott and  
P. A. Golden have been heretofore  
by the Common Council of said City  
appointed as judges of said election  
and Roy Lawhorn, J. C. Merchant  
and C. A. Pennock as clerks of said  
election.  
Dated this 24th day of November,  
1911.  
JOHN W. BUTLER,  
Recorder of the City of Marshfield,  
Coos County, Oregon.

of those who have some inventive ability,  
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MILLER ON COMMISSION  
FORM OF GOVERNMENT

There is an active demand on Coos Bay for literature concerning the commission plan of city government. The following article by Joseph Dana Miller in the Pacific Monthly for September will be interesting and illuminating:

"The latest hope of municipal reformers is the commission plan. The name 'commission' is unfortunate, for it is not strictly a commission, but a council elected by the city at large, ward lines being eliminated. With Des Moines the plan may be said to have reached its perfect development, excepting only the Grand Junction plan to be noted later. In this city five commissioners are elected to serve two years, one of whom acts as mayor, the others as heads of departments. This favors the concentration of responsibility in the commission and direct responsibility in the heads of departments. It secures greater efficiency, and to this efficiency is added democracy by a law which may call for the submission of all measures to a direct vote of the people.

"Galveston had preceded Des Moines in the adoption of the commission plan by a number of years. But the Galveston plan did not provide for the initiative and referendum and the members of the commission had at first been appointive and not elective. Of course with that kind of commission government many of the students of the problem had been long familiar. Memphis, after the yellow fever epidemic of 1878, had been governed by a commission appointed by the governor. But this was not the kind of government that was wanted, nor even the kind that Mr. J. G. Berryhill was looking for. But it was during a visit to Galveston that Mr. Berryhill became interested in the plan and he reported it to the Des Moines Commercial Club.

"The Iowa Legislature at first rejected contemptuously a law enabling Des Moines and other cities of the state to organize under the commission plan, but later adopted a much more sweeping measure because state-wide sentiment had been evoked. There had been no general referendum on the question, but there was no mistaking public sentiment. Of the plan as perfected it may be said that in its general outlines it was suggested by Galveston, that the recall provision was borrowed from Los Angeles, that the broader referendum had existed in Iowa under an old statute, and that the charter of the City of Dallas suggested the initiative and referendum.

"The Galveston plan removed the conduct of the city government from the control of its citizens. The commission once chosen was absolute during its term of office. But the framers of the Des Moines charter were quick to see that without the submission of its acts for revision by the voters the plan was utterly undemocratic. To be sure Galveston had secured good and efficient government under its plan. But this is possible under almost any arrangement until, under the strain of too great a burden of authority, individual character or capacity breaks down.

"The government of Des Moines resembles the directorate of a great business corporation. It is composed of a council chosen at large by the whole city of five heads of departments as follows:

- First: Department of public affairs.
  - Second: Department of accounts and figures.
  - Third: Department of public safety.
  - Fourth: Department of Streets and public improvements.
  - Fifth: Department of parks and public property.
- "The mayor is the head of the department of public affairs, and the commission elect one of their number to be the head of each department. They then proceed to elect the city clerk, assessor, treasurer, auditor, city physician, marshal, chief of the fire department, etc., they fix salaries, engage and discharge public officials, act as a civil service board; make appropriations and spend them; legislate and execute the laws they frame, all their acts, however, being subject to public revision. Surely no civic body has ever been given such widely extended powers in a city of ninety thousand. And yet the plan works well after having been nearly three years

GOOD ADVICE FOR  
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BEWARE OF THE  
SWOLLEN CAN

SOME IMPORTANT FACTS FOR  
THE HOUSEWIFE IN BUYING  
CANNED FRUITS.

Beware of the swollen can. When buying canned fruit and the like never buy a can that has sides that are beginning to bulge. This is a sure sign that poison lurks within. A local grocer gave the market reporter some interesting facts this morning about the poisoning that results from eating canned fruit.

"There is no use of anyone ever being poisoned from eating canned fruit. The poisoned articles always give a warning and if people only would read these warnings there would be no poisoning cases for the doctors. I think it is ignorance in the majority of cases. In the first place if the fruit is in very bad shape the can will always swell, that is the sides will bulge out. This is a decided warning and grocers will never sell such a can to a customer if they notice it. If the fruit is not in a highly poisonous condition and only slightly tainted the can may not have bulged but as soon as a hole is made in the can the juice will squirt out. When this happens the fruit never should be eaten as this is a warning that also should be observed.

"There is one exception to this rule of the swollen can and that is when there are seeds in the can. For instance if a can of white cherries, or grapes has become swollen there is no danger and the fruit is perfectly safe. Why do the seeds make any difference? Well, that's a question I can't answer, but it is so nevertheless.

"We cannot always on picking up a swollen can tell what caused it to swell. Of course it is the fermentation of the fruit inside and many times caused by a hole in the tin so tiny that the juice will not leak out yet large enough to admit air and cause fermentation.

Fruit Canned Carefully.  
Every effort is made to safeguard the public from the danger of poisoning. The fruit canners are very careful in putting up their products and every can is inspected before it leaves the factory. As a rule the grocer on receiving a case of canned fruit looks over each can and those that look dangerous are not put upon the shelves. When fruit is put up properly it will keep indefinitely.

TEACH FARMERS GOOD ROADS

Two Short Courses For Supervisors and Farmers on Road Building. CORVALLIS, Ore., Nov. 28.—Good roads will be made the subject of two courses of instruction at this winter's short course at the Oregon Agricultural College, one being primarily for farmers and the other for supervisors.

The course for farmers will deal mainly with the cheaper methods of construction and the more common road problems which will confront them on their market roads.

For supervisors of roads the same questions will be discussed, only in a more technical manner.

DISCUSS GOV. WEST'S POLICY

Leading Literary Society of State University Will Debate Prison Problem UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, Ore., Nov. 27.—At the next meeting of the Laurean Literary Society the question of whether or not Governor West's prison policy is justifiable will come before the society in the form of a debate between four of the members, Alfred Collin, and Bert Lumbard upholding the affirmative, while Hyder and Stanley Rasmussen will uphold the negative side of the question. This debate is creating much interest among the members of the society. The Laurean Literary society is the oldest society in the University, having been established in 1879. In it nearly all of Oregon's famous debaters have received their early training. Judge Bean, now federal judge in Portland, was the first president of the society and had much to do with giving it a firm footing in the University life. All public questions come before the society for discussion and prove very beneficial for its members.

WOMEN'S STATUS DOUBTED.

Inclusion on Los Angeles Jury Lists Puzzles Judges. LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 24.—A conflict of opinion among the Superior Court judges of Los Angeles county regarding the qualifications of women to act as jurors is delaying the completion of their jury lists for the coming year.

The judges hold frequent meetings, the results of which are not made public, but it is understood that the question of including the names of women with those of men for jury in the Superior Court next year has received much consideration.

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FRANK J. CHENEY,  
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1906.  
A. W. GLEASON,  
Notary Public.