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clothes, it's an exchange of values; you get as much as we do out of it; we both make a profit.

That's the way it ought to be; it's the way we do business; that's why we like to sell these clothes.

Suits \$18 and Up. Overcoats \$16.50 and Up.

Hats, too, in the same way; shirts, neckwear, underwear; all the things a man wears, at prices and in values profitable to you.

## Woolen Mill Store

This Store is the Coos Bay Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes.

### Always "The Busy Corner"

#### Thermos "The Bottle"

A most practical Xmas Gift. Keeps boiling liquids hot 24 hours; Keeps all-cold liquids cold 3 days.

A nice assortment of these has just arrived — Priced \$1.50 to \$7.00.

Lockhart-Parsons Drug Co. Phone Main 298 Us

### A Few Saturday Specials SEALSHIPT OYSTERS

IN BULK  
The kind with the tang of the sea. ONE QUART. . . . . ONE DOLLAR  
HOME MADE SAUERKRAUT our own make.  
Get some of that FINE EASTERN-OREGON EXTRACTED HONEY.  
GENUINE PENNSYLVANIA BUCK-WHEAT FLOUR.  
PURE MAPLE SYRUP  
QUART . . . . . 60c  
Two-pound Square or OLEOMARGARINE . . . . . 60c

### The Bazar

Phone 32  
The House of Quality.

## Rex Hams

22c Per Pound  
Sliced 30c Per Pound

Extra good sugar cured ham Eastern Ham, the kind that if you once try you will always use.

## Lockhart's Grocery

Two Private Phones 85 and 305

## LOCAL NOTES

### THE WEATHER

(By Associated Press.)  
OREGON, Dec. 8.—Occasional rain tonight or Saturday.  
Southerly winds, high along coast.

### LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:00 p. m., Dec. 7, by Mrs. E. Mings, special government meteorological observer:  
Maximum . . . . . 54  
Minimum . . . . . 30  
At 4:00 p. m. . . . . 45  
Precipitation . . . . . none  
Wind, Northwest; cloudy.

**Boy Injured**—William Josephson, a pupil in the 3rd grade of the South Marshfield school, cut his wrist badly with a razor blade with which he was playing. The wound was dressed by a doctor and is now healing safely.

**Got First News**—The first news concerning the awarding of the contracts for the construction of the Sumner lines to Coos Bay came this morning in a long distance telephone message from E. G. Perham to his wife here. Mr. Perham said that the announcement caused a great stir.

**Number Increases**—Judge Hall, who as clerk of the Marshfield school district recently completed the school census, has found several people of school age who were overlooked in the first canvass. With these added, the school population of Marshfield is increased to about 839, a gain of about 57 over last year.

**Word Omitted**—Through a typographical error, the word "not" was omitted from a sentence in The Times yesterday that materially changed the meaning of it. The omission made Marshal Carter report that Councilman Ferguson said he would "be at home" if he came down in an auto, when it should have read "would not be at home."

**Close Up Work**—Street Commissioner Lawhorne and Engineer Gidley are closing up contracts with the property owners in the Market avenue fill district for the fill to be made by the dredge Oregon. Practically every property owner seen so far has immediately signed up for the work which will be such a benefit to that section of the town.

**Election Developments**—There are no new developments in the Marshfield city election rumors today. No official notice of any contest or injunction has been given, despite the reports in circulation yesterday. The city council will meet tonight to canvass the returns and so far as could be ascertained, no action will be taken to prevent the action. All of the members of the council have been notified to be present.

### ALONG THE WATERFRONT

The Breakwater will sail at 10:30 tomorrow morning for Portland.

The steam schooner, South Coast, arrived in today to load with lumber at the C. A. Smith mill. She is in command of Capt. John Roberts, a well-known Coos Bay mariner, who on his last trip here was master of the steam schooner Carlos.

The San Gabriel sailed this morning with lumber for the Railroad dock for San Francisco.

The Daisy Mitchell arrived in from the South today to load with lumber at the C. A. Smith mill.

The Redondo will sail at 11:30 tomorrow morning with passengers and freight for San Francisco.

The Homer sailed at noon today for San Francisco with passengers and freight.

### WATCHGOING & HARVEY'S STORE FOR TOYS

SOCIAL HOP SATURDAY night at I. O. O. F. hall. Tickets 50c.

## PEOPLE YOU KNOW

J. D. MAGEE of Ten Mile is in Marshfield today.

MRS. J. SCHAPERS of Allegany is a Marshfield shopper.

CLARENCE GOULD of Allegany is in Marshfield on business.

MRS. I. S. LANDO is recovering from a rather severe sick spell.

T. T. BARTON of Coquille is a Marshfield business visitor today.

MRS. NELLIE SIGLIN, who has been quite sick, is reported improving.

DAN MATSON of Catching Inlet was a Marshfield business visitor today.

MRS. S. A. YOAKUM from Coos River was a visitor in the city today.

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MRS. ALICE KRUSE and Miss Grace Kruse of Isthmus Inlet are Marshfield visitors today.

JOHN B. ANDERSON from South Slough was a business visitor in Marshfield today.

A. P. OWEN is spending the week at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. L. Watson at Coos City.

N. C. McLEOD of North Bend was a Marshfield business visitor yesterday.

V. P. SANFORD, formerly of Haynes Inlet, has returned from a short stay near Lee, Oregon.

MISS VIOLET HENDERSON plans to leave tomorrow for a short visit with her uncle Hugh Brown, in San Francisco.

MRS. JOHN KELLAM and daughter arrived here yesterday to join Mr. Kellam who is employed at Tibbett's restaurant.

JUDGE W. S. TURPEN of Empire has moved to North Bend where he will make his home with his daughter, Mrs. C. M. Byler.

W. O. CHRISTENSON, formerly a resident of Coos Bay, is here from Jefferson, Oregon, to look after interests in this section.

WM. HICKINS of the Prosper Mill is looking after business interests on the Bay and greeting friends in Marshfield today.

WM. HOWELL is here from the Coquille to secure treatment for a severe attack of rheumatism which has been troubling him for some time.

MRS. A. J. BUNCH, who has been visiting at the A. L. Foster home in South Marshfield, plans to leave soon for their ranch near Heceta, on the Sluslaw.

F. S. DOW left on the Homer today for San Francisco on business. He had planned to go via Portland but finally decided to go direct.

E. G. PERHAM, the Marshfield contractor, is in the city and will submit bids for the construction of the new bridges to be authorized by the County Court at the January term. Mr. Perham built the bridge spanning Deer Creek in this city.—Roseburg Review.

WEDDING NEAR BANDON. A very pretty wedding was solemnized last Wednesday when Benjamin F. Shields, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shields of this city, and Miss Marguerite B. Reese were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reese, on Fourmile.—Recorder.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS. SALEM, Ore., Dec. 7.—Superintendent of Public Instruction Alderman announced that all arrangements have been made by the county school superintendents throughout the state to hold the annual teachers' examination December 20 to 23. All applicants must appear at the headquarters of their respective districts not later than December 20.

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## North Bend News

F. J. Monroe, formerly of Coos Bay, but now a resident of Florence, spent part of this week on the Bay.

B. F. Adams, a Ten Mile pioneer rancher, is reported seriously ill.

D. D. Brainard of Haynes Inlet is at Mercy hospital taking treatment. It will be a couple of weeks before he can return home.

Mrs. Anna Brown has sold her restaurant here and will leave for Portland where she will spend the winter. Then she may return to her old home in Pennsylvania.

E. P. Briles has completed a fine home on his ranch on Kentuck Inlet.

M. L. Hunt has withdrawn his name as a candidate for councilman and this leaves only one contest in the annual city election in North Bend next week, that for city treasurer. Chas. Winsor of the Bank of Oregon and J. H. Greves of the First National Bank of North Bend are the contestants.

At the meeting of the North Bend M. W. A. Lodge this week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: L. A. Loomis, consul; A. G. Raab, adviser; S. Rogstad, banker; Jno. H. Greves, clerk; C. A. Davidson, escort; Wm. Wood, manager; Dick Fry, watchman; Archie Cousins, sentry; Dr. Hollister, camp physician; W. H. Chappell, camp deputy.

According to reports from Florence, the launch Ranger, laden with barrel beer from here, nearly met with disaster while crossing into the Sluslaw the other day. She got in the trough of a heavy sea and righted herself barely in time. W. H. Kibler and Art Reynolds were the only passengers aboard.

The game the North Bend high school team had scheduled with Myrtle Point at Myrtle Point tonight, has been cancelled on account of the illness of some of the Myrtle Point players.

A special school meeting will be held in North Bend tomorrow afternoon to levy the school tax for the North Bend district for the ensuing year. Owing to so many of the North Bend property owners being delinquent in their tax payments, it is figured that it will be necessary to levy a fifteen mill tax for the ensuing year to meet the current expenses and provide for the bond sinking fund. The expenses of the North Bend schools including \$3,500 for interests on \$50,000 bonds and \$15,000 warrants are estimated at \$18,595 for the ensuing year.

### TROUBLE OVER STEAMER.

Suit Commenced in Portland Over Ownership of Geo. W. Elder.

Partners in ownership of the steamship Geo. W. Elder have a legal combat before them in the Federal court. Charles P. Doe has filed a suit, demanding an accounting from John H. Peterson, better known as "Lucky Jack," and declaring that the complainant has paid \$9,000 more than he should in getting the craft in operating condition. When the Elder sank on Columbia River rocks, under ownership of the O. R. & N., and Peterson bought the wreck for \$10,000, he had her raised and put on the Portland drydock. Then he sold at half interest in the steamship to Doe for the cost of making repairs and for one-half the cost of installing an old-burning plant. Doe alleges he paid, under this agreement \$19,610.52, which he thinks is \$9,000 more than a fair estimate of half the work agreed upon. Doe is president of the North Pacific Steamship company and is reported to contemplate amalgamating the Elder's run with the schedules of the Alaska-Pacific and the Alaska Coast steamship lines.—Portland Telegram.

### BANDON MAN IN TROUBLE.

Fred W. Baiter, whom we mentioned last Friday as being arrested on an assault and battery charge, was held on \$150 bonds, and in default of which he was taken to Coquille Saturday by Deputy Sheriff Blackberry to await the action of the grand jury which convened yesterday.—Bandon Recorder.

### SOCIALISTS ARE BUSY.

Tom J. Lewis, the socialist speaker from Portland, who has been here the last two weeks to assist in the local campaign, returned this morning from Bandon where he was billed to speak last night. No meeting was held in Bandon, however, as no arrangements had been made for a hall and it was too cold for an outdoor meeting. Lewis spoke in Coquille on Wednesday night. He speaks in the Hall tonight for the last time, having made arrangements to leave on the Breakwater for Portland in the morning.

### WATCHGOING & HARVEY'S STORE FOR TOYS.

### The Old Reliable

If you need any fruit-trees for planting or wish to make good money selling trees write us for particulars. No previous experience needed if you want to make money. We show you. ALBANY NURSERIES, Inc., Albany, Oregon.

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The Salt of the Earth  
Lester's Violet Grain Salt

Flows Freely. Ask Your Grocer About It.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE—Steam Engine and boiler, four horse power, good condition, cheap. Inquire of Chas. C. Evland, Coquille, Ore.

BEST AND CHEAPEST—Shoe repair shop in city. Corner 3rd and Commercial Ave. S. Kulju, Prop.

WANTED—Portable saw mill in good condition. Address Port Orford Mill Co., Port Orford giving description and price, immediately.

XMAS PRESENTS cheap, 617 Front street.

FOR RENT—8-room furnished house and 2 1/2 acres of land in

Millington. Address Peter Robertson, Bay Park.

ALL KINDS of hauling done promptly—J. E. Fitzgerald, Phone 129J.

FOR RENT—10-room house in South Marshfield. Phone 119-L.

### STATE TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of examining all applicants for state papers of the various kinds public examination will be held in the Court House in Coquille, beginning at 9 A. M., on December 20th, 1911, and continuing three days. The subject for these for five year primary papers are:  
Nature study, busy work, and reading in the primary grades. Select one.  
Dated this 7th day of December, A. D. 1911.  
W. H. BUNCH,  
County Superintendent.