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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, until half past seven o'clock P. M., Friday, the 29th day of December, 1911, for cleaning and sprinkling the streets of said city from January 1st, 1912, to July 1st, 1912, said work to be performed to the satisfaction of the Street Commissioner, the streets to be sprinkled when directed by the Street Commissioner and to be swept at such time of day or night as the street commissioner may order, the streets to be swept are as follows, to-wit:

All that portion of Front Street and Central Avenue that are paved six times per week all other paved streets in the said city except Fifth Street South and Hall Avenue three times per week, and that portion of Fifth Street South and Hall Avenue that are paved and that portion of Broadway from Central Avenue to McLain's office once per week.

The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated this 21st day of December, 1911
JOHN W. BUTLER,
 Recorder.

Don't forget the Turkish Baths
 PHONE 214-J.

LOCAL NOTES

THE WEATHER

(By Associated Press.)
 OREGON, Dec. 28.—Fair in west, and snow and colder in east. Friday, generally fair with northerly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:00 p. m., Dec. 27, by Mrs. E. Mingus, special government meteorological observer:
 Maximum 45
 Minimum 39
 At 4:00 p. m. 40
 Precipitation 1.61
 Wind, Northwest; cloudy.

Council to Meet.—The Marshfield city council will meet tomorrow night to pass on renewals of saloon licenses for the next six months, to award the street cleaning contract and take up other municipal business.

Garrison's Record.—District Attorney George M. Brown, who returned from Coos county, says that Frank Garrison, recently convicted on a charge of murder in the first degree, has been confined in the state penitentiary on six different occasions during the past twenty-years.—Roseburg News.

Gets Patent.—L. C. Chapman of this city is making arrangements to have a patented combination wrench of his manufactured. He recently received his patent on the quite ingenious invention and numerous machinery firms and other manufacturers in the East are preparing to place it on the market.

After Bad Boys.—Marshal J. W. Carter has received several complaints recently of petty thefts and depredations by some Marshfield boys. He has secured the names of some of the alleged offenders and unless their parents put an end to the offenses, he will probably take steps to have them sent to the Oregon State Reform school.

Take Evidence.—Evidence in the \$20,000 damage suit of Jordan Schappers of Allegany vs. the Simpson Lumber company is being taken before Court Reporter Ira B. Ridd.

Mrs. Anna Holland wishes to inform the ladies of Marshfield that she has taken the agency for the **FAMOUS SPIRELLA CORSET.** Any orders received will be promptly and carefully attended to. Address Mrs. Holland, Fifth street, South Marshfield, Oregon.

Special Sale on Men's Jersey Coat Sweaters

We have a few Men's Jersey Coat Sweaters that we are going to close out at remarkably low prices the next few days.

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die as special referee. A large number of witnesses are being heard.

New Shoe Shop.—S. J. Immel of North Bend is installing an Electric Shoe Repair Shop at 379 No. Front Street.

Summers Coming.—Engineer Sumner of the North Coast Line, is expected here within a few days from his camp at Winchester Bay. His father, Vice-president Sumner is also expected here soon after the first of the year. No one locality appears to know anything of their plans other than has already been announced.

Fix High Licenses.—F. J. LaPalme of Eastside was a Marshfield business visitor today. He reports that the Eastside council this week fixed the license for pool rooms, billiard halls, shooting galleries and bowling alleys at \$1,500 per year. The council evidently do not want any of these diversions there and hence the fixing of a prohibitive license.

Dollar Boat Delayed.—Mrs. B. W. Olson has received a telegram from Captain Olson stating that the M. S. Dollar, the big lumber carrier which is to take on about 2,000,000 feet of lumber at the Smith mill as part of a cargo for China, will sail from San Francisco this afternoon or evening for Coos Bay and reach here Sunday, probably. Capt. Olson is to pilot her up the coast. It was expected that she would sail from San Francisco Tuesday.

Foul Play.—At the Orpheum Friday night promises to be the leading photoplay of the year. The management advises us that this feature is three times as long as the usual picture, lasting an hour, and that they consider themselves extremely fortunate in securing this marvel of the silent drama at this early date and their method of keeping the price at ten cents for all special programs has resulted in popularizing this the oldest established house of the photoplay in the city.

OREGON FOREST FIRES.

F. A. Elliott, state forester at Salem, Oregon, reports the occurrence of 367 forest fires in Oregon the past year, from the following causes: Escaped from slash burning, 59; campers, 40; lightning, 24; incendiary, 22; hunters, 20; old slashings not extinguished, 18; railroad locomotives, 15; smokers, 14; logging engines, 13; escaped from saw mills, 4; sheep herders, 2; unknown, 136. A total of 60,000 acres was burned over, representing a loss of 21,351,000 feet, board measure, of standing timber, the estimated value of which is \$26,500. The heavy and general rains of the first week of September fortunately came before more serious loss occurred. Six hundred and five citizens held commissions as state fire wardens and one hundred and seventy-seven voluntary wardens were appointed to look after and check the destructive element.

NEW BANDON CHURCH.

Work of excavating for the furnace room of the new Presbyterian church began recently and as soon as this is completed the foundation will be built and then work on the main structure will be rushed to completion.—Bandon Recorder.

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PEOPLE YOU KNOW

HILLIS SHORT from Lakeside is in the city today.

L. M. HOPKINS of Coquille is in Marshfield today on business.

BEN McMULLEN of Myrtle Point is in Marshfield today on business.

MAYOR C. E. JORDAN of Eastside was in Marshfield on business today.

MAYOR L. J. SIMPSON of North Bend is a Marshfield business visitor today.

MISS WILDA HARRIS of Sumner is spending a few days here as the guest of Miss Nellie Warwick.

W. B. SIMPSON of Bandon passed through here today en route home from Portland and other northern points.

RALPH BISCHOP of Spokane, Wash., is a guest at the home of his brother, Henry Bishop, on South Broadway.

MISS NETTIE and Lena Belloni passed through here today en route to their home on the Coquille from visits in Portland and other northern points.

MILLO PIERSON is in from Ten Mile today on business and pleasure. He reports that Christmas was celebrated there with two large dancing parties.

CLAUDE NOBLE is in from Ten Mile to receive medical attention. The other day his foot slipped under the propeller of gasoline launch and was badly bruised.

MISS VIOLET HENDERSON, who has been spending Christmas in San Francisco as the guest of her uncle Hugh Brown, is expected to return overland in a day or two.

CLARENCE HARRIS and wife and baby have returned from Cunningham where they have been residing the last few months and will make their home for the time being at Sumner.

CHAS. NORRIS of Ten Mile is in Marshfield today on business. He is recuperating from a long illness during which he was confined at Mercy hospital in North Bend for five weeks.

WILLIAM, GEORGE and MARTON HORSFALL have gone to Bandon to spend part of the Christmas vacation at the home of their grandparents, Archdeacon and Mrs. Horsfall.

MISS BESSIE COKE, who has been attending the University of California, will arrive on the Redondo today to spend the balance of her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coke.

FRED McCORMAC and Duncan Douglas who are attending Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis expect to leave Monday for there after spending the Christmas vacation here. They will make the trip overland.

V. F. MELKINS, formerly stenographer in the local railway office, but who is now located at Doxy, Wash., is spending a few days here with friends. He expects to leave on the Breakwater tomorrow for his home.

J. P. MORRIS returned today from San Jose, Cal., where he has been spending a few weeks with his family and getting acquainted with his little daughter, born a few weeks ago. He is back to remain, declaring that "Coos Bay is the place for him." Mrs. Morris and the family will return here in a few weeks.

MISS MILDRED ROOD of North Bend was a Marshfield shopper today.

MISS NELLIE MONTGOMERY was in North Bend today.

GEO. ROSS of Catching Inlet is a Marshfield business visitor.

MRS. A. ESTES and Miss Helen Estes will leave shortly for California points.

M. BUTTS and wife will leave on the next Redondo for a short stay at points in California.

CONTRACTOR BURNS of North Bend was looking after business interests here today.

G. W. SCHELLY expects to leave in a few days for a short business visit in San Francisco.

DR. HOPKINS of Beaver Hill expects to leave tomorrow for his home at Portland for a short visit.

EUGENE CROSTHWAIT and wife will entertain a few friends at their home in West Marshfield tonight.

MRS. C. R. PECK entertained at three tables of bridge at her home in South Marshfield yesterday afternoon.

JOHN SNYDER, Jr., and wife and son will leave soon for an extended visit with friends and relatives in San Francisco.

MRS. H. B. FULTON and children of Haines Inlet, have left for Norway to visit there with Mrs. Cal. Ray, a sister of Mrs. Fulton.

MISS ANNA M. COX will leave tomorrow for Portland after spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cox.

MRS. E. K. JONES will leave tomorrow, probably, for Portland and other northern points where she will visit relatives for a few weeks.

GORDON RASMUSSEN and Geo. F. Murch expect to leave on the Breakwater tomorrow to return to Corvallis to resume their courses at Oregon Agricultural college.

GEO. BAINES, who has been spending the holidays at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Haines, will leave on the next Redondo to resume his college course at San Francisco.

H. W. RUSSELL, who has been spending the holiday vacation at the home of his brother, T. C. Russell, at Beaver Hill, will leave on the Breakwater tomorrow to resume his course at Corvallis.

MRS. WALRATH, who has been spending a few months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Kendall, in West Marshfield, will leave on the Breakwater tomorrow for her home in Minneapolis.

BUD ANDERSON, who won from Earl Henderson here Christmas day, will leave on the Breakwater for home. He has a match arranged there for the near future but will return to the Bay within a few months for another match.

BAND BOYS give another big **DANCE** at Eagles Hall Saturday night, December 30.

CARD OF THANKS
 To the many kind friends, who have shown me so much kindly attention through my long illness, and loving remembrance now at the Christmas time, I wish to express my heartfelt thanks. Not being strong enough yet to write to each one, as I would like to do, I take this way of expressing my thanks, and of wishing each one a "glad and happy New Year." Sincerely,
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