

Bicycle Riders

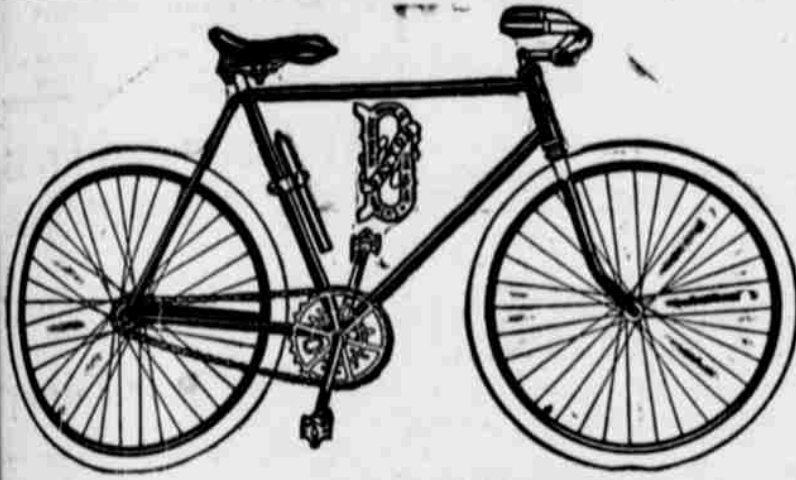


There has been 109 Iver Johnson Bicycles sold in this city under an ABSOLUTE GUARANTEE and not one has been returned.

(Is this a record?)

This year they are better than ever. We equip all our I. J. Bicycles now with STEEL RIMS.

Pioneer Hardware Co.



Bicycle Riders

DAYTONS LEAD!!

Did you read an ad the other day, as follows? "We equip all our I. J. Bicycles NOW WITH STEEL RIMS."

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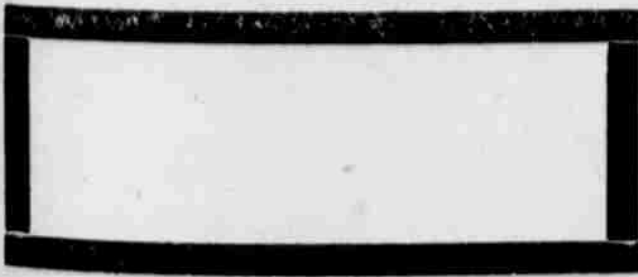
OTHERS FOLLOW—TILL THEY BREAK DOWN.

Marshfield Cyclery

Phone 180-R. Agents for Dayton Bicycles. 607 Front St.

Always "The Busy Corner"—The Rexall Store

Watch This Space Tomorrow Night



For Our 5th Special Saturday Sale

Lockhart-Parsons Drug Co.

PHONE MAIN 298 US

Parties Desiring Monuments Erected
Would do well to call at

The Pacific Monumental Works

South Broadway and make selection from the large stock now on hand. Mr. Wilson has in his employ the only practical marble and granite cutter in Coos county. And none but the best work is turned out.

That Roof Fixed Don't Throw Away

See **CORTHELL**
Phone 8121
THE ELECTRIC SHOE SHOP
180 So. Broadway Marshfield

LOCAL NOTES

COOS BAY TIDES.

Below is given the time and height of high and low water at Marshfield.

The tides are placed in the order of occurrence, with their times on the first line and heights on the second line of each day; a comparison of consecutive heights will indicate whether it is high or low water. For high water on bar, subtract 2 hours 34 minutes.

Date.	March, 1912.			
7 hours.	5.11	11.09	5.41	11.21
Tide	6.7	0.3	5.0	1.6
8 hours.	5.48	11.59	6.33	11.47
Tide	6.5	0.4	4.3	2.4
9 hours.	6.28	12.52	7.34	..
Tide	6.1	0.6	4.7	..
10 hours.	0.31	7.15	1.57	8.53
Tide	3.1	5.7	0.8	3.3

THE WEATHER.

(By Associated Press.)

Oregon—Showers in west and snow flurries in east tonight. Friday generally fair. Winds easterly.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE REPORT.

For twenty-four hours ending at 4:43 a. m., March 7, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorological observer:

Maximum	53
Minimum	41
At 4:43 a. m.	42
Precipitation	.23
Wind, northwest; rainy.	

Dance at Libby—Arrangements have been completed for a dance to be given Saturday night at the hall in Libby.

Total Rainfall—The total rainfall on Coos Bay since September 1, 1911, is 43.80 inches, according to the official records kept by B. B. Ostlund.

Open Store—C. A. Howard, who recently bought the Batcheller cigar store at constable's sale, is arranging to re-open it and to resume the manufacture of cigars.

To Hold Court—Judge J. S. Coke will go to Coquille tomorrow to hold a special session of Circuit Court to hear motions and arguments in a number of minor cases.

Buy Property—Judge Laurendeau of Butte, Mont., has bought nineteen lots on Marshfield Heights from Henry Sengstacken. The price is said to have been \$150 per lot.

Have Birthdays—Dan Keating of the Woolen Mill Store is today celebrating his birthday. Just which one, you will have to ascertain from him. Frank Pugsley, Stafford's "Candy Kid," had a birthday yesterday and he is also reluctant to tell

WANT ADS.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping and furnished rooms. 620 Central. Phone 1853.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS to rent. 392 Broadway.

WOMAN wants to take charge of rooming house. Phone 140J.

WANTED—By elderly man, work of any kind. Can clean house, make garden, build fence, clean poultry houses, paint and do rough carpenter work. Will do anything. Best city references. 20 cents per hour. L. Chapman, 212 Broadway.

LATTIN HOTEL—Board and room, \$1 per day; \$6 per week; family style. 315 Second St., South.

WANTED—Good laying hens, Plymouth Rocks or Leghorns. Phone 1271 North Bend, or V. O., care Times Office.

FOR SALE—Indian Runner duck eggs. Wm. Shook, 8 7th st.

ANCONA, SICILIAN BUTTER CUP, AND SALMON FAVOROLLE EGGS FOR HATCHING. The kind for eggs. I have thoroughbred stock.

F. E. GLAZIER,

Phone 299. North Bend, Oregon.

Coos Delicatessen

FINE HOME COOKING. PURITY, CLEANLINESS, HEALTHFULNESS

Only the best of everything good at reasonable prices. Merchant's lunch daily from 11 a. m. to 2:30 p. m.

L. J. PETROMOULX, Proprietor.

Children are much more likely to contract the contagious diseases when they have colds. Whooping cough, diphtheria, scarlet fever and consumption are diseases that are often contracted when the child has a cold. That is why all medical authorities say beware of colds. For the quick cure of colds you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It can always be depended upon and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all dealers.

which one it was, probably because he was afraid that some of the Leap Year maidens might think him too young.

Arrange Bout—Chuck O'Connell and Sing Hosan are scheduled to fight one of the preliminaries March 16, when Jess Day and Earl Chisholm will meet in the principal bout.

Attach Chest—Constable Cox today seized a chest of tools belonging to Bert Belleu, the local barber who left here recently, for the benefit of creditors. Belleu was a cabinet-maker as well as a barber.

Are Fined—City Recorder Butler today fined two of the Greeks who were involved in the embroglio in their house on North Front street the night before last \$10 apiece. They pleaded not guilty to the charge of fighting and disturbing the peace, but their evidence and that of their companions did not substantiate this claim. The quarrel arose over a blanket.

Coming Here—J. E. Clarey of the Golden Oak barber shop has just received word that his father and mother are arranging to move here from Grand Junction, Colorado, to locate. They will arrive the latter part of March. Mr. Kern, formerly of Coquille and candidate for county surveyor of Coos county two years ago, has recently been located at Grand Junction and is also preparing to move back here.

Father Dies—A. J. Mendel, of the Hub Clothing and Shoe Co., received a telegram this morning from his brother, Joseph Mendel, in Meadville, Pennsylvania, bringing the sad intelligence of the death of his father at his home there last evening. His father had been seriously ailing for some time so that his passing was not wholly unexpected, but nevertheless was a shock to Mr. Mendel, who will be the recipient of sympathy of his many Coos Bay friends in his bereavement.

Was Shanghaied—Job Dunham, formerly of Marshfield but located at Coquille for the past year, came over yesterday on business. He intended to return on the afternoon train, but Jim Boone and Vern Barker decided otherwise. About train time they offered to take him to the depot in an auto. Job agreed. However, the auto mysteriously broke down and would not start until ten minutes after the train had departed. Job returned to Coquille this morning.

Plan Long Walk—George Thompson, George McCaskey, A. A. Segersten and H. G. Hutter, four of the Biltmore boys who have been employed in the local logging camps and lumber mills plan to leave Sunday for Roseburg and Portland and other northern points. They plan to walk most of the distance. Mr. Hutter will return east, but the others plan to spend the summer at various coast points.

Buy Property—Jas. E. Bering has

SYNOPSIS OF THE ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

Union Assurance Society Limited

of London, England, in the Kingdom of Great Britain, on the 31st day of December, 1911, made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Oregon, pursuant to law:

Income.	
Premiums received during the year in cash	\$329,279.17
Interest, dividends, and rents received during the year	23,930.67
Total income	\$353,209.84
Disbursements.	
Losses paid during the year	\$141,112.77
Commissions and salaries paid during the year	100,606.18
Taxes, licenses, and fees paid during the year	15,984.50
Amount of all other expenditures	109,340.62
Total expenditures	\$367,044.07
Assets.	
Value of stocks and bonds owned	\$608,847.76
Cash in banks and on hand	24,440.87
Premiums in course of collection and in transmission	76,373.25
Interest and rents due and accrued	5,858.00
Total assets	\$715,519.88
Liabilities.	
Total claims for losses unpaid	\$37,888.83
Amount of unearned premiums on all outstanding risks	281,536.15
All other liabilities	12,011.29
Total liabilities	\$331,436.27
Total insurance in force December 31, 1911	\$38,671,961.00
Business in Oregon for the Year.	
Total risks written during the year	\$2,113,346.00
Gross premiums received during the year	51,633.13
Premiums returned during the year	14,590.53
Losses incurred during the year	17,406.90
Total amount of risks outstanding in Oregon December 31, 1911	3,628,148.00
By A. H. WRAY, Manager, Statutory resident general agent and attorney for service:	
WM. M. PATTERSON, Portland, Oregon.	
HENRY SENGSTACKEN, Resident Agent, Marshfield, Oregon.	

purchased the J. B. Arnott property on Donnelly avenue in South Marshfield for \$1500. The deal was made through Hall & Hall.

Butter Lower—Fancy creamery butter has taken a drop in the local market, pound and a half squares selling at 60 cents since March 1.

Ranch Life Thriller—A motion picture of extraordinary interest, entitled "Ranch Life in the Great Southwest," will be on exhibition at the Orpheum "House of the Play," tomorrow. This picture has been secured for this house at an increased expense, but the price will remain unchanged. Among the many thrilling scenes in this picture are included two champion ropers, champion at steer bull-dogging, throwing longhorns, champion of the world throwing and tying a steer, expert roper and bronco buster.

PERSONAL NOTES

A. B. DALY is planning to go to Portland Saturday.

C. R. PECK is a North Bend business visitor today.

STEVE LAPP is in from Ten Mile on business today.

E. L. BESSEY of Coos River is in Marshfield today.

AL FELLOWS is in from Ten Mile on business and pleasure.

JOHN SCHETTER of Ten Mile is a Marshfield business visitor.

MRS. J. D. DYER of Daniels Creek is a Marshfield visitor today.

JOHN HENDRICKSON of Coos River was a Marshfield visitor today.

MRS. L. STONE of Catching Inlet was visiting in Marshfield yesterday.

MRS. CHAS. ENEGREN of Coos River was visiting in the city yesterday.

MISS LENA ASHMAN has taken a position in the Western Union office.

J. D. CLINKINBEARD of Coos River is looking after business in Marshfield today.

S. WINTERS and family expect to leave Saturday for Portland and other northern points.

PROF. RAYMOND was at North Bend yesterday arranging to start a dancing class there.

DAVID A. NELSON and J. C. Kendall returned last evening from a business trip to Coquille.

F. P. NORTON is at Coquille attending the regular meeting of the Coos county commissioners.

G. W. Kaufman and wife and baby arrived home today from a month's visit in Portland, Seattle and Spokane.

GILBERT GILBERTSON has returned to his home at Glendale after looking after property interests at Kentuck Inlet.

MRS. ALEX. MATSON of Catching Inlet was in Marshfield yesterday, attending the meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Swedish Lutheran church.

HARRY BRADFIELD is moving from South Marshfield to the house on Curtis avenue, near Second street, which was recently vacated by Nick Stambone.

W. F. BOWRON, road supervisor at Ten Mile, was in Marshfield en route to Coquille to attend the annual convention of the Coos county road supervisors.

WM. GORDON has returned from Curry county, where he has spent a few months mining and hunting. He and his partner killed six wild hogs and a couple of bears during their stay.

PESTUS WALTER, who has been employed near Henryville, is spending a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walter, in South Marshfield while recovering from an injury to his hand.

FRED WILSON returned last evening from a business trip to Coquille. He will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for coroner of Coos county. So far no other candidate has been announced for the place. His petitions will be placed in circulation soon.

HILLIS SHORT was in from Ten Mile this week endeavoring to arrange for the prosecution of parties there whom he suspects of poisoning two of his varmint dogs and a number of chickens. During the absence of the Short family poisoned meat was thrown into the yard. He tracked the guilty parties for a considerable distance and hopes to

soon gain sufficient evidence to convict them.

J. S. BARTON of Coquille was in Marshfield today, being en route home from Portland.

ARNO MEREEN of the C. A. Smith company left on the Nann Smith today for San Francisco.

MRS. A. O. ROGERS and little daughter of Coos River are guests of Mrs. W. H. Kennedy today.

MRS. CHAS. MAHAFFY, of Coos River passed through here today to visit Miss Lou Mahaffy, who recently underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital.

J. C. SAVAGE, editor of the Coquille Sentinel, was in Marshfield today. He reports that the Coos County Court awarded the contract for printing the delinquent tax sale notice to the Bandon Recorder, that paper being the lowest bidder.

E. W. WRIGHT of Portland, who bought considerable property here last summer, arrived here today to look after his interests. He says there are no new railroad developments, but he is confident that the Southern Pacific will start construction on this end of the line as soon as the weather will permit.

J. W. BENNETT returned today from Portland and Salem. At Salem he argued the case attacking the validity of the Port of Coos Bay Commission, District Attorney George Brown of Roseburg permitting Mr. Bennett to represent the state. Mr. Bennett furnished the funds to appeal the case to the Supreme Court.

AMONG THE SICK.

David Roberts, the well known Coos Bay pioneer, is reported quite ill at his home in Empire.

Mrs. Elliott Peterson is reported critically ill at her home in Bay Park.

Jas. Davis of the Golden Oak barber shop is laid up with a severe attack of la grippe.

John Herron, who is confined at his home with an attack of la grippe and pleurisy, is reported improving today.

William Kreitzer, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey Kreitzer, is ill of la grippe.

Mrs. Wm. Grimes, who underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital yesterday, continues to get along nicely.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilson of Ferndale is reported quick sick.

BEGINNING TOMORROW night we will run VAUDEVILLE in connection with moving pictures at the ROYAL THEATER. ADMISSION 10c.

SCHOOL NOTICE. Friday is the regular office day of the county school superintendent. Anyone who may wish to consult him personally will find him at his office from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m.

A TURKISH BATH will do you GOOD. Phone 214J.

Sickroom Helps

Little things that do much to make care of the sick easier—and more effective. Cost trifling compared to benefits received.

Alcohol Stoves, Feeding Cups, Bed Pans, Medicine Glasses, Thermometers, Cologne Water, Fountain Syringes, Ice Bags, Hot-Water Bags, Disinfectants, Rubber Sheeting, Feeding Tubes, and many others in great variety at

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