

# COOS BAY TIMES

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## A HOPEFUL PERIOD.

**T**HE best testimony of the benefits of the uprising is to be found in the evidence before the senate committee on campaign funds.

The campaign of 1904 was looked upon as a fairly reputable campaign. It will never be repeated. The lid has been lifted and never can be held down.

The campaign contribution has now gone with the free pass. Nobody can see just what is to take its place. There are those who believe all legitimate costs will be borne by public taxation. In any event, interested parties will never again put up the money to buy a presidency.

A great many are distressed by the uncertainties of the situation. There is no occasion for alarm. We are in the midst of the most hopeful period since the civil war. Everything that clears the way for better politics is a guaranty of better politics.

Too much attention is being focused upon the personal fortunes of men and too little on the cleaning up that is in process.

The campaign may be listless and the outcome in doubt, but in essentials a great deal is to be hoped for. We shall emerge all right, and with all the dirty linen well cleaned.

## LEAVE FOR FUNERAL.

(By Associated Press to the Coos Bay Times.)

**NEW YORK, Nov. 2.**—President Taft, Chairman Hillis of the Republican national committee, Justice Hughes and Pitney of the U. S. supreme court and many senators and congressmen left here this morning on a special train on the New York Central for Utica to attend the funeral of Vice President Sherman.

# CAPT. MACGENN RECITES POEM

Also Gives Address at Bull Moose Meeting Held Here.

## THE BULL MOOSE AND THE DONKEY.

(By Captain T. J. Macgenn, The Sailor Poet of the Pacific, plying on the Steamer Breakwater between Portland, Oregon, and Coos Bay. Author of "Gallant Teddy." Dedicated to the Oregon Progressive Party Executive Committee.)

A "Bull Moose" and a "Donkey" met me the other day;  
Said the Bull Moose to the Donkey, "Are you going my way?"

"Going your way" said the Donkey, "Why you're not in the race!"  
Then the Bull Moose raised the Big Stick,  
Looked the Donkey in the face.

"Who in thunder are you anyhow?"  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"I'm the vanguard the great Roosevelt."  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"Why, we heard that he was wounded."  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"He was sheathed in honest armor"  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"Well, where are you going anyway?"  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"Oh! I'm going to the White House."  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"There's an Elephant in the White House."  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"I was an Elephant once myself."  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"But that Elephant will lick you."  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"I slew lions in the jungle."  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"You're a terror to run for office."  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"Your Bryan run three times and lost!"  
Was the reply the Bull Moose made

"And you stole our Bryan's platform!"  
The Democratic Donkey said,  
"I did not steal sixteen to one."  
Was the reply the BULL MOOSE made.

Portland, Oregon,  
October 29th, 1912.

The Bull Moose meeting held last night at the Grand theatre was largely attended. The house was filled and there were many outside who could not get in. Attorney John C. Kendall presided and Sanfield McDonald of Portland delivered an address. Mr. Meredith of Gold Beach the democratic candidate for legislature, also spoke.

Capt. T. J. Macgenn of the steamer Breakwater opened the meeting by reciting his poem "The Bull Moose and the Donkey," which is reproduced above.

Then he followed with an interesting address on the subject, "The Mission of Ancient Empires." In the course of his remarks he touched upon liberty in France, England and America. He took up in their proper order all the rulers and leading men whose lives had bearing on the liberty of the people. He began with Moses and carried the history down to Theodore Roosevelt and told of the different big steps of liberty in the history of the world. In concluding his remarks the captain explained that there was a wrong idea about the issues of this national campaign. He said it was not a matter of tariff but that it was the question, "Shall

# PRaise GIVEN FOR DARING

Chamber of Commerce Congratulates Times, Christofferson and Guyton.

The Marshfield Chamber of Commerce last night showed its appreciation of the action of The Coos Bay Times in establishing a new record for Coos Bay by demonstrating through Aviator Christofferson the practicability of an airship as a life saver. The resolution also lauds Mr. Christofferson and Jack Guyton, who made the trip with him for the Times.

The resolutions are as follows: Whereas, Silas Christofferson did, at the instance of the Coos Bay Times, on the first day of November, 1912, travel by hydroaeroplane to the scene of the wreck of the gasoline schooner Osprey, at the Coos Bay bar, in an attempt to save the lives of the crew and passengers on said schooner, and

Whereas, Jack Guyton, of Marshfield, Oregon, for the Coos Bay Times, did accompany him for the same purpose, and

Whereas, The attempt was hazardous, and at the risk of life of the said Christofferson and Guyton; Now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce appreciates the attempt made by Messrs. Christofferson and Guyton and desires by this resolution to extend to said Coos Bay Times and Christofferson and Guyton a vote of thanks for their effort, and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be delivered to Messrs. Christofferson and Guyton, the daily newspapers of Marshfield, Oregon, and that a copy be spread upon the minutes of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce.

Witness the unanimous passage of this resolution this first day of November, 1912.

C. F. McKNIGHT,  
Vice President.

Attest:  
VIOLET HENDERSON,  
Praise Addison Bennett.

The following self-explanatory resolution was adopted:

Whereas, Mr. Addison Bennett, staff correspondent of the Oregonian in response to the request of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce, has already written and is writing for said Oregonian, articles descriptive of the resources, development and advantages of Coos county, and

Whereas, Articles so written and appearing in one of the leading daily papers of the State of Oregon for distribution throughout the Northwest, are of great advertising value to Coos county in the work of developing our resources; now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce in appreciation of the work of Mr. Addison Bennett, extend to him and the management of the Oregonian, a vote of thanks for said articles and attendance, owing to many other be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be delivered to said Addison Bennett and Edgar B. Piner, managing editor of the Oregonian, to the Marshfield daily newspapers and a copy spread upon the records of the minutes of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce.

Witness the unanimous passage of this resolution this first day of November, 1912.

C. F. McKNIGHT,  
Vice President.

Attest:  
VIOLET HENDERSON, Secretary,  
For Good Roads.

The Chamber of Commerce executive committee also indorsed the Home Rule Good Roads measure, No. 360 on the ballot and urged all to vote for it next Monday.

Vice President C. F. McKnight presided. There was a rather small attendance, owing to many other meetings conflicting with it.

D. C. Greene in a telegram to Mr. McKnight said that he expected final and favorable action on the Jetty request not later than Monday.

The matter of selecting a successor to Miss Henderson was deferred until Mr. Green returns.

## NORTH BEND SCHOOL NEWS.

(From North Bend Harbor.)  
Miss Minnie Parker of Cooston was employed as teacher in the primary department at a salary of \$55 per month.

Lyle Chappell was employed at a salary of \$5 per month to assist in laboratory services beginning November 1st.

Supt. Raab was authorized to open the swimming pool provided the students would use it in sufficient numbers to warrant. Also to secure a map of Oregon for the third grade at \$1.50 and readers for four first grades at about \$63, supplies for laboratory amounting to \$40 and supplies for Mrs. Sleep for \$80.

the people or the political machine rule."

The captain said that he did not want any office and that he would not take any but that he did want liberty and that he would quote Patrick Henry to express his feelings and say "Give me liberty or give me death."

After the others had spoken, Capt. Macgenn was called upon to recite "Gallant Teddy," another poem by himself. He said that the picture of Roosevelt be thrown on the screen. There was some delay but the picture would not say a word until the picture was shown and then he turned to the canvass and gave the poem.

SEE our WINDOW full of VASES—15c to \$1.15.—COOS BAY CASH STORE.

VOTE for O. S. TORREY for JUSTICE of the Peace, NO. 107 on ticket.

# HARD GAME ON LOCAL FIELD

Coquille High School Beaten 13 to 7 by Marshfield High School.

In the Marshfield-Coquille football game on the Marshfield grounds yesterday afternoon, Coquille was defeated by a score of 13 to 7. The game was hotly contested the whole way through and was one of the best ever played here.

In the first two or three minutes of play Marshfield took the ball steadily down the field for a touchdown, made by Clarke. George Johnson kicked goal. Marshfield did not score again until near the end of the game, when, after a fine run of fifteen yards by Isaacson and one of about twenty yards by Stutsman, Stutsman made Marshfield's second touchdown.

After Marshfield's first touchdown, Coquille punted and recovered the ball on a fumble. Coquille then took the ball slowly down to near her goal and Dunham made a touchdown from which Earl kicked a goal.

For the greater part of the game the ball was kept nearly in the middle of the field, first one team having possession of it, and then the other. Very little line-bucking was done, both teams seeming to rely mostly on the backs and enders for end runs. Both teams did a great deal of punting and forward-passing, Coquille doing more of the latter than Marshfield.

The officials of the game were W. Chandler, referee; Barker, umpire, Howard and Planagan, timekeepers.

The lineups were as follows:  
Marshfield Pos. Coquille  
Lyons c Leslie  
Curtis r. g. Acres  
Noble r. g. Reynolds  
Walters l. t. Davenport  
Johnson, A. r. t. Kern  
Johnson, G. r. e. Dunham  
Isaacson l. e. Watson  
Stutsman and Fairchilds q. Mast  
Clarke and Stutsman l. h. Miller  
Kruse r. h. Knowlton  
Davis f. Leslie

Fairchilds went in as quarter during the third period, Clarke being taken out. Capt. Stutsman dropped back to the left half.

The next game will be next Saturday with Coquille at Coquille and the following Friday Myrtle Point will come here for a game.

# REDONDO IN FROM SOUTH

Brings Railroad Equipment and Machinery for the New Paper Pulp Mill.

The steamer Redondo crossed in yesterday afternoon and arrived at Marshfield about 4 p. m. She brought passengers from San Francisco and a large cargo of freight including a shipment of cement, some machinery for the paper pulp mill and a lot of equipment for Willett & Burr, the contractors building the Smith-Powers logging railroad.

The following were the passengers arriving:  
C. L. Brown, I. C. Fuller, W. R. Brown, E. S. Simon, J. P. Beyera, Chas. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Thomas, E. Thomas, M. Bonsdorff, Mrs. Carlson, Mary Carlson, S. F. Hart, Miss Violet Means, Mrs. Frank Leslie, Mrs. H. Wright, A. McLean, Mrs. A. McLean, Ernest Newhouse, Mrs. F. C. Birch, A. Kaufman, D. W. Smith, J. Koehler, C. Peterson, H. H. Gade, J. Anglund, R. Fulton, B. Markes, A. Porsio, L. Garmas, L. M. Mathews, W. Totten, J. Miller, I. Fagon, C. Miller.

LEWIS' HOT DRINKS touch the right spot. TRY ONE.

PEIRCE ANSWERS MEREDITH.

Editor Times:  
In The Times appears an article purporting to be a record of myself in the legislature. Mr. Meredith evidently copied his letter from this and in answering one I have answered both. The signers of this article are the same ones who worked against me in the primary election, and who passed the false and misleading resolution attacking me. At that time I pledged myself through the press, in both counties to support Mr. Marsh, should he beat me. These gentlemen while beaten fairly, started in forthwith to encompass my defeat this fall if it was possible. Everyone of them are bolters, and have given their politics only for the effect it might have against me. These are the men who induced Dr. Schlieffman, an unlicensed physician practicing at Gold Beach, to come out

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as a Progressive, thinking it would elect Mr. Meredith. Dr. Schlieffman said when told that he could hardly expect to be elected that he came out to beat me. I was petitioned to raise the assessor's salary and said petition was marked "approved" and signed by the members of the county court. Mr. Chenoweth, one of the signers of this article, being one of them. The mental and moral calibre of this bunch is evidenced by their refer-

ence to me as appearing without a collar or necktie. This is false. They could not even state their politics correctly. Mr. Stewart is a Socialist, as the editorials that appear in his paper show.  
John R. Miller, another signer, was fined \$1000 in the federal court a few years ago on his own confession, for timber frauds. W. T. White, Sr., signs himself as ex-Representative, when he never was in the Oregon legislature.

I am not attacking Mr. Meredith during this campaign, not caring to be placed on the same plane with him and his Port Oxford satellites. Very truly,  
S. P. PIERCE  
Steamer Piffeld sails from Marshfield Tuesday next, Nov. 5th. Tomorrow's train connects. For reservation see Sengstacken.  
QUATERMASS for PHOTOS.

# FURNITURE

For beautifying your home, an inspection of our stock will fully demonstrate the fact that rare discrimination has been exercised in selection. We have assembled a collection of fine furniture and interior decorations unequalled in beauty, elegance and distinctiveness, a collection from which the most elaborate schemes of home decoration may be evolved.



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**Elegant Line of Rockers**  
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Also Our Fine Line of  
**Dining Room Furniture and Dining Tables**

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IF YOU FAVOR THE PLAN OF RATIONAL TAX REFORM, IF YOU ARE AGAINST THE SINGLE TAX SCHEME, YOUR BALLOT SHOULD BE MARKED THUS:

304 X	Yes	Permits classification of property for taxation; simplicity, justice and economy in administration. Allows equitable apportionment of State taxes.
305	No	
306 X	Yes	Requires uniformity in taxation of each class of property. Harmonizes with No. 304 and insures fairness and equality in taxation.
307	No	
308 X	Yes	Repeals Single Tax "Joker" of 1910 and blocks all attempts to slip Single Tax through under guise of "county option" or "home rule" in taxation.
309	No	
350 X	Yes	Constitutional amendment authorizing the taxation of incomes, with reasonable exemptions.
351	No	
352 X	Yes	Exempts from taxation household furniture and goods used in homes, also wearing apparel and similar unproductive personalty in use.
353	No	
354 X	Yes	Exempts taxation from mortgage notes, credits and evidences of indebtedness. Abolishes double taxation. Does not exempt bank stock.
355	No	
356 X	Yes	Revision of inheritance tax law following model law of National Tax Association. Would increase revenue from this source and promote social justice.
357	No	
364	Yes	Would defeat SINGLE TAX concealed behind masked labeled "GRADUATED Single Tax" or "Graduated SPECIFIC Tax."
365 X	No	
376	Yes	
377 X	No	Would defeat local Single Tax measure in Coos County.

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Chas. V. Galloway, Chairman, Salem, Oregon.