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THE WEATHER "GROUCH."

PEOPLE who complain of the weather could overcome the vain habit by a little reflection. When tempted to find fault with the rain they should think how much wetter it was when Noah was on earth.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE VICTORIES

NOW that the other features of the recent election have had their day, attention is being fixed more and more on the significance of the decision of Michigan, Kansas, Arizona and Oregon to grant the ballot to woman.

Ida Husted Harper estimates that the total woman voting population of the United States has been doubled. It was doubled when California granted the ballot. It is now doubled again.

The five states that led the way were Washington, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado and Utah. If the leaders could have chosen their own field for experiment perhaps they would not have gone to these states.

In the coming legislature, Iowa will be asked to submit an amendment to the constitution permitting women to vote. Nobody questions that the amendment will be submitted.

Who doubts that within three years every state will have consented to equal rights regardless of sex?

WITH THE TOAST AND TEA

GOOD EVENING.

A good word is an easy obligation; but not to speak ill requires only our silence, which costs us nothing.—Tillotson.

OLD MAN RAIN.

Old Man Rain At the window pane Knocks and rumbles and raps again; His long-tailed fingers slip and strain;

Old Man Rain at the window pane Knocks all night, but knocks in vain— Old Man Rain.

Old Man Rain, With battered train, Reels and shambles along the lane; His old gray whiskers drip and drain;

Old Man Rain, with ragged train, Reels and staggers like one insane— Old Man Rain.

Old Man Rain is back again, With old Mis' Wind at the window pane, Dancing there with her tattered train; Her old shawl flaps as she twirls again;

In the wildman reel and is torn in twain— Old Mis' Wind and Old Man Rain.

Some Coos Bay people vote for a good cause and others try to follow the crowd.

Now that the women have the ballot they will probably vote the way their husbands do, which is more or less uncertain.

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DENIAL MADE BY M'ALLISTER

Lawyer Highly Wrought Up On Hearing Charges Against Him.

E. S. J. McAllister, a Portland attorney who is here to take depositions in the case of Christian Herrmann vs. John F. Hall, et al., involving sales of the Norman estate property, was highly wrought up this afternoon when he was told that information charging him with a statutory crime in the Rose City had been made.

Mr. McAllister said that it was the first information he had received about it and declared that the charge was absolutely false. He said that he could not imagine who would have preferred such a charge against him or dragged him into such a scandal.

He said he was going to leave Coos Bay in the morning for Portland, going out overland. Mr. McAllister is a member of the law firm of Upton and McAllister in Portland. He has been rather prominent in Portland politics and was in Coos county a few weeks ago to deliver speeches in favor of the single tax movement.

It is understood that he is a member of the Fels Fund Single Tax Commission in Oregon.

Mr. McAllister is accompanied by a young man stenographer named Schwartz.

STORY OF VICE.

Sensational and Revolting Crimes Discovered in Portland.

The Portland Journal Sunday printed the following in a long story about vice there:

W. H. Allen, a gray-haired business man, dying, presumably from the effects of an unidentified poison, administered by his own hand, and 11 other residents of the city imprisoned in the county jail on warrants issued by the officers of the juvenile court, is the net result of the ugliest scandal ever brought to light in Portland.

The warrant charges unspeakable crimes growing out of the operations of a vice clique, whose enormities have shocked even the most hardened criminal investigators.

"The probation officers have evidence in their possession which is expected to implicate at least half a hundred others, besides those already arrested. A number of the 11 being held in the county jail have confessed their guilt on accusations of the most revolting nature. All have been placed under bonds of \$5000 or cash bail of \$2,500 and none had furnished bail up to a late hour.

"A well known attorney who is now out of the city is also implicated in the confessions of some of the victims."

EIGHT TO RUN FOR COUNCIL

Candidates File for City Election—Number Registered Not Known Yet.

CANDIDATES FOR COUNCIL

Harry Winkler, Municipal Ownership.

Carl Albrecht, Municipal Waterworks.

W. S. Nicholson, Municipal Ownership.

J. O. Langworthy, Independent.

Tom Coke, Independent.

A. J. Savage, Independent.

F. W. Rehfeld, Socialist.

C. I. Bohrer, Socialist.

For Recorder

John W. Butler, Independent.

A. J. Stephen, Socialist.

The above is the complete ticket for the annual municipal election, which will be held in Marshfield, Tuesday, December 3, two weeks from today. The terms of A. H. Powers and A. J. Savage on the council expire.

The registration closed late last night and up to late this afternoon, City Recorder Butler had been unable to tabulate the registration. It is thought to be in the neighborhood of 600, but this is merely a rough guess, as yesterday a large number of women were registered, the exact number not being obtainable today.

Mr. Butler registered voters up until about 9 o'clock last night. At the city election a year ago, 841 votes were cast. Then the women did not vote. So this year with a registration of only 600, it is likely that a large number of voters will have to swear their votes in.

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BAD QUAKE IN MEXICO CITY

Many Brick Walls and Houses Collapse—Severe Tremor in Alaska.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) MEXICO CITY, Nov. 19.—A severe earthquake shock occurred this morning. Many brick walls and poorly constructed houses collapsed. No casualties are reported. It lasted three minutes.

QUAKE IN ALASKA

Severe Earth Tremor Recorded at Washington University.

SEATTLE, Nov. 19.—A severe earthquake in Alaska was recorded this morning at the University of Washington. The vibrations from the north were so strong that they threw the needle off the drum.

BONDSMEN WITHDRAW.

Bondsman Give up Defendants in Dynamite Conspiracy Case.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 19.—Edward Smythe and James E. Ray of Peoria, Ill., two of the forty-five defendants in the "Dynamite Conspiracy" trial, were placed in jail today, because their bondsmen withdrew the security on which they had been at liberty.

Smythe was frequently mentioned by Ortle McManigal as having assisted the dynamiting crew. Ray was formerly president of the Peoria Union, but seldom has been mentioned since the trial began.

Testimony was given today concerning the explosions at Peoria. Richard H. Johnson, superintendent of the company which constructed a bridge at Peoria, said that in 1910 Smythe, Ray and Hockin solicited him to put union men on the job.

Hockin added, "There will be something doing if you don't." Non-union men were put to work and two explosions, three months apart, followed.

LANE WILL NOT PROMISE JOBS

Senator-elect Shies at Aspiring Politicians—Coos Candidates.

That the activity among local democrats to try and lineup the local federal plums for themselves is too early and will amount to little is indicated by the statements of Dr. Hary Lane, United States senator-elect, that he will not make any promises or even seriously consider applications before the Oregon legislature ratifies his election.

In talking with John D. Goss at Portland, Mr. Lane said that he was besieged by applicants from all over the state and declared he was giving all of them the same answer. He said that the corrupt practice law prohibited candidates from all office promising appointments. He says that any promise now would make him liable to prosecution also would disqualify him for the office. He says that he is not elected until the legislature acts.

A number of Coos County democrats are pluming themselves for federal appointments. Hugh McLain is said to be in line for the appointment as United States Marshall at a salary of \$6,000 per year. In addition to this, Mr. McLain is looked upon as the Coos County Democratic Boss, being county chairman, and will have considerable to say about the federal place that is parcelled out in this section.

Besides the lively contest that is being waged at Coquille over the post office by F. E. Cleghorn and J. H. Leneve to succeed Fred Linegar, there promises to be a lively time over the Marshfield place. Postmaster Curtis, commission has about two years to run yet. Al Owens, J. D. McNeil, J. M. Upton, W. J. Rust and Chas. H. Codding are said to have ambitions along that line. It pays about \$2,000 a year.

Then there is the collectorship to succeed Major Tower at Empire. Tom Hall is an avowed candidate for the place and it is said that T. H. Barry of Empire, J. O. Stemmler of Myrtle Point, Hark Dunham of Coquille and a North Bend man are aspiring for the place. It pays about \$1400 a year.

So far, no North Bend democrat has announced his candidacy to succeed Postmaster Elmer Russell but Mr. Russell's appointment has some time to run.

ALLENS GIVEN SHORT REPRIEVE

Virginia Court House Murderers Granted Time by Governor Mann.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) RICHMOND, Va., Nov. 19.—Governor Mann granted Floyd and Claude Allen a reprieve today until December 13. They were sentenced to death in the electric chair Nov. 22 for their part in the Hillesville, Va. court house murder.

BEGIN PLANS FOR EDIFICE

Marshfield Catholic Church Site to Be Graded—Plan for Residence.

Preliminary work for the handsome new church which the Rev. Father A. R. Munro and the members of St. Monica's Catholic parish, expect to erect in Marshfield within the next year or two, will start this week. The site, which will be the same as the one now used, will be graded down and put in condition for the new structure.

The grading will permit the lowering of the old church to nearly a level with the street and will make it much more convenient as long as it has to be used.

It is now planned to erect a parochial residence before the new church is started. The starting of the new church has been delayed owing to Marshfield and Coos Bay being on the verge of an era of development which will probably necessitate the construction of a much larger edifice than is required for immediate needs. However, the parochial residence will not be handicapped in this way and it is likely that steps will be taken soon for the construction of a \$5,000 home for Father Munro.

LOCAL OVERFLOW

Try Suit Here.—L. A. Liljeqvist and A. J. Sherwood came over from Coquille today to try the case of Gettins vs. the Menasha Woodenware company before Judge Coke. They represent the defendant. C. A. Schibredre is representing Gettins. The case is understood to involve a claim for fees for services by Gettins.

New Box Factory.—George Geisendorfer, formerly of the North Bend Box factory, is head of the Coquille Valley Manufacturing company, a newly organized corporation, which today started the construction of a box factory on the lower Coquille, opposite Bullards. The plant will start on a small scale but will enlarge soon, according to present plans.

PANAMA WILL BE OPEN SOON

First Vessel to Pass Through Panama Canal Will Not Be the Oregon.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—Sometime next summer or fall, no exact date being specified, a vessel will pass from the Atlantic to the Pacific across what is now the Isthmus of Panama, which consequently must disappear from the world's geography and by the same human agency the Western Hemisphere will be divided into two continents. The vessel will not be the Oregon nor any other famous ship, but will be one of the many small water craft in daily use by the canal builders; and probably the only passengers will be Col. George W. Goethals and the staff of American engineers, who for the past eight years have been carrying on the greatest engineering work the world has ever seen.

It will be later than that, anywhere from six months to a year perhaps, before the formal opening of the waterway will take place and a naval fleet headed by the famous old Oregon will pass through into the western ocean and the canal may be fairly said to be open to trade.

These facts are not of official record as yet; the date of January 1, 1915, still stands for the opening predicted by Col. Goethals. But that the actual opening will be long before that date is generally expected.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY.

Mrs. Charles H. Jackson Buried from Baptist Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Charles H. Jackson was held from the Marshfield Baptist church this afternoon and was largely attended. There was a large turnout of Rebekahs, Western Star lodge holding services at the grave.

Mrs. Jackson came to Coos county in 1890, and that year was married to Charles H. Jackson at Empire. She had been a resident of Oregon seven years then. For a number of years, she and Mr. Jackson resided on a ranch at Ten Mile, later coming to Marshfield, and finally moving to Ross Inlet. She had been ill for nearly 18 months and efforts to relieve her, including a trip to California, were in vain.

Her mother, Mrs. Calvin Simmons, has been making her home with the Jacksons for the past year. A sister, Mrs. Weatherford, lives near Roseburg, and a brother, William Simmons, resides in Portland. The four children are Ralph, Allan, Charles H. and Margaret Evelyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hodson, Mrs. Charles Cox and Mr. and Mrs. Alva Bonebrake came down from Catching Inlet today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Charles H. Jackson.

RUFUS K. LOVE, who is put on an Elks minstrel entertainment soon, left Roseburg this morning for Marshfield.

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SELECTS MEN FOR ELECTION

City Council Names Election Board Board—Discusses Division Into Wards.

The Marshfield city council this evening began final preparations for the annual municipal election which will be held two weeks from today. Judges and clerks of election were named and instructions given that polling places be cured.

City Attorney Goss stated that the town had not been divided into wards yet, and that the town would vote on the candidates better to have the town divided but City Recorder Butler said with six councilmen serving three year terms, it would be difficult to have wards because it would mean an odd year without an one to elect. It was then suggested that the number of councilmen be increased to nine, but this would necessitate a charter amendment.

Election Boards. The following judges and clerks of election were named: South Marshfield—Judges, E. A. Anderson, E. D. McArthur and S. Torrey; clerks, Alva Doll, H. Rabskopf and K. E. Marcy. Central Marshfield—Judges, C. Johnson, F. M. Friedberg and D. McNeil; clerks, G. W. Eastman, R. O. Graves and C. Dodge.

North Marshfield—Judges, J. E. Milner, Mr. Wilson and John Schermer, Wm. Schroeder, Max Terman and F. A. Golden.

Marshal Carter was instructed to get the polling places in each precinct and will probably secure the same places in South and Central Marshfield as were used for the November election. However, since the council chamber has been fixed up, the council decided not to let it longer for election purposes. No one could suggest a place for the polls in North Marshfield last evening. Someone suggested the firemen's hall but others stated that the firemen would not permit it.

City Recorder Butler was also instructed to secure additional ballot boxes. Marshal Carter reported today that he had secured the total hall, over the Palace restaurant, for the polling place in the North Marshfield precinct.

F. A. WARNER, assistant to President C. A. Smith of the Smith Lumber Co., arrived here on the Nnan Smith last night for an extended stay.

LOCAL OVERFLOW

Kill Many Ducks.—Milo Pomeroy is in from Ten Mile. He reports good duck shooting and trout fishing there now. The other day he and Carl Schroeder beat John Herron and Ellis Short in a duck hunting contest, the four killing 10 and Plesion and Schroeder getting one more than their opponents.

Nann Smith last night for an extended stay from Bay Point and will sail early tomorrow.

Advertisement for Queen Quality Shoe. Features an illustration of a woman in a long dress and hat, and a high-heeled shoe. Text includes: 'Queen Quality SHOE', '\$3.50 to \$5.00', 'The Paris Top. New York's Latest.', and 'Whether you're in search of New York's latest—or simply an every day house shoe—you'll find it here in "Queen Quality." "Queen Quality" styles are right. "Queen Quality" prices are right. Our store service is right. This trinity makes for good looks, economy, and satisfaction—in your footwear. We have confidence it will induce you to come here soon. Why not today? The Golden Rule R. A. COPPLE, Prop. Broadway and Central.'