

PERSONAL NOTES

SHERMAN CUTLIP is in town today.

NEIL WATSON is in town today from Coos City.

GEORGE SMITH of Coos River is in Marshfield today.

WM. CANDLIN of Coquille was in Marshfield yesterday.

J. S. MASTERS of Sumner is a Marshfield visitor today.

H. D. WALLACE is in Marshfield from Ross Inlet today.

MAT MATSON is a business visitor from Catching Inlet today, from a trip to Brewster valley, to a trip to Brewster valley.

JOHN A. CARLSON of Catching Inlet is in town for the day.

EVAN HODSON is in town today from his North Coos River ranch.

CHARLES ESTERBECK of Catching Inlet is in town on business.

T. J. KOLSTAD of Coos River is a Marshfield business visitor today.

WM. BEATTIE of Lakeside is in Marshfield on business for the day.

MRS. F. B. ROOD of North Coos River is in Marshfield for the day.

A. M'ADAMS of Beaver Hill was in Marshfield Thursday on business.

WALTER JOHNSON of Lakeside is a business visitor to Marshfield today.

H. L. RUSSELL and wife of Catching Inlet are Marshfield visitors today.

H. E. JOHNSON of Coquille was a Marshfield business visitor yesterday.

J. M. UPTON left today for Curry county to spend a week with his father.

MRS. J. C. CRONK of South Coos River was in Marshfield today shopping.

MISS MYRTLE NORRIS of Fairview is a Marshfield visitor for a few days.

CLIFFORD CARLSON of North Coos River is visiting at Smith mill today.

CHAS. MAHAFFY is in town today from North Coos River. He will return this afternoon.

MRS. J. J. CLINKINBEARD of Daniels Creek is in town today doing Christmas shopping.

CLYDE BARKER and wife of Fairview, are in town today doing their Christmas shopping.

JOEL OSTLIND went to Bandon this morning to do some piano tuning. He will return Tuesday.

MRS. CLAUDE PIPER of North Coos River is in town today on her way to Coquille to attend to business.

MISS EDNA WIEDER of Lakeside came to Marshfield this morning and will remain over until tomorrow.

FRANK LANG left on the Speedwell for Los Angeles, where he will spend the holidays, after which he will return to take

charge of the Ferry ranch on Isthmus Inlet. He and James Ferry, Jr., will have charge of the place for three years.

L. J. CODY of the Cody Lumber Company at Bandon, passed through here yesterday enroute home from a trip to Portland and other northern points.

HUGH M'LAIN, who returned yesterday from a trip to Myrtle Point, states that he and Fred McLain would start a crew of 20 men to work this week on the construction of the trestle work and approaches for the bridges on the Smith-Powers logging road.

J. LEE BROWN is expected to return from Portland tomorrow, where he has been attending the Pharmacy State Board, which has met for the quarterly examination of candidates. While in Portland he will secure the latest Xmas novelties for the Brown Drug Co.

JOHN HERRON returned yesterday from a short stay at Sheppard's Springs, Wash., for his health. He is considerably improved. At Portland he met John Hume, formerly of the Rogue River cannery, who informed him they had a good season with their plant at Ketchikan, Alaska.

MRS. JENNIE CONLOGUE and two children of Bandon are in Marshfield today. They will leave on the Breakwater tomorrow for Roseburg, where Mrs. Conlogue will place the older daughter, Marie, in the Sisters' school at Roseburg and herself will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. J. N. Endicott.

AMONG THE SICK.

Mrs. R. P. Harrington is reported quite sick at their home on South Fifth street.

Mrs. Anderson of Oregon City, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever, is improving. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Watters of North Bend.

One of the infant twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. John Greves of North Bend is reported as doing nicely this morning. She was very low yesterday.

The 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Cavanaugh of North Bend underwent an operation this week for tuberculosis of the bone in his leg. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

Alvin Munck of Bandon, who is quite well known on the Bay, is reported to be seriously ill at Bandon.

Word has been received that Miss Spence Wilson who is in a San Francisco hospital, is much improved.

Mrs. D. L. Foote, who was operated on at Mercy Hospital yesterday is reported to be doing nicely.

SEE SALING'S new line of IVORY and MOCCASINS for XMAS PRESENTS. 148 BROADWAY.

GLEN GROUT IS REPORTED DEAD

A Well Known North Bend Young Man Reported to Have Died in Portland.

Mrs. J. A. Mende of North Bend this morning received a telegram from Alva Grout stating that his brother, Glen Grout, who had been ill of typhoid fever in Portland, had died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning.

The telegram came as a great shock to the many friends of the well known young man on Coos Bay. It was known that he was seriously ill, but the last advices from him were that he was a little better.

Yesterday J. W. Grout, his father, received a message stating that Glen's condition was critical and urged him to come at once. This message is rather contradictory of the last one, but some thought that they possibly wanted to withhold the announcement of the death from the father until he reached there.

Mr. Grout planned to leave on the Breakwater tomorrow, figuring it would be the quickest way, owing to the condition of the roads. Today he is trying to get in communication with the folks at Portland.

Glen Grout was about 19 years old and had been very prominent in the North Bend High school. Last year he went to Portland to finish his education there. Mrs. Grout and Alva went to Portland a few weeks ago, soon after he was taken ill to be with him.

Mr. Grout was at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bessie Binford, 47 East Seventeenth street, North Portland. His brother, Alva, has been attending Oregon University.

It is not believed that the body will be brought to North Bend for burial. The deceased was prominent in the Mizpah Bible class and the North Bend High school and both bodies will send floral offerings for the funeral.

LOOK OUT! THIS IS FRIDAY, THE 13TH!

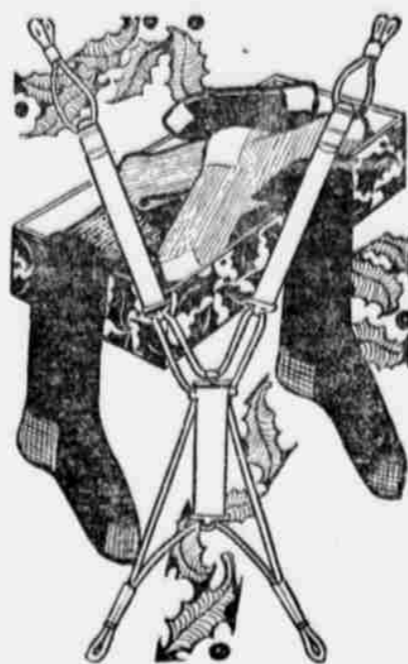
Today is one of the two real "bad luck" days of the year 1912. It is the unlucky 13th and the superstitious will be uneasy until it is over. The only other "Friday, the 13th," of the present year, occurred in September.

The fact that four men are to be hung in Salem today will add to the horrors of the day for the morbid.

However, these timid ones can take heart, for the ap- these black days. June 13, proaching year has but one of 1913, will fall upon Friday.

The year 1914 will be an unusually unlucky one, for the fateful combination occurs three times during its 365 days, in February, March and November. This is the first time in several years that two consecutive months have had a "Friday, the 13th."

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE CHRISTMAS BUYER



It is not really necessary for us to suggest these articles as being suitable for Christmas gifts.

They are the most suitable. What we wish to do is to impress upon you that The Hub is the place for you to buy them.

Naturally you will want a reason and we give the same one that we give for every transaction at this store.

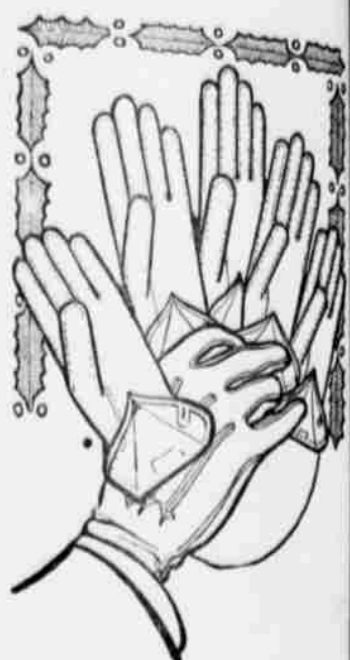
VALUE PLUS PRICE PLUS SERVICE

They are the things that count, but in this case we have another reason that is undoubtedly as important if not more important than any of those mentioned.

It is assortment. The variety of these holiday goods that we show is really remarkable.

11 More Shopping Days Till Christmas

REMEMBER "Money Talks"



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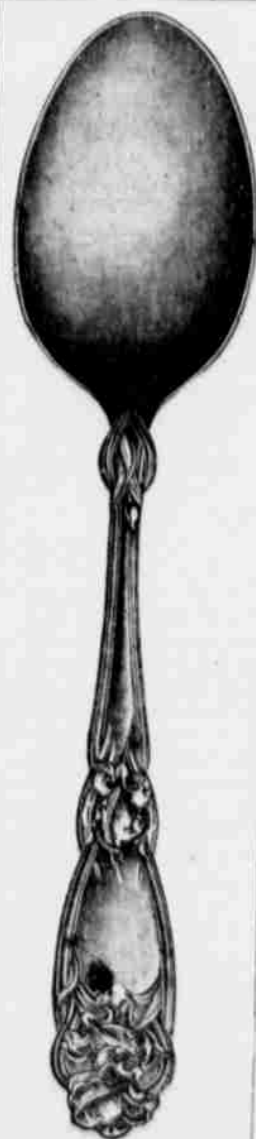
SILVERWARE

For Gifts

- 6 Sterling Teaspoons in fancy box . . . \$5.50 to \$9
- 6 Quadruple Plated Spoons, in fancy boxes \$2 to \$2.25
- 6 each Knives and Forks, sterling \$25.00
- 6 each Knives and Forks, plated \$5 to \$12.00
- 26 piece Silver Sets, Plated \$10 to \$18 (Chest with silver free)

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Grand Opening

The public is cordially invited to the formal grand opening of our new bakery and lunchroom on North Second street, near Central avenue.

Saturday Dec. 14

from 2 o'clock to 12 o'clock.

Attendants will be pleased to show the visitors through every department of one of the most up-to-date bakeries in the West.

A present will be made to every man, woman or child visiting our place tomorrow.

Everybody Welcome.

Leid's Bakery North Second Street Near Central Marshfield Oregon.

ALONG THE WATERFRONT.

The A. M. Simpson sailed yesterday morning from San Pedro for Coos Bay.

Capt. J. J. Ott of Allegany is master of the Rainbow during the absence of Capt. Herman Edwards, who leaves on the Redondo for an extended visit in Southern California.

Capt. Dan Roberts, who has been engineer on the Alert for ten years, has resigned his position.

Capt. John Anderson of the Randolph will pilot the schooner Anvil on its trip to Rogue River this week with supplies for the MacLeay estate store.

Times' Want Ads bring results.

HOPE TO GET MILLIONS EAST

North Bend People, Heirs of Mercer Estate, Claiming Heart of New York.

Robert Emory, Mrs. Hildreth and Mrs. Chas. Murr of North Bend are among the heirs of John Mercer, who are trying to regain possession of a tract of 160 acres in the heart of New York city. The litigation has been pending for some time and involves about \$500,000-000 worth of property, according to some estimates.

It seems that one of their ancestors, John Mercer, leased the tract for a period of 99 years to parties who wished to improve some of it, receiving an annual rental. This lease ran out in 1872 and the parties occupying the property claimed it. Sometime ago the heirs got together and started suit to recover it, claiming that the real estate reverted to them at the expiration of the lease.

The North Bend people are hoping for an early culmination of the case which would make them immensely wealthy, although each is entitled to a small fractional part of the estate.

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MEET TONIGHT ABOUT ROAD

Mayor Morrison of Coquille and Editor J. C. Savage of the Coquille Valley Sentinel telephoned today that they and others would convene on this afternoon's train to attend the good roads meeting to be held at the Marshfield Chamber Commerce this evening.

It is expected that a number from North Bend and other surrounding towns will be present. It is desired that there be a good attendance at the meeting as the good roads movement is all important in Coos county.

Try The Times' Want Ads.

TONIGHT The Royal

HOWARD and HART will present Two Distinct Acts IN PHOTOPLAY For Mikado The Mule Ranch Mystery Johnny on the Spot. How Jack Won Out.

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