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SPLENDID SENTIMENT. THE TIMES has heretofore had occasion to refer to the good work that might be done in this community by the members of the Fellowship Club.

COOLEY HELD UNDER BIG BOND

(Special to The Times) GOLD BEACH, Or., Jan. 12.—A. R. Cooley was held to answer to the grand jury in \$59,000 bonds.

IN LEAD FOR LAND OFFICES

J. M. Upton and W. J. Conrad Said to Be in Line for Roseburg Places

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12.—While geographical considerations will weigh in the selection of land office officials, making it likely that Marshfield will be given prior consideration, it is believed Secretary Lane favors appointing a lawyer, so that J. M. Upton, of Marshfield, looks like the choice for register of the Roseburg office.

The most prominent candidate in Portland seems to be George L. Smith, president of the Wilson-Marshall club. W. J. Conrad, of Marshfield, is considered a strong candidate for the receivership at Roseburg.

The candidates for registership at Roseburg are R. T. Ashworth, J. L. Boyle, J. M. Glikley, W. C. Guerin, C. L. Hamilton, F. F. Stewart, J. M. Upton, Douglas Waite; for receivership at Roseburg, W. H. Canon, W. J. Carlton, W. J. Conrad, R. E. Crawford, W. A. McHargue, S. A. Sanford and R. R. Turner.

RAILWAY GETS AN INJUNCTION

JUDGE BEAN RESTRAINS PORTLAND FROM ENFORCING SIX FOR A QUARTER TICKET RATE.

PORTLAND, Jan. 12.—Judge Bean of the Federal District Court issued a restraining order today restraining the city council from enforcing the ordinance recently enacted providing for the sale of street car tickets by the company at the rate of six for a quarter.

NORTH BEND NEWS

The union revival meetings in the North Bend M. E. church under the auspices of Rev. A. M. Williams and Rev. A. S. Hisey were the scene of great interest. Many have been converted, crowds increased and assistance among the workers is manifest. A large orchestra and good singing are features of the meetings.

DREARY IN CHICAGO

Have Had 16 Minutes Sunshine in Three Weeks. CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 12.—For the first time in nearly three weeks, and for one of the few times since November 1, Chicagoans Saturday saw real sunshine for just sixteen minutes, according to the records of the Chicago weather bureau.

Heavy fogs and low-hanging clouds have darkened the city for more than two-thirds of the daylight hours during the last two and a half months. Since December 22 the darkness has been continuous, with the exception of the sixteen-minute respite. On five different days the fogs and clouds were so heavy that it became necessary to turn on street lights at the noon hour.

THAW MAY GO INTO BUSINESS.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) PITTSBURG, Jan. 12.—Roger O'Mara, trustee for the estate of Harry Thaw and his confidential adviser, said today that while no definite plans had been formed for Thaw if he is released on bail, he would probably come to Pittsburgh and go into business.

"Court action to establish Thaw's sanity in Pennsylvania will be re-opened," said O'Mara. "He has the ability to start and maintain a successful business and will do it."

If you have anything to sell, rent, trade, or want help, try a Want Ad in The Times.

COOS CO. WILL NOT PAY RATES

County Officers Notices Sent to All Papers With Charges Restricted

The last issue of the North Bend Harbor called attention to the action of the County Commissioners in offering the different papers just one-half the regular rate for publishing county officers' notices. The Times is a believer in the square deal and has refused to accept or publish these notices at such a price.

The following is the article that appears in the North Bend paper: "Coos County is evidently too poor to pay the newspapers of the county their regular advertising rates, if the following is to be accepted as a criterion."

"This office has repeatedly received notices for publication of this kind, which have in every instance been thrown in the waste basket. Heretofore we did not think enough about the matter to give it any publicity but since our readers will be deprived of the publicity which they are justly entitled to, make this explanation as well as criticism."

"We this week received the following:

"Enclosed please find notice to taxpayers which I wish you would run for four issues of your paper. It is possible that I may wish to make some change in the notice later on. I would state, however, that the County Court made a standing order some time ago to the effect that they would not stand for more than 2 1-2 cents a line for printings Officers' notices."

If you do not feel inclined to publish the notice for those figures, simply pass the matter up.

T. M. DIMMICK, Co. Treas. "The notice has been 'passed up' and with this explanation we hope the taxpayers will understand our position. No paper in the county runs local advertising for less than 5c per line, and in many cases the rate is 7c to 10c. Just why Coos Co. will spend thousands of dollars in publishing delinquent tax lists, and then say to the newspapers that if a few short official notices sent out by the county treasurer and other officers must be accepted at a rate 50 per cent below the lowest rate charged by any paper in the county or not published at all, is a position we believe is not well taken."

"If you read the notice sent out by Mr. Dimmick, you will know that it was published at cut rates, and you are therefore in a position to demand of that publisher a similar rate."

You will not read these notices in The Times or any other self-respecting newspaper until the county commissioners agree to be fair and pay an honest wage for an honest service."

INCREASE IN 1913 PERMITS

Building Inspector Estimates Valuation for 1913 is About \$250,000

Building Inspector Tribbey estimates that the building permits for the year 1913 in Marshfield had a total valuation in the neighborhood of \$250,000, a considerable amount over the figures estimated for last year. The actual figures were not available for some reason or other, but the receipts turned over to the city recorder indicated that the permits for 1913 building totalled \$194,000. This was exclusive of plumbing and heating plants erected, which would raise the amount to approximately \$240,000.

Inspector Tribbey notes that the valuation placed on the structures at the time the permits are secured by the builders are almost invariably smaller than the actual cost, when the structures are completed, and for this reason it is difficult to secure the actual value of the structures erected.

For this reason, while the figures secured allow for an estimated valuation of \$250,000, it is estimated that the real valuation is \$250,000 or over for the year 1913.

Have your job printing done at The Times office. Times Want ads bring results.

FARMERS OF COUNTY MEET

Delegates From Four Unions Hold Convention and Organize at Coquille

Delegates returning from the annual convention of the Coos County Farmers' Union held in Coquille on Saturday report a very enthusiastic session, over one hundred members of the various unions in the county being present.

L. G. Masters, Geo. Ross, George Blake and County Agriculturist J. L. Smith, represented the Coos Bay Union at the gathering and two of the local men were selected as officials of the county organization.

Reports were read of the work done and the growth of the movement among the farmers in Coos County aroused much interest. Those in attendance were treated to a big banquet, over one hundred sitting down to two long tables, which actually groaned with the weight of good things grown on Coos County farms and served by the wives of the farmers present.

The officers elected at the gathering were as follows:

President—George Henninger. Vice-president—George Ross. Secretary and treasurer—E. A. Howey.

Conductor—Nick Johnson. Doorkeeper—L. G. Masters.

The convention adjourned after an all-day session Saturday, subject to the call of the president. President J. M. Culey, of the local union, was unable to attend the convention, owing to the illness of Mrs. Culey.

The unions represented were from Coquille, Myrtle Point, Fishtrap and Coos Bay.

COOS COUNTY GIVEN CHANCE

Guy W. Talbot Asks for Suggestions on Participation in Rose Festival

Guy W. Talbot, chairman of the committee on outside co-operation for the Rose Festival to be held in Portland from June 9 to 12 next summer, has written to The Times stating that the committee is anxious that Coos County should state what the festival committee can do to forward the interests of this section during the festival, when it is expected that 400,000 people from all parts of the United States will be in Portland.

Talbot's letter states that the festival is not only for the benefit of Portland, but for the whole of Oregon and the Columbia River basin. He asks that suggestions be sent him as to the best method to help this section and place its advantages before the thousands of visitors who will be in the Rose City.

Talbot has appointed Tom Richardson, of the Oregon Development League, and C. C. Chapman, of the Portland Commercial Club, to serve with him as a committee. A fine exhibit of Coos County products is suggested by Talbot, who states, however, that he is open for suggestions by the boosters of this section.

Sometimes a man's sense of humor will help him over a rough place when his piety isn't equal to the strain. Sometimes when a Coos Bay man is thrown on his own resources he finds they are not there.

Look Up 136 North Broadway AND SECURE YOUR HOME SITES IN New Bedford Addition. We have high-grade income property for you to consider. Good home-hill sites on improved street, \$2000. Farms, all sizes and prices. Stock ranges, timber. But do not forget your future homesite in NEW BEDFORD ADDITION, at Stutsman & Co.

KINDLY REMEMBER AND GIVE US A TRIAL EVERYTHING IN THE BAKERY LINE. MARSHFIELD BAKING COMPANY. 133 NORTH SECOND ST., NEAR CENTRAL AVENUE. PHONE 428.

The Parisian FASHION'S CENTRE IRVING BLOCK. 33 1/3 Per Cent Sale! 33 1/3 Discount Sale! MEN'S AND BOYS' OVERCOATS. Remember, that an Overcoat lasts three seasons or more, and that there is plenty of sharp weather coming this winter—and next. With these thoughts in mind come in today and select any Overcoat in the house at ONE-THIRD LESS THAN REGULAR PRICE.

C. A. Smith Lumber & Mfg. Co. RETAIL DEPARTMENT. LUMBER, LATH, SHINGLES, MOULDINGS, SASH AND DOORS, ROOFING PAPER, ETC. CUT THE FUEL BILL IN TWO BY USING OUR WOOD. PHONE 190. 182 SOUTH BROADWAY

FREIGHT S. S. HARDY. Carrying freight only. Between Coos Bay and San Francisco. Sails from Coos Bay, Jan. 2, 16, 30, February 13 and 27. Sails from San Francisco Jan. 9, 23, Feb. 6 and 20. F. S. DOW, Agent, Ocean Dock.

EDISON'S LATEST. A storage battery that continues over charging will not harm. DOES NOT CORRODE AT TERMINALS. CONTAINS NO ACID. WILL NOT lose its charge while standing idle. 18-GUARANTEED FIVE YEARS. Coos Bay Wiring Co. 153 Broadway. Agents for Port of Coos Bay.

YOU AUTO CALL FOR FOOTE'S AUTOS. Four good cars with careful drivers. For day service, phone 144-3. Blanco Billiard Parlors. For night service, Phone 2004. Right Cafe. D. L. FOOTE.

Murphy's Dancing Academy. Beginners' class changed to Tuesday evening until further notice. Private lessons by appointment. Phone Earl H. Murphy, instructor, 295-L. Residence 373 Sixth street South.

20 Commutation Tickets \$2.00. MARSHFIELD-NORTH BEND LINE. Cars every ten minutes from 6 a.m. to 12:30 p. m.

GORST & KING, Proprietors.

Pictures & Framing Walker Studio.

CITY AUTO AND TAXI SERVICE. A new taxicab has been added to my auto service. Careful drivers will go anywhere at any time. Blanco Cigar Store. Day phone 139-X. Night phone 139-X. TOM GOODALE, Proprietor.

HAVE Barnard & Langworthy FIGURE ON YOUR ELECTRICAL WORK.

DROP IN AND SEE THE BIG GAMES IN THE BOWLING TOURNAMENT. Chatterton's Alleys NORTH FRONT STREET.

Chimneys Fire Place J. N. Bayliss. Any kind of brick work at prices that are right. AND ALL WORK GUARANTEED. Call at "The Fireside," Johnson Bldg., 137 Second St. Phone 144. French Ranges. Boiler Work.

CALL A TAXI DAY OR NIGHT PHONE 310. Party and train calls a Special. MARSHFIELD TAXICAB CO.

South Coos River Boats. Tioga leaves Marshfield for head of river at 8 a. m., returning in evening. Steamer Rainbow leaves head of river at 7 a. m., returning leaves Marshfield at 2 p. m. ROGERS & SMITH.

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I. S. Kaufman & Co.

STADDEN. ALL KINDS of PHOTOGRAPHY WORK, Bromide Enlarging, Kodak Finishing. If you have anything to sell, trade, or want help, try a Want Ad in The Times.

WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA.

GOOD EVENING.

To get the real help of a great thought you must trust it, you must live it—Percy C. Ainsworth.

HER PREFERENCE.

We were sitting in the parlor, And talked of this and that. She asked me if I'd been away, And how I liked her hat.

"I wanted about various things, About the weather; On almost every theme, We there conversed together.

I asked what paper she preferred; She hesitated some, With the dark around we heard The autos homeward hum.

She moved a little closer then, And answered, in good rhymes, "Why, the one of all that suits me most Is the Daily Coos Bay Times."

At the City Council meeting the other night they were busy swearing in the new city officials. It is hoped that later the knickers will not be swearing at them.

GOURMET'S LOVE SONG.

As is the mint sauce to the lamb, As is the fried egg to the ham, As is the possum to the yam, Are you to me!

Like the pork without the apple sauce Like hot cross buns without the cross, Without you, love, a total loss My life would be!

Like apple pie without the cheese, Or juicy lamb without the peas, Or lemon ice that will not freeze, Would be my life.

You are the syrup to my cakes, You are the mushrooms to my stinks, And so I beg for both our sakes, Oh, be my wife!

I love you with my heart and soul, More than young squabs in casseroles, More than French dressing in the bowl, Oh, do be mine!

What? No? My future thus you spoil! My salad you deprive of oil! How well! But still the pot will boil, I go—to dine!

—Exchange