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AMONG THE SICK

Mrs. Jennie M. Stewart of the Johnson Lodging House is just recovering from a severe illness which she contracted while visiting relatives at The Dalles recently. P. N. Flagg, who has been at Mercy Hospital for several weeks, was able to be brought home today and is now well on the road to recovery. Capt. Pendergast, while working on the Noble pliedriver this morning, slipped and fell, cutting a severe gash in his head.

MORROW DENIES DREDGE YARN

UNITED STATES ENGINEER SAYS THAT HE HAS NOT PROMISED TO SEND OREGON TO VANCOUVER INSTEAD OF COOS BAY. Major Morrow has denied the report in the Portland Journal that the dredge Oregon, which he promised some time ago would be returned here this spring, had been recommended to be used at Vancouver. When the Port of Coos Bay heard of it, A. H. Powers and Henry Sengstacken immediately wired Major Morrow as follows: "Have you recommended exclusive use of dredge Oregon for Washington until proposed new dredge for Vancouver, Washington, and Oregon Port is built per article Oregon Journal twenty-fifth instant? Please wire answer." Major Morrow today answered as follows: "Have not made recommendation referred to in your telegram twenty-eighth."

BUICK SERVICE AHEAD OF ALL

Operates at All Times and in All Places for Owners' Convenience. "The new Buick service system is proving a revelation to automobile owners," remarked I. R. Tower this morning, in discussing the new features of the automobile situation for the coming season. "Purchasers of 1914 Buick cars are finding this service system a great convenience. This service does not operate only in case of a breakdown or accident but in the every day use of Buick cars. Once a week these cars are thoroughly inspected, oiled and greased without any expense to the owner except for actual material used. This takes away all the unpleasantness of the owner's attending to this important matter and operates for a full year from date of purchase of the car. This means that the machine receives proper care at all times and practically all the owner has to do is run the car. "No matter what section of the coast a man may drive with a Buick, he receives this same attention free of charge. Since this system has been incorporated practically all Buick troubles have been eliminated." Ask any 1914 Buick owner what car to buy.



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PEOPLE'S VIEW OF BAND GIVEN

Unusually Large Crowd at Sunday Concert—Council on Appropriation

The regular concert by the Coos Bay Band at the Masonic Opera House yesterday afternoon drew the largest attendance it has yet had and one of the largest audiences that has ever assembled at the Masonic. There was not nearly sufficient seating room and the aisles, rear and other portions were filled with those unable to obtain seats. The program was a very good one, several new instruments being added.

Tonight the Marshfield City Council will probably take final action on the proposal to reduce the monthly appropriation from \$150 to \$100. It is expected that a number of representatives of the band and others will be present to protest. Here are some of the expressions on the street about the band appropriation: Henry Sengstacken—Personally, I am in favor of the band and the appropriation voted by the people should be upheld by the Council. While some of the taxpayers would not kick if the reduction were made, I think the Council should let the appropriation stand as it is.

W. J. Conrad—The people voted for this appropriation of \$150 for the band and they are the final judges in these matters. For the service the band does for Marshfield, and the advertising accomplished for Coos Bay, I think \$150 is little enough to offer.

Jens Hansen—If I want enjoyment of any kind I pay for it. When I go to church I enjoy the service. I pay for this because I enjoy it. Unless the city is run on a business basis we might just as well grant every demand that comes along. If an admission were charged to these band concerts, say ten cents, I am satisfied that the band would make more money, and the people who attend these concerts would be the only ones taxed, instead of the property owner.

Edward H. Jochnk—An admission should be charged to these band concerts just as any other amusement. This charge should not be held to the taxpayer. It should be paid for by the people gaining the enjoyment.

P. M. Parsons—I want to see the band maintained. It seems to me that the city should be able to maintain this band. It is the biggest advertising feature that Coos Bay has at the present time, and when the boys are planning great things it does not seem encouraging to them to hear the suggestion of a reduction in the appropriation.

H. E. Leppert—It looks as though the municipality has gone broke when they suggest a reduction in this Coos Bay Concert Band. To my mind it is the biggest advertising feature that Coos Bay has at present.

Frank Cohan—I don't understand why the City Council should suggest a reduction for the city band. The band is the only real good entertainment that is offered at regular intervals. I think an increase in the appropriation instead of a reduction would be in order, and I for one would be in favor of increasing the appropriation. Visitors to Marshfield find real enjoyment in listening to the band. It is the best form of advertising that Coos Bay has at present.

E. W. Kammerer—The band allowance should not be reduced. It should be increased if anything. It seems to me to be poor policy on the part of the Council to even suggest a reduction at this time.

Harry G. Hoy—I consider a good band a valuable asset to a city both from a financial and moral standpoint. The free band concert is the poor man's recreation. If the proposed cut in the allowance to our band means that we have an inferior class of entertainment from that source I should be in favor of such cut only in the event that it is positively necessary in order to prevent the city from going into debt. An intelligent opinion in the matter could not be given except one has knowledge of the financial condition of the city and the possibility of curtailment of expenses in other departments. To my mind the band is of far more importance than the public library.

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Lower Seed Rate.—Sec. J. W. Motley of the Marshfield Chamber of Commerce, in receipt of a letter from Sec. Chapman of the Oregon Development League, asking him to send letters to Oregon Congressmen urging them to amend the parcel post law so that garden seeds, etc., can be sent at parcel post rates. Now the charge is one cent for two ounces or fraction thereof, or about six times as great as the parcel post rate.

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