

COOS BAY TIMES

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WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA

GOOD EVENING

He who seeks his own advantage, instead of striving for the welfare of those dependent on him, displays a small mind and one deserving of contempt.—St. Bernard O. Clist.

A Coos Bay man wouldn't ask a lake for a drink of water. But the big boob will hang around and ask a girl for a kiss.

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Little Bo-Peep has lost her sheep, Far be it from her to worry! She heard of the soaring price of meat And sold each lamb in a hurry.

The less a Coos Bay man amounts to the larger he shows up in a group photograph.

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Love is blind—to everything except an engagement ring.

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A man has to adjust a hat to fit his head. A woman adjusts her head to fit a hat.

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THE QUIET OBSERVER SAYS

"If there is any such thing as an ideal woman, it is usually the other man's wife."

—H—H—

But an ounce of flattery beats a pound of truth if you have an ax to grind.

ESTABLISH NEW CAMPS.

Grading to Coos Bay to Be Finished This Summer.

The Eugene Register says: "That the grade for the Willamette Pacific railway will be finished through to Coos Bay this coming summer is the promise of H. P. Hooy, assistant engineer of the company, who returned Wednesday night from a two weeks' trip to San Francisco. Further, he stated, work on the grading will be resumed as good weather sets in.

"Concrete abutments for a bridge at Chickahominy have been completed and the erection of a bridge at that place will not mean much of a delay. Track laying gangs are but two miles from the bridge site and will start work on the structure as soon as the steel girders may be sent from Eugene, where they have been on hand for some time.

"Waiting for the opening of spring, states Mr. Hooy, is holding the situation back and nothing will be done from headquarters until the weather clears.

NORTH BEND NEWS

Mrs. R. A. Annin of Myrtle Point, county president of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Blanche Faulstich, president of the Bandon W. C. T. U., will be here on Wednesday and a social meeting will be held at the Methodist church at which some of the yearly business will be taken up.

Rev. R. G. Summerlin, who is delivering lectures through the county, will leave for South Coos River this afternoon for a few days.

Mrs. George Bolster, who has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Fisher in Portland, is expected home on the next Breakwater.

Mrs. W. D. Simson and little daughter, Bernice, are the guests today of Mrs. Ekblad in Marshfield. Mr. and Mrs. John Freeland and children and Clifford Freeland were the guests over Sunday of relatives on North Inlet.

A congregational meeting of the members of the Presbyterian church will be held on the twentieth of this month. Business will be transacted and a program given.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will hold a social afternoon Thursday at the church. All members and friends are invited to attend.

The bridge across the cut at Simpson's park was opened Saturday to foot passengers. It will soon be open to general traffic.

Mrs. Thos. Hall of Portland, who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Ekblad of Marshfield, is spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Belle Backenstoe is the guest for a few days of her mother, Mrs. Geo. Bolster.

Mrs. Tom Smith, of Daniels Creek, is spending a few days visiting with friends on Catching Inlet.

A. H. Derbyshire has about concluded arrangements whereby he will become associated with J. W. Bennett in the practice of law. He will retain his home in North Bend and travel back and forth, night and morning. He will also retain his position as City Attorney of North Bend.

John Vanburger's bid to carry the mail to Lakeside was rejected by the Government because it was too high and new bids will be opened April 1.

F. C. Woods, recently of Coquille, Wyo., is associated with Rol. Walker in a newly established housemoving business here.

B. C. Seydel, of Portland and Beaverton, who is here with a view to establishing a waterworks system on Coos Bay or to buy out the Coos Bay Water Company, is checking up the Golden Falls supply. He was informed that the supply there would exceed five million gallons at the driest season of the year, but later was informed that it was not half that amount and so he is checking up the records of the flow during 1910 to see what is right. It is said that he is favorably impressed with the prospects here.

OUSTS MANNING FROM ISLAND

Port of Coos Bay Decides to Make Him Give up Place—Dredge Paid Off

The Port of Coos Bay instructed their attorneys, J. W. Bennett and C. R. Peck, today, to have John Manning ousted from Dredger Isle, which he preempted when the fill there by the dredge Oregon a few years ago made a mound higher than the tide. Ranchers wanted to take the oyster shells from the island but Manning wouldn't let them, hence the decision to oust him. Mr. Bennett said that the ranchers were afraid of Manning.

During the month of February the dredge Seattle's expense was \$49,870. This leaves about \$130,000 of the Port funds on hand.

On account of the rapid use of the Port funds, it was decided to charge the banks only two per cent interest on the balances after March 27.

The attorneys were instructed to have C. R. Peck and A. Adams sign new deeds transferring the Port property on North Front street to the new port commission to eliminate any question about its title in the future.

Want Michie to Work. Sec. Sengstacken has made a request of Major Morrow to have the dredge Michie get busy and cut down the shoals in the lower bay when it is too rough to work on the bar.

Carl Evertsen was assured that the dredge fill would not be permitted to damage the basement of the Masonic Opera House.

1913 SHIPPING OF COOS BAY

Shows Big Gain Over 1912, According to Port Commission's Annual Report

H. C. Diers, who was appointed by the Port of Coos Bay to compile a report of the shipping of Coos Bay during 1913 filed his report. It shows a marked increase over last year.

The lumber shipments totaled 239,085 tons against 269,773 last year and the value was \$2,773,559 against \$2,360,083 last year. The dairy products showed an increase, the value being \$354,414 against \$228,000 last year.

The total export tonnage during 1913 was 416,958 tons, valued at \$3,996,274 against 383,945 tons the previous year valued at \$2,925,868.

The total imports this year were 49,041 tons, valued at \$3,691,570 against 59,176 tons valued at \$3,088,030 in 1912.

This left a balance of trade of \$274,040 in favor of Coos Bay for the year.

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

Two Arrests.—C. F. McGeorge and A. E. Jensen are the two latest to be haled on the carpet by police for not having lights on their autos after dark. It is the second offense for McGeorge's machine.

Boats Arrive.—The Grace Dollar arrived in yesterday to take on a cargo from the Coquille mill at the depot. The Hardy arrived in and so did the Speedwell, the latter sailing today.

Eight Have Smallpox.—Dr. Bartle, health officer at North Bend, was here today on business. He reports that there are only eight mild cases of smallpox in North Bend now, six of these being in the Moorehouse family near the bridge to Bangor.

Lumberman Here.—Joseph Fyfe, a prominent lumberman who has been looking after interests at Bandon, was in Marshfield today.

Leave Today.—The Speedwell had only a few passengers out of here today for California. Those sailing on her were J. H. Fort and wife, C. L. Downs, Miss Esther Monson and F. E. Hague.

PERSONAL OVERFLOW.

O. J. SEELEY is here from Coquille campaigning for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner.

BURT DOREMUS will leave overland tomorrow for Portland, and Mrs. Doremus will go to California for a short stay.

F. E. HAGUE left today for San Francisco to accompany Mrs. Hague home from her visit there.

DYER WILL RUN

The Bandon Recorder announces that Elbert Dyer of Bandon, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Commissioner. In connection with the announcement, a letter from Z. T. Siglin to C. R. Wade is printed. In it Mr. Siglin highly endorses Mr. Dyer and says that he (Siglin) has not decided whether he will be a candidate for office this year or not.

Along the Waterfront.

Captain Alex, formerly of the Berle Minor, but who has been holding the position of mate on the tug Klyham for some months past, has accepted a berth on the Tillamook. Orvil Counts will take Capt. Alex's former position on the tug.—Bandon Surf.

DAY'S NEWS IN POLICE COURT

Frank Ganley Gets Into Trouble Twice—Boys Take Marsden Launch

Frank Ganley was arrested Saturday evening by Officers Shoupe and Doane at the Claymore bar and was charged with fighting. He was released on \$10 cash bail provided by himself and proceeded to the Claymore to enter into a second argument with an employe there. He then returned to the police station and said he could not appear on Monday morning for a hearing, stating that he could not lose a day as he had a wife and family to support. Asked where his wife and family lived, he responded, "In Alameda, California." "Well, you be here for trial at 10 o'clock Monday morning or you forfeit your bail," said Gordon Smith. He was on hand at the Recorder's court this morning and fined \$5. He was also mixed up in the Henryville shooting scrape in which John Kelly was killed, being the party who forced the poker through the window of John Gall's shack.

Boys Took Launch.

Frank Javils and L. Meyer were arrested by Officer Walter Richardson Sunday afternoon on complaint of J. Marsden and charged with taking his launch without permission. Marsden had planned to take his family for a trip in the launch yesterday and upon arriving at the dock saw the two young men departing. He engaged another boat and pursued the frate to the mouth of South Inlet, where they turned and started for Marshfield, leaving the boat at the landing.

Marsden then went to the police station and told Officer Richardson of the affair and said he wanted the young men arrested. Richardson went out and located the couple walking up Front street just after leaving the boat and asked them why they took the boat. We just wanted a ride," said Meyer. Richardson then placed both under arrest but Marsden refused to prosecute. Officer Richardson then telephoned to Justice Pennock and asked what disposition he should make of the case. Justice Pennock said that in view of the fact that Marsden did not want to prosecute, to release the boys with "a good talking to." That Richardson did, both Javils and Meyer promising that they would never take a boat for a little joy ride again. The young men are employed as apprentices at the Nelson iron works.

Charles Guy was arrested by Officer Doane Sunday night and charged with being "partly drunk." He appeared before Recorder Butler this morning and was given fifteen minutes to leave town. Doane said that he was a general vagrant and was a detriment to the community.

REVIVAL IN COQUILLE.

Over 250 Converted At Cost of About One Thousand Dollars.

The Coquille Sentinel says: M. O. Hooton, of the committee having the finances of the recent evangelistic campaign in charge, stated that the freewill offering to Mr. Taylor amounted to \$425.85. In addition to this he was paid \$100 for traveling expenses in coming here and Mr. C. E. Lane received \$125 for his services as singer and chorister.

In addition to this the local expenses for rent of hall, board for the party for about five weeks and incidentals amounted to just about \$300. This makes a grand total of about \$950 as the amount of money expended on account of these meetings.

At the meeting at the rink Monday night Mr. Lane said he had kept an accurate record and there had been 257 decisions for the Christian life during the campaign, and that 171 of these new converts had already united with some one of the churches of the city.

STILL SEEK BENSON.

No Trace of Man Suspected of Aiding in Svea Saloon Robbery.

Axel Benson is still being sought by the officers as an accomplice of Gust Johnson in the robbery of Oscar Lehto, the Eastside mill employe, who was held up and robbed of \$205 in bills in the back room of the Svea saloon last Wednesday night. It is believed that Benson is in hiding around the Bay or jumped out to some of the railroad camps north of here. Johnson is in the county jail.

Johnson at first denied any knowledge of the crime and claimed that a railroad contractor had given him the money which he was spending. However when \$35 he had deposited with Proprietor Borreo of the Nutwood Saloon and where he had passed a \$20 bill in buying a suit at the Fixup were found, he confessed. He signed a statement that he met Benson rushing from the door of the Svea Saloon and that Benson had him to go with him to the Chandler Hotel where Benson gave him \$90 of \$160 which he claimed to have taken from Lehto. He said that then they separated and Benson left Thursday morning for North Bend, saying they would go to San Francisco. He claimed to have known Benson a long time and to have previously advanced Benson \$95. The two worked until a month ago on rock work on the Smith-Powers road beyond Myrtle Point and Foreman Chas. Carlson recognized Johnson at the depot.

Marshal Carter arrested Johnson in his room at The Chandler Hotel.

LIBRARY CONCERT Sunday.

"WHO WILL MARRY MARY?" A great picture at Grand Theater tomorrow night.

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M'KAY STREET PLAN FAVORED

Port of Coos Bay Approves Eastside Request—Discuss the Ferndale Fill

The Port of Coos Bay Commission today passed a resolution authorizing the city of Eastside to temporarily extend a wharf and dock out over the harbor line to deep water on the proposed extension of McKay street, to make the new highway between there and Marshfield available. The permit was granted in response to a request from Engineer Cavanaugh of Eastside, who appeared before the Port in behalf of the Eastside residents. He explained that McKay street was a shorter and more direct route than the old long wharf now in use and would be beneficial to both sides. He said that Eastside stood ready to bear part of the expense and that it was proposed to have the county court transfer \$8000 which they had set aside for rebuilding the long wharf and road to pay the expense of filling McKay street. He said that they were certain the county commissioners would do this.

When this is built the plan is to have the ferry Transit's route changed to McKay street, operating direct to a new slip in Marshfield, probably near the proposed extension of Eirod avenue to the waterfront.

Ferndale Fill.

Peter Loggie sat down on a request from Claude Nasburg that the big flat in front of Ferndale be filled by the dredge Seattle at the same rate that the Port is paying for the fill. Mr. Loggie said that the Port would have to be careful of its funds in order to insure the completion of the twenty-five foot channel project to the sea and that if Mr. Nasburg and the other property owners wanted the fill they could pay for it the same as North Bend and other property owners had to pay, namely, eight cents per yard or thereabouts.

Another question about this was that there is not sufficient dredgings in the Port project to make the big fill to grade. Mr. Nasburg wanted the project extended. The Port engineer was instructed to figure out how much fill would be required for the big fill.

Mr. Nasburg objected to the proposal of the City Council to have the streets filled to grade before the property was filled.

J. W. Bennett talked on the matter but nothing will be done until the Port engineer completes his figures on the project.

Mrs. Scott Complains. Mrs. Peter Scott, Sr., appeared before

the commissioners and entered a vigorous complaint about the condition in which her place was left. She said that they did not get a good solid fill like the rest of them. Engineer Charleston said that Scotts left the boarding up around their basement so that only the fine silt could ooze in and then when the dredge pipe was changed, the drainage carried much of the fine dirt away.

Mrs. Scott wanted \$500 damages and Commissioners Powers, Sengstacken and Rogers were appointed a committee to investigate.

PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT.

Marshfield and North Bend Game at Tabernacle.

Friday night the Marshfield high school basketball team will play North Bend in Marshfield. The game will in a way decide the second honors in the Coos county league, Marshfield and Coquille being tied. Coquille plays Bandon Friday night and is practically sure of victory, while Marshfield will play the season champions. It will be the last game in the old tabernacle, which will be torn down in a week or so.

The following is the detailed score and lineup of Friday night's game between Coquille and Marshfield, the latter winning 24 to 22.

The officials of the first game were Mast, referee; Grannis, umpire; Rahakopf, scorer; Bradley, tim keeper. The lineup of the two teams in the main game was as follows: Marshfield Position Coquille Curtis ... Oerding Clarke ... Kern

Forwards. Seaman ... Center ... Leslie Chapman ... Miller Hunter ... Watson

Guards. The field baskets were made by the following players: Clarke 2, Seaman 3, Curtis 3, Leslie 2, Oerding 3, Kern 2, Miller, Watson.

The fouls were thrown by: Curtis 3, Oerding 3.

GOLD BEACH NUGGETS.

Curry County Events As Told by The Globe.

The Randolph will probably sail direct to Portland after a load of cannery supplies for the Wedderburn Trading company. Dave Coivin will sail on her as engineer in place of Henry Colvin, who has matters of business to attend to in this locality.

Grandma Huntley is now seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chris Koerner of this place.

C. H. Bailey announces his candidacy for the nomination for sheriff on the Democratic ticket. Charley's efficiency as an officer, together with his affable ways make of him a candidate whom it will take a combination of five wises to beat. If you don't think so, put yourself up against him.

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PILING INTO MILL SLOUGH

One of Last Rafts to be Flashed in Secured Yesterday—Big Bulkhead

C. H. Noble yesterday floated a large number of piling into Mill Slough at the high tide, getting nearly sufficient for the foundation for the Conway building and the Coos Bay Steam Laundry building and a few other buildings. He succeeded in getting them in over the dike box at the mouth of the slough at high tide and they will be among the last to be taken in.

In order to prevent much of the dredgings washing out into the bay a large bulkhead is being built across the old dike at the south side of Mill Slough. This forces the water to wash far west and deposit most of the dirt before it comes back out through the slough.

It will require about three weeks longer to fill the area south of Mill Slough before the dredge will begin pumping into Mill Slough proper. Owners of the flat west of Front street say that the new drain being not carrying off the water and that in consequence a large area out there will be a lake. They may begin action for damages.

SPECIAL LENTEN SERVICES

The Rector of the Episcopal church is issuing an announcement of special services in the new church with addresses and sermons on Lenten and other practical Christian topics. On Tuesday afternoon before the meetings of the Guild in Dunk Hall there will be a devotional service with a series of addresses on the general theme of "What a Christian Ought to Believe." These afternoon services begin promptly at 7:30. On Thursday evenings at 7:30 there will be a service consisting of a shortened form of Evening Prayer with a meditation on the general subject, "Some Elements of Religion," on Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 a. m. special topics are arranged.

Rev. Browning announces on his Lenten card that these special addresses and sermons are designed to make thinking Christians, to make them see the reasonableness of the grounds of their faith.

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Have You Been to The Big Sale? Prices Smashed in All Lines Come and Get Your Share Few of the Many Bargains For Tomorrow: 15c Handkerchiefs 3c 50c and 75c Work Shirts 39c 50c Belts 19c Cotton Underwear, reg. 50c value 29c Sox, Regular 2 for 25c 5c Heavy Wool Underwear, reg \$1.25, 79c All \$5.00 Shoes \$3.95 Dress Pants, reg. \$5.00, \$3.75 Rubber Boots, from \$2.95 up. Hats, from 48c up. \$15.00 Suits, now \$7.85 \$20.00 Suits, now \$12.50 \$25.00 and \$30.00 Suits, now \$14.85 Regular 75c caps, now 39c Look for blue and white signs above our door "Watch our windows" IXL Clothing & Shoe Co.