

COOS BAY TIMES

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LITTLE LASS O' MINE.

I wonder as I watch you play, What kind of woman you'll be some day, Little lass o' mine.

A baby now and full of fun, For you this life has just begun Little lass o' mine.

The lovelight in my baby's eyes Is bluer far than fairest skies, Little lass o' mine.

Come, climb upon your daddy's knee For you are all the world to me, Little lass o' mine.

What priceless love my arms do hold, Far more than all the nation's gold, Little lass o' mine.

The hope and prayer of daddy's heart That you may choose life's nobler part, Little lass o' mine.

GETTING GOOD MEN.

SOME Marshfield citizens say that the commission form of government would be all right for this city if the right sort of men could be secured for office.

Those who worry on that score should do their worrying now. It is the present plan that is weak in this respect—not the commission plan.

It is natural the commission plan should bring out better candidates. Under commission rule the officials have power and a compact organization.

The fact salaries are paid under the commission plan also helps get good men into office.

FORTIFYING THE PANAMA CANAL

HAVING invested near \$375,000,000 in the canal, the United States is intent upon safeguarding that tremendous outlay against the possibility of damage through foreign war.

Guns of 14 and 16-in. caliber will be placed at forts guarding both the Pacific and Atlantic entrances.

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A table with legs and no waist. A pitcher with a neck and no lead.

A door in a jam that isn't crowded. A bed with a spring but no stream.

LUMBER OUTLOOK GOOD.

Representative of Big Interests in San Francisco Speaks Encouragingly.

Among passengers from San Francisco was Joseph Fyfe, Jr., general manager of the lumber interests of the Estabrook company and representative of the Fyfe Lumber company and the Bayside Lumber company of San Francisco.

Mr. Fyfe is here meeting with mill owners and closing contracts for the coming season's shipments.

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IS BADLY HURT AT CAMP FIVE

JOHN ANDERSON, FALLER AT A SMITH-POWERS' CAMP NEAR COALEDO IS VICTIM OF SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

John Anderson, a faller employed at Smith-Powers' Camp 5 at Coaledo, was brought to Mercy Hospital today suffering from serious injuries.

His shoulder was broken, some ribs broken, his body badly bruised and it is feared that one lung was penetrated. He was spitting blood today.

FIRST OUTING TRIP

Prominent Marshfield People to Enjoy Day on Coos River "Driving dull care away" was the slogan of the day for a party that left on the Alice H today for an enjoyable outing at the summer home of Herbert Lockhart on Coos River.

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WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA

GOOD EVENING.

I find the doctors and the sages Have differed in all climes and ages.

OH, PROMISE ME.

Oh, promise me That in the coming spring You'll pay me back that ten You got last fall.

The truth will not last any longer if you stretch it.

A Coos Bay man has no use for a woman who is sorry for his wife.

It is said that every man has his price, but some Coos Bay men give themselves away.

It's a shame to spill milk, but not a crying shame.

It's illegal to send a child by parcel post. Even a male child can't be mailed.

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GLIMPSE INTO THE FUTURE.

When the suffragists assume control of things in this country and we have made a woman President we may perhaps expect to see a cabinet made up of the following:

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Secretary of Eugenics. Secretary of Cosmetics and Manufacturing. Secretary of Bridge Whist.

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GOOD SWIMMER IS DROWNED

Victim of Riverton Accident Either Suffered Cramps or Was Stunned

According to word received today the victim of the drowning accident near Riverton yesterday was a young man named Sanborn who had recently come from New York.

He was an excellent swimmer and his friends are at a loss to know why he did not save himself. Some think that he had been sweating and cramped in the cold water and others think that he struck his head on something and was stunned.

Run for Sheriff.

According to a report here today, Taylor Siglin of Isthmus Inlet will oppose W. W. Gage for the Democratic nomination for sheriff at the May primaries.

Albers Coming.—Mr. Albers, head of the Albers Milling company, is expected here on the Breakwater to join G. W. Hollister, who is back here on a trip for the firm.

Boats Today.—The Gleaner arrived in from Gardiner this afternoon and the Grace Dollar sailed for the south.

ALLIANCE IN FROM PORTLAND

STEAMER ARRIVES FROM PORTLAND WITH GOOD CARGO AND BIG LIST OF PASSENGERS—TO BE INSPECTED ON RETURN.

The Alliance arrived in today from Portland with a good miscellaneous cargo and a fair passenger list.

On her return to Portland she will undergo annual inspection and another boat may be put on the run while she is being overhauled.

Among those arriving on her were: Chas. Brignon, S. M. Lyons, W. P. Harris, C. A. Weigel, M. Erzema, Mrs. M. Erzema, E. Bushong, W. H. Perry, H. J. Thomas, J. C. Lewis, Lilly Sears, Louis Malakoff, Mrs. Annie Malakoff, Geo. M. Eason, W. A. Healey, G. W. Hollister, A. L. George, P. A. Malhew, R. D. May, C. W. Thom and wife, J. J. Halliday and wife, Mrs. A. Shurtlidge, J. A. Conroy, Geo. H. Rorabacker and J. E. Kenney.

EVER NOTICE THAT—

You don't need legal knowledge to sue for a girl's hand. You don't need to be a sprinter to run into debt.

You don't need a make-up box to make up your mind. You don't need to be quarrelsome to strike a bargain.

You don't need to be a carpenter to nail a lie. You don't need to be strong to break your word.

You don't need a set of surgical instruments to operate on a type-writer.

Commerce of Coos Bay

Exports From and Imports to the Port of Coos Bay for the Year Ending December, 31, 1913.

Table with columns: FOREST PRODUCTS, Short Tons, Value. Includes Lumber, Ties, Logs, Wood, Poles, Shingles, Lath, Doors, Veneers, Panels, Box Shooks, Broom Handles, Compo-Board Stock, All other forest products.

COAL.

Table with columns: Coal, Short Tons, Value. Includes Coal, Dairy Products.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Table with columns: Butter, Cheese, Condensed Milk, Short Tons, Value.

ANIMAL PRODUCTS.

Table with columns: Hides and Pelts, Sea Lion, Bones, Wool, Mohair, Short Tons, Value.

FARM PRODUCTS.

Table with columns: Apple Boxes, Potatoes, sacks, Vegetables, Egg Cases, Short Tons, Value.

FISH.

Table with columns: Salmon Cases, All other fish, Short Tons, Value.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Table with columns: General Merchandise, R. R. Equipment, Cascara Bark, Leather, Short Tons, Value.

TOTAL OF ALL PRODUCTS

Summary table for all products with columns: Total, Short Tons, Value.

IMPORTS.

Table with columns: General Merchandise, Machinery, Flour, Hay, Grain and feed, Vegetables, Dairy Products, Oil, Brick, Wire Rope, hardware, Steel Pipe, etc, Lime, Sulphate of Soda, R. R. Equipment, R. Steel, Cement, Coal, Short Tons, Value.

SUMMARY

Summary table for exports and imports with columns: Total Tonnage and value of exports for year ending 1913, Total tonnage and value of all importations for year ending 1913, Total tonnage passing in and out of Coos Bay over the bar.

Excess in value of exports and imports for year 1913 ... \$ 274,704 Total value of exports and imports ... \$7,757,844

PASSENGERS.

Table with columns: Arriving, Departing, More arriving than departing.

REV. COOLEY WRITES FRIENDS

Former Marshfield M. E. Minister Sends Greetings From His Southern Home

Rev. H. C. Cooley, former minister of the Marshfield M. E. Church and later teacher of the Catching Inlet school, sends the following interesting letter to his Coos Bay friends through The Times.

In a personal note to the editor Rev. Cooley says he is very well pleased with his new home and expects to take "root" there. The following is his letter:

"To Coos Bay friends: "We packed up at our Catching Inlet home in a great rush in order to take the Speedwell. On reaching Bandon we found the boat ready, but the bar too rough to cross for eight days. The sea was rough enough when we did get out so that nearly all passengers kept their staterooms," as did some of the crew. Part of the deckload was lost.

At San Francisco we were treated to an earthquake shock. It rained all through California, causing a wash-out which delayed our train many hours. The best part of the trip was through Arizona. The clear atmosphere; the bare, cathedral-like mountains; the ever-changing cañons; the occasional station with its double-roofed agent's residence and its white-washed, low-roofed apartment house for Mexican section men—all made such an impression as shall abide with us forever.

At El Paso we had a long wait changing cars. Took the opportunity to cross the Rio Grande into Old Mexico. We saw plenty of poorly equipped soldiers. Seeing a bull fight was not possible, as they occur only on Sunday, nor was it possible to see a horse race in this American Monte Carlo, for it was too early in the day. Our arrival at Natchitoches, Louisiana, was a week to an hour from our departure from Bandon.

The president of the State Normal School met us with his car and we were soon at the hotel eating bacon and eggs, "grits," pan-cakes and corn pone. Black coffee?—! ! ! Black waiters, black chamber maids, black office boys—yaaaah! This is an old French town on the Red River, which is soon to celebrate its 200th birthday. Not many French here now, though some of the southern parishes are almost exclusively French. I am delighted with my work, which is mostly teaching, but in part supervising practice teachers

in the training school. There are 500 normal students and a faculty of over forty. There is a large campus and a group of noble buildings.

MAYOR F. E. ALLEN went to Bandon today on business.

FRED GETTY will leave on the Alliance for Eureka.

Have your job printing done at The Times.

Times Want ads bring results.

LOWER EXPRESS RATE TODAY

Material Reductions Affecting Entire State Take Effect Today

SALEM, Or., March 10.—Oregon will be favored with considerably lower express rates after today, for the State Railroad Commission has received advice from the Interstate Commerce Commission that special permission had been granted to put the express rates agreed upon by the State Commission and the express companies at a conference held in Portland several weeks ago, into effect today.

These rates are based on the block system, established by the Interstate Commerce Commission, and material reductions will be made on packages under forty pounds, and as the average package is thirty pounds, a large volume of the express business will be affected. The rates to eastern Oregon will be a little lower than those to southern Oregon because of the size of the blocks.

NEW YORK, March 10.—"My cure for divorce is to kiss your wife every day as an act of good faith," Vice President Marshall said recently, addressing the Young Men's Christian Association in Brooklyn. He spoke of "The New Puritan." He wondered, he said, how the old Puritan led the life he did—why, for instance, he did not believe in kissing his wife on Sunday. "He did not, however, believe in kissing another man's wife on any day in the week," added Mr. Marshall.

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Advertisement for The Golden Rule. Text: "New Piece Goods All the new things for Spring, such as Crepes Eponges Voils Mulls Ratines Plisses Challies Serges, Etc. in woolens, silks and cottons. You will find the best lines here at the very lowest price. The Golden Rule FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING" Includes image of a man in a suit.