

COOS BAY TIMES

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DR. WETHERBEE HERE.

Star Ranch Proprietor Says Rose Festival Was Fine.

Dr. J. R. Wetherbee, manager of the Star ranch in Curry county, came in on the Breakwater this morning from Portland, where he had been to visit relatives and see the Rose Festival. Dr. Wetherbee was accompanied by his wife, his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. H. McClung, and his wife's sister, Mrs. C. H. Friedel, who will visit with Dr. Wetherbee and his wife for a month or so.

Dr. Wetherbee says that the Rose Festival just closed in Portland surpassed all previous festivals held there. He says that the parades were far more attractive and that the advertising element was entirely eliminated.

Dr. Wetherbee says that everything on his ranch is full of life and looking fine. He will leave this evening for Bandon, where he will see the extent of the damage done by the fire.

AMONG THE SICK

Mrs. D. A. Jones is reported recovering from a severe attack of measles, but her infant son is now ill with the disease.

Guy Kendall is reported ill at the R. K. Booth residence in West Marshfield.

C. C. Goring's children are ill of measles.

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills are reported ill of measles.

Margaret, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Luse is reported ill with measles.

Ben, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Givens, who reside in the Sachl apartments, is ill with measles.

Mrs. D. A. Jones, who has been very ill of measles, is reported improving.

Clyde Foulkes, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Foulkes of Second street, is recovering from a severe case of pneumonia.

A. O. Kjelland of Kentuck Inlet is reported to be suffering from a relapse.

J. A. Roberts of the O. K. Chop House is reported quite sick.

H. J. Meade, a pioneer of Gardner, is here for medical treatment. He is over eighty years old and has long been a resident of this section.

Jerome Sweet's little daughter, who has been very ill of measles is improving.

Wm. Archer's fourteen-year-old daughter underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital and is reported to be doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ostrow's children have been quite sick with measles and whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cox's children are just recovering from whooping cough and measles.

Florence Farley is confined to her home in West Marshfield by an attack of measles.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hildenbrand has been having quite a siege of the measles.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Nerdrum, of South Fifth street, has been quite ill of the measles.

INFORMATION FOR AUTOISTS

News Concerning Road Conditions and Other Matters of Interest.

Road conditions in every direction from here, has improved excellent today by the information bureau at Commercial Garage. The two weather-proof machines that have been in the way of the day of the year is now gone.

Attention is called to the fact that the information bureau will continue to be of service to you in the future. It is a pleasure to be able to give you the latest news of the road conditions in every direction from here.

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BREAKWATER HERE TODAY

Arrived Early This Morning With 68 Cabin Passengers and Fair Cargo.

The steamer Breakwater arrived early this morning with sixty-eight cabin passengers, twenty-one steerage and a fair cargo. She will sail for Portland tomorrow. Among those to arrive this morning were:

Lon Pon, C. White, D. Gray, Louis Knapp, Orin Knapp, L. Keenan, E. L. Martin, Eric Bolt, Mrs. J. W. Dunlap, J. Elwood, Mrs. Munthe, W. L. Rag, Mrs. M. Udell, W. Bradley, Mrs. F. McCann, F. McCann, J. E. Lee, Floyd Powell, L. A. Bunch, Geo. W. Ryan, E. Pomeroy, J. H. Archibald, Chas. Evans, Gertrude Potter, Ed Swanson, John Berry, Pearl H. Burger, Mrs. C. W. Chandler, Lucy Rix, F. Saunders, Mrs. E. O. Cranshaw, Ora Bernard, D. W. Carpenter, Jesse D. Frantz, W. C. Pulley, Mrs. H. T. Murray, Mrs. W. A. Richardson, Mrs. E. L. Pierce, Miss H. Sandquist, J. T. McGuire, Mrs. G. F. Reynolds, Mrs. M. L. Tucker, Steve Parloff, Mrs. McCammon, Mr. McCammon, J. R. Wetherbee, Mrs. Wetherbee, Mrs. McClung, Mrs. Friedal, Mrs. Lewis, F. A. Slade, B. Littman, Bert Dennis, P. R. Sheridan, Mrs. Bradshaw, Erman Bradshaw, Almeda Bradshaw, Ray Bradshaw, Winfield Bradshaw, Mrs. F. Saunders, W. A. Lowenberger, E. R. Edge, Mrs. E. R. Edge, Mrs. Chas. Nylander, Isaac Kempy, W. Kakata and twenty-one steerage.

FIRST COUNT MADE TODAY

Miss Bessie Flanagan, Nominated by Eagles, in Lead With 12,500 Votes

The first count in the Goddess of Liberty contest was made at noon today when committeemen representing the fraternal societies, lodges and traveling salesmen met at the Chamber of Commerce. The returns show that Miss Bessie Flanagan, nominated by the Eagles, is in the lead with 12,500 votes.

Miss Gertrude Scaffa, nominated by the Moose Lodge, is second, with 12,200 votes and Miss Elma McDonald, nominated by the traveling salesmen is third, with 10,000. She is followed by Miss Gladys Roddy, representing the telephone exchange, who has 4000 votes. Miss Erna Erikson, the Elks candidate, has 2500 votes.

Now that the first count has been announced, a greater interest will be shown in the contest. Some of the societies, including the Elks and the Telephone Exchange, have not held a social meeting for the purpose of organizing their campaign. It is understood that they will meet tonight or tomorrow and begin working for their candidates in earnest.

Some of the committeemen at the meeting today were talking of having their candidates, by the use of slides in the moving picture theaters, so it is very likely that the theater-goers will be made more familiar with the names of the various candidates as well as a few pertinent reasons as to why certain candidates should be honored.

Beginning Monday, a count of the votes will be made each day at noon and the result posted on bulletin boards in all of the open stores where ballot boxes are provided. The result will also be announced in The Times daily. The contest will close June 27 at 9 p. m.

Votes are on sale at every drug store in Marshfield at the nominal price of one cent a vote.

A NOTRE DAME LADY'S APPEAL

To all young women of the diocese, whether members of the N. D. L. or not, we appeal to you to help us in our work. We are in need of funds to carry on our work and your help is most needed. Write to the N. D. L. at 100 S. Commercial, Marshfield, Ore.

RAILWAY WORK BEING RUSHED

Engineer Fontaine Says They Will Soon Have Rails To The Siuslaw

EUGENE, Or., June 13.—The Willamette Pacific Railroad will be within twenty miles of tidewater in less than two weeks, according to H. R. Fontaine, assistant engineer, who states that the steel is being pushed to Mapleton more rapidly than ever. Falsework bridges have been erected across the third, fourth and seventh Wildcat crossings, and the false work will be built as fast as the rails reach new crossings, not waiting for the steel bridge crews which have been throwing steel bridges since last fall.

The rails reached the first crossing of the Siuslaw and the Willamette Pacific from now on will follow the Siuslaw River to Acme. Until now it has followed the Wildcat, a tributary. After the second crossing of the Siuslaw, the railroad has a stretch of seven miles without bridges and along this grade the rails will be pushed so that within less than two weeks the rails will be less than twenty miles from Noti.

Masonry crews are erecting piers on the third crossing of the Siuslaw, on Lake Creek and on San Antonio Creek. All the other piers were placed last year. At present men are working within cofferdams sinking the center pier for the third crossing. This has a 350-foot span. Work on the Lake Creek crossing, which is a 300-foot bridge with a 200-foot center span, will be commenced at once. But the bridge crews from now on will not delay the progress of the rails, according to the engineers, who state that the tracks will cross on false work before waiting for the bridges. This means that the rails will reach tidewater in a matter of but a few weeks.

At present passenger service is being operated to Fowler's place, thirty-two miles west, but preparations are being made to extend this service to Richardson, thirty-eight miles west, within a few days.

BIG INSURANCE MAN ON BAY

Edgar L. Martin Here to Confer With Employes About Liability Lines.

Edgar L. Martin, vice-president of Sroat, Evans & Martin, general agents of the Guardian Casualty and Guaranty company, arrived here today from Portland to spend some time with E. I. Chandler on Coos Bay. His object was especially to get in touch with some of the big employers as the company makes a specialty of the employers' liability and compensation risks. The Guardian company is one of the strongest in the country and one of the foremost in this class of business. Mr. Chandler will be the agent for the company in this territory. Mr. Martin desires to meet and talk over the situation with the employers in this section. He has some valuable information and statistics on the subject.

Rainbow Laid On.—The steamer Rainbow did not make the run here the day from Coos Bay. The steamer was in the bay today, but did not start her engine. Only passengers and freight were transferred to the launch Express shortly after the Rainbow arrived out. It is understood that she will be ready for the excursion trip tomorrow.

DON'T LOSE YOUR COFFIN AT NIGHT

Take a look at the new and improved Coffin. It is made of the finest material and is guaranteed to last for ever. It is the only coffin that is made in this country. It is the only coffin that is made in this country. It is the only coffin that is made in this country.

The Royal TONIGHT

Whatever make you buy from us, we add our guarantee to that of the manufacturer.

There is one feature about the Royal and that is the show it shows for the money.

Admission, lower floor, 15c; balcony, 10c.

Coming June 16-17, next Tuesday and Wednesday, Mrs. Fluke in "Tess of the D'Urbervilles."

Coming soon, "Lucille Love," the Girl of Mystery.

Special three-reel feature tomorrow, "Case of Cherry Purcell."

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To the Public of Coos Bay

You are cordially invited to inspect the new Steamship

Geo. W. Elder

at the Smith Terminal Docks Marshfield

Monday, June 15th

and at the City Dock North Bend, Monday A. M., June the fifteenth

North Pacific Steamship Co.

C. F. McGeorge, Agent Marshfield. Phone 44 W. H. Painter, Agent North Bend. Phone 421

Don't Miss the Big Fourth of July Celebration in Marshfield

JULY 3 and 4

Come early and see it all if possible, and if not, come one day. One day will be just as good as the other and both days will be the best you have ever enjoyed.

Bring the whole family—Marshfield has prepared to take care of them all.

FREE - VAUDEVILLE - FREE Morning, Afternoon and Evening

at the Grand Theater both days. Fine pictures and entertainment and an excellent place to rest.

Big Auto Parade July 3

Big prizes will bring the handsomest array of machines ever witnessed in Southwestern Oregon.

Surf Boat Riding Both Days the great sport introduced from Honolulu and demonstrated by experts.

There will be a number of sporting contests each day; free band concerts and everything that goes to make a great and glorious celebration.

Marshfield, July 3 and 4.

DANCE AT ARDOME SATURDAY. KEYZIE'S ORCHESTRA.