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## LOCAL BREVITIES

**WEATHER FORECAST**  
(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)  
OREGON—Unsettled, probably rain near coast; fair in east; easterly winds.

**LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD**  
For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., Dec. 9, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:  
Maximum ..... 44  
Minimum ..... 39  
At 4:43 a. m. .... 42  
Precipitation ..... 2.39  
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1914 ..... 30.94  
Precipitation same period  
Wind: South; rain.

**Plan Bazaar.**—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will hold a bazaar on Saturday evening, December 12, in the chapel. Refreshments.

**Goes East.**—A. O. Peterson, who has been employed here in the Schroeder & Hildebrand store, left this noon on the Nann Smith for San Francisco and from there he will go back to Wisconsin for a visit.

**Buys Mill.**—At a receiver's sale held yesterday in Coquille, E. E. Johnson, son of the lumberman there, bought out the Lyon's mill for \$12,000. It is claimed that E. E. Johnson is acting independent of his father's company and expects to engage in business by himself.

**Logs Coming Down.**—It was reported yesterday that on the Coquille a portion of the log jam is on its way down the river and that there were two floats of 1500 and 4000 logs on their way and one of 6000 feet expected loose today. The tug Powers is back at work again here and the boom on Coos River near the Coos Bay Creamery is almost full today. It is said that the river rose several feet on account of the rains.

**Not With Union.**—That he is not connected with the Labor Council and that he makes the proposition of running the Coffee Club entirely independent from the organization is the statement of J. A. Ensminger. He has made a business proposition to the clubs, in which he agrees to run the restaurant end of it at a small cost, providing the clubs will furnish and equip a room.

**Newspaper Man in Office.**—G. N. Bailey, elected a member of the East-side City Council from Cooston, together with L. G. Meeks, is a newspaper man and at the present time is foreman of the shop in the Coos Bay Harbor office. Both of these men were chosen almost unanimously in the caucus convention held there several weeks ago and represent a very progressive element of the town down the Bay.

**First Trip Out of County.**—For 44 years Mrs. Ettie Carlson has lived in Coos county. She was born and raised here and during this entire time has never been out of the county. This morning she left for the first time on the Nann Smith. She will go to Los Angeles to visit a son. With her went her two daughters about 20 years of age. One of them has been to Portland; the other has never been out of the county either.

**Must Pay \$75.**—Captain Wheeler must pay his wife \$75 within the next ten days according to a decision yesterday of Judge Coke. This money is to be used for attorney's fees and to enable the wife to prosecute her suit for \$50 a month alimony that she has asked. There has been no suit for divorce. Mrs. Wheeler, who is many years the junior of her husband, declares that she has been cruelly treated and has not been given money with which to pay her personal expenses.

**Claims Partnership.**—Claiming a half interest as partner in the Marshfield Baking Company, Alex Hakivist is bringing an equity suit against Emil Helma, the present proprietor, for his alleged share of the business. Helma declares that Hakivist never has been promised an interest in the business. J. T. Brand has been appointed special referee by the attorneys of both sides and the hearing will be commenced probably tomorrow.

**He Was Loaded.**—"Get up," commanded Officer Doane of a limp figure who slouched down along side of a telephone post in the "wee sma' hours" this morning. A figure slowly rose to his feet, gasped "Wash-a want?" and lapsed again into silence. "Get up," and the second command was a forceful one. The figure got up and a few minutes later found himself asleep in the city jail. This morning he gave his name as Frank Beatty. He had no money when an assessment of \$5 was levied against his flat pocketbook.

**Has Left the Country.**—When a warrant was issued for the arrest of

Adams in North Bend who came home, after being warned by the judge not to when the wife was given a divorce some time ago, and threatened his former wife, it was found that he had fled. A search was made but the officers now declare their belief that Adams has left the country and will cause no more trouble. He came to the home of his former wife while in an intoxicated condition on the pretense that he wished to visit his children and each time made threatening advances.

**Trade Slackens.**—Indications of slackening trade up the inlet and river routes was evidenced today when Captain Monson of the Messenger announced that his boat will cut out her run Thursdays. This is the first boat along the waterfront this season that has found such action necessary.

**Returns to Portland.**—Congressman-elect C. N. McArthur returned at noon from Bandon, where he went on a private business trip and tomorrow he expects to leave on the Elder for Portland. He declares that he has thoroughly enjoyed his visit here and will be glad when he can come again to Coos Bay.

**Fishes in Street.**—When some wag put a sign on the telephone post at the corner of Front street and Central avenue alongside a deep puddle a few days ago, saying "Boats for Rent" and "No Fishing Allowed," he little thought of the resulting disturbance. A little tipsy and unavailing, a man appeared in the office of H. W. Palnter and asked for a boat. He was refused; he almost had to be kicked from the office. A few minutes later he was seen propped against the post outside with a string and a bent pin dropped in the big puddle. It was nearly 20 minutes before the fisherman decided there was "nothing doing."

**Asks New Trial.**—A motion for a new trial for George H. Miller, convicted of implication in the Myrtle Point Bank robbery and who is now serving a term in the penitentiary, was made yesterday afternoon by his attorneys, C. I. Reigard and J. O. Stemmler, of Myrtle Point, before Judge Coke. The court took the case under advisement and will decide whether or not the convicted man shall have a new trial, some time next Friday. But one indictment was returned by the grand jury yesterday and that was late in the afternoon. No name was given out as the party wanted has not been arrested. It is claimed the grand jury is investigating three rape cases.

**Where to Secure War Tax Stamps**  
Milton A. Miller, Collector of Customs in Portland, Controls Supply

When Uncle Sam set about collecting a \$100,000,000 war tax by placing a bounty on public documents and many articles of sale, he forgot to give definite instructions as to where the stamps could be bought. The result in Marshfield has been a continual asking of questions and here and there merchants have gone to buy a small supply of stamps from persons who have a supply.

Milton A. Miller, collector of customs in Portland, is the only man of whom the stamps can be purchased in western Oregon, though both the local banks declare they will keep a small supply on hand for documentary purposes and for sale to their patrons.

To secure the stamps from Portland it is first necessary to send for application blanks and having filled these out, telling exactly for what they are wanted the money can be sent and the stamps secured.

Merchants are extremely careful that these stamps appear on all articles so marked under the war tax measure as the fine for not heeding the law is an exceptionally large one.

## Personals

E. J. LONEY is up from Port Orford on a business trip.

JOHN D. MAGEE of Lakeside was a business visitor in the city today.

B. A. WOOD came down on the North Star this morning from North Inlet.

LOUIS ST. DENNIS, of North Inlet, is in the city today on a business trip.

PERCY GIBBS was among the business visitors here today from North Inlet.

W. B. ROHRER was over today from Coquille looking after some business.

MYRTLE WELDON came up this morning shopping from South Inlet.

NICK BASTENDORF came up from South Inlet on the Vega this morning.

GEORGE ROBERTS, of Templeton, was here today on a short business trip.

T. J. THRIFT, county assessor, was here from North Bend this morning on business.

MR. AND MRS. PAT NAGLE were visitors in the city today from South Inlet.

GEORGE A. BLAKE of Catching Inlet was here today on a short business trip.

TED KISSAM of South Inlet was here today looking after some matters of business.

PETER PETERSON was down today on business from his home at Haynes Inlet.

CHARLES PETERSON was among the visitors in the city today from Haynes Inlet.

F. T. M'MULLEN was in from Denmark today attending to some matters of business.

FRANK JOHNSON of Allegany was down this morning attending to some matters of business.

J. J. CLINKENBEARD, wife and daughter, were visitors in the city overnight from Coos River.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. McCULLOCH of Haynes Inlet were here today shopping and visiting with friends.

M. E. EVERITT of North Bend passed through here today en route to Coquille, where he was summoned as a witness.

R. M. WEIDER of Ten Mile was in Marshfield yesterday from Lakeside. He is preparing to join his wife and family in California, where Mrs. Weider went in hopes of securing relief for an attack of paralysis.

## CITY OFFICERS FOR NORTH BEND

**L. J. Simpson Easily Re-elected Mayor; Socialists Threaten Convention Men**

L. J. Simpson was easily re-elected mayor of North Bend, C. E. Maybee recorder and John H. Greves city treasurer at the city election held yesterday. M. E. Everitt, H. G. Kern and F. W. Wood were elected to the council. Every one of the thirty amendments to the city charter carried with practically no opposition.

Early in the day there was a great turnout of the Socialist party and a "hurry up" call was necessary for the convention candidates and as a result a heavy majority was polled in the afternoon and evening in favor of the candidates chosen at the caucus three weeks ago. There were about 310 votes cast. The amendments become effective immediately after their passage.

The following is the official count: For Mayor—  
L. J. Simpson, 245.  
E. J. Coffelt, 64.  
For City Recorder—  
C. E. Maybee, 272.  
H. L. Sumner, 45.  
For Treasurer—  
John H. Greves, 258.  
Garfield Imhoff, 55.  
For Councilmen—  
M. E. Everitt, 212.  
H. G. Kern, 215.  
F. W. Wood, 148.  
C. S. Rogstad, 135.  
L. O. Strommen, 96.  
Nels H. Welling, 62.  
Chris Miller, 48.

## NANN SMITH OFF FOR THE SOUTH

**Carries Steam Shovel From Logging Road—46 Passengers for San Francisco**

With 46 passengers, 21 of whom went first class, the Nann Smith left down this afternoon bound for San Francisco. On her deck she carried a steam shovel from the Smith-Powers logging road bound for the south.

The cabin passengers who left this afternoon were:  
Vernon Faber, A. O. Peterson, F. M. Faber, Mrs. F. H. Dewitt, Mrs. H. Boltman, A. F. Burbank, Mrs. A. F. Burbank, Miss Minnie Carleson, Mrs. Gus Carleson, Miss Jennie Carleson, E. J. Loney, F. H. Dewitt, Geo. Witte, Mrs. Geo. Witte, H. Parcel, J. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Savage and baby, Wm. Moore, E. A. Erickson, E. Olsen.

## WATERFRONT NEWS

Tomorrow the Roamer and the Rustler are expected to leave again for the Umpqua.

The Daisy Putnam left out this afternoon for San Francisco carrying half a million feet of lumber, many sacks of potatoes and cases of condensed milk.

**SALE OF LOGGING COMPANY PUT OFF UNTIL FRIDAY**

Seely-Anderson Logging Concern to Be Sold Later—Dollar Not Ready, Is Reason.

The sale of the Seely-Anderson Logging Company, set for today in Coquille, has been postponed until Friday morning, according to J. D. Goss, who returned from the county seat this morning and who appeared in behalf of J. E. Wheeler, of Portland. The reason given is that J. Robert Dollar was not ready for the sale.

Mr. Wheeler, of Portland, who is one of the main owners of the Portland Telegram, has a first mortgage of \$29,000 in the company, and Robert Dollar comes after with second, third and fourth mortgages to the extent of about \$127,000.

**AUTOMOBILE BADLY WRECKED**

Machine of Holmes Grocery Company Hits Pile of Lumber.

Driven by Fred Holmes of the Holmes Grocery Company, a delivery auto truck of the firm crashed into a pile of lumber about 7 o'clock Monday evening near the intersection of Commercial avenue and Eighth street. The driver claims there were no red lights to mark the lumber pile and that he turned in that direction to avoid a collision with a man on a bicycle.

The front wheel of the machine was completely demolished and in several places the body was scratched, though Mr. Holmes came out minus a scratch. It is claimed that the lumber belongs to the Perham & Gidley Company and that they have agreed to pay the cost of repairing the damage to the delivery truck.

DETECTIVE W. J. MITCHELL, and family have returned from Coquille and are waiting the calling of the Bandon case.

## CLASSIFIED ADS

**FOR TRADE**—Modern house, six rooms and bath, in Colorado Springs, Col. (a world-famous health resort) for property in Marshfield or North Bend. See I. S. Kaufman & Co.

**FOR RENT**—nicely furnished rooms with heat and bath, 168 S. 2nd street.

**WANTED**

**WANTED**—Girl or woman for work in private family, 486 Bennett ave., bet. Fourth and Fifth.

**WANTED**—A girl would like to work in forenoon for board in private family. Address A., care Times.

**WANTED**—Second-hand typewriter. Must be in good condition and cheap. Address P. O. Box 604, North Bend.

**FOR RENT**—House in rear of former Times office. Enquire of John Ferguson.

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**SPECIAL WAR WEEKLY**

"The House of Discord," 2-reel Rex.

"An Awkward Cinderella."

"Her Grave Mistake."

"The Tale of the Dog," six-reel Power's comedy.

Admission—10 and 15 cents. Tomorrow night, special six-reel feature, "St. Elmo."

## The Grand To-Night

THE VENETIAN ORCHESTRA—8 OF COOS BAY'S BEST MUSICIANS—SIX REELS OF THE NEWEST LICENSED PICTURES. THE NEW ESTABLISHED PRICE OF ADMISSION: 10c—ALWAYS—10c

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"WARD'S CLAIM"—A Vitaphone western melodrama made in Los Angeles, Calif. A picture with one of the most thrilling climaxes ever filmed.

"SHERLOCK BONEHEAD"—A laughable comedy. In fact a scream—a picture that you will enjoy.

The most interesting of all pictures—HEARST-SELIG WEEKLY, No. 58—showing very important scenes of the European war, also several events in America.

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The longest and without a doubt the best picture and musical program ever offered in Marshfield for the new price of admission: 10 CENTS—ALWAYS—10 CENTS

Tomorrow Night—The Broadway star feature—"SHADOWS OF THE PAST." Made by the same company that produced "A Million Bid."

### Young Men's Overcoat's For Christmas

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One lot of 7 Coats, heavy, all-wool Mackinaws. Colors green, red and tan; \$22.50 value. Choice—\$7.95

One lot Misses' full length all-wool Coats. Colors, blue, tan and mixtures; \$19.50 value. Choice—\$4.98

### Practical Christmas Gifts

Nothing adds so much to the appreciation of a Christmas gift with most people as the practicability of it. With a little care in the selection, the gift may be both fancy and practical. Our stock was selected with the latter in view and we have useful gifts for every member of the household. Here are a few suggestions:

**FOR MEN:**  
Swell assortment of neckties, marked down to 25 and 50 cents.  
Special Christmas boxes of suspenders from 50 cents to \$1.25.  
Men's handkerchiefs from 5 cents to 50 cents.  
Men's outing flannel pajamas for \$1.50.  
Men's outing flannel night shirts for \$1.00 and \$1.25.

**FOR WOMEN:**  
Men's dress shirts for \$1.00 and \$1.50.  
Fancy arm bands, hose supporters, etc.  
Silk Hosiery, 50 cents to \$1.25.  
Handkerchiefs from 5 to 50 cents.  
Ladies' outing flannel night gowns from \$1.00 to \$1.25.  
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