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The Daintiest and Most Delicious Confection
Salted Almonds Shelled Pecans
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AT THE FAIR

LOOK AT THESE TIMELY OFFERINGS IN SEASONABLE ARTICLES FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS. COME AND MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS EARLY

- Baby Blankets, attractive designs, pink, blue or white, excellent quality **50c**
- \$1.00 Dressed dolls for **75c**
- These dolls are jointed, have curly wig and sleeping eyes, pretty dresses, hats to match. We have others from **15c to \$5.00**
- Ladies' beautiful holiday neckwear of lace, lawn and organdies in all the new shapes; all prices **\$2.50**
- Bath and Lounging Robes for ladies and men. Choice patterns, warm and comfort-
able; the prices are so attractive, that we advise early shopping. **\$1.50**
- Holiday Umbrellas especially suited for Christmas gifts. A large assortment from \$1.00 to..... **\$7.50**
- Suspenders, arm bands, supporters and handkerchiefs in Holiday boxes, make excellent Christmas gifts. **\$1.50**
- Genuine hand-made Navajo pillow-tops; you will like them, only, **\$1.50**
- A beautiful line of Mexican drawn work in lunch cloths and dresser covers. These are greatly underpriced at..... **\$1.50**

The Parisian FASHION'S CENTRE

EXTRA SPECIAL

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 values. Choice..... **\$4.98**

LOCAL BREVITIES

WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press to Post-Ex Times.)
OREGON—Fair in west; light snow in east; easterly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD

For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., Dec. 11, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:
Maximum..... 50
Minimum..... 34
At 4:43 a. m. 35
Precipitation..... .00
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1914..... 30.99
Precipitation same period last year..... 16.59
Wind: West; partly cloudy.

BORN

Noonan at their home in South Marshfield Thursday, Dec. 10, a son. Mother and child are doing nicely and Mr. Noonan says that Santa Claus couldn't deliver a finer present to anyone.

Takes Third Degree—Harry J. Kimball, Jr., crossed the "burning sands" and last evening received the third degree of Masonry. This morning he wore a broad smile and seemed as spry as ever.

New Garage—E. W. Steele has given up his position at the Nelson Iron Works and is opening a garage and auto repair shop on the Lapp property in North Marshfield. It is between Broadway and Front street. He will install a complete machine shop.

For Gardiner Bank—Parties from Gardiner say the new bank will be ready to open there before long. Among the prominent people of that section who are interested in the bank are John Hedden of Scottsburg, Fred Aschenbier, O. B. Hinsdale and W. H. Jewett.

Basements Flooded—Many basements, in fact about all in the business district and in the lower sections of Marshfield have been flooded the last few days. There is several feet of water in the basement of the Masonic Opera House now.

Big Dredging Check—A check calling for the payment of \$31,124.94 was sent yesterday by the Port Commission to the Puget Sound Dredging Company of Seattle as their monthly pay for the work of the dredge Seattle, in making Coos Bay navigable for shipping.

No Lights or Number—F. Neime, chauffeur, was arrested last evening on the grounds that he had no lights on his machine and also that the number was lacking. He will probably come up before Police Judge Butler in the morning.

Department Practices—Under the guidance of Assistant Fire Chief Mauzey the volunteer fire department last evening took out the fire engine giving it a regular warming up and testing up and down Front street. About 20 members of the department responded to the call for duty.

Ice Forms—For practically the first time this Winter ice was found this morning on the surface of many puddles and watering troughs showing that the night was colder than usual. There have been heavier frosts than that of this morning but the ice is now a feature of this winter on Coos Bay.

Make Alert Coal Burner—To make the Alert, on the run up to Allegany, a coal burner is the plan of Captain H. E. Edwards and already he is at work on the craft installing grates. He declares that with coal he will be better able to keep up steam. The Alert is laid up for the winter at the present time, with the Millicoma on the run.

Clear Budzien Park—R. Von Shipman, owner of Budzien Park, today signed up a contract with E. L. Hopper of North Bend, for the clearing of the 49 acre tract. Work was started there today when M. Hopper went out with four men. The contract reads that the work shall be completed within a year's time. He will clear off all the trees and underbrush, the grading and the trees having already been cared for by Mr. Shipman.

Sentence to Be Passed—According to word received from Coquille late this afternoon, Judge Coke will pass sentence on Fred Gross of Haddon, who is up for contempt of court and also for perjury. The man was severely scored on Tuesday when he made flippant answers in court and showed that he had married within six months after having been granted a divorce. There will be a later investigation which it is hinted will probably gather in a Marshfield man with Gross.

Lights Were Out—Because the

burning last night or rather early the following morning. Richard Behr, chauffeur, appeared in the Police Court today in answer to the charge. Behr declared that some one turned the lights off while he was in a restaurant and that he was therefore not to blame. Judge Butler, believing little in circumstantial evidence and testimony, levied a fine of \$5 that Behr paid. Several witnesses testified that Behr has always previously obeyed the traffic and automobile ordinances.

Contribute Services—The names of David Musson and L. H. Heisner have been added to the list of expressmen who have kindly volunteered their services and the services of their trucks for the moving of the public library Saturday and Sunday. Yesterday and also this afternoon the boys of the grades school are donating their help toward moving the books and with the use of hand trucks are getting the stacks of magazines and the less used volumes over into the new building. It is expected that all of the transfer will be completed on Sunday and that Monday morning the doors will open at 10 o'clock, their regular hour for opening.

Santa Claus Ship—The tug Gleaner sailed for Gardiner today and was sort of a Santa Claus ship, taking out a big cargo of all kinds of supplies for Gardiner merchants and people. Since the mill has been shut down there, no boats have been bringing freight direct from San Francisco and hence all the goods have to come in via Coos Bay. The Gleaner came in yesterday with a cargo of potatoes, some dressed hogs and dairy products. Chief Engineer Hanson said that the Gardiner mill would resume operations soon. The Gardiner Mill Company's fleet are mostly tied up in the Umpqua now.

Double Trouble—W. F. Harmon is today suffering from "double trouble." Yesterday Mrs. Harmon was taken to Mercy hospital and will probably have to undergo an operation. This morning his little daughter, while playing, had her ear drum pierced by a lead pencil and an operation was necessary to remove the lead. It is possible that her hearing will be affected permanently by the injury.

Empire Christmas—The children of St. Luke's Episcopal church at Empire are planning on having a town Christmas tree with the usual festivities on the eve of Christmas Day. The celebration will occur in the large reception room of the old Empire Hotel.

PERSONALS

FRED NOAH was a business visitor here today from Allegany.

JOHN WASSON came up on business from South Inlet this morning.

ROY ROZELLE of Empire is a Marshfield business visitor today.

JOHN SCHUTTER, of Templeton, was a business visitor here today.

EARLE YOUNKER, of South Inlet, was here today shopping and visiting.

MISS MARTHA ROSS came down on the Millicoma this morning shopping.

MR. AND MRS. NELS MONSON were here today on business from Templeton.

WALTER BUTTERS of Allegany came down on a business trip this morning.

MRS. T. CHRISTENSON was down today shopping from her home at Templeton.

O. SEVERSON, the Ten Mile hotel proprietor, and wife, are Marshfield visitors.

ALFRED LUNDSTROM, of Haynes Inlet, was down today on a short business trip.

WALTER PETERSON came down from Templeton today on a short business trip.

N. GERHARD, of Gardiner, was among the business visitors in the city today.

MRS. G. W. SANFORD of Haynes Inlet was among the shopping visitors here today.

EDGAR HANNA was among the business visitors in the city today from South Inlet.

MRS. JOHN PETERSON, of Templeton, was among the shopping visitors in the city today.

O. J. SERLEY is here from Coquille on business and pleasure and will return home tomorrow.

MANY LOGS CUT NEAR ALLEGANY

Between 5000 and 6000 Put in Stream from Gould's Camp

ALLEGANY, Ore., Dec. 11.—From Gould's Camp on West Fork, at Allegany, the log runs have been between five and six thousand logs. The end of the Silver Creek bridge caved in. It is impassable. Roadmaster Still has gone there to see about repairing it.

An inch of snow fell at Golden Falls on Tuesday.

Mr. C. H. Kroeger of Allegany is a visitor in Marshfield.

Mr. Gould is a Marshfield visitor today.

ELDER SAILS NORTH

Carries 52 Passengers on List and Fair Cargo of Freight.
With a passenger list of 52 persons and a fair cargo of freight the George W. Elder left out at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Portland. With her went Congressman-elect C. N. McArthur, returning home after his first visit to Coos Bay.

The following are the passengers who went north: P. R. Nichelson, Geo. M. Nelson, S. L. Larson, J. E. Wasson, C. R. Riekman, Mrs. M. R. Balley, Miss Ina Balley, Thomas Hanley, R. H. Rodinberg, C. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. C. Kirkpatrick, Sam Wiener, E. R. Redlich, C. N. McArthur, Richard Thompson, R. R. Davis, Dan Kidwell, John Jeffrey, Ray Rooney, Katherine Rooney, W. R. Rooney, Wilma Rooney, Mrs. W. P. Rooney, Maryan Kooragan, S. Kaiser, Jas. Kedine, C. G. McNay, W. H. McNay, Joseph Willis, Gus Gamorke, Mrs. N. Evans, W. D. Evans, W. C. Bostwick, W. T. Prune, R. O. Stevens, W. Seymour, Mrs. B. F. Gambell, W. H. Showell, W. F. Sage, H. G. Kirkpatrick, Robert Kirkpatrick, Odo Clawson, B. Sancher, F. Garvia, T. Garvia, A. Poppeo, J. Lakees, C. Ross, W. Hansen, W. May, T. Sebalter, Alex Ostrom.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

FRIDAY.

Ladies' Art Club with Mrs. W. B. Curtis.

N. L. Y. P. S. entertained by Miss Senile Hefland and Chris Thorpe.

Trumble Club with Mrs. I. E. Bartle.

N. L. Ladies' and Young Ladies' Aid sale at the church.

Baptist Ladies' Aid Bazaar at the Russell Building.

North Bend M. E. Aid sale.

Loyal League with Miss Maxine Jones.

Minne-Wis Club Swap Party

this morning from Coos River to their home in North Bend. Mr. Boek has been buying cattle for the retail trade.

MRS. WILLIAMS, mother of Mrs. T. W. Angus of Gardiner, is spending some time on the bay taking treatments for an attack of paralysis. She is staying at the home of Dr. Carroll on Golden avenue.

J. A. WARD and wife came back to the city this morning from their home at Millicoma. Mr. Ward is continuing his work on the Panama Pacific Exposition exhibits from Coos and Curry Counties.

CARL DAVIS has returned from a trip to the mountains above Myrtle Point. He reports that there is considerable snow above the 2300-foot elevation line and a little warm weather would have caused tremendous freshets.

GEO. LOUD, a Rogue River mining man, is here visiting at the home of A. D. Loud.

MRS. R. W. KEEFER and baby passed through here yesterday en route to Port Orford to visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh. Mr. Marsh came up to meet her.

J. N. RYAN arrived here yesterday from Port Townsend, Wash., to take a position on The Times. He was formerly located on the Bay.

ROY ROZELLE of Empire was a Marshfield business visitor yesterday.

RIGHT CAFE IS ENLARGED

Hank Wells' Popular Place is Greatly Improved by Increased Size

The Right Cafe has been transformed from a narrow avenue of a feasting place to a roomy restaurant with boxes that will seat dining parties of four in addition to the always popular lunch counter. The additional space while not large, being only 30 inches, has worked wonders in the transformation of Hank Wells' popular eating place.

The improvement will permit the entertainment of small private dining parties and will add to the popularity the Right Cafe has already achieved among the people of Coos Bay who enjoy good cooking prepared in a clean and sanitary manner. Everything served is the best that can be secured in the market and it is this which has given it a constantly increasing patronage. Heretofore at meal hours, many have been unable to secure accommodations but with the increased seating capacity they hope to provide comfortably for all their patrons.

Drop in this evening and see what a big difference even thirty inches makes in the size of a restaurant.

VESSELS IN COLLISION.

Hercules and George W. Elder Have Mixup in Columbia.
A Portland paper says: In a report filed with United States Inspectors Edwards and Fuller, Captain Albert Saes, master of the towboat Hercules, operated by the Columbia Contract Company, says that his vessel and the steamer George W. Elder were in a slight collision at McIntyre's Landing, on the lower Columbia River, at 11:30 Sunday morning. The Hercules was bound up stream and she had five empty barges in tow, while the Elder was en route down the river. The latter was on her way to Coos Bay and Eureka and as yet her captain has not sent in a report of the occurrence.

LOOK OVER PROSPECTS FOR LAND ON COOS BAY

Is Intimated That Canadian Promoters Seek Location in This Section.

That W. W. Johnson and L. E. Jones, of Medicine Hat, Canada, are here seeking a location is the general belief. The men for several years have been the main boosters for the northern town, going there in the early days of the boom. With the war cutting seriously into the business it is intimated that they are now ready to come south.

The men are now the guests of L. J. Simpson at Shore Acres. At Medicine Hat Mr. Johnson is heavily interested in factories, having located several there, and it is possible that he may become interested in such projects on Coos Bay.

AMONG THE SICK

A. E. Seaman is now able to sit up a few hours each day. He had a most severe siege but is now recuperating rapidly, much to the gratification of his many friends.

A. P. Owen is recuperating rapidly at Mercy Hospital, but it will be probably ten days or so before he can return home. He is able to receive his friends at Mercy Hospital and many are calling on him.

Mrs. Perl Riley Ballinger is reported quite sick at her home at Third and Commercial.

The LADIES' AID SOCIETIES of the NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN Church of Marshfield, will hold their CHRISTMAS BAZAAR in the CHAPEL PARLOR, SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 12, at 8 o'clock. REFRESHMENTS will be served.

AUCTION sale LADIES' EMPORIUM fine stock at 10, 2 AND 7 o'clock SATURDAY. DON'T MISS IT.

BIG DANCE EAGLES' HALL SATURDAY night, Dec. 12. MARTIN'S Orchestra. COME if you care.

MOOSE DANCE, Eckhoff Hall, North Bend SATURDAY EVENING.

DANCE at SUMNER, SATURDAY evening, DECEMBER 12.

DR. H. E. KELTY, DENTIST—Phone 112-J. Room 204, Coke Bldg

J. H. Jessen, M. D. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Surgery and Diseases of Women a Specialty. Office, 397 Coke Bldg. Phone 229-J. Res. Myrtle Arms. Phone 394-L.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE CHEAP—20 pullets and 5 old chickens. Phone 13-R.

FOR RENT—Two rooms furnished for housekeeping with stove and gas range. Also one alcove room, 395 S. Fourth St.

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

FOR RENT
FOR SALE—Dairy stock; one cow and two heifers. V. K. Rood, phone 3047.

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

FOR RENT—Modern furnished flats, Central and Fourth. Phone 443-J.

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

FOR RENT—Houses and apartments furnished and unfurnished. J. S. Kaufman & Co. 177 Front street

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front rooms with bath. \$2 per week. Close in. 239 So. 4th St.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 53-L.

THE LEMANSKI THEATRE TONIGHT

THE HOME OF BIG FEATURES AND VAUDEVILLE.

Sam Nussbaum, instrumentalist, in an entire change.

The eighth episode of "TREY O' HEARTS" by Louis Joseph Vance, with Cleo Madison and George Larkin. Have a heart and see Trey O' Hearts.

Florence Lawrence in "A DIS-ENCHANTMENT"—A two-reel Victor-Universal farce comedy of a rich girl who gets a position as maid in the house of an opera singer whom she secretly admires. Her sweetheart gets a position as butler in the house and pokes fun at her for her infatuation. The climax is reached when Flo serves soup which has been doped with salt. A great scream. King Baggot in a lively comedy-drama produced by himself, entitled "THE ONE BEST BET."

Last but not least—"NORTHWEST WEEKLY"—Made in Oregon. Showing interesting and local events of interest to every true Oregonian.

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Lower floor, 16c; first balcony, 15c; second balcony, 10c.

Here tomorrow night—the twelfth episode of the "Million Dollar Mystery."

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SIX REELS OF PICTURES, ALL NEW, EACH ONE A FEATURE.

"WHO KILLED GEORGE GRAVES?"—Selig detective story in two parts—very good pictures with several mystery scenes—beautiful photography and splendid acting make this an exceptional offering.

"WHEN MEN WEAR SKIRTS"—A howling farce-comedy made by Kalem—your troubles will be over after seeing this comic.

"TREASURE TROVE"—Edison drama in one reel.

"JINKS, THE BARBER"—Newest comedy by Lubin—Jinks is a winner when it comes to giving close shaves.

"JEALOUS JAMES"—Another comedy that will tickle the ribs for several minutes. ALWAYS THE LONGEST AND BEST SHOW FOR THE PRICE OF ADMISSION. Children, 5c. Adults, 10c.

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