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LOCAL BREVITIES

WEATHER FORECAST
 (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)
OREGON—Fair; not much change in temperature; easterly winds.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD
 For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., Dec. 16, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:
 Maximum 41
 Minimum 28
 At 4:43 a. m. 28
 Precipitation 0.00
 Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1914 30.99
 Precipitation same period last year 16.99
 Wind: Northeast, clear.

Will Build.—P. Erickson is arranging to build a fine six-room home in Bunker Hill.

Special Services.—Rev. R. E. Browning will conduct special services Wednesday evening at the Bunker Hill school house.

Use Steam Train.—That the gasoline locomotive of the Willamette Pacific might be repaired the steam engine and coach were again on the run today between North Bend and this city.

New Men Here.—Messrs. E. L. Barnes of Seattle and W. H. Crawford of Portland arrived here yesterday on their first trip to the Bay. Both are interested in machinery and heating plants. Mr. Crawford's company putting in the big plant at

the Smith mill which is to be inspected this week.

Goes to Canada.—Ed McKeown, foreman of the Smith-Powers Company at Camp 2, Coaledo, and wife, left yesterday for their old home in Canada, where they will remain until next April.

Coach at Roseburg.—Joe Coach, of Marshfield, left for his home yesterday after a day or two spent in Roseburg conferring with Attorney W. W. Cardwell.—Roseburg Review.

No Deal Closed.—Archie Kruse, the Prosper shingle man, is on the Bay on business. He says that no deal has been closed yet for the sale of his shingle mill to the Johnson interests, a younger brother of E. E. Johnson and Alfred Johnson, Jr., negotiating for it.

No Fire Damage.—Quite a fire scare was caused at the Grandell boarding house in Bunker Hill the other evening when a cigarette started a small blaze. It was quickly extinguished and the damage was very slight.

Rock for Road.—About twenty-five carloads of crushed rock are to be brought here from the Myrtle Point stone quarry and placed on the Isthmus Inlet road near the new cemetery which the Odd Fellows are opening there.

Purse Finder Only Partially Honest.—A young lady recently lost her purse in a local theater, containing office key and a small amount of change. Upon inquiring, the office key was recovered, but finder held out the change, amounting to less than 50 cents.

Goes East.—Wm. Reicherz, who has been representing the Marshall-Wells Hardware Company in this territory for the past few years, left yesterday for Kansas, his old home, where he will take charge of his father's hardware business. It has not been announced who will succeed him in this territory.

Was Too Full.—Axel Arnia, anticipating Christmas and the good cheer through last evening to have a fling to start him on his merry-making way. He "liquidated" to a great extent and this morning was penniless to a similar extent when he was brought penniless before Police Judge Butler to receive an assessment of \$5.

To Sell Tract.—Henry Sengstacken sold today that he had not yet signed up to a sale contract whereby Messrs. Johnson and Jones of Medicine Hat, Can., are to be given the exclusive sale of his holdings near Eastside. Mr. Sengstacken has a half interest in the tract and L. D. Smith gave an option on his five-twelfths holdings to Messrs. Matson, Lockhart and Smeaton. Taylor Sigin has a twelfth interest in it.

Here from Camp.—Clare Swaine, superintendent of the Smith-Powers Logging Company, came in yesterday from the camps beyond Myrtle Point, where he is now located for a short stay. He says that the rumors about his becoming a benedict in the near future are incorrect as he has made a solemn promise not to desert single bliss before W. J. Conrad does. Mr. Conrad says it is just the other way.

Art Exhibit Pleasing.—This afternoon most of the art display from the grades of the city was placed in the Owl Drug Store where it will be until tomorrow evening. It consists for the most part of calendars, telephone cards and Christmas tokens, all of them exceedingly well done. Each piece of work carries the initials of the pupil and the grade. The work has caused considerable favorable comment because of its very good quality.

New Bank Cashier.—H. L. Edmunds, of The Dalles, was in this city the last of the week on business connected with the bank. Mr. Edmunds is cashier of French & Company's bank at The Dalles, and will have the same position in the new bank at this place. Mr. Edmunds left for The Dalles Sunday, and will return the first of the new year to make his permanent home.—Gardiner Courier.

Shingle Mill Busy.—Superintendent Fred Moore, of the shingle mill at the C. A. Smith plants, has the mill running at capacity and is now employing about twenty men. They are making a fine record with the mill. It was reported around town that the shingle mill had been closed down for a time but it has not and will not be. The report probably was caused by ten men in the company board factory being laid off temporarily.

Blames Another.—That he was not driving the car on Front street that Monday night demolished the wheel of Ellis Grant is the statement today of Lynn Lambeth. The messenger boy declared that Lambeth

was to blame and that it was he who drove the car. This Lambeth denies, saying that he appeared on the spot a moment later. He does not know positively, he says, who was driving the car. No charges have been preferred.

Parcels Post Leaves.—With about every second person carrying a Santa Claus bundle and hurrying in the direction of the Post Office or the express office, the George W. Elder when she leaves out tomorrow will carry a heavy cargo as Marshfield's tribute to the merry Yule-tide. All day the windows of the parcels post were crowded with packages brought in arms full and thrust through the window to the waiting and surrying clerks.

Personals

DAN M'KINNON left today for a trip to Gardiner and Florence.

A. H. CULVER was in the city today on business from Catching Inlet.

G. W. STARR came over from Coquille yesterday on business.

R. O. GRAVES returned this morning from Coquille, where he was attending Circuit Court.

HERMAN SMITHGALL, of Catching Inlet, was here today on a business trip.

LEWIS M'MULLEN, of Myrtle Point, is among the out-of-town visitors in the city today.

WILLIAM LAXTROM and wife were down shopping this morning from their home at Catching Inlet.

C. A. GAROUTTE, a well known Bandon liverman, was a Marshfield business visitor last evening.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. NOAH came down on the boat shopping this morning from Allegany.

MISS LULU SMITH was among the shoppers in the city today from Allegany.

MRS. A. E. KARDELL, of Allegany, was down today on a short business trip.

R. A. CHURCH, of Coos River, was among the business visitors in the city today.

OTTO HILL, of Coos River, was down on the Millicoma this morning on business.

WILLIAM CANDLEIN, the salesman, and wife, came over on the noon train from Coquille.

GUST WICKS, of North Inlet, was down this morning on the North Star.

J. H. STRETCH was here today on business from his home at North Inlet.

FRED PLAEP, of North Inlet, was among the visitors in the city today.

JOHN STEINLECHNER, of Templeton, was down today doing his Christmas shopping.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. McCULLOCH were out of town visitors today from Haynes Inlet.

SWANI PETERSON, of Haynes Inlet, was in the city today attending to some matters of business.

G. W. SWANFORD, of Haynes Inlet, was here today looking after some shopping.

C. E. HANSON was among the business visitors in the city today from Haynes Inlet.

CHARLES PETERSON, of Haynes Inlet, was here today on a short business trip.

D. A. MINTOYNE, of Coquille, is looking after business interests on the bay.

CAPT. J. N. CORNWALL came down from Gardiner yesterday on business.

GEORGE GEISENDORFER, vice-president of the Bandon Commercial Club, came over last evening and was here today on business.

MRS. P. E. LARSON and son, Edward, of Allegany, were down today doing their Christmas shopping.

MRS. CHARLES MAHAFFEY and Miss Lou Mahaffey were here today shopping and visiting from Allegany.

MR. AND MRS. REGINALD S. WRIGHT are in the city, guests at The Chandler. Mr. Wright represents the Moore-Watson Dry Goods Co. in this territory and is planning on a summer home where the balmy zephyrs of Coos Bay can

Oh You Santa Claus
 XMAS EVE CLOSES THE PIANO CONTEST. 'Till that time we will issue:
 2500 Votes on each piece of graniteware.
 9000 Votes on any stove or heater.
 1000 votes on any knife, shears or razor set.
 1000 Votes for any household article.
 ASK ABOUT DUE BILL—THEY GET VOTES.
Schroeder & Hildenbrand
 Hardware & Plumbing.

THE DELICATESSEN CO.
 Will open in their new location at 136 North Broadway, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17. IN THE ROOMS FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY THE LEWIS ICE CREAM PARLORS.
 We will carry a much larger variety of all kinds of cooked foods ready to serve on the table or for your lunch. Also we will add several new features to the business, and with a much larger capacity will be able to take care of and give our best attention to all
 SPECIAL ORDERS AND SOCIAL FUNCTIONS, LARGE OR SMALL
 A SPECIAL FEATURE IN OUR NEW LOCATION WILL BE QUICK SERVICE COFFEE BOOTHS enabling one to make their own selections and be served in an economical and quick way. This feature will please you in both quality, service and price
THE DELICATESSEN

caress his heated brow after the stress of travel in less favored climes.

MR. AND MRS. W. G. HINDMARSH came down this morning from the Willamette Pacific camp at the head of North Inlet.

CLAUDE H. GILES, a prominent young attorney of Myrtle Point, was in Marshfield last evening on business.

MISS FRANCES ROBERTS, who has been aiding in the piano contests being conducted by local stores, plans to leave soon for Portland to take a permanent position with the company there.

MISS MAY BENNETT, who has been following her vocation as a professional nurse in San Francisco, arrived home yesterday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bennett.

AMONG THE SICK
 Mrs. J. Albert Matson was brought home from Mercy Hospital, where she recently underwent an operation, Monday, and is getting along fine, much to the gratification of their many friends.
 Mrs. Alfred Matson, wife of Capt. Matson, who was brought home from Mercy Hospital a few days ago, is reported to be recovering from recent injuries.
 Mrs. O. A. Glass underwent successfully a serious operation at the Mercy Hospital yesterday afternoon. She is getting along very well today.

WATERFRONT NEWS
 Thursday morning with the itedondo and the Nann Smith will leave out for San Francisco. The Redondo arrived in from the South yesterday morning.
 In the morning the Paraiso, of the Swayne & Hoyt line, will leave out for San Francisco.
 The Vega was off the South Inlet run yesterday, undergoing slight repairs. She returned this afternoon.

NOTICE TO ELKS.
 All Elks and their families are invited to be present at the monthly dancing party in the Masonic Hall Wednesday evening. All visiting Elks are also invited.
 T. B. JAMES, Sec.
 Symphony Concert. Reserved seats on sale at the "Candy Nook," Lemanski's Theater.

Elbly Coal. The kind YOU have ALWAYS USED. Phone 72. Pacific Livory and Transfer Company.
DR. H. E. KELTY, DENTIST—Phone 112-J, Room 204, Coke Bldg
 Symphony Concert. Reserved seats on sale at the "Candy Nook," Lemanski's Theater.

FOUND
 FOUND—Chauffeur's license pin. Owner may have same by paying for this ad at The Times office.

WANTED
 WANTED—A purchaser for lots 7, 8, 9, block 8, Sengstacken's Addition. Price \$1200. Purchaser to assume street improvement. Address P. O. Box 173, Bandon, Ore.
 WANTED—Employment, by sober, steady man, experience in several lines of work. Handy with tools. Willing to go anywhere if work is steady. P. O. Box 234, Coquille.

FOR SALE
 FOR SALE—Or will trade for town property if suitable, a dairy ranch on Coos River 8 miles from town. G. care of Times.
 FOR SALE—20 pullets and 5 old chickens. \$18.00. Phone 13-R.

FOR RENT
 FOR RENT—Separate rooms and housekeeping apartments, furnished or unfurnished. Reasonable. Phone 49-L. 415 So. 4th.
 FOR RENT—House in rear of former Times office. Enquire of John Ferguson.
 FOR RENT—Houses and apartments furnished and unfurnished. E. S. Kaufman & Co. 177 Front street.
 FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front rooms with bath. \$2 per week. Close in. 235 So. 4th St.
 FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Phone 58-L.

The Grand To-Night

SPECIAL MUSICAL PROGRAM BY THE GRAND VENETIAN ORCHESTRA TONIGHT:
 Opening march, "The King's Escort" Losey
 Grand Selection, "The Red Mill," from the musical comedy Victor Herbert
 Concert Waltzes: "Summer Breezes" Johnson
 "When Angela Weep" Harris
 Concert numbers: "Serenade" Pterne
 "Chant Sans Paroles" Hirsch
 Comedy: "Tango Girl" Johnson
 "Peek-a-Boo" Rag Johnson
 "Beautiful Eggs" Paley

PHOTOPLAYS:
 "THE ADVENTURES OF THE HASTY KLOPEMENT" — Edison comedy.
 "HIS BROTHER BILL" — Splendid 2-reel Lubin dramatic play.
 "PAWN TICKET NO. 913" — Selig comedy-drama.
 HEARST-SELIG WEEKLY, No. 60.—all the latest war news in pictures.
 "FOR THE CAUSE" — Biograph drama.
SIX REELS ALL NEW

THE LEMANSKI THEATRE TONIGHT
 THE HOME OF BIG FEATURES AND VAUDEVILLE.

MORELSE BROTHERS, two novelty athletes, in an act sure to please the most skeptical.

That Universal favorite, MISS BARBARA TENNANT appears in the feminine cad in "The Link in the Chain," an Eclair three-part drama of plot and counterplot. Directed by O. A. C. Lund, who also plays the male lead. Study in kleptomaniacs with a vital strain of romance.

THROUGH THE FLAMES — Rex-Universal, two-reel drama featuring Anna Little and Herbert Rawlinson.
 See the spectacular fire scene.
THE WOODING OF BESSIE BUMPKIN, Joker-Universal comedy with Essie Meredith.
 Six all new reels of photoplays. Lower floor, 15c; 1st balcony, 15c; 2nd balcony, 10c.
 Here tomorrow night, Daniel Frohman production "The Ring and the Man," a political feature in four stirring reels. Also a Sterling comedy, "The Flirt," and the Grand Symphony Concert.
 Get your reserved seats now at Mead's candy store next door from box-office of Lemanski theater.

Your Christmas tree will look better if you hang some Hart Schaffner & Marx Clothes on it

SAME thing's true of your own body; just put one of these fine suits on it; or a good overcoat, you'll get high quality materials and tailoring; you'll be stylishly dressed; you'll be economical.

A MAN MUST HAVE MORE THAN ONE HAT TO WEAR IN ORDER TO ALWAYS DRESS PROPERLY —YOU MUST HAVE A VARIETY

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Woolen Mill Store
 This store is the home of Hart Schaffner and Marx Clothes.
 MARSHFIELD NORTH BEND

GIFTS OF QUALITY
 Choose SHOES for Christmas. Complete line of Slippers in Felt and Leather. We attend to your wants carefully. Open evenings until Christmas

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 Central Ave. and Broadway. SHOES OF MERIT

WATCHES Make An Ideal Christmas Gift For Gentlemen Or Ladies

We carry a Full Line of WATCHES in all styles and at all prices.

THE BERTRAM JEWELRY STORE—because of the exclusive character of its merchandise, the conspicuous fairness of its prices — the diversity and extent of its offerings—is the logical store for Christmas shoppers. Here you will find luxurious beauty and dainty things that cost but little. A large assortment of gifts for "him" or "her." Nothing cheap or tawdry, but gifts of quality and always a reasonable price is the important feature.

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