

THE CENTRAL AVENUE BOOSTER

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Published Every Friday in the Interests of Coos Bay in General and Central Avenue in particular.

BOOSTER WAR BULLETIN.
With Dorsey confined to his home in South Marshfield and J. T. Harrigan hors du combat in West Marshfield, the official communication says that honors were about even between the Allies and the Germans this week. However, Henry Sengstacken and George Sellg say that the Allies lost their leader in J. T. Harrigan and that with him out of service, there is nothing to it.

A. J. GRAFT, who by his name should be a politician but who isn't, and who travels for "Heinz 57 Varieties," is calling on the Coos Bay trade this week. Great Graft!

RAY OLLIVANT'S MOTTO.
"Honor thy father and mother, but not a stranger's checks."

THE OLD SPORT'S RECEPTION

Lightning and thunder!
What's your number
Where do you hail from, my old sport?
I'm the picket,
Where's your ticket?
No dead-heads pass into this court.
What's that you say?
You've had to pay?
And are really an exception?
Well, not in here,
My white-haired dear,
This is a Man's grand reception.

He was trying all his life to be sincere.
He never caused his wife to shed a tear;
He was always too kind to the sick and the blind
And would not e'en sanction deception.
Thought he's going to be well rewarded
And his name in gold will be recorded,
So move along old gent, we are all quite content
And are giving this man a reception.

Old sport replied:
Kind friend, I've tried
Since the Creator gave me life,
To be civil
To the devil
And I'll not enter into strife,
I'll pass along
With joyful song,
I ne'er thought I was perfection.
Saint Peter said,
Please go ahead,
And stop at "Grand Reception."

The picket slightly moved the golden glimmer,
It's glare fell full upon the aged sinner,
As a sport, what's your name, and ain't you walking lame?
What's that, can't speak? I had a wrong conception.
Come here, put on this crown and purple cloak,
Have a drink of nectar, you're just about to choke.
Never mind your name, I know you're the same
For whom we've planned this grand reception.

ED MEADE,
The Central Avenue Poet.

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PLAN TO TAKE
SUNDAY DINNER
— AT THE —
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a Good Menu

CENTRAL AVENUE JOTTINGS.

Valentine Coming.—Sunday is Valentine day and W. J. Conrad and Doc Dix are the pictures of expectancy—to say nothing of Walter Butler and John Ferguson.

A Good Feature.—One good thing about the moving picture palaces on Central Avenue is that they enable a fellow to be a sport and take a girl out on a lone two-bit piece.

Coming Events.—Roomer says that Cupid has shot one of North Bend's most beautiful young ladies right smack through the heart with an arrow of love. How about it, Con?

Another Theater.—Central Avenue is rapidly becoming the sure enough Great White Way. The New Orpheum was opened Wednesday night and over two thousand people attended in a body. Manager Keller put on a good show and is helping to make Central Avenue look like a metropolis.

Important Notice.—We would like to have about 15 new subscriptions from new subscribers who would be willing to pay us strictly cash in advance if it wouldn't be asking too much as we have a few bills to pay which ought to have been paid over six months ago. If this would be asking too much we would like to have say three or four subscribers then. How does that strike you?

May Have Jitney Bus.—Frank Cohan, the original Central Avenue booster and president of the Central Avenue Business Men's Association, announces that plans are on foot for the organization of the Central Avenue Jitney Bus Corporation (Limited). The project met with prompt and enthusiastic approval from all sides, the only discordant note in the chorus being occasioned by the European war. Henry Sengstacken desired to be assured that it was not some trick and subterfuge of the Allies to gain a foothold. He said that "jitney" sounded something like "cockney" and he didn't propose to have anything to do with it if it were an English scheme. J. T. Harrigan, on the other hand, said it wasn't English and sounded more like Austrian and he suspected that Henry was trying to "slip one over." After both belligerents were assured and reassured—and Sengstacken insured the project was approved and the public may be prepared most any day to see "jitneys" on Central Avenue, thanks to the foresight and enterprise of Booster Frank Cohan.

AN ARTIST IS A LUCKY GUY.
Thayer Grimes is a lucky wight
He never needs to worry;
For if he finds that money's tight
He can "draw" some in a hurry.

For he's a realistic artist
Even when thirty relief is near
For he can seize his pen and quickly
Draw himself a glass of beer.

CULLEY KNOWS.
All things come to him who owns
A piece of land and pitches in and
works to beat the band.
—J. M. CULLEY.

QUITE A FEAT.
"Funny thing we did yesterday," remarked one Central Avenue woman to another.
"What was it?" asked her friend.
"Went out to Myrtle Arms and made a round of flats."

The price of wheat is soaring.
The price of feed is high;
The cannon now is roaring,
And bullets on the fly.

But Haines is not neutral on prices,
He'll fight them with tooth and toe nail,
He'll hammer them low as possibly go
And then put high prices in jail.

HAINES'

The Central Avenue Flour and Feed Man.
On the Waterfront.

PERSONAL MENTION.

DAVE STAFFORD says his idea of a hypocrite is a man who goes to work every morning with a smile on his face.

HARRY McKEOWN of the Chandler, who has been spending some time and no money in Portland, is back again getting ready to go again.

MATT L. MAY, the popular representative of Haas Bros., reports business improving steadily, but then Matt L. always was an optimist. While others croak at misty days with him it's always May.

GENE CROTHWAITE, of the Smokehouse, says he has made application to the S. P. for the first ticket on the first train in the first smoking car that comes into Marshfield over the new railway. A. Y. MYERS is still minus an overcoat. W. J. Conrad says he is probably a good thing because on cold days Al has to remain in the office and attend to business. Con's intimation is that someone took the coat to make Myers go to work.

JIM KELLOND of the Smokehouse called at this office and purchased some old copies of the Booster. Some of the copies was as far back as six months. Jim ain't a regular subscriber, but he likes to keep posted on Central Avenue doings.

THAYER GRIMES, one of our leading young lights, this week left for Millicoma, where he will begin a rival undertaking to the one launched by Guy Chambers, who deserted the city a few weeks ago, for the simple life on Daniels Creek. Just what he is going to raise is not certain yet.

L. A. PECK, the original "Peck's Bad Boy," who always got his Pa into a pickle and when he grew up went into the pickle business with Mr. Heinz, is visiting Ray Ollivant this week. Ray says he can tell "57 varieties" of stories and like Heinz they're all good.

CAPT. MACGENN is all smiles these days, he reading that his old pal and boyhood friend, Lord Kitchener, to whom he has dedicated his latest poem, said about the English winning the war. The Capt. thinks the sun would reverse and rise in the west if it wasn't for Lord K.

FRANK TICHENOR, the original Coos county booster, was a Central Avenue visitor this week for the first time in three years. Frank says he hardly knew the place and Central Avenue reminds him of streets in the great cities of Portland, Seattle and Spokane, where he has been living for some years past, but he is coming back to his first love, Central Avenue welcomes Frank to the ranks of the boosters.

HIS WIFE'S GONE AWAY.

By L. L. Thomas.
Gee, but this is a lonesome town!
I thought I'd have a rare old fling.
When I put wifey on the boat—
I said, "NOW don't let anything
Drive you back to the stuffy flat;
Just stay as long as you can stay
And get yourself all well and fat.

Gee, but this is a lonesome town!
She's been away just eight days,
The first two evenings I was free
I froveled on the bright highways;
I looked up Jim and Gene and Joe,
But very few glad hands I got
I found I had no place to go.

Gee, but this is a lonesome town!
I never lived a longer week;
Some pleasures I thought I'd enjoy
I don't care to go out and seek;
There may be husbands bright and gay
And all alone; but as for me—
Well, midnight finds me in the hay.

THE GROCER'S TROUBLE.

If the cost of living's high,
Blame the grocer,
If the cook has scorched the pie,
Blame the grocer,
If the eggs are tasting queer,
If you're lacking in good cheer,
He'll explain it, never fear,
Blame the grocer.

If the price of butter soars,
Blame the grocer,
If your entertaining bores,
Blame the grocer,
If your dinner doesn't "take,"
Blame the sugar in the cake
And of course for mercy's sake
Blame the grocer.

If your purse is feeling flat,
Blame the grocer,
If you need a nice new hat
Blame the grocer.
It will teach him self-control,
True politeness from the soul,
If we always on the whole
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—GEO. E. COOK.

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