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LOCALS BREVITIES

TIDES FOR FEBRUARY

Time and Height of Tides at Marshfield.

The tides are placed in the order of occurrence beginning at midnight with their times on the first line and heights on the second line of each day. A comparison of consecutive heights will indicate whether it is high or low water.

High water on the bar 2 hours and 34 minutes earlier than at Marshfield; at North Bend, 1 hour and 11 minutes earlier than Marshfield.

24 Hrs.	3.20	10.08	5.14	0.0
Ft.	3.0	5.2	0.7	0.0
25 Hrs.	0.10	4.52	11.13	6.17
Ft.	4.0	3.0	5.4	6.17
26 Hrs.	0.57	5.56	12.10	6.51
Ft.	4.4	2.1	5.7	0.7
27 Hrs.	1.36	6.47	12.59	7.30
Ft.	4.7	2.3	5.9	-0.1
28 Hrs.	2.10	7.32	1.43	8.04
Ft.	5.1	1.8	6.1	-0.2

WEATHER FORECAST

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

OREGON—Rain, southerly wind, reaching gale force along coast.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD

For the 24 hours ending at 4:43 a. m., Feb. 24, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:

Maximum 51
Minimum 42
At 4:43 a. m. 49
Precipitation 37
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1914 51.56
Precipitation same period last year 47.47
Wind. Southwest, cloudy.

BORN

MOHR—To Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mohr, at the home of "Grandma" Chapman, Wednesday, February 24, a son, their first child. Mother and child are doing nicely and the father, who is assistant to Supt. Miller, of the Southern Pacific properties, is elated over the arrival of the future president of the Coos Bay, Roseburg and Eastern.

Ship Salmon—The Geo. W. Elder took quite a shipment of steelhead salmon from Coos Bay for the Eureka market.

Return Here—Under the auspices of the Sons of Norway, Mr. B. B. Haugan will deliver a lecture at Finnish Hall next Sunday at three p. m. All Scandinavians are most cordially invited.

All Get Full—The lure proved too much for J. Lure and last night he got drunk and a little later got in jail. Ed Erickson seemed to have the same difficulty and he, too, sought the depth of the cooler. Both men had plenty of money to pay their fines and were allowed their freedom.

Gets in Dairy Stock—F. A. Sacchi will receive within a short time five 2-year-old pure bred Jersey heifers, out of dams with authenticated records of from 9000 to 12,000 pounds milk; 500 to 800 lbs. butter fat for a year. Three are for James Roberts of Ten Mile, and two for Ramelli & Hazelton.

Smashes Wheel—Returning from the fire yesterday afternoon Richard Behr, driving a large Overland touring car, underestimated the speed of his chalmers machine and at the corner of Second and Curtis crashed into the sidewalk, collapsing his left front wheel. The machine was left standing until another "pedal extremity" could be procured.

Six-Reeler Fulfills Promise—"The Reign of Terror," at the Orpheum tonight is a feature in six reels worth seeing. The photography is perfect and the climaxes are well carried out in a true-to-history style. It tells an authentic story of the trying times during the French Revolution. The same program will be run for the last time tonight and a large audience is expected to result from the satisfaction evidenced by last night's patrons. Roberta Saunders will sing.

Bank Examiner—Bank Examiner Lloyd Milt arrived here today to examine the National banks in this section.

Gets New Car—Mrs. Talley of Coaledo, has traded the auto which her husband presented her for a Christmas present to George Goodrum for the new Dodge car. The self-starter feature of the Dodge car was desired by her. She is now the owner of the First Dodge car brought to Coos Bay.

Dixon Here—Supt. Thomas Dixon of the MacArthur Parks company and Engineer V. G. Hindmarsh arrived in today. Mr. Dixon says a crew is working on the Point Terrace right of way and the stone quarry matter will soon be settled. No work has been done on either the Umququa or Siuslaw bridges.

Gifts to Library—Miss Topping, City Librarian, reports the gift of a fine lot of books by J. W. Roney, of the Coos and Curry Telephone Company. It included twenty volumes of French classics, a Universal Encyclopedia, "The Ne'er Do Well," by Rex Beach, and "Eyes of the World," by Harold Bell Wright. Jas. Watts made a cash donation and the Marshfield Presbyterian Sunday School donated its library of sixty volumes.

Nephew War Prisoner—Capt. Adam Donaldson, of the Daisy Putnam, a heavy owner of Coos Bay real estate, while here, stated that he had just received word that his sister's son, Capt. Burt Hamilton, of the English Army Medical Corps, had just been released from the German military prison. He was taken prisoner at the battle of Mons and received harsh treatment. Later he was allowed to return to his home in England.

Bridge Rumor—A report about town that one of the big concrete piers of the Southern Pacific bridge across the Bay had been found defective and would have to be blown out caused some flurry the last few days. It was stated today that

the report probably originated from the fact that some poor concrete, or rather concrete that was slow to "set" had been used in one of the smaller piers and this might have to be taken out. This is not certain. Anyway the trouble is not of a serious character.

Baby Dies—The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyster of North Bend died this afternoon of pneumonia following other complications.

Green is Promoted—E. K. Jones today received a letter from D. C. Green, formerly manager of the Oregon Power Company's plant here, but recently manager of the plant at Everett, Washington, saying he had just been appointed manager of the Utah Light & Power Company plant at Salt Lake City. Vice-President Grossbeck, of the Bylles properties resigned some time ago to head a big corporation which owns the Salt Lake City plant. It is a marked advancement for Mr. Green and his Coos Bay friends will be highly gratified over it.

Detectives Busy—Parties from Coquille state that Detective Mitchell, who has been there for some time, spent considerable effort digging up evidence for J. S. Barton in the case pending at Roseburg. The work is said to have been directed against Mudge Yoakum, the alleged victim of Barton's assault and it is expected at Coquille that some salacious evidence was secured. Clyde Gage, former Deputy Sheriff, is said to be handling part of G. T. Treadgold's case in the Simpson-Coach-Treadgold affair.

Personals

R. A. COPPLE is expected home soon from an extended eastern tour.

JOHN WHOBREY, the Myrtle Point hide dealer, was here yesterday on business.

J. H. SOULE, the well-known traveling salesman, arrived in last evening and today is calling on his trade.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE STANLEY, of Coquille, was here today serving some papers for a civil suit.

GEORGE W. HAZEN, a prominent Portland attorney, arrived here last evening and will be several days on the Bay.

MRS. ANSON ROGERS, a well-known Coos River pioneer, came down yesterday to visit at the home of her son, A. O. Rogers.

CELL IRELAND has returned from a short visit with his sister and niece at Bandon. He is recuperating rapidly from an attack of la grippe.

CONSTABLE E. BLACKERBY, of Bandon, was a visitor here yesterday, passing through to Ten Mile, where he went to serve some civil papers.

GEO. P. LAIRD, of Bandon, came over today on business. He expects to close up his affairs at the City-by-the-Sea about the middle of next month and move to Eureka to engage in business.

AMONG THE SICK

Night Officer William Shoupe is down with a bad case of the grippe and his place was taken on the beat last evening by L. W. Traver.

NORTH BEND NEWS

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church of North Bend, will meet in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon of next week. This is the regular monthly social meeting and all the ladies of the congregation and their friends will be welcome. The hostesses for the day are Mrs. C. E. Mayhe, Mrs. Wm. Neilson, Mrs. P. Miller and Mrs. A. Knowlton. While Mrs. Wm. Laird, Mrs. R. O. Helm and Mrs. M. Kehoe will act as reception committee.

STATE WILL TAKE MARSHFIELD FAWN

Clash Over Pet Deer to be Ended by Game Warden Soon—May be Exhibit.

Deputy Game Warden James Thomas announced last night that the pet fawn belonging to the Ross family in North Marshfield and which was brought here from Camp One, will soon be placed where it will not cause any further trouble. Mr. Thomas said that he would take the deer and have it sent to the State Game Farm unless some pending arrangements materialize quickly.

Mr. Thomas said that no one has the right to keep a fawn or deer in captivity except with a special permit from the Oregon Game Commission. Some time ago the Ross family made application for this permit, but it has not been granted. J. A. Ward, in charge of the Coos and Curry exhibit, at the San Francisco exposition, wanted to take the fawn there for the exhibit but has not secured the necessary permit. If Ward secures the permit, the Ross family will receive some remuneration for caring for the fawn. If the state seizes it, they will receive nothing.

SOUTH INLET HAS ANOTHER MYSTERY

D. H. STEWART, DIGGING GARDEN ON VALLINO ISLAND, AT SOUTH INLET, FINDS MAN'S SKULL.

What may be another chapter of the continuous story of South Inlet mysteries, was unearthed yesterday when D. H. Stewart, digging in his garden on Vallino Island, rammed his spade into a hard object and turned it over bringing to light a man's skull. Other bones were found in the vicinity, supposed to be the skeleton of the body. Word has been sent to District Attorney Liljeqvist and an investigation will probably be made.

"That the skull belonged to a white man in the belief of Mr. Stewart, who states he has seen a great many skeletons and knows well the difference between the bones of white men and Indians.

"And I also believe the skull has not been buried more than four or five years," said Mr. Stewart this morning. "The bones were in good condition, and the skull, the jawbone of which is missing is in perfect condition."

It would take more diggers than on both of one's hands to count the murders that have taken place at South Inlet. Old pioneers tell stories of troubles that started way back in the early history of Coos Bay.

There has been a succession of murders and strange disappearances, all of which are now romantically accounted for with stories of which there are dozens of versions.

Five years ago a logger employed at Camp Four of the Smith-Powers camp at South Inlet then, disappeared. He was last seen sitting on the track of the logging road. Posses searched, but found no trace of the man.

About three years ago Jake Evans was killed in his cabin. No one knew who did the deed, though another was suspected. He disappeared shortly afterward and has not been seen since.

FIRE DOES SMALL DAMAGE TO HOUSE

FIRE FROM FAULTY FLUE CAUSES BLAZE AT HENRY WELLS HOME—LITTLE DAMAGE DONE.

Fire supposed to have been caused by a faulty flue in the front room of the Henry Wells home, 736 South Second street, called out the fire department yesterday afternoon about five o'clock. Vigorous use of chemicals quickly subdued the flames and the entire damage did not amount to more than \$25. There is insurance on the house.

Mrs. Wells had left her residence not more than an hour before the first alarm was turned in and had left a fire in the sitting room stove. Some where at the joining of the pipe with the chimney, the firemen believe, sparks crept through into the attic and but for the timely arrival of the department the house would have been a mass of flames.

Embers smoldered down between the walls of a rear bedroom, and there set fire to clothes standing in a closet, filling the house with clouds of smoke, making it difficult for the firemen to work.

No furniture was destroyed and no damage was caused by water, chemicals only being necessary.

LOON LAKE PHONE LINE IS ORGANIZED

Robert Rooke and Other Progressive Ranchers of Section to put in Line.

Robert Rooke, one of the progressive young ranchers of the Loon Lake district, was in Marshfield today on business. They have just installed a telephone line in the Loon Lake district and expect to extend it before long so that it will reach both Scottsburg and Allegany. The ranchers generally are joining in the movement. They have six subscribers on the part of the line now built and will soon hold a meeting and organize. The telephone will be a great convenience to them and Mr. Rooke is elated over getting it started.

COLONEL HAZEN COMES TO ORGANIZE ROYAL ARCANUM

Portland Attorney, Past Grand Regent, Seeks Establishment of New Order.

Colonel George W. Hazen, prominent attorney of Portland and Past Grand Regent of the Royal Arcanum in this state, arrived here last evening and for several days will be here establishing a branch of the order which he represents. The Royal Arcanum is a fraternal and beneficiary order, 38 years old and with a membership of more than a quarter of a million persons.

In its ranks are some of the best known men in the state. Mr. Hazen may also take trips to Coquille and Bandon in the interests of his lodge.

L. M. NOBLE LEFT MUCH IN CASH

According to apparently well verified reports today, L. M. Noble left more actual cash in his estate than any that has left in any estate recently. This is on deposit in various banks. Besides this, he had a large amount loaned in notes and mortgages. Mrs. A. V. Bowhay and Charles Noble are said to be the principal heirs.

NOBLE FUNERAL TODAY

Large Number Pay Tribute to Coos Bay Pioneer

A large assemblage of friends of the late Lyman Noble gathered at the family residence today for the funeral services which were conducted by Rev. Robt. Browning of the Episcopal Church, the I. O. F. Lodge having charge of the ceremonies at the cemetery. The services were brief and members of the Episcopal Choir sang several hymns. The pall bearers were D. L. Rood, Judge John F. Hall, Capt. Alex Hall, C. A. Johnson, Wm. Deubner, and I. S. Lando.

So large was the crowd that gathered that several hundred were unable to gain admittance to the house but remained standing in the street during the services. The I. O. F. and Rebekah lodges attended in a body. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

BURY VICTIMS

Coroner Wilson announced today that five of the victims of the Bunker Hill hotel fire will be buried tomorrow in the new Sunset cemetery on Isthamus Inlet. Services will be held at the cemetery.

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