

COOS BAY TIMES

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EUROPEAN WAR ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

DECEMBER 15, 1914. Canada is reported to have been hard hit by the war, many financial projects being suspended.

BLESSING TO THE WORLD

THE farm crops for this year as reported today in the final estimate by the Agricultural Department was valued at over six and a quarter billion dollars.

AT THE HOTELS

- Chandler Hotel: E. C. Nutter, San Francisco; W. H. Hamig, Portland; P. Wilstrom, Portland; Swan Benson, Portland; Mrs. C. Harris, Sumner; Miss M. Mills, Sumner; O. A. Charlton, San Francisco; Mrs. Hafer, Powers; R. E. Dunson, Cape Arago; James McCutcheon, Beaver Hill; P. J. Hahn, Jr., Hauser; Pat Bolton, Bandon; G. J. Montgomery, Bridge.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Marshfield, Oregon, Post-office for the week ending December 14, 1915. Persons calling for the same will please say advertised and pay one cent for each letter called for.

PEOPLE'S FORUM

The Coos Bay Times will be pleased to publish letters from its readers on all questions of public interest, giving his or her address, and so far as possible limited to 250 words.

WANTS TO KNOW

The following communication dated at Eastside, December 14, and addressed to George Watkins, City Attorney of Eastside, is received by The Times with request to publish:

OREGON DRY LAW IS EXPLAINED BY THE LOCAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY

Mr. Liljeqvist Tells How He Thinks Some Points of the Law Are to be Interpreted—Goes to Salem to Discuss Matters With Prosecutors from the Other Counties.

Oregon passed a prohibition law to make the state dry after a mighty hard fight. To all intents and purposes the work was but half accomplished with the casting of the votes.

Can be Shipped Out. Liquor on hand January 1 in the saloons of the county, or the state, can be shipped out of the state, believes Mr. Liljeqvist. He asserts, however, that the boxes or barrels must carry in plain sight the name of the consignee and the consignor, also the class of liquor and the amount.

Can Administer. A physician can administer intoxicants to his patients as medicine, but it must be from his own private supply of two quarts of whisky or 24 quarts of beer in any one month. He can not give it away. The penalty for violations is a fine up to \$500 or six months in jail.

About Delivery. Any common carrier will not be allowed to deliver intoxicating liquor until the consignee makes an affidavit setting forth the name of the carrier, the point of delivery, the amount and kind of intoxicating liquors to be received, the total amount of liquors of all kinds received by him during the four weeks past; that the affiant is over 21 years of age and is not an habitual drunkard.

Crops of United States Break All Previous Records

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 15.—This year's principal farms crops were worth \$6,276,465,000 at December 1 farm prices, the Department of Agriculture announced today in its final estimate and review of crop production and values.

With the wheat crop passing the billion-bushel mark for the first time in the Nation's history, corn production reaching a three-billion-bushel total for the second time, and record crops of oats, barley, rye, sweet potatoes, hay and rice, the year has been an extraordinary one for farming.

The value this year of each crop, based on its farm price on December 1, with last year's value, the record value of each crop, and the year it was produced, is announced as follows:

Table with 5 columns: Crop, 1915, 1914, Record Val., Year. Rows include Corn, Winter Wheat, Spring Wheat, All Wheat, Oats, Barley, Rye, Buckwheat, Flaxseed, Rice, Potatoes, Sweet Potatoes, Hay, Tobacco, Cotton, Sugar Beets.

In addition to these crops, other farm products, such as minor crops and animals and animal products, will bring the year's total to about \$10,000,000,000.

All Over Oregon

SALEM—The State Land Board will not appeal from the decision of the U. S. Surveyor General of Oregon holding that Alkali Lake in Southern Oregon to be the property of the government. DALLAS—Frank Howard, the man who killed his wife, Nellie M. Howard, on Thanksgiving Day, left a will providing that his estate go to the wife he murdered.

FIGURES REVISED

MARSHFIELD NOW LEADS BANDON IN SCHOOL CENSUS

County School Superintendent R. E. Baker Goes Over Lists and Makes Official Statement

It was a hard job, but it has been done. County School Superintendent R. E. Baker himself admits it, that Marshfield has "done and gone" beaten Bandon on the number in its school census.

But the revision of the figures by Mr. Baker, and as he has explained to Judge John Hall, clerk of the Marshfield district, shows that Bandon has not 865 pupils, but 818 and that Marshfield's list of 853 continues to stand good.

The county superintendent stated that a few of the children counted in the Bandon district were outside the limits of the district.

It is further interesting to note that while there has been a loss of more than 500 pupils in the five cities of the county, over the count of last year, that, taking into consideration the rural districts, the census of 1915 is only 15 behind that of 1914.

MARSHFIELD MAN LOSES FIFTEEN DOLLARS

Someone Sold Valuable Coin for Much Less Than It Was Worth

Some Marshfield man is out just fifteen dollars, though he probably does not know it. The incident is told in the following from the Bandon Western World.

C. Y. Lowe, while at Marshfield the other day, purchased a \$3 gold piece from a party in a restaurant. It bears the date 1878, and is one of the very few of that denomination now in circulation.

Inactive Kidneys Cause Disease

"I shall not soon forget the benefits I derived from the use of Foley Kidney Pills."—Al. A. Coffey, Forest Grove, Oregon.

Too much work and too little work seem to have about the same effect on persons past middle age. Proper action of the kidneys is necessary to good health.

For sale by Owl Prescription Pharmacy, Frank D. Cohen, Central Avenue, Opposite Chandler Hotel. Telephone 74.

LLOYD HOTEL

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FARE TEN CENTS

City Limits North Bend, Se. COMMUTATION 20 TICKETS \$1.75 20 Marshfield-North Bend Auto Line

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Fannie L. M. Carpenter, deceased, has filed his final account in the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, and the Judge of said Court has appointed Monday, the 3rd day of January, 1916 at the hour of 10:00 a. m. of said day at the Court House at Coquille City, Coos County, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate.

Now is the time to get your suit made for Christmas. Bring in your order now and you will get a suit at a reasonable price, either ladies' or men's suits.

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DUNGAN UNDERTAKING PARLORS will be kept OPEN TO THE PUBLIC A regular state licensed undertaker will be in charge Phone 195-J