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"Safe and sane" Christmas
That Means—

- 1 Do your shopping before the rush stocks are complete.
- 2 Give useful gifts; we're ready with the things men and young men buy for themselves; clothing and furnishings of the finest grades.

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Marshfield North Bend
Clothes Purchased Here Kept Pressed Free of Charge

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Remember! This Great Sale Positively Closes January 1.

Use a Home Product

When placing your order for Lard from your grocer ask for
EXTRA KETTLE RENDERED PALACE MARKET PURE LARD
Accept no other. It's the best and made in your home city. It sells for 80 cents for a 5-pound bucket. Pay no more.

Palace Meat Market
N. D. Oswald

DANCE at the FINNISH HALL SATURDAY NIGHT

by the
Jeno - Sevely - Orchestra

Noble Theater TO-NIGHT

ENTIRE CHANGE OF PROGRAM
Elsie Janis in "BETTY IN SEARCH OF A THRILL"—A story written by herself and produced in five reels of beautiful pictures by the Bosworth-Paranount Company.
A FEATURE THAT IS AS GOOD AS THE BEST
"FORD NEWS WEEKLY"—Interesting happenings of the world in motion pictures.
"BUNKO JOE SAVED BY GASOLINE"—Essanay Comedy.

Usual Prices Lower floor . 15c
Balcony . . . 10c
Children . . . 5c

Tomorrow night: Charlie Chaplin in "His Pre-Historic Past." Two reels of fun.

6986 received the Doll today. This is the last of the series of dolls given away.
BE SURE AND COME IN AND LOOK OVER OUR LARGE LINE OF TOYS, CHRISTMAS GIFTS AND NOVELTIES
Burpee's 5, 10, 15 Cent Store
North Front Street Marshfield

LOCAL BREVITIES

DECEMBER TIDES
Time and heights of tides at Marshfield. The tides are placed in order of occurrence, 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 tide on the bar one hour and 54 minutes earlier than at Marshfield.

14 Hrs. 2.15	8.37	3.29	9.06
Ft. 0.8	4.9	1.1	3.7
15 Hrs. 3.11	9.27	4.34	10.20
Ft. 1.3	5.0	0.7	3.6

WEATHER FORECAST
Oregon — Fair, winds mostly Westerly.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE RECORD
For the 24 hours ending at 4.43 a. m., December 15, by Benj. Ostlund, special government meteorologist:
Maximum 50
Minimum 34
At 4:43 a. m. 39
Precipitation 0.23
Precipitation since Sept. 1, 1910 28.98
Precipitation same period last year 30.99
Wind: Southwest, partly cloudy.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
Wednesday
December 15 — Sun rises at 7:47 and sets at 4:26.

Pupils in Recital.—This evening at eight o'clock, pupils of Miss Edna Louise Larsen, Henrik Gjerdum and Gerald Hunt will appear in recital at the Gjerdum conservatory. All members of the conservatory are invited to attend.

Ads Get Results.—Running a want ad in The Times just one issue secured two different parties girls for housework who were needed. Mrs. Peter Mirraoul and P. J. Cook both secured domestics with one insertion of a Times want adv. The reason is everyone on Coos Bay reads The Times.
Building Nearly Done.—W. W. Ladd is progressing very well on the new Murphy building in North Bend and it is expected that the structure will be completed some time in January. It will be given over to the Joy Theatre which was burned out before.

Brass Goods

CANDLE STICKS VASES JARDINIERRES
We are closing them out—
Prescriptions accurately compounded and delivered immediately.
THE BUSY CORNER
The Revall Drug Store
Phone 298
We Deliver Promptly

Ready For First Game.—The boys of the Marshfield high school basketball five are in good trim for the first game of the season that will be played in the gymnasium tomorrow night at 7:30 with the North Bend alumni team. The local quintet won the championship of the county last year and the results of tomorrow will give the first line on their abilities and chances for the coming season.
Is Buried Today.—The funeral of Henry Miller, the Civil War veteran who died in North Bend on Monday, was held this afternoon from the Wilson Undertaking Parlor. Miss Nellie Montgomery, of the Christian Science church, had charge of the services at the parlor and the G. A. R. at the grave. The pall bearers were E. F. Russell, George J. Fourier, J. A. Fitzpatrick, Charles Eberhardt, George Hazer and Ed Coffelt.
Was Friend of Brophy.—James Watt of this city, was an old friend of Henry C. Brophy, a prominent Salem hop man, who was accidentally killed there a few days ago while on his way out hunting. Mr. Watt used to live in Salem. Mr. Brophy was driving some cows to the pasture and had his gun with him. In closing a gate, the trigger was caught and the gun went off, the charge taking off the head of the hop man and killing him instantly.
To Open Restaurant.—H. A. Wells of the Right Cafe stated today that he had closed negotiations for the purchase of the Grand Cafe in the Palace Hotel building at North Bend. He said that just as soon as conditions warranted it, he expected to open the place. The Grand was one of the best fitted establishments on the Bay and has been closed for several months. When he opens it, Mr. Wells expects to conduct it along the same lines that have gained him the reputation of being one of the best restaurant men on the Bay.
Dies While in Bed.—Many of the former Oregon students and members of the Sigma Chi fraternity on Coos Bay were well acquainted with David Hawkins who died in Portland a few days ago. He was a brother to Martin Hawkins, the world renowned hurdler who took a third in the last Olympic meet at Stockholm. The young man was spending Saturday night with a friend of his, John Fleming, and when called in the morning failed to answer. He was found dead. He attended the University during 1911 and 1912. A brother, Alvin Hawkins, was drowned last year while swimming in the Willamette river.
Hotel Men Meeting.—Harry J. McKeown, of the Chandler Hotel, is in Portland attending the sixth annual convention of Oregon hotelmen which opened in session there yesterday morning. He is slated as a speaker at the round table session in discussion of vital questions to the hotel men of the state, among them being the problem that is presenting itself of changing hoteliers over to the American plan, that is to make rates include dining service, the complaint being that patrons go elsewhere to eat and at the same time the hotel men have to keep up the dining room which is often conducted at a heavy loss.
Start a Menagerie.—The men of the fire department have a fair start toward a menagerie. In the first place they got a dog, somewhere, then they got another dog, and then they got another dog, and then to vary the routine, they got a parrot. Its a real honest to goodness parrot that does everything but swear. Last night a little wobbly legged puppy was added to the growing menagerie. The firemen now say they are looking for a Molyocuddle or a Dinosauria, some of which are said to exist over in the sand hills across the bay.
Did Not Take Everything.—Passengers who came down on the Killburn from Portland state the ship left the dock there at 12:30 Sunday morning and that she did not take all the freight in the warehouse, "not by a long shot." When the vessel docked here the men aboard declared that they had brought "everything on the dock" and now the question arises as to whether or not they meant just what freight was brought out onto the dock, and not taking into consideration the stuff piled in the warehouse. But at this, the boat was crowded to its limit.

CHARGE SERIOUS

CLIFF NICHOLSON HELD FOR BURGLARY
Is In Jail At Tillamook—With Two Other Prisoners Attempted to Break Out of Jail
Cliff Nicholson, well known here and formerly a waiter at the White Elephant restaurant, has just been indicted by a Tillamook grand jury on a charge of alleged burglary along with a man named Ed Omar. Nicholson left here in the spring with George Pritzler, who is now in Corvallis, and the men expected to walk to Milwaukee with their packs.
Nicholson and Omar, together with Carl Dennis, indicted for forgery, it is stated in a press telegram, attempted to saw their way out of jail in the daytime and had one bar through when someone living across the street from the jail told Sheriff Crenshaw.
The sheriff is said to have been expecting such an attempt and had men watching the jail at night.
Nicholson came here from Portland many months ago where it is said he ran a small rooming house.

SELLS MANY BIBLES

THE REV. G. LE ROY HALL HAS HIGHEST AVERAGE IN STATE
Some Volumes Sell for Six Cents—Sells Over \$500 Worth—Derives No Income From This Source
Holding the record of having sold more bibles in Oregon this year than any other minister in charge of colportage work, the Rev. G. Le Roy Hall balances up his books of the year, with a broad grin. He says that approximately \$500 to \$600 worth of books have been sold for the American Baptist Publication society by him, and when the fact is considered that some of the New Testaments sell for six cents the total money sum shows a vast amount of work has been accomplished.
However, Mr. Hall does not derive a penny for this work, undertaking it only incidentally to his main missionary work. He goes out into his field with a suit case laden with bibles and testaments. "The only way the people help me personally," he says, "is by buying the books and thus lightening my load.
But he takes considerable interest in the selling of the bibles, stating that he believes this is a great work in itself.
Only this morning Mr. Hall received a letter from Coquille which said, "there are only a dozen New Testaments in the town," meaning in the book stores, and Mr. Hall says he must hurry over to relieve the famine.
FILLERS
The exports of logs and round timber from the United States in 1914 were approximately 138 million feet, while the imports were near 149 million feet. The exports went to Germany, the United Kingdom, Canada and the Netherlands, whereas the imports came chiefly from Canada.
The imports of laths into the United States during 1914 were nearly 565 million, valued at over one and a half million dollars, of which more than 99 per cent came from Canada.
The cedar imported the United States during 1914 amounted to over 17 million feet, valued at nearly one million dollars, of which more than half came from Cuba.

PERSONAL MENTION

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE LESTER were visitors here today from Coquille.
R. J. MONTGOMERY is in from the environs of Bridge to take in the city.
C. S. McCULLOCH, County Surveyor of Coquille, was here today on a business trip.
SHERIFF ALF JOHNSON went back on the morning train after a two-days' visit here.
H. B. FERGUSON was down today from his home on Coos River for a short stay.
F. C. TRUE returned to Coquille yesterday after looking after business interests here.
JAMES McCUTCHEON, of Beaver Hill, was among the visitors here yesterday and today.
JUDGE JOHN S. COKE has returned from Coquille where he has been on court business.
R. E. DUNSON, assistant keeper of the Cape Arago lighthouse, was in the city on a visit today.
MR. AND MRS. CARL ANDERSON came down from Sumner yesterday on a short visit in the city.
MISS MARGARET SHAW left on the morning train for a business visit in Coquille today on school matters.
WILLIAM CHANDLER came down the river this morning from the Chandler home, to take a peek at the city.
JASPER YOAKAM, who lives on his ranch near Coquille, was here today looking after some business matters.
THOMAS PATTERSON left on the morning train for Portland where he will enter a business college for a course this winter.
SWAN BENSON came in yesterday from Portland to look after the progress of work on the Hauser & Hauser contract near Lakeside.
J. T. HARRIGAN, V. F. Ebbeka and H. P. Russell returned home last evening from Coquille where they were called on grand jury duty.
JUDGE HALL, head of the I. O. O. F. lodge in Oregon, left via Roseburg this morning for Astoria, where he is due tomorrow evening.
SOL ISRAEL was a passenger on the morning train to the Valley, where he is looking after his trade, and will see that no one goes bareheaded this winter.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY LILJEQVIST left today for Salem where he will attend a meeting of the district attorneys of Oregon to ascertain the full significance of the dry law that goes into effect two weeks from today.

USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY

Buy your Christmas Gifts at the J. C. PENNEY COMPANY STORE and save from 25 to 33 1-3 per cent on your holiday gifts. Necktie and Silk Handkerchief, in neat holiday box.
\$1.25 value. Our price 90c
Necktie and Sox, put in a pretty Holiday box.
\$1.50 value. Our price 98c
Necktie, Sox and Safety Razor. Put up in neat holiday box 98c
Silk Sox, Silk Tie, Silk Handkerchiefs and picture framed.
\$2.00 value. Our price \$1.25
Gold filled knife and Silk Tie, \$2.50 value. Our price . . . \$1.40
President Suspenders, put up in neat holiday boxes, 50c value. Our price 30c
Men's Cuff Links. Worth double the price 25c, 30c, 40c
Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 25c; our price 15c
Napkins of all kinds.
Cotton Napkins, all hemmed, ready for use, per dozen 40c
Better ones, also larger. \$1.25 per doz., our price, dozen . . . 98c
Linen Napkins, worth at the least one-third more.
Per set of six \$1.98, \$1.40, \$1.25, 98c
Ladies' Silk Hose, 75c value. Our price 45c
Ladies' wool hose, 25c value. Our price 19c
Ladies' fine wool hose, 35c value. Our price 25c
Ladies' house slippers at a saving of from 25c to 50c on the pair \$1.45, 98c, 49c
Children's felt slippers 98c, 89c, 79c, 59c, 49c

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It means a saving of money to you and will give you an idea of the number of things we carry in stock, and also our prices.
Come in and get one, or ask us to send it to you.

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THE WINNING NUMBER THIS WEEK ON DOLL IS 6378

We have many good values in Cut Glass and China; genuine cut-glass water set
Six glasses \$.90
One Jug15

COME IN AND LOOK OVER OUR STOCK
Burpee's 5-10-15 Cent Store

CLASSIFIED ADS

NEW TODAY

MISS JOSIE THOM, of Myrtle Point, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital, is reported to be doing nicely.
Mrs. Fletcher, who has been quite ill at her home on South Broadway, is reported improving.
Miss Agnes Burke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Burke, of Ferndale, who underwent an operation for throat trouble at Mercy Hospital yesterday, is reported improved today.
Walter Hill, of the engine room at the C. A. Smith mill, is reported improved today at his home on Hall avenue.
W. J. Brown, of the Palace Restaurant, is recovering after a severe attack of la grippe.
Amil Matson of the C. A. Smith mill is laid up with a bad gash in his finger, sustained by coming in contact with a saw. The bones were not injured.
Joe Williams, the Libby miner, who fell from the trestle sometime Monday night while on his way home, is somewhat better today, though he is severely injured internally. He had one ear almost torn off.
Wayne Harris, the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Harris, is some better today. He is suffering from pneumonia and heart trouble.
J. M. Wright, who has been ill with an attack of the grippe, was able to go up to Powers yesterday.

Is Coming Back.—R. Von Shipman, who put Budden Park on the market, writes the Chamber of Commerce from Spokane asking for more Coos Bay literature. He says he is coming back in a month.

WANTED—Nurse girl. Mrs. Harry Nasburg.

FOR SALE—Fine ranch of fifty acres bottom land and some bench on the North Fork of the Stuslaw River, 5 1-2 miles from Florence. Extra good bargain if sold before January 15, 1916. Address J. H. Box 25, Florence, Oregon.

FOR SALE—Thirty foot gasoline launch, cheap. Engine Lloyd hotel.

FOR SALE—One choice lot in First Addition. Enquire at Times office.

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five room furnished house, with yard. No children. Address "Y," care Times.

FOR RENT—Apt. close in, 3rd and Anderson. Dr. Leslie.

WANTED—Strong woman to care for invalid lady. Phone 1474, North Bend.

A PRETTY NEW \$35.00 party dress for reasonable offer. Youthful and stylish. Address "Z," care Times.

FOR RENT—Furnished flat, hot and cold water, bath. 853 Third St.

FOR RENT—Nice modern 5 room cottage on Ninth St. Apply E. A. Anderson, 604 So. 9th St. or Phone 252-L.

FOR RENT—Eleven-room house, 451 Commercial ave. Apply 159 Fourth street.

MANY REGISTER
Children Interested in the Savings Account Contest
Up to date 165 school children have registered in the First National Bank savings account contest. It will be open to registry for the rest of the week and tomorrow in the bank the Christmas tree will be on exhibition for the children to see. The tree will remain for the rest of the week.

The exports of shingles from the United States in 1914 were approximately 47 million, valued at \$112,463, and the imports were about 895 million, valued at nearly 3,000,000 dollars. Canada received more than 72 per cent of the exports and was the source of about 98 per cent of the imports.

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