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RESORT INFORMATION

HUNDREDS of people who come to this part of the state on the railroad this summer will make the trip with the idea of visiting the resort places of which there are so many and such great variety in Coos county. There should at once be provided means to inform the visitors just what there is to see here and how to see it. The Chamber of Commerce should gather the information and print a small pamphlet telling visitors just where they can go. There are beautiful roads for auto travel, lakes and rivers for fishing, boating; beaches, mountains, hunting, deep sea fishing, camping places and everything in the resort line that one could ask for. The right way to prepare such an information circular would be to line out the different side trips that can be taken from Coos Bay, tell the exact cost of travel, the time it takes to go and exactly what accommodations can be secured. To do this properly the committee or individual having the matter in charge should ascertain the many places where visitors and tourists can be accommodated, the extent of the accommodations which can be furnished, the rates charged, the names and addresses of guides where they are needed such as hunting trips far back in the mountains, and give briefly all the information on this subject that a visitor would want to know. Besides the hotels, which are more or less limited right now, there are dozens of beautiful little trips which can be made and many places where the people are willing to give accommodations to a few visitors. All this should be carefully gleaned and properly prepared and put in pamphlet form and then let the printed matter be freely distributed in the hotels and places where it would be accessible. Such information should not include only the places around Coos Bay but the whole country, including the Bandon beaches, the resorts of Curry county, and the places north of us. Moreover those who are likely to come in contact with visitors should familiarize themselves with these facts and be able to tell people when they ask. It must be remembered that we have no big summer resort hotels yet and the visitors must be told where to go if they are to enjoy the full benefits of the great resorts of this section. This is a matter which should not merely be discussed but information of this character should be gathered at once and put in printed form to meet the demand of the tourists which are sure to come here this summer.

NEWS OF OREGON

INDEPENDENCE — Miss Almeda Fuller, a teacher is candidate for superintendent of the Polk county schools.

PORTLAND — Fourteen Chinese are fined for gambling, conducting a lottery and violating the opium laws.

ROSEBURG — Rev. Paul J. Lax has resigned as pastor of the First Presbyterian church to take effect April 30 and will go to Lindley, Cal., to accept a call.

ASTORIA — The Charles R. McCormick Co. has closed a contract for the building of two vessels at Wilson Bros.' ship yard.

ROSEBURG — H. Van Akon, of Whitfish, Montana, is planning to raise an oddie in Douglas county for the city trade.

ALBANY — The large farm house belonging to Mrs. John McBride was destroyed by fire.

SEASIDE — Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilton celebrated their golden wedding at the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. C. Peterson.

OREGON CITY — Twenty skeletons believed to be those of Indians, were uncovered when an excavation was being made for a basement.

PENDLETON — The old time Indians of the Umatilla reservation held a potlash to divide the personal effects of a deceased tribe member.

HOOD RIVER — An organization has been completed to irrigate 800 acres of developed orchard land.

WITH THE TEA AND THE TOAST

GOOD EVENING

I hope that mankind will at length have reason and sense enough to settle their differences without cutting throats; for, in my opinion, there never was a good war nor a bad peace. What vast additions to the conveniences and comforts of living might mankind have acquired, if the money spent in wars had been employed in works of public utility!—Benjamin Franklin, on conclusion of peace with England in 1783.

STAR DREAMS

I So pure, so ineffably bright, So friendly, so benign In the holy silence of night, The stars upon us shine. II That sometimes I dream when I see Their glory on me shed, That the stars God's heaven must be, Where the souls of our dead III In lands of light-living may still Look on us from above And commune with our souls at will, Love's deathless power to prove; IV A sense felt within us, a thrill, Tells us that they are near, Having come—for they love us still— Down from their starry sphere. V My soul, when dream-haunted at night, Wanders from star to star And seeks the one within whose light I dream my loved ones are. —Selected. A fashion paper says Easter hats will be simply trimmed. Huh—So will father. There are some Coos Bay people so suspicious that if you would run a silver in your finger, they would accuse you of trying to steal a board walk. You can't keep a good thermometer down—or up. The trouble of being a breadwinner is that you are also expected to bring home cake. Once a month mother will serve father his breakfast with a smile, and she will insist on straightening his tie and brushing the back of his coat, and she is in such good humor that father can't understand it until he happens to remember that it is the tenth of the month and that the tenth is pay day. The world has a kind of sneaking admiration for the man who goes wrong and takes his medicine in a manly way. But it always wants to take the swift kick at the nupt which that he was "led into temptation." The divorce records prove that love at first sight isn't love by a darn sight. Don't squeal. Just look around you and you will see some poor devil whose lot in life makes yours look like a morris chair on Easy street. QUESTION FOR THE DAY Why is it that the bright kid the proud father is always telling you about always has an off day when you meet it? If they ever invent an automobile that will run on hot air there are some Coos Bay speed spugs in this country who will never have to purchase any fuel. Men are good promisers. Lots of Coos Bay women who have been married for ten years are still waiting for the pianos they were to get as soon as the honeymoon was ended. Everybody believes in doing right, but ideas of right are different, and it is so hard to live up to your convictions unless Alf. Johnson holds the keys. The office sometimes seeks the man but it is not so persistent about it as the bill collector. Watch out for the orator who starts by telling you he has nothing to say. He may be right. PENDLETON — The grand jury has returned seven indictments, one of which is for murder. SALEM — Of the 212 accidents for the week in the state reported to the labor commissioner four were fatal. The convenience and profit of Times Want Ads will be demonstrated by a trial.

Coos Bayites in San Francisco

(Special correspondence by mail)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—P. L. Phelan of Myrtle Point is spending a few weeks here conferring with some lumber companies regarding some projects he has for the lumber industry in Coos county. He was figuring on the old Courtney mill when Hugh McLain got his first option and had financed the proposition so that he would have been able to remodel the plant and put in a re-saw. The principal trouble that he encounters, he says is arrangements for shipping. Vessels are very scarce and the charter rate almost prohibitive. However the price of lumber is still advancing and the common grades that were selling a short time ago at \$12 per thousand are now said to be going readily at \$18.

Eye to Sell Lumber Joseph Eyfe, now managing owner of the Estabrook company was to have had the sales and shipping management of the Courtney mill had McLain secured it. Mr. Estabrook has retired, entirely from the Estabrook company. Mr. Eyfe had not been advised of the annulment of McLain's option on the Courtney mill and was a little perturbed over not being advised regarding it as he had been planning to take care of it.

Many From Coos Bay Archie Johnson, formerly Coos Bay representative of the Pacific Hardware & Steel Company, is now engaged in the real estate business, having the Berkeley office of a company in which he is interested. He has transferred from the Marshfield Elks Lodge to the Berkeley lodge. He has been taking some strenuous exercise to reduce his weight and has succeeded to a degree that would make some of his friends smile if they could see him now. He is doing well.

Lowell Owen of Marshfield is another of the Coos Bay contingent in San Francisco and is taking life easy here.

James Aiken, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Aiken, is now in the U. S. navy, serving in the Mare Island yards here.

Cornell Lagerstrom, formerly in charge of the reforestation department of the C. A. Smith company at Marshfield, is now engaged in the automobile business in San Francisco, specializing on the sale of auto trucks. He is said to be doing well.

Alton Sengstacken has retired

HOW TO MAKE MARSHFIELD BEAUTIFUL By Katherine Barry

EVERYBODY likes to be able to boast of his town, but the people of Marshfield will have to make a few improvements in order to be able to boast of their town. Quite a few of the old buildings could be torn down and some of them could be painted. Some of the sloughs which are of no use could be drained. If the people would clean up their yards and keep the sidewalk in front of their house clean, this would add to Marshfield's appearance. In many other places shrubs, flowers and trees are planted in the space between the sidewalk and the street. We might do that here also.

An amusement park could be made on one of the places where the dredge has filled in, and grass and flowers be planted and seats, swings and other things be put in it. A ball park and a tennis court would be great improvements. Many of the vacant lots could be cleaned up and, if there is none, grass could be sown.

The streets could be kept cleaner and in better repair, and people be made to put paper and peelings into the garbage cans. More lights in some of the streets would be an improvement. The waterfront should be cleaned up as strangers see this part of the city first. The sidewalks should be repaired. Trim your lawns and hedges. A clean, beautiful city attracts people.

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from the St. Regis hotel, where he was cashier for J. E. Schilling for about a year. He told friends that he expected to get about \$5,000 from the estate of his grandmother, Mrs. Lockhart of Marshfield. He said that he and his sister, Miss Genevieve Sengstacken of Marshfield, would receive the portion of the estate that would have gone to their mother, now deceased.

Schilling Has Hotel J. E. Schilling is still in charge of the St. Regis Hotel but he says business is not what it should be. It has been picking up recently but is not even now in the dividend paying stage. Rentals have been reduced considerably in San Francisco since the Exposition closed and he is now paying \$925 per month for the St. Regis instead of \$1250 which he paid during the Exposition. He and Mrs. Schilling are both doing well. Joe Schilling, Jr., is now working for his brother-in-law, Ray B. Dement, on the latter's ranch near Myrtle Point.

E. A. Becket formerly of Coquille has been spending the last two or three months at the St. Regis but has not engaged in any business so far.

August Elekworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Elekworth of Marshfield, is in charge of the nightshift of the San Francisco Bulletin composing room, a \$35 per week position. He is a member of the scale committee of the San Francisco Typographical Union which is drafting a new scale of wages. At present, linotype operators receive \$29 per week for the day shift and \$31 per week for the night shift in San Francisco but they want more, claiming that the cost of living has advanced more than twenty per cent in the last year. Mr. Elekworth and wife and baby are planning to visit Marshfield this summer, probably about the time of the railroad celebration.

C. H. Freeman who gained much notoriety in Coos county, especially at Coquille and Bandon during the Treadgold Simpson-Coach embroigito, as the alleged press agent of Detective Mitchell of Portland, has landed a pretty good job here. He is manager of the San Francisco office of the International News Service and has his name so emblazoned on the door of the agency's office in the Examiner building. He has been with them since last November, and handles the night report for them.

TIME TABLE WILLAMETTE PACIFIC MOTOR CAR Leave Marshfield 6:45 a.m., 7:45 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:50 p.m., 1:45 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 3:45 p.m., 5:00 p.m., 5:40 p.m., 6:55 p.m., 7:30 p.m. Leave North Bend 7:00 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 2:00 p.m., 3:00 p.m., 4:00 p.m., 5:15 p.m., 5:55 p.m., 7:45 p.m.

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