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## Today's North Bend News

### NORTH BEND MEN HAVE THREE CORNERED FIGHT

Two Are Arrested and Fined for Trouble in Pool Hall Last Night

Three of North Bend's citizens, "Happy" Burgess, Bennie Platt, and Frank Mostellar were engaged in a fracas in Pitney's pool hall last night. It is alleged that Mostellar was talking at the telephone when Platt struck him and that Burgess then also entered into the fight to assist Platt. Both Mostellar and Platt were quite badly pounded and Mostellar found it necessary to visit a surgeon to have his wounds dressed. Burgess and Platt were arrested and taken before City Recorder Maybee. Burgess was fined \$15 and Platt \$20.

### NORTH BEND NOTES

Rev. Father McDevitt was a visitor from Marshfield yesterday afternoon. Geo. Helgley came in on yesterday's train from Astoria, Oregon. Wm. Woods was an arrival on the afternoon train yesterday from Orville, Washington. The Str. Breakwater due Saturday morning will bring freight for North Bend. Attorney A. K. Peck, of Marshfield, was in town yesterday in the interest of his campaign for the legislature. John C. Kendall, his opponent was in town last evening.

### JAIL DESERTED

Only Two Arrests for Drunkenness Since the First  
Chief of Police Anderson reports that only two arrests have been made since the first of the year for drunkenness.

### AT MERCY HOSPITAL

Mrs. E. Drews of Marshfield was operated on yesterday and is doing fine. Mrs. Robinson of Riverton was operated on yesterday morning. She is doing nicely.

### BROKE COUNTY RECORD

Evan Hodson of the North Bend high school, now holds the record for the 440 yard run in this county. He beat the former record by three-fifths of a second at the last track meet.

### PILING DELIVERED

The piling was delivered today for the rebuilding of the wharf at the old town mill and the work of driving the piles will start tomorrow. It is said.

### AUDITING BOOKS

Expert W. H. Wann has started in auditing the city books of North Bend.

## EXPLAINS POSITION

P. M. TULLY TELLS OF MATRIMONIAL ENTANGLEMENT

Does Not Assume Any Blame Himself Nor Does He Blame First Wife—Was Misunderstanding

Since the publication of the story regarding Mrs. P. M. Tully of this city being destitute in Boston where her uncle refused her aid, P. M. Tully has made a statement regarding the matter. He says that he married Mollie E. McCarthy at Duluth, Minn., in 1897, and they lived together for a number of years but were unable to agree and separated and lived apart for several years. He says he supported his wife and their daughter during that time and sent them to Mexico City for the daughter's health. They came back and located in Los Angeles in 1906 and the husband was still contributing the whole support. Mr. Tully says terms of settlement were made which provided for the daughter, Irene, who is now 18 to go to a convent.

### Divorce Arranged

Mr. Tully explained in detail how a divorce was arranged and he left Los Angeles with the understanding it would be put through court and go by default. In another year Mr. Tully learned that his first wife was married again, this time to Martin Schroeder.

Later Mr. Tully went to Los Angeles and there met the present Mrs. Tully, who was Alice Wood, and married her. The couple came to Coos Bay but the present Mrs. Tully was not satisfied with the place. He expected to go somewhere else when he could dispose of property interests here.

### Learn of Mistake

The second Mrs. Tully went to Los Angeles to her mother's funeral and there called upon the first wife whom she had formerly known. Mr. Tully stated he was dumbfounded when last February he received a letter from his first wife. It related that her husband had died and that she was seeking the records for the divorce to establish her right as heir to her second husband. Investigation proved that the first Mrs. Tully had never appeared in court and the divorce was not granted. Mr. Tully stated that he understood she thought her lawyer had attended to the matter and that she need not take any further steps after having paid him a fee.

### Makes Trip East

The present wife wanted to get away from Coos Bay before the situation became generally known. She asked for money to get to her uncle, William Wood, in hopes of securing from him sufficient funds to tide them over until the Coos Bay property could be sold, but Mr. Tully states that he told his wife she did not want any of Wood's money and he did not encourage her to go. Finally she stated that she had borrowed sufficient funds to go to her uncle and was going whether her husband wanted her to or not, and he stated he had to let her go.

### Was Turned Away

Mr. Tully said he had received several letters from his wife but none telling of the present predicament. The wife told of her uncle turning her away from his home. Mr. Tully understood he was displeased with her marriage and cut off the allowance he had previously given her. Mr. Tully does not take any blame himself nor does he blame his first wife. He says they both thought they had been divorced. He admits the predicament is a bad one but that steps will be taken as soon as possible to relieve himself and his first wife of matrimonial bonds and straighten the matter out legally. He suggests that the present Mrs. Tully will probably come to Los Angeles to reside. He stated that his first wife had not made any attempt to make matters worse, and that his concern now is to straighten the matter out for his present family.

### HEARING POSTPONED

The hearing of T. F. Fiesburg, arrested on a charge of drunkenness by Chief Carter, has been postponed until Saturday.

### SUBSCRIBERS NOTICE

The Times carrier boys are instructed to put the papers on the porch. If the carrier does not do this, misses you, or neglects getting the paper to you on time, kindly phone the circulation manager, as this is the only way we can determine whether or not the carriers are following instructions. Phone 133.

## SPORT NEWS

### BASE BALL SCORES

#### PORTLAND BEAVERS TAKE SECOND GAME IN SUCCESSION

McCredie's Cohorts Exhibiting "Come Back" Spirit Enough to Shame Jim Jeffries

PERCENTAGES OF COAST LEAGUE	W. L. Pct.
Vernon	.26 18 .591
San Francisco	.26 18 .591
Los Angeles	.20 19 .513
Oakland	.19 25 .432
Salt Lake	.15 20 .429
Portland	.14 19 .424

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]

SALT LAKE, May 18.—Has Portland taken a boost? It seems like it. The Beavers won a game on Tuesday and did it again yesterday. The scores of yesterday follow:  
At Salt Lake R H E  
Portland . . . . .12 18 3  
Salt Lake . . . . .10 16 4  
Honek and Higginbotham and Fisher, Warhop, Chabek and Hannah.

At Vernon R H E  
Oakland . . . . .7 8 1  
Vernon . . . . .0 3 0  
Prough and Griffith; Arralanes, Quinn and Whaling, Spencer.  
At San Francisco R H E  
Los Angeles . . . . .5 8 3  
San Francisco . . . . .6 13 0  
Standridge, Hogg and Bassler, Steen, Fanning and Sepulveda.

### BIG LEAGUES

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.]  
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—It was Washington's Day again yesterday and they took the second of the series from Detroit, 6 to 4.  
The scores of yesterday follow:  
National League  
At Chicago:  
Brooklyn . . . . .2  
Chicago . . . . .7  
At St. Louis:  
New York . . . . .9  
St. Louis . . . . .3  
At Cincinnati:  
Boston . . . . .7  
Cincinnati . . . . .1  
At Pittsburgh:  
Philadelphia-Pittsburg, cold.

### American League

At Boston:  
Chicago-Boston, rain.  
At Philadelphia:  
St. Louis . . . . .7  
Philadelphia . . . . .4  
At Washington:  
Detroit . . . . .4  
Washington . . . . .6  
At New York:  
Cleveland-New York, wet grounds.

## WILL BE NO CINCH

### MARSHFIELD TRACK TEAM HAS HARD FIGHT ON SATURDAY

Athletes of County to Meet in Myrtle Point—Coach Niles Not Very Optimistic

Coach Royal Niles of the high school track team is making no optimistic remarks these days regarding the prospect of his team in the county meet to be held in Myrtle Point on Saturday.

He says that so far he is unable to figure out how his men will win the meet, but adds, "they're going to give the rest a good run for their money."  
On the team for the various events will be Merchant, Kramer, McDonald, Bonebrake, Bolt, Frans, Seaman and Back.

Considerable interest is being evidenced among the athletes of the county in this meet. Last year's and the year before Marshfield won easily, but since that time has lost some of her most valuable point winners.  
All to Take Part  
All the high schools of the county, Marshfield, North Bend, Bandon, Myrtle Point, Coquille and Coos River will be represented.

The scheduled track events are 50 yard dash; 100 yard dash; 220 yard hurdles; 220 yard run; 440 yard run; 880 yard run; relay race and one mile run.  
Field events are—High jump, broad jump, pole vault, javin throw, shot put, and discus throw.  
All the high schools of the county have put forth a great effort in order to make the meet a success.  
Some time ago the Coquille high school defeated the other valley towns in a triangular meet. This leads some of the athletes to believe that the county championship practically lies between Coquille, Marshfield or North Bend.  
The championship track meet is

## IS LEFT FORTUNE

E. L. HOOPER, FORMER DRUG SALESMAN, IS NOW RICH

Father in New Zealand Died, Leaving an Estate—Hooper Left Here Last November

Through the death of his father in New Zealand an estate of \$135,000 has reverted to E. L. Hooper, former Coos county salesman for the Eli Lilly company of San Francisco. Mr. Hooper left here in December going to New Zealand with the intention of going to the front with the New Zealand troops.

D. I. McGee has just received a letter from him stating he is still at home and getting along very nicely. He makes no mention now of being a soldier.

It is stated through friends here today that had he not returned there for military duty his portion of the estate would have gone to the crown.

### Was In Reserves

Mr. Hooper was formerly a reserve lieutenant in the reserve troops at his home. It is possible that he has been detained from going to the front, through the sickness and subsequent death of his father.

He was very well known in this territory, having at one time represented his company through the northern part of Oregon as well as in this section.

J. Lee Brown, of the Brown Drug Company, received a card from Hooper a few days ago saying he was training hard and expected to get away with the troops within a very short time.

## J. H. BOOTH SEES GOOD TIMES AHEAD

### Roseburg Banker Back From East and Says Prosperity Is Coming to the Coast

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 17.—Great prosperity for the Pacific coast country is predicted by J. H. Booth the Roseburg banker who is just back from the east. He says:

"In New York I found business conditions above the high water mark," said Mr. Booth, "while in other Eastern cities I discovered an air of optimism prevailing. The working people of the east and middle west are busy, and high wages are being paid in all lines of industry. The munition factories cannot fill their orders at the present time, and factories that have been idle for years are now working at full time. From conferences I had with eastern bankers, I am satisfied that more money is now in circulation throughout the east than for several years. The railroad yards of New York City are congested with foreign consignments of American made goods, while the other great terminals of the east show similar activity. Railroad officials, bankers and men engaged in other important lines of industry claim they never before experienced such good times as at present.

"In the middle west I also found business conditions on a sound footing. From a careful survey of conditions in the east and middle west, I am confident more than ever that the Pacific coast is soon to enjoy an era of prosperity unprecedented in its history."

### OFFERED GOOD PRICES

#### Roseburg Wool Buyers Are Holding for More Money

In regard to the wool market the Roseburg Review says:  
Wool buyers in Roseburg offered 35 cents a pound. Owing to the continued tendency of the price to climb however, the sellers are apparently holding their stock for later rises. Little wool has been sold, and it is believed that most of the spring clip will be held with the hope of securing as much as 40 cents a pound. Should their hopes be realized, the wool men of Douglas county will probably receive the greatest returns in their experience.

The buyers say that the shearing has not progressed as rapidly as usual this year on account of the price and bulk of the clip will doubtless hold for development in the next week or two. The activities of the buyers in the cities along the coast as well as in the east has led to the feeling that the prices will remain high. Some wool sold in Roseburg Saturday for 35 cents, while 36 cents was the price offered today.

The last event of note of the school year and it is believed a large crowd from the various towns of Coos county will attend.

SCROONER TILLAMOOK PORTLAND AND COOS BAY SAILS FROM PORTLAND EVERY TUESDAY FOR INFORMATION PHONE 278 TOM JAMES, Agt., Ocean Dock

## The Sun Kissed Waters of Coos Bay

(Dedicated to Capt. George Smith, of the Coos River Transportation Company's Boat "Rainbow") (Copyright Applied For)

"When you've wandered around the world,  
'Till you're travel stained and sore,  
And there is nothing that just suits you,  
And with friends you are a bore,  
Why we just invite you down here,  
To the land of God's great store house,  
And the sun-kissed waters of the Coos

Come with us and play on Coos Bay,  
In a boat, with the salt spume,  
Dashing, swirling, playing past you,  
Silver'd tuning forks of statuted joy,  
Gulls just resting, tide is full to flowing  
And you just can't help deciding  
On the sun-kissed waters of the Coos,  
What's the use of living for naught,

When the tide and time are set,  
They just await your pleasure,  
Always going out to bring you in,  
It don't take great wealth to live here  
Only just four walls, a roof, a prayer,  
And the sun-kissed waters of the Coos.

Well, we've landed on the quay there,  
Like God's own beauty that in Portland grows,  
Oh, we're hungry, yes, and famished,  
But there's a satisfying portion, Preston,  
At the Chandler and the Dew Drop Inn,  
So I just write to you, Edith, Phyllis, Joy and Jim,  
And the sun-kissed waters of the Coos,  
Sincerely, as ever,  
GEO. B. PRESTON,  
Marshfield, Oregon

## SOCIAL CALENDAR

- Thursday
- Eastside Social Club with Mrs. J. Swanson.
- A. N. W. Club with Mrs. Annie Tower.
- Dahlia Club with Mrs. C. O. Gosney in Englewood.
- North Bend Episcopal Guild with Mrs. I. B. Bartle.
- Genera Club with Mrs. Henry Ross.
- Rainbow Club meeting at Club house on South Fork of Coos River.
- North Bend Junior Club with Inez Kjelland.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF IMPROVEMENT BONDS

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the Finance Committee of the Common Council of the City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, at the office of the City Recorder of said City of Marshfield, in the City Hall of said city until eight o'clock p. m. Monday, the 29th day of May, 1916, for the purchase of street improvement bonds of the said City of Marshfield, Coos County, Oregon, to the amount of \$259,04.

All of said improvement bonds to be in denominations not exceeding \$500.00 and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date thereof, payable semi-annually, said bonds to be dated the day of issuance and to mature in ten years thereafter, with prepayment option thereon at face value and accrued interest to date of any semi-annual coupon period at or after one year from the date of said bonds upon giving notice by publication in a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Coos County, Oregon, such notice to be published not less than once each week for three successive weeks during the month preceding such semi-annual period at which such prepayment thereof will be made. The right is expressly reserved to reject any and all bids and upon all or any of such bids or proposals rejected, if there should remain any bonds unsold the said bonds may be thereafter sold at private sale by said Common Council of said City of Marshfield, Oregon, but in no event to be sold at less than par and accrued interest. Said bonds are authorized by the laws of the State of Oregon, and Ordinances of the City of Marshfield, Oregon.

Assessed valuation of said City of Marshfield, Oregon, is \$2,920,139.00. Bonded indebtedness is \$54,000.00. Population estimated 4,500. A certified check of five per cent of amount of bid or proposal must accompany each bid to be forfeited to said City of Marshfield, in case bid is accepted and bidder fails to accept and make payment for said bond or bonds covered thereby within

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