

### ATTY. GRAVES IS SUSPENDED

Participation in Deportation of I. W. W. Agitators last Year Costs Marshfieldite Three Months Practice.

### SUPREME JUSTICE SCORES "MOB RULE"

Act Might Be Excused in Case of Private Citizen but Lawyer is Bound to Uphold Law, Says Judge.

Now comes the echo of the I. W. W. deportations from Coos County over a year ago. A decision of the Supreme Court handed down on December 1, written by Chief Justice McBride, disbars Robert O. Graves, an attorney of Marshfield, from practice for a period of three months, for participating in the deportation of J. W. Edgeworth, Wesley Everett and Fred Roberts.

The three men in question were alleged to have been agitating a strike in the mills and woods around Coos Bay during the Spring of 1913, and on June 25, of that year, a gathering of Marshfield citizens took the matter into their own hands and deported the men. Attorney Graves was said to be one of the leaders in the movement.

In rendering the opinion Justice McBride stated that while a private citizen might be excused for taking the law into his own hands, an attorney could not be excused.

Contrary to the charges made at the time of the deportation the Court finds that there was no violence used in escorting the men out of the county.

"While the conduct of the men deported was probably insulting to the feelings of the community and their denunciations of the Government and the flag calculated to provoke decent citizens to wrath and to invite breaches of the peace, this furnishes no legal justification for the course pursued towards them," reads the opinion of the Supreme Justice.

The charges against the attorney were made by C. H. McLaughlin of Marshfield.

Marshfield citizens and business men are highly indignant over the action of the Supreme Court, although Mr. Graves took the matter calmly and said that he would abide strictly to the decision of the Court. The general feeling on the Bay is that Mr. Graves was no more the leader in the affair than were several others and that he is being unjustly punished.

Prof. Richards, who came over from the Bay yesterday made the following statement: "I witnessed the whole affair of the deportation of the three agitators. The lecture given by the three men just before they were escorted to the boat, was delivered in the street directly below the window of my studio, and while Mr. Graves made the talk, he was no more the leader of the mob than anyone else."

### SAYS PORT WILL WIN CASE IN SUPREME COURT

G. T. Treadgold returned yesterday from Salem, where he appeared for the Port of Bandon before the Supreme Court in the case of the State vs. Port of Bandon.

The case was brought by District Attorney Liljeqvist to test the legality of the port and in the Circuit Court before Judge John S. Coke, the Port was sustained, after which it was appealed to the Supreme Court, where it was tried out last Monday. Mr. Liljeqvist appeared for the State. Mr. Treadgold stated yesterday that it would be probably 30 days or more before the decision of the Court will be handed down.

### SCANDAL PRINCIPALS WEDDED

Ruby Simpson and "Pud" Nosler Are United After Girls Are Released by the Prosecuting Officials.

### FATHER OF GIRL IRATE OVER BAN

Marriage Will Have Little Effect on the Coach Case Says Attorney Treadgold When Informed.

Miss Ruby Simpson, claimed by both parties in the sensational Coach Treadgold affair to be their star witness, and B. T. "Pud" Nosler, one of the detectives arrested in Salem last week in company with Ruby and Lolita and charged with attempting to kidnap the witnesses, were married in Coquille yesterday.

Nosler and Mitchell, who were released on bonds of \$1500 in Roseburg the day after their arrest, were on their way to North Bend, where their hearing is on today. At the time he was arrested Nosler said he was engaged to Miss Simpson and that they were on their way to Portland to be married and that the girls were accompanying him of their own free will.

"Yes, it is true that Ruby married that degenerate," said Miles A. Simpson, the father of the girl, last evening. Mr. Simpson left on the early boat this morning for North Bend, where he will be the chief witness for the State in the hearing of Mitchell and Nosler before Judge Shuster, this afternoon.

"The marriage of Nosler and Miss Simpson will have no effect on the charges which will be preferred against Coach and those implicated with him except that it will eliminate the testimony of Miss Simpson against Nosler," said Attorney Treadgold this morning. "A woman cannot be forced to testify against her husband in a case like this"

### SPARRING MATCHES COME HIGH IN CITY'S COURT

Use of Bandon's newly paved street as a ring for pugilistic encounters proved to be rather an expensive undertaking for M. C. Mallory, who with Martin Kennedy, staged a brief fistie encounter on First Street Thursday evening.

"Ten dollars," said Municipal Judge Kausrud after Mallory had pleaded guilty this morning to being a principal in the contest.

Kennedy was indisposed and did not appear to give an explanation today.

### Mill Not to Open Yet.

Contrary to the report that has been circulated around town during the last few days, that the Moore Lumber Company would reopen the Bandon plant on or before the first of February, is the statement made this morning by S. E. Pearce, manager of the local plant.

"We have steam up today, but that is as near as we will come to opening the mill until the lumber market is in much better shape. No date has been set for the resumption of operations.

Opening of the Lyons & Johnson mill is also dependent on the condition of the lumber market.

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved father, and especially to Capt. Johnson and Mr. E. M. Gallier.

PATRICK MCGINITY,  
JOHN MCGINITY,  
BARNEY MCGINITY,  
MARY MCGINITY,  
SUSIE MCGINITY.

### WAR TAX TOOK EFFECT DEC. 1

Most All Legal Documents, Including the Protest of Checks, Must Bear Stamp of 1c or More.

### TELEGRAPH AND PHONE CALLS PAY

Station Be On Sale at Local Banks Within a Few Days and Must Be Used in Business Transactions.

On December 1st the new war tax law passed by the recent session of Congress, went into effect, and some of the papers and documents mostly used in the transaction of business that must bear stamps follow. Among them are: Promissory Notes, 2c for each \$100; Bills of Lading or Express, 1c on each bill of lading or express receipt; Deeds of Real Estate, 50c for each \$500 value; Insurance, one-half of 1c on each \$1.00 of premium charged; Proxies or Voting Powers, 10c; Transfer of Stock Certificates, 2c per \$100 value; Power of Attorney (ordinary) 10c; Power of Attorney for Conveyance of Real Estate, Collection of Rents, Dividends, etc., 25c; Protest on Notes, Checks, Etc., 25c; Telegraph or Telephone Messages when charge exceeds 15c a tax of 1c on each message; ordinary checks, drafts, etc., do not require a tax. The required stamps will be received by the local banks within the next day or two, but until they do arrive the business can be transacted just the same.

There are a number of other items covered by the war tax, such as the sale of tobacco, perfume, cosmetics and other similar articles. Also on sleeping car tickets, passage tickets to foreign ports, etc. In fact most everything that could be taxed is on the list, but those mentioned are the ones that most vitally interest the masses of the people and the ordinary business men.

### AGED CITIZEN PASSES AWAY LAST MONDAY

Neil McGinity, an aged and honored citizen of Bandon, passed away at his home on Eleventh Street West Monday, November 30th.

Mr. McGinity was born in County Donegal, Ireland, and was about 85 years old at the time of his death. He came to America when he was a small boy and settled in Pennsylvania where he engaged in coal mining for about 25 years. He moved from there to Minnesota where he lived until a few years ago when he came to Oregon. He had been a resident of Bandon for four years.

Mr. McGinity leaves three sons and two daughters: John, Barney, Mary and Susie all of Bandon, and Pat McGinity of Arago. His wife died ten years ago.

The funeral was conducted at the Catholic church Wednesday morning, being conducted by Rev. Father Keveny, and interment made in the Catholic cemetery.

The bereaved children will have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

### Bandon Weather Report

Capt. O. Wren, co-operative observer, reports the rainfall for the month of November as 4.30 inches; days rainy and cloudy 15; days clear 15.

The rainfall for the corresponding month of 1913 was 7.90 inches, a difference of 3.60 inches less this year. The month of November this year was finer than any previous November in many years.

Mrs. S. C. Hudson returned today from a visit with relatives at Boise, Idaho, and Salem, Oregon. Mrs. Hudson came in from Eugene to Mapleton over the new railroad and reports a fine trip.

### TREADGOLD IS NOT ALARMED

Laughs At Mitchell's Assertion That He Has Affidavit For Which Treadgold Offered \$10,000.00

### LAW ENFORCEMENT ONLY CONSIDERATION

Asserts He Will Not Appear Before Grand Jury in the Scandal Case Unless He Is Subpoenaed.

Attorney Treadgold in discussing the case of Joe Coach, J. Mitchell, Nosler and others, stated to a representative of The Recorder that he had no intention of doing anything in the matter except to see that the laws of Bandon were enforced. He said that certain parties had been instilling the idea into Mr. Coach that it was a case of "get him or he will get you," which is a wrong impression, as he has no intention of doing anything in the matter except as was stated, to see that the laws of Bandon are enforced.

Mr. Treadgold said he had prosecuted Coach for selling or giving liquor to minors and that he had been fined in the municipal court and as the case had been appealed to the circuit court he expected to carry it through that court and proceed in the same manner and to the same end as he had done in the municipal court.

So far as the scandal case is concerned he stated that he has nothing to do with that any more than to protect himself should any charges be brought against him, and he further states that he has no fear of any of the charges that may be brought as there is nothing in the whole affair that will in any way reflect upon his honor or integrity in any manner whatsoever.

As to the affidavit which Mitchell claims to have been offered \$10,000 for, Mr. Treadgold says it is a laughable affair and that he would not give \$10,000 for all the affidavits in the United States. Further than this Mr. Treadgold had nothing to say at this time, but would await developments which would probably be forthcoming soon. He also stated that he had not appeared before the grand jury against Coach and had no intention of doing so unless subpoenaed for that purpose, in which case he would of course have to go the same as any other person would.

### PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEET

Arrangements for the next meeting of the Teachers and Parents Association, to be held at 7:30 in the evening of the first Friday after New Years, were made at a meeting of the officers and teachers of the association last Wednesday. The program for the meeting has been placed in the hands of a committee composed of Harold Quigley, Miss Landroth and Mrs. J. L. Kronenberg.

A new feature to be inaugurated at this meeting will be the work of the Kindergarten Committee, which will be on hand to take care of all of the small children who are brought to the meeting. This feature has been introduced so that parents who have small children and no one to leave the month while they attend the meetings, may bring the children with them and not be bothered with the care of them while they are listening to the program.

"Bring the children and let us assume them," is the motto of the Kindergarten Committee.

"The object of the Association," said the President, Mrs. E. Lewis, "is to foster closer sympathy and cooperation between the home and the school to increase the efficiency of both and to further in every way the interests of the Bandon schools."

### OREGON AVE. BIDS OPENED

W. H. Webb Only Bidder On Contract for New Street—Bid \$20.00 Over City Engineer's Estimate.

### COUNCIL ALLOWS MONTHLY EXPENSE

Bandon Water Co. Makes Offer for Water Bonds in Order that City May Take Over Plant Jan. 1st.

Expenses of running the City of Bandon last month amounted to over \$1000 according to the bills which were allowed by the council in their regular session Wednesday evening. The bill of the Long Company, of Portland for \$500 for new fire hose was largely responsible for the unusual expense.

Bids, or rather the bid, for the improvement of Oregon Avenue was opened. W. H. Webb, the only bidder, gave his bid as follows: Excavation 19,452 yards, at 24c; sidewalks, 515 feet at 30c; Crosswalks, 574 feet, at 30c; curb and gutter, 5153 feet, at 15c; curved curb and gutter, 293 ft., at 40c; blanking, 253,264 feet at \$17 per thousand; small drain boxes, 372 ft at 24c; sidewalk (relaid) 300 feet at 20c; crosswalk (relaid) 150 feet at 35c. Total, \$11,900.12.

This bid added to the five per cent engineering fees brings the total expense up to \$12,475.00, or \$20 above the estimate of the City Engineer.

The bid was filed and the Engineer ordered to investigate the valuation of the property to be assessed for the improvement. No action was taken on the proposition of the Bandon Water Company to take over the water bonds at par value plus the accumulated interest at a bonus of some \$2400. This bid was made so that it might take over the water plant the first of the year and the city be allowed the privilege of disposing of the bonds to any better bidder any time before the first of March.

The committee appointed at the previous meeting reported that hydrants should be placed at the corners of First Street and Alabama Avenue and on Second Street and Baltimore Avenue and that sufficient money could be raised by subscription to install the two plugs. The committee was instructed to collect the subscriptions and have the hydrants installed and also to look into the matter of putting another hydrant at the corner of Third Street and Hunt Avenue.

Sitting as a board of equalization the Council declared the assessment for the First Street West sewer to be just and equitable and the assessment ordinance was passed.

### BIG SALE OF DRY GOODS STARTS OFF WITH A RUSH

The big sale of the Bandon Dry Goods Company, which opened yesterday morning, started off with a rush, regardless of the fact that Sir Jupiter Pluvius was on the rampage all day. Mr. H. A. Murphy, manager of the company, stated to The Recorder yesterday afternoon that had he known that it was going to rain constantly on the opening day he would not have started the sale on this date as he would not have expected it to be a success, but to his great surprise the sales far surpassed his expectations, as everybody who came in bought something and the rain kept the curious away, consequently taking all things together he was greatly pleased with the opening day.

Attorney G. T. Treadgold returned from Salem Wednesday evening, where he had been attending to legal matters.

### REPORT S.P. WILL BUILD

Frisco Dispatch Says Southern Pacific Will Announce Construction of Eureka-Marshfield Line Feb. 1.

### BANDON ROUTE IS THE MOST LIKELY

Seeking Better Grade for Through Trains From the North and South Probably Means New Main Line.

Indications that Bandon will be on the main line of the Southern Pacific from Portland to San Francisco inside of the next five years are materially strengthened by the following report printed in the Marshfield Record of December 1st:

"San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 1.—It is announced here on what is considered the best of authority, the Southern Pacific Railway will announce the completion of its coast road line between Marshfield and North Bend and Eureka, to be constructed commencing in the spring of 1915. Two routes, it is understood, are in consideration, one, an extension from the terminus of the Smith-Powers logging railroad, the other, from North Bend, through Empire down the coast past Bandon, about four miles east of the city, through Curry county. The statement is expected to be forthcoming before February 1st."

While the report mentions the fact that the road may be built either by the way of Bandon or south from Myrtle Point, most of the engineers who have gone over both routes, declare the road along the coast to be the most feasible. The connecting link between Coos Bay and Eureka, if built by way of this city, would mean the construction of about 150 miles of road and if the work were rushed right along, would probably be completed in close to three years time.

Should the reports that have been printed lately in the Portland and San Francisco papers prove to be correct, the construction of this link will put this city into direct communication with both of the big cities and give the people of this section of the country exceptional good service. The construction of this line by the Southern practically means that all through trains between the north and south will be run over the new line. For many years the company has been seeking to do away with the heavy grades of the valley route.

### THE INDUSTRY CONTINUES ON LARGE SCALE HERE

One industry that stays by Bandon even in the hard times and bids fair to reach larger proportions all the time is the tie making industry. The Estabrook company is getting in ties in large numbers every day and though the roads are getting muddy, still the haulers are busy all the time and every day sees the pile of ties on the dock getting larger.

The Speedwell left San Francisco yesterday and will arrive here Saturday when she will take on a big cargo of ties here and will then go to Coos Bay where she will take on a few more from the Estabrook Co.'s dock over there. W. E. Rest, who has charge of the local tie business for the Estabrook people, stated that the prospect for a continuation of large receipts of ties were very good as there are many tie makers in the woods this winter who are piling up their ties with the intention of delivering them in the Spring.

M. F. Shemmaker who is also in the tie business stated that he is taking in ties every day and the prospects are that there will be more coming in all the time. He is also expecting a much larger business in the Spring when the roads get in better condition again.