

REPORTS AND PREDICTIONS

of the Press in general throughout OUR COUNTRY

ARE: That we are soon to see the country in a more prosperous condition.

We may lack confidence to believe now, but after we are "shown" then all will be very plain.

We have been telling you, (through our local press) of some suits we are selling at a reduction.

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SIDWELL'S

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Grant Cook of Coquille was registered at the Gallier Sunday.

Prof. A. Richards returned to Marshfield Monday on the noon boat.

W. J. Sweet and family were at Coquille over Sunday visiting with relatives.

George R. Johns of Coquille was in the city on Sunday calling on friends.

Merton Lowry is out of school this week with a slight attack of the mumps.

nose and throat specialist will be at Hotel Gallier Friday, January 22nd. (Glasen noted.)

E. W. Fahy, of Bullards, left Friday on a business trip to Portland, going by the way of Marshfield.

W. W. Elnot left this morning for North Bend where he will have charge of the plowers in one of the bog mits.

Geo. A. Larson, of the Marshall, Wells Hardware Company, was in the city yesterday, calling on the local hardware men.

Geo. P. Laird expects to start in a few days for trip to San Francisco and may go on down to Florida before he returns.

Wm. Hoshins of Tillamook, arrived in the city Saturday for a visit with his son C. H. Hoshins and wife who live down the coast.

E. W. Schetter, manager of the Bandon Warehouse company, returned on the Elizabeth from San Francisco where he had been looking after business affairs.

J. S. Sawyer, City Engineer, has moved from the Littlefield house on Garfield Avenue, to the house formerly occupied by Rev. Hartranft, on Franklin Avenue.

Tommy Atkins, special agent of the Northern Insurance Co., arrived in the city yesterday from Roseburg to look after business for his company for a couple of days.

H. B. Tucker was in from his four-mile ranch Friday and Saturday and made the Recorder office a pleasant call. Mr. Tucker who is an ex-Confederate soldier and Gettysburg veteran is 75 years old still hale and hearty and enjoys life to the fullest extent.

F. R. Cornel of San Francisco, member of the U. S. navy an inspector of wireless stations came in on the Speedwell and went down to Cape Blanco Monday to inspect the government station there. He was accompanied by W. W. Duke, also a member of the navy.

George Bradford of the Municipal Mining company arrived on the Speedwell from San Francisco and will start work at the black sand mining business on a larger scale. Mr. Bradford was in the city over the holidays visiting his folks and looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Johnston Mr. and Mrs. Theo. N. Nielson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Best have invitations for a dance at Dreamland pavilion, Thursday evening of this week. A large number of invitations have been sent out and those invited are expecting a very pleasant evening.

Arthur Ellingson, John Nielson, and Mr. Cooper are preparing to build a bulldozer on their property on Second street to protect the buildings from the hill sliding down on them. This property includes the harness shop of W. E. Steinboff, the public library and a number of other buildings a long this row.

The new officers of Pacific Temple, Pythian Sisters, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Johanna Hoover on Franklin Ave. Thursday afternoon January 14th. The afternoon was very pleasantly spent in sewing and dining refreshments were served by the hostess. Their present officers: Mesdames Kausand, Pope, Moore, Nelson, Taylor, Mitchell, Johnson, Nelson and others.

Only two installments left of the new serial story "The Trey of Hearts" set number at the Grand Theatre, Thursday night.

The party of Pacific No. 16 will be given at the Grand Theatre Thursday night a great picture—the real gem. See it.

SHE'S A SAVING MAYOR.

Economical Miss Munson is Also Police Head and City Attorney. Even a little place like Warrenton, Ore., with only a few hundred people, has its civic problems, and a woman mayor is credited with solving some of them. Her name is Miss Clara C. Munson.

Warrenton formerly employed a city attorney and a policeman. As mayor, backed up by the council, Miss Munson was given a free hand, so she dispensed with the services of both these officials. She is now mayor, city attorney and chief of police. The money saved by dispensing with the services of a city attorney and police officer is going into improvements, rebuilding old sidewalks and putting in new ones.

Mayor Munson even gets free legal advice. This is furnished by the mayor of a neighboring town. The wide publicity given Miss Munson as the only western woman mayor resulted in her receiving eight or ten proposals of marriage from men scattered from Alaska to the mining camps of the southwest.

Mayor Munson is not very much interested in woman suffrage.

MATCHMAKING IN INDIA.

One Scheme That Gave a Missionary the Surprise of His Life.

Almost every one who has friends in mission work in India knows that one very important function of the missionary is to play the part of matchmaker to his flock. But few if any have heard of the conditions being reversed and the flock turning matchmaker for their missionary. That does occur, however, as the letter written by a missionary who lives at Tuticorin, south India, tells:

On New Year's day, 1911, as I was seated in my little mud cottage at Tuticorin a number of people entered the veranda and ceremoniously came into my room, bearing trays of flowers, fruits, raisins and sugar, which they placed at my feet like supplicants who desire to gain the hearing of a petition. After all due ceremonial etiquette had been observed and I had indicated my willingness to hear their petition Brother Gnanu Draviam, a prominent lawyer in Tuticorin, began reading in Tamil an address to which the others gave strict attention. It ran like this:

"Reverend Sir—You have now for nearly two years bestowed great care and labor upon us, ministering to our spiritual welfare and striving for the health of our souls to such an extent that you have greatly impaired your own physical health, and we feel that you need some one to care for you, since you do not care for yourself. We fear lest your zeal in our behalf may deprive us at once of your life and services. Therefore, with profound humility and sincere respect, we venture to request you to marry a good woman, who will both care for you and help us."

This was naturally a confusing thing to happen, but I was bound to respond to such an eloquent appeal, and when the applause died away I rose and answered with considerable effort.

"Your affectionate regard for my welfare is so overwhelming that I have no words in which to express my appreciation," and sat down, quite faint from the exertion. But the novelty of the situation overcame my fatigue, and, turning to one of the elders, I asked if they had any particular person in mind as one who would be willing to become my helpmeet and be equal to all the responsibilities they had outlined. Immediately Miss W's name was mentioned. "But," said I, "I don't believe she would have me." This seemed to me like matchmaking with a vengeance. What a high handed act, to be sure! To order their pastor to marry, and then to choose the girl besides! But the worst was still to come. "We have already seen her and told her she must have you," said Brother Rajappan.

So it was settled. I may add that my wife and I have reason to approve highly of the Indian method of match-making, but it should be combined with the western method of courtship, as in our case, to secure the best results.—Exchange

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MEAL FOR FORTY AT 96 CENTS

Chicago Women Reduce the Cost of Living to the Minimum.

An anti-high cost of living dinner was given recently by the Gray's Lake Women's club of Chicago. Forty members were served. The club spent time and 96 cents thus:

- Meat—Two pounds of beef necks, 25 cents.
 - Bread—Two loaves, 10 cents.
 - Cake—20 cents.
 - Coffee—Three-quarters pound at 25 cents per pound, 19 cents.
 - Cream—10 cents.
 - Celery—9 cents.
 - Sugar—3 cents.
 - Total—96 cents.
- The remaining 4 cents of this "dollar dinner" went for paper napkins.

WIRELESS NEWS TO TRAIN.

Various News Happenings Flashing to Lackawanna Express.

Bulletins, telling of the Boston lodging house fire, a suicide on the court house steps at Scranton, Pa., and other happenings of the day were flashed by wireless from a Scranton newsman per office recently to passengers aboard a Lackawanna express train as it sped toward Stamford, six miles away. The distance covered by the wireless messages was the greatest since the train experiments began.

TO IDENTIFY MAN BY VEINS.

Italian Professor Proposes Substitute to the Bertillon System.

Professor Tamassia of the University of Padua, in Italy, advocates the adoption of an identification system, the basis of which is the photographing of the veins of the hands.

He says the method enables him to do best variations, while long training is necessary to distinguish differences in finger prints.

Europe's Population. Taking the whole of Europe into consideration there are 107 inhabitants to the square mile.

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Victor-Victrolas, Edison Disc Talking Machines and Records. Your inspection invited.—Sabro Bros.

Francis X. Bushman, the popular Essanay Star will appear in the "Plum Tree" in three acts. This is the story that won the \$1,000 prize in the Essanay story writing contest. It is an exceptionally good film, away above the ordinary. Watch for later announcements.

Mrs. H. F. Morrison will give lessons in China Painting, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons of each week, at her millinery shop, 240 First Street West.—lf.

If you are interested in buying pianos see Sabro Brothers. Good pianos from \$325 up to \$1200, delivered before Christmas, and sold on terms if desired.—96t4.

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