PORTS AND PUBLIC WELLFARE'en the hurdlea-been devoured by the
 The Marshfield Sun has had a few that has been through the mill. We thought throbs on the port question
and matters that is bortaining to city econo-
the Coguille should exdure the pains and matters pertaining to city econo- sion, that is born of expere the pains
my in the Bay burg and has relieved suffered by us, and are ready with admy in the Bay burg and has relieved suffered by us, and are ready with ad
itcelf of the following:
vance sympathy. We are not butting Coos Bay Has Clear Sailing-Bandon
Strikes Snag From newspaper reports, it appears that the main point upon which the plished by Mr. Liljeqvist in the re
thapreme court granted a rehearing here supreme court granted a rehearing hearing of the Port Case will lessen
in the Bandon Port case, which was the pain to be experienced by the tas-
trought to test the validity of said brought to test the calidity of said the pain to be experianced on the Cofuile, if it beomes
port, was on the grounds that the ter-
their lot to travel the route traversed port, was on the grounds that the ter-
ritory embraced in the Port of Bandon ritory embraced in the Port of Bandon
overlapped or included land already overlapped or included land aiready
incorporated in the port of Coos Bay.
To the lay mind, this contention, if true appears necessarily fatal. But what Coquille seems to have encoun-
tered in forming its district seems tered in forming its district seen
to have been overlooked in.. th
"friendly suit" that followed the o ganization of the Coos bay body. If
the Port of Coos Bay has included part of the Coquille water shed in its
confines, and we are satisfied tha: it on throsper precinct having voted
their sidection of commissioners for sems to be very
semens issue was not raised in the Coos Bay
case. Or was the friendiness of the
case so pronounced that this particucase so pronounced that this particu-
lar issue was allowed to get by. It
was generally clear in the understandwas generally clear in the understand-
ing of the average individual that the
port districts were to embrace territory within that particular water-
shed. But in the formation of the
Port of Coos Bay, we went out of this Port of Coos Bay, we went out of this rifreet superintendent and officts of
watershed and included the ten mile watershed and included the ten mile which would have saved the city the
country which has a distinct and nep- lislary of one supernumerary. The
arate watershed of its own. Big Creek measure was passed by the council arate watershed of its own. Big Creek measure was passed by the council,
embracing Shore Acres and other to 2, but Mayor Allen's veto saved the
lands, near the entrance to Coos Bay diy for at least one parasite. The lands, near the entrance to Coos Bay
were ommitted and the reason given
was that it had a water shed of its
own, the argument being supported own, the argument being supported
by the facts. Then we jump over the
divide and grab a piece of Coquille divide and grab a piece of Coquille
territory. The Port of Coos Bay re-
ceived the official sanction of regular-
ity from the surpeme court, and now
 Coos Bay in its program of organiz-
ation. The conclusion is therefore ation. The conclusion is therefore
readily reached that what is sauce
for the coose is not for the goo
the gander.


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