

PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Sunday Oregonian at Norton's. Fishing tackle at Murphy's. Commissioner Hermann of the U. S. General Land Office is expected home in a few days.

New line of Guns and Ammunition at Murphy's.

The Eugene Register comes out in a bright new dress of type. Gilettrap Brothers are forging ahead in great shape.

When you want some extra nice cheese call on your grocer for Summer creamery full cream cheese. 68 tf

Dayton Herald, Sept. 6.—Mrs. Perkins, wife of W. G. Perkins the groceryman, arrived here from Marshfield on Saturday evening last.

The many friends of Joseph B. Arnot will be pleased to know that he has been granted a pension of \$10 a month.

W. A. Wooliever returned to Marshfield after instituting an M. W. of A. camp at Coquille. He will now proceed to business in organizing Marshfield.

Make your purchases before 7:30 p. m. and you will be granting the retail clerks a vacation of over an hour every evening.

Jas. Rooke, of South Marshfield, had quite a severe attack of illness Sunday morning and a physician was called, but he made a quick rally and was nearly as good as new before night.

The many friends of A. W. Beck, alias A. B. Rector will be glad to know that he has at last reached his new home at Salem safely under the guidance of Sheriff Alex Orme, of Medford, where he will be at home for three years.

Bob Mabry, representative of the Chamberlain Medicine Company was in town last Saturday on his annual tour. Mr. Mabry understands his business, especially that branch in which he deals with the unsophisticated newspaper man.

The new gasoline schooner, which has been building at Woods, was successfully launched last week. She is to be used for the freight business for the south end of the county, and we hope she will be instrumental in filling a long felt want.—Tillamook Headlight.

Ring phone 171, Centerville Dairy when you want milk or cream of the highest quality that the best dairy stock can produce. The motto in handling our dairy is cleanliness, promptness of delivery, and certainty of its not having been skimmed. Flanagan & Barry.

J. W. Simmons, State Deputy Head Consul Modern Woolmen of America came into this part of the State in the interest of the order. While here he went to Coquille and instituted a class of 100 members. Coquille can be proud of having so good a starter for the most popular order in America. Mr. Simmons went back Portland on the Alliance and speaks very flatteringly of Coos county.

VALISE FOUND

A valise was left on scow at Suomi picnic on Coos river. Owner call at this office and prove property. 9-14-21

Jens Hansen is taking a vacation on Haynes slough.

Mrs. Mary Norris, of Myrtle Point is visiting friends in town. Dade Haynes has leased "The Alders" of H. Sengstacken for five years.

The government steamer Manzanita spent a night at the Marshfield docks this week.

W. O. Mathews will move to Fairview and take up his residence on his farm there.

J. Mahoney will take R. E. Shine's place as manager for the S. O. Co. during the latter's absence.

There is great probability that tomorrow will close Rev. R. C. Lee's service as pastor of the M. E. church of this city.

Harry Walters went north on the Alliance on his way to Philadelphia, where he will continue his dental studies.

Miss Elizabeth Hazelton accompanied by Miss Alice and Master Clifford Curtis have returned from a pleasant visit at Coquille.

The late showers remind residents in South Marshfield that sidewalks and crossings in that part of town are greatly in need of attention.

Phil Drain of Coquille City, shipped 100 head of hogs to the Union Meat Co. by the Alliance. This is the first lot of fat hogs shipped to Portland from this place.

The families of W. B. Curtis, E. A. Anderson and Henry Holm drove to Rocky Point last Tuesday and spent the day picnicking. The party report spending a delightful day.

Robt. E. Golden with his family and household goods left for Portland on the Alliance on his way to Airlee Or., where he will take a medical course in the college.

F. S. Dow's driving horse is laid up as the result of putting one of her hind legs through the Fourth street bridge. Much work has been done on this bridge lately, but more is needed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flanagan, Mrs. G. W. Rennie and R. E. Shine went to Portland on the Alliance, on their way to visit the Exposition at Buffalo. Mr. Shine will extend his travels as far as his old home at Bandon, Ireland.

Henry Holm received a scowload of beef cattle from John Porter of Alleganey Thursday, and a carload of fat hogs and mutton sheep from Roy Garrett of Myrtle Point, Friday.

Well, Well!

Corvallis Times, August 31: Engineers, surveying a line of railroad from Coos Bay to Corvallis arrived Wednesday. They are at work on the line that is proposed to run from Corvallis south via Junction, Monroe and other points, and that which at various times past there has been newspaper mention. A standard gauge road is proposed.

FOR SALE

Must be sold at once, owner leaving city. Fine Rosewood case piano and oak cased organ. Any one desiring either instrument would do well to examine this offer. There is not a better organ in the city. Both will be sold cheap.

WE HAVE

A few Ladies' Shirt Waists left—Sines are broken. Also a few sizes in Percalls Wrappers—They go at a price to sell them.



George & Tibbetts.

MADAM, WHEN in our store please ask to be shown those Eastern made shoes for Ladies, you will be pleased with the price and style.

SEND US YOUR MAIL AND PHONE ORDER. I. O. F. Building, Marshfield, Oregon.

Closing Out at Cost

The entire Stock, Dry goods, Clothing, Furnishings, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Linoleum, Mattings.

The entire stock must go at cost. Store to let. Fixtures for sale. XLNT Store.

New Bibles

The Presbyterian Church and Sunday School are rejoicing in the possession of three dozen new Bibles, secured through the efforts of Dr. Holt, of Portland, who visited here a short time ago in his official character as Synodical Missionary. The new Bibles are 24mo in flexible black Morocco binding, fine paper and presswork.

Lodge and Church

As announced in the MAT., the Rev. S. B. McClelland of the Presbyterian church, preached on the subject of "the Lodge and the Church." From the fact that the Presbyterian church has put itself as an organization in a position of antagonism to lodges, it was anticipated that Mr. McClelland might say some harsh things of the lodges. This, however he did not do. After pointing out some of the things to be guarded against in lodge life, he conceded the good which lies in it and then showed that the lodge cannot properly take the place of the church. His address was a thoughtful and considerate discussion of the relations of the lodge and the church, and nothing was said to which the most rabid jiner could reasonably take objections.

Scott the Anarchist

The incentive to these risks (trust speculations) would be largely destroyed by a vigorous income tax law, the removal of tariff duties from all articles which are now being shipped to foreign countries regularly, and by the enforcement of an iron-clad anti-trust law. If the hundreds of millions which Carnegie and Rockefeller and Armour and scores of other millionaires are trying to give away, because they neither need nor want them, and been added to the wages of the men who produced them, their wealth would have remained at the figure to which they are now trying to reduce it, and hundreds of thousands of workingmen's homes would have been the happier by it. The fact that so many men are giving away a large part of their fortunes but prove that something should be done to prevent their accumulation.—Harvey Scott's Labor Day address.

Milinery Closing

I take pleasure in announcing to my patrons that on next Wednesday Sept. 18th, I will display my stock of Fall and Winter Milinery, comprising the most stylish and nobby line of Dress Hats, reproduced by the most skillful Portland and San Francisco trimmers, representing the latest European and American styles.

Call and examine. All are welcomed.

MRS. F. A. SACCHI

DIED

GAFFEY—At Beaver Hill, Or., Sept. 9, 1901, Patrick Gaffey aged 65 years.

Marshall Nay Dead

Just as we go to press, word reaches us that Marshall Nay, an old and highly respected resident of Coos, died at his home on Kentuck slough, yesterday. He was taken sick while in at the fair here and has steadily grown worse till death resulted.

FOR SALE

One half interest in the clam cannery. Apply to J. Rolandson.

For Road Improvement

Over \$300 has been raised by subscription for the improvement of the Marshfield-Empire road, and substantial betterments will be made.

SETTLERS FINISH AN

ENGINEERING WORK
The settlers on North slough have completed quite an undertaking in the way of a drainage ditch to stop the flow of water from some of the sand hill lakes into North slough, which washes in sand and tends to obstruct navigation. Ten of the settlers have been at work for some time on an eight-foot ditch to drain the upper lake into the lower one and lead the water off in another way. The job was completed last Saturday, and the upper lake now has a new outlet.

AT THE CHURCHES.

FREBYTERIAN CHURCH (Services.)
Sabbath school 10:00 A. M.
Preaching services, 11:00 A. M. and 7:30 P. M.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 P. M.
Mid-week services, Thursday 7:30 P. M.
Samuel B. McClelland, Pastor.

Sunday School Convention

The annual convention of the Coos County Sunday Schools will be held at Coquille City, on Sept. 23rd and 24th at the Christian church, commencing Monday afternoon. A good program has been arranged. All Sunday schools are specially invited to send two or three delegates.

Oxen Killed

The light rains this week caused W. H. Noble quite a loss. On Wednesday a load of logs ran onto his team, killing three head and crippling three more.

MARSHFIELD STORES

WILL CLOSE EARLY
The movement for earlier closing of the stores of Marshfield seems likely now to meet with success. It is understood that, beginning Monday, all stores, with one possible exception will close at 7:30 p. m.

This is a good idea and it is to be hoped that it will be a permanent thing. Both the merchants and clerks ought to have their evenings for social enjoyment and relaxation, and if all will stand together there will be no trouble.

REVEREND R. C. LEE

MAY GO ELSEWHERE
The Rev. R. C. Lee expects to start some time next week for Hillsboro where the annual conference of the M. E. church convenes on the 24th of this month. It is perhaps probable that Mr. Lee may be transferred to some other place, but Marshfield people will hope that he may still be left here. Mr. Lee has been here four years and during that time has done a great work in the way of building up his church, and he has won the respect and solid esteem of the best people of the community, and has taken his place as a man among men in the business life of the town. If he be taken from here he will be greatly missed.

Help out the clerks and don't buy after 7:30.

Marshall Way, of Coquille City, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Noble has gone to San Francisco for medical treatment.

Don't make the clerks work 14 hours when they can do a days work in 12.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Craig have gone to Ashland, Or., in hopes of improvement to Mrs. Craig's health.

The steamer Coos River is on her run again after a thorough overhauling, and looks as good as new.

W. J. Butler has opened an office between the telegraph office and the Central hotel, as headquarters for his life and fire insurance business.

Should the Marshfield clerks work until 9 p. m. where in all other civilized towns the stores close at 6 p. m.?

A. Matson's delivery team ran away yesterday and brought up against the corner post of the P. K. saloon, demolishing the post but not doing any other serious damage.

Miss Beason and Miss Bemis, who will teach in the Marshfield school came into town Thursday.

Herbert Lockhart, J. S. Coke, Jr., J. W. Bennett and De Neve went to the sandhills yesterday for a few days outing.

F. M. Friedburg returned Wednesday from a trip to Salem.

Rev. S. B. McClelland will preach on the subject "Our Departed Ruler" tomorrow evening at the Presbyterian church. The public cordially invite it.

Don't patronize an unfair house, you do so when you buy from any house that is open after 7:30.

For a bad taste in the month take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by John Pruess.

"A Nation in Mourning" will be Rev. R. C. Lee's subject at the Methodist church tomorrow evening.
The Southern Stock Co. had a crowded house last evening to witness their excellent presentation of the great emotional drama, Hazel Kirke.

LADIES MEET WITH GRATIFYING SUCCESS

In Their Efforts to Raise Money for the Y. M. C. A.—Indebtedness Probably Wiped Out

The friends of the Y. M. C. A. are rejoicing over the success of the Ladies' Auxiliary in raising money to pay off the indebtedness of the association by serving refreshments every evening this week in the room under I. O. F. hall.

The patronage has more than exceeded expectations, and it is understood that over \$100 were realized the first four evenings. The work has been divided among the different churches, the ladies of the different denominations serving as follows: Monday, Episcopal; Tuesday, Methodist; Wednesday, Presbyterian; Friday, Baptist, Saturday, all churches. On Thursday the young ladies of the town had the matter in their hands.

The ladies deserve the thanks of the community for their efforts, and the congratulations of all for their success.

With the burden of debt lifted the Y. M. C. A. will take a new start in its career of usefulness.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

A fine business lot 2d A st. #1090. Dwelling house on 2nd st. 6 rooms 650.
A plot of land 218 ft. by 100 ft. facing on race track in South Marshfield, \$750. Will sell in bulk or half.
Four lots next to Postoffice on Front st. \$2500.
House and lot in West Marshfield \$1000.
House and lot in South Marshfield \$650.
Six lots in Blk 10, South Marshfield Block 70 in Notley's addition to Coquille City. Enquire of W. E. DOUGLAS.

FOR THE CHILD.

Don't let the children suffer in the hot weather. Give them what they need in the way of loosening clothes that will permit the free use of arms and legs, and development of the body. We have some stout and serviceable but neat and pretty ready-made at ready-made prices that should interest you.



NORTH STAR.

Bessie Richards, Proprietor, Cor. A and Second Sts.

Preserving Time.

We keep the best supply of choice fruits of all kinds, fresh from the growers, and anyone wishing to can or preserve should be sure and call on us. We keep a full stock of all the necessary equipments for fruit canning.

Campbell & Eickworth.



A Distinct Triumph

Our medical batteries, for the application of electricity to any part of the body in need of it, have gained a distinct triumph in this branch of the healing science, give satisfaction where ever used and are endorsed by physicians. Batteries for home use \$5.00 up; larger ones for office use, \$20.00 up. The shock is in the electric current—not in the price.

Red Cross Drug Store John Preuss, Prop.



MARSHFIELD MERCHANT

ON SUNDAY CLOSING

The Editor Dear Sir:
Careful study of passing events teaches us, that the time is not far distant when the man who works with brain and muscle will demand a reasonable number of hours for his days' toll. If the public will look through the different trades, and see the number of working hours that constitute a weeks work, they will be surprised that the tired, foot-sore and worn-out clerk behind the counter, has borne his burden and task so patiently for so long a time. Of course it is nothing but natural that the business hours of the merchant are arranged for the accommodation and convenience of his customers. But in a new country custom often makes laws, and laws are handed down to coming generations long after the circumstances that required their exit.

Such is just the case right here in Marshfield. Our clerks take their stand behind the counter, and wait, wait, wait, after 8 o'clock, there are none to wait on, and it is the most tedious and tiresome hour of the whole day. And I cannot see any good reason why our stores do not close at 8 o'clock, 7:30 is too early. It does not give the necessary time after supper, for the man who works during the day to make his purchases. If this early closing is to amount to anything, let it be done for the comfort and convenience of all. A MERCHANT, Marshfield, Sept. 15, 1901.

Steelheads for the Lakes

During the past four years the United States Fish Commission has made important experiments at the station in Duluth. They have resulted in the planting and acclimatization in Lake Superior of the famous steelhead salmon of the Pacific, a salt-water fish exclusively heretofore. It was believed that this fish would thrive in the cold, fresh waters of Lake Superior, where so many other salmonidae grow. Several thousand fry were planted on the north shore of the lake, near Port Arthur, and at Silver Islet, both points on the Canadian side. The following year a larger number was planted off Isle Royale, and since then the planting has been kept up. Now, from time to time, the catch of an occasional steelhead is reported, and from the size of those found it is evident that they are growing about a pound a year in these fresh waters. It is also evident, from certain modifications in some of the specimens caught, that they have been propagating and increasing naturally. The salt-water steelhead salmon as modified by his existence in Lake Superior, is said to have a most delicate flavor, to be well shaped and firm, and to have a flesh of a beautiful red.—Argonaut.

State Treasurer's Fifth Notice

State of Oregon, Treasury Dept., Salem, Sept. 12, 1901.
Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the Treasury with which to redeem all outstanding state warrants drawn on the state seal treasury fund not endorsed "Presented and not paid for want of funds" prior to January 1, 1901. All such warrants, properly endorsed, will be paid upon presentation at this office, interest thereon ceasing from and after this date.

CLAS. S. MOORE, State Treasurer. 9-14-21

IN PLAYING THE RACES.

Bad Judgment often results in empty pockets. The wise use of your money provides for the happiness of the future. You waste nothing when you deal here. You get the best for your cash and the most careful attention to your wishes and save 10 per cent. discount for cash. Flanagan's Pioneer Market.

J. N. NELSON.

DEALER IN. Latest Designs of Wall Paper, Varnishes and Brushes. Nason's Pure Mixed Paints A Specialty. Orders promptly filled. FRONT ST., MARSHFIELD, OR.

Remember you get 25 cent pounds of the best 25 cent roasted coffee for 90 cents at the Pioneer Market.

A Communication

MR. EDITOR—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with the bronchitis and could not sleep nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which completely relieved me.—W. S. BROCKMAN, Hagnell Mo. This remedy is for sale by John Pruess.

Water Cure for Chronic Constipation

Take two cups of hot water half a hour before each meal, and just before going to bed, also a drink of water, hot or cold, about two hours after each meal. Take lots of outdoor exercise—walk, ride, drive. Make a regular habit of this and in many cases chronic constipation may be cured without the use of any medicine. When a purgative is required, take something mild and gentle like Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by John Pruess.

NEW FALL STYLES IN CLOTHING.

You will find our NEW FALL LINE OF CLOTHING to be the best that the skill of man has designed for men. Tailored in the latest style, and dependable in every way. All of our new garments are cut from durable wool fabrics, in neat Mixtures, Checks, Stripes, New Greens, Plain Blues and Blacks. Drop in some time at your leisure and see them.

Hawes Hats

Have had the preference for a long time among fashion's votaries. The new Autumn Derby and soft hats are now on the way from the east.

A Misfit

is certainly the most uncomfortable thing that can happen to a SHOE-BUYER—an ill-fitted shoe is dear at any price.—We fit your feet and your pocket-book as well in FLORSHEIM'S STYLISH AND COMFORTABLE SHOES. \$3.50 TO \$6.00.

NASBURG BROS.

The Reliable Dry Goods, Clothing and Furnishing Goods Men.