

**PERSONAL AND LOCAL.**

Tide Tables at F. P. Norton's.  
Fred Nash purchased of H. Sengstacken a scowload of hay for his logging camp above Allegny.

John Curren, of the Coquille Packing Co., came over yesterday bringing samples of his product, and is taking orders among the Bay Merchants.

Chas Jensen has severed his connection with the Sengstacken drug store and has taken up his abode on the John Bear farm on Willanch slough where he expects to develop a strong muscle and luxuriant whiskers.

Pete Peterson, who is working on the Allegny Elktion road came to town a few days ago to take his family to Elkton, but found them afflicted with measles and unable to be moved at present.

Sacchi, Sacchi, Sacchi, Sa cehi Sacchi; judging from the number of times we hear Sacchi, it would appear that he was the only one that sells good groceries in Marshfield.

By a letter from Mrs. F. Fisher, (nee Eulalie Terry) of Monthouth, it is learned that she is recovering from her late severe illness and is able to get around the house.

If you are not satisfied with the boys' suits you buy next Saturday we'll buy them back again and consider we have a bargain.  
**MAGNES & MATSON**

Joseph Younkers, of the Cape Arago Life Saving Station was doing business in town Friday.

Chet Lawhorn has the modified smallpox at McKinley. The disease seems inclined to explore the country.

Marshal Carter's children are suffering from a severe attack of the measles.

Now is the time we need your subscription and good will. Put in a good word for it if nothing more and the daily MAIL will remember you in its will.

Lowery Owen is working for Watson Bros. at their Creamery.

Mrs. J. Grimes will leave for Vallejo, Cal., on the next Alliance, to join her husband, who recently returned from Alaska.

Jack Sullivan travelling salesman for Cahn, Nickelsberg & Co., of San Francisco, is in this county interviewing his customers.

Captain N. J. Cornwall, who has been in Oakland, Calif., for a couple of years, came up on the Alliance with his family and proceeded to the Umpqua, where he took charge of the tug Hunter, relieving Captain Bob Jones.

Phew!  
Bandon has quarantined against Coquille, Marshfield and Empire, in fact persons North and east of Bullards are shut out.—Bandon Recorder.

H. Sengstacken is having a hew walk put in at the back of his store.

Neal Monroe of Bay City, suffered a severe stroke of paralysis Tuesday, and as he is 84 years of age, his condition is critical.

Judge Watson took a scow load of lumber to Coos City Wednesday, to erect a new barn on his ranch.

J. A. Matson went to San Francisco on the Arcata to be absent about a month. It is said that he will take in Southern California on his trip, and bearing on this is an extract from a former Marshfieldite, now located at Irwindale, who says: "I guess Miss Kruse will be down soon, and Albert later. I hope the packing house will take a layoff soon so that I can attend the wedding."

Cliff Campbell is out again after a long siege of sickness.

Bedrock prices on shoes at Peter Clausen's, next door to Blanco hotel.

What we advertise we sell what we sell advertises us.  
**MAGNES & MATSON.**

The bar was on the rampage Monday and the Alliance reported it rougher than she had ever crossed it. Oil was used to smooth the passage in and worked well.

Capt. Bob Jones came down from Gardiner Wednesday, having retired from the command of the tug Hunter.

Jay Tower has accepted a position as assistant to F. S. Dow, in the warehouse of the Standard Oil Co.

Capt. Norman Nelson, of the Cape Arago Life Saving station was in town Friday.

Miss Florence Twombly, one of the teachers in the Coquille Public school, is visiting her parents in Marshfield, and enjoying a vacation, the result of a quarantine in our neighbor city.

Special Sale of Millinery.  
Commencing Monday, I will close out all my Fall Millinery. None will be carried over and all will be sold out at cost or less. Winter millinery will be worn for several months yet. Take advantage of these bargains.  
**MRS. C. PAINTER.**  
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A Pleasant Surprise.  
From Sunday's Daily.  
Last evening a number of young friends of Miss Addie Anderson concluded to surprise that young lady and at the appointed time the young folks congregated at the home of Peter Johnson on A and Fourth street, whence the party went to the home of Miss Anderson and surprised that young lady most thoroughly.

The evening was spent in merriment games and music and a jolly good time in general. The event will long be remembered by the participants. The young people all enjoyed the surprise as well as the hostess. After refreshments were served all voted the hostess a capital entertainer and departed.

Nels Rasmussen, of the P. K. is back from the city and as good as new.

Our stocktaking sale is the shrewdest and most careful buyers.  
**MAGNES & MATSON.**

Deputy Sheriff Ed. Gallier and a lady assistant started over the Drain route Monday, taking Mrs. Steve Johnson to the asylum.

Rev. S. B. McClelland and wife started to Roseburg Monday to prove up on their Smith river timber claims.

Roy Twombly has entered the employ of this office as solicitor, reporter, city editor and general all-round ruster. Any courtesies extended to him will be appreciated.

The first news of the disaster of Humboldt was published here in the little daily from one to three days ahead of outside dailies. Isn't that worth while?

The Alert has been laid off and will be hauled out on Christensen & Johnson's ways to have her bottom repaired. The Alma is taking her run.

The Crescent Coal Co. received on the Arcata a consignment of railroad iron for use at their mines.

W. H. Morgau a prominent farmer of Daniels creek, was doing business in town Monday.

Mrs. A. F. Cook of West Marshfield is getting better from a very severe attack of pneumonia.

Howard Savage the young man who is employed by J. H. Miller, met with an accident Sunday while playing football, which resulted in a broken collar bone, the fracture was located by the aid of Dr. Straw's X Ray machine, and the young man will suffer no serious consequences.

Mrs. E. J. Masters is conducting dressmaking parlors in the Marks building, and solicits a call from ladies desiring good work at reasonable prices.

The gasoline schooner Monterey, bound for the Coquille, found the bar too rough, and put into Coos Bay Wednesday for shelter.

Mrs. O. P. Noah, of Bay City was taken to Portland on this trip of the Alliance, for hospital treatment of a broken ankle, which she has been troubling her for a year or so.

To Improve Front Street  
A petition was being circulated Thursday by John Bear for the improvement of that portion of front street which is covered with fire clay. It is proposed to give it an additional coating of the same material, 8 inches deep in the middle and 4 inches at the sides. This street was covered with burnt fire clay some seven years ago and has never caused any expense since, except for some sprinkling during the hot test and driest weather. It is somewhat worn now and needs leveling and raising, such as is proposed.

**COMMENCING.**  
January 1st, 1902.  
Our First Annual Clearance Sale.  
To the Residents of Marshfield and Coos County.  
Jan. 1st, to St. Valentine's day--45 Days Sale

**During This Time.**

PROFIT is lost sight of, and COST is out of the question, we are doing what no working man ever does.

**LABORING WITHOUT REWARD**  
If you desire to take advantage of the goods offered, do not leave it too late, our reputation is established for honest and fair dealing and whatever the cost we shall maintain the position we have gained. Thanking you for your kind patronage, we are,  
Respectfully Yours,  
**GEORGE & TIBBETS,**  
ODD FELLOWS BUILDING.

Andrew Peterson, of Empire City, was in town Thursday being able now to get around on his leg full of shot.

C. D. McFarlin, the pioneer cranberry raiser, was doing business in town Thursday, accompanied by Mrs. McFarlin.

Second hand office desk, made of maple, myrtle and white cedar for sale cheap. Apply to J. W. Bennett.  
12-28-21

Any one wanting pure A No. 1 Leaf Lard from strictly corn-fed hogs can find it on sale at the Marshfield Cash Meat Market.

Hall & Hall have received a supply of registration blanks and are now registering voters for the coming county and state election.

Coos Bay souvenir calendars for New Years gifts. Just the thing. At the Red Cross.

If you want good literature, now is the time. Look over our clubbing list. We can save you big money.

Miss Eva Wilson is conducting dressmaking parlors over Magnes & Matson's store. Ladies wanting first-class work are invited to call.

The families of Wm. Abernathy and F. E. Scofield, of Dora are down with the prevailing disease.

When you want some extra nice cheese call on your grocer for Sumner creamery full cream cheese.  
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Schooner Free Trade arrived in the bay Friday and will take a cargo of lumber from the stove Mill to E. B. & B. L. Stone, of Oakland, Calif.

The Needle Workers met with Miss Eickworth, in South Marshfield Thursday afternoon. A very pleasant and interesting session was reported. The next meeting of the club will be at Mrs. William Nasburg's, on Next Thursday.

The owners of the Coast Mail have begun the publication of a daily edition, which affords the people of Marshfield and vicinity a good newsy paper. It has a telegraphic report that should please the people of that section, who have not before enjoyed daily news of the outside world.—Salem Oregon Statesman.

Store Burned at Arago.  
The Herald brings us the news of the destruction by fire of the store of W. H. Schroeder of Arago, in which the Arago postoffice was located. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

At the Crescent Mine  
Work has been commenced on the slope at the Crescent mine No. 2, and the force of men employed is being steadily increased. The bunker will also be raised 10 feet giving it a capacity of 500 tons at once.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascaria.  
Candy Cathartic, cures constipation, forever. No. 10. If O. C. Hall, druggists refund money.

Genuine Christian Science.  
Healing by absent treatment for sorrow, sin, bad habits, and every disease, no matter what; for those who are willing to live an honest life. No faith, or so-called religious life required. Terms within the means of all.  
BARTLETT, 36 Geary St., San Francisco, Cal.

FOR SALE  
The machinery complete for the manufacture of five tons of ice daily. Everything in first-class order. Run only three seasons, address,  
**JAMES MAGUIRE,**  
12-14 21005 Salem, Or.

For repairs to your boots and shoes go to Peter Clausen. First-class shoemaker employed. Prices reasonable.

No Quorum.  
A meeting of the City Council was to have been held Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, but as a quorum had not arrived at 8 o'clock the meeting adjourned. The members of the council present were: Mayor Coke, F. P. Norton and Chas Bradbury.

Leg Hurt.  
An accident occurred at Bay City, Tuesday morning, whereby Otto Sjodal, a seaman, received a badly bruised leg, the result of a heavy piece of timber falling on it. Dr. McCormac attended to the injury, and placed the man in the marine hospital.

Mail Carrier Over the Grade.  
The mail carrier from Sumner fell over a grade while on his way to Marshfield Wednesday morning. No bones were broken, but as his horse ran away he was compelled to return to Sumner for a new steed and reached Marshfield about 6 o'clock Wednesday morning.

A New Register  
The Blanco Hotel has received a new 300 page register. The book was printed at this office and bound by John Kitchen Jr. Co. of San Francisco, and is such a handsome piece of workmanship that McDonald & Page, the proprietors of the hotel, will have a new swivel stand made for it and have the counter polished to conform with the rest.

CONDENSED STATE NEWS ITEMS  
Sergeant Jas. P. Cune was drowned at the Ilwaco dock, last Wednesday. He was about to take boat for Ilwaco and fell overboard. The body has been recovered.  
Lieut. Beavan, of For. Canby, committed suicide Wednesday morning by shooting himself with a revolver.  
Coos county pays 1.5 per cent of the state taxes. Multnomah county pays the largest, 31.25 per cent, and Wheeler the smallest amount, 67 per cent. The total taxation per year is \$205,000.  
How Are Your Kidneys?  
Dr. Hobbs' Backache Pills cure all kidney ills. They are pure. Add. Starling Medical Co., Chicago or N. Y.

**GEE FEE.**  
DEALER IN GROCERIES, FRESH FRUITS, VEGETABLES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR FEED, ETC. OF THE BEST QUALITY. PRICES REASONABLE. FROZEN OYSTERS EVERY DAY.  
A Street, Marshfield, Ore.

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DEALER IN  
**DRY WOOD AND COAL.**  
Hauling done on short notice.  
NORTH FRONT ST. Marshfield Ore.

**P. Clausen.**  
Dealer in  
Boots and shoes, Men's Furnishings, Cigars, Tobacco, etc. First door South of Blanco Hotel.  
MARSHFIELD, ORE.

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strong, slag or other undesirable substances in the coal hauled to your door by Heisner, just the straight, free-burning coal, which burns as you want it to burn, but doesn't burn up too much money. While your getting coal you might as well get the best.  
Lumber delivered, direct from the mill. Dry wood taken to any part of town on short notice. Truck and dray work, sawing, back work and excavating. Phone 246. Residence, 110, Third and A Street.  
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None but the Best of Meats.  
I constantly furnish the best and purest of meats, which gives me the confidence of my patrons.  
Meats are a Necessity  
but it is necessary that they be pure and wholesome. I do not promise a discount, but I will give you honest and courteous treatment, and value received for your money. Satisfaction guaranteed or cash refunded.

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**CHRISTENSEN & JOHNSON**

**A Prescription**  
Filled here will have exactly the effect your physician intended should have. We know this because the ingredients will all be fresh and reliable, and the compounding accurate to the last degree. Bring prescriptions here and run no chances.  
**Red Cross Drug Store**  
John Preuss, Prop.

**DO YOU KNOW**  
111431 we use no injurious chemicals and the very best of soap and we guarantee our work. We use perfected modern machinery and we DON'T WEAR OUT THE CLOTHES. Laundry work can be returned in 24 hours after receipt. Remember, we employ white labor only. Follow the lead of our agents: George Lorenz, Bandon; N. Larsen, Coquille; E. A. Dodge, Myrtle Point; Sig. Hanson, North Bend; J. Morgan, Empire.  
**COOS BAY STEAM LAUNDRY**  
**E. C. AMSTEIN,** Prop.

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**E. H. Straw, M. D.**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
Special attention to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Glasses fitted.  
Office in Sengstacken & Smith Building.  
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PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.  
Office in Sengstacken and Smith Bldg. Front street, Marshfield, O. Reg.  
**W. U. Douglas,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND U. S. COMMISSIONER.  
Front street, Marshfield, Oregon.  
**C. F. McKnight.**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Office in the Bennett & Walter Building. MARSHFIELD, OREGON.  
**John F. Hall,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.  
Office in Eldorado block, Front street, Marshfield, Oregon.  
**J. W. Bennett,**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.  
MARSHFIELD ORE.  
**W. A. Toye.**  
DENTIST.  
Office upstairs in Eldorado Block. MARSHFIELD, ORE.

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**Marshfield Cash Meat Market,**  
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**ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE.**

Every store accumulates, in the course of a year a lot of goods which for various reasons should not be carried over into another season. For the purpose of disposing of these, Clearance Sales are instituted and ours is now on.

At reduced, prices a lot of First-class goods in the following lines must go:

**Cloaks, Mackintoshes, Shoes, Raglan's (below cost) Overcoats, Hats.**

**Do not miss the opportunity.**

**Wm. Nasburg.**

*The Reliable Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes Hats and Furnishing Goods Men.*