

Bandon Recorder



BETTER SERVICE WANTED

Business Men of Bandon Want a Boat That is Dependable.

In face of the fact that Bandon merchants have been greatly handicapped in getting their freight from Portland, and it being especially true of their holiday goods this season, the question has been discussed very extensively of getting a boat to run to Portland that will carry both passengers and freight and one that can be depended upon to make regular trips.

It is said that the Brooklyn is laid up now in San Francisco, because of no business, and the suggestion has been made that an attempt be made to get her to run between Portland and the Coquille River. With this end in view it has been asked that business men of the city make up an estimate of the amount of freight they could guarantee, in a certain period of time and that they bring this estimate to the regular meeting of the Commercial Club, Friday evening, January 2nd, when the matter will be taken up and steps will be taken toward securing the service of the Brooklyn or some other good boat that can be depended upon to make the run.

Everybody interested should be at the meeting and a campaign should be started at once. We certainly need better service to Portland.

Civilization and Advertising.

Civilization and honest advertising go hand in hand. Honest advertising increases distribution increases consumption, but it standardizes and guarantees the advertised commodity. This is a fact that is being demonstrated constantly, and each day consumers are appreciating it with a clearer understanding.—The Hutchinson Wholesaler.

New Safe Arrives.

The Ely-Norris Burglar proof Manganese safe ordered by the Bank of Myrtle Point soon after the bank's old safe was opened by cracksmen in the robbery of something over \$10,000 about the first of the month, arrived from Portland on the last trip of the Breakwater. Mr. G. H. Periam, the representative of the safe company, was here Saturday and superintended the installation. The large strong-box which is of a splendid design, weighs about 4,200 pounds and made a load that was about all that one team could do to get it up the hill from the depot. It has been temporarily installed in the officer's room of the bank till the vault is rebuilt and other changes are made in the banking room. The bank now has as strong a money chest as any bank in the county or state for that matter.—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

G. T. Herman was down from Myrtle Point Saturday.

LIBRARY TO GIVE LECTURE

Board Has Secured Services of Professor Reddie of U. of O.

The Library Board have obtained through the University of Oregon the services of Professor Archibald Reddie to lecture in Bandon on December 31st. Professor Reddie is more than a first class lecturer; he is an elocutionist of very high standing in circles where the standing is hard to obtain. He was formerly instructor of oratory at Emersons College of Oratory, at Boston, and is now head of the Department of Public Speaking at the University of Oregon.

The professor's subject is dramatic speaking his discourse is embellished with humorous recitations, dramatic readings and a power of expressions found only among the best orators and actors. To hear Professor Reddie is to hear what will with little question be the finest entertainment the people of Bandon have had the opportunity of witnessing in their home town. It will be an entertainment that will be remembered and looked back upon with pleasure and profit. The services of the professor are given free by the State University in connection with the University extension department. The expenses of the hire of the theatre, etc. are being met by the Library Board, and to cover these expenses and to help raise a fund for new books a charge of twenty-five cents will be made for admission.

Ordinarily a dollar would not buy so much pleasure and lasting benefit. Let Bandon people show they can appreciate a good thing by turning out and crowding the Grand Theatre on Wednesday December 31.

Myrtle Point Items.

The Latter Day Saints are making preparations for an interesting Sunday School entertainment to be given Christmas Eve. There will be a tableau and a cantata.

Contractors F. E. Dickson and C. E. McCracken, have commenced the construction of a building 90x60 feet with 18 foot posts, which R. L. Dement is having built to accommodate the basket ball team. The building is near the Fair grounds.

Miss Blanche Neal and her brother Lester, left Saturday Dec. 13th via Bandon, for California to join their father and mother who are now located near Fresno.

C. L. Reeves has sold his half interest in the O. K. Barber Shop to G. V. Perry.

Elder A. A. Baker of Bridge, Ore made Marshfield and Bandon a business visit last week.

Sheriff Gage was a Myrtle Point visitor Saturday Dec. 13th.

Mrs. Walter Miller of Gold Beach was a Bandon visitor Saturday.

"BURBANK OF DRY FARMING WORLD"

Has Oregon Products at United States Land Show in Chicago



CHICAGO, ILL.—Fate made Tillman Reuter the "Burbank of the Dry Farming World." About ten years ago he left his home in Evansville, Ind., broken in body and spirit, and he went west in quest of health. He not only found health, but won wealth and fame as well. He located in Central Oregon and pioneered it as a cultivator of the dry farming variety. He worked wonder, growing everything in the shape of grains and vegetables that are produced with more ample rainfall. This year at the International Dry Farming Exposition in Tulsa, Okla., Reuter, for the third consecutive time, swept the boards in competition with the exhibits of the entire North American continent. Louis W. Hill, chairman of the board of directors of the Great Northern railway, has installed a portion of the famous Reuter exhibit in the Great Northern railway's booth at the United States Land Show, which opened Nov. 20th in the Chicago Coliseum. Reuter, meanwhile, is too busy getting ready for his next year's crop to attend the Chicago show. He is out to make it four consecutive "world's championships" by improving his next dry farming congress exhibit.

Mary Stuart Filmed.

The Edison Company has produced a three reel masterpiece of this important historical event of the Life of Mary, Queen of Scots. This special feature is superior to the average multiple reel production because it represents a tremendous amount of study and research, painstaking attention to details of costuming and settings.

The love, self sacrifice, pathos, bitter hatred, intrigue and tragedy which sway the emotions of the great characters in this famous struggle, afford a magnificent opportunity for intense dramatic action. The suspense is sustained until the executioner poised his gleaming axe above the fair white neck of Mary Stuart. You can see this feature at the Grand tonight, also a screaming comedy, "Alkali Ike and the Wild Man." No advance in price, 10-c.

At the regular meeting of Bandon Lodge A. F. and A. M. Saturday night the following officers were elected: C. R. Moore, W. M.; W. J. Sabin, S. W.; W. A. LeGore, J. W.; Phil Pearson, Sec.; E. E. Oakes, Treas. Next Saturday night the Masons and Eastern Stars will hold joint installation.

Merlin Catterlin, who has been attending the Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis for the past two years returned home Saturday and will remain here permanently, and will assist his father W. E. Catterlin in the management of the Bandon Dry Good Co. store.

Miss Ebba Wiren who has been attending school in California has returned home to spend the holidays with her parents, Captain and Mrs. O. Wiren.

"Mystery of the Corner House."

A detective photo dramatic production in three reels, emphasizing the need for caution in the use of circumstantial evidence. A drama filled with life and impulse. Heart interest that carries conviction. The triumph of a clever detective, shown in three reels of tense absorbing interest.

Also Mr. Hart in athletic feats, viz juggling, wire walking, tumbling and hand-balancing.

Shown at the Orpheum tonight only, admission 15 and 10c.

Tomorrow night Davis and Long will open a five days engagement. These artists are expert banjo, guitar, and mandolin players and are sure to please with their varied program. Remember its at the Orpheum.

STOCKHOLDERS MET FRIDAY

White Cedar Festival Business Cleaned Up at Meeting.

A meeting of the stockholders of the White Cedar Festival was held in the Commercial Club Hall on Friday December 12th. Donald Mac Kintosh presided. D. M. Averill was elected as secretary of the meeting.

It was proposed by J. T. Sullivan and seconded by George Laird, that a committee of three, be appointed to receive the surplus money left from the White Cedar Festival and hold same in trust until about July 4th, 1914, said money to be available for public celebration purposes only.

Messrs Rasmussen, Laird, and Trowbridge, were appointed as a committee of three to handle this fund. It was regularly moved and seconded that a vote of thanks be tendered to the Carnival committee of the White Cedar Festival for the services rendered.

Demand of Labor Men.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 22.—Delegates to the state labor convention numbering several hundred started at 10:30 this morning to march on the state capitol to present to Governor Ammons their demands for the abolition of the military commission in the Colorado strike zone and for the dismissal of certain militia officers objectionable to the labor element.

Dress Making School.

W. E. Catterlin manager of the Bandon Dry Goods Co. is establishing a new innovation in the business circles of Bandon which will be of great benefit to the ladies of the city.

He is arranging the balcony in the rear of the store for the purpose and beginning with next Saturday will give free lessons in dress making, and general sewing every Saturday from 2:30 to 4:00 p. m.

This department will be in charge of Mrs. Reed and Mrs. Cleary of the dressmaking department of this store. It is understood that it will not be necessary to buy the goods to be worked upon, at the Bandon Dry Good Co's store, but any lady can bring her own material if she desires.

All ladies over the age of fourteen are eligible to enter the classes, and the instruction will be absolutely free to everybody, no charges whatsoever being made to anyone.

This will certainly be an excellent opportunity for the women of Bandon and one that should be appreciated.

Myrtle Point is to have a basket ball hall. The building will be 60x96 with 18 foot posts. This will make a fine hall for the game. Bandon should have a building to encourage the boys.