

DRESS GOODS SALE CONTINUES THIS WEEK



On account of the tremendous interest displayed in last week's sale, and the large number of inquiries we have had as to whether it would be continued, we have decided to repeat this, the greatest of all fabric sales, for this week's selling. It is the chance of a life time to buy wool dress fabrics.

Despite the phenomenal selling of last week, the selections and assortments remain as good as ever. This includes Black or Colored dress goods, all weights, all weaves.

In all Coos Bay, there is no such stock as this. There is a larger assortment and better values at regular prices than are to be had in any other store; now with these reduced prices the bargains are positively startling.

The weaves included are: Serges, Panamas, Voiles, Silk and Wool Poplins, Eoliennes, Wool Taffetas, Poplinettes, Henriettas, Albatross, Cheviots, Rain-proof materials and herring bone effects.

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Our entire Spring Stock of Hart, Schaffner and Marx Fine Clothing at
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ARRANGE GAME AT NORTH BEND

Marshfield Baseball Players Will Have Workout There Sunday Afternoon.

Manager Arthur McKeown of the Marshfield Baseball Team yesterday announced that a practise game would be played at the North Bend grounds Sunday afternoon at 2:30. He wishes all candidates for the 1908 team to turn out and get into the game so that they will be in shape at the opening of the season and also to insure the placing of the best material on the team at the start. Prior to the practise game between the North Bend and Marshfield aggregations, there will be a general workout in which as many as desire may participate. After the game starts, there will probably be numerous changes in the line up to give all a chance to practise and at the same time preventing the working any of the fresh men too hard. An effort will be made to get the Marshfield grounds in shape for practise just as soon as the weather settles and permits the grounds to dry sufficiently for use. Mr. McKeown yesterday wrote to Portland for samples and data on uniforms and other paraphernalia for the team.

New Dancing Master.—Professor C. Raymond recently of Portland, arrived in Marshfield last week. Professor Raymond comes to Coos Bay with the intention of starting a dancing school. He has been on the coast for about ten years, teaching in different academies, and is considered one of the best on the coast.

BANDON BRIEFS.

Interesting News of City by the Sea Taken From The Recorder.

The Bandon Manufacturing Company's shingle mill has changed hands again. Messrs. Wade, Hollopeter and Logan have leased it and will conduct the business in the future.

Mrs. D. C. Peppinger died at her home east of Bandon Friday night. A lingering illness of consumption was the cause. She leaves a small family and her husband, well-known in Bandon.

The ten-year-old daughter of Edward Wyant while handling an air gun, shot herself in the right forefinger. The shot struck the bone and did not pass out of the finger.

T. E. Edgel has been notified that a considerable sum of money has been left him in the East. He will leave to attend to the matter about the middle of May.

Cody's mill shut down yesterday, temporarily, caused by a strike of the men in their logging camp; they expect to resume operations shortly.

DANCE at Sumner, May 16th. Music by Laugenburg Orchestra.

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DON'T forget the Bridges Quilt Sale tonight at the Opera House.

BUILDS FAST BOAT WITH SMALL ENGINE.

Twenty-two Foot Launch With Three Horse Power Engine Attains Twelve-Mile Speed.

F. E. Boden has just completed a small launch that is attracting much attention on Coos Bay on account of the great speed secured with a small engine. The boat is twenty-two feet long, will accommodate eight people, and it is claimed has attained a speed of twelve miles per hour with a three-horse power gasoline engine.

Mr. Boden, who has been engaged in the boat building business in the East, came west to visit and look over Coos Bay. He has practically decided to remain here and engage in the boat building business here if he can dispose of his eastern house.

EVENTS AT COQUILLE.

News of the Valley as Told in the Columns of The Sentinel.

The marriage of Mr. A. G. Thrift and Miss Florence Rosa took place in Bandon Thursday. Their many friends in this city congratulate the young couple.

A special meeting of the council was held Monday evening at which the replanking of 'B' street, original plat, was considered and the petitioners to the remonstrance against the dog ordinance were present and the life of the councilmen were made miserable by the owners. It was compromised in the end by the council amending the ordinance by placing \$2.50 and \$5.00 license per year on the canines in the city limits.

The many friends of J. Percy Wells will be pleased to learn of his nomination on the Republican ticket for the office of county school superintendent of Jackson county.

The three votes which South Slough cast cost the county about eight dollars per vote.

J. E. Cayon and family of Marshfield have rented the house of M. McDonald north of the Sentinel office and will make this city their future home. Mr. Cayon is the architect who prepared the plans for the new bank building.

The city recorder has collected \$65 in fines this month from persons who were trying to shock the peace and dignity of the city of Coquille.

Nosler & Morrison, who are operating the Coquille Steam Laundry are intending to install a 3-ton ice plant in the basement of their laundry building.

Masters & McLain, contractors of Marshfield, were granted a contract by the county court at the adjourned session, to build the cement walks inside of the court house yard. It will make a decided improvement.

G. S. Lahey and his gang of bridge builders are building coal bunkers at South Port for the Southern Pacific this week.

A meeting of the business men of this city was held at the store of the Mill & Mercantile Co., Tuesday evening and the proposition of increasing the capital stock of the company was discussed and a committee was appointed to interview the merchants and citizens of this city in regard to the same.

Chas. M. Webb of Marshfield, Oreg., has purchased through Frank Burt Scholder, 11 acres in the south part of town belonging to W. J. Demont. Mr. Webb left Wednesday morning for Marshfield for his family and to make this city their future home.

E. H. Johnson and wife of Saskatchewan, British Columbia, were in the city the first of the week looking over several pieces of property with the intention of purchasing. They left Tuesday for Florence to look at some property in that section. Mr. Johnson is the fore-runner for a large number of people from his section who are looking for a country where the winters are not so severe.

The Timberman says that the log market in the Coquille district is weak, in sympathy with lumber. Fir logs are bringing from \$4 to \$5, spruce \$6 to \$7, red cedar \$7. White cedar is firm at \$10 and has maintained its price despite the decline in other grades of logs.

Report says that Bandon is threatened with the "yellow peril," some Chinamen having contracted for a building in which to start a laundry. We wonder if the little "City by the Sea" which may rightfully boast of so many modern enterprises will submit to the encroachments of the celestial push-cart and the pig-tailed cry of "Washee, Washee."

J. N. Jacobson was arrested Wednesday on complaint of Chas. Meyers for shooting stock. His preliminary hearing took place Wednesday morning before Judge E. D. G. Holden, who bound him over to the circuit court in the sum of \$200, which he furnished. The state was represented by Deputy Prosecutor Liljeqvist of Marshfield.

The many friends of A. J. Sherwood in Coos and Curry counties will be pleased to learn that he has been nominated for district prosecuting attorney.

Coming Out.

Next week fashionable Flora was "coming out," and her proud mamma was so excited over the fact that she proclaimed it, metaphorically speaking, from the housetops.

Even the charwoman had it. "You will be pleased to hear, Mrs. Moore," said proud mamma, "that Flora 'comes out' next week." "Well, mum," replied the worthy washer, "I am pleased. An' so does my husband? How long did Miss Flora get? William got six months!"—London Scraps.

Legend of the Mistletoe.

In the old Norse legends "Baldur, the beautiful," was killed with a branch of mistletoe by "Loki, the mischief maker," who hated and envied him for his popularity. The gods in sorrow heaped curses upon the offending mistletoe. Suddenly appeared the God of Love and begged them in future whenever they saw a piece of it to give each other a friendly kiss in token of love, that his spirit might live. Since that time and from this has come the custom of stealing a kiss from any one standing under a branch of mistletoe.

CURRY COUNTY OIL PROSPECTS

Reports Received at Coquille and Port Orford of Rich Finds in That Section.

There was a gentleman in Coquille this week who brought the news that Freund and Spencer who are drilling for oil at Langlois, had struck oil and were compelled to cap the well so that it would not run to waste before they had erected tanks to hold the crude product. The truth of the foregoing we are unable to state, as it is only hearsay.—Coquille Sentinel.

Boring for oil has been going on for several years in northern Curry. We are so used to it that it attracts but little attention. At first the operators would talk a little and said "indications were favorable," but of late they don't talk but keep on boring, which we interpret as meaning that they have struck it, but are not ready for public illumination. We have refrained from spouting about this enterprise, as we want the oil to do the spouting.—Port Orford Tribune.

Music in Bario.

The first use of new music of which we have absolutely authentic information was at the battle of Bouvines, that village of French Flanders where the French won three victories, Philip Augustus defeating Otto IV. of Germany there in 1214. Philip of Valois defeating the English there in 1340, while in 1794 the French defeated the Austrians at the same place. It was at Bouvines in 1214 that trumpets sounded the signal for the victorious French charge, the first authentic instance of a command given by a trumpet call.

Modern Chemistry.

The foundation of modern chemistry was laid in the beginning of the eighteenth century by Hales and Boerhaave. In 1772 Priestley published his researches on air, having discovered oxygen, ammonia, etc., thus beginning a new chemical era. Priestley was ably seconded by Cavendish, Lavoisier, Chaptal and others, and with the opening of the nineteenth century came the brilliant discoveries of Davy, Dalton, Faraday and others, which placed the science upon its present solid footing.

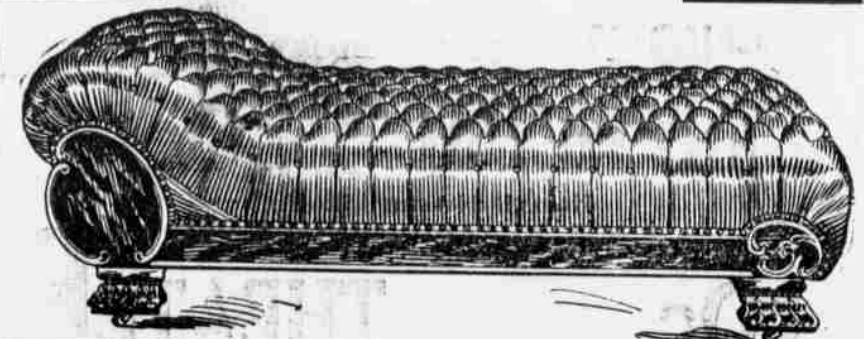
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