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ON LIFE AND DEATH.

THE RIGHT to live is, in human estimation, the most sacred, the most inviolable, the most inalienable. The joy of living in such a splendid and luminous day as this is inconceivable. To exist is exultation. To live forever is our sublimest hope. Annihilation, extinction and eternal death are the forebodings of despair. To know, to love, to achieve, to triumph, to confer happiness, to alleviate misery, is rapture. The greatest crime and the severest penalty known to human law is the sacrifice and forfeiture of life.

And yet we are all under sentence of death. Other events may or may not occur. Other conditions may or may not exist. We may be rich or poor; we may be learned or ignorant; we may be happy or wretched; but we all must die. The verdict has been pronounced by the inexorable decree of an omnipotent tribunal. Without trial or opportunity for defense; with no knowledge of the accuser, or the nature and cause of the accusation; without being confronted with the witnesses against us, we have been summoned to the bar of life and condemned to death. There is no writ of error nor review. There is neither exculpation nor appeal. All must be relinquished. Beauty and deformity, good and evil, virtue and vice, share the same relentless fate. The tender mother cries passionately for mercy for her first born, but there is no clemency. The craven felon sullenly prays for a moment in which to be anealed, but there is no reprieve. The soul helplessly beats its wings against the bars, shudders and disappears.

The proscription extends alike to the individual and the type. Nations die and races expire. Humanity itself is destined to extinction. Sooner or later it is the instruction of science that the energy of the earth will be expended, and it will become incapable of supporting life. A group of feeble and pallid survivors in some sheltered valley in the tropics will behold the sun sink below the horizon and the pitiless stars glitter in the midnight sky. The last man will perish, and the sun will rise upon an earth without an inhabitant. Its atmosphere, its seas, its life and heat, will vanish, and the planet will be an idle cinder uselessly spinning in its orbit.

Every hour some world dies unnoticed in the firmament; some sun smoulders to embers and ashes on the hearthstone of infinite space, and the mighty maze of systems sweeps ceaselessly onward in its voyage of doom to remorseless and unsparring destruction.

With the disappearance of man from the earth, all traces of his existence will be lost. The palaces, towers and temples he has reared, the institutions he has established, the cities he has built, the books he has written, the creeds he has constructed, the philosophies he has formulated—all science, art, literature and knowledge will be obliterated and engulfed in empty and vacant oblivion.

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BRIEFS OF BANDON.

News of City-By-the-Sea As Told By The Recorder.

Delphi Lodge K. of P. elected officers last Monday night as follows: C. R. Wade, C. C.; E. Lewin, V. C.; J. W. Mast, Prelate; Claude Adams, M. of W.; B. N. Harrington, K. of R. and S.; J. C. Shields, M. of A.; J. N. Langlois, I G.; Wm McKay, O. G.

One of the pleasant features of the closing days of the Bandon High School was the presentation of a beautiful ring to Miss Rogers by the pupils of the High School as a token of their appreciation of her excellent work among them during the past school year. The ring was set with a beautiful agate, found on the Bandon beach.

Married, at the home of the groom, in Bandon, Thursday, June 9th, Mr. Oliver C. Ocheltree and Miss Lillian S. McCoy, Rev. Adolph Haberly, of the Presbyterian Church, officiating. The groom is a steady young man employed in the Moore mill, while the bride is a daughter of Mr. Chas. McCoy, now of Marshfield, but formerly a resident of Bandon.

A small fire, Tuesday noon, which consumed Carl Nelson's chicken house, caused considerable excitement for a short time, but with the quick work of the fire boys with the chemical engine, the fire was gotten under control before it could spread to any other buildings. The fire is supposed to have resulted from the explosion of a lamp in the brooder.

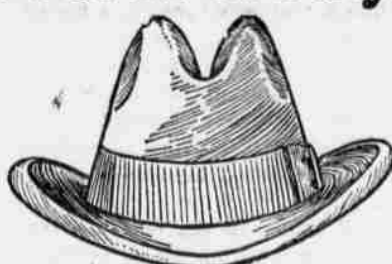
Howard, the eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morris, of Bandon, passed away on Thursday morning at 5 o'clock, at the home of T. A. Walker. The cause of this sudden death was pronounced by Dr. Richmond as cerebral meningitis, and all who were in the house have remained in, and they have allowed no one to enter the place, Mr. Walker putting up a red flag as a precaution in case there should be danger of contagion.

Although there was but one graduate from the Bandon High School this year, the regular commencement exercises were held in the auditorium of the school building, Friday evening, and proved to be exceedingly interesting. The presentation of the diploma to Miss Jessie Wood, who was the only graduate, was ably done by Preston C. Stephenson, chairman of the school board, and a pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of a beautiful watch fob to C. R. Moore by students of the High School.

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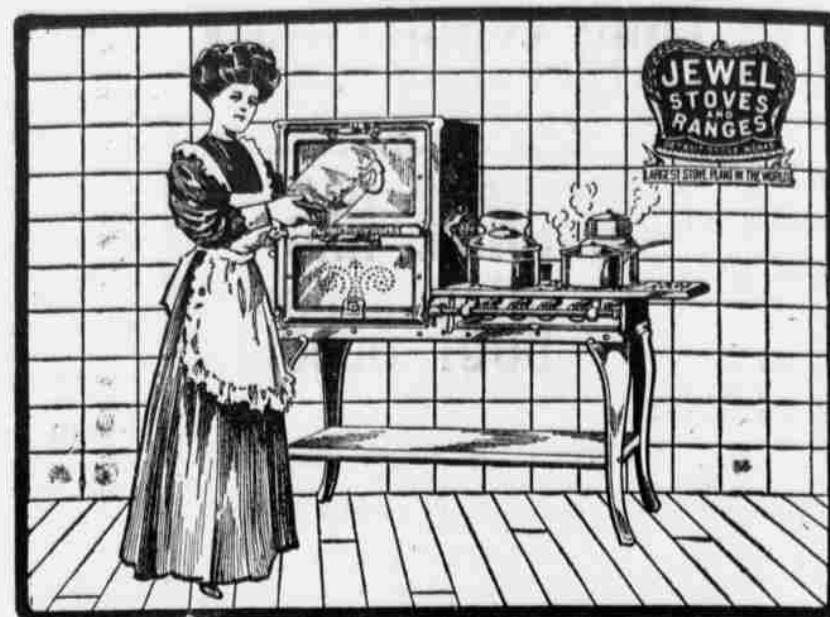
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STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF THE

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OF COOS BAY, MARSHFIELD, ORE. March 29, 1910.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$ 86,473.18	Capital stock paid in...\$100,000.00
Overdrafts.....211.90	Surplus fund.....500.00
Bonds and securities...25,603.90	Undivided profits.....1,962.43
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....56,811.10	Deposits.....126,436.10
Cash on hand and due from banks.....59,798.50	
Total.....\$228,898.58	Total.....\$228,898.58

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Cash reserve.....47 per cent of deposits.
Reserve required by law.....15 per cent of deposits.
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