

Better Cake and Biscuits

In all receipts calling for baking powder, use Royal Baking Powder. Better and finer food will be the result, and you will safeguard it against a possible dangerous compound.

Look out for adulterated baking powders. Do not permit them to come into your house under any consideration. They may add an injurious substance to your food, destroying in part its digestibility. Doctors will tell you this and it is unquestionable.

Housewives are sometimes led to use inferior baking powders because of deceptive foaming or boiling tests or apparent lower cost, but there is very little difference in practical use, about one cent for a whole cake or pan of biscuits—a mere trifle when you consider the vast difference in healthfulness in favor of food made with Royal Baking Powder.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.
New York

WILL DECIDE SOON SEND REFERENDUM

INSPECTORS TO ACT ON CASE OF CAPT. LOFSTEDT

Testimony of Men on Board Has Been Taken and Presented for an Opinion

DECISION IS HELD FOR SEVERAL DAYS

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 29.—It was announced today that the decision in the case of Captain Lofstedt, master of the steamer Santa Clara, wrecked on the Coos Bay bar, who was charged with carelessness and unskillfulness, would not be made by the federal inspectors for several days. The inspectors who heard the case took all the testimony yesterday.

It is expected that there will very soon be a decision of the steamboat inspectors as to whether or not Captain Lofstedt or any of the officers on the Santa Clara were to blame for the wreck of the vessel. Captain John K. Bulger of San Francisco and Captain Whitney of Seattle are now in Portland. The Oregonian in referring to the case says:

"The mission of inspectors Whitney and Lord is to sit here as a board, because George Fuller, inspector of boilers for this district, is confined to his home, having been ill for the past few days and Captain Edwards, inspector of hulls, cannot act alone under the law.

"One of the most important things to be taken up by the Puget Sound inspectors will be a decision in the case of the steamer Santa Clara, lost at the entrance to Coos Bay, where she struck November 2. Testimony of the crew and most of the officers was taken at San Francisco, where they went after the accident, while that of Captain Gus Lofstedt, her commander, was given before inspectors Edwards and Fuller on his return here.

OLD LOGS COMING DOWN THE RIVER

In Smith-Powers Boom Some Sticks are Found Which Were Cut Six Years Ago

The logs which came down Coos river during the freshet included some which were cut as high as six years ago. The freshet was a complete one and carried out everything at the headwaters. There are some old brands on the logs and there is considerable difficulty in sorting them all out.

SEEK SENTIMENT REGARDING ENLARGEMENT OF SERVICE

National Chamber of Commerce Would Have Nation Make Stronger Bid for Foreign Trade

To ascertain the business sentiment of the country regarding improvement of the commercial service of the United States abroad, a referendum is being sent out to the 700 Chambers of Commerce in America. A copy of the referendum has just been received here.

It is recommended an increase in congressional appropriations for the general broadening and improving of the government's commercial service.

Consular Needs
The most pressing need among the many consuls of the United States in foreign countries has been outlined by Wilbur J. Carr, director of the service. They are: Americanization, adequate clerical assistance, promotion of certain consular agencies to the rank of consulates, establishment of new consulates and the adequate inspection of the service.

It is pointed out that U. S. consuls in many important cities receive salaries greatly less than those given representatives of other countries, a fact that is said to curtail the work of the consuls.

Gathering Data
An effort is to be made to have the statistics forwarded from foreign countries by consuls compiled in a comprehensive form and so that they can be easily obtained and as easily understood. It is said that these, in the hands of manufacturers and business men will be the means perhaps of opening up new trade relations.

The opinion of the local Chamber of Commerce is asked in the referendum and this will be brought up at the December meeting.

FAMILY DESTITUTE

Bunker Hill People Helping Woman and Her Children
The Bunker Hill people are making an effort to do something for a destitute woman and her children who live in that neighborhood. The woman is Mrs. J. G. Kimbrough. She has three children, the oldest of whom is aged 5 years. The husband, it is said, has done no providing for the family. The woman is in poor health and she and the children need provisions and clothing. She has a brother in California who has sent her some money, about enough for the fares, and now the Bunker Hill people will provide clothing and food pending the time that the family can leave.

TWO HURT BY AUTO

ROSEBURG, Ore., Nov. 30.—R. A. Heracher and son Walter, suffered fractured arms and other injuries when they were struck by parts of an automobile which flew off when the rear wheels were running while the car was jacked up for repairs.

We Open the Lando Sale

IN THE LANDO STORE ROOM

TO-MORROW at 9 A. M.

We are not going to try to enumerate prices today. We simply want to give a clear explanation of the way we intend to handle this store and dispose of the stock.

There Is Between \$20,000 and \$25,000 Worth of Good, Clean Merchandise

Including

Men's Ladies' and Childrens' Ready-to-Wear, Piece Goods, Furnishings, Laces, Trimmings, Embroideries, Comforters, Bedding, Furs,

Notions of all kinds, and so many articles it would be impossible to mention all on this page.

We want to DISPOSE of EVERYTHING in this store BEFORE JANUARY FIRST and in order to do this we must give you PRICES that heretofore have been UNKNOWN and UNHEARD OF.

QUALITY, QUANTITY AND PRICE is what it takes to make an immense sale successful. WE HAVE HAD an average force of fifteen people working on this stock since Wednesday, November 24th, arranging and systematizing for quick selling. Plenty of experienced help will be on hand to wait on you properly. WE WILL PROVE TO YOU that this will be the BEST and LARGEST SALE that has ever been known in Coos County. JUST REMEMBER, those who come first have the best selection.

The Opening Day Is December First, at 9 A. M.

Hub Clothing & Shoe Co.

BUY CERTIFICATES

SEVERAL PEOPLE WILL ATTEMPT TO SECURE TIMBER

To Foreclose On Delinquent Lands of Southern Oregon Company—Cases Watched With Interest

Several delinquency tax certificates on timber tracts of the Southern Oregon Company have recently been purchased from the sheriff of Coos, according to District Attorney Liljeqvist, and proceedings will be started immediately after Christmas to foreclose on the land, in an effort to secure clear title.

Proceedings to foreclose force the original owners into court, it is said, where they must either redeem, paying 15 percent on the money paid in back taxes and penalties, or relinquish title to the land.

WARRANTS SOUGHT

SMALL INVESTORS BUY IN CHECKS OF CITY EMPLOYEES

Expect to Hold Until May and Redeem Plus Five Per Cent Discount and Six Per Cent Interest

Warrants of the city employees that are now discounted five percent at the local banks are much in demand by small investors, who see in them good gilt-edge chances of making better than average returns on their money.

A few of the employees are holding their warrants until May, not cashing them now and waiting themselves, to make some money on the

AT THE HOTELS

Chandler Hotel

L. G. Ray, Myrtle Point; W. Laird, Coquille; G. Z. Wallis, Portland; Ben McMullen and wife, Little Point; L. F. Le Garie, Portland; George W. Moore, Portland; Charles E. Mack, Eugene; P. H. Gier, Little; J. A. Mattison, Portland.

Hubco Hotel

Jack Anderson, North Bend; H. Stewart, Empire; M. Wilson, Little Point; M. J. Carmichael, North Bend; S. H. Housey, North Bend; Jarrells, Bandon; Vera Mason, Little Point; Noah Foll, Coos Bay; W. Bassett, Powers; William Linn, Powers; O. J. Howe, Powers; J. Dempsey, Powers; J. Stephens, Hauser; Henry Wagoner, don.

deal. Others are losing five cents on the dollar.

The warrants will in all probability be recalled some time in May, at the time the bulk of the tax money is received. Being bought now at a five per cent discount and running with six per cent interest additional, they will be redeemed then, it is said, at their face value.

The banks declare that practically none of the city warrants have reached them since the five per cent discount was announced.

The new water system for West Linn is about complete.

C. L. Lucke, of Canby, recently purchased and shipped 26 carloads of hogs and cattle.

The Wise Christmas Gift Buyers

will commence to do their shopping NOW when complete full stocks are to be seen, without the rush and worry of the Holiday period.

Here a splendid stock of Gold Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds, Bracelets, Necklaces, La Vallieres, Rings, Silver, Cut Glass, etc., are offered for your inspection at prices exceptionally attractive. Design and workmanship are of the highest quality. A small deposit insures obtaining any article later. —Shop early.

Jewelry Department
Red Cross Drug Store