

COOS BAY TIMES

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SO SAY WE ALL

HERE is a creed that has been suggested for every citizen of a city that aspires to better conditions and The Times earnestly endorses it:

I believe in my town—
I believe in her people, in her boys and her girls.
I will make myself a committee of one to make of this a good place in which to live and a mighty hard place to leave.
I believe in my town—
I believe in her institutions, in her schools, in her churches and her stores.
I believe in the street broom and the street sweeper, and in the paint pot.
I believe in ne'er an empty can on vacant lot but many a full one in the larder.
Never again will I throw waste paper or rubbish in the street or alley.
I believe in my town—
I believe in trees, God's first temples; grass instead of ash heaps, and flowers instead of weeds.
May God bless the tongue that gives honest praise and commendation, and may He doubly bless the ear that is deaf to scandal and gossip.

WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA

GOOD EVENING

God expects from men something more at such times, and it were much to be wished for the credit of their religion as well as the satisfaction of their conscience that their Easter devotions would in some measure come up to their East or dress.—Selected.

EARLY EASTER HYMN

This is the very day of God.
Serene with holy light it came,
In which the stream of sacred blood
Swept over the world's crime and shame.

The sins of all are laid on thee,
Oh, admirable mystery,
And thou to cleanse the world's deep stain
As man doth bear the sins of men.
What can be ever more sublime?
That grace might meet the guilt of time
Love doth the bonds of fear undo
And death restores our life anew.
—St. Ambrose.

HOW ABOUT IT?

"A friend in need's a friend indeed"
/ Remark'd my friend, who's Dutch;
"He is," agreed my old friend
Reid,
"If he doesn't need too much."

A Coos Bay woman "dresses" when she goes down town. And "dressing" means taking off the petticoat she wears around the house.

There isn't any sense in a Coos Bay man getting gray headed thinking for himself when he can get married and have his thinking done for him.

OH, SHUX!

"You'll find the cobbler is awl right,"
"Observed my friend Jim Must,"
"He'll peg for you with awl his might
And he'll stick to the last."

Always try to remember that you may be a pest to the people you regard as pests.

In the opportunity which it affords for the confidential discussion of scandal, marriage is unsurpassed by any other form of the social relation.

The people of Coos Bay are unanimous in the opinion that "something should be done about it."

Some Coos Bay women's idea of shopping is spending a hard afternoon down town but spending nothing else.

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Cold, cold cash is a warm, warm friend.

Wilson Kaufman who has lived in both places says there is this advantage in living in a small town: When a man removes the fountain pen from his breast pocket he is dressed up for the evening.

I may be an iconoclast. Why all the rejoicing on the wedding day? All that there is to it is that a fool girl has copped out a homely mutt who chews tobacco or smokes cigarettes and is going to work for him for her board and clothes.

The Times reported the other day that there are twenty-seven divorce cases on file in the Coos Circuit Court. Divorce is the cactus plant that sprouts from the grave of dead illusions.

WHEN A FELLOW DIES

I notice when a fellow dies, no matter what his sin.
Some kindly chap will call to mind the good fellow he'd been;
His friends forget his weaknesses and on his virtues dwell,
While others get their hammers out and start to "knock" right well.
I know that when I go to rest I'll get my share of blame,
For human nature the world o'er is just about the same.
But if its all the same to you, I'll take the meat and bread
And give the fruit and flowers to Riley (Kirk) (When I'm dead).

—ANON.

NEWS OF NEARBY TOWN

PORT MAKES PLANS

Telling of river improvement plans the Myrtle Point Enterprise says: The Board of Commissioners of the Port of Coquille River have completed arrangements to do considerable snagging and dredging between the north boundary of the Port district and the dock at Myrtle Point. The government dredge which was used on some work done a couple of years ago will soon be put to work for this summer operations. J. N. Gearhart, secretary of the board went to Bandon to receipt the government for the dredger. At the meeting of the Commission Chas. Adams was chosen a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of P. L. Phelan, who resigned because of his removal to San Francisco.

WILL BUILD A HOME

R. C. McKinnis, who returned to Bandon from California, is planning the erection of a modern residence at the corner of Ninth street and Franklin avenue west. He owns several fine lots there, and in view of the fact that the improvement of Franklin avenue is under consideration, wants to live on that thoroughfare.—Bandon Western World.

OPEN SILICA MINE

A Coquille man reports having made a valuable discovery. The Coquille Herald says. Elisha Vernon, who is making his home with J. E. Quick, says that he has made a discovery in Coos county of a ledge of silica, from which glass is made. Mr. Vernon, who says he is an old miner, states that he has developed the ledge by the sinking of four holes at different points and that it lies within 12 feet of the surface of the ground. He has sent a sample to a California expert, who reported that the assay showed 36 per cent silica and 2 per cent of iron. He does not give the location of the discovery, but says it is within a hundred yards of a wagon road and within 14 miles of the railroad. He is now seeking the assistance of capital for the development of the mine. Should this prove all that could be hoped, it would mean one of the big industries that will mean so much to Coos in the future.

WINTER WAS SEVERE

The big snow storm the past winter was a severe one for people living in the wilds of Curry county according to the following from the Gold Beach Reporter: In speaking of the severity of the past winter, H. W. Williams, who was in the past week from his ranch on upper Pistol river, stated that the snow was so deep at his place, and the storm so incessant, that for 22 days he was cooped up at home, unable even to get across the creek to see how his stock was faring, though it was protected from the storm, with plenty of hay. In making the rounds of the range lately he found many carcasses of deer that had died from starvation and exposure. In one place were seven old bucks together, dead in their beds, and several together at other places. Most of those found dead were old bucks.

NEWS OF CURRY COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fry, of Marial are the proud parents of a baby boy, who arrived April 11. The weather for the past week has been marked by frequent showers, which haven't helped the road conditions. Mr. and Mrs. H. Rawley, of Crescent City, spent several days in Gold Beach, looking over the town.

News of Near-by Towns

SHIPYARD DEAL IS NOT YET CLOSED

John Neilson Expects Daily Word From Portland Regarding the Matter

The ship yard deal at Bandon is expected to be concluded soon according to the following from the Bandon Western World: John Neilson, who returned several days ago from Portland, states that he is expecting word daily from San Francisco in regard to the local shipyard deal. The matter of securing lumber from the Moore Lumber company was satisfactorily settled before Chris. Notley, the ship contractor, left Bandon for the south. It is thought the deal for the sale or lease of the local yards would be completed with Kronenberg & Foad at San Francisco, after which the contracts with the shipbuilders would be closed. Local people are anxiously awaiting the final word as to the disposition of the plant and quite a number of experienced ship carpenters are waiting for favorable developments in view of securing positions with the new owners.

SOLD THE BICYCLE

Russel Miller Must Now Answer Serious Charge

Russel Miller, who gives his age as seventeen, said to be a resident of the Fishtrap country, was taken to Coquille by Deputy Sheriff W. C. Laird, having been bound over to the Grand Jury on a charge of larceny from a building. Miller is said to have plead guilty to forcing entrance to Sam Barrow's repair shop and stealing a bicycle valued at \$38 retail. Entrance was gained by removing the glass from a window on the west side of the building and the wheel was taken out through the back door, which was unfastened from the inside. The thief immediately left for the south, riding the bicycle as far as Port Orford where he sold it to a man named Hodson for \$5.00.

MYRTLE POINT NOTES

News of That Place Printed in the Enterprise Mrs. J. H. Stover returned from Powers where she has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Golda Carlisle.

Hazel, the six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Gearhart of Dora, fell from a log and suffered a serious fracture of her left arm at the elbow. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roberts left for Florence, where they will visit for several weeks with their daughter Mrs. Edward Rackleff.

Edward Rackleff is here from Florence to visit his mother, Mrs. C. E. Rackleff, who has been quite seriously ill.

John Moon, uncle of Truman Moon arrived from Applegate, California, and will visit for a time with his nephew and family.

E. J. Lehman, a homesteader of the Catching Creek district, was seriously injured while engaged in felling a tree with Thos. Brack a neighboring homesteader.

While unloading cream at the Broadbelt creamery Edwin Schroeder, a South Fork dairyman, suffered a painful dislocation of his left wrist and the fracture of the bones in his forearm near the wrist.

Arbor Day was observed in the Myrtle Point Grammar school in appropriate programs of song, recitations and essays by the pupils of C. N. Patterson in the eighth grade, as well as those of Miss Effie King of the seventh grade and Misses Dora Harrison and Lena Schneider of the sixth and fifth.

IN THE MOVIES NOW

Howard Johnson, Formerly of Bandon, Acts for Screen Pictures

The following interesting news to many who know Mr. Johnson is from the Western World:

The people of Bandon will soon be able to see one of their former fellow citizens in the big movies. J. Howard Johnson, formerly with the Estabrook company and later a commercial salesman with headquarters here, is now playing important parts with the Jesse Lasky Feature Play Co., at Hollywood, Cal.

Mr. Johnson's first appearance will be in "The Sowers," a Paramount feature, with Blanche Sweet as the leading lady. The former Bandon man takes one of the leading parts.

NEW SUITS FILED

The following are the new suits filed in the Circuit Court: J. N. McNair vs Coos County, S. L. Shumate, vs H. J. Paulson, Libbie English, vs Coos County, Oregon. C. L. Luke, vs George E. Pike and Nelson Lammey, Arthur McKeown, vs Jason Machado.

WILL OPERATE MILL

N. H. Larson of Port Orford Sees Good Season Ahead The Port Orford Tribune says: N. H. Larson, manager of the local saw and shingle mill, is well pleased with the business outlook for Port Orford for the coming season. He has recently started several men cutting ties and shingle bolts on property that he owns north of the city and expects to increase the force to eight or ten men. The shingle mill will start about May 1 and will probably run steadily all summer, while the saw mill will run as the local market demands.

ANOTHER BUILDING PLANNED FOR BANDON

Chris Rasmussen Will Erect Large Garage Beginning Work Early Next Month (Special to The Times.)

BANDON, Ore., April 24.—Chris Rasmussen has announced that he will on May first begin the construction of a new two-story building on his lot at the corner of Chicago avenue and First street. The building will be 150 feet long and 50 feet wide and will be designed especially for a garage. The structure will be corrugated iron with a plate glass front.

NEWS OF BANDON

Notes About the City-by-the-Sea From Western World

Halibut, lingcod and crabs were received by local markets from Coos Bay this week finding ready sale.

Warren Littlefield, who last week received a bad cut on the foot while chopping wood, is again able to be at work.

George W. Dafoe, the new local saw mill man, has instituted a suit to quiet title against the A. F. Estabrook company.

C. H. Howard and son, Park, who have been making ties in the upper Two Mile country the past winter, are in Bandon this week for a short vacation.

A. J. Marsh, the Elk river dairyman, was in the city the latter part of last week placing orders for supplies. Mr. Marsh is preparing for a big season in his line. He conducts a creamery on his place.

B. W. Charlesworth last week sold his six-room residence on Chicago avenue to Ernest Sidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charlesworth expect to leave in a short time for California. They may later return to Arizona where they have a homestead.

WAS WELL KNOWN MAN

MYRTLE POINT, Ore., April 22.—Ira M. Abbott, the barber who died April 15 at the home of Mrs. Anna Barklow, with whom the family resided, was well known in the county. He was born at Sweet Home, Ore., April 25, 1882. He was married to Miss Alta Barklow in 1908 and besides the widow he leaves two sons.

DECIDES ON PAY

(Special to The Times) BANDON, April 24.—The Bandon city council has decided to pay common laborers on the water improvements 30 cents an hour for an eight hour day.

FILES INJUNCTION

Two Mile People Would Prevent Erection of School

Another chapter in the Two Mile school controversy is told in the Western World which says:

Samuel Wood, representing the Township Line people in the Two Mile school controversy, has filed a suit for injunction against the directors of the district to prohibit them from erecting a building or making any improvements on the present site at the expense of the taxpayers. W. Z. Dunmire and Geo. Heuther are named as defendants. The case will come up at the present session of the Circuit court. Another case is on the docket involving the same parties. It is a mandamus to compel the directors to call a recall election.

FINDS OLD CLOCK

The following story of the finding of an old clock is from the Bandon Western World:

While out at the city reservoir one day recently Fred Lorentzen, water bailiff, found an alarm clock hanging on the limb of a tree, which had hung there so long the ring was firmly embedded in the wood. Mr. Lorentzen estimating from the markings on the clock, etc. that it had been there since 1909. He took the instrument down, gave it a shake and it started running, and is now apparently keeping as good time as it ever did.

ROGUE RIVER NOTES

John McKenzie, who has been in the Bandon hospital with an attack of pneumonia, has so far recovered that he returned to his home at Elk Creek last week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fry at Marial on April 11.

E. L. Thomas and family left for the north Tuesday, going to Myrtle Point to reside, from which point we understand Mr. Thomas will operate a jitney this summer. Their household goods will go out by boat to Coos Bay.

The Seaborg cannery is expected to be in operation by May 1st in charge of J. W. Dougherty as manager. He is expected here in a few days and as representative of the stockholders in the concern will straighten up affairs and get ready for canning fish.

WILL WED IN PORTLAND

Miss Ethel Dyer to Marry Earl Watkins

who is at present employed as a druggist in Portland. Miss Dyer left for Portland and the ceremony is to take place soon after her arrival there. They will be at home at Union and Falling streets. Both young people are well known and highly respected here and their many friends will be delighted to wish them much happiness.

Miss Dyer was accompanied to Portland by her mother and Mr. Dyer expects to join them. The Bandon Western World says: Friends of Miss Ethel Dyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dyer of this city, will be surprised to learn that she is to become the wife of Earl Watkins, formerly of Bandon,

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