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BANDON, OREGON: THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1901

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### LOCAL NEWS.

New Lake Creamery Butter at Sander's.

James Morrison, of Bullards, was in town Monday night.

Try G. H. Magoon's for Fresh Groceries, Fruits, Provisions, etc.

N. R. Smith, of Northern Curry, was doing business in town last Monday.

E. A. Philpott has a second hand Singer sewing machine for sale—cheap.

J. A. Langhead and wife returned home last Monday from a visit to Portland.

For something convenient, hand, some and economical try a Quick Meal stove—At McNair's.

Rev. M. O. Brink, of Coquille, came down last Saturday evening and filled his appointments here on Sunday.

By looking over the race program you will see that there are races on for everybody, so come with the intention of winning a prize on July 4.

Col. S. S. Eversou completed his arrangements and left Bandon last Friday morning with his eye fixed on Dufer, Oregon, as the Canaan of his desire.

The secret of enjoyment is to help make amusement for others. If you stand around always waiting for others to amuse you, you will not realize much pleasure.

C. Timmins arrived here, last Monday to look after his cannery and other interests. He intends visiting San Francisco and will take passage on the Steamer Mandalay this trip.

Winter Davidson got struck in his right eye last week by a sliver which was thrown by a lathe at the broom handle factory here, which laid him off duty for a few days. The eye will suffer no injury.

FOR SALE.—A large, gray horse, of gentle and kind disposition; is eight years old, weighs over 1700 pounds and will work anywhere. Price \$100, if sold soon. Apply to Belloni Bros., Langhls, Oregon.

Every arrangement has now been completed for the celebration, and rest assured that Bandon offers a budget of amusement which you will find nowhere else, and something to eat that you cannot get elsewhere.

The committee of arrangement are making preparations to decorate 1st street handsomely for the celebration and if the citizens and business men will decorate their houses and places of business it will add much toward helping out the effect.

Ralph Holman received a heavy jolt on the cheek, near the eye, last Sunday, by a flying bat, while watching the progress of the game on the ball grounds. One of the players struck the ball and lost his hold on the bat at the same time.

Lloyd Ross arrived home, last Saturday evening, from Portland where he has been attending school. Lloyd made the trip from Roseburg to Myrtle Point on his bicycle, riding most of the distance with only one pedal, having broken one off when eight miles out from Roseburg.

Dale Barrows received a black eye, last Saturday, by being struck on the cheek bone by a piece of a broom handle square that was thrown from the saw at Dyer's mill on the Fisher place. The end of the square struck Dale on the left side of the face with sufficient force to knock him down.

Rev. A. Dabuff was in town last Saturday on his way to Riverport. He and Rev. F. M. Sanderlin returned, on Friday, from their visit to Crescent City. Mr. Dabuff gave us the information that frost had blackened the potato tops in the vicinity of Crescent City on the preceding Monday morning.

The ball on the night of July 4th will be under the auspices of the Fire Department Band, the members of which have left nothing undone conducive to success. Bandon boasts of the best floor in the county upon which to dance, and added to this will be excellent music by the McColloch Kime Orchestra, so without doubt the best ball of the season is on.

Jerry C. Haynes, a former resident of this place, but now of Myrtle Point, drove down last Monday in a carriage with John Rae and his son J. Rae, of New York, who have been examining the black sand deposits of Curry and Coos counties. Mr. Rae has a gold-saving machine which suggests the cause of his visit to this section. His device is different from that of other processes and is calculated to separate the gold from the sand without the aid of water.

Next Thursday is July 4th. Corned Beef and Limberger cheese at Magoon's.

Marshfield will not celebrate on the 4th this year.

For the best Strawberries enquire at C. W. Sanderson's.

For Bananas, Oranges, Fresh Nuts and Candies, etc., call at Magoon's.

T. J. Thrift gave his father and brothers, Edward and Sam, a visit, at Dairyville, this week.

Eugene Hamblock, of Parkersburg was married to Miss Annie Carman, of Etelka, on June 16.

Gurley Book, who went to Portland in the tug Brick, some time ago, returned home this week.

J. A. Cox, of Floras creek, and J. D. Steward and son, of New Lake, were in town Monday night.

Rev. A. Dabuff will preach memorial service in Swift's hall, next Sunday at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

T. P. Hanley, one of the prominent dairymen of the lower Coquille, was doing business in town last Saturday.

John Blacklock and wife returned from San Francisco and contemplate making Bandon their home for awhile at least.

Miss Rose Long arrived home last week, from Forest Grove, where she has been attending school, having graduated.

Mrs. A. D. Walcott, of Marshfield, accompanied by her son Dwight, is visiting her parents, D. J. Lowe and wife, at this place.

Bananas, pineapples, oranges, coconuts, plums, cherries, at Magoon's, also, 500 pounds of the choicest candies ever in Bandon.

A case of smallpox is reported at Gardiner. The disease is reported to be prevalent at Kirbyville and Walden, in Josephine county.

Mason's fruit jars at J. Denholm's. Pints, Quarts, and Half Gallons. Send in your orders. Do not be late every year. They will keep.

Messrs. W. H. Logan and A. G. Erickson finished repairing the wharf, last Tuesday, and are ready to begin on the extension as soon as the permit arrives.

Two of the races on the program for July 4th, namely, the Station race and the Obstacle race, will offer facilities for amusement rarely exceeded. Be sure you see these features.

F. E. Hicks, the photographer will be here on or before August 1st, on his regular trip through Curry county. He will remain in Bandon and take photos of all classes at reasonable rates.

Benton Hoyt, one of our enterprising citizens and accommodating tourist artists, is preparing to put two chairs in his barber shop during the 3rd and 4th of July. He will have W. Kelly, of San Francisco, as helper.

The Mandalay's incoming passenger list yesterday was as follows: Miss W. Taylor, John Blacklock and wife, Elbert Dyer, Charles Henderson, R. H. Day, J. J. Sullivan, M. R. Lee, Mrs. C. M. King, Miss King and Miss C. Lorentzen.

The baseball league game, between the Marshfield and Myrtle Point teams, came off last Sunday at Marshfield and was won by the Marshfield team in a score of 8 to 3 rallies. The next league game takes place next Sunday at Myrtle Point and will be played by the team of that place and Coquille.

While making a landing at the wharf last Friday evening, the anchor of the Berwick, which was hanging alongside the bow of the vessel, was caught between the vessel and the wharf and one of the bulks pierced the hull of the vessel below the water line. The schooner was beached and the rent repaired that night.

The steamer Mandalay came in yesterday morning having been nearly three and a half days out from San Francisco. She laid over several hours at Bodega bay, having run in to get out of the strong northwest wind. There were four or five other vessels which had also availed themselves of the same privilege to escape the wind. The Mandalay brought up eleven passengers and 175 tons of freight.

Dr. Strangs, Dentist, will arrive in Bandon on his next regular bi-monthly visit on the afternoon of July 5, and will be ready to commence work on the morning of July 6th. He will remain until and including all of July 10, and desires to have all who desire dentistry call on him during this visit. His next visit will be in September, which only makes it the more necessary for those who desire good work to have it done now. Office at the Tupper House.

Mrs. Mat Smith is visiting friends on the upper Coquille.

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Miss Minnie Williams arrived here yesterday on a visit to her sister Mrs. Carroll.

Frank E. Lenhart arrived here Tuesday evening to join his wife and visit yo editor and family.

The town trustees are having a belfry built upon the town hall in which to hang the fire alarm bell.

Two more parties have gone outside fishing today. W. M. Vandecar and J. Costello in one boat and Robt. Bedillion and George Lorenz in another.

Two Sisters of Charity were in town last Sunday, returning northward from a visit to Curry county. They are soliciting money for charitable purposes.

The Fourth of July would be incomplete without the rescue drill. This will take place near the boat-house after the races on the picnic grounds are concluded.

Alma Upton, Elder C. E. Cranley's co-laborer for the Western Oregon district, will hold services in Swift's hall next Saturday evening, and on Sunday morning and evening.

Last Sunday was a beautiful day for the excursion and quite a number of persons from Coquille and lower river points took occasion to visit Bandon. The second baseball team from Coquille came down to cross bats with the Bandon boys who, while they expected to get defeated, undertook to amuse the Coquillers, for awhile, so at two o'clock there was a general trekking toward the ball grounds and the game was soon on. The teams played nine innings and when the game ended the score stood 13 runs for each team. The game was very interesting all the way through and there is a general desire for the players to come together again.

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