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LODGE DIRECTORY.

Masonic.
BANDON LODGE, No. 115, A. F. A. M. Stated communications first Saturday after the full moon of each month. All Master Masons cordially invited.
R. H. ROSA, W. M.

I. O. O. F.
BANDON LODGE, No. 133, I. O. O. F. Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers in good standing cordially invited.
ROBT. JOHNSON, N. G.
L. J. RADLEY, Sec.

Rebekah Lodge No. 126.
MEETS Every 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. Practice night first Wednesday of the month. Social Evening the 3rd Saturday of the month. A cordial invitation extended to all members in good standing.
MINERVA LEWIN, N. G.
PEARL ERICKSON, Sec'y.

Knights of Pythias
DELPHI LODGE No. 64, Knights of Pythias. Meets every Monday evening at Masonic hall. Visiting Knights invited to attend.
R. E. L. Bellison, C. C.
B. N. HARRINGTON, K. of R. S.

Modern Woodmen.
TABLE ROCK CAMP, No. 9176, M. W. of A. Meets every fourth Saturday of each month at Concrete Hall. Visiting neighbors cordially invited to attend.
GEORGE LORENZ, H. C.
E. E. OAKES, Clerk.

Foresters of America.
COURT QUEEN OF THE FOREST, No. 17, meets Friday night of each week, in Concrete Hall, Bandon, Oregon. A cordial welcome is extended to all visiting brothers.
W. L. DAVIDSON,
G. TILER, Chief Ranger.
Fin. Secretary.

Woodmen of the World.
SEASIDE CAMP No. 212, W. O. W. Meets in regular session the first and third Thursdays of each month in the Masonic hall. Visiting members are cordially invited.
A. RICE, C. C.
O. C. WALDVOGEL, Clerk.

PROFESSIONAL.

Dr. H. L. Houston,
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.
Office over Drug Store. Hours, 9 to 12, a.m. 1:30 to 4, p.m.; 7 to 8 in the evening. Night calls answered from office.

BANDON, OREGON.

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Resident Dentist
OFFICE IN OLD BREWER BUILDING,
BANDON, OREGON.

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NOTARY PUBLIC.
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Bandon, Oregon.

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Baseball ?

Last Sunday the people of Bandon went out to the Ball Park and watched Marshfield play base ball. The end of the first inning looked as if Bandon also intended to play ball, for the score was 0-0, but at the end of the second inning stood 2-0 and Bandon did not get a look at 2nd base, the fourth inning the visitors made 6, and then it was all "off" with Bandon, and Marshfield alone "played ball." The home team put up a game replete with errors. One of the fielders abandoned his correct position and stood sentinel in the tall timber. The short and 2nd baseman vied with one another in hanging onto the second corner of the diamond. The fielders sat down and made note of the visitors' efficient batting ability. We have excellent material in the home team as has been proven in their recent game with North Bend, and in their practice prior to the game, and also the first three innings of the Sunday game. However the most necessary quality of all was lacking, i. e. team work, and a little more practice with the "stick." We believe that Bandon has just as good material as any team in the Coos League, but they need practice badly. With hard practice and a little coaching they stand just as good a show for winning the pennant as any team in the league. The final score was, Marshfield 13, Bandon 1.

Next Sunday the local team will travel inland to meet the Coquillians. The latter team has also a large bunch of errors to its credit so far this year and has been very irregular in its playing, and we look for the local team to bring back a scalp.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
North Bend	1	1	.500
Marshfield	2	0	1.000
Bandon	0	2	.000
Coquille	1	1	.500

Real Estate List.

2 one acre tracts, adjoining town cheap.
280 acres improved ranch, fine bearing orchard, 90 acres bottom land, 10 miles from Bandon. Large amount of white cedar on it, price \$4000.

Neat 5-room cottage just finished, good location, now pays 18 per cent on sale price, a snap at \$700.

House and 2 lots in town, good location, land set out in strawberries, \$550.

House, barn and other outhouses, nearly four acres of ground cleared and under fence, good location near town \$2000. No better investment in the market.

River front ranch, 1/4 mile river front on deep water. 177 1-3 acre coal land—\$3500.

Houses to rent, Coos and Carry property for sale, ranches of all sizes, in both counties for sale.

Store room to rent cheap in the best part of Bandon.

General merchandise store with stock and fixtures with building and large lot, doing a business of \$25,000 to \$30,000 per year, well located, and long established business, which can be doubled by the right parties. Price \$9000.

Manufacturing plant for sale. Good paying business. Big frontage on deep water. First class business proposition on Coquille river—\$20,000

Five room house just finished, good location \$700.

A number of first class deep water front mill sites for sale cheap.

2 timber claims, cruise 6,000,000 feet each, mostly white cedar, handy to roads and easy to log. Price \$2500 each.

Lots \$15 and up, located in all parts of town and surrounding addition. Property of all kinds bought and sold at living prices.

We are an old established firm and are reliable. We are no curbstone real estate agents. Call and see us, and if we do not have what you want we will get it.

THE BANDON REAL ESTATE & LOAN COMPANY, Rooms 2 and 3, New Denholm Bldg. Bandon, Ore.

MANY IMPROVEMENTS PLANNED.

Town Board Meets and Gives Orders.

The town board met again last Monday night and ordered a wholesale construction of sidewalks to be built within the town at once. The board will shortly publish a notice of its intention to order a sidewalk to be built on the right hand side of the street one usually travels going to Tupper Rock, the said sidewalk to begin at the G. A. R. hall and continue to the city limits. Also a sidewalk will be ordered on the West side of Spruce Street from the G. A. R. hall South to the Horsfall property.

The board also ordered the publication of its intention to grade Columbia Avenue from Iris to Sixth St., and to establish the grade of First Street between Wharf and Homer Streets, and to widen and re-plank the same, with 4 inch planks.

The recorder was also instructed to purchase 250 feet of fire hose.

Bids have already been posted for the proposed improvement of Atwater Street, and the Marshal has posted notice to all property owners within the corporate limits to clean up the Streets in front of their property and to repair all defective sidewalks. Those failing to do so will undoubtedly receive a personal visit from the marshal at a later date.

With all the proposed improvement in street conditions and a few are lights interspersed here and there, Bandon will no doubt take on the air of a young city.

'Frisco Lumber News.

Lumber at San Francisco, shipped there from Portland, is being disposed of at any price in order to get funds with which to carry on their business. Advice received state that much lumber has been sold at \$15 per thousand feet, and that it is likely to be selling as low as 10 dollars per thousand within a week.

The cause of the great slump is attributed to labor troubles. Before the strikes were declared, enough tonnage could not be secured for the transportation of fir to the Bay City. Business was flourishing to such an unprecedented degree that it is explained many of the buyers got overstocked. And when the labor trouble arose there was little demand for building material, and it is going at a sacrifice. It is feared that many lumber buyers in California will lose every dollar they own before the situation has been settled and business resumed on an extensive scale.

Coasters for carrying lumber to California are on the market at the lowest freight rates quoted for more than three years. Several fixtures at \$4.50 per thousand feet have been reported. Unless a great change is brought about soon, it is predicted the rates will be down to \$3 and even lower, reaching such a point that the owners will be forced to tie up their crafts.

Prize Contest.

To encourage visitors to include Portland and Oregon in their itinerary and become better advised, and also to be able to tell others, the Portland Commercial Club offers \$5000.00 in prizes for articles on Portland, Oregon and this section of the United States as follows:

First prize	\$1,000.00
Second "	500.00
Third "	250.00
Fourth "	200.00
Fifth "	175.00
Sixth "	150.00
Seventh "	125.00
Eighth "	100.00
Ninth "	75.00
Tenth "	50.00
Ten prizes of \$75.00 each	750.00
Ten " " 50.00 " "	500.00
Ten " " 25.00 " "	250.00
Twenty " " 15.00 " "	300.00
Twenty " " 10.00 " "	200.00
Three judges to be named by Hon. Geo. E. Chamberlain, Governor of Oregon	200.00
Grand Total	\$5,000.00

In order to be eligible for competition, these articles must appear in a regular edition of some newspaper or other publication dated on or before December 31st, 1907, printed outside the States of Oregon and Washington, said publication (complete) to be in the hands of the judges not later than February 1st, 1908. These articles must be sealed and addressed to—Prize Contest, Care Portland Commercial Club, Portland, Oregon.

Clevo Jennings Killed.

SHOT BY J. H. BOWLSBY AT ASTORIA.

Aboard Steamer Alliance.

J. H. Bowlsby shot and killed Clevo Jennings on Friday of last week on the deck of the Str. Alliance while she was moored at Astoria en route to Coos Bay. Both men were of North Bend. The story of the affair in brief is that Bowlsby, according to an eye witness, walked up behind Jennings, and stepping within a cabin door and keeping his body out of sight, struck his head around the corner, and while Jennings was intent on watching the longshoremen below, Bowlsby fired with a 44 revolver, the bullet striking 2 1/2 inches from the spine near the 10th rib and coming out in front below the left breast. The wounded man turned after the shot in time to look the murderer full in the face, and during the short time that he lived made a statement to the purser on the boat.

The cause of the tragedy was Jennings alleged undue familiarity with Bowlsby's wife, though Jennings immediately preceding his death made a declaration of innocence. Jennings was fully aware of Bowlsby's hatred for him, in fact had been shot at twice at North Bend, while fishing. Then he left for Portland for safety, to which place he had been followed. Jennings hearing that Bowlsby was in that city looking for him, he decided to take the steamer for North Bend, and Bowlsby hearing of the fact also bought a ticket for that place. The first meeting occurred at Astoria with the above result. A coroner's jury was called but adjourned till the next return of the Alliance, to await the arrival of necessary witnesses before arriving at a final conclusion concerning the affair. Bowlsby is under arrest and held in the Astoria jail.

Southern Pacific Development.

On competent authority the Times is able to state that the Southern Pacific route, will parallel the east side of the upper bay, crossing over at the mouth of Coos river, thence running along the eastern side of Isthmus Slough to the old Henryville mine, which has been idle since 1871. Plans are now mapped out which will not only add hundreds to the population of the territory contiguous to the upper bay, but will run the present payroll of Marshfield into figures that seem now well nigh improbable. The Southern Pacific Railroad Company will make of Coos Bay a coaling center for the railroad as well as the marine. Three mines will for the present be worked for the company.

Surveyors are now at work in the vicinity of the Henryville mines running lines and getting estimates. This mine will be improved and rebuilt to provide for a capacity of 1,000 tons a day, and the Beaver Hill and Southport mines will be brought up to a capacity of 500 tons a day, the three mines will have a total daily output of 1,500 tons. To handle this vast amount three coal carrying vessels, with a capacity of 3,000 tons each, will be put in service to Coos Bay by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, and they will carry the product of the mines exclusively.

A conservative estimate of the amount of money expended in getting the three mines to running capacity is given by W. S. Chandler as follows: Henryville, between \$9,000 and \$10,000. Beaver Hill, between \$10,000 and \$15,000, and Southport, about \$4,000 a month, making a total of about \$25,000 per month during the period of getting the mines ready to do business on a large scale. When under operation and delivering 1,500 tons of coal per day the three mines will represent a payroll of about \$70,000 per month and will employ close to 500 men. The payroll is the largest expended by one company on Coos Bay.

Big Excursion Sunday.

FROM COOS BAY TO BANDON.

Open Air Concert.

A most elaborate Gala Day, and monster excursion is planned from Coos Bay to Bandon on the beach for Sunday the 23rd inst.

One of the remarkable details advertised by those in charge is that the tickets will be limited to 500, who are fortunate enough to be first with the money. The C. B. R. & E. line will fit up and run special observation cars, and the entire passenger system of the Coquille river will be pressed into service for the round trip, and will include the Dispatch, Liberty and Favorite. Numerous cash prizes have been offered for the best kodak pictures taken of the various boats, the river, the beach and other objects.

The Bandon band has been engaged to give two open air concerts upon the beach, bon fires will be built, and various other schemes are planned to furnish recreation and diversion for the multitude sure to take advantage of such a rare opportunity. Such an excursion will furnish a day of recreation which many would otherwise be unable to enjoy, brings many people to Bandon who otherwise would never see the place, gives Coos county people a chance to become familiar with the different parts of the county, and to become acquainted with one another. It will be an unusual occasion. Help it along. You will hear the first boat whistle about 11 o'clock, a. m.

Following is the program to be rendered by the band upon the beach, next Sunday at 2 P. M.

March, "Montezuma".....	W P Chambers
Sacred Fantasia: Joy to the World.....	Barnhouse
March, Imperial Eyes.....	Pearson
Waltzes, Wedding of the Winds.....	Hall
Mañana Chilian Dance.....	Missed
Selection, Superba.....	Dalbey
Intermezzo, Golden Rod.....	Mabel McKinly
March, Columbia Yacht Club.....	Vandercook
Selection Southern Breezes	
Tone Picture of the South.....	Dalbey
March, New Century.....	Miller
Prof. E. B. KAUSRUD, Director.	

ELECTRIC LIGHTS FOR BANDON.

C. E. Hollopeter ready to begin work.

On the 15 inst., C. E. Hollopeter the grantee of the electric light franchise for Bandon arrived in this city accompanied by Mrs. Hollopeter and V. R. Dwiggin, a brother-in-law who is also associated with him in the same business.

We are informed that the machinery is already on the way from Chicago, which includes an 100 horse power engine, a generator and an engine. The power house will be located on the old Woolen Mill property, near to the present Shingle Mill. The work of construction will begin as soon as lumber can be obtained, and as soon as the services of a piledriver can be obtained. Poles will be hauled and strung along the streets at once and some of them may be up next week.

The machinery which is of the latest pattern and equipment will be installed as soon as it reaches Bandon, and a few lights will be furnished at the earliest possible date.

The town by ordinance has contracted with the new company for 12 arc lights and these, we are informed will be installed and in working order by September 1st at the farthest date. Mr. Hollopeter expects to remain here permanently.

Bessie K. Sighted.

The derelict gasoline schooner Bessie K, which has been drifting up and down the coast for many months, is still adrift, and was sighted about ten days ago off the California coast in the regular line from the Bay City to Honolulu, by the steamer Sierra. The word "Bessie" could be distinctly seen on the stern of the vessel which has bottom up.

The Bessie K., it will be remembered sailed from Bandon during one of the squalls in March, and was seen a few days later upside down and adrift, off Cape Blanco, and the wreck drifted up and down the Coos county coast for many weeks, once reported within a short distance of the mouth of the Columbia. She has been picked up and towed up and down the coast by several vessels, the schooner Aurelia having had a line on her for two days, but all have been compelled to abandon the attempt.



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O. A. Trowbridge