

## Local Lore

A. Haberly has plenty of wood on hand. Order by free phone.

R. H. Rosa Co's. stock of oil clothing arrived on last Elizabeth.

A new line of ammunition at the Bandon Hardware Co., opposite the Post Office.

Fruit Jars, Rubber, and Caps. A. B. Naptha and white Laundry soap at R. H. Rosa Co's. Store.

Lint, the photographer, is having Prof. Wood make a couple of show-cases to be used in his establishment.

How about that hat. It is looking pretty shabby. Drop in and see what Lorenz & Hoyt can do for you in the line of hats.

County Surveyor Cathcart, of Marshfield, was in town Tuesday. He was on his way to survey a new county road south of Bandon.

Gallier Brothers are having the foundation for the new addition to the hotel, made of concrete. As soon as it is finished the work of erecting the new part will commence.

Emott Reynolds, of Tecumseh, Nebraska, is on his way to Bandon where he will go into the barber business with his brother-in-law, Harry Morrison.

Mr. Bradley, of the firm of Bradley & Traver, of Marshfield, has been in town the past few days on business. He is returning home from a trip down the coast.

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Prof. Smith, of North Bend, is conducting dancing classes Wednesday afternoon and evening. He instructs in the three step and other new dances. Ladies class in the afternoon commencing at 2 o'clock. Private instruction given if desired. Evening classes at eight o'clock.

A. J. Hartman has moved his household effects out of the back of the store building and into his residence at the rear of the building. The back of the store is being shelved up and will soon be in shape to receive the large stock of new merchandise ordered.

Boys and Men: Where do you buy your clothing? Does your suit look as nice after you have worn it a couple of times as it did at first? An effect is sometimes given to a suit with the flatiron but our suits stand for themselves and will keep their shape. We can fix the prices right. A. J. Hartman.

The gasoline launch Buffalo has been on the ways at the Woolen Mill for several weeks past, and has been thoroughly painted and had a new house built on her. She will be equipped with a 30 horse-power engine and will be used for tow work along the river. She was equipped with a 12 horse power engine before being overhauled, but it was not suitable for the class of work desired.

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"The American Hustler," presented by local talent at the Opera House last Saturday evening was well attended. Something like \$105 was taken in at the door, and after all expenses are paid, will leave a nice sum to help the local band along. The cast was well selected and the various characters did justice to their parts. The audience expressed themselves as well pleased with the performance. After the play the orchestra furnished music for a short dance, which would have been enjoyed more if the floor had been in better condition. The rosin which had been scattered on the floor for the last fistic contest had been walked into the floor so as to make it very sticky. There is some talk of taking this play to Wedderburn for the Lodge Tournament there in August.

The Steamer Elizabeth is across the bar as we go to press.

See the list of unclaimed letters in another column of this paper.

No charge to order your wood by phone from A. Haberly.

Campers arriving every day. The bluff will be covered in another week.

Dr. Irvine, of Portland, is spending a few days with Robt. Walker and family.

Atty. G. T. Treadgold was a Marshfield visitor yesterday, and will return this evening.

Closing out sale of glassware at the Bandon Hardware Co. Opposite the Post Office.

Mr. Allen, solicitor for the Dunn Mercantile Agency, was in town the fore part of this week, on business for the company.

Dr. Will Tatom, of Coquille, will be in Bandon about August 20, to do first class dental work. Wait for him.

Henry Dibblee moved his family to town this week. They will occupy the Lewin residence on the county road.

The new Livery barn is receiving the finishing shingles, and the work of painting and arranging the inside will commence soon.

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We are given to understand that there will soon be another barber shop in Bandon. The location has not been decided as yet.

Trunks, Valises, Suit Cases, every thing to accommodate the traveler and in the latest patterns, at Lorenz & Hoyt.

The prettiest patterns, the latest styles and prices in reach of all is making the new summer dress goods so popular at Lorenz & Hoyt's.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. E. Spaulding, on July 10, at their homestead 16 miles south of town, a boy, E. L. reports everybody doing well.

Dr. Prentis, Dentist has leased rooms in the Deveraux building next to Post Office and will locate permanently in Bandon August 1st.

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Attention is called to the announcement of Dr. Steele elsewhere in this paper. He has taken a partner in the business. Increasing business made it necessary for the change.

E. Lewin has just received a power bone cutter, and will hereafter be able to supply the chicken ranchers with the ground bone. It is the best ever to make the hens lay.

Mrs. C. O. Hollopeter will give instruction on all string instruments. She has the agency for standard makes of instruments and will make special terms to pupils. Residence at Baggs residence.

Fred Von Pegert and family have moved to Coquille, where he has accepted a position in a saw mill. He has not severed his connection with the local foundry, but had to leave the coast on account of his wife's health.

C. A. McKellips, the Sewing Machine man from North Bend, has opened up an office at Bandon Furniture Store. He will be in Bandon from the twentieth to the twenty-fifth of each month. Call at the store and see our machines. Leave orders for supplies. Machines for sale or rent on easy terms.

C. T. Blumenrother reports the sale of Crook Lake, 10 miles south of Bandon to Edmund Croft, a wealthy capitalist of Tacoma, who proposes to have the place fixed up for a summer residence. He expects to expend something like \$10,000 in erecting a residence and providing suitable grounds. The consideration of the deal was \$7250, and the former owner was R. W. Lundy.

Closing out at half price, our entire line of glassware. Sale commences in the morning. Bandon Hardware Company.

Capt. Tom White, of the Dispatch who left for San Francisco last trip is said, by the passengers, to have wished he had made the journey overland. After making a couple of half-hitches around his shoes and consulting the briny deep long and often he survived the trip.

The case of Thomas Anderson vs. G. T. Fieger was hashed out in the Justice Court last week, in the presence of a jury, as to whether or not Fieger was responsible for an old account in question, or whether the said account was that of W. A. Tenbrook. The jury required that Tenbrook be made a party to the account, and gave judgment for the account as stated in the complaint. Treadgold and Wade appeared as counsels in the case.

### Bandon Hardware Co. Closing Out at Cost.

All of their stock of Glassware, Water sets, Berry sets and miscellaneous pieces. This sale commences tomorrow morning and everything must go. We have new stock on the way and the room must be had to accommodate it. We will not handle Glassware in the future. This is your one chance to buy Glassware at a big discount, and you can not afford to let it slip. Our sales are always bona fide and we live up to our advertisements.

### Notice.

Dr. D. L. Steele, Bandon's resident, dentist has secured an up-to-date partner, Dr. Lester Sorenson, and the new firm will be known as Steele & Sorenson. Dr. Sorenson comes well recommended. He is a graduate of the North Western Dental College, of Portland, Oregon, Post Graduate of the Chicago Dental College and has had a years training in the U. S. Government Hospital, since then has been practicing for the past two years. If you want the best dental work possible call on Drs. Steele & Sorenson, Office opposite the Gallier Hotel.

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### For Sale.

Brand new one half truck, three inch tires, Will sell cheap. Call at the Bandon Hardware Company, opposite the Post Office.

Call at the Bandon Co-operative Realty Co.

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### MARINE ARRIVED.

July 30.—Schr. Prosper, Starr, from San Pedro, with ballast.

SAILED.

July 31.—Schr. C. T. Hill, Erickson, to San Francisco, with 180 M feet lumber.

July 31.—Schr. Coquille, Botger, to San Francisco, with 130 cords match-wood.

### Notice.

The Ladies of the Basket ball team of last year will hold a meeting in the Athletic Hall on Saturday evening, August 3rd. All members are asked to be present as the possibilities of a team this season will be discussed.—Committee.

### Saint's Church.

Rev. S.H. Condit, of Idaho, will hold services in the Saint's Hall, Sunday August 4th at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

The South Western Oregon district of the Re-organized Church of Latter Day Saints will hold their annual re-union in Dixon's Grove at Myrtle Point, from August 16th to August 25th. Several able speakers will be present.

### Bandon 9-Coquille 14.

The base ball fans of Coquille and Bandon witnessed an exhibition last Sunday on the Bandon grounds that would give discredit to any of the craft of ball twirlers. It has come to a time when one hour is spent in playing ball and three hours are given to chewing the rag. When the teams were not roasting the umpire; which occupied a greater part of the time, and seemed to require the assistance of the whole town, they were chasing balls out into the jungle that were thrown anywhere from a foot to ten feet over the player's head.

Walker was out of condition Sunday, and let several runs in for the visitors in the first three innings. Hohn went into the box then with a sore arm, and pitched out the balance of the game. He did good work considering his arm. The effect of the dance of the evening previous seemed to have a telling effect on the home team, as none of them seemed to get down to business.

The game did not belong to either side until the last inning. It looked as if the boys were going to do something to help their tally card in the seventh inning, but three men died on bases. If the boys played the game they did at Marshfield, the score would have looked different.

Marshfield plays the home team here next Sunday, and an interesting game is anticipated. They play clean ball and the rag chewing will be eliminated. Manager Schuyler gives us to understand that there will be no interference from the outsiders, and everything will be done in his power to provide for a clean game. Everybody turn out and root for the home team. Bandon plays North Bend on the Sunday following at that town.

### Lack of Labor at the Bay.

The Coos Bay Times of Wednesday comments on the lack of labor at the Bay, thusly:

Mr. E. A. Anderson, in speaking of the scarcity of labor on Coos Bay, said it is a common thing here at this season of the year. He has been here for many years and understands the situation. The time from now until the rains commence is rather limited, and contracts often drag along until late in the summer, when everybody gets in a hurry and will hire more help than would be necessary otherwise.

Lack of labor at Bandon is something unheard of. We have contracts that are being delayed on account of scarcity of help. There are two new saw mills that will run this fall, and now that the Price Ship Yard is about to be rebuilt, the work will necessitate a number of men. The various bridge improvements are being held back on account of the scarcity of help. There is work everywhere for the man that is looking for it. True, there isn't an abundance of office work at present, but with the new industries starting here will be more demand. If this

is our dull time, and to every outward appearance it is, what will the busy time here be this winter. The hotels are now filled to capacity, there are no houses for rent, and you can't get a carpenter, or even lumber unless spoken for way ahead. Here's to the busy time and may it last the year round.

COAL FOR SALE.—First-class coal at \$3 per ton in sacks or \$2.50 in scow loads. Leave orders at Peterson's Landing, above Riverton. CHAS. PETERSON, Riverton, Oregon.

The local band gave a supper to the Dramatic Company that gave the play last Saturday evening for their benefit, at the Pacific Grill Room Wednesday evening. The tables were tastefully decorated and laid for ten. An enjoyable evening ensued and a pleasant time is reported by all.

Mr. Wm. Jenkins, with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Gross and husband arrived in the city yesterday from the Coos Bay country and visiting with the family of his son W. F. Jenkins. They expect to extend their trip further into Oregon and then visit Yakima valley. Mr. Jenkins says Coos County is booming.—Dalles Chronicle.

### SERVIAN WEDDINGS.

The Bride Collects the Gifts, Which Must Be in Money.

If you receive an invitation to a wedding in Little Servia on the west side, you must not buy a present and take it with you or send it. That would be bad form, and the bride would probably feel insulted, but when you went to the wedding you would take with you the price of the present in money. At the wedding you would find several hundred men and women all making strange motions and talking in a strange, excited manner.

After the guests had assembled—and everybody in the colony would be welcomed—a young woman would pass around the wedding cake. Behind her would come the bride carrying a silver platter, and upon this she would collect the money given as presents. At the majority of weddings the platter is piled high with silver dollars, and around the edges are bills of various denominations, from \$5 to \$20. It is not uncommon for a bride to receive \$1,000 in cash. This amount, it must be remembered, is given by men who are mostly laborers in the packing houses.

Sometimes the groom passes cigars, and every guest will take a cigar and hand him a dollar. Another custom is to place a dollar in the large glass of whisky and every man take a drink, each drink costing a dollar.

These weddings are a great feast for the guest, and there is always plenty to eat, and sometimes the groom rents a hall where all may dance.—Kansas City Star.

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## C. Y. Lowe, Druggist