



STEAM SCHOONER

BOWDOIN LAUNCHED

BANDON CROWD WITNESS CEREMONIES

Boat Christened by Captain J.W. Maloney's little Daughter.

Amidst the waving of flags and tooting of whistles and the cheering of all present, the newly constructed steam schooner Bowdoin slid gracefully off her skids and plunged into the waters of the Coquille, at the Heuckendorff ship yard, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. A large percentage of the river craft was present, and the gasoline schooner Fish from the Bay, came over with a crowd. A barge with seats was improvised and accommodated a large number who wanted to go up from here.

The Bowdoin is a magnificent vessel. It is the sister ship of the Wellesley, which was launched here last spring, and, but for a few minor details which was changed, it is the exact counterpart. Capt. W. J. Maloney, who has been superintending the construction work of the vessel, has been in Bandon for the past six months. He is accompanied by his wife and little daughter, Loyola, who christened the good ship, Bowdoin. While it is with regret he has to leave his many newly made friends and acquaintances, still he is anxious to get back again upon the water.

The Bowdoin has practically the same dimensions as the Wellesley. She is 200 feet over all, and has a keel 185 feet long, 38 foot beam, 13.6 foot depth. Her estimated cargo will be close to a million feet of lumber, and equipped with her 550 horse power latest improved marine engines, will make 10 knots an hour. She will have the best hoisting apparatus installed, and will be moderately equipped in every detail.

The new boat will probably be towed to the Bay for a lumber cargo, as she draws too much water to go over our bar loaded. She is named after the school, for young ladies, of that name in the east.

Port Orford Notes.

From the Tribune.

The bay was visited by many whales last week, rushing great schools of herring so near the shore that many were caught by our people with an old net.

Walter Sutton and wife have sold to Mr. Carter, of Myrtle Point, the timber from 200 acres of land at a satisfactory price, the deal having been closed last Saturday.

Judge Hamilton and son, and Dist. Atty. George M. Brown, arrived at Port Orford Thursday evening, having closed up the term of the Circuit Court for Curry county in three days, clearing the docket. We were glad to note that Brown's health, which was bad a year ago, is now fully restored.

Capt. John Roberts, who used to run the Emily and National City, and who has a host of friends along our coast from San Diego to Nome, was a passenger on the Carmel, and came ashore with Capt. Corning to greet his old-time friends. Except that his hair has whitened, he looks as vigorous as ever. He will soon be in command of a new steamer in which he is interested, and may again resume his old route from Coos Bay to San Francisco, and again give our people the best service ever had.

Teachers' Meeting.

At the teachers' meeting on Monday evening plans were made for holding a Patrons' and Teachers' meeting at the school building on Friday evening Sept. 20. Realizing that the best school work depends largely upon the co-operation and working together of the teacher and parent it was decided that much good could be done by a meeting of this kind in which teachers and patrons could come together and discuss topics touching on the work of the schools. A closer acquaintance and an exchange of views by parents and teachers will mean better work in the schools. All parents are cordially invited to be present—to become acquainted with the teachers of their children and get as closely in touch with the work of the schools as possible. Let all parents give at least one evening this month to this important work. A program of topics for discussion is being arranged and will be published next week. We would like to see every parent in the school district in attendance. There will be room and a welcome for all.

H. C. Ostien, Principal.

Maryland's Home Coming.

Maryland is sending invitations to her sons and daughters scattered everywhere to come to a grand reunion, and is making extensive preparations to give them a week of right royal entertainment when they come. Old Home Week covers the dates, October 13 to 19, and there will not be a moment of that time that will not thrill with the spirit of hospitality for which the Old Line State is famous.

The celebration will include a number of spectacular features in that city, such as an electrical pageant, a grand military and naval display, a gathering of patriotic societies, a parade and ball by the fraternal orders, a big concert, a night carnival, etc. There will also be a special pilgrimage to Annapolis on Peggy Steward Day, which falls in Old Home Week.

The visitors to the capital will have an opportunity to inspect the magnificent new buildings of the United States Naval Academy, and the remodeled State House of historic associations.

The new Baltimore, which has sprung from the ashes of the disastrous fire of 1904, will not be the least of the features that will afford delight and will surprise the returning sons and daughters of the State.

The Homecomers will have the benefit of special transportation rates granted by railroad and steamboat companies, and arrangements are on foot to secure for the visitors the privilege of a side trip to Jamestown without extra charge.

Every former Marylander of whom the Maryland Home Coming Association secures information will receive a special invitation to attend the homecoming. These invitations are being sent out by Governor Edwin Warfield in the name of the State. All persons who have information of the whereabouts of former Marylanders are urged to promptly forward such names and addresses as are in their possession, to the Secretary of the Association, 602 Fidelity Building, Baltimore Md.

Notice to School Children.

Parents should have their children's teeth put in good condition if they wish them to become bright students. Decayed teeth causes indigestion and lowers brain activity. First class work done at special price at Dr. S. Steele & Sorensen.

Ladies and Children's cloaks at Hartman's.

BANDON BREWERY

CHANGES HANDS

G. W. BOWMAN AND J. J. O'NEIL BUYERS

Will Install Soda Works and Modern Cold Storage Plant.

The local brewery changed hands last week too late for last week's issue. Geo. Gehrig sold his interest in the plant to J. C. O'Neil and G. W. Bowman, of this place. Messrs. Bowman and O'Neil are new comers here and both are assured of the future of this place and believe they have made a good investment.

Mr. Bowman is of Providence, R. I., where he has been in business as a tobacco broker. Mr. O'Neil was formerly a railroad man in California and both have made many friends since their arrival who wish them success in their new enterprise.

They will immediately install a modern soda works, complete. The latest sanitary bottling cleaners and devices will be used and they guarantee a first class article. They will continue to make the steam beer that is known all over the county, and in addition will be local agents for one of the largest standard lager beers. The former owner will leave shortly for an extended visit in the old country.

In addition to the soda works, they will put in a first class cold storage plant. This alone is one of the things that has been needed here for a long time, and since the ice plant at Coquille was destroyed by fire this past summer, they will no doubt supply the trade all along the river.

Bandon has need of such men as these, who will invest here and promote industries that are needed. We have all of the ice used here shipped in and the soft drinks have to all come from the bay, and then many times the demand can not be supplied. It will take the new company about two months to get the plant in good working order as much of their machinery has to come from the east.

Roseburg, Or.—Besides having the biggest prune crop ever grown in this section of the state, prune growers state that another encouraging feature is the fact that the prunes seem to be running in the larger sizes this year rather than the smaller. This latter feature will mean much to the prune men, and will also add materially to the foreign reputation of Oregon prunes.

According to one of the largest prune men in this section of the country the picking will begin in the Orchards about the 12 of September. It is said that several hundred pickers will be employed in this locality.

First Class Groceries at Hartman's.

MARINE

ARRIVED.
Sept. 8.—Stmr Fish, Nichols, from Coos Bay, 34 red fish.

Sept. 9.—Stmr Elizabeth, Olsen, from S. F., 180 tons mdse.

SAILED.

Sept. 12.—Schr Ruby, Korth, to S. F., 380 m lumber.

Sept. 12.—Stmr Fish, Nichols, to Coos Bay, 60 bbls empty bottles.

Boak--McNair.

Last Wednesday evening occurred one of the prettiest home weddings solemnized in Bandon. The participants are well known young people of this place who have lived here for many years and have many friends. Katherine Alice McNair and Henry Ernest Boak were joined in bonds of holy matrimony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McNair. About sixty of the immediate friends and relatives were present and witnessed the impressive ring ceremony of the Presbyterian Church, performed by Rev. Geo. Roach.

The residence was beautifully and tastefully decorated with Oregon grape, ferns and roses. The bride carried a bouquet of bride's roses, and looked very beautiful in her gown of white crepe de chine, with white lace overdress, made Empire style.

The bride is the second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. McNair, well-known and respected residents of Bandon. She has spent most of her life here and has a large number of girlhood friends. The groom is also well known and has many friends. He has spent the greater part of his life here, coming to this place from Michigan.

Miss Winifred McNair was bridesmaid, and James Lamont, an old friend of both contracting parties, was best man. Miss Ethel Dyer played Mendelssohn's wedding march. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Winnie McNair.

Many beautiful and useful presents were presented to the young couple by their many friends and relatives. After the ceremony the assembly was serenaded by the Bandon Concert Band, which rendered several selections.

The young couple will reside in their home opposite the bride's parents, which they have already fitted up nicely, and will be at home to their friends after October 1st. The Recorder wishes to join their many friends in wishing them a long and prosperous voyage over the sea of matrimony.

Oregon Development League

(Special Correspondence)

The Country Club & Live stock Association have bought a site for their home and work will begin a once.

Travel is enormous. Many families are coming to the State and for many hours during the day the Union Station show an activity similar to that witnessed at a great national convention. They are ticketed for all points throughout the State and this travel will continue until the close of the colonist rates, October 31st.

Portland artists are to be congratulated upon securing better photographs of Secretary Taft than have ever been taken before. None of his pictures in Eastern papers compare with those printed here, and pictures made here will be used by the correspondents who accompany the Secretary from this time forward.

The Manufactures Record, of Baltimore, the leading industrial paper of the South, devotes two pages to Portland and the Northwest in a recent issue. The Saturday Evening Post will discuss the same subject in its issue of Saturday, September 21st.

If you want that old furniture to look like new, get a bottle of the Liquid Veneer at the Bandon Furniture Store.

Dr. J. G. Goble the well known Optician of Modford will visit Bandon during Sept. Dates given later.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING NEAR BANDON

ALEXANDER MATHERS KILLED BY W. HULL

Mistakes His Friend For a Deer, Shoots Killing Instantly.

Sunday Times.

Coos County yesterday had a case of the sort which is becoming so common in the hunting season, and Dr. Mingus was called to the Whiskey Run neighborhood to hold an inquest over a young man killed by his hunting companion who mistook him for a deer.

The dead man is Alexander Mathers, of Riverton, and the boy who was instrumental in bringing about his death, is Will Hull, of the same place. They went to the Whiskey Run country to spend a few days hunting, and take a vacation in the wilds of that vicinity. The reports of the shooting are rather meagre, and were secured by telephone from a farm residence near the place where the shooting occurred.

The account is substantially as follows: The two boys went out early in the morning to hunt for deer. They became separated and young Hull approached a small creek about six o'clock. As he came near the stream he saw what he supposed to be a deer in the brush near the banks of the stream. According to his story, he had in mind the possibility of making the mistake he did, and so to avoid any accident he whistled several times. Getting no reply, he fired, with the result al-

ready stated. Mathers, who was killed was wearing a reddish brown hat, and Hull was easily misled by the close resemblance of the color of the hat to that of deer. When he went to look for his game he found his companion on the ground and about to breathe his last.

Young Hull went to a neighboring farm house for help to remove the body from the vicinity and told his story to the neighbors.

Dr. Mingus started for the scene yesterday forenoon, and at this writing, has not returned. It would necessarily take considerable time to gather a jury in such a sparsely settled country and he may be delayed until today. The accident happened on the Rose farm near the Beattie ranch on the road from Empire to Bandon, and about ten miles from Bandon. Mathers was 21 or 22 years old and Hull 16 or 17.

LATER.

Coroner Mingus has returned from the scene of Saturday's shooting near Whiskey Run, and says the evidence before the jury was substantially as given in Sunday's Times. The jury returned a verdict of accidental shooting, after examining the young man who was accountable for the death, besides several others. Young Hull and Mathers went out in the morning, agreeing to go in separate directions and finally came together as already stated. Hull saw Mathers, but could not make out what he was looking at, and whistled. Mathers was about to cross the stream he had approached and likely was kept from hearing the signal by the water. The bullet which ended his life struck him back of the left ear and nearly tore the upper part of his head off.

The Hamilton—Brown shoe, the shoe of quality for men and boys, can be found at Lorenz & Hoyt's. They are shoes that will not only give you your money's worth, but will be the very latest in style and shape.

PA'S NEW HAT



RESOLVED!!!
DONT HAVE TOO MUCH ON YOUR MIND AT ONE TIME - THE BEST THING YOU CAN HAVE ON YOUR MIND IS A NEW HAT. WHEN YOU MEET PEOPLE THE FIRST THING THEY SEE IS YOUR HEAD. BUSTER BROWN

LET US PUT THIS ON YOUR MIND. WE SHINE IN THE HAT BUSINESS. THE HATS WE CARRY MAKE US SHINE IN THE HAT BUSINESS. JUST AS SOON AS THE STYLES ORIGINATE ON BROADWAY WE HAVE THEM IN OUR STORE. YOU WISH A NEW HAT DO YOU NOT? YOU KNOW AN OLD HAT OR AN OUT-OF-DATE HAT WILL KNOCK THE SHINE OFF OF THE FINEST SUIT OF CLOTHES. COME IN AND LET US SHOW YOU THAT HAT YOU NEED.

RESPECTFULLY,

O. A. Trowbridge