

## Editorial Page of Bandon Recorder An Independent Newspaper

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STRICTLY IN ADVANCE.

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IT IS A QUESTION in our mind whether the little calendars with the picture of Senator Mulkey, are going to bring him to the senatorial chair, or not. Johnathan Bourne got there by advertising, and as Mulkey is as able as any one to stand for the experiment, we ought to have no kick coming. And in the meantime Fulton is in the hands of his friends—on the little circulars being distributed by him. It is going to be a close fight, and even we in far Coos, will see and hear the strife of the battle.

OUR EASTERN FRIENDS would pick up their ears if they knew that strawberries were served in Coos County in October, when they are buying their coal and banking up the house for the winter. We know. We have been there. This week, Mrs. Wm. Hite brought us a box of strawberries that were the best ever. Great big fellows, one of them measuring six inches in circumference, and that is going some for this time of the year anywhere. There is only one thing for the wintry Minnesotians to do, and that is to get a time table and see how long before they can start to Coos County, and incidentally to Bandon where everything from strawberries to tall pines grow and flourish.

WE NOTE A NEW dress on the last issue of the Hillsboro Independent, which not only improves its appearance greatly, but gives the advancement of the paper one step nearer modern journalism. Our associations with that newspaper for three years recalls to mind when the present proprietor, D. W. Bath, took charge of the paper, March 23, 1904, when it was a poor excuse for a newspaper, on its last legs, and struggling for existence. The many new additions, both machinery and material, with the untiring efforts to make it the home paper of Washington County, has placed it where it is now, not only the largest paper, but probably the best paying plant in the County, with a subscription list that might well be envied in a much larger city.

"AND BY THE WAY, Mr. Blank, Where do you live?" "Well," was the answer, "You take the plank road to the top of the hill, then turn down two blocks, then up four blocks, and by taking a short cut through an alley for two blocks, you turn down half a block, and my house is the white one next to the blue one on the corner." The questioner turns away in bewilderment, and—didn't try to find the way. How much easier it would have been to be able to answer that he lived on the corner of Ash and First Sts. in a white house. It is the subject that will be up before the city dads before long, and which should be treated with consideration. The cost of placing street signs on the corners would not only be nominal, but when once placed, the cost would be at an end. One thing must be done, however, before street signs are put up, and that is to re-name a number of streets. There are at present streets that have at least three names apiece. Every addition

named their part of the street different, consequently there are about as many names of streets as there are blocks. Columbia avenue has two other names which it is known by. We have three Broadways, and for the life of most of us, we could not tell where one of them was. Even First Street is attached to three streets, so we are informed. Verily, the day of transformation of the streets in Bandon should not be far distant, and as an improvement, not temporary, but permanent, will stand for much after this and several other councils have been forgotten.

EVEN THE BEST of us are vain enough to be pleased to note a kindly and appreciative word on the merits of our labors, and we are going to mention part of a letter from F. A. Mason, a jeweler of Astoria, who was formerly a newspaper man connected with the Rockford Morning Star of Rockford, Ill. He says:

I received two copies of your paper to-day, and am pleased with the appearance of the paper in every way. I am therefore enclosing a Money Order for \$1.50 for a year's subscription to your paper, and hope to have the pleasure of meeting you in person in the near future, as I am deeply interested in your town and its future.

I am an old newspaper man, and was at one time the City Editor of the Rockford Morning Star, of Rockford, Ill. Although I have not kept at that line of business, still, I have always taken a great interest in the newspaper business and am a firm believer in advertising as a road to wealth.

Years of experience has taught him his idea of advertising and its practical end. Judiciously applied, it is the boon of the small merchant as well as the larger, who wishes to increase. A stated amount applied out of the net earnings used in advertising will raise the receipts of any business, and as the amount taken in increases, the expenditures for advertising should also be increased. There are today men that base the foundation of their great fortunes upon advertising; men who started at the lowest rung of the ladder of fame without any backing or capital; men who have amassed large fortunes through the judicious medium of advertising. The same opportunities have presented themselves to many who have failed to grasp them by starting small, increasing their business with judicious advertising as the backbone of the institution.

### Coquille Notes.

From the Sentinel.

The Big Hill Mining company of Riverton has closed down the property temporarily to await the arrival of a new manager. When the latter comes it is the purpose to resume operations at a new point on the mine and take out first-class coal as usual.

Prof. E. E. Darling, Misses Thora Smith, Florence Walstrom, Grace and Anna Dudley went to Bandon Saturday for an outing and sight-seeing. They were joined by Miss Ray Collier and O. C. Sanford on Sunday morning, all returning same evening.

A new wood yard is being started in the northeast quarter of town by two of our hustling young men, Harry Hughes and John McAdams. Their machinery will arrive next

week, and when in place will cut about 30 tiers a day. They will conduct their business on what is known as the Frank Burkholder place.

Rev. H. L. Ford, who has been pastor of the Christian churches at Myrtle Point and Coquille, will preach his farewell sermon in this city next Sunday, Oct. 20th. It is with regret that the members of his congregation and others see him and his wife leave Coos county, as both have many friends among all classes of people who see in Rev. Ford a gentleman of culture and experience, and whose sermons have attracted many people by their depths and soundness and charity for all.

### Hark Gets Watch-ed.

H. W. Dunham, the ever watchful nightwatchman of Coquille, wears a new and elegant gold watch this week. Likewise are his dimpled and snowy cheeks swathed in golden smiles, the radiance from which can be likened to that issuing from the polished watch case, or from the round soiled features of the small boy possessed of his first pair of red-topped boots. Hark's step is more elastic—his whistle and corn cob sweeter and more soothing to those encountered on his beat.

Thus speaking, we introduce facetiously a most pleasant incident in the life of our good-natured and very popular citizen. Mr. Dunham was presented with a gold watch by the members of Delphi Lodge, No. 64, Knights of Pythias, of Bandon. The presentation took place Monday evening last at the regular session of the lodge, Hark having been enticed to the session by some clever ruse "engineered" by Gurley Boak, the engineer. It was a complete but happy surprise to Hark who has his membership in the Knights at Marshfield, consequently having no reason to expect a present from the fraternity at Bandon. His oft-given and valued assistance to that lodge in its secret and open sessions was the reason for the pretty remembrance, and when the watch was tendered him with a neat and appropriate address, he was very nervous and affected. Hark actually turned pale, say eyewitnesses, but his appreciation was keen, and he will cherish the beautiful timepiece through long years to come.

On the inside of the hunting case is inscribed: "Presented to H. W. Dunham as a token of esteem, from officers and members of Delphi Lodge, No. 64, K. of P."

### Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given to the patrons of the Robinson & Wright Meat Market that after this date the business will be conducted by W. N. Wright alone. All accounts due the old firm are asked to be settled before November 1st., and all bills against the firm will be paid at the shop. Make all payments at the shop. We respectfully ask that these accounts be settled by this date as we wish to have all of the business accounts closed by that time. Thanking you for past patronage and soliciting a continuance in the future, We are,

Tex Robinson,  
W. N. Wright.

Dated this 3rd day of Oct. 1907.

Sheet music orders will receive prompt attention if left at Lowe's Drug Store.

### CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior,  
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Or.,  
June 12, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Edwin E. Stillwell, contestant, against homestead entry No. 13135, made October 6, 1883, for the NW 1/4 of Section 25, Township 29, S. Range 15 W., by Robert A. Doak, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Robert A. Doak has wholly abandoned said tract and changed his residence therefrom for more than two years since making said entry and next prior to the date herein; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; that said absence was not due to employment in the military or naval service of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on July 30, 1907, before C. T. Blumentrother, Notary Public, at his office at Bandon, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock, a. m. on August 13, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed June 10, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

## LEWIN'S

### Meat - Market

All Kinds of

### MEATS and PROVISIONS

Furnished at Living Prices. A share of the Public Patronage Solicited.

### E. LEWIN Prop.

### For Sale.

### 5-ACRE TRACTS

Near town and the plank road, rich soil—Level land—\$65 and \$75 per acre. Small payment down, balance in installments of \$10 per month. Best bargain in land in the city.

Call on or address the owner,

A. Haberly, Bandon.

### A. B. SABIN

Manufacturer and Dealer in  
All Kinds of Saddlery.  
Harness and Saddles Repaired.  
BANDON, OREGON

### For Rent.

Office rooms in Devereaux Bld'g, upstairs near the Post Office. Inquire of Tom Devereaux or call up on the Bear Creek Phone.

The Bandon Hardware Co. have received a new line of stoves and ranges. They have heaters that heat and ranges that cook. They guarantee them and ask you to call and see them.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.  
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore.,  
August 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Marie M. Houston, of Bandon, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 8487, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, and NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section No. 15 in Township No. 29 S, Range 14 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before L. A. Lijqvist, U. S. Commissioner at Marshfield, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 6th day of November, 1907.

She names as witnesses: Edward Ohman, A. E. Hadsall, G. E. Cox and Geo. E. Wilson, all of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of November, 1907.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

### Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given that any trespasser found in any manner trespassing on any of my mud-flats, will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.  
C. TIMMONS.

### For Sale.

Six large lots on Bluff and Coquille Streets, cheap. Apply to George F. Williams, Bandon. 43.

Dr. J. G. Goble the well known Optician will be at Bandon Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 15th, 16. Office at Hotel Gallier. Eyes examined free of charge.

Winter is coming and it is time to think about the stove proposition. It is a well known fact that for a quick, hot fire, the air tight heater cannot be beat. With that view we have installed a full line, from \$2 up. Bandon Hardware Co.'s store, opposite the Post Office.

### THE MERCY HOSPITAL

At North Bend

Is now open for the reception of patients. The terms are \$10 per week and upwards. For particulars apply to :

### Sisters of Mercy North Bend, Or.

### EL DORADO TONSORIAL PARLORS

P. B. HOYT, Prop.

Located in EL DORADO BUILDING,  
First Street, BANDON, OREGON.  
SHAVING, SHAMPOOING AND HAIR CUTTING AT STANDARD PRICES.  
Bathroom newly fitted up with Porcelain Tub. Hot or Cold Baths 25 cent.

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The New Drug Store is Now Ready for Business. Everything New and Fresh.

### Drugs, Druggist's Sundries, Patent Mesidinic, Brushes, and Toilet Articles, Fancy Stationery

Fine line of Fancy Candies. Imported and Domestic Cigars.

### The New, Elegantly Fitted, and Speedy Steamer ELIZABETH

CAPT. J. OLSEN, Master.

This Steamer is New, is Strongly built, and fitted with the latest improvements, and will give a regular 8 day service, for passengers and freight, between the Coquille River, Oregon, and San Francisco, Calif.

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E. T. KRUSE, Managing Agent, 23 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

### California and Oregon Coast Steamship Company Steamer Alliance

Now plying between Portland and Coos Bay only. Weekly trips.

GEO. D. GRAY & CO., Gen'l Agts,  
421 Market St. San Francisco.

L. W. SHAW, Agent,  
Marshfield, Phone 441.

## Say, Mr. Merchant!

You have been trying to improvise some practical method of introducing your new goods. Well! Here is a tip that can be summed in a word—Glass Show Cases. Get the idea? An article properly displayed will sell on sight. Put in a couple and inside of a year the additional sales derived from that source, will pay for them. All up-to-date establishments are having them installed.

### Another Practical Suggestion

Did you ever stop to think that you may be judged, by strangers, by your correspondence? If your letters are neatly type written they will always give a business dignity in no other way attained. The Underwood Machine excels all others in every respect. We sell them.

## The Modern Company, W. C. Bradley, Mgr. Marshfield