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THE COUNTY DIRECTORY published by R. L. Polk & Co., is a credible publication and should be on the desk of every business man in the County. The book is well arranged and the only suggestion we have to offer, is that the town officials, and a number of the secret societies are not up to date, owing to the fact the census was made before the town election. Compiling a directory of this kind is a hard matter and the publishers are to be congratulated on their results.

WE ACKNOWLEDGE a ticket to the First Annual Horse Show, in Portland on Nov. 7, 8 and 9. Over 165 different cases are entered in the accompanying booklet, representing the various breeds and types. As this is the first affair of this order, in the west much speculation is being made as to whether it will be a success. It is a worthy event and it is to be hoped will be a lasting benefit to a great industry. Railroad rates have been made so exhibits can be shipped and returned for half rate and all tickets are fare and one third.

A LITTLE SPROUT of wheat tried to push its head up through the soil to the sunlight, but found its way blocked by a clod that would not rise itself nor let the little blade of wheat grow. In vain did the little green spear cry to be allowed to start: the clod answered never a word. One day a great rain storm took place and the clod was swept away. In its place there sprang into view a beautiful green stalk of wheat. Are you a clod? If you are, you are absolutely no good, and the storm of adversity will soon move you. Let the man that is not a clod have elbow room. His ambition is to become one of the tall, if not the tallest, stalks in the field. He will be of some use in the world; but the world cannot and will not tolerate a clod. But returning to you: there is no reason in the world why you should be nothing unless you deliberately let yourself slump. And if you study you will show mighty plain that you are determined to be something.—Ambition.

THE INCREASE of the Eastern freight rates are bringing scores of indignant communications from lumbermen who will be compelled to close up their mills when this rate goes into effect. The one fact that the railroad companies have not made any excuse for the raise, they do not allege they are carrying lumber too cheaply, or of an increase in the wages of their employees. The only excuse hinted at is they think the lumbermen are making too much money. This raise of rates will affect the entire communities where the lumber business is carried on extensively. Following we give a communication of Walter L. Tooze, well known in business and political circles in Oregon:

"The increase of \$2.00 per ton freight on lumber to Eastern points will have a tremendous influence in lessening the output of lumber throughout the State of Oregon and the Northwest Coast.

Now with firmly established markets and rapidly increasing demands for our product—with many millions of dollars invested by the lumber manufacturers in modern machinery—and an army of laborers depending upon this leading industry for employment and support—the increased tariff rates to go into effect on November 1, 1907, comes as a paralyzing blow to all the business interests of the States of Oregon and Washington.

The argument that barring out our lumber from the Eastern markets

by these higher tariff rates will result in cheaper building material for the Northwest and aid in the development of the country—is chimerical, and fallacious to the extreme.

Cheap lumber and cheap or unemployed labor means a universal commercial depression in all the articles of business, from which Oregon and Washington will not recover for a decade. The increased tariff of \$2.00 per ton on lumber is inequitable and unjust.

Every citizen of Oregon and Washington is commercially affected to his detriment, and the battle for justice should be fought to a finish.

WALTER L. TOOZE.

EVERYBODY EXPECTS the country newspaper to fight out their battles and express their opinions on the behavior of their neighbors. Hardly a week passes but what some one asks to have such and such a thing printed either joshing a friend or roasting somebody who has not done according to the other fellow's ideas. Such roasts hurt the newspaper; takes up valuable space which might be used for much more important matter, and only makes trouble for the printer. Articles that are signed will be printed. In some instances where an article is handed in for publication where a signature is not necessary, and which we do not care to "father," we will place a star after the article, explaining it was handed in for publication. If you have a friend who has a tendency to write stories or poetry, please do not ask us to print it. The country weekly does not have so much space to spare as to devote to such matter. There are no doubt many literary gems that go glimmering for want of publication, but if one is accepted, there would be no place to draw the line. What interests one person might interest but very few of the rest of our readers. We always stand ready, and are always glad to get hold of an item of interest. If you have raised potatoes that are big for the country and conditions, tell the editor. He lays awake nights trying to conjure up some article that will boom the town and please the readers. When a new arrival appears in the family, tell the editor and he will give you a notice. If you get married, tell the editor. You expect a notice, and he can do much better if information is volunteered, and besides he likes wedding cake. Visitors, travelers, accidents, incidents, building and developments, all alike are earnestly solicited by us, and you may be sure of their publication if you will but take the time to let us know. We are not, and do not profess to be, mind readers. Most of us like to see our name in print. Tell it to the editor and he will print your item of news.

THE SOUND sense displayed by the citizens of Oregon in the past few days with reference to financial matters is one of the best guarantees of public faith in the prosperous conditions which are the fact in the Northwest and especially in this state. It was once said by a California Congressman while making a financial speech in Congress that there was nothing on earth so cowardly as a million dollars—except two million dollars. This epigram is peculiarly descriptive of the sensitiveness of money, but it does not apply to Oregon in the present exigency. We have the millions in absolute wealth, in money and in credits, and we are as busy as any community can be creating other millions. Before us lies an undeveloped empire richer in promise and affording a greater return as a matter of realization than the development of any similar area in Uncle

Sam's domain has ever given or afforded before. We have the wheat and the fruit and the lumber and other innumerable resources, and for the conversion of these into material for the settlement of the country and the building of towns and cities there is a demand not to be denied. We have what the rest of the country is reaching after, what outside people by the regiment are coming here to develop and to enjoy. We have a class of prosperity here in Oregon that does not depend on stock quotations, and what is more to the point, the people who hold in the aggregate the bulk of this wealth are aware of the advantage they enjoy. So, when in the local money centers, for the better protection of all concerned, there is inaugurated a temporary policy somewhat out of the common, there is no occasion for nervousness and as a matter of fact there is no nervousness. No cowardice of the million dollars is manifest on this occasion, nor of the smaller aggregates of dollars for that matter. There is general and absolute faith in the soundness of prosperity in the Pacific Northwest, faith that is not embodied in the mere assertion, but in the calm restraint of common sense. There is no occasion for financial hysterics, no perceptible worrying over the outcome. Everyone believes that the solidity of Oregon business is not to be dissolved by the breath of speculation.—Telegram.

### Myrtle Point Notes.

From the Enterprise.

One of the biggest revetments ever built on the upper Willamette is nearing completion at Wheatland, of which Wm. T. Reed, formerly of this city, is superintendent. The work consists of a rock revetment 300x60 feet, laid with a smooth surface; a dam 1,400 feet long, made with two rows of piling, filled with fascines and rock; a rip-rap shore protection at the lower end of the dam 400x75 feet, made by sloping the bank, placing fascines and weighting same with rock and gravel. It will require 1,500 cords of fascines to complete the work. The work is located 12 miles below Salem, has been under construction for the last four months and will cost about \$18,000 when completed. The Telegram states that Colonel Rossler, government engineer, of Portland, expected to make a close inspection of the work this week.

The city administration is moving as rapidly as possible toward a solution of the city waterworks problem and it is hoped in a short time to have an abundance of water again at the service of the water patrons. The right of way to the source of the water supply has been cleared and a force of men are at work under the direction of P. L. Phelan, of the water committee, and the foremanship of Fin Hartley, in digging the necessary trenches to lay new pipe. Six thousand feet of four-inch standard iron pipe with screw joints, to be treated with asphalt inside and out, has been ordered, and the first consignment is expected this week. This will be laid where the pressure is the greatest between the source of supply and the reservoir on the hill, carrying the water over Carey creek. The best of the wooden pipe will be saved for using the balance of the distance and repairing the system in the city. The new piping has been ordered in Portland at a cost of 28 cents a foot aboard the steamer. The new pipe will be installed as fast as possible and the regular pressure restored to the city mains.

### Advertised Letters.

T. F. Allen  
Geo. G. Scheigel  
ss ollie Parker  
S. A. Armitstead  
Susie Everdeen  
H. C. Doris  
Dr. J. W. Tuckey  
Ira I. Noah  
rs. Rasmus  
Ina Taylor

People are, to a certain extent, judged by the clothing they wear. If you desire to give an up-to-date impression, you can do so by wearing one of Lorenz & Hoyt's suits.

Lost—a spirit level, last Sunday night. Was left on raft which went over the bar. Probably be found on the beach. Finder will leave same at this office for reward.

## 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 Bldg 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 N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, and NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> 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. Liljeqvist, U. S. Commissioner at Marshfield, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 6th day of November, 1907.

She names as witnesses: Edward Ohman, A. E. Hadsell, G. B. 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 :

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North Bend, Or.

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SHAVING, SHAMPOOING AND HAIR CUTTING AT STANDARD PRICES.  
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# 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,

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