



NEW 3-STORY BUILDING FOR BANDON

TO BE DIRECTED BY KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Board of Trustees Appointed and Work to Begin Immediately.

Still Bandon continues to grow. Despite, winds, rains and floods, and with all the financial flurries, still Bandon forges ahead.

The latest move in the way of building and improvement within the business district of the town is the decision and determination on the part of the local lodge of the Knights of Pythias to build a temple. The location is on a lot belonging to that lodge, on the south side of and adjacent to the Woolen Mill and fronting on Homer Street.

From the reports we hear of the proposed structure, all other business houses in Bandon will be out classed, for the new edifice will be a three story structure. It is the intention of the lodge to fit up excellent lodge rooms upon the third floor, the first floor to be let for store room purposes, the second floor, as far as formulated now to be used for offices.

The lodge, we are informed took definite steps looking toward such a building at its last regular meeting, and has appointed a Board of Trustees, who will also exercise the function of a general supervision committee, which committee is composed of Fred Mehl, Bert Harrington, and John N. Langlois.

The work will be commenced just as soon as the weather will permit, and be rushed to completion, six months being required to do the work.

Bandon is fortunate in having so strong and so enterprising an organization among the fraternities.

A man who amassed quite a comfortable fortune in the practise of medicine bought a farm in later life. After some years' experience on the farm he made the following statements, which are worthy the consideration of many a boy who is cut out for a good farmer, but has aspirations for some profession for which he may have little more natural ability than a pig has for music. Hear his conclusions: "I would exchange my age, money and acres for youth and forty acres, and think that I had the best of the bargain; and I would start the farm by planting ten acres of orchard, buying two sows, two cows, and two setting hens. Youth, strength and hustle are a great sight better than money, and the wise youth can have a finer farm than mine before he passes the half century mark, even though he have but a bare forty to begin with.—Rural Spirit.

Here's Good Advice.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of Le Raysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good 20 years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at C. Y. Lowe's drug store.

Lumber \$5 per M.

We have a quantity of No. 3 lumber, suitable for building sheds, walks, etc., which we offer in lots of 1000 feet and upward, at \$5 per M. CODY LUMBER CO.

Justice Court.

The Justice Court last week presented a busy scene, as Judge Topping started in with the determination of clearing up the docket which has been accumulating many cases during the holiday season, and accordingly held Court Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Some of the sessions extended from breakfast to midnight, according as the jury saw fit to determine.

The cases of C. E. Langlois, Clarence Langlois and John Langlois against the Bandon Commercial Co., was decided in favor of the plaintiffs and notice of appeal given by the defendant. Wade appeared for plaintiffs, Wheeler for defendants.

Other cases including the filing and argument of affidavits and motions, by the respective attorneys have taken up much of the Court's time, which from now on bids fair to return to the old routine and the even tenor of its way.

At the time of going to press the town marshal reports the incarceration of one of Erin's sons in the town jug for imbibing too freely of American Christmas firewater, and thereafter creating a disturbance at the Pacific Hotel. The unfortunate has not yet had trial or preliminary hearing, but will be allowed the amplest time to sober up and reflect upon the ethics of celebrating Christmas in an unusual and unseemly manner. The town police court will then hear what conclusions he has made and, no doubt, apropos of the approaching new year, advise that he turn over a new leaf.

Young Men and Women.

Having gone through the early trials and hardships of getting an education in the pioneer ranch days of Coos County, I take this method of informing the ambitious and energetic young people throughout the county that we have here at North Bend one of the most thoroughly equipped and up-to-date business colleges (The Miller-Cleaver School) that it has been my pleasure to visit.

Their teachers are from the Brehmke-Walker Business College, of Portland, where they had charge of special work for years.

Here you have the advantage of every attention a teacher can give. The classes are not so large as in older schools, therefore better results are obtained. The expense is not so great nor home so far away.

If you are desirous of procuring a business education there is no time like the present and no better place on earth than North Bend. Allow me to encourage any and all whose inclinations run in that direction. I know the importance of it—the advantage to be gained by it.

This letter is written to assist in the upbuilding of our county and for the benefit of those who wish to better their condition and enlarge their salaries.

In conclusion I beg you to come and investigate. The trip is short, it will do you good. Or, write to the Miller-Cleaver Business College, North Bend, Oregon. Yours for education. (Signed.) R. J. COKE.

Presbyterian Church.

Services will be resumed next Sunday December 29. Church services at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The Sunday School at 10 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Episcopal Church.

Services next Sunday morning and evening at the usual hours at St John's Episcopal Church.

FRUIT GROWERS MEETING

TO BE HELD IN MARSHFIELD JANUARY 3

Object of Meeting to Appoint

Fruit Inspector for Coos County.

A meeting of the fruit growers of Coos County will be held in Marshfield, Friday, January 3, at 2 p. m. Our letter of information states that the object of the meeting will be, first to select a proper person to act as county fruit inspector, and secondly to effect a permanent organization of Coos County fruit growers.

We are urged to give the meeting as much publicity as possible and to be present. Though we are unable to attend, we believe that every fruit grower of this vicinity should take special interest in this meeting and as many attend as possible.

The good effects of such an organization, we believe will, in a very few years to come, be far greater than the most optimistic are now able to forecast. Too much cannot be said in favor of organization and procedure along scientific lines.

Moreover, we believe, that it devolves as a duty upon some of the Coquille valley orchardists to be present at such meeting because this valley represents so large a portion of the agricultural wealth of Coos County and the representatives from this side should be a very influential element in such an organization as proposed.

The proposed organization will be launched under the auspices of the energetic Chamber of Commerce of Marshfield, our letter of information of the 3rd, being from Walter Lyon, secretary of that organization.

Berwick in Storm.

We learn from the Wedderburn Radium that the Schooner Berwick of that Port had the "time of her life" in the recent storm that swept over the Coast. The little craft was buffeted about for thirteen days and nights of continuous bad weather, the worst, said her captain that he has experienced for 30 years. When the gale first struck the Berwick she lay 15 miles Southwest of Port Orford, and when the storm ceased she was 12 miles Northwest of Coos Bay. The barometer registered 29.1, the coldest in many years.

Who Is He?

Look at the condition of the working man of today, remarks an exchange. Who is he? The tinnies are continually going up the spout, the plumbers are always in the gutter, the paper hangers are up against the wall, bankers are always compelled to raise the dough, the blacksmith is always on the strike, the policeman has to be on his beat to live, the shoemakers have to work on their uppers and get waxed in the end, the clock maker runs on tick and never on time, barbers have to skin people to live, the washerwoman is always in the soak and she is the only one you see hanging on the line. They evidently forget us printers, but we are still picking up.

Captain Jacobson of that boat says that none of the smaller vessels carry hawsers large enough to hold the regulation sea anchor, and that the law compelling the smaller vessels to carry the same sized anchor as larger vessels, is bad.

Notice.

Department of the Interior, General Land Office, Washington, D. C. New forms of declaratory statements, applications and proofs, under the coal land laws, applicable to the public lands of the United States, outside of the District of Alaska, have been adopted and on and after March 1, 1908, no declaratory statements, applications or proofs will be allowed in such cases, unless executed upon the new official forms or upon forms which are exact duplicates thereof, both as to wording, arrangement and size. R. A. BALLINGER, Commissioner.

Notice.

My wife, Artha Lenia Chandler, having left my bed and board without cause, I will not be responsible for any debts she may have contracted after October 15, 1907. C. H. CHANDLER.

A Dangerous Deadlock.

that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at C. Y. Lowe's drug store. 25c.

Additional Local.

A fine assortment of rings at A. Rice's. All prices and all designs.

See A. Rice's line of silverware. The Roger Bros., and Forbes brands.

A. Rice has a fine assortment of emblems necklaces, pins, etc., that will be well worth your attention.

Hartman has a swell line of Christmas candies either in box or in bulk. Get his prices.

Be sure and read A. Rice's ad this week. He is going to give a gold watch away, free of all charge, no lottery. If you purchase your holiday goods from him, you may be the owner of this watch.

The Bandon Development Association will meet Tuesday night at 7:30 at the office of T. B. Wheeler for the election of officers and to discuss plans for next year's work.

A. Rice has a good assortment of Toilet Sets which he will sell at greatly reduced prices. Call and see them.

Several Dairyville young men were in Bandon Christmas, returning home in time for the big dance held there Christmas night. Among the number who came to Bandon were Will Guerin, Allen Boice and Ralph Pomeroy.

Blames the Driver.

M. A. Thornton who is employed as the manager of agencies for Eilers Piano House, arrived in this city yesterday with his wife and his baby girl, Gladys, 16 months old, after a hair rising experience in the Drain stage coach, which was washed into the Pacific Ocean December 9, near Jarvis Landing. The accident nearly cost the lives of the Thornton family and others. Mr. Thornton has been traveling out of Portland for years, but this is the one time when his life was in danger. He was given a hearty welcome by the members of his firm and his associates after his narrow escape.

Mr. Thornton is highly indignant at what he asserts to have been the carelessness of the driver who was placed in charge of the stage, and will file a claim for damages against the Drain Stage Lines Company for the loss of clothing and baggage and for the suffering and shock undergone by his baby, his wife and himself.

BAD DEBTOR

SKIPS TOWN

AFTER ARREST ADAM SCOTT EVADES LAW

Taken Off One Boat He

Stows Away on Another.

Adam Scott, a laborer employed for some months about the ship yards, intended to leave Bandon with his wife and family some time ago for Frisco, because creditors were not so numerous about the metropolitan city.

However, just as the Elizabeth left the docks, the vigilant arm of the law took him off the boat and two minutes later he saw her sail out to sea, while he stood on the dock sans wife and family, sans money and a prisoner in the hands of the law.

Because a local attorney had seen fit to invoke the aid of the state law for absconding debtors, he was determined to bring a damage suit against some one. The town, he deemed, would answer the purpose first rate, but as second thoughts are best thoughts, he planned a better and highly successful scheme.

The Elizabeth returned to Bandon in a week, and in a few hours was again on her southern voyage. Somewhere, deep in the recesses of her cargo of lumber and plunder, was a stow-away, Adam Scott by name, and on the storm swept streets of Bandon was an attorney and some creditors, foiled, sans relief and sans payment for long standing bills.

Mandolin and Guitar music at Lowe's.

Bank Holidays are Unnoticed

Officers of the three local banks were interviewed by the Times to learn if the lifting of the holidays from the banking business had affected the institutions on the first day on which the embargo had been lifted. From the statements made it appears that Marshfield has been unaffected by the holidays for the past ten days, and the situation is very flattering for this city.

Bank business yesterday differed in no way from that of any day during the past two weeks and it may confidently be stated that normal conditions have reached this point along with the same state of affairs in all parts of the country. Bank men in this city are enthusiastic over the way in which Marshfield has carried herself through out.

The Sun Typewriter.

E. M. Furman sells the Sun Typewriter No. 2 at \$40.00. The U. S. Government have adopted this machine for use in the Department of agriculture and for the army. The natural tendency of the ordinary mind is to accept the Government's endorsement as of the very highest order, on which we could not go amiss.

Monthly payments will be accepted by those who prefer.

A Real Wonderland.

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mr. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine, that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by C. Y. Lowe, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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RESOLVED THAT DURING THE LAST YEAR WE HAVE BUILT UP AN HONEST TRADE WITH HONEST PEOPLE BY SELLING HONEST GOODS AT HONEST PRICES-NEXT YEAR SAME METHODS BUSTER BROWN

NEW YEAR HAPPY

WE FEEL THAT WE CAN LOOK OUR PATRONS SQUARE IN THE FACE AND WISH THEM A HAPPY NEW YEAR, BECAUSE WITHIN OURSELVES WE ARE CONSCIOUS OF HAVING TREATED OUR PATRONS RIGHT IN THE PAST. OUR PATRONAGE PROVES THIS. IN THE YEAR TO COME WE CAN PROMISE TO DO MORE THAN IN THE YEARS THAT HAVE PASSED. WE NEED NOT, WE KNOW, EXTEND ANYTHING BUT THANKS TO OUR OLD PATRONS. WE KNOW THEY NEED NO INVITATION TO COME TO OUR STORE. TO THOSE WHO HAVE NOT YET COME OUR WAY, TO THE STRANGER IN OUR TOWN, WE EXTEND, HOWEVER, AN INVITATION TO COME AND SEE US.

RESPECTFULLY,

O. A. Trowbridge