

## Local Lore

Tomorrow is St. Valentine's Day.

Geo. Montgomery, of Portland, is in Bandon this week.

Mrs. Cora Conrad gave Prosper a business call yesterday.

The Elizabeth sailed this morning, there being plenty of water on the bar.

Dr. Tatum of Coquille, has been in Bandon on a professional trip this week.

Rice, the Jeweler, has a fine line of Valentines; all prices. Call and see them.

Miss Blanche Radley went to Coquille this week, to take Teachers' examination.

Ben Cope bought a full blooded Jersey cow recently from the Ledgerwood ranch.

Mrs. Lydia Steele and Mrs. L. Noble went to Coquille, Wednesday, for an indefinite visit.

See the fine line of Valentines in Rice's window. They are the best and the prices are right.

This paper wants a correspondent at Langlois, Riverton, Parkersburg, Randolph, Lampa and Bullards.

Weyenberg Shoes for men, at Lorenz & Hoyt's. A good shoe, and unsurpassed in style, shape and fit.

How many knew what the flag was up for yesterday? Abraham Lincoln should not be forgotten so soon.

Miss Crewe, of Coquille, has been in Bandon for the past ten days visiting her friends Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCord.

Mrs. W. A. Button and brother were up from Langlois last week, the latter having come to be treated by Dr. Straw.

Lorenz & Hoyt have some new patterns in men and boys' clothing. They are the latest styles and the prices are right.

Send one of our Christmas numbers to your friends in the East. They will talk louder than any other advertising medium.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ohman, of Bear Creek, Jan. 30th, an 8-pound boy. Mother and son reported doing well.

James Mast left this morning, for a few days' visit to his home at Lee, on the North Fork of the Coquille. He will return Monday.

Harry Hunt, who has been living in Myrtle Point for several months, has sold his property east of town to Ben Cope, of Four-mile.

Lorenz & Hoyt have received a lot of souvenir pocket books they are giving away to their customers as compliments of the season.

The school notes promised to our readers this week are omitted on account of the dismissal of school for this week. It will commence again next Monday morning.

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.

Word has been received here of the death of Frank Strader at Los Angeles Cal. Frank was well known in Bandon and vicinity, having lived here practically all his life.

Mrs. Steele intends removing the building on her property now occupied by Dr. Sorensen as dental parlors, and erecting a large three-story building. The contemplated change will probably be made in April.

The Bandon will take a load of ship timbers to Coos Bay to be used in the construction of the new Estabrook vessel now being built at that place. She will return for a load of lumber for San Francisco.

The celebrated Three Lakes loggers' shoe is sold at Lorenz & Hoyt. These are well-known and for wear cannot be beaten. Remember the brand and the place when you need another pair.

Dr. Straw who was over from the Bay last week, on a professional visit to Mr. Waldvogel, performed a very successful operation by removing the lens from an eye which that gentleman had injured many years ago.

Did he bring that umbrella back yet? No, of course not, they never do. Why not get one of those new ones at Lorenz & Hoyt, and have your name engraved on the handle? It is cheaper than buying umbrellas every year.

A. G. Hoyt returned to this city on the last trip of the Elizabeth, having been in California for the past three weeks. Mr. Hoyt reports his brother, on whose account he was called to California, as improved in health.

James Walstrom and family left on the Elizabeth for San Francisco. Mr. Walstrom will return to Bandon on the next boat, while Mrs. Walstrom and son will go to Redwood City to visit her sister, Mrs. Andrew Graham.

Mrs. Ledgerwood went to Coquille this morning to be gone several days. She will visit with her old friend Mrs. Mehl, while there, in whose company she crossed the plains about 40 years ago, the journey lasting six months.

Mr. Arthur Lewis, who, with his brother, formerly owned nearly all of Bandon and taking in the country as far as Prosper, arrived here last week after an absence of about 22 years, and naturally notes a great many changes. When the brothers sold out to Messrs Averill and Dyer, they went East and made their home at Fall River, Mass. The brother died many years ago. Mr. Lewis will stop in this vicinity about three months and then go to California.

James Eades Howe, philanthropist and friend of the unemployed, is planning a convention in St. Louis next month to be attended by the unemployed in the East and Southwest, to consider means for relieving the present situation, which, he says, parallels the conditions of 1894. He declares that in St. Louis alone there are between 45,000 and 50,000 out of work. "Our man Reitermann, who was beaten in Chicago with blacksnake whips, will be here to address the convention," he said. "Other leaders from Chicago, New York, Cincinnati and Boston will be present."

The city charter is now off the press, and if the paper looks shy on local matter this week, attribute it to the fact that the office has turned out a 70 page charter along with other work in the past week. There have been printed enough of these proposed charters so that each voter of Bandon may have one. The special election called by the Council will probably take place in the early part of March. The charter, from start to finish, is a creditable work. It is the foundation of a great city and the provisions and laws found between its covers cover thoroughly all affairs of importance that might come up for discussion. At present the city laws of government are deplorably lacking and the sooner this new instrument is placed into effect, the better it will be for our council to run city affairs.

Chas. Daily has had his store closed the forepart of this week while they were taking stock, prior to selling the business to Mrs. Cora Conrad. Mrs. Conrad took possession of the property yesterday, and the business will be conducted in the future along the same lines. Mrs. Conrad is no stranger in business in Bandon, having run a general store on Columbia avenue for the past two years. Mr. Daily, accompanied by his mother, will go to Eureka, where he will soon engage in business again. The trip will be made overland in easy stages, this being preferred to a sea voyage. Mr. Daily and his mother have many friends in Bandon, who are sorry to see them leave. They have been in Bandon for the past four years and are well known. Mr. Daily has been employed on the tug boat Triumph for several years and his employers have given him flattering references in case he should

desire to again seek employment in that line. We join his friends in wishing him a good trip and success waiting him at the other end.

## MARINE

ARRIVED.  
Feb. 7—Schr Oregon, Anderson, from S. F., Ballast.

Feb. 9—Schr. Ruby, Korth, from S. P., Ballast, 22 M. brick.

Feb. 9—Stmr. Elizabeth, Olsen, from S. F., 6 passengers, 125 Tons Plunder.

Feb. 10—Stmr. Bandon, Jensen, from S. F., 89 Tons Mds.

SAILED.  
Feb. 13—Stmr. Elizabeth, Olsen, to S. F., 280 M Lumber, 15 Tons miscellaneous, 18 passengers.

Feb. 13—Stmr. Bandon, Jensen, 413 M Lumber.

The out going passengers this morning on the Elizabeth were Mrs J E Walstrom and child, Mrs Richard, Mrs Wiggins and Messrs Richard, Taker, Harper, Hess, Page, Helting, Wiggins, Dennigan, Fred Jensen, L B Wear, W H Sturdevant, and L M Riley.

## Plant Loses Her Wheel

The steamer Plant, which was towed into Coos Bay last Thursday afternoon by the steam schooner Johann Paulson, passed through a harrowing experience since leaving San Francisco on Monday, having drifted at the mercy of the wind from midnight Tuesday until Thursday morning. Tuesday night at 12 o'clock she was bowling along up the coast, under full steam when suddenly, off Cape Blanco, thirty miles down the coast from Coos Bay, the propeller shaft broke in two, the wheel slipping into the sea. The ship being at the mercy of the waves and wind, was driven by a hard sou'easter up the coast. Sails were spread but they were of little avail in keeping the boat out of the trough of the sea which washed over her continually. The storm carried the ship to the northward of Coos Bay about thirty-five miles. The Alliance passed her Wednesday near Hecata head, but at this point the Alliance runs close in shore and therefore did not sight the Plant. Relief came in the shape of the Paulson which took the Plant in tow Thursday morning and brought her into Coos Bay.—Times.

## A Dollar.

An interesting experiment was tried in an eastern town. A dollar was tagged, and on the tag was the request to note to whom it was paid and for what. In a few hours it had passed through the hands of a collector, a grocer, a butcher, a book store man, a hardware merchant and a preacher. In a few days it had paid over \$100 worth of debts. The idea was to show that a dollar spent at home does good to many each day, and that its actual monetary value is not its full measure of good in a community. Spent with a catalogue house, it leaves the home town and does no more good there.—Ex.

## Suspends U. S. Printer.

One of the opening wedges into government mismanagement, perhaps graft, was entered by President Roosevelt when he suspended Public Printer Charles A. Stillings, of the bureau of engraving and printing, pending investigation of charges of extravagance in the bureau. William S. Rossiter, chief clerk of the census bureau, was appointed temporarily.

The move by the president caused a decided sensation. For years it has been known that the government has been wasting great sums of money in the bureau and that the system under which this important branch of the government service is conducted was, to say the least, exceedingly lax.

Three years ago the story was extant that there was something wrong in the placing of contracts for supplies and an investigation was rumored. Nothing was done, although it was apparent that the government was paying out millions

of dollars for paper, binding and general work which so far as the people of the United States at large were concerned was a criminal waste of money.

## Town Board Meets.

The Town Board met with full attendance last night, for the purpose of considering the new fire engine Chief Engineer King of the Elizabeth, who is thoroughly familiar with fire engines, made an examination of the engine, and was present at the meeting and made a favorable report upon the engine, and upon motion it was unanimously carried that the engine be accepted.

The Council then took under consideration what disposition should be made of the engine, and Elbert Dyer being present at the meeting, made the proposition that if the board saw fit to construct a building upon the old warehouse dock and adjacent to the Bandon Commercial Company's warehouse, which would also be large enough to contain an office, that the engine might be kept there, and stated that his Company while using the same for an office would also keep fire and steam in the engine during the day.

The board took no action thereon, but adjourned for a week, and will meantime determine size and cost of such a building.

## Presbyterian Church.

Next Sunday Feb. 16, services will be held morning and evening at the usual hours. Sunday School at 10 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 6.30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to these services.

Found—A ladies locket with initials on outside. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying charges for this notice.

## For Sale.

40 acre Dairy Ranch, 1-4 mile from plank road, 2 miles from Bandon. \$35 per acre.  
C. H. Chandler, Bandon.

## Notice.

Comrades of the Socialist Party of the State of Oregon,  
Attention!

A Mass Nominating and Registration Convention will be held at Coquille City, Oregon, on Friday, Feb. 14, 1908, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M.

By order of the County Central Committee.  
A. W. SLEEPER, Chairman,  
S. L. CURRY, Secretary.

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## For Sale.

J. H. Jones' Dairy Ranch for sale at a bargain on easy terms if sold in thirty days.

Address J. H. JONES,  
Fourmile, Ore.  
Jan. 23rd 1908. 4t

## Notice to Customers.

Notice is hereby given that the Bandon Meat Markets will not remain open after 9 o'clock a. m. Sundays. This will be enforced positively. Will make no exception.  
(Signed) E. LEWIN,  
W. H. WRIGHT.

## Wagon for Sale.

I have a 1 1/4 Steel axle buckboard, good condition, will be sold at a sacrifice. Call on or address  
A. Post,  
14 Plank Road Bandon, Ore.

Ladies' Cloaks, only a few of them left, and they will soon be gone. You can get them at Lorenz & Hoyt's.

## Correspondents Wanted.

We want correspondents in all small towns in the vicinity of Bandon. For particulars address this office.

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