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THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1908

THE CHARTER MEETING

A small number of enthusiastic Bandon voters gathered at the Town Hall last Tuesday night to discuss the merits and demerits of the proposed new Charter. C. R. Wade, presiding, stated that the object of the meeting was to explain certain provisions of the Charter, against which objections had been raised, to enable each voter to arrive at a clear understanding of the same, and urged those present to ask any questions upon which there were any doubts as to the meaning of any provision. Mr. Topping took the floor and first explained the emergency clause, which appears upon the first page in the title of the act, but not in the act itself. When the act was first drafted it was intended to be presented to the legislature to be adopted, and an emergency clause was drafted in the body of the act, the effect of which would be to cause the Charter to go into effect as soon as passed and signed by the Governor, without which emergency clause the act would not go into effect until the expiration of 30 days. Meantime, however, the initiative and referendum law was passed, whereby the people enact their own Charter, and the legislature has nothing more to do with it, and as any charter so passed by the people becomes of full force and effect at once, there was no necessity of the emergency clause, and the emergency clause was stricken out of the body of the Charter, and no longer exists, but by oversight remains in the name or title of the act, since the Supreme Court has held that the name or title of the act, is no part of the act itself, the words "and to declare an emergency" have no force and effect whatsoever. He further explained, even had an emergency been declared, it would neither give the Council, nor any officer of the Town any additional, or different power, than without it, and the only possible effect it would have would be to put the Charter into effect at once, instead of awaiting 30 days. He explained also that the State Initiative law gives any council power to declare an emergency, without regard to any provision whatsoever in the Charter which may be for or against it.

Another point upon which there were some doubts was the provision for a \$50,000 bond issue, many believing that this power was absolute and unconditional with the Council. To be sure sec 143 of the Charter reads that the Council is hereby authorized to issue, sell and dispose of negotiable bonds, etc., but with this should also be read sec. 145 which says that whenever the Council shall contemplate bonded indebtedness, as under this act provided, it shall cause the same to be submitted to the legal voters of the City.

Mr. Wheeler next offered some pertinent remarks upon the boundary question, by giving an illustration of land that 3 or 4 years ago, located within the territory so proposed to be annexed, would perhaps be worth, or be bought for \$5 per acre, because the town was of little consequence, while the same land today, being of exactly the same quality, and same state on improvement, would be worth from \$40 to \$100 per acre, due solely to the growth of the Town, and its close proximity to the Town, that holders and owners of such land, would gain more from the growth of the Town, than many who live in the very heart of the Town, that such owners enjoyed the privileges of the City Schools, and all other advantages, of the Town which has made them financially independent, except the privilege of paying City taxes, from which he drew the conclusion that as a matter of right, they ought to pay

their just proportion. He concluded by saying that the charter is not what he might have drawn, but he could not draw a charter to which he would not expect others to find objectionable features, that even if a perfect charter could be drafted, some one would take exception to it, and that all propositions of whatsoever nature can only be effected by compromise, that he deemed the proposed charter a great improvement over the old, which is practically no charter at all, and was heartily in favor of the speedy effectiveness of the new charter.

MR. MARSHALL declined the offer of the Coos bay real estate men to move the pulp mill industry to the bay, although they offered liberal inducements in the way of sites, capital and support. He declined for three reasons, any one of which is pertinent. First, the stock of the Bandon Pulp Mills is in the hands of Bandon people who have incorporated to operate at Bandon; second, the bay cannot offer water to run such an enterprise (here was the reason the woolen mill that was moved from Bandon to North Bend was a failure in the latter city, while the industry still thrives here); third, the wood for a pulp industry in Coos county is in this valley and transportation to the bay is much more expensive than to Bandon.

In the strike recently prosecuted to a successful end among the employes of the harbor improvement works in Bandon, we have an example of the laborer demanding and receiving his just rights. Bandon labor is as dependable as any that can be secured, and a lot more intelligent than the great majority. The sympathy of the community is with the men who object to the importation of cheap foreign labor for the purpose of lowering wages, and we congratulate the people of Bandon in the stand taken and the happy termination of this most justifiable of all strikes.

THE attitude of the Coos Bay Times under the able editorial management of Mr. Maloney is so fair and friendly to all the towns and communities of our county, that press and people are congratulating themselves over the advent on the bay of a true booster for Coos county, and not merely for a section thereof.

We would call our readers' attention to the fact that the columns of the RECORDER are at all times open to the discussion of matters of public interest. The only rule to be observed is that communications shall be couched in courteous language and shall conform to the truth.

DID it ever occur to you that while other regions have been having storms, landslides and earthquakes we have had nothing worse than sunshine and a fresh breeze in the favored region between Cape Blanco and Cape Arago?

MARINE

ARRIVED.
March 21 Steamer Bandon, Capt. Jensen, San Francisco, 69 tons merchandise.

March 22 Steamer Elizabeth, Capt. Olsen, San Francisco, 128 tons merchandise.

Notice to Mariners.

Capt. Caudal of the French Steamer "Ernest Legouve" reports that on March 8, 1908, 6:30 a.m. in Lat. 43 50' Lon. 131 40' W., his vessel passed within a cable length of a vertical mast standing to 6 meters above the water. It appeared as if attached to a submerged hull.
JOHN McNULTY,
Nautical Expert.

The Band at Marshfield.

The "Bandon Concert Band" returned from Marshfield Sunday evening and are loud in their praise of the hospitality and good treatment tendered to them by the people of Marshfield, also the railroad company and steamboat company and others along the line. The boys report having a first-class time and are anxious to go again.

Clover, timothy, field corn, barley, rye grass, onion sets and seed potatoes for sale at Hartman's.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

To the Members of the Republican Party of Douglas, Coos and Curry Counties.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for District Attorney for the Third Prosecuting Attorney District comprising the counties of Douglas, Coos and Curry, subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primary election to be held April 17, 1908.
GEORGE M. BROWN

FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Assessor at the Republican primaries to be held April 17, 1908.
N. C. MEDLEY.

FOR SHERIFF

To the Members of the Republican party of Coos County

Gentlemen—I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Coos county, subject to your approval at the primary election to be held April 17, 1908.
A. M. SNYDER.

FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

To the Republican voters of Coos county:

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination of School Superintendent of Coos county at the primary nominating election. ROBERT GOETZ.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

The undersigned announces himself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Prosecuting Attorney of the Third Judicial District, composed of Douglas, Coos and Curry counties, subject to the action of the electors thereof at the primaries to be held April 17, 1908.
W. W. CARDWELL.

FOR JOINT REPRESENTATIVE.

I take this means of announcing to the Republicans of Curry and Coos counties that I am a candidate for Joint Representative of said counties, subject to the approval of the Republican voters at the primaries on April 17, 1908.
Respectfully submitted,
E. W. JENSEN
of Curry county.

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Election Notice

Notice is hereby given that a special election is called and will be held at the Town Hall in Bandon, Oregon, upon March 30th, 1908, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 P. M. of said day, at which election will be submitted to the legal voters within the territory hereafter designated the question of changing the limits of the said town of Bandon and extending the same to include the following described territory, and to conform to the boundary of such territory, within which territory is included the town of Bandon, and which territory is described as follows: All of sections 19, 20, 29, 30, 31 and 32 in township 28 So., range 14, and sections 24, 25 and 36 in township 28 So., range 15, all west of the Willamette Meridian in Coos County, Oregon.

The said Board of Trustees for said election has appointed the following board: Judges—Chris. Rasmussen, Robert Walker, P. C. McKinis, Clerks—A. D. Morse and C. B. Wade.

This notice is made pursuant to an Ordinance passed February 19th, 1908, providing for said special election.

Dated Bandon, Oregon, Feb. 20th, 1908.
C. R. WADE,
Recorder of the Town of Bandon.

Dissolution Notice.

The copartnership of C. T. Blumeroth and John Tawse under the name of the Bandon Real Estate and Loan Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, but will be carried on in the future at the old place under the old name of the Bandon Real Estate and Loan Co., by C. T. Blumeroth.

All outstanding bills against the firm will be settled by C. T. Blumeroth, and all bills due the firm must be paid to C. T. Blumeroth.

C. T. BLUMEROTH
JOHN TAWSE,
Bandon, Oregon, March 10, 1908.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, Dec. 3, 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, Frank H. Wetherbee of Eugene, county of Lane, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 8328, for the purchase of the N 1-2 of SW 1-4 and W 1-2 of SE 1-4 of section No. 15, in township No. 32 S., range No. 14 W., W. M., 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 his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at Roseburg, Oregon, on Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1908. He names as witnesses:

Ira P. Hower of Eugene, Oregon.
Dave Murphy of Eugene, Oregon.
Alex. T. Cokerline of Eugene, Oregon.
Edward Howe of Eugene, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of May, 1908.
BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roseburg, Or.

January 29, 1908.
Notice is hereby given that Cassius M. Doyle, of Arago, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 10812 made Nov. 8, 1900, for the SW 1/4 Section 28, Township 29 South, Range 14 W., W. M., and that said proof will be made before G. T. Treadgold, U. S. Commissioner at Bandon, Oregon, on Thursday, April 2, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz.: Edward H. Edsall, of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, Edward L. Ohman, of Prosper, Coos County, Oregon, Virgil Hixon, of Parkersburg, Coos County, Oregon, Alfred M. West, of Parkersburg, Coos County, Oregon.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the County Court of the state of Oregon, in and for the county of Coos, heretofore made, Geo. P. Topping was duly appointed administrator of the estate of Harry Wilson, deceased, and that letters testamentary were duly issued to the said Geo. P. Topping on the 12th day of February, 1908.

Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the said administrator at his office at Bandon, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1908.
GEO. P. TOPPING,
Administrator of the estate of Harry Wilson deceased.

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Lewah Tribe No. 48, Imp. O. R. M.

MEETS every Tuesday evening at 8 p.m. at the Bandon Wigwam. Suborning, cheating in good standing are cordially invited to attend.
O. C. WALDYVOOR, Secy.
C. E. FISHER, C. of R.

Bandon W. R. C. No. 40

Meets every first and third Saturday in each month at 7 p. m. in G. A. R. Hall. Cordial invitation extended to all members. Mrs. D. A. Yocum, President. Mrs. MARVETIE MOORE, Secretary.

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BANDON LODGE, No. 133, A. F. A. M. Stated communications first Saturday after the full moon of each month. All Master Masons cordially invited. GUYLEY BOARD, W. M. Lloyd Ross, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.

BANDON LODGE, No. 133, I. O. O. F. Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers in good standing cordially invited.
CHAS. S. McCULLOCH, N. G.
GRAEFOS TYLER, Sec.

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MEETS Every 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. Practice night first Wednesday of the month. Social Evening the 2nd Saturday of the month. A cordial invitation extended to all members in good standing.
MINERVA LEWIN, N. G.
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Knights of Pythias

DELPHI LODGE No. 64, Knights of Pythias. Meets every Monday evening at Masonic hall. Visiting Knights invited to attend. SPRAY OSBORN, C. O. E. N. HARRINGTON, N. of R. S.

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TABLE ROCK CAMP, No. 9176, M. W. of A. Meets the 2d and 4th Saturday of each month at Concrete Hall. Visiting neighbors cordially invited to attend.
A. J. HARTMAN, H. C.
E. E. OAKES, Clerk.

Foresters of America.

COURT QUEEN OF THE FOREST, No. 17, meets Friday night of each week in Concrete Hall, Bandon, Oregon. A cordial welcome is extended to all visiting brothers.
ARTHUR RICE,
G. TYLER, Chief Ranger.

Woodmen of the World.

SEASIDE CAMP No. 212, W. O. W. Meets in regular session the first and third Thursdays of each month in the Masonic hall. Visiting neighbors are cordially invited.
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O. C. WALDYVOOR, Clerk.

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