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EXTENSIVE ADDITIONS TO CODY MILL

Will be One of the Largest
and Best Equipped on
Coast

TO OPEN FOR OPERATIONS SHORTLY

The Cody Mill is now undergoing extensive improvements that will make the mill which is already one of large capacity one of the best, largest and most thoroughly equipped on the coast.

The first improvement to be made is the overhauling of the large log haul at the north end of the mill which draws the logs from the bay into the mill. The old track, which was made of wood with iron bands for the logs to slide on, will be replaced by a track made of railroad railing and the mammoth endless chain that draws the logs up will also be strengthened. A new steam cylinder, the largest on the coast will be put in to transfer the logs from the big haul to the log deck and another mammoth 16 inch cylinder will load the logs from the deck on to the carriage.

All the machinery used in the mill will be the heaviest built for saw mill work on the coast.

M. F. Logan superintendent of the mill is busy now getting the new repairs made so that the mill can resume operations in about three weeks.

Another improvement, which will be one of the most extensive in the mill is the addition of a timber slide, capable of handling timbers 120 feet long, which is about as long as any to be found on the coast. This will also have machinery installed so as to run the timbers into the planing mill and do away with the loading on trucks which has been done heretofore.

The sorting table will also be made about two feet higher and thirty feet longer, and will be equipped so that the lumber can be sorted to better advantage and a smaller number of men required to do the work. The automatic trimmer will also be overhauled, the large new pump for fire protection will be installed and a new chute, to run the saw dust and planer shavings into the fireplace is also being built and the dust and shavings will be sent through the chutes by an immense fan which runs with terrific force.

Taken all in all the mill will be greatly improved and will be enabled to work with greater ease.

The mill will resume operations just as soon as the repairs and additions can be made. L. J. Cody, president and manager of the Mill Company has been up to the camp for several days, superintending the work of getting a large amount of logs in readiness so that the mill can run at full capacity as soon as everything is ready.

Osprey Towed Out

R. D. Hume's new boat the Osprey which was built up at Coquille was towed out of this harbor Wednesday morning, by the Enterprise and taken to Coos Bay where the finishing touches will be put on.

The Osprey is a very prepossessing little boat and will be a good addition to Mr. Hume's line of small sea goers.

Bishop Scadding to have Summer Home Here

Bishop Scadding of the Episcopal diocese of Western Oregon, who was here recently, was so well pleased with Bandon that he purchased two lots and will build a modern bungalow on them. He will use this for a summer home and will spend about four months of the year here, the remainder of his time will be spent in Portland.

Bishop Scadding was very favorably impressed with Bandon and the Coquille Valley and also with Coos Bay and expressed himself as being highly pleased with the excellent work done by the Rev. William Horsfall throughout Coos county.

No Action Announced

Mayor E. E. Straw has not yet made any announcement of a final outcome in the case of Nightwatchman Condron. Mr. Condron has discarded his uniform and friends announce that he has decided to resign and resume his former employment as a foreman of a street grading force.

Neither Mayor Straw or Mr. Condron could be reached this afternoon. It is barely possible the matter may be brought up at the meeting of the city council tonight although Mayor Straw has entire charge of the police force.

There was talk among Mr. Condron's friends of circulating a petition that he be retained on the police force. When this was started, others talked of circulating a counter petition.—Times.

Gray Coming

Prentiss Gray secretary and treasurer of the California and Oregon Coast Steamship Co. will come up on the Plant to Coos Bay this week, and will come over to the Coquille Valley and Bandon to see where he gets the large amount of business that keeps his boats running in and out of Coos Bay. Mr. Gray will bring his wife with him and they will make a combined business and pleasure trip. Mr. Gray was recently taken into the firm of which his father has been the head for some time.

SCHOOLS OPENED MONDAY

The Bandon public schools opened Monday with 294 pupils in attendance. Every department of the school starts off with the brightest of prospects and the school year will surely be a success. Prof. Ostien's record as principal is such that it needs no comment at this time, and the other teachers who were here last year gave entire satisfaction. As to the new teachers, the school board have reasons to believe that their judgement in selecting them was not misplaced as everyone is starting out in a manner that gives promise of successful work.

The schools were a little late in starting this year as it was hoped that the new building would be completed for the first of the school year, but owing to unavoidable delay the work could not be accomplished in time but it is now hoped that the building will be completed by the middle of February so that at least half of the school session for the year can be held in the new building.

Last year the first day of school there were 230 pupils and this year there were 294 showing a decided increase in school population and consequently in the population of the city during the past year.

The teachers this year are H. C. Ostien, principal; Mrs. Ostien, assistant principal; Miss Cole 8th grade, Miss Walker 7th, Miss Murphy 6th, Mrs. Myers 5th, Miss Hanlan, 4th, Miss Radley 3rd, Miss Marsh 2nd, Miss Wilkins 1st.

BANDON STREETS IMPROVED RAPIDLY

Large Amount of Work being
Done in Various Parts
of Town

ADDS GREATLY TO BEAUTY OF CITY

The work of improving streets in Bandon is being more systematically and rapidly performed than at any time during the history of the town.

Streets in all parts of town are coming in for their share of improvement, but Pacific Avenue and Homer Street are the ones that have been receiving the most attention recently. The former has been graded from the Shingle mill south and not only presents a fine appearance, but adds greatly to its convenience for travel as a public thoroughfare. Homer Street has been bridged its entire length and is now open to travel. Other noticeable improvements have been made and new sidewalk put in, and the general appearance of things is greatly improved.

The town board is determined to have the very best of streets and they have certainly spent all money in that line most judiciously.

Any person or persons who think they have not done good work should just take an inventory of the work done during the past summer and they will be surprised to see how much has been accomplished.

A number of other improvements are being contemplated and there will be no letting up until Bandon has one of the finest systems of streets of any town or city in south western Oregon.

W. O. W. Entertains

Seaside Camp No. 212 W. O. W. held their regular meeting last Thursday evening and nearly the entire membership was present. After the regular lodge session a few hours were spent in social enjoyment by the members and a few friends who had been invited to partake of the festivities with them. A sumptuous banquet was served and it would be impossible to mention all the appetizing viands that were served, but it is sufficient to say that everyone did ample justice to a good portion of what was served.

After the banquet the time was spent in games and social enjoyment.

The local camp of the Woodmen of the World is in a very prosperous condition, and numbers among its members many of the leading citizens of Bandon and vicinity. As a fraternal insurance order it has no superior and their plan of conducting affairs makes them equally as safe as an old line company, and the insurance is very much cheaper and consequently more desirable.

The local Woodmen of the World is recognized as one of the best fraternal organizations in Bandon and the way they entertained their guests Thursday night shows that they know just how to conduct affairs of this kind, as well as to have a sound basis from which to work.

Seaside Camp already has a large membership, which is scattered all along the coast, from Northern Washington to Southern California, and the lodge here is growing rapidly.

FOUND—On the streets of Bandon a gentleman's gold ring set with garnet. For further information apply at this office.

Statement of Bank

In this issue we publish the statement of the condition of the bank of Bandon, and everyone who reads it will notice that the bank is increasing in business very rapidly and it is being run on a conservative, but solid business basis. There is not a bank in Western Oregon, no older than the Bank of Bandon that can show a better record. It is a perfectly safe place to deposit money and the people thoroughly realize this fact, consequently they patronize it.

Good Score at Bowling Alleys

Dr. L. P. Sorensen was high man at the Arc Light Bowling Alleys for the month of September rolling 228 pins and received \$2.50 as a prize for the same. Two prizes are being offered for October. The prize for the highest score in ten pins is a box of Walpole cigars, but so far there has been no record score made. The other prize is for Quintette and will be \$2.00 in cash.

J. H. Johnston is high man up to this time with a score of 213. A determined effort is being made to beat this score as is also the case with some of the best bowlers to make a better record than Dr. Sorensen made last month, so the games go merrily on.

Margaret Iles Co.

Bandon theater goers were again highly entertained by the Margaret Iles Co at the Opera House Wednesday evening in the famous play The Great Strike. It seems that this company grows in popularity every time they come to Bandon and they seem to put on each play a little bit better than the one before. They will be here again next Wednesday evening when they will put on the great comedy drama—In Oklahoma. It is needless to say that they will have a good audience as their popularity is very evident.

WOOLEN MILL BUSINESS GOOD

Manager Bedillion of the Bandon Woollen Mill received the largest specimen order last Thursday that the local mill has ever received. This order was telegraphed in from Detroit and the machinery was immediately started on the order which must be completed in about 40 days.

The mills have sufficient orders ahead now to keep them running for at least ten months, and the price is better than has ever yet been received for finished product from this mill. This is due to the fact that the weaving is of superior quality and there is a great demand for the goods. Mr. Bedillion stated that the running expenses of the mill would be cut down at least \$4,000 this year and with the advanced price received for goods, the prospects for the future are exceedingly flattering.

The Elizabeth arrived Monday evening with about 100 tons of freight and a large number of passengers. She will sail again Friday morning with a full cargo and up to this time about 15 passengers have engaged transportation.

The Wilhelmina arrived today from Coos Bay with 55 tons of freight.

J. E. Walstrom is adding a five ton wagon scale to the equipment of the Central Warehouse, and is also having a large coal shed built. The capacity of the shed will be about 130 tons. These are both much needed utilities in Bandon, and Mr. Walstrom says he will see to it that there is no coal famine in our city this winter.

Emil Heuckendorff

Emil Heuckendorff, the account of whose death was published in last week's RECORDER was born in Denmark fifty-nine years ago, and came to this country while yet a young man. He was a pioneer of Coos county and had been a ship-builder in this country for the past twenty-five years. He was twice married, his first wife having died many years ago, and about nine years ago he was again married to Mrs. Nielson who survives him. Mrs. Heuckendorff is in California, where she has been ill in a hospital for some time and was only able to leave the institution about ten days ago, consequently was not present at the time of the death of her husband.

Mr. Heuckendorff was an industrious, upright man and made friends wherever he went and the bereaved family will have the sympathy of everyone in their time of sorrow.

Sees Change in Bandon

A. T. Livingston a former resident of Bandon has been in this city since Saturday evening visiting his old friend J. T. Mars and others and in addition is taking in the sights of Bandon. Mr. Livingston has not been here for eleven years and says there is the greatest change here of any town he has visited. He is loud in his praise of the evidences of prosperity here in Coos county and says conditions are much better in this county than any place else he has been. Mr. Livingston says he likes Bandon better than any place he has been and though he has not been here for eleven years, still calls this his home, and recently when registered at one of the large hotels in New York, he registered from Bandon, Oregon.

Mr. Livingston has been in business in Alaska for the past ten years.

200,000 People are After Lands

Dallas, S. D., Oct. 4—Two hundred thousand persons will take advantage of the opening of 820,000 acres of free Government land in South Dakota tomorrow. The parceling of this vast tract of farm country in the Rosebud Indian reservation is the last of Uncle Sam's big land distributions. Every one is to have a chance at 160-acre slice. Land adjoining it is now selling at \$20 to \$30 an acre. It is estimated that this drawing will surpass all other Government openings in the number who will take part, at least 200,000 people being expected to register. The number of 160-acre farms is 5000. This means that only one person out of every 40 can possibly get a farm.

Already crowds have arrived at the border and have set up tents prepared to make a comfortable stay until after the drawing. The registration points are Dallas and Gregory, S. D., on the east border of the reservation. Chamberlain and Preho, S. D., on the north, and O'Neill and Valentine, Nebr., on the south.

Pitcher Gardner who twirled for the "Coquille Wonders" during the ball season just passed had a try out in the Coast League and got knocked out of the box, losing the game for his team. Perhaps if his old pal and glorious umpire Washburn had been on the ground his team would no doubt have been victorious.

The members of the faithful will meet in the City Hall Tuesday night to organize the supporters of Taft and Sherman for the Campaign. The meeting is called by the local committee with the advice and sanction of the State Central Committee. All interested in the administration should be on hand.

BANDON WRECKED AT TILLAMOOK

Driven on Mud Flats by
Fierce Wind and Springs
Leak

FORMERLY MADE REGULAR RUNS HERE

The steam schooner Bandon named in honor of our own city-by-the-sea, and owned by A. F. Estabrook Co. of San Francisco was driven onto the mud flats Saturday and badly damaged.

Capt. Rees, who is quite well known here was in command of the ship and he took the South channel instead of the North and as there was a heavy wind the vessel pounded so heavily on the bar that she opened a seam and took water freely.

The Bandon was then put back into the bay and anchored. Her fires were put out by water. Her anchor would not hold her and a portion of her deck load was unloaded. The boat drifted about all night and finally landed on the mud flats.

An authoritative message recently received here stated that the Bandon was far from being as badly damaged as was at first reported, a fact that will be hailed with delight by all citizens in these parts, as there is a particular interest in her welfare here. The Bandon was not only named in honor of our city but has been making regular trips between here and San Francisco, only laying off to go into other parts when the Fifield was finished recently and put on this run.

All business houses wanting change of advertisements should have their copy in this office not later than Wednesday morning. It is impossible to change an ad as late as Thursday.

AFTERNOON SPECIALS

COMMENCING October
1st and continuing as
they last, each afternoon
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