



## GALLIER ELECTED FIRST MAYOR

### Election Quiet and Exceedingly Close for all Officers

### ALL CANDIDATES ARE POPULAR MEN

At the city election last Wednesday, Stephen Gallier was elected mayor over A. McNair, by one majority. The contest for the other offices was almost as close, Geo. P. Topping winning out for municipal judge over A. D. Morse, by three votes while L. J. Radlev had about the same majority over G. Bak for councilman.

The closeness of the election is no doubt due to the extreme popularity of all the candidates, as they are gentlemen of the highest degree, and no matter who would have been elected the city administration would have been in good hands.

The most unsatisfactory condition of the whole election was that there was one more ballot in the box than the clerks of election had registered on the books. How it all happened is the perplexing question, but it is presumed that at some time during a rush that they failed to register a name.

The situation is the more awkward from the fact that that the election laws make no provision for anything to be done in such cases. Some suggested the idea of another election, but there is no law for such election, consequently it cannot be held. The only plausible way out of it is to abide by the result as it now stands.

### Fifield in Friday

The steamer Fifield left San Francisco yesterday for Bandon and will probably be in tomorrow. She will resume regular runs to this place as will also the steamer Bandon in the near future. The Fifield is a first class passenger boat and carries about 750,000 feet of lumber as well as other freight. The Bandon, while not a passenger boat has about the same carrying capacity as the Fifield. These two boats together with the Elizabeth and the schooners that will be constantly coming in will liven things up around Bandon to a considerable extent.

The Estabrook Co. have announced that they will carry freight on the Fifield and Bandon for \$3.00 per ton to Bandon and the freight for up river points will be reduced to \$3.50 This is 50 cents cheaper than has been the rate here-to-fore. They also announce that they will carry lumber and other freight to San Francisco cheaper than any steamer has ever yet done. The announcement of a lower rate will be very welcome.

### Pressey-Ruegnitz

A wedding in which all Bandonians are especially interested was solemnized at Marshfield Monday when R. M. Pressey, the esteemed manager of the Bandon Creamery Co. and Miss Marie E. Ruegnitz of McGregor, Ia., were united in the holy bonds of wedlock, Judge Pen-nock, officiating. The bride is a stranger here but she is a young lady of excellent family and is more than ordinarily accomplished. By profession she is a manual training teacher and is a graduate of the Sloyd School of Boston, which in itself is sufficient to recommend her

as an expert in her work. Mr. Pressey has been here for some time and has proven himself to be a young man of the highest type in every particular, both his business and educational qualifications are everywhere recognized. As an evidence of the popularity of the young people the Bandon Concert Band turned out to enforce Tuesday evening and serenaded them at their home in West Bandon, and a large number of friends were also present to extend congratulations and best wishes. A sumptuous wedding supper was served Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Deyoe, which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Pressey was accompanied by her mother Mrs. Ruegnitz who will also make her home here and will be joined by Mr. Ruegnitz in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Pressey will be at home to their many friends in their new residence in West Bandon.

The best wishes of a large circle of friends will go with them and that they may have a long and prosperous journey through life is the earnest desire of everyone.

### Margaret Iles Co.

The Margaret Iles Co again appeared at the opera house Wednesday evening and this time delighted the audience with the famous comedy drama "Under Two Flags." The troupe all showed up to good advantage in the play. The people of Bandon will learn with regret that the Iles Co. will appear here next Wednesday evening for the last time until after the rainy season, as it was hoped that they would continue their visits until after the rainy season, when they will appear again. Next Wednesday evening they will play the famous comedy drama "Thorns and Orange Blossoms" taken from the novel of the same name. This is a first class play and as it is the last appearance of the company for some time, they will no doubt be greeted with a well filled house.

### New Equipment for Elizabeth

It is probable that the new cabins which are to be put on the Elizabeth will be ready when she arrives in San Francisco on this trip and that when she returns to Bandon she will be fitted up with her new "house." The Elizabeth is one of the best kept boats on the Pacific coast and all Bandon people are proud that she makes regular trips here.

### Advance in Monday

The schooner Advance arrived in port Monday evening after a rough trip up from San Francisco. She will take on a cargo of lumber and return to the city shortly.

### Wall Paper

T. W. Robison has a fine line of wall paper samples. Anyone desiring the best there is to be had in this line can secure the same by calling at his residence.

T. W. Robison Bandon, Ore. 437f

### English Walnuts

I am agent for Brooks & Sons of Carlton, Ore. for their celebrated English Walnut trees. This firm is the only English Walnut importers in the state.

B. L. HURST.

### For Rent

Nicely furnished rooms for light house keeping. Electric lights and steam heat. Everything strictly modern. Apply at the office of Bandon Steam Laundry.

## NEW WHISTLING BUOY FOR THE COQUILLE

### To take the Place of the Old Nun Buoy Now in Use

### WILL BE A DECIDED IMPROVEMENT

Col. C. T. Blumen, other has received a letter from Congressman Hawley in regard to the new whistling buoy that is to be placed off the mouth of the Coquille river.

The letter says: It will be a new type of whistling buoy in the position now occupied by a first class nun buoy, and the latter to be discontinued.

Red electric arc lights in the city of Bandon, to guide the vessels over the bar and up the river, will also be installed. The poles for such lights are already in tact and the government agrees to pay \$240 per year to maintain them.

This will be a great improvement to the buoy service now in operation and will be greatly appreciated by sea faring men who come into this port.

### Hark Deserves Carnegie's Medal

A person of unquestionable integrity coming from Coquille (that would be almost impossible) informed the Recorder that during the freshet last week at that place a fatal accident was barely averted, one which would have caused many friends in Bandon to mourn not with glee but with sorrow. Sam Johnson, the genial purser of the cruiser, Liberty, in crossing the plank from the boat to the shore took a tumble into the classic waters of the Coquille, and but for the promptness and coolness of Chief Engineer Dunham who acted the part of the Good Samaritan in fishing him out and landing him on the deck of the steamer, he would no doubt have remained in the crystal depths. Whether his bath was sufficient to purify him and make him see the evils of his way our informant was unable to state. Mr. Johnson maintains strongly that Capt. Panter wanted to see whether he could swim, but the Captain contends that Sam was gazing at some barrels and kegs on the cruiser creating a mirage in Sam's vision and he took the same for a plank with the above result. Bystanders who saw the mishap say that he looked like a mermaid when he came out of the water, and that the only thing Sam regretted was that that some paper would get hold of it and use it as a good story.

### Washing Out North Bank

The breakers on the bar have been constantly washing away the sand on the north side of the Coquille river and unless something is done in the near future to check their fury, the residence of the light house keepers will be in danger, before long. One hundred sacks of sand were deposited over there last week which will give temporary relief, but something of a permanent nature will have to be done in order to secure the safety of the building. Capt. Wiren has notified the proper authorities of the situation and it is likely that something will be done very soon.

It has been reported by some out-

side papers that were not familiar with the situation, that the washing was caused by the inside jetty, being put in by citizens of Bandon and vicinity, but expert opinion says it is not the jetty work that is causing the damage. The real need of the Bandon harbor is for a new light house to be constructed on the bluff on the south side of the river, so that vessels at sea can see it. The complaint has been made by sea captains that the light could not be seen until the vessels were right on the bar, owing to the great rocks along the Bandon beach on the south side of the river's mouth. Of course this will be up to the government, as to what they will do, but one thing is certain and that is something must be done to save the lighthouse property.

### Masquerade Ball Christmas Eve

The G. A. R. Post of this city will give a masquerade ball in the Oriental Hall Christmas eve. Prizes will be awarded as usual to both ladies and gentlemen wearing the prettiest and funniest costumes and also to the two best sustained characters. The music for the occasion will be furnished by the Seaside Orchestra. Supper will be served on the lower floor by the W. R. C. Watch for the bills.

### The "Maids From Alaska"

Mrs. A. M. Bonham is in Bandon directing the play "Maids From Alaska" which will be given at the Opera House Saturday evening Dec. 12th, under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors.

The play will be put on by local talent and there promises to be something to laugh about all the time. There should be a good attendance on that evening as those who go will certainly get their money's worth.

### Lyons-Johnson Mill Running

The Lyons-Johnson mill is now running at full capacity again, after a long shut down. The mill has undergone considerable repairing and improvements and is now in first class condition for work. It is turning out about 50,000 feet of lumber a day.

### Presbyterian Church

Preaching at the Presbyterian Church the first and third Sundays of each month, both morning and evening. Sunday School and young people's meeting every Sunday. Visitors and transients are cordially invited.

GEO. H. ROACH, pastor, A. HABERLY, temporary supply.

### City Transfer

All kinds of draying and transferring. FOR SALE—mill wood from Cody's mill \$2.00 per load. Coal sold and delivered at lowest prices. J. Jenkins, Prop.

### Lost

On streets of Bandon an Eastern Star pin. Finder please leave at Manciett's candy store

FOR SALE—Three acres of land at a bargain, within five minutes walk of Prosper mill and store. Inquire of W. H. Smith, Prosper. 47 37x

FOR SALE—Cheap, A six-horse power upright boiler and six horse-power horizontal engine, suitable for running any kind of a small plant. Inquire at this office.

## BINGER HERMANN TO WASHINGTON D. C.

### In Interests of the Coquille River Bar and Harbor

### SENT BY CITIZENS OF VALLEY

Hon. Binger Hermann, former congressman from this district will go to Washington, D. C., to intercede with the committee on rivers and harbors in congress in the interests of the Coquille river bar and harbor, in the hopes of getting an appropriation from that body for the bettering of the local harbor, and for dredging the up-river so that ocean boats can go to Coquille and possibly to Myrtle Point. It is quite possible that there will be other representatives from this valley, but the matter is not a certainty as yet.

Mr. Hermann goes as the special representative from this valley and his expenses will be borne by the citizens and business men. One thing is certain and that is the Coquille is entitled to a good appropriation and it is to be hoped that Mr. Hermann will succeed in his efforts.

### School Report

Report of the Bandon Public Schools for the second month ending Friday November 27, 1908.

Grade 1, Miss Wilkins, Teacher	Enrollment for the month 65, Total days present 870, Daily attendance 49, Total days absent 87, Times late 9, Roll of honor 18.
Grade 2, Miss Marsh, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 34, Enrollment for the month 38, Daily attendance 30, Total days present 544, Total days absent 38, Times late 6, Roll of Honor 18.
Grade 3, Miss Radley, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 40, Enrollment for the month 38, Daily attendance 35, Total days present 638, Total days absent 57, Times late 3, Roll of Honor 21.
Grade 4, Miss Hamlin, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 46, Enrollment for the month 44, Daily attendance 41, Total days present 736, Total days absent 35, Times late 5, Roll of Honor 25.
Grade 5, Mrs. Myers, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 38, Enrollment for the month 34, Daily attendance 32, Total days present 591, Total days absent 36, Times late 7, Roll of honor 21.
Grade 6, Miss Murphy, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 40, Enrollment for the month 40, Daily attendance 39, Total days present 734, Total days absent 20, Times late 13, Roll of Honor 25.
Grade 7, Miss Walker, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 36, Enrollment for the month 33, Daily attendance 32, Total days present 583, Total days absent 23, Times late 7, Roll of honor 16.
Grade 8, Miss Cole, Teacher	Enrollment for the year 31, Enrollment for the month 31, Daily attendance 25, Total days present 447, Total days absent 54, Times late 5, Roll of Honor 8.
High School, H. C. Ostien, principal, Mrs. Ostien, Assistant.	Enrollment for the year 29, Enrollment for the month 29, Daily attendance 28, Total days present 502, Total days absent 17, Times late 5, Roll of honor 18.

SUMMARY  
Total enrollment for the year, 351 Total

enrollment for the month 339. Average daily attendance 311. Total days present 5254. Total days absent 398. Times late 55. Roll of honor, 170.

Roll of Honor includes pupils neither absent nor tardy during the month. The following students of the High School have attained a standing of A for the month in the subjects named. A—95 to 100 per cent. Marguerite Haberly, algebra, book-keeping, English, general history; Tom Ostien, English, general history; Ernest Wilkins, algebra, English, general history; Elsie Kinley, English, general history; Ruby Snyder, English, general history; Ella Felter, book-keeping; Guy Fredrick, algebra, book-keeping; English; Thos. Laird, English; Zettie Gibson, English; Amelia Chaney, English, general history; Dilla Lomas, English; Grace Disher, English; Erna Crane, English, algebra, general history; American history; Sylvia Rickett, algebra, physical geography; Nora Gibson, physical geography; Elisha Wilson, physical geography; Maud Lowe, algebra, general history; physical geography; Eliza Wiron, general history; Lena Langlois, algebra, physical geography; English, general history; Jessie Wood, physics, geography; Beulah Hosse, English; Dorothy Gibson, English, geometry.

Respectfully submitted, H. C. OSTIEN, Supt.

### DIED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lee died at their home, Saturday, Nov. 28, being but three months and eleven days old. Mr. and Mrs. Lee have the sincere sympathy of the entire community in their hour of sore trial.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lee desire to express their heartfelt thanks to the kind friends who assisted them during their recent bereavement and to Rev. Allen of the Methodist church for his kindness.

R. D. Dollar, San Francisco was in this city this week on business. F. W. Rau of Marshfield was in the city last Friday.

Marion Zumalt of the Sixes was in this city last Saturday visiting relatives.

Thos Larkin who has been employed in this city for the past few weeks left Tuesday for Marshfield where he will make his future home.

J W Lint was in port Orford the first of the week to take some photographs of a homestead to be used in a contest suit.

Capt. Moomaw was in the city to day and informed the RECORDER that the company is waiting on the inspectors to come and inspect the new Coquille. It is expected that the boat will make its first trip the latter part of next week.

Mrs. Hume and brother E D Dun-can of Fruitvale, Calif. passed through Bandon last Sunday on their way to the bay to take the Steamer Plant for San Francisco. It is understood that the last will of Mr. Hume will be read in that city.

Dr. F. Mings passed through Bandon last Thursday on his way to Marshfield from Wedderburn where he had been in attendance during the illness of R. D. Hume. Dr Mings stated that Mr Hume died from pneumonia caused by being exposed while investigating a coal mine which he was having developed north of Otter Point.

## THE INDUSTRIAL ADDITION

IS SELLING FAST because it is only five minutes walk to the manufacturing center. Workmen can go home to their meals without being hurried. Houses are more in demand in that locality and rent more readily and at better prices than any where else in Bandon.

If you intend to get a lot, act now as they will soon be gone. It costs only a trifling self denial to own your own home where you are sure you can not be ordered out at the end of the month and the amount you are now paying for rent will do the work. Be wise to this and get a lot while you can on easy terms.

T. B. Wheeler Opp, the Post Office.