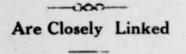


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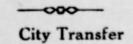
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## VOLUME XXVI. NUMBER 9 BANDON, OREGON, MARCH 10, 1910 SEVEN CARS OF PORT TAX IS PORT COMMISSION LIGHT PLANT GOES WILHELMINA TO COUNTY GRANGE PAYING INVESTMENT MACHINERY ARRIVE LEAVE HERE WILL HELP VALLEY WELL ATTENDED TO THE RECEIVER Will Help to Adjust and Two More Cars are on the Gasoline Schooner Sold By Equalize Values of All Road For the Cody Thom to Capt. Tyler Prominent Men of the Order Mill Lands of Yaquina A. S. Elliott Formerly of **Competent Engineer Says** Assembled Here Last North Yakima, Wash, This Can Be Made The gasoline schooner Wilhel-Discussion of the projected Port The Bandon arrived in port Monmina has been sold by Chas. Thom, Commission has simmered down day morning with seven cars of Saturday a Fine Harbor Is Receiver to an informal taking of the ayes to Captain George Tyler of Yaquina machinery for the Cody mill which and nays on the taxing involved. and will be taken from Coos Bay to is now being installed as rapidly The proposition-set forth in the as possible. Quite a large amoun the northern port about March 15 SUBJECTS OF PORTANCE DISCUSSED The deal has been pending some statute is simple. The Commission, of machinery including the big band THE PLANT RAPIDL WHOLE VALLEY GREATLY BENEFITED duly appointed or elected, has time but was not closed until yesmilll, the dynamo and other things power to set the amount of the tax terday. had already arrived on a former trip of the Fifield and there are Associated with Capt. Tyler are for harbor and river improvement at The Coos county grange conven-A. S. Elliott, formerly of North a number of Yaquina Bay men who In conversation with a competent any figure not exceeding ten mills, to two carlords yet to come. These tion was held in Bandon last Yakima, Wash, has been appointed plan to operate the vessel between may be somewhat delayed as they engineer, who is in position to be collected in the usual way. There Saturday and was well attended by is receiver for the Bandon Light & Portland, Astoria. Toledo, Alsea know, a representative of the RE- is also a provision allowing a special were just behind the big railroad members of the order from all over Power Company and is now in and the Siuslaw. The Wilhelmina CORDER was told recently that the tax if such be needed, to be levier washout that occurred last week the county. Besides the regular charge of the plant here. C. E. was built a little over a year ago Coquille river could be made a under certain conditions. If the and it may be a few days before convention, an open meeting was Hollopeter, who has been manager for Mr. Thom, but she was found commercial stream of vast import- commission finds that the ten mill the road is sufficiently repaired for held to which the public was inof the plant since it started up here not to be just the kind of craft ance, "of course," he said, "it tax will not cover the immediate ex heavy traffic, but in all probability vited and subjects of general interest will continue to be with Mr. Elliot he desired for the local run. It is they will be here in plenty of time will take money," but by the es- penditure necessary for proper imwere discussed. A debate on the and assist in carrying on the work understood that she was sold for as it will take some little time to tablishment of a port commission provement (it being obvious that the direct primary law and the initiative of the company. about \$18,000. nstall the machinery that is already and with the money that the gov- greatest outlay of money comes in and referendum was held, in which The plant will undergo many It was stated that another vessel ernment will give you on the the first few years of the work, beon hand. A. Haberly took the affirmative, changes and improvements just as with a similar draught but of greater Now that the machinery is about strength of the commission you can cause the maintenance of improvewhile C. B. Zeek defended the side rapidly as the work can be accom- carrying capacity will shortly be seall here there will probably be no easily cover all expenses at any ments costs less than the improveof the negative. Both men had plished. The service will be ex- cured to replace the Wilhelmina more delays in the work of contime." This same man said that ments themselves) it can issue their subjects well in hand and pretended into parts of the city that are here. -- Coos Bay Times. the bar was now in good condition bonds for an amount not exceeding structing the mill and everything sented a very strong argument. Afnow in darkness and ail new cus will be pushed to completion as and that it could easily be deepened ten per cent of the total assessed ter this a general discussion followed tomers will be put on to meters and rapidly as possible, so that the so that vessels of a greater draught valuation of the property within the which was participated in by a nummeters will be installed for old patmill will be ready for operation in than are now coming here, could watershed mapped out in the pefi-**Riverton Locals** ber of prominent men of the county. go and come at will, with little or tion for a special election. These rons just as rapidly as possible. about sixty days. After the grange meeting adjourned Since the receivership has taken no dificulty. The gentleman also bonds provide the ready money in ------Mrs. Welch of Lampa is reported a telephone meeting was held, repthe plant, an all night service has said that one of the great needs at sufficient quantities where the ten resentatives of the Coquille Valley as very ill. . **Church Notes** been installed and a day service will this time is to get the river dredge mill tax could not. If the ten mill Telephone Co. were present, and C. T. Cessna has gone to Caland that a nine foot channel could levy did suffice there would be no also be put in just as soon as busput their plans of extending free iness will justify it, although that is iternia for a visit with his family. The Presbyterian church has 137 easily be secured to Parkersburg need of the bonds. But if bonds service throughout the valley before and an eight foot from there on up were issued interest payments and a matter for future consideration. members in its Sunday School and Mr. Darnell son-in-law of Jos. the people, and the probabilities are It is the intention of the company Ferry is visiting relatives here. average attendance of 100 at preachto Coquille. There are only four or principal falling due would require that this line will be extended to five shoals in the 26 miles from attention. If such interest or due to give the very best service that is ing service. The Ladies' society J. F. Chaney had his hand badly Bandon and on down the coast here to Coquille and with the ex- principal could not be cared for by possible to be obtained and the plaat has 22 members and meets each Wed cut while at work in the coal mine. The proposition is to sell stock at ill be thoroughly overhauled and ception of these it would be easy the ten mills, then the commission

ourselves.



The Coquille Herald says: "Mrs. J. L. Kronenberg was up from Parkersburg yesterday to visit Mrs. John Kronenberg of this city, and celebrate her birthday with her. Mrs. Kronenberg's mother, the late Mrs. J. Parker, was an old-time friend of Mrs. Kronenberg Sr. and was born in the same country-Germany -the same day, and for many years they celebrated their birthdays together, and the young Mrs. Kronenberg came this time to, as nearly as possible, fill her mother's place. The two older ladies came to America about the same time and were early pioneers to Coos county. They had the same number of children, and Mrs. Kronenberg's eldest son became the husband of Mrs. Parker's eldest dauhgter, and it is hoped that Grandma Kronenberg may live to enjoy many more occasions with her daughter-in law.



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

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brought to Bandon.

office.

sailing. Thus it can be seen that would have power to levy the special the port commission will greatly tax to cover the interest and any benefit people all along the valley, portion of the principal falling due because it will furnish the means to in the year of the levy. This gives keep the river in fine condition. It to the commission right to levy one was also stated that a channel, suf- regular tax of ten mills at most and ficient to carry large river boats all in cases of emergency such as outthe way to Myrtle Point could easily lined above, power to levy a special be secured by means of the Port tax determined by the interest or Commission, because this would due principal for the year on bonds furnish sufficient money for all needs limited in issue to a maximum of especially is this true, because the ten per cent of the assessed valua government will help us in accord- tion of the property within the inance to the amount that we help corporated water shed, interest being statutorily limited to a maximum of six per cent. Gentle reader, if any

one tells you that a port commission acting under Oregon laws has unlimited right to tax, you tell him he is another.

There has been expressed by some body a lack of confidence in the ability of five men on a Port Commission to tax honestly. That individual undoubtedly is, like these five would be, an upright citizen of a land called the. U. S. A. whose eighty millions of people have the temerity to allow a handful of ordinary men just like this somebody to go to a town called Washington and levy taxes on the land and property of all those eighty millions. This pecuiliar proceeding has been going on for over a hundred years now and we are still doing it. It is a mistake to allow five of the same brand to exercise a limited power of taxation in our midst where we can get at them easily.

The matter of tax adjustment and this way:

In the industrial world generally improved property enjoying the second prize, a beautiful pin tray county Wisconsin. nance of government than dormancy debt.

Butter Wrappers for sale at this does. The fair thing to do then is to tax activity higher than dormancy The RECORDER \$1.50 per year.

improved in many ways, so that in the near future Bandon will have as deceased was recently viewed and good an electric light service as can appraised. be found anywhere.

betent electical engineer and as he the teachers. will have personal supervision of afairs, we are assured that everthing will be well done.

**Taxes** Received

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All those desiring to pay taxes hotel which will be about April 18. without the trouble of going to Coquille can pay them at the Bank of accident last week while working at Bandon. 8-21

government than dormancy. This comes the harder on him as his s the idea which has ied to all this wife has been under the constant at uproar about proper taxation of tention of a physician for some time. corporations; a corporation ordi narily represents activity and great activity which does not pay its just dues to government is getting something for nothing. hate to have any one doing that hence the uproar. The farmer too, n this country, pays higher taxes on his improved property than the wner of unused timber land. This makes the farmer sore, which is good thing because his outcries Steam heat, electric lights, telephone have resulted in a healthy move ment toward a more and more Bandon Steam Laundry. proper adjustment of taxes on im proved and unimproved property a gave a five hundred party and went to Virginia locating in the process still going on and naturally luncheon at the K. of P. hall Tues Shenandoah Valley. hastening the opening up of hitherto deay afternoon, which was one of Mrs. Miller traces her ancestors unimproved country.

equalization has entered into the the Port Commission would be to ac- present and ten tables were filled Pennsylvania. discussion to some extent and has celerate improvement of unused lands with players and many who did not Mr. Miller is 78 years old and Mehi, Robison and Zeek in honor of been treated in these columns before. by making it just that much more play were also present. The first Mrs. Miller is 75. They celebrated Mrs Max Reugnitz, who is to leave Perhaps we can get at the matter in expensive to leave them unused; prize, a beautiful china choclate pot their golden wedding 4 years ago. soon for her home in Colorado. The

speaking activity means income and prosperity incident to the bettering was won by Mrs. Fritz. An elab- God has allotted to them a peace- which was set for twelve bore artistic dormancy does not. Activity on of transportation facilities. Im orate luncheon was served which ful old age surrounded by all their bouquets of the same sweet spring account of the income. enjoys more proved and unimproved property was greatly enjoyed by all. The children, living in the healthful, in- flowers. A dainty and appetizing fully the benefits which govern- alike will owe for the increase in op- halls and tables were superbly vigorating air of Coos county, they luncheon was served. Those seated The Racket now has the greatest ment confers upon industry and portunity for profit and the tax will decorated with ferns, ivy and are gently jogging down the stream at the table were: Mesdames Mehi, variety of hair novelties ever therefore owes more to the mainte- be the proper payment of the just daffodils, all of which are native to of life.

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The estate of David Mathers,

Mr. Elliot is a thoroughly com- Mr. Harnden and Miss Belloni are present and made a talk in behalf of

Harry Peterson came in from visiting his parents here.

J. M. Young and family will move to the Willamette Valley as soon as their lease expires on the Riverton

Ward Gage met with a painful the coal mine. He fell from the trestle and received a broken rib ecause activity gets more out of and was generally bruised up. This

VERITAS

The regular meeting of the Commercial Club will be held Frlay evening March 11th at 8:00 p. m. in the firemen's club room. All members and citizens interested in the development of Bandon are urged to be present.

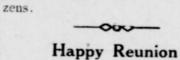
Rooms for light house-keeping. convenient and cozy. Inquire at back to those who were expelled The ladies of the Eastern Star religion. From there the family

Oregon, and the occasion taken as a whole was one that will long be remembered by those present.

\$15 a share and each stockholder buying two shares is entitled to a phone and they guarantee good ser-

vice. Mr. Langley of the Coos Bay Our school started up Monday, Home Telephone Co. was also that company.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Newberg recently and has been Presbyterian church served dinner from 11 to 2 o'clock and were well patronized by the visitors and citi-



Mr. and Mrs. Miller were in Bandon last week visiting their children, H. S. Miller, Mrs. F. Meinhardt, Mrs. Sidney Dean and Mrs, Van Valkenburgh. There are four gentoday

Mr. and Mrs. Miller have 7 chil dren all of whom are living in Coos county, having made their home here within the last three years. There are 43 grand children, 8 of whom are dead. and twelve greatgrand children with one dead. Both Mr. and Mrs. Miller's family are F. F. V. (First Families of Virginia.)

Mr. Miller is a staunch Presbyterian. He traces his parentage 9th from Germany to Holland for their

the most enjoyable social events of back to Holland and "Dear Old The function of the tax levied by the season. There were about 100 Ireland," from there to Virginia and

you will get results.

nesday. The C. E. society has 41 members and meets Sunday evening at 6:30. All are cordially invited to ttend these services. You are urgently invited to attend the services next Sunday, March 13th. At 11:00 a. m. the minister will discuss the subject What is a christian? At 7:30 How to make Bandon.

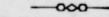
Services at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday as tollows: Sunday School 10 a. m; preaching services 11 a. m; Epworth League 7 p. m; preaching services at 8 p. m. We will be glad to welcome you at these services.

The Methodist Episcopal church is making steady progress. Since the pastor returned from conference in September five members have been received. The Sunday School is growing, and there are rumors in erations of Millers in Coos county the air of an addition to the church

to accomodate it.

The Epworth League will hold their regular monthly business meeting at the parsonage on Saturday evening March 12, After the regular business session a social hour will be spent. All young people will be welcomed.

The Ladies Aid Society are busy these days. Their next meeting will be at at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon March 15. All ladies interested in this work will find a cordial welcome.



You will have to put a .nove on you if you get any of that exquisite colored glassware at the Racket.

A very charming five o'clock tea was given at the Zeek home on last Friday afternoon by Mesdames

and to collect the revenue due from was won by Mrs. Beeson and the They were married in Richland house was prettily decorated with

daffodils and violets and the table Robison, Reugnitz, Cody, Rohn,

Hollopeter, Morse, Stephenson, Advertise in the RECORDER and Reynolds, Rossiter, Mc Cinnis and Zeek.