



*Original Best Society City Hall*

### Lodge and Professional Directory

Lodges are requested to notify this office on election of officers and on change of meeting night. Cards under this head are 75c per inch per month.

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

MEETS every Thursday evening at 8 run at the Bandon Wigman. Sojourning chiefs in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

G. E. Wilson, C. S. Hubbard  
C. of R. Sachem.

#### Masonic.

**BANDON LODGE, No. 130 A. F. & A. M.** Stated communications first Saturday after the full moon of each month. All Master Masons cordially invited.

J. A. Morrison, W. M.  
G. T. Treadgold, Secretary

#### I. O. O. F.

**BANDON LODGE, No. 133, I. O. O. F.** Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers in good standing cordially invited.

A. G. Hoyt, N. G.  
A. Knopp, Secretary

#### Rebekah Lodge No. 126.

MEETS in I. O. O. F. hall every second and fourth Tuesdays. Practice nights 1st Tuesday of the month. Social evening the 3d Tuesday of the month. A cordial invitation extended to all members in good standing.

Clara Goetz, N. G.  
Belle A. Kolp, Secretary.

#### Knights of Pythias

**DELPHI LODGE, No. 64, Knights of Pythias.** Meets every Monday evening at Knights hall. Visiting knights invited to attend.

C. R. Wade, C. C.  
B. N. Harrington, K. of R. S.

#### Woodmen of the World

**Seaside Camp No. 212** meets every first and third Thursdays of each month. Visiting neighbors cordially invited.

R. W. Bullard, C. C.  
J. N. Hosking, Clerk.

#### G. W. REA

Attorney and Counselor-at-Law  
Notary Public

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Office With Bandon Light & Water Co.  
Bandon - Oregon

#### Dr. H. L. Houston

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

Office over Drug Store. Hours, 9 to 12 a.m., 1:30 to 4 p.m.; 7 to 8 in the evening.

Night calls answered from office.  
BANDON, OREGON

#### Dr. L. P. Sorensen

DENTIST

Office Over Vienna Cafe  
Telephone at Office and Home.

BANDON OREGON

#### G. T. TREADGOLD,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Bandon, Oregon.

Office With Bandon Investment Co.

#### Dr. H. M. Brown.

Resident Dentist.

Office in Panter Building

Office Hours: 9 to 12 M., 1 to 5 P. M.  
Phone, BANDON, OREGON

#### C. R. BARROW

Attorney and Counselor-at-Law

COQUILLE, - ORE

Office over Skeels' Store

Office Phone, Main 335; residence, Main 346

#### DR. E. W. ROSSITER

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON

BANDON OREGON

Office and residence in Panter residence property next door to Bijou Theatre

#### DR. J. D. KELLEY

Physician and Surgeon

Office in Donald Charleston home, opposite Presbyterian church, Bandon, Oregon

## GOOD PROGRESS WITH OIL WELL

### It Is Now Down Nearly Four Hundred Feet.

The Miocene Oil and Gas Company is pushing the work of drilling the oil well on Bear creek with all possible rapidity; the well is now down nearly four hundred feet, and is still being pushed along with all the speed possible. The drillers are now in a sandstone which is of the same quality as the Coalinga oil field has, and the prospects for a good flow of oil are getting better all the time as the well goes down deeper.

What the company needs now is the moral and financial support of the citizens of Bandon and the Coquille valley, and from every indication this is forthcoming, as there is great expression of enthusiasm by the people, and all are watching the outcome with the deepest interest.

Late last evening it was learned here that the drillers had gone through the sandstone and were now into sand, and had found a small quantity of gas, which makes prospects all the brighter. The gas would indicate an oil formation, and practically assures the finding of oil, probably in large quantities, and those in charge are now much more hopeful than ever before of ultimate success.

### The Dixie Minstrels.

The Dixie Minstrels, presented by Miss Dixie Loftin, assisted by Bandon's best talent, given at the Opera House, Wednesday evening, was a complete success.

The first number on the bill was a sketch entitled "The Hired Man;" a very good farce comedy in which Mrs. Howard Johnston, Miss Edna Mills, Mrs. Mabel Houston, Mr. Barry Strahl, Hubert Adison and Claude Adams participated, and all played their parts remarkably well. Miss Loftin made a very funny little "Sis Hopkins" which provoked much laughter and rounds of applause.

Mr. Roberts, cashier of the First National Bank, rendered a vocal solo which was well received.

A Race Track Sketch entitled "Thirty Dollars" was the hit of the evening, in which Robert Blackerby and Charles Conrad represented the characters of two track pals. Their acting, as well as their dialogue could not be improved upon. Miss Loftin played the part of the Kid, a difficult character, which she handled with her accustomed ease and grace.

The last half of the program was "The Dixie Minstrels," the personnel of which was eight of the town boys, with nobby costumes and black faces and Miss Loftin as interlocutor. The songs were catchy and up-to-date, and the jokes were new and original.

Dancing by Mr. Harry Whitlaw was exceptionally good.

The Ribbon dance, which closed the bill was something new to the Bandonians and was heartily applauded.

Miss Loftin coached and staged the entire performance in less than ten days, showing she thoroughly understands her business and she deserves the greatest credit.

By request and for the benefit of the many who could not attend Wednesday evening's performance, the program will be repeated Saturday evening, and will also be seen in Marshfield the early part of next week.

## Opportunity For Bandon Capitalists.

In glancing over the registration books of the two Bandon precincts, the observer will notice several of our citizens registered as capitalists, a fact of which all our citizens are very proud. One of the best things a city or town can have is capitalists, providing those capitalists use their means and resources for the upbuilding of the city.

Now there are excellent opportunities for capitalists, right here in Bandon, to show their interest in the welfare of the city and at the same time to put their money into something that will bring big interest on the investment.

The first thing we might mention in the way of needs of the city is a box factory. Spruce lumber is constantly being shipped from here to Grays Harbor and to North Bend to be manufactured into boxes and then many of the boxes are being returned here for use. Now here is the opportunity; for instance, the freight on lumber from the Coquille river to Coos Bay is three dollars a thousand, and then it will cost as much more to ship the boxes back, so in boxes manufactured for home consumption, the box factory on this river would have the advantage of six dollars a thousand, and if they would just cut that in two, they could undersell the North Bend box factory by nearly one half for local trade and still have a big profit.

Will it not pay some of our Bandon capitalists to look into this proposition? By all means we need a box factory. It means the employment of more labor in Bandon, and thus a bigger trade for our merchants, because these laborers will have families to support. It will mean a big income on the capital invested, and it will mean an increase in the population of Bandon, and, in fact, will be beneficial to everybody.

Think it over, Bandon Capitalists!

### K. of P. Ball.

The Knights of Pythias' Annual Ball is billed for the evening of Nov. 19th, and will be one of the main social functions of the season.

### Rackleff Quits Race.

The Coos Bay Times says: County Chairman C. B. Selby today received word that Ed Rackleff, the republican nominee for representative from Coos county, has decided not to make the campaign for election. Mr. Selby has not been able to reach Mr. Rackleff but probably will today. If Mr. Rackleff still refuses to run it is likely that the republicans will endeavor to secure another candidate to take his place on the ticket.

### Notice of Dissolution.

BANDON, ORE., Oct. 10, 1910  
Notice is hereby given that the partnership formerly existing between Claude Woodruff and George Turner, under the firm name of Woodruff & Turner, has been dissolved by mutual consent of both parties. Claude Woodruff will retain the business and pay all bills of the company, and all accounts due the firm are now due and payable to C. W. Spencer.

Signed: CLAUDE WOODRUFF,  
GEORGE TURNER.

### Coquille Pioneer Dies.

Mrs. J. F. Schroeder, one of the pioneers of Coos county and believed to be the first white female child born in Oregon, died at her home in Coquille Monday evening. Mrs. Schroeder was, before her marriage, Miss Mary Perry. Her birth occurred in 1843 on the Clatsop plains, and she was married to J. Frederick Schroeder in 1865. The children born to the couple were Clara B., Eva L., Albert, Frank and Finley Schroeder. Clara is the wife of Capt. Levi Snyder, and is well known in Bandon, having lived here a number of years. Albert and Frank formerly managed their father's farm, but are now in Washington. Finley owns a farm near the home place and Eva is living at home.

A complete line of Rubbers and Oil Clothing at Coumerilh-Christensen Co's.

## AVIATOR MAKES NEW RECORD

### Outbreak Rumored at Honduras, But May Be Avoided.

(Wireless via Cape Blanco.)  
St. Louis, Oct. 13.—Al Welsh in a Wright Biplane created a new endurance record for American machines, of three hours, seven minutes and 57 seconds. This is the longest flight for such a machine yet on record.

Honduras, Oct. 13.—Rumors of an outbreak here are decided but the government has declared to remove Gen Calladres, commandant at the port because of his threatening attitude toward foreigners.

New York, Oct. 13.—The Contest Board of the American Automobile Association announced to-night the disqualification and suspension of Barney Oldfield for his announced intention of racing Jack Johnson, the heavy weight, in an unsanctioned contest at Sheepshead.

### Good Time Social.

There will be a good time party in the hall over Chas. Lorenz's store Saturday evening, October 29th, ad mission 10c. The proceeds will go toward finishing paying for the piano purchased for the lower floor of the Bandon public school. The public is very cordially invited to attend this social and thus assist in a good cause as well as to have a good time. There will be something doing every minute, so come prepared to enjoy yourselves.

### Big Catch of Fish Yesterday.

Yesterday was a big day for the fishermen on the Coquille, and over 4,000 were hauled in by the various fishermen along the river. Holman & Bingaman pulled in 1256; Gus Barre, we understand hauled in over 1000; the Parrows boys made a big haul as did also Mr. Bullard of Bullards. We did not learn how many other fishermen caught, but it is safe to say that the entire haul amounted to between 4,000 and 5,000, which is probably the best catch that has been made in any one day for about four years.

The Bandon Mercantile Co. received a big shipment of goods on the Elizabeth, and are placing them to-day in the Panter building, recently vacated by Ed Rackleff, and they expect to be open for business to-morrow. A. G. Hoyt will be general manager of the store.

A special boat came down from Coquille last night to bring passengers from the Breakwater, among whom was a party of fifteen or twenty people going to Lakeport.

### Looking Backward.

The morning broke with a clear and beautiful sunrise, in all directions small fires burned, the smoke curled up in the crisp air, men were busy finishing their breakfast which was not as great a repast as was expected, our two steers had broken the ropes with which they had been tied the night before, and had run away, and were probably caught and killed by the enemy, who, no doubt, had a great feast on them.

Our horses saddled, we started off to find more work. We had not ridden many miles until we entered a beautiful valley, through the cen-

## BOATS ARRIVE AND DEPART

### Elizabeth and Newport are Now in Port After Making Record Trips.

The Elizabeth arrived in from San Francisco last night with 200 tons of freight and the following passengers: J. Machado and wife, A. L. Miller, wife and son, J. F. Kistler, Mrs. Anna Kistler, Frank Strickland and wife, Thos. Cornelius, Ire Cornelius, R. G. Armstead, J. H. Snyder, Guy John, Mrs. J. John, Mrs. Ella John. The Elizabeth will sail again Saturday evening at 9.00 o'clock.

The Newport arrived in from Portland this morning with 90 tons of freight. The Oregon is also in port and is loading lumber at one of the up river mills.

The Fifield is expected to arrive in Sunday morning, having been put on dry dock and was thus somewhat delayed.

The Elizabeth left here last Friday afternoon and was back again Thursday evening and laid over in San Francisco a day. This is about as quick a trip as has yet been made by any boat coming into this port.

ter of which a small tributary to the Wind river wound its way, both sides of its banks were overgrown with tall willow bushes, beyond on a flat, grazed a horse apparently alone. Having some fine rifles with us a shot was fired and the first one brought out an Indian hidden behind the horse. A few more shots and the horse fell while its rider made double quick over a ridge. Understanding the treacherous nature of the Indians we sent several men on foot to inspect the willows; in a short time shots were heard, and as we approached, twenty Indians who were hidden on the other side retreated. We also discovered that the willows had been fastened together in different places so as to prevent any of the whites from passing and re-passing in a direct line, and in other places those willows formed regular traps.

We soon found that our horses, being sore and stiffened from overwork, could not keep up to the fresh horses of the Indians, so we took a stand to watch the Indians riding around us in semi circles and then breaking away as it coaxing us to come on.

Just by chance one of our party shot at them and hit one of the Indians who leaned over the neck of his horse, and finally fell. The Indians, not willing to lose any more of their men without injuring us, left us and we returned to our camp.

Having but short rations and not a great deal of meat, we concluded to return toward the Sweetwater.

Some of our men having lived among the Sioux Indians understood their language, and we offered the captured woman a chance to go to her tribe, but she refused, saying that she would be captured by the Bannacks or Shoshones if she would go now, but she would let us know when she could risk it. After traveling many miles she asked to be set free with her baby. Another horse was given her upon which was put blankets, provisions, and other needed things were packed away. She had not gone more than two or three hundred yards when she gave a peculiar call and before we knew it a number of the captured Indian ponies broke away and followed her with such speed that it was impossible to think of a recapture.

Later on we learned that she met her tribe again near Fort Fetterman.

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