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F. J. CHATBURN IS NOW A FULL FLEDGED LAWYER

F. J. Chatburn, of this city, is now a full-fledged lawyer, having been admitted to the bar for practicing in all courts of the state. Mr. Chatburn was formerly in the law business in Missouri, but has not been practicing at the profession for some time. He was elected justice of the peace for this justice district at the recent election, but owing to the newly discovered law that judges hold over, he will not be installed into the office. Mr. Chatburn is a member of the Bandon city council and one of the prominent citizens of the town. His friends will congratulate him upon his success in attaining admission to the Oregon bar.

"MY FRIEND FROM INDIA" COMING TO THE GRAND

"My Friend From India" an adaptation of H. A. Du Souchet's famous comedy in three parts will be the next big feature to be shown at the Grand Theatre. The date of this production is next Sunday, Dec. 6th. The story of this picture play goes as follows:

Erastus Underholt, a self made millionaire, brings his family to New York in order to get them into society. He plans to marry his son, Charlie, and his two daughters to select members of the four hundred. Curiously enough, Mr. Underholt's estimable views are not shared by several of the members of his family. Charlie and Bernice in particular. Charlie is in love with Marian Hayste and Bernice has a sneaking fondness for Tom Valentine. From this start a most rollicking comedy is worked up. If you enjoy a good hearty laugh don't miss this—Sunday night, December 6th, at the Grand.

Marshfield Election.

Marshfield, Oregon, Dec. 4.—Harry J. Kimball, Geo. E. Cook and Carl M. Everson were elected to the Marshfield Council at the election in this city on Tuesday, 616 of the registered voters casting their ballots. A practically solid vote was cast for John W. Butler for city recorder. The amendment to the city charter, giving the Council the right to advertise for and accept bids for the different parts of the work on one improvement passed easily.

All three of the new Councilmen will take their seats at the first meeting of the body in 1915.

Under the amendment passed, the Council will be able to divide the items of street improvement work and give the contract for grading to one the contract for the sidewalks to another and the contract for surfacing the street to still another contractor. This is only an example, as the amendment applies to all contracts for public works.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

John Neilson, the Bandon real estate man, left Thursday morning for Marshfield where he will take the teamer Elder for Portland. Mr. Neilson will attend to business matters while in the city and incidentally take in the sites.

Jack Hulton was a Bandon visitor to the Bay during the forepart of the week.

H. A. Robbins of this city, was over in Marshfield Wednesday and Thursday.

Bandon Post G. A. R. will give their annual mask ball Christmas eve. Watch for big posters later.

Sure to Return.

One morning a merchant whose goods did not very strongly substantiate his advertising claims put out a new sign. He was pleased to see that a great many people stopped to read it, but directly he was puzzled and angered to notice that they all went on laughing. There was nothing funny about the sign. It merely read:

If You Buy Here Once You Will Come Again.

The merchant went outside in a casual sort of way and glanced at his sign to see what was the matter. Some one, no doubt a former customer, had added another line. It now read:

If You Buy Here Once You Will Come Again To Bring It Back.

—Youth's Companion.

Colored Glasses.

Wearing spectacles to protect the eyes from the glare of the sun is a very old custom. The natives of the far northern regions long ago invented spectacles of wood with a very narrow slit in the center to diminish as far as possible the continuous glare of the long arctic day. It is said that the Emperor Nero, who was an ardent and whose eyes were therefore very sensitive to light, used amethysts or emeralds to shield his eyes.

BURIED UNDER PAPERS.

Between Litter and Fires Life in De Quincey's Home Was Lively.

De Quincey's greatest extravagance grew out of the morbid value he set upon papers and their not being disturbed. He was in the habit of accumulating these until, in his own words, he was "snowed up," which meant that when matters reached such an extremity that there was not a square inch of room on the table to set a cup upon and no possibility of making his bed for the weight of papers gathered there; no chair which could be used for its legitimate purpose, and the track from the door to the fireplace, always kept open until the last, was completely obliterated so that he had not even place in which to set his foot—then De Quincey locked the door upon his paper treasures and turned elsewhere. At his death there were at least a half dozen such places "papered" by him and being maintained at no small expense.

Such a thing had been experienced as his actually "papering" his family out of house, but in later years his daughters learned how to guard against such a contingency.

De Quincey usually spent the evenings with his family, who looked forward to these hours with much pleasure. Upon the arrival of the newspaper he would render the news in his own quaint manner, questioning the various members of the group about him and illuminating the various subjects touched upon with a wealth of memories, good stories or human experiences until the happiest flow of real conversation sprang from the circumstances of the moment.

He was not a tranquilizing companion for nervous persons to live with, as those nights were the exceptions on which he did not set fire to something. It was a common occurrence for one of his daughters to look up from her work and to say casually, "Papa, your hair is on fire!" to which he would respond casually "Is it, my love?" and a hand rubbing out the blaze was all the notice taken.

On one occasion, when the maid rushed in to announce that Mr. de Quincey's room was on fire, he hastened to the rescue of his already "snowed up" apartment, refusing all suggestions that water be poured upon his treasured papers. Armed with a heavy rug he disappeared into the burning room determined to conquer without water or perish in the attempt, while the members of his affrighted household trembled for his safety outside the door, locked to prevent the abhorred water from being poured in. Presently, after occasional bursts of smoke and a very strong smell of fire, all were assured that the danger was over, the victor emerged triumphantly from his fight with the flames, and the dreaded element having been subdued for the evening all retired in a state of thankfulness.—From Caroline Ticknor's "Hawthorne and His Publisher."

POLAR RESEARCH.

Arctic and Antarctic Problems That Still Remain Unsolved.

The era of pole hunting is now happily over, and the best result of Peary's and Amundsen's athletic feats in the north and south is that the really important problems of the circumpolar regions can henceforth be attacked with a single mind. From a scientific standpoint enough work remains to be done in these regions to last for several generations.

The antarctic has only been scratched, so to speak. Owing to the diverse scales used in school geographies the average man goes through life with badly warped ideas concerning the relative sizes of various parts of the earth's surface, and so probably few people realize that the antarctic continent is very much larger than Europe—in fact, about as large as Europe and Australia combined. Of this huge continent we do not know even the shape and location of the coast line, except for one long stretch south of Australia and a few widely scattered points elsewhere, while the whole interior, apart from a narrow wedge between Ross sea and the pole, is virtually blank on our maps.

In the arctic a patch of a million square miles is still absolutely untouched. So much for mere surface geography; but, of course, modern polar research includes a wide range of nongeographical problems pertaining to such diverse subjects as geology, glaciology, meteorology, terrestrial magnetism, seismology, oceanography, zoology, botany, physiology, ethnology and archaeology.—Review of Reviews.

The New God.

I look about me and behold How all is changed. The sound and sane, The kind, the true, the hale and old That once made strong the features plain Of life, are cast in other mold.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES

Washington, D. C., December 2.—When the canal is formally opened next March, the President will lead a fleet of forty-four warships when he passes through. After the ceremonies attendant upon the opening are at an end, the President will go to San Francisco on the battleship New York and participate in the opening of the Panama Exposition.

The United States government officially knew two weeks ago of the destruction of the British dreadnaught Audacious by a mine off the Irish coast, but kept the secret at the request of the British government. But the mail advices from Ireland and statements of eyewitnesses, ho-

It started

Thursday, Dec. 3.

And we started something we are going to finish---and finish up but

Everything must go nothing reserved.

Bandon Dry Goods Co.

Big Sacrifice Sale now on

Grand Theatre

Special Features Coming

SATURDAY DECEMBER 5

Perils of Pauline No. 12

More sensational escapades by the nerviest girl in Moving Pictures

Latest Hearst-Selig Weekly

WAR PICTURES FROM EUROPE

SUNDAY NIGHT

The celebrated Comedy Drama

"MY FRIEND FROM INDIA"

In five parts. Adapted from the Stage Play. Brimful of fun. Produced by the Edison Co.

Don't cudgel your brains! Give a

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen

The Quality Gift that everybody wants

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However, the fact that the loss had been reported to this government leaked out.

That the United States in the next ten years will become the surgical center of the world, replacing the war ravaged European center of medical learning, is predicted by some of the greatest surgeons of the United States in attendance at the third convention of the American College of Surgeons in Washington.

Much interest is manifested in the fact that Washington is to have another real live prince as one of its residents. The fortunes of war have not been entirely an ill wind, for they have turned in the direction of official society at Washington a good looking and agreeable young man, who is expected to prove a popular acquisition to the bachelor set here. He is Prince Hohenlohe-Schillingensiefra, a new secretary of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, who was connected with the consulates at Montreal. When the news of the war came he attempted to join his regiment, but the English, or rather, Canadians prevented that and his government instructed him to serve the colors in the diplomatic service at Washington.

The inauguration of the federal reserve banking system on November 16th, marked the final stage in the transition from the old national banking system, which was designed as a measure to help the government sell its bonds during the Civil War, to a new order of things designed to meet

the needs of trade and commerce in times of peace. The big thing that the new banking system will accomplish, in the opinion of bankers and businessmen, is the facilitation, if not the stimulation of business

COOS TELEPHONE BUSINESS MAKES A BIG INCREASE

The new telephone directory which is being distributed to subscribers of the Coos and Curry Telephone Company confirms a notion which has prevailed hereabouts that although there was a general commercial depression abroad in the land, Coos county was not feeling it as much as some other sections.

According to the new directory there are 1905 subscribers connected with the exchanges of the company at Marshfield, Bandon, North Bend, Coquille and Myrtle Point. Eleven months ago when the last directory was put out by the old Coos Bay Home Telephone Company there were 1780 subscribers to the five exchanges. This is a clear gain of 7 per cent. Comparing it with the increase of 5 per cent shown by all the exchanges of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Company in five states, shows Coos progress to be considerably above the average. There is only one city in Oregon which has shown a higher rate of telephone growth than the average of the Coos county towns for the same period. Eugene's increase was at the rate of 10 1/2 per cent. Marshfield's growth was over 9 per cent and was more than double the average gain in Aberdeen, Hoquiam, Astoria and Eureka, towns similarly situated.

The management of the telephone company announces that in future directories will be issued at least every six months. At North Bend a new switchboard has been installed and new common battery telephones are being substituted for the old magneto instruments. Marshfield and Bandon already had this improved equipment.

THE MISSES LOWE AND ROSA ENTERTAIN AT FIVE HUNDRED

Miss Kathryn Rosa and Miss Maude Lowe entertained a number of friends at a 500 party in the Odd Fellows hall. The hall was nicely decorated with Oregon greenery and the hostesses of the evening saw to it that everyone present had a good time.

The first prize for ladies, a mahogany serving tray, was won by Mrs. E. M. Gallier, and the second prize, a palm, was won by Miss Gladys Strader. Capt. Robt. Johnson won the first prize for gentlemen, a kodak and the second prize, a thermos bottle, was won by Everard Boyle.

Those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Radley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gallier, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Gale, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Best, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Single, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walstrom, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Mehl, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Richards, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robison, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Crain, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Byrne, Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Eudicott, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kopf, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Geisendorfer, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rosa, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wade, Mr. and Mrs. A. Garfield, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Sorensen, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Lowe, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. John Dicksey, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rasmussen, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. J. C. Oster, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Thrift, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Feeney, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pape, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Craine, Mr. and Mrs. H. Penace, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kausrud, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Nielson, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Timmons, Mrs. F. E. Dyer, Misses Blanche Radley, Geisendorfer, Elizabeth J. Rodgers, Nora Solvo, Esther Solvo, Ruth Reynolds, Mae Wasley, Gladys Strader, Helen Whitford, Dorothy Gibson, Lena Langlois, Messrs. A. D. Mills, Carl Bowman, Ben Elgin, Jas. H. Howe, F. J. Faby, Edmund Gallier, Leota Gallier, M. Jamieson, Lloyd Ross, Archie Ross, J. W. Hart, Geo. P. Laird, Everard Boyle

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