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CAUSE FOR CONGRATULATION

Bandon is congratulating itself on the happy outcome of the harbor situation. The misleading report circulated by a Marshfield paper caused some concern as to the fate of the expected appropriation.

Every incentive for constructive economic policy and the general well-being of society that at this time at least the government should go ahead with the needed improvements on our rivers and harbors.

AMERICAN DOLLARS AT A PREMIUM

The American dollar is now at a premium in the currencies of every principal country in Europe. These currencies in other words, are now at a discount in terms of the American dollar.

The premium or the discount not only exists, but persists. It is of extraordinary proportion. At the par of exchange \$4.46 will buy one English pound, sterling.

One of the permanent results of the war may be to substitute the American dollar for the English pound sterling as the financial unit of value in international trade.

Another possibility is that of New York replacing London as the clearing house for the world trade and banking. The substitution of a sensible decimal system of currency like the American standard instead of English pounds, shillings and farthings would be a blessing that would in part compensate for the war, its horrors notwithstanding.

OUR SHARE

See Oregon on the way to or by the way of the Panama-Pacific exposition, is going to be written in capital letters in the category of the eastern travelers who visit the fair during the spring, summer and fall.

Are we going to get our share and how? One point on which we can rest assured is that tourists are not going to ask if there is such a place as Bandon on the map. As far as they are concerned it is not there and it is up to Coos county, Bandon and the Coquille valley and it is an opportunity they can not afford to miss.

Into Bandon alone there are four four passenger steamers, representing two steamship lines running out of San Francisco. Out of Marshfield there is good steamer service to Portland and the Willamette Pacific railroad will be another artery to the north.

fy the most finicky or the most adventurous tourist. By water, by rail, by water and rail, by water and stage and rail and others. Every route brings the travelers in one end of the country, completely through it and out at the other end.

There is just one way to get these people here. Tell them where they are going, how they are going and what they are to get in return. Tell them once and keep telling them. get the transportation companies to do their share and don't let us forget to do ours.

AVAILABLE MEN FOR EUROPEAN WAR

Hillaire Belloc, an English statistician is of the opinion that in the first phase of the war the Teutonic allies have had 8,000,000 men in active service and that in the first six months the Franco-British alliance brought 6,435,000 soldiers into the field.

According to his tabulations the total forces of the allies now in service amounts to 4,440,000 men, while the German alliance has 5,520,000 men. Mr. Belloc credits Germany and Austria with the capability of calling to arms 4,000,000 new reserves this year which, adding 1,000,000 for Turkey makes a grand total of 10,520,000 available for the present twelve month.

SOMETHING TO MEMORIZE

The Chambered Nautilus This is the ship of pearl that poet's feign, Sails the unshadowed main, The venturesome bark that flings To the sweet summer wind its purple wings,

In Russia wheat is selling for 35 cts per bushel. In America it is selling at \$1.50. America is at peace. Russia is at war.

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This is the ship of pearl that poet's feign, Sails the unshadowed main, The venturesome bark that flings To the sweet summer wind its purple wings,

Wrecked is the ship of pearl; And every chambered cell Where it's dim, dreaming life was wont to dwell;

Year after year beheld the silent toil That spread the lustrous coil, Still, as the spiral grew, It left the last year's dwelling for the new,

Thanks for the heavenly message brought by thee, Child of the wandering sea, Stretched from its lap, forlorn, On thy dear lips a clearer note is born Than ever Triton blew on wreathed horn

"Build me more stately chambers, Oh, my soul, As the sweet seasons roll; Leave the low vaulted past, Let each new chamber, nobler than the last, Stretch up to heaven with a dome more vast

LODGE DIRECTORY

Masonic. Bandon Lodge, No. 130, A. F. & A. M. Stated communications first Friday after the full moon of each month. Special communications Master Masons cordially invited.

Eastern Star. Occidental Chapter, No. 45, O. E. S. meets Friday evenings before and after stated communications of Masonic lodge. Visiting members cordially invited to attend.

I. O. O. F. Bandon Lodge, No. 133, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers in good standing cordially invited.

Rebekah. Ocean Rebekah Lodge, No. 126, I. O. O. F., meets second and fourth Tuesdays at I. O. O. F. hall. Transient members cordially invited.

BANDON CHURCHES. M. E. Church South Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30. Missionary Society, Friday, 2:30. W. B. SMITH, Pastor.

Episcopal Church Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. REV. WM. HORSFALL, Pastor

Methodist Church Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Public Service, 11:00 a. m. Evening Service, 7:30 p. m. Mid-Week Service, Thursday, 7:30. All those who do not worship elsewhere are invited to come with us. C. MAYNE KNIGHT, Pastor

Presbyterian Church Sabbath Services: 10 a. m. Sabbath School 11 a. m. Preaching 6:30 p. m. C. E. Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Preaching Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting A cordial invitation is extended the public to attend these services REV. WINFIELD S. SMITH, Pastor

Baptist Church Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Preaching Service, 11:00 A. M. ELDER A. B. REESE

Church of the Brethren Sunday School: Sunday School 10:00 a. m.; Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Everybody cordially invited. L. B. OVERHOLSER, Pastor.

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