

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF BANDON

AT BANDON, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 4TH 1915.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCE and Amount. Includes Loans and Discounts (\$111,758.57), Overdrafts, Bonds and Warrants, Stocks and other Securities, Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures, Other real estate owned, Due from banks, Due from approved reserve banks, Checks and other cash items, Expenses, Cash on hand, Total (\$246,631.21).

Table with 2 columns: LIABILITIES and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, Due to Banks and Bankers, Postal savings bank deposits, Individual deposits subject to check, Demand certificates of deposit, Certified Checks, Cashier checks outstanding, Time certificates of deposit, Liabilities other than those above stated, Letters of Credit, Total (\$246,631.21).

STATE OF OREGON, COUNTY OF COOS.—SS.

F. J. Fahy, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. J. Fahy, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of March, 1915. Geo. P. Topping, Notary Public. Correct Attest: J. L. Kronenberg, C. Y. Lowe, R. H. Rosa, Directors.

POTATO BLIGHT

"Owing to the prevalence of potato storage rot, which in many cases, especially in Eastern Oregon, is due to the late blight fungus, questions are coming up in regard to the use of such potatoes for seed and concerning treatment of seed, said Professor F. D. Bailey, research assistant in Plant pathology at Oregon Agricultural Experiment Station. The diseased tuber one may find large irregular areas over the surface that are darkened and slightly sunken. The discolored part may be quite firm and on cutting it may be found to form a mere shell around the outer portions while the center remains white and sound, yet in most of the eyes the germ has been killed. Such potatoes are unfit for seed since their use will result in only a poor stand and will produce only a few plants in which blight will be carried internally until weather conditions are favorable for the disease to spread. While it would not be possible to cull out every potato containing blight this can be done carefully so that a stand can be secured and by following with timely applications of

Bordeaux mixture, the disease can be prevented. It would be desirable to use seed entirely free from blight yet this would not insure the crop against the disease since it is scattered by spores from one field to another.

"The formaldehyde treatment that is used to control potato scab and other diseases will not prevent blight. The fact that the fungus penetrates the tuber as it does, makes it impossible to reach it by any treatment of this kind. A method has been devised whereby the fungus has been killed without killing the tubers by submitting them to a dry heat at 104 degrees F. for four hours. This is not of practical use however and spraying could be necessary to prevent infection from outside in any case.

"Much of the tuber blight so prevalent in storage in Western Oregon at present is directly due to the fact that blight was present in tops when the tubers were dug. They were infected at that time. If the tops had been kept covered with spray up to the digging time this loss could have been greatly reduced and many times the total of spraying saved."

PREPARING BOOM FOR WAGNER

Smith-Powers Town, South of Myrtle Point to Have Water System and Sewers when Townsite is Platted. B. H. Smith is here from Wagner, where he recently opened a barber shop. He states that the townsite at Wagner will not be platted and opened for the time being. A. H. Powers who is looking after it, plans to have a water system and sewage system installed when he plats the townsite and in order to do this, he has deferred action for a time. The Morris tract, not far from there has already been platted.

When things get to swinging on the new Smith-Powers line and the camps are opened up, Wagner will be the center of operations and will have a payroll averaging about \$3,000 per day.

A new camp may be opened on Mill Creek soon. More logs are being taken out and a second train may be put on by the company soon.—Coos Bay Times.

George MacDonld, was seriously injured in a runaway on the Merchant ranch near Bullards last week. His jaw was broken and he sustained other injuries. He was taken to the hospital in North Bend for treatment.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

R. C. Holmes of this city was among the visitors at the Bay the latter part of the week.

Mayor George P. Topping went over to Marshfield today on legal business.

Dr. R. E. Dunlap of Gold Beach made a flying trip from that point to Coos Bay, Saturday, going by boat in ten hours. He returned home overland and stayed in Bandon over night, the return trip requiring fifty-five hours.

C. R. Wade was a visitor in Coquille yesterday on legal business.

C. McC. Johnson was in Coquille yesterday on a business trip.

A gentleman from Mississippi is a big five part serial feature. You can see it at the Grand next Sunday, March 14th.

M. O. Opstad, of the Oregon Agricultural school at Corvallis was a visitor in Bandon Sunday night on his way to Gold Beach and Port Orford.

The "Master Key" is a great story—at the Grand every Thursday night. Have you seen it?

Frank L. Thrift, son of Assessor Thrift was united in marriage at Coquille last week to Miss Crissie M. Shearer of that city.

"The Clutching Hand" in the "Exploits of Elaine" is a scientific criminal and practices unique methods to conquer Craig Kennedy, the great detective. Every Friday night at the Grand.

C. H. Buffington, attorney at Marshfield has moved his shingle to Gold Beach and will practice there.

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday, March 16th at 2:30 p. m. at Mrs. Klepfer's. Will have a short program. All are cordially invited to attend.

Dr. H. M. Shaw, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat specialist will be at the Gallier Hotel March 19th, Friday. Glasses fitted. 18 3t

You need not go to Tipperary for the new Tipperary Turbans and Sailors. Morrison's have them and also all other new ideas in colors and materials. 2t

Joe Bono returned from Walla Walla Saturday where he closed a \$16,000 deal. The Bono brothers have sold all their stock and leased the ranch for six years. Mr. and Mrs. Bono and two children, Joseph and Charley will move back to Walla Walla this spring where they will embark in the garden business.—Curry County Leader

Summer Schools Starting Now

Of the 87 school districts in this county, Superintendent Baker informs us that 35, or about 40 percent, have summer schools, as they are called, owing to the bad roads and the rainy weather of the winter season making it difficult for the smaller pupils to attend. These schools begin in February, March and April and run from six to nine months.—Coquille Sentinel.

SPECIAL SERVICES

Elder A. C. Barmore Will Speak at Saints' Church on Filmore St. on the following Special Topics.

Thursday, March 11th, at 7:30 p. m. "The Apostasy from Primitive Christianity."

Friday, March 12th, 7:30 p. m. "The Restoration of the Gospel."

Saturday, March 13th, 7:30 p. m. "The Conversion of the Jews to Christ and their Restoration to Palestine."

Sunday, March 14th, 11, a. m. "Does the Soul Sleep in the Grave?" 7:30 p. m. "The Metallic Image of Daniel, 2nd Chapter."

All welcome.

The Exploits of Elaine

This fascinating detective story, featuring Craig Kennedy and Pearl White held the audience spellbound when the first installment was shown at the Grand last Friday night. The mysterious criminal who bears the name of "The Clutching Hand", is diabolical in his schemes for revenge, making use of many scientific appliances to further his criminal undertakings. The Exploits of Elaine are shown at the Grand every Friday night. If you want entertainment of the right kind the Exploits of Elaine will satisfy you.

Cows For Sale—Two first class cows and two 2-year old heifers. Call on or address Mrs. Clara K. Canterbury, Bandon Oregon. Mar 9 4 T-o

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank those who so kindly assisted us in the recent loss and at the burial of our beloved wife and mother and for the beautiful flowers. Especially the Sunday school. R. F. Cox and Children

Port Orford Reports

T. B. Davidson who formerly owned and managed the hotel at Langlois has bought some lots here and last Saturday commenced construction of a house and garage thereon.

Amos Johnston, who recently sold his general store here to Zumwalt Bros., has purchased some lots in Mr. Pool's tract. Mr. Johnston is fencing the property and intends to build there this summer.

Miss Mamie Masterson has formed a fine class of pupils for piano instruction. Miss Masterson is an accomplished musician and elocutionist, having taken post graduate courses in one of the leading schools of the land.

(From the Port Orford Tribune)

The White Bros. of Langlois have placed an order for a new seven passenger automobile to be placed on the Bandon-Port Orford run as soon as conditions of the roads will permit.

The Whitworth Bros. who are now carrying the mail from Corbin to Gold Beach, contemplate putting an auto truck on the run as soon as spring opens. They expect to make a round trip daily between Gold Beach and Port Orford.

Two scarlet fever cases have broken out in the home of Beecher Jess at this place. The family has been quarantined and the public school has been discontinued. While the disease does not appear to be in a bad form, yet every precaution is being taken to prevent its spread. One of the little girls that has the fever was just recovering from an attack of pneumonia and bronchitis, but it is not as sick now as she was, a short time ago with the latter disease. The school will be closed for two weeks, after which it will be continued unless some new cases have broken out.

The deal which has been pending for some time for the purchase of A. S. Johnston's store by C. W. Zumwalt, and sons has been completed and the new owners have taken possession. Mr. Zumwalt, Sr., and his wife have moved to town and he will assist his son, J. H. Zumwalt in conducting the store. The latter resigned as assistant cashier of the bank to go into the store. Mr. Zumwalt is one of the substantial citizens of northern Curry and he should make the store a successful enterprise.

Mr. Johnson, during the years he has been engaged in the merchandise business here, has made many friends and retires with the esteem and confidence of the public. He will continue to attend to his duties as postmaster and in the meantime he is clearing up and improving ten acres of land on the lake where he contemplates building this summer.

Ex-Bandon and Marshfield Man in Trouble

Otho L. Hopson, formerly of Marshfield has been indicted at Portland for fraud in selling stock in the United States Cashier company. Hopson came west from Decatur, Ill. working on the newspapers for a time later was engaged in the real estate business in Bandon and was for a time selling stock for the United Wireless prior to the exposure of that company as a fraud.

One Granted, Three Refused

At the meeting of the School District Boundary Board of this county held at the court house Wednesday there were four applications for the creation of new districts, only one of which was granted.

The first was South Slough, just south of Empire where it was proposed to take a slice off from Districts 57 and 61, which lie on opposite sides of the slough to make a new district. One of districts has a valuation of \$14,000 and the other, in which "Shore Acres" is located, of \$69,000. The Board doubted the advisability of cutting up these districts and Superintendent Baker was instructed to consult with the school boards over there and see if it would not be possible to arrange for another consolidated district, with a school house near the mouth of the south slough, to which most of the pupils could be transported by a boat running up the slough morning and night.

The petition for a new district at the head of Willanch Slough, east of Coos Bay, was granted. The territory for this district comes mostly from the Cooston district, with small sections from two others.

The people living in four sections in the corner of Libby district No. 40, a little south of Marshfield, wanted to set up in business on their own account, with only \$8,000 in valuation and only ten children of school age, the older of whom would not attend school. They were recommended to see if some arrangement could not be made by which the district would pay part of the cost of transporting the children in that corner to the school. Another district not grouped was of the Libby high district, No. 66.

GRAND THEATRE SPECIALS

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