

J. R. Smith Outfits Here For Lobster Creek Gold Fields

J. R. Smith who came out of the Bonanza Basin country a month or so ago with a sack of gold nuggets that has created a sensation among South-western Oregon miners, outfitted in Port Orford the first of the week and in company with his son, Owen, started on his return to the headwaters of Lobster and Rock creeks, where he made the rich strike. Mr. Smith and son left here with team and wagon, in which manner they will take their supplies up Euchre creek to Bark Shanty, from whence they will have only about 12 mile pack to reach their diggings. The provisions taken by the father and son indicate that they are not going to the mines with the expectation of being in any hurry about coming back and they paid for their supplies in true miner's style, leaving in the neighborhood of \$100 in gold dust in town, which they took out last winter in the section to which they are now returning.—Port Orford Tribune.

CLOVER

Clover may be broadcasted in March preferably before the 15th of the month, if it is to be seeded over winter again—any time in March if it is to be seeded with spring oats. Clover seeded with barley may be seeded somewhat later during April. Barley is really preferable to oats as a nurse crop for clover as it does not shade the young clover plant so much. Not over one and one-half bushels of either oats or barley per acre should be used as a nurse crop. If the clover land has been plowed early and the seed bed kept thoroughly cultivated clover may be seeded with rape successfully as late as May.

The "Fred Gilbert" loving cup given as a trophy to the winner of the trap shoot held in celebration of Gilbert's twentieth anniversary at Coquille was won by Fred Slagle.

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The Bank of Bandon is authorized to collect taxes. Property owners may pay their taxes there and obtain proper receipts. Apr 1

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THE BANK OF BANDON

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

T. J. Thrift of Coquille is in Bandon assessing property. He expects to finish in Bandon today, having completed the job in seven days.

W. J. Clark, proprietor of the Bay View hotel at Florence has sold the business to Hunt and Baker. Mr. Clark formerly resided in Bandon.

James E. Montgomery of Marshfield, commercial man for the Coos and Curry Telephone company is in Bandon looking after the interests of his company.

J. W. McKenzie is up from Port Orford on a business trip to Bandon.

The report is current in Port Orford that the stock of the defunct Bandon Dry Goods Co. will be moved to that town to serve as the nucleus for a new establishment there.

Saturday, March 20, —we offer a splendid selected picture program of five reels,—comedy and drama.

A. L. Pearson is endeavoring to start a business school in Bandon. He expects to use the old school house.

Spain Pearce has been indisposed the past week but is improving rapidly.

Have your eyes properly fitted to glasses by Dr. B. H. Whitman, eye sight specialist, at the Gallier every Monday.

John C. Kendall was here from Marshfield Thursday on legal business.

P. H. Poole, now of Port Orford was back in Bandon today purchasing merchandise of the wholesalers.

Mrs. Clara McIntosh, chief of the local telephone office, is going to spend a month with her sister in San Francisco. She leaves on the Elizabeth tomorrow.

Mr and Mrs. Pat Handrahan are headed toward the San Francisco San Francisco fair and are scheduled to start tomorrow on the Elizabeth.

Coming, a real lyceum attraction. The California All Star Jubilee Quartette, —the best concert ever given in Bandon—Grand theater—Saturday and Sunday, March 27th and 28th.

Clarence Edmunds will leave on the Elizabeth Saturday morning for Los Angeles to attend to business matters.

Mrs. G. E. McGintie will go south on the Brooklyn to join her husband at Brookings where he has a responsible position in the new mill.

Mrs. Wallace Pomeroy and daughter are going out on the Elizabeth to join the crowd at the San Francisco fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McGee and daughter Esther of Riverton spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Spencer.

Lost:—An agate brooch, Wednesday. Return to Pollock and Pollock's store and receive reward.

APPLY LAND PLASTER NOW

March is the time to broadcast land plaster over the clover, vetch and alfalfa crops at the rate of from forty to sixty pounds per acre, the lower rate where the crop is to be grown for seed. Land plaster does not correct soil acidity. Neither is it a fertilizer. It is a stimulant and hence should be used only on the legumes and on soils which have a good content of potassium and phosphorus

COQUILLE CLIPPINGS

(From the Herald)

Some time Sunday night the store of A. W. Kelley was robbed. There was no heavy loss, however, as the robber, or robbers were content at taking a number of cigarettes, a box of gum and a box of cigars. Mr. Kelley says he has no suspicions of the guilty party but that it is almost certain that it is the work of some small boys. He points out that, had it been men, they would certainly have helped themselves to a case of fine pipes that set in plain view in the show case. The robbers were evidently familiar with the place and knew how to effect an entrance. A window in the back of the place is of the swinging type and is kept fastened with a button. Whoever effected the entrance started to scrape the putty from around the pane, evidently with the intention to remove it. In doing this they broke a piece of glass off the corner of it and then it was easy for them to merely reach an arm through the broken glass and turn the button that fastened the window. There was no light left burning and it was easy enough, once inside, to help themselves. There is a certain class of boys in this place who have been in the habit of helping themselves to different things in several different stores in our place, and if they don't mend their ways they are very likely to get into trouble.

M. G. Pohl of Bandon states that he has twenty-eight nephews that are enlisted and fighting with the Germans in the present European war.

G. J. Lemanski, the moving picture man of Marshfield, who recently sold out of the moving picture business at that city, was in town the last of the week. He went to Bandon to look over the prospects at that place.

Little Willie Norton, son of W. B. Norton of Myrtle Point whose head was crushed by a log some weeks past and who was reported at that time to be in a very serious condition, is now fast improving and well on the road to recovery.

"Shiners" are reported to be biting something ferociously in the river. There is evidently something in the report as a small boy was seen coming the street one day last week with both hands chuck full and fish tails protruding from all of his pockets.

The logging train was held up at this place till three o'clock in the morning Wednesday, waiting for the wreckage near Henryville to be cleared away. The entire logging train crew slept in the station while waiting orders. Two slept in the corners and one took his rest in the coal bucket.

The Johnson Funeral

It is planned to hold the Alfred Johnson Sr., funeral at Coquille on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock and the Knights Templars are discussing the advisability of engaging a special train to make the trip as the regular train gives only an hour in Coquille on Sunday and people from the bay would not be able to get back the same night if they attend the funeral unless a special later trip of the train is arranged for. It is believed a large number of people will desire to attend the funeral and the arrangements are expected to be completed this afternoon.—Marshfield Record.

In the suit of Coach Leirs against the Cody Lumber Company, involving \$20,000, the Supreme Court has upheld the judgement handed down by Judge Coke in favor of the Coach estate, in a decision just handed down by that body.

The case is one which arose in the matter of notes given by the Cody Lumber Company to the Coach estate and a dispute over that matter of the scale of certain logs delivered by the plaintiffs to the Lumber Company and records back over a long period of time. First action was taken when the Cody people through their attorney G. T. Treadgold, sued for an accounting and judgement amounting more than they thought was just awarded to the plaintiffs. The case was appealed with the result as is stated.

A petition for a rehearing will be presented at once according to the statement made by Mr. Treadgold, Attorney for the defendants, this afternoon.

Southern Pacific Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Southern Pacific which is to be held at Anchorage, Jefferson county, Kentucky, April 7th, it is expected that the formal absorption of the Coos Bay Roseburg and Eastern, the Willamette Pacific and the steamship line also to be chosen.—Coos Bay Times.

Thomas R. Sheridan, head of the defunct First National Bank of Roseburg is to be tried March 20 for forgery and embezzlement.

Grand Theater, Tuesday, March 23rd



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

Yuba Tractor for Clearing Dairyfarm
Mercer and Fraser of San Francisco are the owners of the McCullen ranch which has been farmed the past few years by Pomeroy and Guerin and which will be the scene of many changes and improvements this year. Mercer and Fraser have purchased a Yuba tractor of Clint Malehorn which will be used in clearing and plowing their large holdings here. The Yuba ball tread tractor will be the first of its kind to be used in this county. It is able to operate over the soil or road every day in the year—whether they are sun-baked or rain soaked.

Streams of reasonable depth are forded—the load hauled up through their muddy or rocky bottoms and up the steep bank on the other side without damaging the mechanism. It will haul or supply power to pump water, cut wood, chop feed, mix concrete or thresh wheat. Pomeroy and Guerin have purchased the largest plow ever built which will turn a three foot furrow and will be pulled by this tractor which will be operated on the McCullen ranch.—Curry County Leader.

Prospects for Iron

A. Greer who has been prospecting the iron deposits of Coos and Curry counties for the past two years, has returned from the east and expects to take a diamond drill into Curry county and prospect a ridge of iron ore south of the Rogue river, not far from Agness.

After drilling in that section until everything has been prospected the drill will be removed to the Iron Mountain district in Coos county about six mile from Wagner. The method of operating the drill will be by gasoline engine and the apparatus will be taken from Coos Bay to Wednesday and from there shipped up the Rogue river to Agness.—Marshfield Record.

Don't fail to see the "Scales of Justice" a great Paramount feature in five acts—Grand—next Tuesday, Mar. 23rd.

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