

BROOKINGS IS NEW MILL TOWN IN CURRY COUNTY

Dock and Plant Completed While a Schooner Is Built to Market the Finished Product.

(Portland Telegram)
In Curry county a new sawmill town has sprung into prominence. Brookings, the place selected by the C. & O. Lumber company as the site for a large mill, is situated in the heart of a large forest area, with deep water connections. The big mill has just been completed and a dock 1200 feet in length has been constructed to accommodate the schooners which will operate between Brookings and San Francisco.

The lumber company has had constructed a steam schooner for its own use, on account of the shortage of bottoms on the Pacific, and the ship will be ready for use before May 1. The company expects to develop a permanent export business, with a strong side line of cedar in addition to Douglas fir.

Were Married at Coquille
Miss Daisy Shields, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Shields of Bancroft, Oregon, was married at Coquille, Monday, April 9th, to John Windsor, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Windsor of Bandon. Both parties are popular among the younger folks of Bandon, the bride being a member of the graduating class of the local high school. After the ceremony, the groom left for Arlington, Oregon, where he is employed, and the bride returned to Bandon to finish her school course. She will join him after graduation.

Make Wedding Trip to Rogue
Roderick Macleay of Portland who is to be married to Miss Barbara Mackenzie on April 24, will bring his bride to this part of the state on their wedding trip. Mr. Macleay is president of the Macleay Estate company owning the big fisheries on Rogue river and with his bride will go to Wedderburn to spend the summer. They will come through North Bend. If the roads permit they will motor from Portland but if this is not possible they will come by train and go to Curry county from Bandon in a car. Mr. Macleay will remain on Rogue river most of the summer, during the fishing season which opens this month.—North Bend Harbor.

They Changed Their Minds

An Iowa exchange relates a very striking local incident. When the matter of sending home the German ambassador, and thereby breaking amicable relations with Germany, was hanging in the balance, some German farmers in that country got together and signed a "round robin" letter to the president threatening dire action on the part of the German-Americans, including themselves in case the country went to war with Germany. But they saw a great light, about two weeks later, when a U. S. marshal and posse took them all into town, measured and photographed them and served notice that any dereliction on their part would cause the confiscation of their farms and their immediate deportation to Germany.

Entertained for Mrs. Denholm
Mrs. A. S. Elliott Friday afternoon entertained at "500" complimentary to Mrs. J. Denholm of Portland who is visiting here. Honors for high score went to Mrs. Greenough. Luncheon was served following the cards. The guests were: Mesdames Denholm, Bridges, Greenough, Dickey, W. S. Wells, E. Johnson, Lowe, T. Nielson, Mann, Leep, Felsheim, Radley, Robison, Miller, Endicott, Flom, Quigley, Hayes, Voge and Miss Lowe.

Peace Is Predicted
Peace within ten weeks is predicted by the Danish correspondent of the Danish Socialist Press, which confirmed reports of unofficial negotiations between the Russian and German socialists. He says that the earlier negotiations which were broken will be resumed immediately and prosecuted vigorously. He says Germany is ready to restore Belgium and Serbia, evacuate France and arrange free navigation of the Dardanelles.

The Eleventh Company, Coast Artillery, Oregon National Guard at Marshfield, received orders to discharge militiamen who have dependent families.
Mr. and Mrs. Bridges of Oakland, Oregon, have been in Bandon for a few days visiting at the S. C. Endicott home. Mrs. Endicott is their daughter.

FOR SALE—Male hog, Chesierwhite, weight 230 pounds. K. J. Peters, Bx. 752, Bandon, Ore. A192p

FOUR MILE

By CLEM

The milk wagons are once more in commission.

Doc Anderson, the right hand man on the B. R. Taylor ranch, spent last week at his Floras creek ranch. Meanwhile he did some surveying work for a few of his neighbors.

F. R. Miller is contemplating going to the Columbia river to spend the season fishing.

Another bunch of surveyors, and another line of grade stakes, make our Township line road right-of-way look like a Chinese puzzle.

Mr. Wanamaker from Bandon was in the valley last Friday looking for a dairy ranch. With butterfat hovering around the 60c mark the dairy business is commencing to attract considerable attention.

S. J. Wilson spent a few days at home last week. Jack is all ready to shoulder his trusty rifle and fight for old glory. Hurrah for Jack!

Mrs. Albert Mecum and little daughter, Winifred, spent last week visiting at the F. R. Miller ranch.

Miss Fern DeLong is visiting friends in Bandon at the present writing.

The Spanish war veterans will tonight tender a reception to Hon. F. B. Tichenor of Curry county at the St. Charles Hotel. Mr. Tichenor is a veteran of the Spanish-American war and a former member of the legislature from southern Oregon.—Albany Democrat.

RESPONSIBILITY.

All persons possessing any portion of power ought to be strongly and awfully impressed with an idea that they act in trust and that they are to account for their conduct in that trust to the one great Master, Author and Founder of society.—Burke.

It is meat and drink to me to see a clown. By my troth, we that have good wits have much to answer for.—As You Like It.—Shakespeare.

Men's minds are as variant as their faces. Where the motives of their actions are pure the operation of the former is no more to be imputed to them, as a crime, than the appearance of the latter, for both, being the work of nature, are alike unavoidable.—George Washington.

Some Arguments and Replies on the State Road Bonding Act

Statement 1—The bond bill does not say that the auto license tax shall be used to pay the interest and retire the principal of the bond issue.

Answer—The bill does specifically mention the auto tax, as it directly refers to House Bill 509 and says that the revenue derived from that source shall be used to pay the interest and principal.

Statement 2—Even if the legislature did pass a bill doubling the auto license tax, the Supreme Court may hold that unconstitutional; or the next legislature may change it, or pass a law to use that fund for other purposes.

Answer—The bond bill is to be passed by the people and it refers to the auto license tax. The Supreme Court is not liable to hold unconstitutional an act which the people have passed on. The people of this state are jealous of the right to regulate their internal affairs. The sentiment for good roads is growing stronger and will increase more rapidly as use determines the much greater advantages than ever dreamed of. Instead of obstructing the movement for good roads, public sentiment will soon be overwhelming for retaining all adopted means of betterment. In a perfect democracy the people rule in legislation, and improved methods will never be discarded. Good laws are never repealed. Right thinking leads to right acts; right acts to satisfactory results. Future legislation will strengthen, but never annul an act that will contribute so much to the pleasure and profit of the people.

Statement 3—The bonds issued by the state are a direct mortgage against my farm and if the bonds carry the farmer, being the producer, has it all to pay in the long run anyway.

Answer—Bonds issued by a state are not a lien against the individually owned property of that state. They are notes issued by all the people and if the state failed to pay as some states have, the holders of the bonds would not bring suit against the individual owned property. The farmer in some states is the producer and would pay anything in the long run, according to some methods of thinking; but he is not the producer in his state as over fifty per cent of our food products are imported and timber is the heaviest producer and exporter here. In one sense the farmer has paid and continue to pay for the pavements on Portland streets for all taxes are against the earning capacity of property and goods sold including dry goods, groceries, even sugar, bears its portion of the burden which is assessed as a part of the overhead expense of conducting business and must like all other necessary improvements be ultimately paid by the public and no class is exempt from its burden. The question that is paramount to all others is how long will the farmers help pay for city improvements which city people daily receive untold pleasure and profit from and kick against building roads for the country which will be more largely built by city people than even the city streets.

Statement 4—The bond bill says that interest shall be paid when due out of any funds the Highway commission has on hand, therefore all the people pay instead of the auto owners.

Answer—That is true, but the bill also refers to House Bill 509 as the source from which such revenue shall be derived. Anyway the county of Multnomah pays thirty seven per cent of the state taxes, the towns and cities pay thirty or thirty-one per cent of the whole tax, leaving the farmer, the timber owner and all the corporations to pay the balance—thirty-two per cent. It has been estimated that the farmers' share does not exceed fifteen per cent of the total. The farm lands along improved highways increase in value from twenty-five to two hundred per cent, in some cases, as in the southern tier of counties in New York state, from thirty dollars per acre to one hundred and fifty dollars per acre—and that in ten years. Some farmers like to bite their nose off to spite their face. The farmer receives more benefit from good roads, owing to the low cost of hauling, than any other class of people even if he did not wish his property to increase in value.

Statement 5—This bill was sprung in the legislature at the last minute by the Warren Construction company and the Governor appointed a State Highway commission favorable to them. They want the state to bond so that they can use the closing years of their patent to make a killing.

Answer—This statement impugns the motive of the Governor and discredits the intelligence of our representatives. The fact that the bill was passed after long deliberation on all features of others presented and after embodying all the good features of all, shows not only the wisdom but the integrity of our representatives. They were not asleep on their job, but worked to the limit of their time and we must admit their plan the best, or criticize our judgment as a people in selecting them as our representatives. The intimation that our Governor would be a party to a plan to sacrifice the best interests of the people to favor any corporation is inconceivable and an insult not only to our chief executive but likewise a vile criticism of the intelligence of his electors. No doubt the Warren



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The Golden Rule

construction company and all other paving companies favor good road legislation. Is that any reason why Oregon should continue to pay for the roads she does not have? Remember if we need anything and do not buy it we have to pay for it anyway. Oregon has spent much more than \$6,000,000 for roads, yet there is not, today, five hundred miles of road in the state which is in the condition that the most radical opponent of this bond issue could call good all the year round. Some counties have already expended enough money to pave half their roads and have no paving yet. Shall we stick to that policy or shall we make a start in the right direction? As to the State Highway commission, it is composed of men who have made a huge success in their own business, does any right thinker believe they would unmake the reputation of a life time by letting any set of contractors bribe them?

What we need in Oregon is a dollar's worth of good road for a dollar, regardless of the contractor that gets the job. Above everything else, the supreme need in the state is for roads more roads and better roads, then we can start in the right direction for the development of the state. Let us adopt for our motto the slogan of the Roseburg Commercial club: "Smile and the world smiles with you, knock and you knock alone, for the cheerful smile will let you in where the knocker is never known."

BETTER BABY WEEK

Baby week, designed to help smooth the way for the tiny tots of baby world, will be observed the first week in May. More than 2000 communities observed baby week last year and a still greater number are planning exercises this year. It does not take much money. Some of the successful programs are conducted without money at all. Some or all of the following features of observance are recommended by the U. S. Child Welfare bulletin, "Baby Week Campaigns", which contains suggestions for communities of various sizes:

A campaign of newspaper publicity.

Collections of baby welfare information.

Baby Sunday.

Mass meetings.

Celebration in the schools.

Message to women's societies.

Follow up work of the campaign.

Baby welfare is necessarily closely associated with the well-being of the mothers, so maternal care will be given consideration. It can be shown that 1500 deaths annually incidental to maternity are largely preventable. Some helpful bulletins on these questions as announced by the Children's Bureau, are as follows:

Second Bulletin on Baby Week, Prenatal Care—free, U. S. Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

To Expectant Mothers, and Are Your Baby's Eyes Sore?—Oregon State Board of Health.

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WHEN you GO TO CHURCH Sunday MARCH RIGHT UP TO THE FRONT PEWS. Don't take a seat in the rear of the church. In many churches some worshipers make for the rear pews as if they were ashamed to be seen. Is there anything dishonorable in being seen in church? If you go to a theater you are proud to be seen in the front rows. CROWD THE FIRST PEWS OF THE CHURCH.

THERE CERTAINLY IS NOTHING UNMANLY IN GOING TO CHURCH. RATHER IS IT A SIGN OF STRENGTH OF CHARACTER. PILLARS OF THE CHURCH GENERALLY ARE PILLARS OF BUSINESS. ADVERTISE THE FACT THAT YOU GO TO CHURCH. IT PAYS YOU SPIRITUALLY. IT PAYS YOU MATERIALLY. THE CHURCH ENVIRONMENT HELPS THE BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT. THE CHURCH TEACHING HELPS EVERY MAN TO THINK CLEARLY AND TO THINK CORRECTLY. THE CHURCH COMMANDMENTS ARE ONLY THE COMMANDMENTS OF HEALTH AND MIND.

Statistics show that communities with the greater number of churches are prosperous. The people, as a whole, are HAPPY AND CONTENT. If you have neglected going to church, don't let another Sunday pass without making a visit to the house of God.

God is forgiving. He is patient. But his patience may be exhausted if a man continually ignores him. You IGNORE AND OFFEND GOD when you stay away from church. You like to see your children GO TO CHURCH and Sunday school. The children will be DOUBLY IMPRESSED with the importance of attending church if they see the father in church.

GO TO CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY.
GO TO CHURCH EVERY SUNDAY.

AMONG LOCAL CHURCHES

ST. JOHN'S (Episcopal) CHURCH
Services on the 2nd, 4th and 5th Sundays of the month at 11 a. m. and 3:30 p. m. Sunday School on all Sundays at 10 a. m.
WM. HORSFALL, Vicar.

Baptist Church
Services at the Baptist church are as follows: 10 a. m. Sabbath school; 11 a. m. preaching; 7 p. m. H. Y. P. U.; 8 p. m. preaching; on Fridays at 7:30 p. m. prayer and praise. Everyone cordially invited.—Rev. A. B. Reese, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Sabbath services: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Epworth League devotional service, 7 p. m.; prayer meeting, Wednesdays at 8 p. m. tf

Church of Brethren
Services every Sunday at: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; preaching at 7:00 p. m. Everyone cordially invited.

Seventh Day Adventist
Services at the Seventh Day Adventist church are as follows: Sabbath school on Saturday at 10 o'clock p. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; preaching Sunday evening at 7:30. Everybody welcome. tf

Methodist Church South Notice
Public service at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m.; Sunday School at 10 a. m. every second and fourth Sunday in the month; midweek prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m.—E. F. Omann, Pastor. tf

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Winfield S. Smith, Pastor
Sabbath Services
10:00 A. M. Sabbath School
11:00 A. M. Preaching
7:00 P. M. ... C. E. Prayer Meeting
8:00 p. m. Preaching

Church of God
Church of God, corner of Caroline avenue and First street, holds regular services every Sunday: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m.; young people's meeting at 2:30 p. m.; preaching at 7:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend and enjoy a feast from the Lord with us.—Committee.

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