

LEONARD HADSELL TO CAPTAIN BASKET BALL

Local High School Team Is Light-Weight and Inexperienced—Full of Enthusiasm.

Leonard Hadsell was elected captain of the local high school basketball five at a meeting of the team this week. He deserves in every way the honor conferred upon him.

When the call for basketball men was sounded "Hooie" was the only letter man of previous years to respond to the call, and as a conscientious trainer and hard worker he has the entire confidence of his teammates. Captain Hadsell's men are all extremely lightweight and inexperienced but they will fight for him and Bandon High School's Black and Gold every minute of playing time until the whistle sounds the end of the season in March.

Prospects for a winning team have never been darker since basketball was instituted. The locals will undoubtedly be the lightest team in the league and with the men all new at the game little can be expected this year but the development of men for next season. Every man in a black and gold suit, however, will take his stand in a front trench and it will take a wire entanglement defense to keep him from "going over the top."

The interscholastic season opens on the local floor January the 18th with Myrtle Point five invading, under the generalship of Coach Gary. The following Friday night North Bend will be met at Bandon and then the locals are on the road for a long series of games. Several practice games will be played in the near future.

Season tickets at one dollar each will be on sale early in January. This is just one-half the general admission price for the interscholastic schedule and it will be real war-time economy for everyone to take advantage of the season ticket rate.

Join the Red Cross today. Give your Christmas present to humanity.

Lieutenant Bridges Here

Lieut. and Mrs. R. D. Bridges of Oakland, Oregon, were in Bandon the latter part of last week visiting at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. S. C. Endicott. Lieutenant Bridges had just arrived from the Presidio, at San Francisco, where he completed a course of training in the officers' school. He was enroute to Camp Lewis, American Lake, where he will report for duty on the 16th. Mrs. Bridges has accompanied him north.

Ship Seven Loads of Hogs

Seven wagon loads of fine porkers in the pink of condition were brought to Bandon from Curry county points, Wednesday, on their way to the Portland market. The hogs were from the A. J. Marsh, L. Knapp, R. L. Wagner, David McKenzie and Robt. McKenzie ranches. They were sold through J. E. Ford of Marshfield.

W. B. Myers, Chas. Ellis and C. A. Parker, all of Bridge, were registered at the Gallier Monday.

Remember what many of the boys at the front have sacrificed—and do your bit for the Red Cross.

C. E. Miller of North Bend was a Bandon visitor the first of the week.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Brock, Wednesday, December 12th, a daughter.

BANDON-COQUILLE ROAD WORK HELD UP BY COST

Hagqvist & Bjorqvist Want 50 Per Cent to Handle the Work—Postponed for Time Being.

Construction work on the Bandon-Coquille road will be indefinitely postponed states Commissioner Geo. J. Armstrong, unless the county decides to do the work itself, or a better bid is made. This work, which was provided for by the road bond issue, was held over from construction last summer on account of certain right-of-way matters. The county a few weeks ago advertised for bids on the work, and received out one, that of Hagqvist & Bjorqvist, contractors now building the Bandon-Curry road grade.

The terms of this bid were: "The county to pay for all powder, lumber, material, labor and teams in the construction of said road or highway. And we hereby submit our bid at 50 per cent of the total cost of labor and teams, that the county will be required to pay." Tools, equipment, supplies and camps the contracting company agreed to furnish.

Mr. Armstrong believes this bid to be highly exorbitant, and says the county court refused to consider it.

BONDS WILL BE HERE SOON

Cashier Webb Says Bonds May Possibly Be Here by Xmas.

Cashier E. D. Webb of the First National Bank says that local subscribers may possibly secure their second liberty loan bonds by Christmas, although a longer delay may be forthcoming. He has the following information from the Federal Reserve bank at San Francisco: "We expect the 4 per cent Conversion Liberty loan bonds here within the next ten days, although no definite date has been set for it. We assure you that immediately upon their arrival you will be taken care of. We appreciate the position you are placed in with your subscribers, but you can assure them that the delay is unavoidable."

Mr. Webb also states that persons holding 3 1-2 per cent bonds and desiring to exchange them for the four per cent issue, should immediately make application through the local banks.

WOOLEN MILL STOCKHOLDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That pursuant to an order of the Board of Directors of the Sunset Woollen Mills, Incorporated, a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation will be held at the K. of P. hall, in the city of Bandon, Oregon, on the evening of Tuesday, December 18, 1917, beginning at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of discussion and vote upon such matters as may be placed before the meeting.

All stock of said corporation must be represented, either by the owner in person, or by duly signed proxy.

By order of the Board of Directors this 13th day of December, 1917.

GUY DIPPEL, Secretary.

A. H. Morrison of Coquille was in Bandon a few hours Tuesday.

Fire Wood

Let us have your next order for wood. Fire wood of all kinds delivered to any address promptly.

CENTRAL TRANSFER CO. D121fe

OBITUARY

Susie M. Hill Died Yesterday Morning Following Illness of Years.

Susie M. Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hill of this city died at the family home on First street west at an early hour yesterday morning, December 12th. Death was due to tuberculosis, with which she had been afflicted for a number of years. The funeral services were held at the Ellingson Undertaking parlors at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. W. S. Smith of the Presbyterian church officiating. Burial was in the Knights of Pythias cemetery.

Deceased was born at Hanly, Saskatchewan, California, November 4th, 1896, being 21 years, 1 month and 8 days old at the time of death. The Hills moved to Bandon from California some ten years ago, later returning to their former home. However, the ill health of the daughter made it necessary to seek a more equitable climate, and so they again came to Bandon and have made their home in the county since.

The young lady had a pleasing disposition and a smile for her friends at all times. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our many kind friends who so generously extended their sympathy and comfort during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Susie M. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. HILL.

RAISING FUND FOR BIBLES

Churches Are Sending Bibles to the Soldiers and Sailors.

That the American soldiers may have the testaments they are asking for, we are conducting a national campaign this month. Oregon's quota for the rest of this year and 1918 is \$15,000 of which \$10,000 is to be raised in Portland, and \$5,000 in the rest of the state.

The drive is from December 9th to 17th. All who have the good of our soldiers at heart will realize the supreme value of the word of God to cheer, comfort and strengthen our boys in perilous times like these.

What more fitting gift could be made at Christmas time than the Bible. Attempts have been made to distribute literature that could be carried in the trenches; but it was found the men desire not trivial things but instead the big things, the things that awaken patriotism and the better side of their natures, and above all they desire passages from the scriptures. Food and clothing, guns and ammunition alone can never win this war. Necessary as the things are we should recognize this fact: armies win on the strength of their morale. Integrity, courage, loyalty, purity, are old virtues but no armies can win without them. The late Lord Robert, a great British general, just before his death presented his troops with copies of the new testament. He said, I ask you to put your trust in God. He will watch over you and strengthen you.

You will find in this book guidance when you are in health, comfort when you are in sickness and strength when you are in adversity.

We are sending our boys forth to battle for right, democracy and justice. They will face the enemy and the perils of war. Let us give them then that word that cheers and gives courage and hope even in the valley of the shadow and assures of the invincibility of a righteous cause.

President Wilson, Gov. Withy



WE ARE PREPARED FOR YOUR Christmas Call

Bath Robes for Men, Women and Children.

Men's Neckwear, Suspenders and Mufflers.

A Big Assortment of Handkerchiefs.

Ladies' Neckwear, Gloves, Handbags and Purses, Silk Hosiery.

Florence Fancy Toilet Articles in Sets or Single Pieces.

House Slippers for Men, Women and Children.

Umbrellas from \$1.00 up.

Many, Many, Other Things.

The Golden Rule

combe and the state Council of Defense have authorized this drive The Christian Endeavor, the B. Y. P. U. and the Epworth League have pledged their support and the ministers of all denominations are back of it.

The quota for Bandon is \$75; the following committee is soliciting the funds, and we hope you will respond liberally: W. A. Greek, Wm. Mavity, B. B. Watkins, Ivy Young, Ralph Moore, Mrs. A. McNair, Mrs. Frank Hufford, Miss Silvia Leneave and Miss Vera Nelson, of Bandon; and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tucker and W. Belcher, of Prosper.

Rev. A. B. REESE, Chairman of Committee.

NO BIDS FOR DRIVING CONDENSERY SITE PILING

Piling Now Arriving on Grounds and Building Expected to Start.

No bids on driving the piling for the condensery had been received up to the closing hour set for such, Monday, and it is possible that the

work may be somewhat delayed on that account.

Messrs. Richert and Cox have begun delivery of the piling under their contract with the company.

F. Joplin left the latter part of the week for Portland. He has the machinery for the plant already assembled there, and expects to have the buildings completed and the plant in running order by the latter part of March.

The milk will be sold under the same labels as the product of the company's plant at McMinnville. There are two kinds, "Yeloban" and "Cardinal."

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Biescke, Monday December 10th, a daughter.

J. L. Foster returned the latter part of the week from a business trip to Portland and other Oregon points, where he had been investigating the sheep industry with a view of engaging in the business.

Be proud of your Red Cross button.

F. W. Rogers of Eugene is stopping in Bandon. He is at the Gallier.

Lydia L. Olsen of Langlois spent a few days this week in Bandon.

The noblest way to spend a dollar—Join the Red Cross.

Was Almost Arrested
Otto Sabro, who went over to the Bay last week for a few days' fishing trip with friends there, had an exciting experience. The government officials were investigating among the young men of that section, calling for registration cards, etc., and Mr. Sabro was accosted. Unfortunately he had failed to put his registration card in his pocket before leaving Bandon, and had to call upon his friends to identify him before the officials. He had a fine time otherwise.

HOME of HOLIDAY BUYING SATISFACTION

A GAIN the Holiday Season finds us well stocked with the very newest articles offered on the market this year. We have taken especial pains to get the very things we believe the public wants for Christmas giving. They are displayed at our store; we cordially invite their inspection.

We call attention to a few of the lines from which you may choose: New Parisian Ivory, Leather Novelties, Stationery, Waterman Fountain Pens, Cigars in Holiday Boxes, Smokers' Sets, Cigarette Cases, Dolls and Games, Books for all ages, Perfumes, Flashlights.

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Bracelet Watches

LADIES: With the famous Waltham "Saphire" movement. These bracelet watches are the neatest ever made and can be worn on pin or chain if so desired.

GENTLEMEN'S: With luminous dials and the kind of strap that holds the watch in place without needing to tighten the strap so that it shuts off circulation.

Our stock contains the most appropriate Christmas Gifts.
Select your gift now; a small deposit will hold it for you till Christmas.

Will there be a Victrola in your home this Christmas

What have you in the way of entertainment in your home?

With the children growing up and their friends dropping in, don't you think it would be nice to have a Victrola for them?

They'll appreciate its splendid music and you'll get just as much enjoyment from it as they do.

We'll gladly show you the different styles and play any selections you wish to hear.

You can get a Victrola as low as \$20 and other styles up to \$165.



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