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Suggestions for the Men

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A VISIT TO THIS STORE WILL DO YOU GOOD. COME EARLY

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SHERWOOD IS BAR'S LEADER

Elected First President of New Coos County Bar Association.

COQUILLE, Dec. 17.—The Coos County Bar Association was organized at a meeting of the different lawyers held in the court house in Coquille. All the members of the county bar with two exceptions were present and signed the roll. These two are absent from Coos and will no doubt join on their return. A. J. Sherwood was elected president of the association, Judge John F. Hall vice-president, J. J. Stanley secretary, and C. A. Sehlbrede treasurer.

A committee of three was immediately appointed to wait upon and invite Judge Hamilton and District Attorney Brown to the meeting, and the invitation as extended was accepted promptly. The judge and Mr. Brown were both elected to honorary membership, and each delivered an appropriate address.

The following committees were appointed: Permanent Organization—J. D. Goss, E. D. Sperry, J. F. Hall, L. A. Liljeqvist and C. F. McKnight. By-Laws—C. A. Sehlbrede, A. S. Hammond, N. C. McLeod, L. A. Roberts and G. T. Treadgold. Resolutions of Sympathy for J. W. Bennett—J. M. Upton, John F. Hall and Walter Sinclair. Rules of Court—E. D. Sperry, J. W. Snover and A. H. Derbyshire. The latter committee was instructed to consult with Judge Hamilton before making its report.

On motion, the meeting adjourned after deciding to meet at Marshfield the fourth Tuesday in January.

NEWS OF COQUILLE.

Coos County Seat Events As Told By The Herald.

The adjourned term of Circuit court convened at the court house in this place Monday morning. The first jury case disposed of was the suit of Louise J. Hicking vs. Edwards Bros. and Merchant Bros. to recover on a promissory note for

\$1,017, affecting the sale of a donkey engine. A verdict was given for plaintiff. Hattie Bruce was granted a divorce from her husband.

J. A. Dubell, a resident of Marshfield, was in Coquille Monday. The gentleman was anxious to buy a suitable place in this section and make his residence among us.

The new steamer Coquille, lately built near the depot for the Coquille River Transportation Co., is in full readiness to assume her place on the Bandon run, lacking only the formality of an official inspection, which will be made any day. The inspectors have been sent for, and should have arrived ere this.

KILLED AT BANDON.

Grant Ames Thrown From Horse While Taking Ride.

COQUILLE, Dec. 17.—Word has reached Coquille that Grant Ames, a well-known resident of the Bandon vicinity, had been thrown from a horse while riding along the beach and sustained injuries from which he died a few hours later. Deceased was a nephew of H. L. Cooper and Mrs. E. J. Wright, who reside in this city.

WILL OPEN IN JANUARY.

The First National Bank of North Bend, a newly organized institution will open for business January 15 in the Wood building at North Bend. The officers of the bank are as follows:

President—J. C. Gray. Vice-president—J. V. Pugh. Cashier—J. W. Gardner.

Mr. Gray, the president, came to North Bend from Michigan where he was engaged in the banking business.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

The Coquille Herald says: "Sam Johnson, our guardian of the peace during nocturnal hours, had an experience last Wednesday evening that actually lifted his hair and the hat on top of it. He was engaged in ringing the curfew when the big clapper broke from its fastening and came down with a thud, striking the ground not two feet from Sam's toes. If it had landed on his cranium there would have been no more noisy "exuberants" go to the cooler under his protecting wing. The bell was repaired the next morning."



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