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ALL OVER COOS COUNTY

MYRTLE POINT POINTERS

News of Upper Coquille Valley Told by the Enterprise.
While on her way home from downtown last Tuesday, Mrs. R. W. Lundy fell on the sidewalk on the hill in front of the Dr. Conover residence, and as a result sustained a fracture of the left arm above the wrist.

Mrs. Will Barger, who has been ailing for a long time, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Cornwell, of Fishtap, last Tuesday morning.

William Francis Miller and Miss Ida Lee Cornwell were united in marriage at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller of Fishtap, on Thanksgiving Day, November 30th, 1911, Rev. Thos. Barklow of Myrtle Point performing the ceremony.

At high noon, Sunday, December 3, 1911, at the home of the groom's father, Wm. Huntley, on the North Fork, occurred the marriage of Edward Huntley to Miss Ruby Robinson, Rev. Thomas Barklow of this city officiating.

Born—Monday, December 4, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Barklow, a daughter.

Mrs. Milo Sumner and Miss Selata Howe of Marshfield were here the end of last week visiting their brother, Ira Howe, clerk at the Guerin Hotel.

CUPID BUSY AT COQUILLE

The Coquille Herald prints the following:

The marriage of Rev. Elson H. Emerson and Anna Belle Child was solemnized Monday evening, December 4, at eight o'clock, at the home of the bride, the Rev. Frank Bunch officiating. On December 5, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson left for Roseburg by private conveyance and from there will proceed to Canyonville.

Married: In this city November 29, Alex. McLeod and Miss Syble M. Carlson, Judge E. G. D. Holden officiating. These young people are from the lower river, Bandon and Prosper.

Married:—Ray Gilkey and Florence Wilson, both of Coquille, at home of the bride, Monday, December 4. Rev. C. H. Cleaves of the M. E. Church, South officiating.

Married:—At the Judge's office, in this city, Dec. 6, Jesse Day and Lillian Dean, Judge E. G. D. Holden, officiating.

BRIEFS OF BANDON

News of the City-by-the-Sea as Told by the Recorder

A shipment of casing for the Miocene Oil and Gas company arrived on the Elizabeth today and the work of drilling will be resumed Sunday or Monday.

Martin J. Feeney, formerly of Wisconsin has arrived in Bandon and will take up the practice of law with his brother, F. J. Feeney.

CARELESS ABOUT APPENDICITIS IN MARSHFIELD

Many Marshfield people have stomach or bowel trouble which is likely to turn into appendicitis. If you have constipation, sour stomach, or gas on the stomach, try simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as compounded in Adler-Ika, the new German appendicitis remedy. Lockhart & Parsons states that A SINGLE DOSE of this simple remedy will relieve bowel or stomach trouble almost INSTANTLY.

NOTICE FOR BIDS FOR COUNTY PRINTING, HOSPITAL AND SUPPLIES.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the County Clerk for each of the following:
1. Printing County Expenses, bona fide list, under oath of yearly paid up subscriptions as required by law to be submitted with all.
2. Printing Officers' reports and notices.
3. Supplies for Poor Farm or Infirmary, including groceries and meats, separate bids for each.
4. Maintenance of County Hospital and care of County Patients; everything in connection therewith to be furnished by the contractor, including all clothing, board, lodging, medicine and medical attendance.
5. Fuel for Court House, including wood and coal, to be furnished in summer of 1912, separate bids for each.

All bids to be filed with the County Clerk on or before the 3rd day of January, 1912, at the hour of 10 A. M. The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids for supplies and maintenance of Hospital and award contract or contracts to bidders not the lowest should the County Court deem it for the best interest of the County, and parties to whom bids are awarded to enter into written contract and furnish bond with good and sufficient sureties in such sum as the County Court may require within five days after contract is awarded.
Dated at the Court House, Coquille, Oregon, this 8th day of December, 1911.
JAMES WATSON,
County Clerk.

CULLINGS OF COQUILLE

Coos County Seat News as Told by The Sentinel.
Four hundred and thirteen hunters licenses were issued from the office of County Clerk Watson since the first day of September and including the sixth of the present month. The grand total of hunters licenses for the year is 1561.

L. A. Whereat, of the local railway company, stated yesterday that the road could be moved over to the new right of way next Sunday. The grade is now down to the required depth but the width is not yet sufficient to accommodate the tracks.

A road meeting of District No. 16 was called by Road Supervisor J. W. Briggs Monday afternoon for the purpose of voting a special road tax to grade and rock a mile of road near the County Infirmary to join with the Fairview road. A resolution was drawn up to vote a tax of five mills to build the mile of road desired. The resolution was lost by a vote of forty-seven to twenty-two.

County Clerk James Watson turned over \$664.46 to Treasurer T. M. Dimmick, November 13, for the filing fees collected during November.

The receipts of the Sheriff's office for the month of November as compiled by the office force this week were \$3,553. This amount is the receipts for taxes and also a small item of mileage.

VICTIM OF SCARLET FEVER.

Allison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Racleff, died last Monday evening after a short illness of scarlet fever at the family home north of this city. Mr. Racleff was at Cosmopolis, Wash., when the death occurred, but arrived home in time for the burial. Other members of the family are ill of the same disease, but they are under strict quarantine and the greatest precautions are being taken to keep the disease from spreading—Myrtle Point Enterprise.

BIG ORDERS FOR STEEL

Demand Indicates Gain in Prosperity of Country
(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Unfilled orders on the United States Steel Corporation's books November 30 were 4,141,955 tons compared with 3,694,328 tons October 31, 1911, and 2,760,413 tons November 30, 1910.

IN "SOME-DAY" LAND

There's a country fair and free,
Beyond the Earth beyond the Sea,
Where people never disagree,
And always understand,
There everything's forever new,
There every happy dream comes true
As very well you know, if you
Have heard of "Some-Day" Land.

"When'll you buy me a pony, Pop?"
"Some day, some day."
"Mamma, when'll the measles stop?"
"Some day, some day."
"Uncle when'll I be a man
An' go to the ballgame like you can,
An' be a regular grown-up fan?"
"Some day, some day."

In "Some-day" Land it never rains;
Or, if it does no boy remains
Indoors enslaved by mother's chains.
All things are better planned.
You get ice cream most every day;
Till ten o'clock you play and play;
No grown-up folks try to get gay
With boys in "Some-Day" Land.

"When'll I have a dollar, Pop?"
"Some day, some day."
"When I get big, kin I be a cop?"
"Grandpa, when kin I be like you,
An' eat wiv my knife and fingers,
too,
An' never get licked for what I do?"
"Some day, some day."

MARCH OF PROGRESS.

In times now vanished, when my frau desired to fry some basic slag, she put it in a pan, but now she puts it in a paper bag. The hausfrau tells me, with a whoop, the new style cooking is no joke, and she proceeds to make some soup and boils it in a paper poke. Such changes all around I see; from ancient ways our country swerves; this blamed old world's too swift for me. I can't keep cases on its curves. The world has got too swift for me. I make acknowledgment with grief; I'm only waiting here to see the ice box used for roasting beef; I only wait, on trembling legs, to see the bushes bearing cheese, to see the hens lay scrambled eggs, and roasted turkeys in the trees. And when King Death in somber tones shall summon this back number rube, they'll shoot me to the place of bones by way of a pneumatic tube.

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Persons troubled with partial paralysis are often very much benefited by massaging the affected parts thoroughly when applying Chamberlain's Liniment. This Liniment also relieves rheumatic pains. For sale by all dealers.

TO STOP LAND GRANT TAXES

C. R. Smith Begins Action Announced Some Time Ago—Objects to Assessments.

As was announced in The Times some time ago, C. R. Smith of the Menasha Woodenware company who last summer acquired the Southern Oregon company will endeavor to escape paying the taxes on the Coos Bay Wagon Road Land Grant, involved in the government litigation until the case is disposed of. He has now taken formal action to check litigation to force the collection of these taxes.

Besides the holding up of the land grant taxes, Mr. Smith has appealed from the Coos county board of Equalization's assessment of his holdings in this county on the ground that it is too high.

Concerning the move to stop the payment of taxes on the lands in the wagon grant, the Portland Oregonian says:

"In the land grant suit of the United States against the Southern Oregon Company, the defendant filed a petition yesterday asking that the sheriff and tax collectors of Coos and Douglas Counties be made party defendants and that they be restrained from the collection of taxes from or making assessments against the property involved in the suit which is pending. Judge Wolverton granted a summons against the proposed defendants that is returnable January 15. The property involved in the suit is in these counties and the defendants do not want to pay taxes on it if it is ultimately decided to belong to the Government."

NAMES

I met today a stocky man—
Vanhauserblausen was his name.
Then later I to talk began
Into a Mr. Chittingame,
Him I had met upon the way
Out walking with Miss Marlye-
bones—
Which surely gives me cause to say,
"I'm downright glad my names is
Jones!"

I went into a store at noon—
The grocer's name was Grubble-
chick,
He called the clerk, Miss Blither-
spoon;
She called the butcher, Pumper-
nick,
I took my pruner and hurried out
And murmured then in gladsome
tones,
"They're well enough, I do not doubt,
But I am glad my name is Jones!"

I met Pflkowskyff Hrschenhelm,
Zimolski, Hertz and Dinkspiel,
Jumplsker, Hufonbuffer, Grime,
Dewflapper, Klinka and Snickers-
teel;
And when my jaw was twisted till
I could but speak in hollow groans
I managed just to mutter, "Still,
I can give thanks my name is
Jones!"

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

A report has been circulated that a certain party has purchased an interest in the Coos Bay Wiring Co. The report is utterly false and without any basis or foundation. We will not be responsible for any credence or credit given these reports or any business based upon them.
(Signed) COOS BAY WIRING CO.,
By J. E. Edmunds,
Manager.
Dated Marshfield, Ore., Dec. 11, 1911.

STATE TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of examining all applicants for state papers of the various kinds public examination will be held in the Court House in Coquille, beginning at 9 A. M., on December 20th, 1911, and continuing three days.

The subject for theses for five year primary papers are:

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Dated this 7th day of December, A. D., 1911.

W. H. BUNCH,
County Superintendent.

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