

Grand Midwinter Ball

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF COOS BAY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF THE NORTH STAR DISASTER.

Eagles' Hall, Saturday Feb. 3

Music by Coos Bay Orchestra

J. C. Toelle (Director), Violin; R. Lyon, Clarinet; Hayes Howard, Cornet; R. L. Simpson, Trombone; Alma Toelle Piano; J. Shepard, Drummer.

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COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

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ous supplies18.87
 R. S. Knowlton, miscellaneous supplies11.19
 Glass & Prudhomme Co., overhauling Bk. typewriter13.70
 Remington Typewriter Co., 1 No. 10 typewriter, Supt. office75.09
 Coquille Valley Telephone Co., Rental 2 phones 5 mos.10.00
 Coos Bay Home Telephone Co. Rental 3 phones and tolls44.13
 Canton Art Metal Co., 1 ledger desk, 1 counter, sheriff's office1709.00
 W. C. Laird, imitation leather, brooms, etc.91.60
 W. W. Gage, board of prisoners, 2 mo.173.64
 Huling, Lundy & Sons, spraying machine187.50

In Re Officers
Clerk's office
 Inez Bunch, labor124.50
 Dorothy Watson145.50
Sheriff's Office
 W. W. Gage, special deputy hire, Sept. and Dec. 1911 term.49.50
 Oscar Nessler, special deputy serving subpoenas11.70
 Geo. O. Leach, labor in sheriff's office135.00
 W. B. Cox, expense and mileage claim \$5.50 reduced to3.50
 S. S. Sheldis, serving subpoenas, claim \$15.40 reduced to10.50
 A. N. Gould, establishing Govt. corners, transcribing field notes65.15
 T. J. Thrift, expense attending state board tax comm.38.25
 Walter Cullin, 2 mo. salary as health officer41.78
 J. T. McCormac, three mo. salary and expense Co. School super.321.00
 W. H. Bunch, 2 mo. salary and expense, school supt.254.30
 P. M. Hall-Lewis, salary and expense fruit inspector316.75
 Dennis McCarthy, cruising 28,132.84 acres of land1,687.95
 John F. Hall, 2 mo. salary as Co. Judge, expenses to convention214.16
 W. T. Dement, services Co. Comm. expense to convention126.95
 Geo. J. Armstrong, services as Co. Comm. expense to convention168.40
 William Weekly, livery for County Court6.00

In Re Bills Continued or Not Allowed
 State vs. Arnot, S. W. Noah, Deputy Game Warden, claim \$1.00 not allowed.
 State vs. Johnson, S. W. Noah, Deputy Game Warden, claim \$1.00 not allowed.
 State vs. Kendall, S. W. Noah, State Game Warden, claim \$1.00 not allowed.
 State vs. Bestcott, J. A. O'Kelly, claim \$1.20 for transportation not allowed.
 State vs. Bestcott, C. A. Metlin, claim \$5.00 room not allowed.
 State vs. Crewe, C. R. Wade, J. P., claim 3.85 continued.
 State vs. Waterman, E. M. Blackerby, claim \$5.00 continued.
 State vs. Stankiewicz, C. R. Wade, J. P. fees, claim \$4.00, E. M. Blackerby by claim \$3.80, continued.
 Warrant No. 274 class F in the sum of \$89.63, on General Road Fund drawn in favor of N. P. Peterson ordered cancelled.
 Coquille Hardware Co. claim \$11.40 ferred to E. N. Harry, supr. of R. D. No. 12.
 Nelson Iron Works, claim \$11.76, re-tender.

State of Oregon:
 County of Coos: ss.
 I, James Watson, County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, ex-officio Clerk of the County Court for said County and State, custodian of the records, archives and files of said County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amount of bills allowed, continued or not allowed, on the various funds of the County as audited by the County Court of said County and State at the Regular January 1912 Term thereof, as the same appear in the Journals of said Court now in my office and custody.
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AT THE SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES

The national meeting of school superintendents will be held in St. Louis on February 27, 28, and 29. We wish all parents could see the program. It certainly gives a good idea of the kind of subjects schoolmen are considering.

What progress we shall have made when physical directors for girls and for boys shall be considered regular teachers in our schools.

An exchange speaks of the ease with which lung capacity can be developed through reasonably systematic breathing exercises. We have an object lesson in this in almost every room in our own schools. Nothing has given more satisfaction than the breathing exercises given each half day in connection with school work.

Marshfield's share of library money will amount to \$33.90 next year.

There is more all around education in the reading of good books than this old world dreams of.

The grammar grade pupils of the South Marshfield school raised a purse of \$19.37 to be contributed to the relief of the families of the victims of the launch North Star.

HIGH SCHOOL
 The regular semi-weekly meeting of the High School Literary Society was held Thursday evening in the assembly room of the High School building. The following program was rendered:

Debate—Resolved, That life imprisonment in Oregon should be substituted by capital punishment. Leslie Isaacson was the speaker on the affirmative; Arthur Kohlstadt on the negative. The affirmative side won.

A piano solo by Ruth Horton was well rendered.

A reading—How Christopher Columbus discovered America by Miss Carpenter was well given.

An essay on Prison Reform in the U. S. by Mae Preuss was exceptionally good.

Edith Kaines from North Slough, entered the freshman class this week.

Guy Stutsman has been absent this week on account of illness.

Cecil Robertson, of Napa Valley, Cal., entered the freshman class this week.

An extra half hour study period is held each day in the High School, this period is given to study and enables teachers to give individual help during this time.

FIRST GRADE
 This being the first week of the new semester a number of new pupils were enrolled in the various grades. Among the new entries in the First Grade were: Evelyn Koontz, Jack Sacchi, Thomas Yarbrough, Edwin and Frank Spaulding, Beattie Harris, Robert Knox, Gustav Hoffman.
 Gordon and Emerson Neff were transferred to this grade from the Central School.
 Phillip Thomas, from East Side, entered this grade this week.
 Joyce Foster, Ruth Bowron and Tharold Conner entered from the Second Grade, making an enrollment of 46.
 Owing to the crowded condition of the room all the beginning children and those retained in the Primer Class come only in the afternoon. Miss Fitzgerald is assisting by taking a class into the vacant room near reading, games and story work.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADES
 Nature study in these grades this week consisted of the study of the bear and winter birds. The painting work included the bear and the horse in silhouette.
 Among those who wrote good stories in language this week were Howard McLaughlin, Margaret Powers and Reynold Koontz.
 The Third Grade wrote some very amusing original stories which included some dream they had experienced.
 The Second Grade have begun the books in arithmetic.

FOURTH GRADE
 A new set of books has been secured for the beginning Fourth Grade.
 Three new pupils enrolled with this class the first of the new semester. Gladys Ferrey, who was promoted from the low third to the low fourth; Dorothy Thomas, a new pupil who came from Eastside and Walter Haglund.
 The high fourth class received two

members from the fourth and fifth grade room—Esmond Lakin and Marie McLean.
 Edna Johnson, of the B Fourth, has moved with her parents to Myrtle Point.

FIFTH GRADE
 Molly Johnson, Carol Anderson and Russell Church, of this grade, have moved away. Molly Johnson having moved with her parents to Myrtle Point, Carol Anderson to Los Angeles and Russell Church to Coquille.

Violet Robertson, from Napa, Cal., entered this grade this week.
 Hutton O'Connor, William Boher, William Blake, Eddeva Wheeler, John Dye, Ernest Holm and Helen Gulovson were transferred from the Central building this week to the fifth grade.

The A section of fifth grade are writing letters to the boys and girls of the fifth grade in Tecumseh, Mich. Most of these letters are very interesting and merit a speedy reply.

SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADE
 Eldon Robertson entered the Sixth Grade this week.
 Wesley Seaman, of the Seventh Grade, went to Bandon with the basketball team Friday.

Norman Wilson was absent one-half day during the week.
 The interest in the work in these grades is good and all are determined to pass honorary this semester, if possible.

EIGHTH GRADE
 The promotions made from the seventh to the eighth grade this week were Erma Knorr, Ronald Nicholson, Eugene Stadden, Edith Carter, Leona McLeod and Emil Backman.
 Edith Carter, Marlan Seaman and Adelaide Clarke were among those absent this week.
 The regular monthly teachers' meeting will be held Monday evening. Those on the program are Miss Carpenter, Miss Maloney and Miss Striffler.

Much interest is being taken by the children in the supervised games under the teacher's direction. Baskets have been put up and basketball is played, ring toss games, bean bag games are being planned and military drill is being given.
 A fire drill was given Wednesday in which both High School and grades took part.
 The regular monthly school reports were handed in on Monday of this week.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT
 The senior class have been studying Oliver Wendell Holmes, his life, poetry, etc. They have been reading his "Autocrat at the Breakfast Table." The members of the class wrote themes this week on Holmes as class poet of Harvard, Class 1829.
 The eleventh grade are studying seventeenth century English literature, making a special study of Dryden and Bunyan.
 The tenth grade have been reviewing rhetorical principles. They have been reading stories to get the author's point of view and then writing themes to express a certain point of view.
 The outside reading in this grade are two books on Stevenson's Travels, one being the Travels with a Donkey and the other Inland Voyages.
 The ninth grade have been writing descriptions from observation such as a room, flag, motorboat, etc. They will take up at this time also portrait descriptions of people.
 The eighth grade are studying the topic sentence preparatory to the writing of the paragraph.
 County Supt. Bunch and Dr. J. T. McCormac were visitors in both High School and grades this week.
 The girls' basketball team will play a preliminary game in the tabernacle the night of the game between the Bandon and Marshfield High School basketball teams, a week from Friday night.
 Mr. Grannis accompanied the basketball team to Bandon on Friday.

CENTRAL SCHOOL
 Those promoted from First B to First A are: Aideon Smith, Esther Vistie, Rose McGinnis, Dorothy Ferguson, Agnes Kulju, John Lash, Arthur Upton, Edwin Swanton Clarence Anderson, Rudolph Hill, Frances Jeffries, Velora Call, Byron Hill, Jay Montgomery, Robert Burroughs.
 Promoted from A First to B Second: Alfred Anderson, Perry Clark, Morton Coke, Eugene Crosthwaite, Roy Hill, Eugene Jones, Duncan Scafe, Gale Timmerman, Clarence Noble, Elizabeth Flanagan, Ellen Grant, Segard Hongel, Elsie Hillstrom, Agnes Hall, Stella Lash, Helen Merchant, Beattie Spade, Madge Stutsman, Blanche Thomas, Ellen Robson, Annie Olson.
 From Second A to Third B: Elsie Bliven, Cleo Carter, Lucile Douglas, Alton Hall, Marlan Horsfall, Albert Johnson, Mabel Kong, Hannah Kulju, Edgar Mauzey, Edna Reese, Maud Stutsman, Adrian Unger, Pearl Theriault, Fred Coleman, James Jeffries, Milton Epperton, Peter Nordstrom, Robert Graves, Fred Harris, Lucile McLain and Helen Perkins.
 Peter Nordstrom has been promoted from B Second to B Third on account of good scholarship.

Promoted to Third A from Third B: Willa Byerly, Stella Christensen, Ethel Davis, Florence Flanagan, Evelyn Furler, Louise Gidley, Leotta Smith, Walter Carlisle, Sumner Dodge, Dempsey Downer, James Eddy, Robert Ferguson, Arthur Hillstrom, Fred Hillstrom, Elmer Hildenbrand, Milton Hagquist, Rudolph Johnson, Clyde Lawhorn, Charles Olsen, Howard Post, Ned Patterson.
 Promoted from Fourth A to Fifth B: Opal Brown, William Blake, Alice Denning, Lizzie Erickson, Edgar Farley, Gladys Faires, Elvin Hull, William Jutstrom, James Knox, Alma Pratt, Ray Pritchard, Carl Holdiman, Lottie Coleman, Bernice Patchett and Orrin Stadden.
 From Fourth B to Fourth A: Conrad Anderson, Douglas Burroughs, Harold Chapman, Hilmore Grant, Elsie Hillstrom, Bertie Hampton, Agnes Johnson, Hilma Kulju, Reta Lawrence, Jane McLain, Raymond McKeown, Charles Magary, Clyde Magary, Steward McIntyre, Kathryn Nicholson, Roland Noble, Esther Sullivan, Doris Sengstacken Shirley Trollinger, Jeanette Trollinger, Opal Whobrey, Orval Robson, Clara Coleman.

Promoted from Fifth A to Sixth B: James Downer, Abigail Ledward, Zella Swinford.
 From Fifth B to Fifth A: Johnny Burke, Virginia Clarke, Harris Cople, Amos Coleman, Lester Daly, Geo. Deubner, John Dye, Clara Ferguson, Bess Flanagan, Edward Fish, Alton Grant, Helen Gulovson, Ruth Golden, Warren Horton, Edward Johnson, Mabel Lingo, Mary Metlin, Hutton O'Connor, Russel Quetmarras, Anna Storgard, Elsie Thomas, Eddeva Wheeler.
 From Sixth B to Sixth A: Hazel Cook, Arthur Christensen, Chester Condron, George Englund, Kathryn Horton, George Hongell, Lloyd Le Mieux, Wilfred McLain, Joe Milner, Wayne Painter, Claude Post, Helen Rees, Bert Tribbey, Harold Walrath.
 From Sixth A to Seventh B: Ignatius Chapman, Katherine Dyer, Estella Grant, George Horsfall, Chester Lenet, Hattie Rehfeld, Helen Fish.
 From Seventh A to Eighth B: Leona McLeod, Ronald Nicholson, Emma Knorr, Edith Carter, Emil Backman, Eugene Stadden, John Hymer.
 From Seventh B to Seventh A: Jack Merchant, Lillian Cook, Rudolph Hillstrom, Ursula Farringer, George Pratt, Jack Carter, Monroe Upton, Milton Johnson Geo. Watkins, Bill Milner, Hector Stephens, Edwin Hongell, Ethel Lingo, Ruby Hendry, Edna Lando, Helen Smith, Ruth Walrath.
 Marguerite Wiseman of the Sixth Grade, has left school to go with her parents to San Diego.
 Reta and Anita Burns, of the Second Grade, have withdrawn, having moved to North Bend.
 Bethel Anderson, of the Second Grade, has moved to Portland.
 Supt. Bunch visited the grades on Tuesday.
 The pupils of the Central School contributed five dollars and fifty-three cents to the North Star fund as a free will offering.
 All the pupils of the Sixth Grade have been present every day this week.
 Promoted to Fourth B from Third A: Blanche Cople, Stella Erickson, Alice Flanagan, Elvie Grant, Olga Holm, Beattie Thomas, Joannette Upton, Thomas Crosthwaite, Theodore Daly, Lawrence Johnson, Fred Rehfeld, Gordon Sandberg, Margaret Lund, George Lingo.



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