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WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

A Grand Surprise was in Store for our people Thursday Evening

According to previous notice a goodly number of our people assembled at the Masonic hall on Thursday evening to be entertained by Prof. John P. Meakin, of Salt Lake City, Utah, head camp lecturer of the Woodmen of the World. There would doubtless have been many more in attendance had the original dates been kept, but on account of misunderstanding it was necessary to change the dates right at the last which many did not understand. However, the hall was quite well filled with an exceedingly appreciative audience.

When A. J. Sherwood stepped to the front of the rostrum and introduced the speaker there was a marked expression of satisfaction in every face present which did not in the least diminish during the three hours this gentleman entertained this audience with bright original thoughts, masterly eloquence and fascinating recitations. Prof. Meakin is a man far advanced in thought and his heart is aglow with the purest love for mankind, the noblest thoughts, brightest hopes, good deeds, happiness and elevation of our race.

In the outset he gave a concise statement of the financial status of the Woodman of the World, some of which are as follows: The organization is divided into three jurisdictions, the northern, including the dominion of Canada, the southern including the greater portion of the Union, while the western is composed of nine of the principal western states. To the order there belongs over 250,000 members, and over 60,000 in Pacific jurisdiction. In the past ten years this noble order has paid out nearly \$8,000,000 to the wives and children of its members who have been overtaken by the chilly hand of death, and within the Pacific jurisdiction, about \$4,000,000 have been expended in the same manner. This enormous sum of money has been paid to widows and orphans, as a rule, of God's great army of of toilers, with which no palaces have been built, but homes for those, many of whom would have been destitute had it not been for this grand feature of life insurance intermingled with the noble principles of fraternalism. After a rehearsal of facts and figures concerning the order, fully explaining the equalization fund of which there are nearly a quarter of a million dollars now on hand, he proceeded with his entertaining subject, "Foot Prints or Onward and Upward," with which to say the audience was delighted in putting it but mildly. At the close of this a few minutes, in termination was given in which time many formed the acquaintance of the professor, greeting him kindly and offering words of gratitude for the many good things he had said.

After the intermission came another treat in the rendition of a number of poems, personal experiences, comic sayings in an exceedingly mirth-provoking manner. Our four camps of the Woodmen of World have received a great stimulus by his visit and will never forget the impressions made by him along the lines of the higher teachings of Woodcraft under the banner of "Love, Honor and Remembrance." In his own words, "We may forget the singer, but we will never forget the song."

Since his visit with us at this place he has given lectures at Myrtle Point and Bandon, being as heartily received by vast audiences and with the same enthusiasm. We will look forward to a future visit by this gentleman.

Smallpox at Roseburg.

Roseburg, April 18.—A case of genuine smallpox was discovered near here this morning, the patient being a laborer named Roberts, who came here two weeks ago from Grant's Pass. A quarantine was established by order of the County Court, and the patient isolated. An epidemic is not feared.

Jury List.

Following is the jury list for the term of circuit court which convenes May 6th: E. W. Fahy, J. W. Gregg, Chas. Bonebrake, D. G. Beale, T. R. Spencer, Thos. Blaine, Robt. Walker, Elbert Dyer, R. H. Ross, J. R. Benson, L. W. Deyou, Wm. Bennett, John Porter, S. B. Cutlip, Frank Harosh, R. Walter, Hiram King, Wm. Bonebrake, D. C. Handelman, Pat. Hennessy, Anson Rogers, E. A. Anderson, Archie Boone, R. W. Ballard, Glen Cox, Peter Ellington, P. S. W. Enayer, G. W. Itale, W. H. Waddington, W. H. Gamble.

ED. HERALD: In-as-much as there seems to be quite a difference of opinion between a few "theoretical" road builders, who have "estimated" the cost to the taxpayers of opening a certain relocation of the Marshfield-Coquille road just west of Coquille City adjoining the incorporation, but wholly outside, except about 60 rods of cleared land on hill at east end, who are circulating a remonstrance claiming the cost to be nearly as great as building our present county court house, or between 12 and 20 thousand dollars, and thereby deceiving many who have not the time or data at hand to investigate for themselves; it seems in order for me to set forth a few facts, as gained by actual measurements taken, and carefully going over the proposed route of new road. In behalf of Fairness to nearly 100 citizens living in the vicinity who have already signed a petition asking said relocation, compare these facts with the theoretical and in my opinion distorted statements and when survey is actually made officially ask yourselves which was reasonable. The facts are these: The new location asked for (except where bridging must be resorted to) is over practically level and well drained bench ground, which is already cleared, requiring practically little expense to open, and the only bridging necessary above that now on old road asked to be discontinued is across the mouth of Cunningham valley, a distance of 1425 feet, including approaches at each end of bridge, and 20 feet high, to be above the flood water of 1890, the highest ever known. Figuring on a bridge 16 ft wide (a turn out could be made in cauter if necessary at small additional cost) the cost of material to build said bridge by the rod with bents one rod apart and sleepers 18 feet long so as to lap each other at ends, would be as follows:

4 pes 6x8x20 3 post and 1 sill per bent.....	320
1 p 8x10x16 esp.....	107
5 p 3x12x18 sleepers.....	270
3 p 3x12x4 for mudsill to rest on.....	36
2 p 3x12x20 extension plank to erect railing braces.....	120
144 p 3x12x16 to complete covering 1 rod.....	696
2 p 3x6x24 for double bracing bent posts.....	72
4 p 4x4x3 Banister posts.....	16
4 p 3x4x3 banister braces.....	12
2 p 3x4x16 1/2 for banisters.....	33
2 p 1x12x16 1/2 additional banister.....	33
Total feet lumber for 1 rod of bridge.....	1715
Total to cost \$7.00 pr m. at mill.....	\$12.00
Nails per rod "estimated" Total cost of material per rod.....	13.00
86 1/2 rods across Cunningham creek valley.....	1,122.33
The length of 2 bridges on old route not needed only to help span above valley, 32 rods long not counting approaches or about 3/4 of length of new bridge which at same estimate per rod will help reduce extra cost of new road bridge above old road bridging by the sum of.....	\$ 419.25
Leaving balance of extra cost for material only.....	703.08
instead of 15 to 20 thousand dollars as claimed, and no one disputes the location of new road as being the proper one, even our opponents. Except for a distance of about 30 rods through the land of E. S. Spurgeon, as all others except J. H. James have signed the petition already, through whose lands the new route is asked for. We ask fairness that the people give us their support on this much needed improvement which will benefit more people according to probable cost than any similar road change yet made, as it shortens the distance materially, escapes 5 bad clay hills, and makes a practically level road. PRACTICAL.	

Chicago, April 20.—Telegraphic communication with all points east of Cleveland has been cut off early this morning by a storm which extends from Canada to Tennessee and east to the Atlantic Coast. A heavy wet snow driven by a gale has played havoc with wires and poles, and both the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Companies report a complete suspension of business to the seaboard. Heroic efforts have been made to reach New York, by way of Atlanta and the coast lines and via Winnipeg and the Canadian Pacific route, but thus far without success. Officials here fear that the storm will cripple wire equipment worse than for several years past.

There will be a match game of baseball played at this place on the fourth of July. This being the case, other moves necessary to make a grand and complete celebration should be made in due time.

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY MEN and women to travel and advertise for old established house of solid financial standing. Salary \$750 a year and expenses, all payable in cash. No marrying required. Give references and enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Address Manager, 355 Caxton Bldg., Chicago.

J. R. Fox received a carload of furniture from the bay yesterday. Call and see what he has.

Norway Items.
Miss Alice Dunlap, who has been having a siege of la grippe for the past three weeks, is still quite poorly, having a very troublesome cough.

Caleb Robison while visiting on Fishtrap Sunday, was taken suddenly ill. Dr. Roberts was called but we have not learned the nature of his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moomaw, of Bandon, visited in Norway over Sunday. It seems like olden times to see their smiling faces again in our midst.

Miss Mabel Weekly visited a few days in Norway last week on her way home from the county examination. She will teach the Enchanted Prairie school this summer.

Mrs. Harvey Tyrrel returned to her home in Bandon last Tuesday, after an extended visit with friends and relatives in Myrtle Point and Norway. Her sister, Miss Ida Lafferty accompanied her home.

J. D. Barklow and wife, of Johnson's mill, are visiting in these parts. The former is just recovering from his late illness and is not yet able to go to work.

Little Leslie, the five-year-old, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Schroeder, while playing Friday evening, fell and broke his leg. Dr. Cain was summoned and at last account the little sufferer was resting quite easy.

A young lady from near St. Paul, Minn. arrived last week on a visit to her friend and former schoolmate, Mrs. Finly Schroeder. Being in poor health, she will perhaps remain all summer to see if the delightful climate of the west will not benefit her.

BLUES
Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression. Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla
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SPECIAL NO. 1.
Men's and Boys' Crash, Straw, Duck and Silk summer Hats in all styles and Colors, from 25 cents.

SPECIAL NO. 2.
5 Dozen Ladies' White Duck Military Caps, trimmed in gold braid, never sold before under 35 cents. 10 cents.

SPECIAL NO. 3.
5 dozen Ladies' and Misses' Blongh's Bonnets for sunny days. A magnificent array of styles and colors. 25 cents.

SPECIAL NO. 4.
A few pieces of White Washable Veils. Positively worth 50 cents, go at 25 cents.

SPECIAL NO. 5.
10 dozens of Infants' and Children's White Bonnets made of silk lawn, swiss, cambric, etc. These are positively worth twice the money we ask. 15 cents and up.

SPECIAL NO. 6.
Infant's and children's colored shoes. The latest out! 35 cents and up.

SPECIAL NO. 7.
A few special prices in expensive, all silk ribbons No. 60 about 4 inches wide, per yard 20 cents.

SPECIAL NO. 8.
Grape Nuts, large packages 20c.
Hoot Mon Mush, per pk. 10c.
Corn Meal, per bag..... 25c.
Rolled Oats, good..... 3c.
Salad Oil, per bottle..... 15c.
Rio Roast coffee, per pound 17c.
Butter full weight per roll 35c and 40c.

Rotary Biscuit Cutter 10c.

Dried Prunes 2 1/2 cents per pound.

Single loaf oakes as per cut, 15c.

Sheriff's Statement.
Semi-annual statement of the amount of money and warrants received for taxes, and money paid to the county treasurer by the sheriff of Coos county, Oregon, for the six months ending on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1901.

1901. To amount received in coin and currency during the month of October.....	\$ 4,850.12
" To amount received in coin and currency during the month of November.....	3,287.18
" To amount received in coin and currency during the month of December.....	1,361.91
" To amount received in coin and currency during the month of January.....	842.16
" To amount received in coin and currency during the month of February.....	3,259.17
" To amount received in coin and currency during the month of March.....	42,811.59
" To amount received in county warrants during the month of March.....	1,016.27
Total amount collected.....	\$57,428.40
1901. By amount paid to county treasurer in coin and currency during the month of October.....	\$ 4,850.12
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Total amount paid to treasurer.....	\$57,428.40

STATE OF OREGON) ss.
COUNTY OF COOS.)
I, Stephen Gallier, sheriff of said county, do hereby certify that the foregoing statement is correct and true.
Witness my hand this 30th day of March, A. D. 1901.
STEPHEN GALLIER,
Sheriff of Coos County.

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Hiverton Pick-Ups.
Mr. Tyrrel, the creameryman, made our place another business call last week. He reports that the Mountain Spring Creamery, is now running and that the patronage he receives from the dairymen is most flattering. That it for exceeds his expectations.

Several of our young men left last Sunday, for Corbin City whether they go for employment.

Frank Morgan, the ex-mumps subject, is now completely recovered and left off Monday for Washington where his people reside.

Several young men came down from Coquille City last Sunday in a very happy state of mind.

We just received word from Rogue River, that J. F. Lowery and two other men are about to put on a line of steamers, to run from Gold Beach to the mouth of the Illinois river. One of the parties will be up here in short time to engage a suitable man to build one or more steamers. Now don't let that job go over to the boys, but do the work here on the Coquille.
DONA ANA.

The stomach controls the situation. Those who are hearty and strong are those who can eat and digest plenty of food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and allows you to eat all the good food you want. If you suffer from indigestion, heartburn, belching or any other stomach trouble, this preparation can't help but do you good. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. R. S. Knowlton.

The Tuttle Temperance House is in the hotel field for business. Give it a trial. You will find it first-class.

WANTED—To trade four nice lots in Bandon for a team of horses. Horses must be young and not weigh less than 1200 pounds. Inquire at this office.

Their promptness and their pleasant effects make DeWitt's Little Early Risers most popular little pills wherever they are known. They are simply perfect for liver and bowel troubles. R. S. Knowlton.

The Corvallis Gazette last week printed a long interview with G. C. Millet, a prominent farmer of Junction City, who is president of the Corvallis & Southern Railway.

It is proposed to build a railroad from Corvallis to Eugene, via Monroe and Junction, and eventually through to Coos Bay. Another enterprise proposed by the company is building a canal from the Willamette river via Junction City to the Long Tom river.—The West.

Life would lose half its interest were it not for the postoffice. Here the rich and poor, the high and low come every day. That's when the kid in the family, unbenowned to the window and asks for "our mail." Of course the postmaster is expected to keep sweet and answer all questions of kids and kiddies just as he does the white apron maiden who calls for a letter she knew was there if he would only look again. Verily through the postoffice runs joy, hope and disappointment.—Coast Advocate.

FOR SALE—Two of the most beautiful garden lots in Coquille City, well improved and neat, small house. Inquire at the HENALD office.

You cannot enjoy perfect health, rosy cheeks and sparkling eyes if your liver is sluggish and your bowels clogged. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cleanse the whole system. They never gripe. R. S. Knowlton.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN OF GOOD character to deliver and collect in Oregon for old established manufacturing wholesale house. \$300 a year, sure pay. Honesty more than experience required. For reference, any bank in any city. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manufacturers, Third Floor, 334 Dearborn St. Chicago.

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FOR TRADE—An interest in a valuable mining property in Okanogan county, Washington for a small place in Coos county. Specimen of ore at the HERALD office.

Treasurer's Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that all County Warrants endorsed prior to Jan. 1, 1901, will be paid on presentation at my office in Coquille City, Coos county, Oregon. No interest will be allowed after April 15, 1901.
This 15th day of April, 1901.
J. B. DULLEY,
County Treasurer.

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