

## SOCIAL EVENTS

### Weddings, Parties, and Other Matters of Interest to the Reader.

Mrs. Archie Walker entertained the Wednesday Card club this week at her home in Knowlton Heights. "500" was entertainment and the guests enjoyed a jolly afternoon. Mrs. N. N. Neiman won the prize. Following award of the prize, Mrs. Walker served dainty refreshments. Those present were: Mesdames Clarence Tuttle, Nathan Neiman, V. L. Hamilton, G. B. Low, T. B. Currie, Hal Pierce, Pat Becklett, Raymond Zamb, Reuben Mast Jr., Misses Clara Eberwood, Katherine Mulvihill, Allie Phillips and Mrs. Walker.

### Birthday Party.

On Monday afternoon, Henry Allen Young Jr., entertained at the home of his grandparents a number of his friends in honor of his tenth birthday. All the boys enjoyed themselves and none of them more than Allen.

The invited guests were Layton Nozler, Teddy Becklett, Harold Gould, George McClellan, Clarence Barton, Merle Landreth, Greer Springer, Walter Paulson, Walter and Nembhard Culin, Lyle Boyers, Ross Kistner, Irving Lamb and Calvin Slagle.

### Double Wedding Monday.

A double wedding occurred at the M. E. parsonage here Monday noon when Rev. T. H. Downs united in marriage Herman Dean and Lois Varney, and Edwin Bogard and Clara Edna Dean. Mr. Dean and Miss Dean are the son and daughter of the Mr. Dean, who formerly conducted a meat market in the Figg building opposite the city hall, and Miss Varney, is the daughter of H. L. Varney, of this neighborhood.

### Bride from Coquille.

George E. Hancock, of Bandon, and Mrs. Jettie Newman, of Coquille, were married Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tilton, Rev. Tilton performing the ceremony. "Dick" is a well known, industrious young man of this community, at present engaged in rafting logs for the Moore Mill & Lumber Co. His bride is an estimable young lady of the county seat town. They will reside on Bandon Heights.—World.

### Marriage Licenses.

Jan. 15—Ferman Dean and Lois Maude Varney.  
Jan. 15—Edwin Bogard and Clara Edna Dean.  
Jan. 16—Wm. Shaftner and Isadora Weeks.

### Want No Special Privileges.

The following letter was sent to Hon. A. R. Peck and Hon. F. B. Tichenor, of the House of Representatives at Salem by the pastors of Coquille:

While at Coquille, Oregon, attending a Sunday school convention, I have consulted with the ministers of that city and they join me, herewith subscribing their signatures in testimony to their wish that the pending dry law shall not permit "clergymen" to receive any intoxicating liquors whatsoever.

We do not want class legislation, and we as clergymen do not want our profession favored(?) as the papers so state.

(Signed)  
G. Leroy Hall, Colporteur on the "Life Line," Coos Bay.  
F. S. Shimian, Presbyterian church, Coquille.

T. H. Downs, M. E. church, Coquille.  
H. M. Law, M. E. Church South, Coquille.

### Board Meets Next Week.

The eighth grade examining board will convene here next Monday to grade the papers from those who took the examinations of that grade yesterday and today. Mr. Baker says this work will probably take nearly the entire week. The board consists of County Superintendent Baker, Mrs. L. W. Turnbull, of Bandon, Mrs. M. Hermann, of Myrtle Point, and Mrs. Emma E. Easton, of the South Slough school.

### Probate Court Notes.

Petition filed in the estate of John L. Wagner, of Myrtle Point. Estate consists of \$2,000 real property and \$11,000 personal.

Petition filed in the estate of Johannes Reinikainen, generally known as Hans Rein. Estate consists of \$1,000 in personal property.

Petition filed in estate of Byron Craig, of Marshfield.

The fuel stringency that had prevailed here since the beginning of winter has ended, and both wood and coal are abundant in the market now.

## COUNCIL DISCUSSES MANY MATTERS AT LAST SESSION

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will prepare an ordinance along this line after communicating with Astoria and Portland as to how they conduct the municipal docks at those places.

A pool hall ordinance had been prepared by Mr. Stanley for passage, but as it did not cover all the points desired by the council it was left over for two weeks for additions. After mentioning the profane, boisterous and unseemly noises that emanate from some resorts, Mayor Johnson said that he didn't believe in the police butting in where they had no business, but if any one had the idea he can run the town, and defy the police, he must be brought to time or he (the mayor) will quit his job. Ladies are often insulted on the street by obscene language from men who seemingly have no respect for any one, and the police are to be given complete power to handle all such cases, with additional provisions for removal from office if they are negligent in the matter.

Councilman Sanford mentioned the fact that last year's street improvements were started in January, with some not yet completed, and it was high time to start action if any work is contemplated for this year. He said Hall and First streets should be improved, and urged the need of a city engineer to handle the preliminary work and also to close up last year's improvement. For First street he favored a hard surface pavement. Councilman Nozler said that there was also talk of improving Third street from Elliott to the T bridge, and B street from the Sentinel corner to the Bledsoe.

After discussing the question of a city engineer at length, the council decided to let it be known that they were ready for applications for appointment to the position. Two applications have already been filed, with two more engineers suggested for the place.

Councilman Hawkins wanted to know what could be done to improve the avenues of approach to Coquille, some of which, like the road from Fairview, are in a frightful condition. As this is a county road, Mayor Johnson and the Street committee will wait upon the County court to see what can be done by that body.

The Longston Construction Co. was given a further extension of 25 days for the completion of their contract by which time it is anticipated all the work will be finished, except what has to wait for dry weather.

Mayor Johnson said a number of people had spoken to him about the appointment of a board of censorship for moving pictures and wanted to know what the council thought of it. The matter was discussed for some time and the suggestion made that there was need of censorship for some of the lithographs posted on the bill boards. No action was taken, although next morning Mayor Johnson named five gentlemen to act as such a board for the picture shown Tuesday evening.

### Credits for Bible Study.

Beginning with the second semester, the Coquille high school will offer credit toward graduation for work in Bible study done outside school according to a plan worked out by the state superintendent's office. This plan provides that students desiring credit shall study the Bible in a systematic manner and under the direction of a competent instructor, following an outline made out by a committee appointed by the state superintendent. On the completion of the outlined course he shall take an examination sent out from the state office.

The idea in mind in planning such a course for those desiring to take it is clearly set forth in the following extract from the introduction to the state outline: "A knowledge of the Bible is an essential element in a good education, and though one may not be interested in it as a manual of devotion, he should be familiar with it as a literature and a history. Many teachers of English and history have asked this department to prepare a syllabus that will direct the study outside of school of pupils who wish to become familiar with the life stories of characters of the Bible, with the beauty of its style and the influence of its ideals. This work should be elective—wholly optional with the pupils and parents, and at no time required by the teacher."

### Sale of Dew Valley Ranch.

J. J. Morris, breeder of registered Berkshires, this week purchased the 80 acre farm of Geo. A. Henry, of Dew valley. The land adjoins Mr. Morris' forty and he intends to go more extensively into dairying and raising prize winning pigs. The place is well improved. The consideration was \$4,000.00.—Bandon World.

## County Court Business.

At the meeting of the County court here last Monday the matter of the changes asked by the C. A. Smith Co. in the franchise granted it to build a railroad along the county road from the Summit to Bunker Hill was not taken up for lack of time. It is expected this matter will be disposed of at an adjourned meeting to be held next Tuesday.

Among the changes made in the mothers' pensions were the following: Mrs. Alice J. King, of North Bend, who receives \$25 per month to be investigated, charges being made that older members of family live off money allotted to younger ones.

Mrs. Kate Freelund, of North Bend, reduces from \$17.50 to \$10 per month. Mrs. Nellie Aasen, of North Bend, increased from \$17.50 to \$25 per month. Mrs. Margaret Bennett, of Marshfield, allowed increase from \$17.50 to \$25. Mrs. Lucy E. Bither, of Coquille, who receives \$17.50 has left county and will be taken off the list.

Mrs. Eva Anderson, of Marshfield, who received \$15 per month, wrote letter asking to be taken off indigent list and thanking Judge Hall and county court.

Allowance of \$10 per month to Lucy S. Henderson, of North Bend, was discontinued, she having returned to Oklahoma.

Allowance of \$15 to Mary E. Yonkers, of Empire, was discontinued.

Allowance of \$10 per month to Frederika Sandquist, of North Bend, was discontinued.

Case of Elizabeth Willie, of Marshfield, ordered investigated further as husband was said to be receiving \$4 per day.

Allowance of \$20 per month to Mary Arnite Runde, of Bandon, approved. Has five children under 16 and invalid husband. Family has cost county over \$1,000.

Allowance of \$10 per month for Nora Wakefield, of Bandon, discontinued as she has moved to Eugene.

Allowance of \$10 per month for Mollie Larson, of Bandon, discontinued, as she is now earning good living.

Mrs. Hannah Starr, Coquille, receives \$10 per month, son who was only support enlisted in the army and is now in Mexico, approved.

Commissioner Phillip recommended that Mrs. Agnes Johnson, mother of 6 children, a half-breed woman of North Bend, be given an allowance of \$10 per month to assist in her support and that the warrant be made payable to C. M. Byler.

Frank Councilman and family were allowed \$20.00 to be drawn in the name of Dorsey Kreitzer to be expended for such family.

Mrs. Eva Wallin, of Bandon, allowed \$10.00 per month for support of herself and family.

County Surveyor McCulloch was ordered by the County court to survey the Ten Mile road to its connection with Haynes Slough road, to complete the survey on the road now under construction by the citizens of that community, and also to establish the right-of-way at the proposed Myrtle Point Bridge on the opposite side of the river from Myrtle Point, supposed to be owned by the County.

### Coquille Wins at Bandon.

The basket ball game at Bandon last Friday evening between the Coquille and Bandon high schools was a hotly contested game with the Coquille team emerging victorious 21 to 20. It was only in the last two or three minutes of play that they made the two points which put them in the lead. Bandon is always a hard team to defeat on her own floor and this first game shows that the local five will make it interesting for every team in the conference.

Marshfield, the winner of last year's Coos county championship, and which has already won two games this winter, will meet the local team on the Masonic floor hall here this evening. Everyone is pulling for a victory over this most formidable rival tonight, and a victory will put Coquille at the head of the list, besides giving them greater confidence in their prowess.

Everybody interested in athletics or the schools, should turn out to cheer for the home team. A preliminary game between two teams of high school girls will precede the big event.

### Bunch of Varmints.

W. A. Johnson, of Gilda, was in the city Thursday afternoon, says the Roseburg News, with the hides of a wolf, coyote, four link cats and a ring-tail cat. The ring-tail cat is of a rare species and very few of them are found in the Cascades. The bounties on these animals amounts to a neat sum and Mr. Johnson feels himself well repaid for his work. The hides of the animals were in fine condition and he disposed of several of them to people in the court house.

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## M. E. Church South.

The Sunday School at 10 a. m. The morning service at 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "The Better Part."

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Subject, "Seeing God in Others."

The evening service at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Rescue of an Infant Hebrew."

Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 at the M. E. church. Lesson, Jno. 9, 49-50.

You are invited to the above services.

H. Marvin Law, Pastor.

## Methodist Episcopal.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. Mrs. Dr. Richmond, Superintendent, Mr. H. O. Anderson, Musical Director.

The preaching service at 11 a. m. The theme of the sermon will be "Christ Knocking at the Door of the Heart."

The Epworth League Service at 6:30 p. m. The topic is "Star Christians."

The evening service at 7:30 p. m. The sermon theme will be "The Ideal Young Man."

Union prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30 at the M. E. Church.

You are cordially invited to all of these services.

T. H. Downs, Pastor.

## St. James Episcopal Church

The Third Sunday after Epiphany, January 21.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a. m.

Celebrant, The Rev. Dean Horsfall. Evening Prayer and sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. Frederick G. Jennings.

## Presbyterian Church.

Teaching service from 10 to 11 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. We extend a hearty welcome.

F. S. Shimian, Pastor.

## Christian Church.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to all these services.

## Christian Science Society.

Services next Sunday at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Corner Third and Hall streets.

## New Books at the Library.

The following new books have been purchased and added to the City Library here during the past two months:

The Glory of the Conquered, Gaspeil; Tarzon of the Apes, Burroughs; Red Pepper Burns, Richmond; A Circuit Rider's Widow, Harris; Bonnie May, Dodge; Billy Toppall, Duncan; Mary Gusta, Lincoln; The Friendly Road, Grayson; Mary Rose of M'fifin, Stewart; My Home in the Field of Honor, Huard; Acres of Diamonds, Conwell; The Dark Forest, Walpole; Two Little Savages, Seton; The Clansman, Dixon; Polly Oliver, Wiggins; The Spirit of the Border, Gray; The Lady of the Decoration, Little; The Prodigal Judge, Kester; Cappy Ricks, Kime; The Leopard's Spots, Dixon; That Printer of Udell's, Wright; Dawn O'Harrow, Ferber; The Heart of the Desert, Willis; The Heart of the Sioux, Bower; Held to Answer, MacFarlin; Told in the Hills, Ryan; The River Man, White; The Leopard Woman, White

## Caught Coming or Going.

Not long ago F. C. Hawkins, of Curry county, was sent to jail for 3 months and also fined \$250 he would have to board out for a misdemeanor very prevalent in Oregon lately. Being without means his wife asked the county court to give her an allowance of a dollar a day. As the court was already paying \$20 a month for Hawkins' board at the jail, it looked as if the taxpayers were likely to be whipsawed and compelled to pay \$60 a month for the satisfaction of keeping Hawkins in jail six months—which would amount to more than the fine the treasury was not going to get. Some genius suggested that the county pay Mrs. Hawkins a dollar a day to board her husband if she would waive her own claim for aid; but the court solved the problem at less expense by paroling Hawkins.

The sharp curve north of the bay on the main line of the S. P. road has caused a number of logs to roll off the train as they were being brought in for the mills here. Fortunately the logs did no damage, but shows the danger of logging, especially as proposed by the Smith-Powers Co. which line will parallel the county highway for several miles.—Harbor.

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### NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

Notice is hereby given that the undesigned did on the 19th day of January, 1917, file in the office of the county clerk of Coos county, Oregon, his final account in the matter of the Administration of the Estate of J. H. Kime, deceased, and the county court has fixed the 26th day of February, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. as the time and the office of the county judge in the county court house in the City of Coquille, Coos county, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to such final settlement of the estate.

Charles I. Kime,  
Administrator.

Two corps of government engineers have already decided that Port Orford is the most suitable port for hundreds of miles along the Pacific coast for building a harbor of refuge.—Port Orford Tribune.

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