

MINOR MENTION

Telling About People and Events in the City and County.

Come to the Sentinel for your job work.

C. M. Wickham was over at the Bay Monday.

Frank Leslie started for Portland Monday.

Geo. Laird was up from Bandon yesterday.

V. R. Wilson was over at North Bend on Sunday.

Henry Sengstacken was over here from the Bay Monday.

March certainly came in yesterday with lamb-like characteristics.

You can still get the four-magazine combination for two bits extra.

Z. C. Strang has begun the work of assessing in the Gunningham district.

G. C. Gouthier, of the Fishtrap section, was down from there this morning.

The regular meeting of the city council will be held next Monday evening.

Thomas A. Marguerite went to Jacksonville to visit relatives the first of the week.

It cannot be said of the late month of February that "its last days were its best days."

Only a few more of those Coquille booklets left. Get them at the Sentinel office free.

Mrs. Glasgow came over here from the Bay Monday bringing with her little Helen Stratton.

T. H. Williams came down from Powers Monday morning, returning the same afternoon.

The County Court will convene next Wednesday, the 7th inst., for the regular March meeting.

Mrs. S. B. Endicott, of Myrtle Point, came down yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. McC. Johnson.

School Supervisor F. A. Golden and Miss Helen Cowgill, of O. A. C., are now visiting the schools in this valley.

Judge Sperry, who has been confined to his bed for weeks, remains about the same, though growing gradually weaker.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Teters were in from Fairview Monday. They said they encountered a foot of snow in crossing the mountain.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will hold a cooked food sale at H. O. Anderson's store tomorrow (Saturday) morning at 10 o'clock.

The March issue of the Pacific Monthly is the best we have seen. Get a copy and see if you do not agree with us. It is well worth the 15 cent price.

Mrs. W. J. Longston went over to North Bend Wednesday morning as a witness in the case of Gardner & Larsen against the Longston Construction Co.

A letter received from Fay Jones, who, with his wife, is visiting in California, says they will leave Sacramento Sunday arriving home the middle of next week.

That offer of four new magazines for a year for two-bits more in connection with a year's subscription for the Sentinel still holds good. It is a sure-enough bargain.

Hon. F. B. Tichenor went through here Sunday morning on his way home from Salem. He is quite sanguine of securing the appointment of U. S. marshal for Oregon.

At the auction sale of W. Lee Ray between Norway and Myrtle Point yesterday, everything brought satisfactory prices. A farm team sold for \$245 and a light driving mare for \$92.

Last Friday night's storm with its heavy snow piling up on wires and overhanging limbs of trees damaged the lines of the Coos and Curry Telephone company to the amount of nearly \$2,000.

The Christian Science Society of this city announces a free public lecture on Christian Science to be given at Masonic Hall Friday, March 16, by Paul Seeley C. S. Everybody is invited to attend.

Assessor J. P. Beyers went over to Marshfield Wednesday to help in assessing property on the Bay. He expects to assist, more or less, the deputies in making the assessment in all parts of the county.

Beginning January 1, 1917 all automobile and repair work must be settled for before it leaves the garage.

A. A. Paull.

E. E. Cook and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Cook, are leaving this week for Bend, Oregon, where they will make their home. I. W. Cook has been there for a couple of months working in a bakery.

P. O. Lund, who is managing the store for Henry Lorenz at Powers, came down from there Wednesday, returning yesterday. Pat Backleff went up to attend to the business during Mr. Lund's absence.

J. E. Montgomery, of the Coos-Curry Telephone company, was over here the first of the week looking after the reconstruction of the telephone line that were broken down in last Friday night's snow fall.

The silver loving cup offered by the State Christian Endeavor was won by Union 11, comprising Coos and Curry counties. It was won by this union with an average of 859 per cent, placing Multnomah county in second place.

Traces of the snowfall of five or six inches last Friday night are still visible from our office window this morning, indicating how cool the weather has been for the past week, though we have been enjoying bright sunshine lately.

Yesterday afternoon at the M. E. parsonage at 3 o'clock Rev. T. H. Downs united in marriage Urban Elwood and Miss Jewell Baumgartner. The bride is the young woman whose hand was injured in the laundry two or three weeks ago.

H. A. Chaplin, of the U. S. Dairy Division, went out to Portland Wednesday morning for the big dairy show there, but expects to be back in Coos county next week to continue his work for the standardization of cheese and dairy products.

Lamb & Von Pegert had a Dodge car parade here yesterday, four of these cars coming over from Marshfield. One had been sold to M. J. Hartson, one goes to Bandon, another to Myrtle Point and the fourth remains in their show room.

The fact that some big posts under the floor of the Johnson mill here just where the fire broke out last week were nearly burned off would seem to indicate that the fire had smoldering there in the sawdust hours before it broke out.

James Dollar, in charge of the Robert Dollar interests on the Coquille, passed through this city Wednesday, enroute to Vancouver, B. C., where the company is opening a large, modern sawmill. Mr. Dollar expects to return soon, probably within two weeks.

Mrs. John Kronenburg celebrated her eightieth birthday yesterday, and despite her crippled condition is now enjoying as good health as at any time in recent years. She and the late Mrs. Figg used to be great chums and always spend Sunday afternoon together.

Robert Warrack, one of the U. S. treasury department, went down to Bandon Tuesday to fix the location to which the lighthouse there will be removed. It is now on the north side of the river near its mouth, but is to be removed to some point on the south side.

One day last week Agent Sterling was one of the most surprised men in the county, when he saw the morning train for Marshfield after taking a siding run out of it without backing up to the platform for his passengers, half a dozen of whom were left to cool their heels there.

The Southern Pacific people must have struck a snag in getting up a new time table for this valley, else the week in which they promised we should hear from them, would hardly have stretched to four "without a word," as the people at the station tell us this morning.

Bandon has just adopted an ordinance following the lines of the state law in prohibiting gambling devices and another forbidding the use of punch boards and card and pool playing by minors. They were adopted unanimously at the request of an organization of women voters.

The Farmer's Union Store here has just leased for five years the entire lower floor of the Woodmen of the World building which includes the store rooms they have been occupying and the one now occupied by the Ladies' Bazaar. Just how soon the latter will be able to move or where it will locate cannot yet be stated.

L. H. Hazard returned Sunday morning from a two weeks' trip to Pasadena, California. He says he would have come through from Los Angeles to Coquille in 48 hours if the train had connected with the one from the Bay over here so that he had not had to spend Saturday night there. Of course he came up on the Shasta Limited to do that well.

Trappers.

If you have any furs for sale let me make you a price before you ship.

Geo. T. Moulton.

FARM AND DAIRY

Timely Notes by J. L. Smith, County Agent for Coos County.

The yearly summary of the dairy herd records for the year 1916 have just been completed in the Cow Testing Association of the upper Coquille valley, which includes the Myrtle Point, Norway and Arago districts. The Yearly Statistics.

564 cows finished the year's work. The following are their averages for the year:

Production of milk per cow . . . 5806 lb
Production of butterfat . . . 259.8 lb
Value of butterfat per cow . . . \$99.11
Cost of feed per cow . . . \$33.51
Profit above cost of feed . . . \$65.60
Best individual cow record in the association was . . . 478 lb.

This was produced by a grade Jersey owned by Martin Schmidt.

The Prize Winners.

The best yearly record for five cows in any one herd in the association was made by five grade Jerseys, producing an average of 441 lb of butterfat per cow, which record won for their owner, Martin Schmidt, of Norway, the \$50.00 cash prize given by the Bank of Myrtle Point.

The second prize of \$25.00 given by the same bank was won by five grade Jerseys each averaging 425 lb butterfat for the year. These five cows were recently purchased along with the rest of the herd of forty by Herman Peterson, of Norway, from Mike Welland, who lived near Mr. Schmidt. Both Mr. Welland and Mr. Schmidt have been members of the testing association for the past three years, each with a herd of about forty cows on test each year. These men believe in the work of the testing association for the improvement of the dairy business.

Mr. Schmidt and Mr. Peterson have entered these two herds again in the testing association for this year's work.

The Three Highest Herds.

The herd which made the highest yearly average per cow of any herd in the association is also owned by Martin Schmidt, his forty grade Jersey cows average 330.6 lb of butterfat per cow.

The second highest herd average was Theo. Clinton's herd of eleven grade Jerseys averaging 322.8 lb butterfat each.

The third highest was made by the herd now owned by Herman Peterson, mentioned above, which averaged 321.2 lb butterfat per cow.

There promises to be more interest than ever in the work this year, if you want to be a real dairyman, get into the game, this is a business proposition.

Two Associations in Valley.

We expect to have two testing associations in the Coquille valley this year. A total of 1153 cows have been signed for already by the following men, whom you will note are in the live and progressive class that is going to help make Coos county famous:

S. S. Reed, J. C. Strong, F. L. Lundy & Son, A. R. Davenport, W. F. Slingsby, B. Bartlett & Son, John Fabry, R. C. King, W. C. Cutler, Alfred Kellenberger, John Neer, Lloyd Leatherman, J. N. Gearhart, Aasen Bros., Genzoli & Bianco, J. D. Carl, Schroeder Bros., Walter Farrier, Herman Peterson, Theo. Clinton, Martin Schmidt, Mose Gemetti, L. P. Trigg, W. E. Cross, Albert Schroeder, Geo. S. Davis, J. Finley Schroeder, G. C. Gouthier, W. D. Newton, Ed. Detlefsen, Jas. Jacobsen, Clausen Bros., Geo. Maas, Domenighini Bros., T. M. Devereux, C. D. Jarman, Geo. McDonald, J. Nordstrom, R. M. Pressley and Chris Richert.

Pure Bred Stock.

Several dairymen are intending to buy some registered bulls, and heifers this spring and we are arranging to make a cooperative shipment for them as was done last year. If you want in on it, kindly let us know as soon as possible.

Care of the Bull.

Better take some special care of your bull from now on, and get him in good condition. A good feed of grain, along with silage or roots and they will do it. Give him plenty of exercise but don't let him run out with the herd.

Help the Poor Cow Along.

It will pay to feed your cows some extra grain right now so they will be in strong condition to calve this spring.

Better Seed.

Get the best seed you can this spring and test it before planting. Remember you are entitled to five germination, and ten purity tests each month at the Seed Testing Laboratory

at O. A. C., Corvallis. Just send a small sample of seed to be tested to the above department and the results will interest you.

Test Soil.

The County Agent has a new soil tester and is prepared to test your soils for degree of acidity. Send samples to this office.

Farm Loan Association.

Don't forget to attend the meeting Saturday, March 10 at 10 a. m. at the City Hall, Coquille, for the purpose of forming a Farm Loan Association. Tell your neighbors also to be there and make application for their loans if they wish to take advantage of this method of borrowing money.

If you are interested in improving your dairy herd, draining your land, or growing better corn and potatoes and entering the contest for the big Corn and Potato Show this fall, call up your county agent; he will be pleased to have your cooperation.

Basket Ball Tonight.

The last basket ball game here this season of the Coos county high school association will be played this evening at 8 o'clock. Bandon, which is still in the race for championship honors, will be Coquille's opponent and the fans and boosters from there are coming up on the Dispatch this evening 200 strong. They are due to meet a stronger team than they met on their home floor some weeks ago, when Bandon lost. The boys should be given the encouragement of a large crowd.

Next Friday the season ends with Coquille over at the Bay to meet the North Bend High.

Raise for Section Men.

Section men on the Southern Pacific system have just been advised that on March 1 their wages will be advanced from \$1.75 to \$2 for a ten hour day. Maintenance of way workers are also given the increase with the exception of Mexican laborers, who receive but \$1.50 as heretofore. For the first five months prior to November 1 last, section men were paid \$2 per day, but on that date were put back to the old scale. The raise affects several thousand workers from Portland to El Paso.

Marriage Licenses.

Feb. 23—Carl Engdahl and Elsie Sandquist.

Feb. 26—Wm. E. Heim and Nellie Dungey.

Feb. 26—Geo. Bennett and Myrtle Opp.

March 1—Urban Elwood and Jewell Baumgartner.

New Cases in Circuit Court.

Feb. 26—Lucina Goble vs. Emery G. Goble. Suit for divorce.

Feb. 26—Nora M. Wilkinson vs. Marion L. Wilkinson. Suit for divorce.

Feb. 27—Exona Pritchard vs. A. Storgard and Sophia Storgard.

To the Socialists of Coos County.

You are requested to meet at Coquille, at the W. O. W. hall, Sunday, March 18, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing a county chairman and a secretary-treasurer for two years. Also for such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. E. Quick,
Chairman of County Socialist Party

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Men's suits made to order. We have the Universal Tailoring company's line, guaranteed all wool and to give satisfaction. Come in and see the samples and prices.

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We can sell you gasoline at 23½ cents in drum lots—as cheap as you can get it anywhere.

Gardner & Larsen.

What Is Wrong with the Home?

Hear it discussed at
Christian Church
Sunday Morning

Farmers Attention!

We want to remind you of some seasonable articles for this time of the year.

Formaldehyde

Before you plant your grain or potatoes give them a good soaking in this Formaldehyde Solution. It will improve the quality as well as prevent smut and rust.

Squirrel Poison

Now is the time to put out poison for the "peaky critters" as they are more hungry now than later and consequently a greater number will be destroyed.

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A very necessary article to keep the cows in shape through the muddy season.

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COOS AND CURRY TELEPHONE COMPANY

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of S. M. Kirkpatrick, deceased, has filed his final account as such executor and the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Coos County has fixed Monday, the 2nd day of April, 1917, at the county court room in the county court house in the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, as the time and place for hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. Dated and first published March 2nd, 1917.

M. O. Hooton,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of S. M. Kirkpatrick, deceased.

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