

MINOR MENTION.

Telling About People and Events in the City and County.

J. C. Savage went over to the Bay this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Harper left Wednesday for their new home in Portland.

The city school board has fixed up on September 10 as the date for opening the city schools.

Peter Loggie and Harry Kembell came over from the Bay Monday to attend the road investigation meeting.

J. L. Smith and family went out to Corvallis last Saturday, to visit the family of his brother-in-law, Prof. R. O. Graves.

Mrs. L. P. Bransetter, who has been at Foley Springs for some time on account of her health, is expected back in Coquille next week.

Raymond E. Burns will start tomorrow morning for Portland where he is going to take a course in the Behrke-Walker business college.

Mrs. W. S. Hall is again at the switchboard of the local telephone office, while the various members of the force are on their vacations.

R. O. Bayley, formerly of the creamery, who has been taking a course at the Anderson Business College, left Wednesday morning for Eugene.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Epperson Saturday afternoon, Aug. 11, at 2:30. All ladies interested in the work are earnestly requested to attend.

Miss Frances Neil came in Tuesday from Pennsylvania to visit her brother, Harry Neil, who has been confined to the Coquille hospital for the past month.

Miss Inez Bunch is back again at her desk in the county clerk's office, after recuperating for a month at her parents' home following an operation in Portland.

Next Tuesday the county court will start on a trip for the inspection of all the roads of the county which it is expected will require from ten days to two weeks to complete.

We note that among the marriage licenses issued at Vancouver, Washington, 8, was one to Daniel L. Dimmick and Lydia S. Skelley, who have long been residents of this section.

Dr. V. L. Hamilton operated on Harvey Paxson for adenoids and removed his tonsils at the hospital the first of the week. He will perform the same operation on James Mast today.

Matt Kerrigan, who is not feeling as well as usual now, is trying to close up his business affairs and offers his home place of 10 acres, a block east of the Butler corner in this city, for sale.

Charles Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Willard, and Miss Ruby A. Tilton, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Tilton, of this city, were married at the home of the bride's parents—Bandon World.

Ben S. Lawrence, of the Indianapolis Star, is expected here the first of the week to join his wife, who has been here several weeks and to visit with his parents, Recorder and Mrs. J. S. Lawrence.

Another of those entertaining Children's Cantatas is to be given in the near future under the auspices of the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South. Watch for further announcements.

J. E. Norton left Monday morning for a two weeks' "vacation" which he will spend in Portland and San Francisco interviewing wholesalers and in buying his fall line of canned and other goods.

The largest scalp warrant ever issued in Curry county was secured by W. M. Hunter Friday last, says the Globe. He put in a claim for 596 seal scalps at \$3 a head, and received a warrant for \$1,788.

When last heard from the Sherwood auto party were camped on an arm of Klamath Lake and planning to go on to Joseph and other points in the Blue mountains in the northeastern section of the state.

Mrs. John Treichler and daughters, who have been living here for the past two years started last Friday morning for Red Bluff, California, where they will make their home for the present, to be nearer Kennett, where Mr. Treichler has a responsible position in a big copper smelter. They expect to return to Coquille in a few years to their residence here and make it their permanent home.

Call on us for Stationery.

Mrs. R. S. Knowlton and daughter, Naomi, expect to start next week on the Elizabeth for San Francisco and Berkeley, the latter to resume her studies at the University of California and her mother to keep house for her during the school year.

L. H. Hazard and A. N. Gould and their families went out to Brewster Wednesday for two weeks of fishing and camping. Dr. C. W. Endicott and family expect to join them the first of the week unless a case of measles develops with the children.

J. L. Smith and family returned last night from Corvallis and this morning went down to Parkersburg with B. A. Ward, the biological expert of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, to hold his third and last meeting in the county demonstrating his methods for the extermination of the digger squirrel.

Treasurer Sanford reports that quite a number of subscribers for the Red Cross fund in this section have not yet made their first payment which was due July 1st, and some who made that are behind on the payment due August 1st. This is a debt of honor on which no one can afford to allow to go by default.

The Coquille W. C. T. U. requests donations of old sheets, pillow cases, and white cotton garments, old outing flannel, white or colored, old table linen and flour sacks—all for use in Red Cross work. Contributions may be left with Mrs. S. V. Epperson or Mrs. H. L. Johnson. If more convenient, the goods will be called for.

Coos county friends have received word that Andy P. Davis, former lumber inspector and later deputy sheriff here, has been promoted to supervisor of the Washington Inland district, embracing about 48 mills. He is making his headquarters at Seattle. He says that the L. W. W. have raised havoc with a number of plants for the time being.

From Manager F. E. McKenna we learn that it is expected to have the new high potency power transmission line between Coquille and Marshfield completed early in October. After that time a revision of the present rates for power and cook stoves will probably be made, but no reduction in the present rates for lighting will be possible.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Trus, parents of F. C. Trus, came in unexpectedly last Saturday evening from their home in Avoca, Iowa, for a visit of three months. Mr. Trus is one of the large farmers of his section of the state and says the corn crop will be a bumper, the hot weather last month being just what was needed to produce the largest yield.

E. D. Graham, who has been on the river and harbor survey work at the Umpqua for several weeks, came in Sunday evening and went out to Roseburg to join Mrs. Graham at her father's place near there. The survey work at the Umpqua has been partially abandoned this year owing to the heavy weather but will be taken up as soon as weather conditions are favorable.

T. B. Currie returned from Tekoa, Washington, Sunday evening and reports that the L. W. W. organization put him out of his job owing to the fact that they have the lumber camps and mills of that section so nearly out of business that the local yard where he was employed had to be closed. He does not know when they will have matters in shape so the yard can be reopened.

L. P. Bransetter, of the Russ Investment Company, last week lost a valuable horse, which he will have some trouble in replacing at this time. The animal had been turned out to pasture at the McAdams place on the Marshfield road and had layed down to roll. She was found on her back in a small ditch and had apparently been unable to roll out and regain her feet after rolling into the ditch. Mr. Bransetter stated he would not have taken \$300 for the animal and that it might cost him more than that to match her mate.

For sale—My home. Six rooms and a bath. Small sum down and easy payments. C. A. Howard.

Boy To Be Arrested at Bridge.

Reports came to Judge Watson Wednesday that a couple of boys at Bridge were breaking into houses and stealing. A warrant has since been issued in the juvenile court for the arrest of Lawrence Flanders, 15 years of age, who is accused of breaking into houses and stealing bacon, eggs and other articles of food and taking them away and cooking them. This boy's parents were divorced and he is mostly rustling for himself now, so that it is not strange that he should make some bad breaks.

Wanted—teams for County Road work at Haines Inlet, Marshfield. \$7 per day, eight hours. Grant Smith & Co.

To Pay on the Tenth.

Mr. F. E. Conway informs us that the creamery here is considering the plan of making payments for milk and cream on the 10th of each month, as the attempt to make payments earlier than that crowds the office force to make the computations and renders it necessary to employ additional help than which is not required for the rest of the month. If the checks do not have to be made out until the 10th the work can be done at a considerable saving and that is the course which will probably be adopted.

Draft List Not Completed.

As soon as the exemption board here has completed the list of men registered in this county in the order of their liability for military service the Sentinel expects to publish it. Until then it would be futile to attempt to make an accurate list. Meantime and until the next draft any man in Coos county between the ages of 21 and 30 years is free to volunteer in any branch of the U. S. service.

Auto Race Against Time.

Today or tonight a pace making car is expected to pass through this county via Allegany, Marshfield and Bandon over the "Seven Devils" route, in the interest of the Military Coast Highway, which is being urged by the Pacific Coast Defence League. The object is to find how quick time can be made down the coast from the Canadian to the Mexican border. The car started from Blaine, Washington, yesterday. It will be transported by steamer from Allegany to Marshfield. Its arrival at the Bay is being anxiously awaited.

Rumors of a Recall.

We hear rumors that recall petitions against the county court are in circulation, with J. O. Stenmler, of Myrtle Point, as candidate to succeed Judge Watson, and C. B. Zeek, of Bandon, and A. E. Shuster, Justice of the peace at North Bend, as candidate for the places now filled by Commissioners Armstrong and Philip. These petitions are reported to be in circulation at Myrtle Point, Powers and Bandon.

The Anderson Business College.

The Anderson Business College will open for the fall term on Monday, September 10. There will be no intermission between the term now in progress and the fall term but new classes in typewriting, shorthand and commercial courses will be started at that time.

Mr. Anderson has been very fortunate in securing the services again of Miss Mary E. Lucas, who returned to Coquille last Sunday evening and is now permanently connected with the Business College, teaching shorthand and typewriting. Her return is greatly appreciated by the students who are now enrolled, as she is one of the best teachers in those courses on the coast.

The students in attendance are doing fine work now, and their interest and enthusiasm for the work is increasing. All indications point to a very successful year for this one of Coquille's newer enterprises.

Fishing and Hunting Guide.

We are in receipt of an attractive booklet, entitled "Camping, Fishing and Hunting Guide," which was compiled by the Forest Service and published by the Southern Pacific Company. The Forest Reserves of Western Oregon with roads, trails, resorts, camping places, mountains, fishing, streams and lakes are described in detail. Complete instructions are given to prepare for a hunting or fishing trip, even to cooking utensils and amount and quantity of food. This booklet contains much useful information regarding Western Oregon and will be invaluable to anyone contemplating a fishing, hunting or camping trip in that territory. Copies can be obtained from any Southern Pacific Agent, or will be furnished on application to the General Passenger Department of the Southern Pacific at Portland.

Items From Curry County.

Gold Beach Reporter. The largest scalp warrant ever issued in this county was secured by W. M. Hunter Friday last. He put in a claim for 596 seal scalps at \$3 a head, and received a warrant for \$1,788.

Messrs. Cummins and Mann, who have been interested in copper properties in the Craggies, were at Wedderburn during the week. They are opening up the property out there, and believe they have a good proposition.

With bad forest fires burning in Douglas, Jackson and Josephine counties, some parts of Coos and some points in Curry, it begins to look as if the time had come when the forestry department was about to reap that immense crop of brush they have been so carefully growing and zealously

protecting in the reserve for the past ten years.

Coos County Gets Lowest Prices.

We have heard the statement that the State Highway Commission discourages the letting of road contracts on force account. And yet on Tuesday the commission let six contracts out of nine made that day on force account. More than that, the amount paid for superintendence was 12 per cent of the preliminary estimate of the cost of the work while in this county force accounts have been let on an 8 per cent basis.

It is a good deal the same as to prices when the commission has recently let contracts on bids. The most recent reports show that earth and soft rock excavation have been let at from 40 to 70 cents by the commission, while Coos county is paying 28 to 34 cents per cubic yard. So also on hard rock excavation, while the state commission is paying \$1.10 and \$1.15, the highest price Coos county is paying is 75 cents per yard.

The more these matters are investigated the better showing Coos county makes.

Invited to Red Cross Meeting.

Mrs. Kate Lando, chairman of Marshfield Red Cross Chapter, has notified Miss Clara Sherwood, chairman of Coquille Auxiliary, that samples of work, sent to San Francisco, have been approved.

Some time during the coming week, Mrs. Kate Lando and Mrs. Carrie Stauff will come to Coquille to instruct us in the work. All ladies interested in the Red Cross work are requested to be present at this meeting to be held at the Red Cross headquarters. Placards will be placed in the post-office and store windows announcing the date of the meeting.

Death of Archibald McNair.

Archibald McNair, formerly one of Bandon's most prominent business men, passed away last Thursday, after four years' illness from paralysis, at the age of 63 years. He was survived by his wife and seven children as follows: Mrs. Ralph Rackleff, Myrtle Point; Mrs. H. E. Boak, Bandon; Mrs. H. L. Hopkins, Edumclaw, Wash.; G. R. McNair, Bandon; Mrs. R. E. Watkins, Fortuna, Cal.; Harry D. McNair, Bandon; and Errol McNair, at present near Walls Walls, Wash.

New Cases in Circuit Court.

Aug. 2—Linnie Ostrander vs. John W. Ostrander. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 6—C. E. Morris vs. Elestie Morris. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 7—First National Bank of North Bend, Charles Thom and Lizzie Thom vs. Coos County and W. W. Gage, Sheriff. Suit for injunction. Suit to forbid the sheriff from charging taxes on personal property property to real estate.

Aug. 8—Laura Humphrey vs. T. J. Humphrey. Suit for divorce.

Aug. 9—A. B. Loud vs. John Doe Callaghan and W. I. Clark, partners doing business as Callaghan & Clark.

STATE SCHOOL FUND.

Some do not seem to understand that there now is school money for loaning in this county in the regular way on farm property, at six per cent interest.

If you want a loan, bring any abstract you may have, a description of your property, and your last tax receipt or assessment list, and call on or phone me at Coquille, No. 41, on other days than Saturday or Monday, when I am apt to be at other places, probably Myrtle Point, where I still maintain an office at the same place, though Mr. Pierson and myself are no longer in partnership. S. D. Pulford, Attorney for State Land Board for Coos County.

Denarius of the Romans.

The denarius, translated penny, was a Roman silver coin in the time of Jesus and his apostles. It was the principal silver coin of the Roman commonwealth. From the parable of the laborers in the vineyard in the twentieth chapter of Matthew it would appear that a denarius was then the ordinary pay for a day's labor.

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