

MINOR MENTION.

Telling About People and Events in the City and County

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Teters were in from Fairview on Wednesday.

County Clerk Inez F. Bunch left last Sunday for Portland for a week's vacation.

I am in the market for 1923 Chittam Bark. Geo. T. Moulton.

Mrs. Lyle Nosler has been enjoying a visit from her sister, Miss Dorothy Orcutt, of Roseburg.

James Ellis and family, who have been living at Norway, moved to Marshfield on Tuesday.

Dr. G. Earl Low reports the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harold K. Hodge, at Fairview, Tuesday night.

Thunder and lightning about midnight last night was accompanied by a rain which left everything wet this morning.

Broken Lenses Duplicated. Glasses Fitted. V. N. Wilson, "Optometrist." Coquille, Oreg. Quick Service.

The Ellingson Undertaking chapel was, last Tuesday, moved on to the lot immediately south of the new Masonic Temple.

We are wrecking one 1918 Model 490 Chevrolet. If you are in the market for second hand parts, see Coquille Service Station.

The continued wet weather this summer is causing the loganberry crop to become mouldy and will materially shorten it.

Jack Arnold this week bought the Roy A. Wernich cottage on the highway, this side of the Wernich home, and will move into it on once.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leneve returned last Friday evening from a trip to Portland, where Mr. Leneve attended the Oregon Postmasters' convention July 4th.

Mrs. A. T. Morrison left this morning for Salem with Andrew Carpenter, a feeble-minded boy from Marshfield, who will be placed in the state institution.

No more cranking your car when you have your battery repaired at Coquille Service Station. All work guaranteed.

Mrs. Ben F. Lawrence came in from Indianapolis, Ind., last Sunday for a visit of several weeks with home folks. Mr. Lawrence will come west early next month.

Herbert Moore and Harold Schuyler, of Crockett, Calif., who came up to Oregon on a camping and vacation trip, are visiting the former's aunt, Mrs. Wm. Grow, at Coaledo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. S. Abernathy, of the East Fork, were probably the ones who came the greatest distance to attend the chautauqua here this week. They stayed until the end.

The Thos. Dungey family is enjoying a visit from his daughter, Mrs. Archie Willard, of Beaumont, Texas. She is a sister of Frank and Alton Dungey, Mrs. Fred McClellan and Mrs. Wm. Graham.

"I saved the price of a new tire this week. I had the Coquille Service Station fix that blow out and now she's like a new one." Better take your old tires to them and have them vulcanized.

Dr. A. L. Howarth, of Portland, secretary of the Portland Area of the Methodist Episcopal church, will speak in the local Methodist Episcopal church, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation extended to everyone.

Mrs. Philip Johnson returned last Friday from a month's visit at her former home in Modesto, Calif. She drove back in a new Maxwell coupe, and was accompanied by her sister, Miss Esther Ramont, who will visit her for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams and family, of Eureka, California, Ray Farrell and family, of Smith River, and Mrs. Edith McCloskey, of Arcata, arrived Tuesday morning to spend a couple of weeks visiting at the home of C. E. McCurdy.

Mrs. Sadie Jayes went to Portland Sunday to meet her sisters, Mrs. Victor Neely, from Ontario, Canada, and Mrs. Daniel Wilson, from Alberta, Canada. They will visit in Portland and Salem and will return to Coquille with Mrs. Jayes for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Osmundson, Mrs. Tracy Leach and son, George Tracy, Mrs. Sarah Wickham, Mrs. Geo. O. Leach, Mrs. Eugene Wickham and daughter, left Tuesday morning in the former's car, for Toledo, Oregon, where they will visit the Ed Moeller family. George and Tracy Leach expect to go up there Sunday to bring their families home next week.

Mrs. J. E. Norton and daughter, Marian, left on the Elizabeth from Bandon Wednesday for San Francisco and from there will go down to San Diego to visit Mrs. Norton's daughter, Mrs. Jessie L. Hite. They will return about September first.

S. D. Clark, of the Lee section, last week brought in two vines of vetch which were ten feet long, showing what Coos county is capable of producing when proper attention is paid to the planting and care of its crops. His vetch field stands nearly shoulder high and is a thing of beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McCormick, Coquille high school teachers, were among those who drove over from Roseburg last week for the Fourth at Marshfield. They came back to Coquille on Friday and remained until Tuesday, visiting friends and also looking for a house for the coming school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Grow, their two daughters, Dorothy and Lois, and Mrs. Grow's sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Hanna, all from Crockett, Calif., left Monday after a week's visit with Mr. Grow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grow, at Coaledo. Mr. Grow is superintendent of the sugar factory at Crockett.

Mrs. Jennie Williams and son, Morris, returned to their home in Medford last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Young and daughters, in their car, and Mrs. J. A. Lamb made the trip with her. The Coquilles returned Monday, making the run from Medford in seven hours, with a half hour out for lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Norton left in their car Monday afternoon for Altan, Calif., where they expect to make their home. Mr. Norton has given up farming for the present and will manage the creamery at Altan, which is in Humboldt county, near Ferndale. We are sorry to lose ranchers of the Norton type from the Coquille valley, but wish him luck in his new position.

E. O. Faustman left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Portland. On his return he and Mrs. Faustman intend leaving Coquille, but have varied their program somewhat from their original intention. They are going east to visit his parents in Detroit, Mich., and relatives of Mrs. Faustman's in Iowa, and will not go down to southern California until late summer or fall.

Rev. H. V. Moore has had as his guests this week Dr. E. J. Harper and family, of Corvallis, and Dr. J. B. Needham and daughter, of Roseburg. Both gentlemen are pastors of M. E. South churches in their respective towns. The former is just building a \$50,000 structure in Corvallis. The party has also visited in Marshfield and Bandon this week. They drove in here from Roseburg on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Knapp drove in Wednesday from Oakland, Calif., for a two weeks' visit with the C. C. Evland and Bert Folsom families. Mr. Knapp is a nephew of Mrs. Evland, and is an alumni of the Coquille high school, having graduated 13 years ago. He and his mother left here at that time and he has since been with the Western Electric Co. in San Francisco, where he holds a responsible position.

Going East Soon

Mrs. R. A. Wernich is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. A. M. Gray, who arrived here from Minneapolis, Minn., yesterday. It is her intention to remain here until Mrs. Wernich disposes of their home on the highway and is ready to start east. Just where they are going to locate, Mrs. Wernich is not certain, but it will be either at Providence, R. I., Springfield, Mass., or Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and probably the latter. Mr. Wernich has been in the east for six weeks and Mrs. Wernich expects to join him some time next month. They may make the trip to the Atlantic seaboard in their Ford sedan.

The Best He Has Heard

J. M. Heckart, superintendent in charge of the building of the new hotel, stated to a Sentinel representative Wednesday evening at the chautauqua that he had seen several of the Ellison-White chautauqua programs at Roseburg, Medford and elsewhere this summer, and that the entertainments provided here by the Cadmean people on Tuesday and Wednesday night surpassed anything he had seen before this year.

Two Insane This Week

Norman G. Peterson, of Prosper, was adjudged insane in probate court on Wednesday and was this morning taken out to Salem by an attendant, who arrived yesterday afternoon.

Another insane man was taken in charge by the sheriff yesterday, but because of illness he has not yet been brought over from North Bend. His name is Bob Henderson and he has been a resident of North Bend for 16 years.

Coquille Stands at .500

Standing of the Teams	P	W	L	PC
Marshfield	6	5	1	.833
Coquille	6	3	3	.500
Bandon	6	3	3	.500
North Bend	6	1	5	.167

The close of the first half of the season of the Coos county league shows Marshfield leading with a margin of two wins, while Coquille and Bandon are tied for second place, and North Bend just edged into the win column. With the addition of new players it is anticipated that the race in the second half will be much closer, and that no club will have a walk-away.

Singularly enough, the only game North Bend won in the past six weeks was the only game which Marshfield lost, Marshfield winning from both Bandon and Coquille twice, which teams won from North Bend twice apiece. But it is the uncertainties of baseball which make it the great American sport. The breaks also have much to do with the results when two evenly matched teams meet, and Coquille certainly did not get the breaks when opposing Marshfield.

Last Sunday Marshfield and Bandon played another extra inning game at the latter place, which Marshfield won, 12 to 10. It was a harder hitting game than was the one the week previous, the Bay team securing 18 safe ones to Bandon's 15. Obelman, considered by many the best pitcher in the league (an opinion not shared by Coquille fans) had to retire in the sixth, and Fitchner got credit for the win.

Speaking of the Coquille team, which he defeated in one game, Coleman says that he never had to work harder than he did in that game, for every one of the locals is a slugger and there wasn't a man he could ease up on. That's what wears a pitcher out quicker than anything else.

Coquille won the game from North Bend over at the Bay last Sunday by a score of 5 to 1. Leonetti, North Bend's new left hander, only allowed five hits, but two of them were for extra bases, one a double by Thomas, and the other a home run by Hobson. Tuma pitched for Coquille and although he was touched for nine hits, he kept them well scattered and the boys played errorless ball behind him. Altogether, it was a classy ball game and kept the fans interested throughout.

Feldman, the player secured to take Carl King's place behind the bat, the latter being unable to work on account of his sore foot, showed up well and got one nice hit out of three times up. He was with the Salt Lake Bees earlier this season.

The following is the box score and summary:

Coquille	ab	r	h	p	a
Smith, 2b	2	0	1	3	5
Mensor, cf	4	1	0	3	1
Fortier, lf	3	0	0	2	1
Thomas, 1b	4	0	1	10	2
Slade, ss	3	1	0	2	0
Hobson, 3b	4	1	1	3	0
Feldman, c	3	2	1	1	0
Tuma, p	3	0	1	2	3
Carson, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	5	5	26	14

*Reid called out on infield fly.

North Bend	ab	r	h	p	a
Prye, 3b	5	0	2	1	2
Grant, 2b	2	0	0	2	8
Hecker, ss	5	0	1	2	4
White, 1b	5	1	1	17	0
Devine, cf	1	0	1	3	1
Reid, cf	3	0	0	1	0
Pillette, lf	4	0	1	0	0
Strader, c	4	0	1	1	1
Leonetti, p	3	0	2	0	1
Maddock*	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	9	27	17

*Maddock batted for Leonetti in 9th.

Coquille 1 1 0 0 0 2 0 0 1-5

North Bend 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0-1

Summary—Earned runs, North Bend 1, Coquille 5. Home run, Hobson. Two base hit, Thomas. Struck out, by Leonetti 1, by Tuma 1. Double play, Devine to Fry. Hit by pitcher, Devine by Tuma. First on balls, of Leonetti 5, off Tuma 5. Left on bases, Coquille 5, North Bend 12. Stolen bases, Smith, Feldman, White. Sacrifice fly, Slade. Sacrifice hits, Grant, Tuma. Time of game one hour 43 minutes. Umpires, Billy Wilson, Mike Burke. Scorer, Walter F. Oerding.

Hay Insurance

The Oregon Fire Relief Association, of McMinnville, Oregon, will write insurance on cut hay in barns in Coos county at the following rates: \$.80 per \$100 insurance for one year and \$1.00 per \$100 insurance for three years, (to this must be added \$1.00 for each policy written). Thus \$1,000.00 insurance for one year would cost \$9.00 and for three years \$17.00.

Write to Geo. C. Huggins, Box 808, Marshfield, Oregon, agent for Coos and Curry counties.

The Sentinel and the Oregon Farmer both for \$2.15 a year.

Bandon Wants 60-40 Now

A county baseball meeting was held in the city hall here last evening, with a good representation from Bandon, Marshfield and North Bend and many Coquille spectators. The meeting was called by O. W. Briggs, president of the league, at the request of the Bandon club, which has suffered a change of heart and wants the gate receipts of all games split 60 and 40 per cent, between the home and visiting team.

Coquille has taken the stand that a division of the gate was the only fair system, all year, and had Bandon stood with her a couple of months ago the city by the sea would not have been so badly in the hole as she is.

It was thrown up to the Bandon representatives at the meeting last night, that they opposed the split earlier this year, and H. J. McDiarmid replied that they had and it was the mistake they ever made.

The Bay representatives asked for time to consult the fans at home before the proposition was put to a vote, and they promised to hold meetings in Marshfield and North Bend tonight and let the river clubs know their decision by tomorrow.

Coquille was not asking for the split gate at this time, but as Dr. Low stated, he had always felt that the funds should be so divided, and he would not change his vote now, even though Coquille has made arrangements which will enable it to go through the season.

The work of the umpires has not been altogether satisfactory this summer, so all were let go and Jiggs Leslie and Mike Burke re-employed. Art Berg and Jack Poland, of Myrtle Point, were the other two selected.

Why the Juice Goes Off

Mr. Z. E. Merrill, assistant to the general manager of the Mountain States Power Co., from Albany, Ore., in company with Clinton Arshibald, manager of the local office, and Walter Asplund, of the Marshfield office, were callers at the Sentinel office this afternoon.

Mr. Merrill states that the company realizes that the public is entitled to know what has caused the frequent stoppage of service lately and he furnishes us a half column article which we are unable to use this week. He says that equipment, which will greatly benefit the system, and which was promised for delivery June 1, has just arrived and as it is installed the power must be frequently shut off. This stoppage may continue until Sept. 1, at intervals, but after that Coos county should enjoy a better service than we have ever had before.

A Splendid Performer

One of the best attractions of the chautauqua was the contortion exhibition given by Miss Dena Ellingson, who was assisted in part by Doris Kay. Miss Ellingson, who has appeared before a Coquille audience on previous occasions, is self taught along that line, and shows great ability. Her feats of passing rings around her body and allowing Doris to walk across her body, as she lay suspended with neck on one chair and feet on another were marvelous and the equal of many circus performers. It is doubtful if all the audience realized the difficult nature of all the stunts she performed.

Saw the Eugene Wreck

John E. Perrott returned yesterday morning from a business trip to Portland, where he bought new stock for the Variety Shop. He was on the train going up Sunday which struck a car at the same crossing where the Pickwick stage was hit on Saturday resulting in the death of two women. The stage wreck was still lying alongside the track. It was completely demolished, the body and running gear all being torn loose from the frame. The car which was struck on Sunday was not much damaged, except for having a front wheel and fender torn off.

In Jail on Serious Charge

Archie Stoy, recently from Aberdeen, Wash., is in jail here, being held under \$500 bonds, which he has been unable to furnish. The charge against him is lewd co-habitation and a more serious one of violating the white slave law may be brought against him. He had been bound over to the grand jury.

Stoy came to North Bend a few weeks ago with Mrs. Myrtle Grant, and when his wife appeared on the scene, the first of this week, Mrs. Grant attempted suicide by taking poison. She is expected to recover.

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STATIONERS

LETTER WRITING LOST ART?

Women of Today No Longer Distributors of Family News; Lovers Use the Telephone.

A generation ago the unmarried women of the family spent much of their leisure keeping in touch with wanderers from the domestic fold by means of weekly letters—pages crossed, and, alas, recrossed in a thin script.

The family was bound by these letters of remembrance and news into the proverbial bundle of sticks and the answers from India, Australia and the outermost isles were stored by the old maids in drawers that had a scent of homemade potpourri.

Today there are no old maids, writes G. A. Dawson Scott in the continental edition of the London Mail. Instead, we have social workers and politicians and artists, trimly dressed, efficient women who spend what time they have after their work is done in keeping themselves in health by strenuous exercises. No longer are they an organization for the distribution of family news.

Nor do the young people do their love-making by letter. They are busy working, dancing, playing games and at odd moments they will call up the beloved on the telephone—which has at least the advantage of carrying the inflections of the voice, giving the chuckle and gurgle of laughter.

The post brings to the breakfast tray a number of white, gray and blue envelopes, but it is seldom that one of them contains that personal communication with a note of human feeling that alone can be dignified with the name of letter. However, it is true that hope is dauntless and undying. A wistfulness is behind the knife with which we slit open the envelope to draw out—invitations, suggested appointments, bills, receipts.

And sometimes, even in our hurried lives, we write the tender dream that lies behind our haste, and some lucky

—and, let us hope, appreciative—soul finds it among the white litter on the tray.

Such a letter is to most people a reminder of their loneliness and the crowd—a hint that others are equally solitary.

I imagine that until the last breath has been breathed people will be glad of the sudden sunlight that such a letter brings into the closed room of life—something to warm limbs already growing cold.

Nor do I think it matters from whom comes the little glowing scrap. Any soul that offers human affection makes us think that if we so love there may be behind the fog in which we have our being a great caring from which originally the little caring sprang.

Dynamite Kills Blight.

Down from the Powell fair comes a story about defending the melon patch from the blight. One exhibitor was asked whether he had trouble of that sort. "Never," he said. Urged to explain his method he replied "dynamite." "You don't blow 'em up?" inquired his anxious hearers. And then he proceeded to explain that he simply burned the pulverized explosive in his patches about the time the blight was expected. A blow will explode dynamite while a match may be applied to it and it will burn slowly. And it makes a heavy smoke as it burns that will lie close to the ground and float around among the plants. And it will kill all other pests, said the grower—"I bar none." Worth trying, but better be sure you know just how to handle dynamite.—Milwaukee Journal.

Increase Value of Citizen.

Good roads are to be urged principally for the same reason that good schools are maintained; namely, because they increase the intelligence and value of the citizen to society.

See the Liberty Theatre program on page three.

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