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Brady-Strang

Wm. E. Brady and Miss Zelma C. Strang stole a march on a big majority of their friends by being married at her home last Sunday morning at 6:30 and then taking the eight o'clock train for a week's honeymoon-trip to Portland.

Rev. H. V. Moore, of the M. E. Church South, performed the ceremony, and there were present the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Strang, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCloskey, Miss Edna Robinson, and Mrs. "Pat" Easley, of Powers, a sister of the groom.

The ceremony was followed by a wedding breakfast at home, after which the happy couple were driven to the depot before most people were up.

The bride is one of Coquille's beautiful and popular young ladies who was born and raised in city. The groom was also raised in Coos county, although his parents now live at Grants Pass. He is an employe at the Coquille Valley Creamery and highly regarded by his employer and all who know him.

They have secured one of the E. G. Opperman apartments on North Henry, where they will make their home on their return the first of next week.

The wedding coming so early in the morning, Mr. McCloskey was evidently afraid it might occur before his arrival and to make sure that he was present at the nuptials of his two employes he arrived at the Strang residence about five o'clock. The bride has been until recently book-keeper at the creamery.

St. Patrick's Day Party

"St. Patrick's Day in the Morning" was celebrated Monday evening at the Fred Belloni home on South Coulter street, Miss Emma Jo Stewart and Miss Ruth Nissen being hostesses to the G. N. G. club. Puzzles, turtle races, and conundrums entertained the guests and created much rivalry and hilarity. Mrs. Bertha J. Smith, Miss Agnes Whetstone, Miss LaVerne Lamb and Miss Maymie DeLong were among the prize winners, green snakes and other appropriate awards being given. The refreshments also carried out the spirit of the day, being in green and white.

The following guests were present: Mrs. Bertha J. Smith, Misses Agnes Whetstone, Myrtle and Maymie DeLong, Bess Maury, Vina Cronk, Anne Henriksen, Emma Rasmussen, Thora Pederson, Marian Young, Ella Horn, Mabel Eisamen, Edna Asplund, La Verne Lamb and her mother, Mrs. Lamb.

Teachers' Institute Today

The Coquille schools are closed today while the teachers are attending the institute at Marshfield. Local Coos county problems are all that will come up for discussion, although the superintendent of schools at Ashland will deliver an address.

Mrs. Alice B. Maloney, president of the State Business Women's Clubs, is also to address the institute. That organization is doing a most worth while work in making a survey of high school and grade students with the idea of learning what their objective is after their school days are over. They are also making a campaign along the line of getting all students to take the high school course before entering business life, and the organization is preparing to help students, who could not otherwise finish high school.

Tomorrow another institute will be held at Bandon.

Nearly Wrecked by Thief

Last Sunday evening, just about dusk, J. A. Brockman was returning from Marshfield in his Chevrolet, and as he crossed the Cunningham bridge, a car whizzed past him and cut in so close that Mr. Brockman killed his engine in stopping. At that he nearly went over the grade. He started after the careless driver in a hurry and down on Taylor street left his car and got in with Traffic Officer Williams who speeded his Ford up to 45 and drove to Bridge without ever glimpsing the runaway.

They gave up the chase there but had they known the car was a stolen Chevrolet they would have continued to Roseburg. That fact was learned after their return on receipt of word from the Bay.

At Myrtle Point the thief nearly ran over Marshal Smith, who tried to intercept him, but he escaped and has not been heard of since nor the car recovered.

Stolen Car Near Powers

A car stolen from Roseburg two weeks ago was located, three miles south of Broadbent by the sheriff's office and returned to its owner, according to Sheriff E. P. Ellingsen, who was in town Monday. The car was found on the Myrtle Point-Powers road but not clues were discovered of the parties who took it.—News.

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

Bandon Plant to Move

Ben Ostlund and his superintendent have returned from Bandon, where they made a big deal in the purchase of machinery and equipment for the new addition to their plant, says the Coos Bay Times.

The Bandon Cedar Manufacturing company has ceased operations and will liquidate. Practically all of the machinery has been purchased by the Coos Veneer & Box company of Marshfield and will be moved to the plant owned by the purchasers in that city.

The Bandon factory was located in the old woolen mill on the waterfront of that city. The company made good but on account of the fire hazard would have had to move to a new building to continue operations, so closed business.

The factory had quite a large payroll. Those interested in the plant were J. H. Dalen, the manager, and O. L. Zentner, F. S. Perry and Jack Kronenberg. Mr. Dalen will engage in the sawmill business at Coquille or Myrtle Point. Messrs. Perry and Zentner will take one of the veneer machines to the Perry veneer plant, which they operate and the rest of the machinery will go to Marshfield.

Larson's Report on Highway

N. H. Larson, of Port Orford passed through Coquille Monday on his way home from Portland. Mr. Larson attended the special meeting of the state highway commission as a representative of the Coos-Curry-Del Norte Good Roads association.

The commission advertised for bids for two pieces of the Roosevelt highway. One stretch is of about a mile from the Windchuck bridge and a short distance on the north side of the bridge. The other stretch is for about 2.5 miles at Myers Creek which will eliminate a bad hill.

Mr. Larson says that two surveys have been made from the old cemetery to Rogue river. One goes through the gap above Wedderburn and the other skirts the ocean to Wedderburn.

Democratic Endorsements

About twenty-five democrats held a meeting in the Coquille Hotel here Monday to consider plans for the coming campaign. The following is the list of those who were endorsed by the assemblage: For County Clerk, A. B. Collier; for County Commissioner—Chas. Mahaffey, of Coos River; for County Surveyor, E. L. Vinton.

W. W. Gage, of Coquille, and Walter Richardson, of Marshfield, have both announced themselves as candidates for sheriff, but no endorsement was made for that office by the democrats, which included representatives from Myrtle Point, Bandon, Coquille, Marshfield and North Bend.

Appointments to West Point

The following appointments have been made to fill two vacancies in the United States Military Academy at West Point from the First Congressional District of Oregon:

Principals: Ronald S. Haines, Salem, Oregon.

Richard Middlebrooks, Beaverton, Oregon.

First Alternates: John F. Wadman, Powers, Oregon; Lowell L. Hall, Eugene, Oregon.

Second Alternates: James H. Mills, Jr., North Bend, Oregon; George W. Moses, Jr., Corvallis, Oregon.

Death of Henry Oxenrider

Henry Oxenrider, 72 years old, North Coos river rancher, died at the home of his son, Charles E. Oxenrider, at 287 Commercial Ave., Marshfield, Wednesday morning at 4:30. His death came as a result of a severe attack of heart trouble sustained last Thursday at his home on Coos river. James Harding, trained nurse, who has been attending the old man, believes that a stroke of paralysis came, which brought instant death. He leaves a widow, two sons and six grandchildren, says the Coos Bay Times.

Lumber Cargo Attached

The cargo of lumber on the sailing vessel W. H. Talbot now in port at Coos Bay was attached by Deputy Sheriff Sam Malehorn Monday. The attachment is in connection with a suit in Portland for \$2116.81. The suit was started by the Oregon Export Import Lumber company against the Canadian Trading company. The suit does not affect the vessel but simply the cargo which the vessel had loaded for the defendant in the suit.

Took Big Contract

Gus and Bill Wallace, of Gardiner, while hunting shot a mother bear and captured her two cubs which they are keeping at home and attempting to tame, says a press dispatch.

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Oscar Wilde Was Stage Door Johnny Years Ago

At the time when Mrs. Langtry was at the zenith of her fame and beauty Oscar Wilde, just out of Oxford university, came to London, poor but proud.

He fell in love with the Jersey Lily as all men did, bought one exquisite blossom every evening at Covent Garden market, marched across London holding it in front of him with the amazing self-consciousness that he afterward parodied so well, waited on the curbstone outside the theater to open the door of her carriage and then handed his tribute of adoration in silent ecstasy.

For a time there was something rather touching in the gallantry of this knightly deed, and Mrs. Langtry accepted the inevitable gift from the tall, large-eyed, long-haired, insatiable youth with pleasure.

But the deadly monotony of these evening presentations, and the regular sight of his worshipping figure looming in the shadows as she left the theater, got eventually on her nerves and Wilde was begged to go away.

Shocked and wounded, he continued however, to hang about night after night in the deepest melancholy gloom until at last, taking pity on his passionate plight, Mrs. Langtry sent out word that he might renew his wordless attentions and once more allow herself to be handed out of her carriage by the man who originated the now so popular method of saying "I with flowers."—Cosmo Hamilton, in the Saturday Evening Post.

Gay Stars Presage Fate.

Breton seamen have great belief in the stars, and disconsolate indeed is he who sees in the heavens at night just one star. It is to him "the lone star" presaging his passing on. The Persians have a belief that the stars are the ghosts of men and the Australian bushmen have a saying that "Good men become stars," which is akin to the Teutonic saying that "Stars are souls, and when a child dies God makes a new star."

Practice of Touching Wood Ancient Custom

Many people, after they have touched of their good luck, proceed to "touch wood." So did our remote ancestors, the tree worshippers.

An authority on such matters wrote: "The remarkable similarity in customs all over Europe points to an important element in the early religion of mankind, especially of the Aryan stock, and the singularly uniformity of rites and ceremonies which can easily be shown to exist in widely separated countries warrants us in believing that they cannot have changed much from very remote ages; and that the practices continued down to a very recent period—some even among ourselves—were substantially identical with the rites and ceremonies observed by Egyptians, Etruscans, Greeks and Romans."

The primitive belief was that spirits resided in trees. Without this basic idea being entirely lost there came the period of the sacred groves and the Druids' oaks, and then the dedication of certain sorts of trees to the earliest and simplest form of the superstition.

We touch wood to call the attention of the tree spirit to the fact that we recognize his influence in the good luck of which we boast and in order that he may not feel slighted and change our good fortune into bad; at least, that is why our ancestors touched wood.—London Tit-Bits.

Boomerangs.

Boomerang-like objects are claimed by some to have existed in ancient Egypt and Assyria, and it may be that certain bone objects which belonged to prehistoric man were used in the same manner as boomerangs. This weapon was used by the Australian bushmen. It averages 2 1/2 feet in length by 2 1/2 inches in width. It is made of the green wood of the acacia, or some other hard wood, treated with fire. In India, boomerangs are made of ivory or steel, and are generally sickle-shaped.



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First American Money Made of Clam Shells

The proprietor of "a ranch on Cape Cod" has found traces of a trading station established at Bourne, or Manomet, in the year of the Pilgrims, 1627. At this trading post American money was first invented as a device for making trade more convenient. This post was established for trade between the Pilgrims on one side and the Indians and the Dutch New Yorkers on the other.

In the course of time they invented wampum, which was to have a stable, fixed value at all times. Wampum was a piece of quahog (clam) shell cut into a certain shape and well polished. One piece of quahog shell represented a certain fixed value.—Detroit News.

Dairymaids Are Scientists.

The modern dairymaid, the girl student from the agricultural college or domestic science school, is verily a scientist. She is a bacteriologist and a specialist in the art of bottling milk and churning butter. With her scientific knowledge as to why churned cream makes butter, what temperatures are best and when to dash the churn inside with cold water—or brine she can literally give her old-fashioned country sister "cards and spades" when it comes to taking full charge of a dairy.

Everything Comes, Etc.
 Everything comes to those who wait. The rich man has ice in summer, but the poor man has just as much in winter.