

## MINOR MENTION.

### Telling About People and Events in the City and County

Have your Sunday dinner at the new Coquille Hotel. Per plate \$1.25.

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The \$10,000 libel suit of A. K. Peck against the Coos Bay Times is to be heard here next Tuesday.

Miss Rosa Frettenberg has been employed to teach the Haynes Inlet school which holds a summer session.

L. L. Graham, the genial district traffic agent of the Southern Pacific, was a caller at the Sentinel yesterday.

Bert S. Clark, of Portland, called on the Sentinel last Saturday, as a representative of the Western Newspaper Union's Portland house.

The Coos County Bar Association will have their annual meeting and banquet at Bandon on Saturday evening of next week, Feb. 23.

Have blue prints of five and six room bungalows. See me if you are interested. B. C. Minard. During day time at Carrier Warehouse. 512\*

Geo. Moulton, M. J. Hartson and Hugh Harlocker went down to Elk river Tuesday in hopes of getting a little steelhead fishing, but they found the water too high and the fish not biting at all.

Mrs. E. N. Harry left Wednesday noon by the Coast Auto Lines for Portland in response to a telegram. Her grandson, Neva Ralph Noah, who is attending the Benson Polytechnic there is seriously ill.

We are a couple of weeks late in reporting the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Mac Kelley on February 6. This week Mr. Shelley moved his family back to their ranch near the city's big dam on Rink creek.

The Rebekahs will hold a social evening following the regular lodge session Wednesday, Feb. 25th, in honor of the members, whose birthdays occur in January and February. All members are requested to be present.

Glenn Parr, brother of L. A. Parr, of this city, was here Tuesday afternoon. He came in from Corvallis the day before and intends to stay at Marshfield, where he has made arrangements to conduct a chemical plant.

Mrs. D. L. Watson, whose home is with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Tuttle, has been falling quite rapidly recently and yesterday was in a very serious condition. Lack of ability to assimilate food is one cause of her weakened condition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Norton drove in here last Saturday for a ten day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Lund. Their home is in Alton, Calif., and they were returning from a trip to Portland. They expect to leave for home Monday.

R. M. Presey, of Bandon, who is assisting in preparing the matter for the special edition of the Western World expects to publish soon, was a caller in Coquille yesterday morning. He says that the big edition will probably be out the second week in March.

The Home Missionary society of the M. E. Church will meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Penix Thursday, Feb. 26, at 2 p. m. Everybody interested in this work is invited to come and help to make this a profitable as well as a pleasant meeting.

Two settings of eggs for \$25.00, cockerels hatched from these eggs are at the head of M. H. Hersey's barred rock flock; the very best he can buy. He has two of these he will still sell very reasonably. Also he has hatching eggs for \$1.00 setting up. 1\*1f

The St. James' Episcopal Guild will give their annual Washington Tea on Monday, Feb. 23, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Bell, from 2 to 5 p. m. A program has been arranged for this occasion. A general invitation is extended to the public.

A young dog had a set with a wild cat on Dr. Boyd's farm last Sunday. The doctor's nephew had shot the varmint and thought he would give the dog a chance to finish, but had to shoot it a second time to keep the pup from getting the worst of it.

Mrs. A. L. Nosler, who has been very low the past week and was not expected to live, passed a very good night last night, and seemed a little more rested this morning. Her trouble is heart and bronchial, and no hope is held out that she can live many days more.

Mrs. H. N. Lorenz received word the first of this week that her sister's husband, Dr. L. L. Mahan, died in Baltimore last Sunday. Their home

is in Hempstead, Texas. Dr. Mahan's last visit here was in 1905, but his wife visited here last summer and has many friends here who will regret to hear of her loss.

J. Fred Schroeder is in a very serious condition now and is confined to his bed all the time. A couple of weeks ago he became blind in both eyes. When a younger man he set 80 years as the age he was determined to attain and after passing that milestone last September he has become weaker more rapidly.

Cut flowers and pot plants; funeral work a specialty. Leave your orders with Gould & Gould, agents. Marshfield Florist Co. 392\*

### An Alarm Clock Story

This is the story of an alarm clock. Not the kind that you have to wind every evening and which continues an intermittent ringing in the morning, but one that is just as effective.

Exactly at 7:10 every morning a motor cycle goes pop-popping down from Spurgeon street and the good folks up there know it is time to arise.

But one night not long ago the machine and its rider did not get in until about two o'clock. All over the hill lights began to shine forth as the fire builder prepared to slip into his clothes, and one prominent citizen, who lives in a large square house and holds an official position, was so firmly convinced of the infallibility of this volunteer alarm clock that he went downstairs, built a fire and started breakfast before looking at his watch.

It was 2:10.

### Coquille Girls at U. of O.

Among the women who are swimming in the inter-house meets at the University of Oregon are several Coos county girls. Miss Alice Douglas, of Marshfield, will swim on the Pi Beta Phi team. Miss Myrtle Mast, of Coquille, will also swim for Pi Beta Phi. Miss Adrienne Hazard, of Coquille, is swimming for Kappa Alpha Theta. Miss Emily Houston is on the Sigma Beta Phi team. Miss Viona Pyritz, of Reedsport, is swimming for Susan Campbell hall.

### Two Big Eggs

Jim Davis has on display at Dunham's Grocery two large eggs laid by one of his Langshan pullets this month. The first one of unusual size was 6-1/4 x 7-5/8 inches in circumference and was laid Feb. 6. A few days later she beat that record and dropped one which showed on the tape 8-5/8 inches the long way and 6-7/8 the short way, in circumference. Who has one to beat that?

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### Lafolot Club Meeting

The Lafolot Club met with Mrs. Simmons yesterday. The ladies present were Mesdames O. T. Nelson, Jas. Shaffer, D. F. Thompson, Jas. N. Jacobsen, J. P. Jacobsen, M. P. Jacobsen, Ed. Dettlefsen, C. K. Kime, F. F. Schram, Geo. Gilman, L. A. Wimer, W. E. Cross, and the hostess. They will meet again in two weeks with Mrs. Thompson.

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### Down to High Grade Coal

T. M. Keller, who has spent a great many thousands of dollars developing the coal property north of the Masonic cemetery, says that the company sold 694 tons of coal last year while they were doing the preliminary work of getting down to the best coal. Their shaft is now down 362 feet and they are nearly ready to begin shipping to Portland.

He has made application to the Southern Pacific for a permit to load coal on to the cars alongside the Cedar Point stock corral.

### This Is An Off Year

The Sentinel had been banking on the fortnight of fine weather we are accustomed to have in February if the winter has been dark and stormy before, but it seems that "all signs fail" in wet weather as well as in dry and we have probably been lucky to get a few pleasant days this month.

### Building Contractor

I have located here permanently and will make building and contract work a specialty. B. C. Minard, at Lyman Carrier Building. 325\*

## THE FATHERS AND SONS' BANQUET

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as did Mr. Leach.

### Card of Thanks

In behalf of the Coquille Boy Scouts of America we wish to thank all those who helped to make the Community Father and Son Banquet last Friday night a success. We are especially grateful to the toastmaster, Mr. J. L. Smith, and the speakers, Dr. J. E. Snyder, of North Bend, Mr. E. E. Johnson, Layton Nosler and Clarence Barton. We remember the kindness of all the business men who helped furnish food-stuffs and chickens. Most of all, perhaps, we are indebted to Mrs. C. C. Farr and the ladies who arranged and served the banquet.

Signed,

Clarence Bean, Senior Patrol Leader.  
Billie King, Scout Scribe.

### Judge Evans to Be Here

Judge Walter H. Evans, of Portland, will be one of the principal speakers at Coos County Bar association banquet in Bandon February 28. Judge Evans is coming next Tuesday to handle all jury cases of the February circuit court term here. The business meeting of the association will be held at 3 p. m. and will be followed by the banquet. A Bandon committee is preparing the program.

### Repairing Front Street

Street Commissioner Frank Dungey and a crew of men have been busy this week cutting out a large section of the pavement which had gone to pieces at the intersection of Front and Willard streets, and putting new concrete in its place. There are other sections of West Front which need similar treatment as well as on Second street, especially where the paved highway enters the business section.

### River "Ra'ts" Nuisances

One of the most remarkable of the Mississippi rafts began forming in the Atchafalaya, a lower arm of the river in 1778. By 1816 it had become a miles long, more than 600 feet in width, and 8 feet deep. It was so solid as to support a growth of trees, some of which were 90 feet in height. Finally the state of Louisiana had to remove the obstruction at great expense, the work occupying four years. The United States government has since that time removed a raft which blocked the channel of the Red river for 45 miles.

### Demonstration Sought

A tramp called at the house of a blunt farmer and asked for food and old clothes.

"You appear to be a stout, hearty-looking man," said the farmer; "what do you do for a living?"

"Why, not much," replied the fellow, "except travel about from one place to another."

"Travel about, ha!" rejoined the farmer; "can you travel pretty well?"

"Oh, yes," returned the beggar. "I'm pretty good at that."

"Well, then," said the farmer, "let's see you travel."

### Fortified

One Sunday morning a southern pastor noticed a new attendant at the services.

When the meeting was over the preacher made it his business to speak to the newcomer.

"Bastus," he said, "this is the first time I have seen you at church for a long time. I'm mighty glad to see you here."

"I had to come," replied Bastus. "I needs strengthening, I've got a job whitewashin' a chicken coop and buildin' a fence around a watermelon patch."

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## 1925 Football Schedule

The high school principals and coaches of the county met here last Saturday morning and adopted the football schedule for the 1925 season, as follows:

October 3

Coquille at Myrtle Point.

Bandon at North Bend.

Roseburg at Marshfield.

October 10

Bandon at Coquille.

Grants Pass at Marshfield.

October 17

Marshfield at Coquille.

Myrtle Point at Bandon.

Albany at North Bend.

October 24

Marshfield at Bandon.

North Bend at Myrtle Point.

October 31

Bandon at Myrtle Point.

North Bend at Coquille.

Marshfield at Medford.

November 7

North Bend at Bandon.

Myrtle Point at Coquille.

November 11

North Bend at Marshfield.

November 14

Myrtle Point at North Bend.

November 21

Coquille at North Bend.

Marshfield at Myrtle Point.

It will be noted that the practice of holding some of the games on Friday has been abandoned.

Another new regulation which is for the benefit of the smaller schools of the county is the split of gate receipts. This year the home team will receive 60 per cent of the admission totals, and pay all expenses, and the visiting teams will receive 40 per cent. This rule was not adopted without some opposition on the part of North Bend.

According to the schedule Coquille gets one holiday date, that game being at Marshfield on Thanksgiving day.

### Auvergne Hills Traced

to Volcanic Uplifts  
Although the hills of Auvergne in France do not rise to the altitude of the Alps or the Pyrenees, they have peculiar characteristics of their own. They were born and molded amid great volcanic upheavals. The ice king may govern the glaciers, but here the fire king has reigned, says the Springfield Republican.

The Monte-Dome are one long chain of linked volcanoes, say as least as the mountains in the moon. Nearly sixty gaping craters may still be counted. Even the Monte Dore and the Cantal hills, whose cone-shaped summits, the highest in Auvergne, stand out so impressively in the distance, are but the time-worn ruins of huge volcanoes.

All the country round about bears lasting traces of its dramatic past; beds of lava hidden by the fresh, green turf; dark pillars, like the famous "Orgues de Bort"; giant causeways; odd dikes that might be dusky Druid stones; "sucs" and "puys" that might be the pustules of a fever-stricken earth—such are the features which give this central region a strange individuality that has been further intensified by the hand of man.

### Twelfth Night Customs

#### Kept Up in England

Many strange and curious rites and customs have long been connected with the observance of Twelfth night. Twelfth night is the evening before Epiphany, the 6th of January, also called Twelfthtide and Old Christmas day.

In England the principal rite of the evening is the cutting of the "bean cake"—a cake in which a bean is cooked, the finder of which is made the king of the night and the following day.

It was in commemoration of this custom that Robert Baddely, an English comedian of the Eighteenth century, who was long a favorite at the Drury Lane theater, made one of the strangest bequests on record. Baddely died in 1794, and in his will he bequeathed his cottage to a theatrical fund, requesting that a sum of three pounds be annually expended on a cake, to be cut on Twelfth night, in the Green room of the Drury Lane theater, and divided among the actors and actresses.

### Great Naval Station

Malta has an area of 118 square miles and a population of 224,080. This includes the neighboring islands of Gozo and Comino. Malta was annexed to Great Britain, with the free will of the Maltese, in 1814 by the treaty of Paris. It has an elected legislature, but there are certain reserved matters, such as war, treaties, foreign trade, etc., which are dealt with by the governor and executive council. Exports include potatoes and other vegetables, oranges, cumin seed, goats and sheep, cotton goods and stone. The distance of Malta from New York is about 4,800 miles. This group of islands is situated in the Mediterranean sea, 90 miles from Sicily, 140 miles from the European mainland and 180 miles from Africa. It has a magnificent natural harbor at Valetta and an ideal situation as a coaling station and center of Mediterranean commerce. It is England's premier naval station in that sea.

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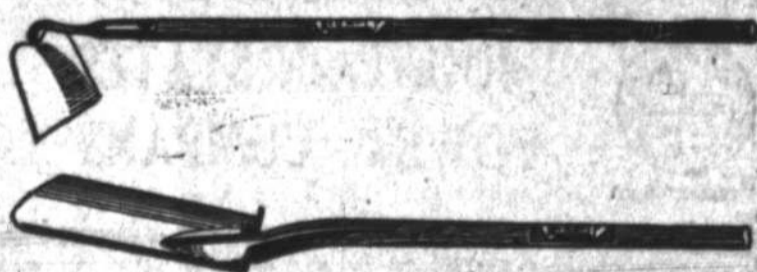
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