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Three Lorenz Burglars Caught

Wilbur St. Clair, of this city, was placed under arrest last Saturday evening for complicity in the robbery of the H. N. Lorenz store last month. Sunday morning he and Harvey Miller, arrested in Portland, were quizzed by the deputy sheriffs and they told the whole story. A couple of suit cases full of the plunder were found in a shack on a ranch not far from town, where the young men said they could be found, and Ray Olson, implicated by them in the burglary, was arrested in Los Angeles that day with more of the loot. He admitted the theft.

Deputy Sheriff Bohrer, accompanied by Mrs. Bohrer and "Penny" Sturdivant, left Monday morning in the former's car for the southern California metropolis and are expected back with Olson next week. The latter had spent considerable time in Coquille before going south.

Miller and St. Clair, waived grand jury investigation, and in Circuit court on Tuesday entered pleas of guilty. Judge Brand sentenced Miller to five years in the pen and St. Clair to two.

The former is an ex-convict, but the latter might have been paroled in the custody of his father had it been in the judge's power to do so.

Coos River Has Good Team

W. V. Ferguson refereed a basketball game at Powers last Saturday night between Coos River and Powers high schools, the former winning, 29 to 15. It was a good game and Mr. Ferguson says the Coos River team will make some of the League A teams weep this year.

Past Year at the Library

The Library Board held its last monthly meeting on Jan. 2 and a discussion of the achievements of the past as well as plans for the future was the business of the day.

Mrs. Ellingsen gave the year's report on circulation and we note the following: Books loaned in 1927—11,546; in 1928—14,982. An increase of 3,437. Nearly 15,000 books borrowed last year and only about 1,000 books available and desirable for circulation in the library. This stresses better than any words of the writer, the crying need of more books next year.

Among other accomplishments for the year worthy of note is the fact that the library room has been greatly beautified by the addition of cheerful curtains and draperies, bright cushions, flower pots, vases, posters and pictures. Book shelves have been have been re-arranged and lowered and the providing of additional table space added much to the convenience and charm of the room.

National Book Week was observed for the first time with success and enthusiasm. A Poster and Essay contest was well received.

Co-operation with the schools has been of the fullest and hundreds of books have been borrowed from the state library at Salem.

The Girl Scouts of Coquille, an organization of yesterday, recently presented the library with funds enough to purchase twenty-five books for girls. This is their bequest to the girls of today. The names of these books will be published in the near future and may it set an example to other public spirited organizations.

The Book committee has met regularly and has been responsible for the splendid variety of popular fiction on the shelves.

Book lovers will be pleased to learn that the Board has decided to continue its membership to the "Book of the Month Club" another year. These have met with great favor with readers of more serious books and we know of no better way to keep in touch with the very latest and best non-fiction.

This impells us to mention the last two "Books of the Month" we have received. "Hunger Fighters," by Paul DeKrinf, a book of highly exciting, informative and appealing true stories of obscure and modest activists, who have set themselves the task and succeeded in enlarging the food supply of mankind.

And "Whither Mankind, a Panorama of Modern Civilization," by leading authorities upon a subject of unique interest to us all—mankind! This book attempts to appraise our civilization. Every one should read the articles, "Science," "The Family," "Health," "Play," "Religion"—well, all of them! You may not agree with George Doney that there is no superior race and that we are not it, but you will want to read "Race and Civilization" nevertheless.

No record of the year at the library would be complete without appreciative mention of the splendid services, helpfulness and cheerful good nature of our highly efficient librarian.

Next Monday evening at 8 o'clock the members of the library association will meet to elect a new board of directors. Any adult resident of Coquille interested in the library becomes a member of the association by merely coming out and signing the membership roll and all are urged to attend this meeting.

The librarian's report for December follows:

Volumes added, by association—6; by gift—4.

Circulation, largest—70; smallest—20.

Books loaned: adult fiction—640; juvenile—498; non-fiction—80. Total—1128.

Magazines loaned: adult—48; juvenile—62; total—110.

Books repaired—8.

Magazines repaired—5.

Fines and Rentals—\$12.58

Books borrowed from state library—15.

"Believe It or Not"

In the inter-class basketball games at the high school this week, the freshmen won first place, the sophomores second, and the juniors third. The final championship game between the freshmen and juniors was close with the younger class finally winning. This standing would indicate that Coquille is in line for stronger teams in the future with a prospect of giving the other conference teams a run.

A very unusual occurrence during the final game is to be reported to Ripley for his "Believe it or not" cartoons. One of the baskets made by the freshmen resulted from a toss that hit the ceiling, fell to the floor, and then rebounded at an angle which put the ball through the ring for a two point score. Almost an unbelievable happening, but it occurred.

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His Death a Loss to County

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Death was the direct result of endocarditis, or inflammation of the inner lining of the heart. Mr. Bennett had been taken ill when in Portland on December 22 he argued a case before Judge Evans. Returning to Marshfield on the morning of December 24, he was able to be about for a short time that day, but on Christmas eve he developed definite symptoms of influenza which later caused the heart complications.

Mr. Bennett was the son of the well-known pioneer couple, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bennett, and was 42 years of age. In 1902 he was married to Miss Velma Ross. Beside the widow he is survived by two children, Thomas Jr., 6, and Joe, 3. He was also foster father to Grace, Joe and Scott McKeown.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday by Rev. W. E. Couper, at the Episcopal church, and interment was in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Marshfield. Actual and honorary pall bearers were chosen from the county bar association.

Ministerial Ass'n Meeting

The Coos County Ministerial Association which met at the Pioneer Methodist Church of Coquille, had an unusually large attendance to hear Dr. D. L. Coafe, of Los Angeles, give an address on "Evangelism." His address was much appreciated. Dr. Coafe is now holding a meeting in the Pioneer Methodist Church.

The association decided that on the last Sunday in January that the ministers throughout the county would exchange pulpits. No congregation will know who will be their preacher that Sunday morning until he arrives.

Surprise Party for Boy of 13

A surprise party was given Benny, 13-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Shipley, at their home last Saturday, the occasion being his birthday. Games and an appetizing luncheon kept those present interested for some time. Those who sat down to the table were Audrey Aasen, Anne Barton, Sara Margaret Nye, Jean Hatcher, Virginia Swindall, Lynn Richardson, Monroe Swindall, Phillip Laird, Gordon Neal and Benny.

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Jury Called for Jan. 21

Judge Brand has called the Circuit court jury for Monday, Jan. 21, at ten o'clock, at which time Judge J. W. Hamilton, of Roseburg, will be here to hear several cases.

Last Tuesday Judge Brand granted divorces to Agnes Baker, separating her from Lionel C. Baker, and to Leonna Jane Chamberlain in her suit against Ira Dorval Chamberlain.

Ed Pratt and L. M. Stringstead were brought over here and lodged in jail Wednesday to serve out \$300 fines imposed by Justice C. E. Maybee at North Bend for possession of a mash and still.

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