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FORECLOSURE SALE
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That under and by virtue of an Execution and Order of Sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos on the 2nd day of December, 1933, in a certain cause in said Court pending wherein The Valley Building and Loan Association, an Oregon Corporation, is Plaintiff, and John C. Oerding and Evelyn Alma Oerding, husband and wife, and J. E. Perrott and Josie Perrott, husband and wife, are Defendants, Case No. 10246, of said Court and commanding me to sell the hereinafter described real property to satisfy the sum of \$192.50, an attorney fee of \$25.00 and costs and disbursements \$25.90, together with accruing costs, I WILL ON SATURDAY, THE 6th DAY OF JANUARY, 1934, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the front door of the County Court House in the City of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest of the said Defendants in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

The West 60 feet of Lots 1 and 2 in Block 59 Elliott's Addition to City of Coquille, according to the recorded plat of said Addition on file and of record in the office of the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon.

Said sale being made subject to redemption in the manner provided by law.

Dated at Coquille, Oregon, this 4th day of December, 1933.

H. E. Hess,
4715 Sheriff of Coos County, Oregon

WARRANTS REDEEMED
Notice is hereby given that School District No. 69, has called warrants numbered 101 to 128 inclusive, for redemption and that interest on them will cease after this date, December 15, 1933. They will be redeemed upon presentation at the First National Bank, Coquille, Oregon.

Mrs. Katy Anderson, Clerk,
School District No. 69,
Coos County, Oregon.

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CALLING CARDS 50 for \$1.00.

OUT-OF-DOORS STUFF

By Lana Laneve
Duck season has ended. Fact of the matter it ended a couple of weeks or so ago, but its passing simply marked the ending of another practically duckless season as far as this valley was concerned. A few hunters bagged ducks, but there were many and many a one who did not. It is very essential that ducks have water to feed and sport about in and without said water the shooting does not amount to much. Until we get a change in the duck season, we can never figure whether we are to have shooting or not. Early rains and plenty of them is the only salvation for duck shooters under the present law.

Well, anyway the old shot gun is oiled up and put away for many months to come. It will be many a long day until it is again uncase—'way next fall when Chinese pheasant season opens. The whole trouble with everything is the fact that all our shooting comes at once—deer, quail, grouse, pheasants and duck shooting are all open at practically the same time. There are three months of shooting following each other and then it is nine long months before legal game of any sort may be killed. To a hunter, that is one long wait. Nothing so delights a hunter as to be burning gunpowder in pursuit of his favorite game, whether it be upland birds, deer or ducks.

I have heard tell of ammunition exploding in rifles and shotguns, but always figured it was the shooter's fault and not the fault of the ammunition. Getting dirt in a shot gun barrel is dangerous business. I once saw a foot of the barrel of a brand new shot gun blown away after it had been accidentally shoved into sand before it was fired. High pressure ammunition fired in cheap revolvers or rifles is also dangerous to the shooter. The other day I discovered that ammunition can blow up in a modern weapon. I fired at a hawk which was sailing over the place. When I pressed the trigger there as a tremendous explosion, an explosion that caused my ears to ring for hours afterwards. There was a gust of powder gasses emerging from the vent near the extractor. I received fine particles of powder sprinkled across my forehead. At first I thought the gun had exploded and I looked it over carefully. Then I figured that a shell had exploded in the magazine, but it hadn't. I extracted the fired shell case and saw immediately what was wrong. The base of the shell had blown partly open. The powder, smoke and gases that should have left the muzzle of the gun simply blew out the side. No wonder my ears rang. There are many tons pressure on the breach of a gun from a fired shotgun shell and it is no funny business having one blow up under your nose.

I was just thinking the other night how dumb some animals are (beside us humans.) I believe the prizes for downright dumbness should be awarded the sheep and the cow. The former is the dumbest of the two. Whoever saw a trained sheep—a sheep which could perform even one trick? All they do, it appears, is to stand around and ba-ba. They ba if the grass is good, they ba if the feed is scarce, they ba at night, at morn and throughout the day and it would probably be a safe bet to wager that they do not know what they are bleating at. A cow does now and then show signs of intelligence such as taking her own stall in the barn, but on the other hand she will loaf along in the middle of the road and dispute the right of way with a speed demon. And who ever heard of a cow doing tricks? Canary birds, ducks, chickens, cats, horses and dogs are taught tricks which would tax the intelligence of lots of people to perform and look at the intelligence of wild animals such as elephants, tigers, lions and squirrels. It appears that any animal that walks or any bird that flies possess a lot more brains than a sheep or a cow—even a pig does.

Pardon me, but I am going to hop back on the subject of ducks and duck hunters, once again. Speaking of ducks—there are thousands of them now upon the water about local marshes. They appeared shortly after the season ended. The last two days of the season was the only time there was sufficient water in local marshes to bring in the ducks and the only ducks left to bring in were those that were blown off the lakes and off Coos Bay and as far as the writer is concerned he does not envy Coos Bay gunners who bagged the sort of ducks which flew over to this neck of the woods. The few which my dad and I managed to bag the last two days of season were highly flavored with fish. While I am not adverse to eating fish straight, I nevertheless do not relish it mixed with my duck meat. The two simply do not blend. Excuse me a moment—the thoughts of it roils my tummy.

This year the main flight of ducks departed for the south long before the water came and as I just mentioned, the ducks that showed up here immediately after the ending of the season were from Coos Bay. But gradually their numbers increased—this was due to new arrivals from points both north and south and it is a safe bet

that few of the later arrivals were fishy.

Perhaps some one will inquire as to why the season should be extended if a large majority of the ducks are fishy? The answer, is simple, and it is that it only takes the fishy birds a short time to get the fish out of their system when they strike the fresh feed here in the valley, such feed as nice fresh grass, black weed seed, cut over grain fields and even peas. That soon puts 'em in number one shape and fattens 'em quickly.

There was one place where the owner allowed hunting if permission was first obtained. The way the hunters flocked there reminded one of the way ducks flock to a baited pond. All the way from 6 to 36 hunters could be seen about the place during the last days of open season. The owner informed my dad that he liked to know who was on the place hunting as the season before some one had cut four strands in a barb wire fence on the place. It is such acts at this, committed by some vandal who is wont to class himself as a sportsman, which queers the hunting for real and well-meaning sportsmen. A real sportsman appreciates the owner of the land granting him permission to hunt and will go out of his way to mend a broken fence or report cattle breaking into pastures where they do not belong, instead of cutting the wires to let them through so that he may pull his boat through or allow himself and dog an easy entrance to the duck pond. If there were a bounty placed upon men who hunt with pliers in their pockets, carried for the express purpose of cutting farmers' fences and who have no respect whatsoever for the property upon which they hunt, it would be a big help to the rest of the honest fellows who are really sportsmen.

You can't blame the farmer for shutting out all hunters, when he has had his property destroyed and his stock shot by the acum of the land. And many, many times just one act of vandalism committed on a farmer's land has been the means of barring every man, who carries a gun, from the land.

At a recent meeting of duck hunters in Portland many things relative to hunting and the feeding of ducks was discussed. Nothing seems to have come of it from what I gather from press dispatches. There is one thing that always amuses me at these big meetings held both at Washington, D. C. and large cities relative to the passage of game laws. Personages are always present whom the newspapers play up as the leading duck hunters of the state. These leading duck hunters, as the papers so love to laud them, are in reality the rich officials of gun clubs, the owners of baited lakes and the leaders in the movements to suppress any and all propaganda against the use of live decoys and the practice of baiting lakes to lure the ducks to their doom. What these high-muck-a-mucks should really be classed as, is "the leaders against sensible legislation for the conservation of our wild life." It is seldom, if ever a poor sportsman attends these meetings. It takes hi-powered gents with thousand dollar guns, high bred dogs, yachts, a half a dozen duck boats, a few baited lakes and a row of clubs houses—yep, that's the kind of a bird it takes to rule these big sportsmen's meetings and dictate to the Biological Survey whether lakes shall be baited or not.

Sport Briefs

(By Mark Seeley)

Though the date is not actually set, it is believed that on January 12, which falls on a Friday, the Oregon All-Stars will come to Coquille to play a basketball game with the "Bill's Place" five. The all-stars have a quintet composed of a few boys who are casually known throughout the United States, including such athletes as Mike Mikulak, Leighton Gee, Mark Temple, Bree Cuppoletti, Bernie Hughes and Chuck Wishard, members of the 1933 Oregon football team which tied for the Pacific Coast conference championship. Roaring Mike, Round-up Mark and the rest are to be in Coquille in person and the community hall engagement is to be the initial one in the Southern Oregon district. It will be a stupendous, colossal spectacle to see those big footballists capering about the court, but don't for a minute think that they can't perform the duties that will be before them. Each and every one has had experience; Temple, for instance being an ex-star from Pendleton High where he placed on the mythical all-state team.

The only hope is that Mike Mikulak doesn't flare up and throw Worden Ellis or Denton Ellingson out of the hall, or that Gee doesn't forget himself and bowl the locale over with an exhibition of his famous cut-back play. The Webfooters, however, are out to play basketball, being a highly organized outfit. The date is Friday, January 12.

Coquille High's next basketball date will see the Red Devils meeting the Arago "B" Leaguers, Tuesday night, in the community hall. Coquille defeated Arago previously, 31 to 13, but since then has fallen before Riverton on two occasions, 22

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to 30 and 30 to 23. The last defeat came last Friday night. The clubs were tied at 12 all at half time, and after Coquille jumped into a six-point lead at the start of the second half. Riverton braced and dominated the play thereafter. The Coquille "B" team also lost its game the same evening, while in an added encounter the Coquille Independents, led by Coach Hartley and Haberly of Bandon, overcame the Bill's Place" hoopsters, 30 to 26. Tuesday night "Bill's Place" suffered a second defeat, 36 to 22, at the hands of the Black Raiders of Marshfield.

News From Lee Section

L. S. Leatherman drove to McMinnville the first of last week for Julia Myrl, who is attending Linfield College there. She will remain until after the holidays.

Mr. Beachamp suffered the misfortune of having his shoulder broken last week.

Mrs. Wiley Sumerlin entertained with a quilting party last week. Those enjoying the day were: Meedames Mae Clark, Hettie Gant, Maude Mast, Nora Lewis, Marie Mast, Bertie Willson, Liddie Austin, Wilma Peterson, Misses Lois Gant Helen Mast and Lola Sumerlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Hervey, of Gold Beach, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hervey.

Those enjoying a potluck dinner Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Leatherman were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Latham and family, of McMinnville, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schroeder and Milton, Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Ranton and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lundy, of Myrtle Point.

Dinner guests of the Webb Mast family on Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mast and Jack, of Coquille, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Mast, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mast and Wallie, Carey Bones, Harry Laswell and Lester Gay. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Clark were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Clausen, of Laneve.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Sumerlin and children were Monday dinner guests of the W. G. Austin family on the Coquille highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reed and family of Roseburg spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Parry. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Huntley and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hervey were the other dinner guests.

Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Bender, of Portland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clinton for a few days this week. Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Weekly spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hervey.

Christmas dinner guests of the W. V. Schroeder family were Mr. and Mrs. Severt Iverson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bunch, Harold and Warren Dick and Leanna Schroeder.

Miss June Baker and Frank Morrison spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. Clyde McDonald, in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Purdy are visiting in Marshfield this week. Lester Gay, of Vancouver Barracks, is visiting with the Webb Mast family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown and Grandma, Sadie, and Bill Harmon. Lark Mast and Kelly Clinton spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson.

Of the \$2,975,837 in taxes levied against property for state purposes this year, less than \$80,000 remains unpaid at this time. Counties which have not completed payment to the state include Benton, Crook, Curry, Deschutes, Grant, Jefferson, Polk, Sherman, Umatilla and Wheeler.

WARRANT REDEMPTION NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that warrants up to No. 4572, issued by Coquille School District No. 8, will be paid upon presentation to the district clerk on and after Friday, December 22, 1933. Interest ceases on said warrants on that date.

Keith Leslie, Clerk,
School District No. 8, Coquille,
Coos County, Oregon.

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Next Week at the Liberty

During a most trying season on Broadway in which plays were closing almost before they opened, "Goodbye Again," ran for twenty-six full weeks at three dollars top to capacity Broadway audiences. The pictureization of this popular comedy comes to the screen of the Liberty Theatre Friday and Saturday evenings, with a cast that includes Joan Blondell, Warren William, Genevieve Tobin, Hugh Herbert, Helen Chandler and Wallace Ford. "Goodbye Again," is a hilarious comedy of an author of popular sellers, who becomes mixed up in a tangled love affair.

Friday night is "Race Night," the thrill game of the screen.

Though Zane Grey's "The Last Trail," shown at the Liberty Saturday night for the preview, is played against a western background, George O'Brien, who portrays the featured male role, is the only cowboy in the picture. The other principal male characters are racketeers who attempt to steal a ranch. Claire Trevor, beautiful blonde from the New York stage, enacts the leading feminine role and Ed Brendel has a featured part. Other screen notables in the cast are J. Carroll Naish, Lucille La Verne, Matt McHugh, George Reed, Ruth Warren, Luis Alberni and Edward LeSaint.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

On the 13th day of January, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. at the front door of the Court House, in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, I will sell at auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real property, located in Coos County, Oregon, to-wit:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Lot eight, Block three, in the original town of Coquille City and running thence east Eleven degrees South fifty feet; thence South Eleven degrees West one hundred feet; thence West, Eleven degrees North to the southeast corner of said lot eight above mentioned, thence to a place of beginning, situated in the City of Coquille in said County and State.

Said sale is made under execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Coos to me directed in the case of State of Oregon, represented and acting by the World War Veterans State Aid Commission, composed of Julius L. Meier, Governor, Hal E. Hess, Secretary of State, George A. White, Adjutant General, Walter S. Fisher, and Prescott Cookingham versus George E. Oerding, J. H. Oerding, Emma F. Oerding, Oerding Industries, Inc., a corporation, Coos County a body politic and corporate of the State of Oregon, Douglas Building and Loan Association, a corporation, G. W. Ingram, as trustee in the matter of Oerding Industries, Inc., a corporation, a bankrupt, and Seattle Hardware Co., a corporation.

H. E. Hess,
4815 Sheriff of Coos County, Oregon.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Delos W. Gardner, deceased, and all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present the same with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at the law office of S. D. Pulford, in the First National Bank Building, Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated December 1, 1933.

Mae Gardner,
Administratrix of the Estate of Delos W. Gardner, Deceased. 4615

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the Estate of Frank R. Byers, deceased, has filed with the County Clerk of Coos County, State of Oregon, his final account in said Estate and that the 22nd day of January, 1934, at the hour of Ten o'clock, in the forenoon of said day, has been appointed for hearing objections, if any there be, to said Final account; objections if any, must be filed with the County Clerk on or before said date. Dated this 22nd day of December, 1933.

James Richmond,
Administrator.

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