

# The Coquille Valley Sentinel

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## UNUSUAL PAY FOR CAMPAIGN WORKERS

### Coquille Valley Sentinel Makes Attractive Offer to Ambitious Persons in All Parts of Coos County

Some local person will earn not less than \$300, another \$200, and a third \$100 as a result of his or her participation in the work of a campaign announced by the Coquille Valley Sentinel today.

The plan used is a new and different one, those taking part being paid on a liberal commission and bonus basis, while those who make the best sales records will enjoy an earning hardly possible in the same length of time in any other kind of local work.

Young ladies or men not now employed, housewives and those active in the affairs of civic and community organizations, former school teachers and those whose experience qualifies them to meet the public successfully are well qualified, regardless of any actual sales experience, to take part and share in this attractive money-making opportunity.

An experienced sales manager has been employed to assist those who take up this work, and his wide experience in specialty subscription sales campaigns is available to those interested in taking part.

It would be a mistake to assume that only those who can devote all of their time can participate. In fact, those who regard this opportunity as a means of adding to the family income or increasing their earnings can give the work only a few hours time a day and find their effort well worth while.

The details of the attractive plan to be followed are given in an advertisement in this issue. Our readers are urged to turn to this and learn more of the many interesting features of the campaign.

#### A Business Proposition

This is not a "Get rich quick scheme." Neither is it a "Something for nothing" plan. Rather, it is a strictly business proposition drawn along such liberal lines that it should interest the best talent in the county. Somebody is going to make at least \$50.00 per week during the next few weeks, and all others who take part are going to receive the best pay they have ever received for a like amount of work. You can be one of these favored few if you come in before somebody gets ahead of you in your community and gets started to work.

Getting new subscriptions and collecting renewals for The Sentinel will not be hard. Of course, it will require some effort on your part, but the pay will be more than ample. It is our intention to pay much more than the work is actually worth in order to get the best possible type of workers. So don't let this opportunity pass if you want to make a lot of extra money this summer. You are not likely to have another opportunity like this soon.

Turn now to the full page advertisement in this issue of The Sentinel. Or better yet come to The Sentinel office and let us explain all the details to you. It places you under no obligation to get complete details, and you are sure later to be sorry if you fail to do so.

If you do not care to work yourself you may earn ten dollars just by suggesting the name of some friend who might be interested. A handy blank is provided in the page advertisement for your convenience if you care to nominate either yourself or somebody else in an effort to win this extra ten dollars. But you will have to hurry or somebody else will beat you to it.

The Sentinel office will be open Saturday evening until eight-thirty if you want to come in during the evening to ask about the campaign.

#### School Meeting, June 17

June 17 is the annual school meeting date. On this date there will be elected in each district a clerk and director. Nearly all districts are voting budgets at this time.

The voters in Zone 2 only will vote on a director for the Non-High School District. This zone covers the school districts of Eastside, Sumner, Allegany, West Allegany and Catching Inlet.

#### To Hold State Teachers' Exams

State teachers' exams will be held in the city hall, Coquille, June 12, 13 and 14. After this examination there will remain only three more at which time teachers may earn exemption grades. This is due to the fact that a new law will go into effect on January 1, 1937.

#### Legion Dance Saturday Night

The second of the American Legion's popular summer dances is to be held in the Community Building here tomorrow (Saturday) night. Music will be furnished by Don Estes and his dance band.

### BEULAH CHAP. TO GRAND CHAP.

An exodus of Coquille members of the Eastern Star to Portland, will start on Sunday with a few going each day until Wednesday. Beulah chapter will be honored next week at the grand chapter session by the election of one of its members, Mrs. Inez J. Glaisyer, as worthy grand matron for Oregon. Twenty-five members of Beulah chapter have been practicing for weeks, perfecting a floral degree ceremony which will be presented at grand chapter next Thursday evening at the time the installation of grand officers is held. The ladies who will take part in the floral degree will appear in Grecian costume, carrying bouquets whose color corresponds to the office they represent. Those who will take part are Mrs. Flora Campbell, worthy matron, W. V. Glaisyer, worthy patron, Mrs. Camilla Rietman, associate matron, Mrs. Belle Gould, conductress, Miss Bess Maury, associate conductress, Mrs. Bernadine Wilson, Mrs. Ann Mansell, Mrs. Edy Taylor, Mrs. June Walker, Mrs. Idyl Godard, Mrs. Mabel Clinton, Miss Edna Robison, Mrs. Maude Emery, Miss Rosabel Shone, Mrs. Maxine Jeub, Mrs. Emma Pierce, Mrs. Susie Folsom, Mrs. Florabelle Boober, Mrs. Gertrude Ulett, Mrs. Florence Sanford, Mrs. Catherine Ruble, Mrs. Louise Leslie, Mrs. Clara Bosserman, Mrs. Ruth Axtell, Mrs. Capitola Fitzgerald, Mrs. Mable Laird, Mrs. Sylvia Knight.

Mrs. Mabel Ulett will be installed at that time as grand marshal.

Beulah Chapter is also to furnish a musical number, a solo by Mrs. Maud Woodyard, who will be accompanied by Mrs. Wilson on the violin and by Mrs. Rietman at the piano.

Other Beulah Chapter members who will be in attendance are Mrs. Edith Miller, of Malin, Mrs. Elva Robertson and Mrs. Emily Hersey, of Portland, and Geo. A. Ulett, of Coquille.

#### To Gravel One Parkway

For years past it has been urged that the parkways in Willard street be cut down to street level to provide additional parking space for cars. Some few years ago the curbing was knocked away at the ends to permit access by cars, but the parking strips were always muddy in the rainy season.

This week, as an SERA project, the earth of the south parkway, the one alongside the Liberty Theatre, is being removed and when finally cut to grade the surface will be covered with gravel. Being done in the summer time, the gravel would gradually work out on to the pavement unless confined, so the curbs are being left on the east and west sides of that parkway. The old concrete water trough has been removed at the south end. The north parkway is not to be changed at this time.

Next week the storm sewer at the Sentinel corner is to be connected up with the manhole in the center of the intersection and the siphoning under First to the Liberty corner abolished.

One of the largest recording fees ever to be received at the county clerk's office was that paid by Swift & Co., on Wednesday. It was a \$250 payment, but a few years ago a \$300 was paid to the clerk here. Swift & Co. have paid over \$5000 for filing this instrument, it being necessary to record it in every county in which they own property.

### A FINE PROGRAM REFORESTATION

Commencement Exercises Last Friday the Best Ever Held by Coquille High School

Not in the past twenty-one years has so interesting a commencement program been presented as was that which the Coquille High School graduating class of 1935 rendered at the Community Building last Friday evening. This is no reflection on the very able speakers who have delivered commencement addresses here in the past, but this year the program was almost entirely given by the members of the class and it is in them that the parents and friends of the graduates are more interested.

The stage had been beautifully decorated with greenery and flowers and the entire auditorium presented a pleasing aspect to the hundreds in attendance.

The four papers given by George Ulett, Gretchen Neal, Geraldine Minard and Lin Swain were exceedingly well delivered and showed much thought and research work on the part of those who prepared them. "Charting the Seas," "Logs of Other Ships," "Home Port" and "Setting Sail," the titles of the four papers, dealt in a high-minded way with the past, present and future of the 52 young ladies and men who are just starting life's battles at the conclusion of twelve years in the public schools.

To digress for a moment, the class adviser, Mrs. Ruth Beyers, began her work in the Coquille high school the same fall that most of this graduating class entered the first grade—twelve years ago—and it was with a feeling of sentiment and intense interest that she spoke of this year's class as an exceptional one in a great many respects.

The Sentinel cannot give even a brief synopsis of the four splendid papers, but will present a few of the statistics which had been assembled after diligent research.

There have been 514 graduates of C. H. S. in the past quarter of a century, 202 boys and 312 girls. Four boys and four girls of that number have passed to the great beyond, and of the remainder the lives of all except fourteen were traced down to the present time.

They are scattered in eight states of the Union, the Hawaiian Islands, Alaska, Italy, but the great majority still remain in the Webfoot state—

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#### Hobby Clubs Next Week

The Hobby Clubs, which were inaugurated by the Coquille Parent-Teachers' Association to provide instructive entertainment for the children of Coquille this summer, got away to a good start this week, but with a smaller attendance than had been hoped.

A report has been current that there was a fee connected with attendance at the club meetings. This is entirely erroneous. There is no charge of any kind, unless materials have to be provided, and the purchase of those is left to the parent or child. The instructors of the clubs have nothing to do with it.

Where no date is specified in the list of classes scheduled for next week it is only necessary to contact the leader to learn the time and place.

Tap Dancing—Miss Laura McLeod. There were over 50 present for this class last evening. The next session will be in the Community Building at seven p. m. on Thursday, June 13.

Camera Club—C. K. Norcott. Stamp Collecting—F. L. Greenwood.

Basketry—Mrs. Robt. Wheeler. Picnicking—Mrs. Marc Shelley. Doll Costuming—Mrs. W. H. Fortier.

Sketching—Miss Lucille Sherwood. Moth-Butterfly—Geo. W. Taylor, corner Fourth and Coulter streets, Saturday, June 8, two p. m.

Hooked Rugs—Mrs. F. L. McNelly, at Jas. Brady residence, 620 E. First, June 10, 9:45 a. m.

Scrapbook—Mrs. H. S. Norton, at Busy Corner, June 11 at ten a. m. Knitting—Mrs. T. B. Currie, at city hall, Tuesday, June 11, 9:30 a. m.

Airplane modeling, George Wilson, at High School, Saturday, June 15. Kite Building, Marc Shelley, at the Shelley Meat Market, at two p. m. Wednesday, June 12.

Program for Northwest Urged by Forest Service Speaker at Lions Club Yesterday

At the Lions Club noon luncheon yesterday Joe Axtell, the only delegate from Coos county, gave a report on the state convention which met the first of this week at The Dalles. The convention next year is going to Newport and in 1937 to Medford. The Lions Club there outbid what Mr. Axtell offered as an inducement to come to Coquille.

The report he brought back shows that the Coquille club is the eighth largest in the state.

Two forest service men were present yesterday. One was W. V. Fuller, of the state forestry department who had visited the local club before. The other was L. R. Wheeler, formerly with the Portland Telegram, who is now in the federal forest service.

In the course of his remarks, Mr. Wheeler stated that 40 per cent of the population of the Northwest are directly or indirectly dependent upon lumber and for Coos county the figure is 60 per cent. Eighty per cent are dependent on lumber and agriculture.

He stated that there was less farming in this district than there was in 1880, and declared that 50 per cent of the land is unfit for farming, being mounthous and suitable for timber only.

His estimate was that in 35 or 40 years the timber resources of the Northwest will be exhausted unless a "sustained timber yield" program is followed with reforestation of the logged-off land. That is what the forest service is endeavoring to accomplish, and one of the chief requirements for reforestation is the protection of the logged, as well as the timber areas, from fires.

The United States will face a shortage of timber, as Europe has, unless a reseedling program is followed here, and Mr. Wheeler urged that a sentiment for reforestation be aroused on the part of all those interested in this country.

#### Two Cases, Two Convictions

Two cases have been heard in Circuit court this week, both criminal. The case of Owens vs. Thompson did not come up on Monday due to the illness of W. B. Ridle, attorney for the plaintiff.

The first case heard was that of the State vs. Clarence H. Howard, indicted for burglary not in a dwelling at the Bay. He was found guilty, but sentence was deferred until a report is received on his finger print record.

The case against Chas. Cook and Mabelle Emmerson, indicted for unlawful sale of liquor, was begun in court Wednesday morning and given to the jury yesterday afternoon. After being out several hours a verdict of guilty was brought in at 10 p. m. They will be sentenced next Monday.

The case against Nick Anjon, indicted for the same offense, was begun this morning.

On Monday the trials of Robert Ostrander and Wilford Ashton, indicted for breaking into a service station at Bandon and robbing it, will be started.

Malcolm Duncan, a 17-year old boy, who was arrested with them, pleaded guilty in Circuit court this week, and sentence in his case will await the result of their trials.

#### Lights Blinded the Driver

Lyle Varney and Grace Ricketts had a narrow escape last Saturday night when the DeSoto roadster, in which they were going to the dance at Bandon, went off the grade half a mile below the Russ barn on the dike. Lyle was blinded by the lights of an approaching car and stopped his car but it was nearer the edge than he thought and rolled over once, landing on its wheels just at the water's edge. The two young folks were thrown into the muddy waters of the ditch but suffered no serious injury. The car was badly wrecked.

#### Tax Payments for Five Months

Tax payments, both current and delinquent, received by the sheriff's office since Jan. 1, totalled \$570,124.36 when the turnover to the county treasurer was made yesterday.

#### Was It Hot Wednesday?

With no duly authorized weather observer in this section of the Coquille valley—and there should be one—it is impossible to report how long it has been since this section enjoyed as hot a day as it did Wednesday. Probably it was ten years ago when the thermometer reached 100 degrees. On Wednesday of this week C. V. Smith's thermometer on Sanford Heights recorded 94 degrees, and 91 on Tuesday. Another thermometer here in town, hung in a vine-covered arbor, showed 98 on Wednesday. There are no thermometers on the top of buildings, such as the weather bureau observation stations in Portland or North Bend, in Coquille, and the figures reported above are for readings in the shade, a few feet above the ground.

At Remote it was 101 on Tuesday and farther up in the hills, as at Powers, it is reported to have been 108.

Yesterday's breeze kept the thermometer from going so high, and a falling barometer gave hope that the needed rain might bring respite from this unusual temperature.

#### Water to Be Off Sunday

Water in Coquille will be shut off next Sunday, June 9, from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m., while the department officials are flushing the mains, from the reservoir down through all sections of the city. The two reservoirs at the plant on the hill east of town have previously been cleaned.

### CRESCENT CITY COMES SUNDAY

An invading band of Californians seeking tough, rough Oregon foes to conquer, will storm the strongholds of Coquille Sunday. The massacre will see either the Crescent City Moons or the Coquille Loggers sink into oblivion, for it's in baseball that the sectional honors are to be at stake.

"Cocky" Brewer will start on the mound for Coquille, with Dan Moran, the hard working catcher, on the receiving end of his slants. Whom the Californians will start is unknown, but for years a southpaw, "Lefty" Koskela, has made it extremely annoying for all opponents who chance to face him. As Crescent City is under entirely new management, however, a new group of stars may grace her lineup.

Ray Woodyard will likely be on (Continued on Page Ten)

#### W. C. T. U. Institute

A Coos County Woman's Christian Temperance Union Institute will be held next Tuesday, June 11, in the Church of Christ, beginning at 10 a. m. Some of the subjects to be discussed are: "The Willard Centenary Fund" and "The Coos Cottage Fund," by Coquille women; "Alcohol Education" by Mrs. W. H. Phillips, of Marshfield, and "Social Morality," by a Bandon woman. A covered luncheon will be served at noon. Delegates from Myrtle Point, Marshfield, North Bend, Arago and Bandon will be present. You are invited to be present.

#### Putting in Concrete Floor

The remodeling of the W. O. W. building is in progress this week. After lowering the entrance to the sidewalk level a concrete floor is being laid where the confectionery formerly was located. The repairing of the foundation supports and the walls and the construction of a corner entrance will make it a much more modern room.

As soon as it is ready for occupancy a beer parlor will be installed there by O. L. Linn and Ora Allen, who have secured the necessary license from the state liquor commission.

#### To Hold Open F. O. E. Meeting

The Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold an open meeting Tuesday evening, June 11, at the W. O. W. hall. The Marshfield Drum and Bugle Corps will furnish some music and parade before the meeting. Bandon will also be present. Everyone that wants to learn what the Eagles offer to a member for \$1.00 a month is earnestly requested to attend. Refreshments will be served.

The Past Noble Grands Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Birdie Sheels tonight at eight o'clock.

### COUNCIL ACTS

Delinquent Water Users Are to Be Cut Off, Unless Payment Is Made

Delinquent water payments, which have increased \$1500 in the past year, was seriously considered at the regular council session Monday evening. The councilmen felt that a number of water users had gotten into the habit of letting their water bills slide and declared that the practice must stop.

The council was unanimous in its instructions to the water department to cut the water off from those who do not pay, or at least make arrangements for paying more than the current month's bill each month.

Beside the regular monthly expenses of the water department there is bond interest to be met and bond retirements impending and the city must have the funds to meet these obligations.

It will be possible to pay off the delinquencies gradually, but the consumer must make arrangements to do so or he will find his supply shut off.

City Engineer Stacer reported that street work and work on the Fourth street fill would be resumed at once with 15 men working for three weeks.

A license was granted Hub Davis to conduct a card room in the Gilkey building on Front street, formerly the Casey Jones building, with Mrs. Grace Gilkey and Marc Shelley as sureties on his bond.

The street committee reported that the white frosted lights, alongside the colored police lights had been ordered in. They were installed by A. L. Hooton on Tuesday of this week.

#### To Be Worthy Grand Matron

Mrs. W. V. Glaisyer, associate grand matron of the Eastern Star for Oregon, left Tuesday for Portland where the O. E. S. grand chapter session will be held next week, starting Tuesday, in Masonic Temple. The grand chapter reception is to be held Monday evening, and various committee meetings this week called Mrs. Glaisyer to Portland. Being in line for the office of worthy grand matron, there is no question about her advancement to that office at the grand chapter session.

#### Mrs. Lela Elrod Goes East

Mrs. Lela Elrod, county health nurse, left last Saturday evening on a month's trip which will take her across the country. She went first to Seattle, thence by boat to Prince Rupert, and from there will cross Canada, reaching Detroit by next Monday. She will go on to Washington, D. C., where she will visit a brother, and then to New York city before starting for home.

Miss Hannah Sandquist, Marshfield nurse, is acting county health nurse during Mrs. Elrod's absence.

#### 8th Grade Citizenship Awards

At the Junior High commencement exercises last Friday afternoon, mention of which was given in last Friday's Sentinel, citizenship awards were made. Ann Hawkins received the award, presented by Mrs. Marie Stewart, and Leonard Farr was awarded the cup for boys which had been presented by the Coquille American Legion post. Leonard's award was for the best citizenship record for a two year period.

#### Young Matron Buried Yesterday

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at Gold Beach for Mrs. Mary Ellen Leeper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Turner, pioneers of Curry county. She passed away at the Gold Beach hospital on Tuesday, aged 26 years, one month, and 23 days. The services were conducted by the Schroeder Bros. Mortuaries.

Beside her husband and parents, she is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Harold Whitsett, of Myrtle Point, Mrs. Hanseth and Miss Leona Turner, both of Gold Beach.

#### Mrs. Nosler Seriously Ill

Mrs. Augusta Nosler, mother of Ralph E. Nosler, is gradually growing weaker, and is considered to be in a very serious condition. Mr. and Mrs. Nosler have moved from their own home to his mother's, at the corner of Third and Taylor streets, so that they may take care of her.