

Notes From the Coquille Grade Schools

Lincoln School News
So that we may be able to make up the two weeks lost for quarantine, the schedule in the Junior High has been changed for this semester. Classes are now 45 minutes long instead of 35. The elective classes have been cut to 30 minutes, and the activity period changed to the afternoon. The plan is to make up one week's work in six weeks, and the other next six weeks. This will leave the last six week period for regular review and drill.

The 8th grade won the scholarship award for this six week period. The 6th grade was second and the 7th grade last.

Coquille Jr. High played its first conference game last Friday at Bandon. Both the regular team and the Midget team played. The boys won both games, the Midgets 8 to 7 and the regulars 38 to 8.

The 8y boys won the attendance banner again this month. Their per cent of attendance was about 98, which was unusually good for the period just before quarantine.

The 6y class won the picture for the greatest number of parents present at the P. T. A. meeting.

In an assembly held last Friday the following boys received football letters: Norman McCool, Orvil Coy, Don Wilson, Berton Tuel, Virgil Arrell, Robert Arnold, Billy Smith, Ted Schaer, Marvin Goodman, Everett Smith, DeWayne Krantz, Orlen Davis, Phillip Williams, Emerick Hultin.

In getting the averages for the last six-week period we find eleven students with average of 2 or above, and 65 students with averages between 2 and 3. This seems to indicate that half of our students are average or above average in their work.

The following students had an average of 2 or above: Jerry Lewis, Danny Ortman, Richard Dye, David Foster, LeRay Gilbert, Virginia Young, Bobbie Dutton, Eunice Howe, Emerick Hultin, Robert Adams and Bill Adams.

These students had averages between 2 and 3: Alice Ames, Glenda Clinton, Bonnie Dutton, Theodore Ellingsen, Laurel Fuller, Evelyn Gano, Bobbie Martin, Anabel Martindale, Vera Selman, Harold Taylor, Duane Terry, Wayne Terry, Betty Jo Thorp, Loyal Thomas, Ethel Vaughn, Dick Vinton, Don Whereat, Margaret Wersh, Clifford Wixon, Florence Campbell, Fairy Cardwell, Betty Donstead, George Folsom, Delores Rutherford, Sylvia Blaylock, Clarence Caudie, Leona Cole, Vivian Cole, Harvey Cole, Geraldine Cole, Newton Chaney, Kenneth Cunningham, Audra Gregory, Jack Hickam, Patsy Holverstott, Marvin Kloster, Robert McLaren, Charles Mulkey, Shirley Price, Dale Stevens, Merrell Tozier, Rhea Walker, Michael Carolan, Juanita Arnold, Lillian Bauer, Clarence Campbell, Muriel Davis, Edith Drake, Venita Farris, Dora Gilman, Henry Hess, Dorothy Newton, Joy Norton, Shirley Nye, Billy Smith, Don Wheaton, Jeannette Wheeler, Bill Yarbrough, Robert Arnold, Virgil Arrell, Danny Cardwell, Louis Charneski, Marvin Goodman, Howard Taylor, John Shambow.

Washington School News
Visitors since last report are Mesdames Dutton, Gormley, Toole, Slack, Hinds, Ruble, Johnston, Milligan, Gaffey, Dey, Brown, McCarthy, Tozier and Ed. Aasen.

All of the rooms observed Lincoln's birthday with special pictures, poems, and stories. The third, fourth and fifth grades saw very interesting film slides portraying Lincoln's life.

Bonita Miller, an invalid student of the first grade, is the inspiration for an immense valentine made by her class mates. The theme for the season is "Make some one happy each day, especially on St. Valentine's Day."

All of the rooms have very attractive valentine boxes. Pupils who have made valentine boxes are Delores Hannon, Dorothy Jean Harper, Gwendolyn Elrod, Helen Harper, Betty Preston, Patricia Yarbrough, Shirley Slater, George Gant, Marianne Racleff, Keith Leslie, John Aasen.

Mrs. Chase's room has very attractive Valentine decorations. The pupils have had an active part in the decoration of their room. The Valentine party given Friday was unique in that the pupils under the excellent

leadership of Mrs. Chase took charge of the party. Applesauce and cookies were served.

The cleanliness club in Miss Wallace's room has appointed the following nurses and doctors for the month: Betty Preston, Charlotte Borgard, Richard Smith, Ronald Williams.

In the spelling contest Billy Caughan won first place, Shirley Snyder second, and Phyllis Mae Litzemberger third.

The third grade has just completed a project in Geography on the subject of "Clothing We Wear." Topics studied were: cotton, wool, silk, flax, linen, leather, furs and rubber. Interest was aroused to find out where we get these necessary articles and how they are prepared for our use.

Wednesday morning Gordon Lawrence gave a splendid report on the manufacture of sugar. Gordon had an opportunity of seeing the process of its manufacture when he traveled California last summer and had many interesting things to tell the class.

The lovely picture, "Spring," was presented to Mrs. Walton's class by Mrs. Mable Kunz, room mother for the room. We hope our mothers will come to the P. T. A. meetings and make it possible for us to keep the picture a little longer. Thanks to the parents for being at the last meeting which enabled us to get the picture this time.

The fourth grade class is visiting in Norway. The flat bread which is made there is very fine. Mrs. Ethel Fuller passed the treat and brought the recipe: Flatbread or Flatbread. White flour mixed with cornmeal to which shortening and hot water is added (like pie crust.) Mix these ingredients well together, roll out in cylinder form and slice. Take each piece and roll out as thin as possible. A corrugated rolling pin is used. It is then placed on top of stove where it is baked real slow. It must be turned often to become crisp. After it has become brown on both sides and isn't as crisp as desired, it can be placed in oven or back of stove to dry out. In Norway wheat flour wasn't used but flour from barley, oats and peas.

The teachers of the Washington Building are very interested in Visual Education. Frequent use is being made of the film slide machine. The values of visual education may be briefly enumerated as: accuracy of image, permanence of retention, vividness of image, economy of time. The film slides correlate with the course of study and are a great aid to teaching. The film slides shown this year are namely: Story of Coal, Cotton Growing, Story of Wool, How the Forest Serves Man, Birth of the Earth, Nature's Jewels, Mysteries of the Snow, Brick and its Romance, Building Stones and films portraying the life of Abraham Lincoln.

The third, fourth and fifth grades were shown hand colored slides on "Yellowstone National Park." The slides were very interesting. Mrs. Walton gave an excellent account of her trip to Yellowstone Park. We wish to thank the P. T. A. for the interest they are showing in visual education.

The fourth grade in Mrs. Walton's room invited Mr. Moser to be their guest at last week's assembly. The third, fourth and fifth grades thoroughly appreciated the pictures and curios. Mr. Moser has recently been in Africa, near where the fourth grade class has taken imaginary trips in Geography. He showed moving pictures of the people and how they live. The trophies which were exhibited were most unusual and of great educational value. The pictures shown correlated with the course of study and were intensely interesting. We were most fortunate to secure some Bolo money, and some stamp collectors secured collections.

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John Nelson Langlois Died at Bandon, Sunday

(Western World)
After a lifetime of residence in southwestern Oregon where he was one of the first pioneers, John Nelson Langlois died at his home in Bandon February 9, in his eighty-fourth year.

John Langlois was born in Marion county, May 17, 1852, but was brought to Curry county by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Langlois, when he was less than two years old. Shortly after his second birthday occurred an incident that is highly descriptive of the hazardous times in which the early Oregon pioneers lived, and which might have resulted in John Nelson Langlois being reared to maturity as the chief of an Indian tribe.

The Langlois family was living on their homestead at Floras creek, now the Bono farm, when Indians became troublesome in 1854 and offered numerous threats to the first white family ever trying to establish a homestead in that district. When threats of war and torture and destruction of their home and buildings became more and more persistent, William Langlois moved his wife and the little boy, John Nelson, to the safety of the fort at Port Orford.

Here an Indian squaw who was allowed the freedom of the fort, became deeply interested in the Langlois child because of his almost white, curly hair. The squaw offered to trade Mr. and Mrs. William Langlois dried huckleberries for the child and, was, of course, gently refused. Later the squaw appeared in the Fort with two brown-skinned little Indian boys and offered to trade them for the white-haired youngster.

She explained that her tribe would make a great white chief of John Nelson Langlois when he grew to manhood. Again refused, the squaw sulked around the fort for a few days and one morning seized the 2-year old white child, bundling him on her back in a blanket and started for the timber.

There was an instant hue and cry. Poses were formed to track down this first recorded kidnaper in Oregon territory. A traveler in the forest heard the baby's cries as the squaw uncovered his face periodically to allow the youngster to breathe. The posse was directed to the trail the squaw was following. By nightfall John Nelson Langlois was returned to the arms of his parents.

Before the family left Port Orford to return to their homestead after the quieting of the Indians, another son, Tom, was born. Tom Langlois had the distinction of being the first white child born in Port Orford. Returning to the homestead the family found everything burned by the Indians, their only possession being a keg of butter which had been hidden in Floras creek.

In October 1884, John Nelson Langlois married Ella Rudolph at Cape Blanco. They lived on the Floras creek homestead and later on Langlois Hill, until 1895 when they moved to Bandon.

Funeral services were held at the Schroeder Brothers chapel, Tuesday at 2:00 p. m., with the Rev. F. Clark Evans, officiating. Burial was in the K. P. cemetery. The Knights of Pythias had charge of the burial services, the deceased having been a member of that lodge for 41 years.

Surviving are the widow, two sons, Clarence and Eldon of Bandon; two daughters, Mrs. Almer Walstrom, Leneve, Ore., and Mrs. S. L. Williams of Sacramento, California; two brothers, James, of Bandon, and Charles, of Napa, California; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Gallier, Medford, and Mrs. Ella Nelson, of Coquille.

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Farm Outlook Conference to Be Held Here Mar. 10-11

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agricultural income in Coos county comes from the sale of dairy products. Livestock products amount to 15.2 per cent, poultry and eggs amount to 7.8 per cent, and from all crop products sold, 24.3 per cent. The total annual income from the sale of agricultural products during the period from 1926 to 1930 was \$2,117,000.

Coos county has a total area of 1,030,813 acres, according to information taken from forest statistics and from the 1935 census of agriculture. Of this amount, approximately two-thirds or 698,000 acres is privately owned. Public lands, including state, county, and federal, amount to 332,000 acres or approximately one-third of the total area.

Of the privately owned lands, 261,348 acres is in farm land and this represents 25.4 per cent of the total area of the county. The total number of farms in Coos county increased from 570 in 1880 to 1698 in 1935, according to the census figures which have been retabulated by the extension service for use at the outlook conference. During this same period of time, the average size of farms has decreased from 198 acres in 1880 to 154 acres in 1935.

The improved land per farm has decreased from 44.6 acres to 23.3 acres during this period. According to Paul Carpenter, extension economist in marketing, the farms in some counties of the state are being sub-divided to the point where it is not possible for an average size family to maintain itself. This was not thought by the committee to be a serious factor in Coos county, however, since most of the sub-divisions in this section occurred in the higher areas around industrial centers.

The number of farms in Coos county ranging in size from 20 acres upwards has remained about constant since 1920, while the number of farms ranging from three acres to 20 acres have about doubled during this period.

The members of the Agricultural Economics Committee include Adam Donaldson, chairman; Alton Kay, E. D. Webb, R. H. Lawhorne, J. E. Norton, John Mullen, L. W. Patton, and John Donaldson.

Sub-committees, which will meet soon, are preparing reports on farm credit, land utilization, and farm subdivision, which will be considered with the final report, designed to guide agricultural development in the county to be considered at the outlook conference on March 10 and 11.

6-Year Old Boy Succumbs

Otis Wilbur Linn, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Linn, of this city, died at the Coquille Hospital Wednesday.

Funeral services were conducted at the Gano Funeral Home yesterday at two p. m. by Rev. H. A. Minter. Interment was in the Odd Fellows cemetery.

The little fellow was born in Marshfield, May 29, 1929, and came to Coquille with his parents a couple of years ago when the Linn bowling alley was opened.

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Red Devils Lose Two More

The two weeks of rest during the quarantine evidently did the Red Devils no good for they appeared listless in last Friday night's game with the Bandon Tigers at the Community Building here. They made plenty of opportunities for shots at the basket but their aim was not good, nor was the teamwork of the same calibre as previously shown.

At half time the visitors were leading, 13 to 11, but they increased it to a 38 to 18 score at the end.

The B squad of Coquille High also took a lacing from Bandon's B, who won 24 to 12.

Line-up for the A game:
Coquille (18) (38) Bandon
Walker (2) F (9) H. Baird
Bailey (2) F (10) R. Baird
McClellan (4) C (8) Mynatt
Barton (2) G (5) Giles
Ricketts (4) G (4) Griffin
Subs., Bandon, Biggar, Fogle, Oliver; Coquille, Wood, Richardson (2), Waggoner (2), Fuhrman.

The Red Devils made a much better showing at Myrtle Point on Tuesday of this week when they held the Bobcats to a 29-28 score. The score at half time was 21-18 in favor of Myrtle Point.

The Bobcat B team smeared the B Red Devils 41 to 8 in the preliminary game.

Line-ups for the varsity were:
Coquille (28) (29) Myrtle Point
Ricketts (4) F (6) Drulliner
Bailey (10) F (4) Barklow
McClellan (4) C (6) Cooper
Barton (2) G (2) Pearson
Waggoner (8) G (5) Mast
Substitutes were: W. P., Howard (4) and Ellis (2); Coquille, Walker and Mattoon.

Marriage Licenses

Feb. 7—A. Lyle Strong, of Bandon, and Elma Avery, of Coquille. They were married last Friday by Justice J. J. Stanley at his office here.

Feb. 8—Carl Hogan and Ella Mae Floyd, both of Myrtle Point. They were married at the M. E. parsonage at Myrtle Point last Saturday, by Rev. W. C. Cronk.

Feb. 8—Geo. Glenn Cummings, of Reedsport, and Fern Kingsford, of Bandon.

Feb. 8—Lee Savage and Mildred Foss, both of Marshfield.

Feb. 10—Kenneth Sommer, of Marshfield, and Mary Farrin, of Sumner.

Feb. 11—Forrest Grant, of Gaylord, and Lou Emma Vandewort, of Empire. They were married by Rev. W. Raymond Wilder, at the M. E. South parsonage here on Tuesday.

Feb. 13—Alfred B. Barrows, of Coquille, and Ona Pearl Adams, of Langlois.

Feb. 13—Edward F. Miles, of New York City, and Gladys Goodman, of Coquille.

Feb. 13—Frank R. Andrews and Donanda Wills, both of North Bend.

Probate Court

Wm. E. Walsh, of Marshfield, was yesterday appointed administrator of the \$2000 estate left by Dr. Frank Leslie, who died at Marshfield, Feb. 4. The appraisers are J. Albert Matson, Charles Kampfer and Dr. A. B. Peacock.

New Cases in Circuit Court

Feb. 10—Frank L. Vader and wife vs. Catherine Broughton.

Feb. 13—Jas. E. Montgomery and Mair A. Dano, as trustees, vs. Chas. Feller et al.

Feb. 13—Elsie S. Wood vs. James Mattei and Nolan S. Bowman.

Fire Insurance on dwelling and contents in Coquille \$7.00 per \$1,000 for 3 years at Huggins Insurance Agency, Marshfield. Write us, our representative will call. 491t

Church of Christ

E. Fourth St. near Couler Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Morning service, 10:45 a. m. Sermon topic, "How We Know We Are Christians."

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Sermon topic, "When A Man's A Man." The Ninety and Nine Brotherhood of the church are sponsoring this service.

Midweek service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Earl F. Downing, minister 264 E. Fourth St.

The Pioneer Methodist Church

W. Raymond Wilder, Minister Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday services: Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship 11:00 a. m. Epworth Leagues 6:30 p. m. Evangelistic service 7:30 p. m.

Emanuel Baptist Church

Harold A. Minter, Pastor, Tel. 48-M Thursday, 7:30 p. m., mid-week Bible study.

Choir rehearsal on Friday evening 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church

Evening preaching 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Scriptural, spiritual preaching. Everyone welcome.

G. A. Gray, Pastor, 107 E. 2nd St., Coquille, Ore.

Coquille Assembly of God

Mrs. Hazel MacLeod, pastor Sunday: 9:45 a. m. Sunday school for all ages. 11:00 a. m. Morning worship. 6:30 p. m. Young Peoples service and Adult Prayer League. 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting. Friday: 7:30 p. m. Glimpses from the Book of Revelation.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

Coquille, Oregon Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Sunday Service at 11 a. m. Subject for next Sunday, "Soul."

Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

Free public Reading Room open in Church Building every Tuesday and Friday afternoons except holidays from two to five o'clock.

The public is cordially invited to attend our services and to visit the Reading Room.

The Holy Name Catholic Church

Mass on first and third Sundays at 8 a. m.; second Sunday at 10 a. m. and when there are five Sundays, Mass on fourth Sunday at 10 a. m. Last Sunday of each month Mass at Myrtle Point at 8 a. m. and at Powers at 10 a. m.

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