

**MYRTLE POINT ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Barklow, of Marshfield, are the proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday, December 12. This is their first child and the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Sumnerlin of this city.

Robert Sturdivant returned to his home in Newburg after a few days' stay in Myrtle Point on business.

The library report for November is as follows: 1110 books read by adults, 313 by children, 15 state books read, magazines loaned 239, new registrations 44, money received from rentals \$8.99, money from fines \$6.13.

The December meeting of the Woman's Club was held Monday evening at eight o'clock in the city hall. A pleasing program was given, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Marlin Evans, Mrs. T. G. Sumnerlin and Mrs. Florence Higgins had charge of the refreshments.

Miss Ruth Hamm returned to her home in Myrtle Point, after spending several months in Los Angeles.

P. W. Laird and daughter, Vernita arrived Sunday and will spend this week in Myrtle Point on business.

W. W. Deyoe is confined to his home this week suffering with blood poison in his arm.

The annual meeting of the Southwestern Oregon Funeral directors association was held Friday evening in this city. Henry A. Schroeder was re-elected president. Elbert Schroeder, of Coquille, was selected to serve again as secretary. Members present included Mr. and Mrs. Thuerwacher of Marshfield; Chas. Schroeder, of Bandon; A. M. Peterson, North Bend; C. W. Gano, Elbert Schroeder, Coquille; Henry A. Schroeder and L. L. Powers, Myrtle Point.

Miss Ruth Wallace, of this city, was elected district president of the Girl's League society Saturday afternoon at the business meeting of the Southwestern Oregon Conference held in the high school building at North Bend. Other officers are vice president, Jean Baumont, Marshfield; secretary, Lucille Sherwood, Coquille; Effie Barrows, Bandon; district adviser, Miss Ruth Smith, Myrtle Point. The conference will be held in Myrtle Point next year.

Mrs. Edward Joehnk, of Marshfield, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fox.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church met Wednesday in the church parlors. After the business was disposed of those attending enjoyed a Christmas exchange party. At the close of the afternoon refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Hazelwood, Mrs. Gus Dietz, Mrs. Frank Thripp and Mrs. N. E. Bond.

Elton Schroeder is the new worshipful master of Myrtle Lodge, No. 78, A. F. & A. M., elected at a meeting held Thursday evening. Other officers are Barton Stemmler, senior warden; Roy Henry, junior warden; R. C. Bowers, secretary, and Ralph Kring, treasurer. The new worshipful master's appointive officers are: R. L. Spires, senior deacon; Austin Dodge, junior deacon; Ellis Shull, senior steward; P. C. Roper, junior steward, and Otto Davis, Tyler.

The Octagon club was entertained on Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. T. G. Sumnerlin. Members present were Mrs. E. C. Barker, Mrs. Marlin Evans, Mrs. Charles Woolridge and Mrs. Paul Breuer. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Bert Pearson.

At a recent meeting Myrtle Camp, R.N.A., held its annual election of officers, the following being chosen: oracle, Blanche Felcher; past oracle, Laura Schroeder; vice oracle, Eva

Hazelwood; recorder, Gladys Evans; receiver, Ethel Miller; chancellor, Amy Davenport; inner sentinel, Molly Floyd; outer sentinel, Ida Harris; manager, three-year term, Nell Ray; installing officer, Ruby Northup; delegate to state camp, Ada Lemon; alternate, Ann Tripp.

Diekie Kenyon, who has been in the Mast Hospital the last two months, was able to leave Monday and return to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Deyoe.

Gwendolyn Weaver, teacher at Twins Oaks school, is confined to her home this week with an attack of flu. Miss Mary Davenport is substituting for her.

**BRIDGE**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wall, of Riveron, visited Saturday afternoon at the I. A. Hatfield and A. O. Hooton homes. The Walls moved away from Bridge about four years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Culver and children, Mary Lou and Evert, returned Sunday evening from a trip which took them as far south as Tlaxcala, Mexico. In southern California they visited two half-sisters of Mr. Culver. At Alameda they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bargelt and they stopped at Cazadero to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Brown. Both going and coming they stopped over in Medford with Mrs. Harold E. James. Mr. James, who was recently transferred to the Veterans' Hospital at Walla Walla is in very poor health.

Miss Pauline Farmer is appointed to lead the Christian Endeavor meeting next Sunday evening, the topic being one in keeping with the Christmas season.

Mrs. Velma Cribbins, who suffered very severe burns last week, when using coal oil to start a fire is getting along as well as could be expected. He is being cared for at the Mast hospital in Myrtle Point.

A jolly gathering of relatives and friends at the home of Mrs. Lucy E. Culver Sunday celebrated the birthday anniversaries of the hostess and of Mrs. James E. Culver, Mrs. Frank Culver, Mrs. J. W. Barnett and Mrs. Sarah Williams, all of which occur in December. Those present for the happy occasion were Mr. and Mrs. M. Aasen, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barnett and Esther, from Arago; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reed and son, Gerald; Mrs. Sarah Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier Hoffman, from Myrtle Point; Mrs. Elizabeth Lett, from Norway; Mrs. Lucy E. Culver, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Culver and Archie, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Culver, Lynn, Tommy, Edson and Elsie Ann, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lett, Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Lett and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Finch, Marian, Gene and Charlotte, Glenn Hutton, Mrs. Teddy Miller and Mrs. J. T. Evernden, all of Bridge.

The carnival at the school house Friday evening, sponsored by the Woman's Civic club, was largely attended and the receipts of the evening amounted to over \$100.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Schmid, who have recently closed an evangelistic campaign at Toledo, arrived here Tuesday afternoon and began a meeting that evening. Mrs. Schmid leads the song service and Mr. Schmid makes a chalk picture every other evening. There will be no services on Tuesday, Thursday nor Friday evenings of next week.

The community Christmas program will be presented in the school auditorium next Tuesday evening.

**U. S. Civil Service Exams**

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following open competitive examinations, for which applications must be on file at the local postoffice before Dec. 28: Fireman (Oil Burner Marine); Fireman (Oil Burner) Dragtender; Leverman; Inspector (Dredging); Inspector (Rivers, Harbors, and Waterways Construction). Competitors will not be required to report for examination at any place, but will be rated on their experience and fitness. See the secretary of the board of U. S. Civil Service examiners at the Coquille postoffice for further information.

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**COQUILLE HIGH SCHOOL**

**Christmas Assembly Wednesday**

The students of Coquille high school will give their Christmas assembly program Wednesday, December 23, at 1:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium. The program will include a Christmas talk by Mayor Berg, songs by the glee club, Christmas carol singing by the students, a play by members of the Girls' League, and a number to be presented by the freshmen girls under the direction of Mrs. Beyers. The public is cordially invited to attend this Christmas program after which the students will be excused for their Christmas holidays which will last until Monday, January 4.

**Decorations in Home Rooms**

Christmas is evidently anticipated at Coquille high school, if one may judge by the room decorations. Each room has a Christmas tree and other decorations range from festooned bells to miniature scenes of the Nativity. One senior roll room has an enormous picture of Santa Claus as he sits in his arm chair and reads his many letters. Of course the letters are reproduced on the board, and many interesting wishes are revealed. An immense cedar wreath tied with a huge red bow adorns the door of the library, while blue and silver colors adorn the bookkeeping room. Rooms were judged Tuesday of this week, and the results will be announced at the Christmas assembly.

**Girls' League Conference Attended**

Forty-two girls from Coquille high school attended the Southwestern Oregon Girls' League conference held at North Bend Saturday, December 12. Mary Lou Nosler was in charge of arrangements for Coquille's part in the program, and official delegates were Eileen Kendall, Jean Nye, Eileen Percy, and Audrey Taylor. The main speakers on the program included Dean Kate Jamieson, of Oregon State College, and Mrs. Genevieve Turnipseed, from the University of Oregon. Coquille high school was honored by having Lucille Sherwood elected secretary of the association for the ensuing year. Girls who attended the conference were: Ann Hawkins, Ellen Bloomquist, Mary Robb, Clara Bomar, Donna Getz, Vesta Duncanson, Ruth Pettingill, Edna Howe, Maxine Knight, Leta Shults, Hazel Morris, Barbara Leslie, Eileen Kendall, Yvonne Kern, Ruth Dimick, Mary Lou Nosler, Vivian Morris, Dorothy Newton, Bonnie Gage, Videlle Kelley, LaVelle Dale, Margaret Stewart, Jane Kramer, Peggy Wernich, Lucille Sherwood, Margaret Smith, Violet Sutton, Elaine Young, Leah Rover, Marion Hess, Glennis Finley, Marilyn Compton, Jean Nye, Elaine Gray, Georgia Sherwood, Eileen Percy, Audrey Taylor, Helen Houser, Helen Johnson, Lillian Bower, Margaret Finn and Donna Dean Bosserman.

**Debate Tryouts**

Debate tryouts, under the direction of Mrs. Beyers, were held Thursday afternoon, December 17. The question for the trial debate was, "Resolved, that Coquille should build a new school gymnasium. Judges for the trial debate were Superintendent Lane, Mr. Smith, Miss Hall, Mrs. Osika and Mrs. Beyers. The national high school debating topic chosen for 1936-37 is, Resolved, That all electric utilities should be governmentally owned and operated. This topic promises good arguments on both sides of the question. Coquille will probably be represented this year by a team of beginners in debate, since last year's senior class included debate members for the past two years. Coquille has some very enthusiastic debaters, however, that should uphold the good record gained in the last two years.

**County School Notes**

**From Mrs. Mulkey's Office**

**Non High Meeting**  
The Non-High school board will meet the evening of Monday, Dec. 21, at 8:00 p. m. Any person who has matters which he cares to bring up at that time is invited to come to the meeting. In all probability the board will not be in session again until time for advertising contracts.

**4-H Award to Be Repeated**  
The First National Bank of Portland will again provide a trip to the Pacific International for outstanding 4-H members. This plan was inaugurated last summer at which time one high score boy and high score girl from Coos were allowed to take the trip. Winifred Newbury, of Broadbent, and Ellis Rackleff, of Arago, were chosen at that time. All expense of travel was paid by the bank, members were boarded at the Heathman Hotel and had the opportunity of visiting many interesting places under careful supervision.

The local management for the 4-H trip for next summer will again be in charge of the North Bend branch of the First National Bank of Portland.  
**Teachers Meet in Portland**  
Many teachers of Coos county will attend the state teachers meeting in Portland. This meeting will be held as usual during the Christmas vacation. The dates set are December 28, 29 and 30.

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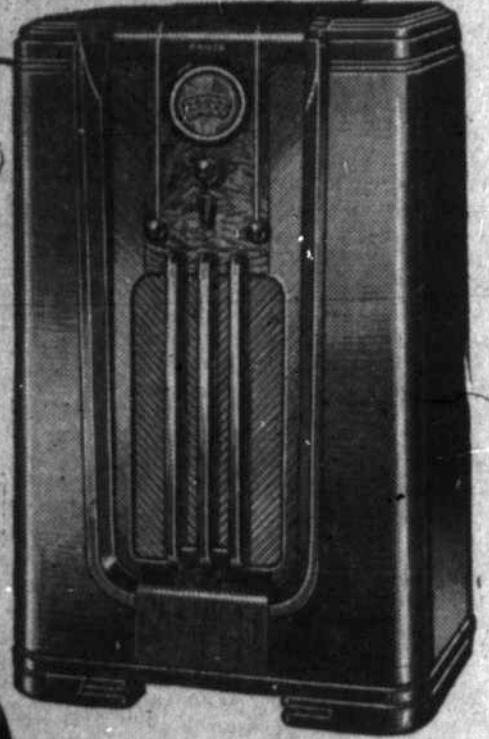
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**Bandon Will Carry on the Fight**

(Western World)  
The adverse decision of the district engineer against the improvement of the Coquille River Bar and Entrance will be appealed to the Board of Engineers at Washington, D. C., according to a resolution adopted at the meeting of the commissioners of the Port of Bandon Tuesday.

D. D. Dickinson, who has represented the port in preparing the data on the application for a harbor project, and who conducted the local hearing, is now in Washington. He will be given power of attorney to represent the port.

According to a letter from Mr. Dickinson to John Nielson, assistant secretary of the port, the local improvement project has the support of the U. S. Navy who favor a 24-foot depth of water on the bar.

If the appeal fails, it is the intention of the Port of Bandon to take the matter up directly with congress.

**Student Getting Experience**

Julia Leatherman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Leatherman of Coquille, is doing part time teaching in the McMinnville high school. The state requires a certain number of

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