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## Agricultural Conference Here Tomorrow

### Committee Reports to Be Received and Prospects for Agricultural Development Heard

With all advance preparations completed for the one-day Coos county farm economic conference in Coquille, January 28, a general invitation has been extended to farmers and their wives, as well as to any business men interested, to attend the conference, which will open at 9:30 o'clock in the Odd Fellows Hall.

It is advanced interest is any indication, a large crowd will be on hand during the day to assist in the consideration of important questions facing the agricultural industry of Coos county, says County Agent Jenkins.

The conference will be opened by E. L. Peterson, who is serving as general chairman for the day. Agricultural planning, and its effect on Coos county agriculture will be discussed by County Agent Jenkins.

The first committee report to be discussed will be that dealing with farm home and rural life. Following this will be a consideration of the facts gathered by the land use committee, after which long-time agricultural planning and its relationship to the present agricultural outlook will be discussed.

Discussions of the reports of the committees on crop acreage and on livestock and grazing problems will conclude the day's program. Lunch will be served at noon at a moderate cost and entertainment features will be included.

## Harold Burgess Saved From Sea

"Swimming is sure good for your health, must go back to work," wires Harold Burgess to a friend here. He was one of the four young men who were in the fishing boat, "Eva," 36-foot vessel which capsized at the mouth of Humboldt bay, near Eureka, Sunday evening. Two young men were drowned and two were saved by the coast guard.

When picked up after being in the ocean for an hour, Harold was clinging to a piece of driftwood. He came to Coos county several years ago with a CCC contingent from St. Louis and after leaving camp here had been with the Smith Wood-Products company until last October.

## Junior C. of C. to Meet Friday

An organization meeting for a Junior Chamber of Commerce is scheduled to be held in the Coquille city hall Friday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Donald Farr, who has sent out letters inviting attendance Friday evening, states that two representatives of the Junior Chamber at Portland will be here to advise in the organization program.

No age limit or business classification has been set, those being two matters that the chamber will decide for itself when the organization meeting is held.

## Something New Under the Sun

New is the name for it! Five Star Picture Company has its motion picture of the high school, and its activities, all but completed. February 3, this original and exciting picture will be released for the first time on any screen. It will take place in the high school auditorium at 8:00 p. m. This is not a "silent" picture.

All this is something that has never before been attempted on the west coast; it is, in addition to being a great attraction in itself, a decided novelty, well worth while seeing.

Parents will know the pride and joy of seeing their children on "the silver screen," and members of the high school faculty will now really be able to view themselves from the places of the students.

The many activities of school life are shown, the students and teachers as they actually go about their various duties of the day. However, this is not all. Also shown are the recreational side of school is seen, too, showing the progress of modern schools from drudgery to profitable learning without it being all work.

Five Star Pictures is presenting to the public a real treat, something really new under the sun. "A day at school" with the students the only actors in it, being themselves, and you will love them for it!

## Mystery Fire at Tip Top Early Sunday

A fire of unknown origin did about \$500 worth of damage in the basement of the Odd Fellows building, under Mrs. Bonnie Walker's Tip Top confectionery at four o'clock last Sunday morning. The loss was about evenly divided between damage to the beams of the building and upstairs from smoke, and damage to Mrs. Walker's stock kept in the basement.

Mrs. Walker and her son, Bill, and Chuck Howell had been down there not later than three o'clock and the store was locked about 3:30 a. m. after the Saturday night dance crowd had departed.

When discovered by the police, smoke filled the Tip Top and was escaping through windows left open. It did not take long for the department to extinguish the blaze, although paint on the wall, under an advertising sign at the head of the stairs to the basement was blistered.

Mrs. Walker carried no insurance on the stock. She is sure that no one had smoked down there for at least an hour before the fire and as the electric wires are all run through pipes, it is a mystery as to what started the fire and it probably will never be known.

## Bar Assn. Banquet Saturday

The Coos County Bar Association will hold its annual business meeting and banquet in the Coquille Hotel Saturday, Jan. 29. Judge Hall Lusk, supreme court justice for Oregon, will be the principal speaker at the banquet which will be served at 6:30 o'clock, with J. W. McInturff acting as toastmaster. Carl S. Benson, clerk of the supreme court, will also be present.

The business session will be opened by the president, L. A. Liljeqvist, at 3:30 o'clock that afternoon, the meeting also to be held in the hotel. Harry A. Slack is secretary of the bar association, and Duncan Douglas, of Marshfield, is treasurer.

## A Freakish Carrot

D. M. Sumerlin brought in to the Sentinel last Friday a carrot, six inches long, which had grown through a bone. That is the bone acted as a ring for the carrot which was not an inch in diameter where it passed through the bone, but the top was over two inches in diameter and the lower end, slightly smaller. But the bone contracted the middle of the vegetable whose growing power was not sufficient to break the bone.

## N. L. B. Hearing Jan. 29

The hearing before the National Labor Relations Board on the petition of six discharged employees at the Smith Wood-Products plywood plant last fall was postponed for a few days and will now be heard next Monday.

Another filed against the company in connection with the sawmill is to be heard February 7.

Buy local bread and support home industry.

## Visitors Need Not Answer Summons

### Council Decides to Show Leniency for Overtime Parking to Those Temporarily in Town

The Bowditch Motor Co. submitted a bid to the city at the council meeting Monday evening for a power street flusher complete at \$1212.50.

A delegation of Lions and Rotary club members were present at the session to discuss leniency in enforcement of the parking ordinance. After several had spoken on the subject, Mayor Rankin informed them that the city now had printed on its tags, "if you are an out-of-town resident you need not respond to this notice," which appeared to be a satisfactory arrangement to those present.

Glen E. Gilbert's bid of \$96.75 for painting and decorating those parts of the city hall interior not already redecorated, was the lowest and was accepted by the council.

The city engineer estimated the cost of removing the present curbs on Second and Hall streets and paving the street full width between sidewalks at \$2.25 per front foot. No action was taken.

The revised list of salaries to be paid city employees for the year 1933 was filed with the recorder this week. Some of them are less than the amounts named in the budget last fall, and are to be:

Chief of police, \$1800.  
City recorder, \$1900.  
City treasurer, \$150 per month.  
City engineer, \$150 per month.  
Water supt., \$125 per month.  
Street commissioner, \$120 per month.  
Police officers (2), \$130 per month.  
Water and street department assistant, \$4 per day.

## Coos City Bridge Open to Traffic

The new Coos City bridge across Isthmus slough will be completely finished tomorrow, although traffic has passed over it all week at the drivers own risk.

The county has accommodated the people of that section and on up to Sumner at a relatively small cost. Judge McLain stated yesterday that he thought the cost would total under \$4,000.

One item that saved considerable expense was the planking. The state highway department is just finishing replanking the surface of the China Camp bridge, using five-inch plank, and has given those taken up there to the county for the Coos City bridge, instead of burning them. The planks were treated when laid and should last where now used for a great many years.

## Spring Weather in Coos Co.

It was ten degrees warmer this morning than it has been before this week, indicating a rain is on the way. For the fourth or fifth time this winter the thermometer stood at 29 degrees two mornings this week and it has not been below that since a year ago. Monday it registered 29, Tuesday 30, Wednesday 19, and it was 40 this morning.

Coos county has put its best foot forward this week with sunny, comfortable spring days, while much of the United States has been suffering the rigors of hard winter weather.

But the 8 a. m. fogs have been bad. Yesterday morning from the Coquille Service Station to Folsom's Grocery it was impossible to see two car lengths ahead, while just outside of town, toward Marshfield and Myrtle Point the sun was shining.

## Exercise for Health

The Girls Club — "Exercise for health" — which has been in the process of organization for the past month will be ready to function the first of next month. Membership tickets which call for dues of 50 cents per month are on sale at the Tip Top.

The club is open to all ladies, 15 years and older. It will meet once a week — on Thursday evening — in the auditorium of the high school.

Next Tuesday, Feb. 1, will be motion day in circuit court, Judge Brand announced last Tuesday.

Calling cards, 50 for \$1.00.

## Carl Ensele Was Buried Here Monday

### Was Stricken by Pneumonia at Eureka, California, Last Friday — He Was a Builder

His hosts of friends in Coquille and Coos county were shocked last Saturday when word reached here from Eureka, Calif., that Carl Ensele had passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital there the day before.

Death resulted from a combination of heart trouble and pneumonia after a week in the hospital. Mrs. Ensele had been there a week before, when the pneumonia condition developed and had returned home on Monday with the assurance that she would be called if Mr. Ensele became worse. Although not summoned she went to Eureka last Friday to be met with the sad information that he had already gone.

Funeral services were conducted at the Schroeder Chapel here on Monday, with Rev. H. L. Grayhead officiating. Music was furnished by friends of the deceased, who also have conducted the musical instruction of his children — Mrs. M. O. Hawkins at the piano and Miss Muriel Dae on the violin.

Interment was in the Masonic cemetery.

Carl Peter Ensele was born Nov. 18, 1892, in Akron, Ohio, and was united in marriage to Miss May Wilson in 1918 here in Coquille. Two children were born to them, Geraldine and Leonard.

Other surviving relatives are his father, Peter Ensele, 79 years old, of Shasta, Calif.; seven sisters and three brothers. The former are: Mrs. Anna McKroy and Mrs. Emma Margreiter, both of Shasta; Mrs. Elsie Gaspar and Mrs. Louise Mineau, of Marysville, Calif.; Miss Lillian Ensele, of Yreka; Mrs. Nora Morgan, of Grenada, and Mrs. Frances Stoll, of Sacramento. The brothers are William and Edgar, of Grenada, and John, of Montague, all in California.

John Ensele was a builder and had constructed many Coquille homes. At the time of his death he was just finishing construction of the Arrow Mill plant at Eureka and, according to N. Jameson, was to have been plant foreman.

Carl was a lover of music, for years was a clarinetist in the Coquille band, and his greatest desire was that his children should become accomplished musicians.

## Lans Leneve to Run for Sheriff

Lans Leneve, who made so great a race for the nomination four years ago, announces himself this week as a candidate for the democratic nomination for sheriff of Coos county at the May primaries. Lans has a wide acquaintance throughout the county with the older residents of Coos and if he has kept as well in touch with the arrivals of recent years, he will again be a hard man to beat.

The only other candidate to announce himself thus far is Ennis Keizer, of North Bend, who will seek to succeed himself as coroner. He has filed as a candidate on the republican ticket.

## Rotary Guests This Week

Harry H. Oerding's was a new face at the Rotary club luncheon yesterday, he having been elected to membership the week before.

High school students present for the luncheon were LaVelle Dale, Ben Holverstott, and James Young. The latter furnished entertainment by showing moving pictures of Boulder dam.

Visiting Rotarians were Bob Connolly, of Portland, J. B. Beddingfield, Sheldon Sackett, E. J. Loney, all of Marshfield. Lynn C. Burch was a guest from Stockton, Calif.

## L.O.O.F. Grand Master Coming

The initiatory degree is to be conferred on a candidate tomorrow evening at the regular weekly meeting of Coquille Lodge, No. 53, I. O. O. F. A special meeting of the lodge to be followed by a banquet is scheduled for next Tuesday evening, Feb. 1, when the grand master, Howard K. Zimmerman, is to pay his official visit.

All Odd Fellows are cordially invited and requested to attend both these meetings.

## C. of C. Asks Longer Fishing Season

With 85 per cent of the directors present — seventeen — the Coquille Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday noon in the hotel.

A resolution was adopted requesting the state game commission to postpone the season closing for ocean-going trout from Nov. 1 to Dec. 1, 1933.

A resolution was considered, addressed to the county court, asking that the unpaid Bandon taxes for 1932 and prior years be remitted. It was decided to wait until the state tax commission had rendered an opinion as to the legality of such action by the county court before passing the resolution.

The unanimous opinion was that Bandon should be helped in every way possible, and that others who lost their property, outside the city, should receive the same consideration. It was also stated by Mayor Beyers that if one taxpayer in the county objected to the remission it would involve the county in endless trouble.

J. A. Fitzpatrick reported for the membership committee that pledges for 1933 now in hand total \$1324, with possibly \$200 more in sight.

This will insure the employment of a full time secretary during the summer season and permit the chamber to pay for part time service during the rest of the year.

## Cantata Date Set for Feb. 8

A cantata, "The Rose Maiden," will be presented by the Coquille Choral Club under the direction of Mrs. Maud Skaggs Woodyard, in the Pioneer Methodist Church Tuesday evening, February 8. The light romantic fantasy retells an old German folk tale and features beautiful solo and choral numbers.

The Queen of the Flower Fairies, weary of a life of unbroken calm, prays the newly returned Spring to bestow upon her also the gift of love that he has given to man. Warning her of the risk, he finally yields to her entreaties, changing her while she sleeps in the form of a beautiful girl. Under the name of Roseblossom, she wanders through the world to find the love she seeks. She meets a girl, who, having been betrayed and deserted by her lover, loses her senses and dies broken-hearted. Undeterred from her search, Roseblossom becomes the wife of a forester with whom she lives for a time in such perfect happiness that she cannot survive his death. The elves bewail the fate of their queen and curse love as fatal to peace and happiness. Thus runs the story of "The Rose Maiden."

Among the soloists for the concert will be Mrs. Clabaugh, whose name was omitted from the previously announced list.

## Splendid Attendance at

### Law Enforcement Meeting

There were about 85 present for the law enforcement meeting held in the Pioneer church here Tuesday evening and which was addressed by District Attorney Flaxel.

The next meeting of the organization, to be held in the Coquille Baptist church the evening of Feb. 7, will have only two elected delegates from each church in the county present, and the permanent organization will be perfected by the election of officers.

The purpose of this county-wide church movement is to co-operate with the constituted officials in securing law enforcement with a view to helping the youth of the county.

## First Session Religious School

The Religious Education School which held its first classes in the Pioneer church Tuesday evening, was attended by 41 Sunday school teachers and others, and Rev. W. A. Stephens, dean of the school, was greatly pleased with the interest shown and the attendance.

Next Monday evening Supt. B. W. Dunn will address the group on the subject, "Understanding the Youth and Its World."

Everyone is invited to attend these sessions, which will continue for six weeks this term, but only teachers will be given certificates for advancement. It is planned to hold the school twice a year, with a six weeks' period each time, in the next three years.

## Best State Dairy Meeting Yet Held

### 250 Attended Meetings Here Friday and Saturday With Good Attendance From Over State

George H. Fullenwider, of Carlton, who has served as president of the Oregon Dairymen's Association for the past six years, was re-elected for 1933 at the annual meeting of the organization which closed in Coquille last Saturday evening.

Oscar Hagg, of Reedsville, and George Hampton, of Arago, were re-elected to serve as first and second vice-presidents respectively, and Roger Morse, of Corvallis, will again serve as secretary and treasurer.

The convention which was frequently attended by dairymen from successful meetings of the organization was well attended during the entire two-day session. Approximately 100 dairymen and others attended the meeting from points outside of Coos county, and enough local dairymen were present most of the time to bring his average attendance to approximately 250 people.

E. L. Peterson, president of the Coos County Dairymen's Association, opened the meeting on Friday and J. E. Norton, of Coquille, welcomed the visitors to the city and wished them success. Mr. Fullenwider responded and followed with his annual address through which he urged co-operation on all problems affecting the dairy industry of the state. Oscar Hagg discussed progress in Bang's disease control and J. D. Mickle, chief, division of foods and dairies of the state Department of Agriculture, gave a progress report on the Oregon milk and cream grading program. The afternoon session on the opening day included a discussion on the organization and work of the state department of agriculture by S. T. White, director.

Fundamentals of dairy cattle feeding were reviewed by F. M. Brandt, head of the Dairy Department, Oregon State College. C. T. Conklin, secretary of the Ayrshire Breeders' Association, showed slides indicating that it's the lifetime record of production that counts in developing dairy cattle.

Mr. Conklin was principal speaker at the banquet which followed the meeting on the first day, discussing the effect the dairy cow has on the development of society. Leland P. Linn, superintendent of schools in (Continued on Page Six)

## Bank Has Good Year

February 1st marks the first anniversary of the local bank as a branch of The First National Bank of Portland. Branch officials report the past year to have been a very busy one and are very grateful for the fine reception given them by the community.

During the past summer the banking room was completely remodeled and new fixtures installed. A new nest of safe deposit boxes was added and arrangements were made for two coupon booths.

The branch staff includes the following: Harry Claterbos, manager; Lewis Wiltshire, assistant manager; Bob Fisher and Bess Maury, tellers; Howard Hickam, bookkeeper; and Laverne Knife, stenographer.

## Accidents Happened Yesterday

Several accident cases entered the Coquille Hospital yesterday:

C. A. Willey, state highway employee, slipped on the pavement and broke his right leg and ankle.

Eli Brault, of Riverton, working at the C. D. Ray camp at Fairview, injured his back as he was passing a choker over his shoulder.

Wm. E. Hall, while sawing wood at his home here, in some way cut his lower left arm its whole length, nearly severing his thumb. The digit was sewed back on and he is receiving treatment for very severe lacerations.

## Pro-America to Meet Saturday

There will be a meeting of the Pro America club at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, Jan. 29, at the home of the president, Mrs. Weldon Kline, at 590 Knowlton Ave.

About half the ladies whose names were drawn for jury duty this year — 45 or more — declined to serve. Most of them reside on the Bay side.