# No Appointment Yet Of New **Coos County Judge**

The Coos County Republican Cenmittee, by its executive committee, last Thursday night passed right back to Gov. Earl Snell the juestion of what republican should appointed to succeed County Judge E. L. Peterson, whose resigna-tion from the office will become efective about the first of May.

The executive committee did not take a vote to show preferences and one member of the committee ex-pressed the opinion that had they lone so the first ballot would possibly have shown seven names voted, different one by each member of

After discussing the matter at some ength, the following motion was manimously adopted by the committee for transmisison to Gov. Snell:

The executive committee of the Coos County informs the Governor that we cannot make a decision be-tween the good republicans of the county who are willing to accept the appointment as County Judge and that we feel it would not be to the best interests of the republican party to make such a decision but instead would make for disharmony and distinctly in the party. That we feel all the proposed candidates are worthy and should be considered and that such a list be submitted to the gov-

After each of the candidates for e position had been contacted by mittee, as to whether he would accept the appointment if ten-dered him, and an affirmative answer eing received, the following names were sent Gov. Snell along with the

former chairman of the Repub-County Central Committee,

rry A. Slack, Coquille attorney also a former chairman of the an County Central Com-

P. W. Culver, present Coos county lished. Ray McNair, hardware merchant. Coquille and vicinity except Mr.

Whether these candidates are all willing to make a full-time job out of the position, the Sentinel is not informed. Two of them, however, have informed this reporter that they could not devote all their time to the

Mr. Slack stated that the tendency has been lately to streamline the office duties so that a judge could devote a part of his time to his own business or profession, and that was his idea if he were appointed.

Dr. Milne stated emphatically yesterday that he could not and would not give up all his dental practice which he has spent years building up

Mr. Norton, Mr. Beyers, M. Bunch, Mr. Culver and probably Mr. Mc-Nair, are all in such positions that peting. they could devote all their time to acting as head of the million dollar or more Coos county corporation.

Gov. Snell, who stated yesterday was already committed to naming one of the candidates, providing some unforseen reason did not eliminate that candidate, has not indicated just when he will name Judge Peterson's successor.

State Grange Convention To Be Held In Eugene, June 7-11

Eugene, and not La Grande, as originally planned, will be host city to the 1943 session of the Oregon State Grange as a result of the army's commandeering most of the hotel facilities in the latter city. The convention will be held June 7-11,

#### Instruction In The Games of Handball Wednesday Evenings

Anyone interested in playing handball on the new court which has been completed in the basement of the Community Building should make it a point to attend the instruction class each Wednesday evening. A quali-fied inistructor will be there on Wed- 4, at the Mast Hospital in Myrtle nesday evening for the next few Point. "It sure does something to a

# Here In Three Days

A total of \$57,944.25 worth of War Savings Bonds have been purchased in Coquille since the opening Monday morning of the "Lend Your Dollars" campaign to raise 13 billion dollars in the United States on the second oncerted drive.

Of this total \$50,163 is reported by E. T. Stelle at the bank and \$7,781.25 by Postmaster M. O. Hawkins.

The Oregon Mutual Insurance Co. vhose Coquille representative is Geo. W Laird, writes to Ed. T. Stelle that the company has allotted \$15,000 of its surplus funds toward the purchase of War Bonds through the bank here. This amount is not included in the totals given above.

#### Councilmen May Earn Their Salaries

It's going to be up to the mayor and the six councilmen to take a shift each week on the city police force! That would work out all right, only they have to draw straws to see which would act as chief.

Jack Arnold has tendered his resignation as chief, effective this coming Sunday, and Otho Miller served his last shift last Saturday night. Both men are going to work at the Smith Wood-Products plant.

For the past week since Miller guit the force, Frank Dungey, building inspector and member of the city's street force, has been taking a night shift.

Some uncomplimentary wag sugests that the councilmen could earn their salaries that way.

### Paul Walker To Be Submariner

Paul Walker, aged 19 years, son Mr. adn Mrs. Paul W. Walker, now ving in Seattle and whom he vis-

ago and for two or three months after Pearl Harbor, was reported as missing. How the report got started no one knows, but he told his friends a good deal about that treacherous Jap attack, a story that cannot be pub-

· It required eight days for him to go to the Hawaiian Islands by boat All of the seven are residents of but he flew back on a bomber in as many hours.

Paul knew nothing about boxing State Liquor Store when he entered the Navy but the gymnasium instructor observed his actions in athletic exercises and before he left the Islands he had become middleweight boxing champion of the Pacific fleet.

#### **County Relays** Here Tomorrow

The Coos County Relays, which will include practically all the field events of a track meet except the high jump and pole vault, will be held at the Coquille Athletic Park tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at two o'clock, with Coquille, Myrtle Point, North Bend and Marshfield com-

It should be added-weather permitting-for if it rains the track would be too soft to run upon. Most of the inter-school meets scheduled in a telephone communication that he for the past two weeks have been

cancelled because of rain. "Spike" Leslie says Coquille High will enter 16 boys in the eleven

events on the schedule. The state track meet which is to be held at Eugene will be on Saturday, April 24, instead of on May 1 as previously announced.

#### Heath Street Property Changes Hands This Week

George E. Oerding completed the sale of property at 865 N. Heath St., owned by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin of Albany, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett. The Bennetts will continue to rent the property to the present ocpenter and contractor.

Coquille is rapidly becoming a city of home owners.

An eight pound, eight ounce, boy was born to Rev. and Mrs. Menno D. fellow," says the proud father.

# \$57,944 Bonds Bought Mrs. O. C. Sanford Is New President Of Woman's Club

Members and friends of the Co-quille Woman's Club learned Tues-day of the good news that Mrs. O. C. Sanford has consented to head the local club for the coming year. Mrs. Sanford finishes a successful term as president of the State Federation in June. During this time she has made many national and state contacts and state to visit the many clubs and her national convention experiences in Washington, D. C., Chicago and Dallas have all contributed to the rich understanding which is hers of the vast effort now being put forth by women in world affairs.

The Coguille Club, which is her production are:

hearly loses his reputation and dignity trying to find out. Paula Ward, LaVerne Barrette, gets shot at, and poor Leonard, the colored boy, (Wilfred Wasson), shivers and shakes and wishes he were back in town.

The characters making up this production are: from both. Her trips around the

The Coquille Club, which has a paid membership of 180 members, is entirely aware of its good fortune in this year's leadership. Mrs. Sanford acknowledged her election with ford acknowledged her election with a few words in which she mentioned the honor attached to being president of a club whose traditions like Coquille's are to be lived up to. Serving on the board with Mrs. Sanford will be Mrs. D. B. Kesner, first Mr. Hardman vice president; Mrs. Kennett Lawrence, second vice president; Mrs. R.
A. Wernich, recording secretafy; Mrs.
Fred Houston, treasurer; Mrs. Win.

Mansell, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. George Chaney, program chairman, was responsible for an entertaining literary afternoon, pre-tertaining literary aft senting Mrs. Keith Leslie who gave a book review on "G. B. S." by Hes-keth Pearson. This is a new book on the personal life of George Bernard Shaw which acquaints the public for the first time with the life of Shaw cerned with his works. Mrs. Leslie indling of her subject was well ferelved and expressions came from members who hoped to hear more books reviewed in club programs.

Oregon authors. She stated the date April 25 to May 2, have been design nated as a time to observe the Cen- Fire Destroys Home nial of the Oregon Trail.

review of Mrs. Agnes Lengstaken's book, "Destination West." This book

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# New Manager Of

Leo J. Cary was yesterday named by the State Liquor Commission in Salem to be its Coquille representative and in charge of the state store here. Mr. Cary succeeds Iris A. Elrod who resigned a short time ago to resume his former connections with Southwestern Motors.

Junior-Senior Banquet Set For Thursday, May 6

The C. H. S. Junior-Senior banquet will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall on the evening of Thursday, May 6. Miss Mary Morris, junior class adviser, is in charge of arrangements for this annual affair.

### Senior Class Play Tomorrow Night

Under the direction of Miss Lunelle Chapin, the Senior class of Co-

"Midnight," a mystery play but not the usual murder mystery, centers the action in the living room of the late David Greenwood. Much suspense and comedy occur as people ep mysteriously arriving and disappearing through a secret door.
What is behind that secret door? received tributes and recognition Mr. Hardman, (Bob McCarthy),

Mary Borel Colleen Ireland Dick Ray Jane Oerding Alvin Hickam Doris Ann Wood Wally Moore Marilyn Sage Dick Bland Elmer Zwicker

Jack McCracken, who had the part of Eddie, was unable at the last minute to be in the play because of a

The production Stage Manager - Ken Holverstott Properties - Marybelle Yarbrough Kay Leslie Ben Howe Sound Effects -Jack McCracker Publicity Betty Emery Between acts, the Junior High Girls' Choral Club, under the di rection of Harold Withnell, will sing

will also be made.

# Near Bridge Friday

book, "Destination West." This book is the story of her pioneer mother's life which was mostly spent in Coos creek road from Bridge, started in Stauff was for the county's share of ployees through payroll savings plan The neighbors of Herbert Kohl, county school fund \$218.72. to help him build another home to quarter ending March 31. The afternoon and they expect to get it the population of the 1940 census. practically done this coming Sunday.

Mrs. Kohl was away from home, their daughter, Dorothy, built a fire \$42.78, Eastside \$27.18, about noon in the cook stove behind which was a pite of pitch wood. Point \$55.22 and North Bend \$181.59. She then went with her father to gather ferns and when they returned Queen, Princesses at three o'clock they found only a pile of ashes and a lot of baked potatoes. They had not observed smoke nor did they know of the fire until they returned.

Woman's Club Annual May Day Dance, Saturday, May 1, in Coquille Community Building. Come and see the queen crowned at 9:00 p. m Admission 55 cents per person, 13t3

"They Give Their Lives - You Lend Your Money"

## Car Failed To Make Highway Turn

Mrs. Don Schmidt, of the Norway and cut this morning when she failed Lend Your Money quille High School will present their and cut this morning when she failed annual play, "Midnight," Friday, to make the turn on the highway at April 16, at eight o'clock, in the high miles out on the highway to Myrtle

> Dr. Richmond, who dressed her injuries at the hospital, said just before noon that he thinks she suffered no internal injuries.

The 1939 Chevrolet she was driving rolled down the steepest point at that Glen Aiken creek turn and was considerably damaged.

Mrs. Schmidt was on her way to work at the Smith Wood-Products

Effective the first of this month, Iris A. Elrod became general manager of all the Southwestern Motors business affairs in Coquille, the salesroom and garage next to the Sentinel office, the Car and Home Supply Store on Hall street, and the Used Car Lot on Taylor street.

Paul McElwain, owner of Southwestern Motors and Bay Motors at Bob McCarthy Marshfield, has so many varied interests to look after that he found it essary to place his Coquille affairs all in the hands of one man as he could not devote the time needed to give personal supervision to his Dick Bland business here at all times.

Both he and Mr. Elrod are to be congratulated for it is certain that Mr. McElwain selected a man who will guard his employer's interests as jealously as he would his own.

### Apportionment Of Moneys From State

County Treasurer Stauff this week Committ received a check for \$874,89 from All war bonds purchased during the state. This represented Coos the balance of April will be applied county's share of the 25 per cent of toward pieces of equipment. A wide Forest Reserve rentals, which Ore-range of prices are available, giving gon receives from the federal gov-every size firm opportunity to enroll ernment. The check was for the in the contest. Army tents are the year ending June 30, 1942. The lowest cost "premium," being listed amount received a year ago was at \$10. Large and ambitious organ-\$95.02. Of the \$874.89 the county izations can sign up for submarine general fund receives \$657.17 and the (\$3,000,000), minesweepers (\$3,500,-

replace the one burned last Friday amount paid the cities is based on and the cities will receive as their shares of that remittance the folhaving been called to Salem, and lowing; Coquille \$141.76, Bandon far the largest amount ever attempt-Empire \$28.33, Marshfield \$224.07, Myrtle

# To Be Chosen

Tomorrow the Coquille High student body will make selection among the senior class girls of the young ladies who are to be Queen and Princess attendants at the Coquille Woman's Club May Day dance on Saturday, May 1. Announcement of those chosen will be made at the Senior Class play, "Mystery," tomorrow night.

### **Buy Home And** Acreage In Coquille

Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Wilson who formerly lived on Fairview mountain, beyond the county farm, and more recently on their ranch a few miles north of Langlois on Highway 101, this week purchased from Bobby Burns the house and lot at 495 North Schroeder street, and six acres of bottom land in Burns Acres from Mrs. Mary Burns. They plan on moving to Coquille soon.

#### Will Talk At High School On Civilian Protection Chas. F. Bollinger, of the State

Traffic Department, was a Coquille visitor Tuesday and will be here egain -next, Monday to openent a civilian protection lesson to the high school students at an assembly. of their son, Byron H. Davis, from Mr. Bollinger took the course of let- the Officers Candidate School, Adsons at a school in Seattle and has jutant Generals' Department, on now been designated by Gov. Snell Tuesday, April 6, at Fort Washingto present to the students what he ton, Maryland. He graduated with learned at those sessions, as he has the rank of lieutenant. to several hundred state employees. The whole thing is to give instruc- Muriel, spent Sunday in Eugene, tion as to what should be done if- where Lieut. Davis visited his wife. there is an enemy bombing.

# They Give Their Lives - You

Last Thursday afternoon, after the Sentinel had been issued, a telegram was received from the Oregon War Saving Staff, which stated that the \$2,837,300 war bond quota for Coos county, which had been sent to newspapers from that headquarters was incorrect, and asking that local chairmen be contacted as to the correct

E. T. Stelle, Coquille chairman repliied to an inquiry that the total for Coos county, as announced at the meeting held in Marshfield last Thursday noon, is \$864,000 for private individuals, industrial and business concerns, exclusive of banks. Just what the quota for Coquille and vicinity is to be for the drive which started Monday of this week had not been announced, but it will require that everyone dig deep, to the limit, in order to meet the 100 million call for Oregon.

The presidents' phrase, "They give their lives-you lend your money, means that everyone is expected to do his or her part-and then some

In a spirit of helping the state of Oregon attain its goal of \$100 mil-lion in war bond sales during the

Second War Loan Drive now under way, business firms throughout the state have enrolled in a program of "purchasing" specific pieces of mili-tary equipment through sales of war bonds to employees. Every extra dollar in Oregon will

be put into war bonds during April, if the War Finance Committee has its way. Both earnings and savings are to be solicited for war bond purchasing. Every extra effort will be necessary to enable Oregon to reach its quota of \$100 million, according to David W. Eccles of the War Finance

can count toward the "purchase" of equipment, leaders emphasize that additional purchases out and beyond regular amounts will be necessary during the second war loan drive. Oregon's quota is \$100 million, by ed to be raised in the history of the state. Large denomination bonds bought by individuals and purchased out of corporate reserve funds also are being applied to the same

#### **Airport Eight Miles** North Port Orford

Just why the new \$865,000 airport which is to be built in Curry county should be called a Port Orford airport is something of a mystery. Blacklock Point is a part of, or adjacent to Brush Prairie, north of Cape Blanco, and is eight miles north of Port Orford. It is nearly opposite Denmark and only two or three miles south of Langlois.

### Lee School **District Suspends**

At a special school meeting held on April 9, 1943, the Lee school district, No. 23, voted by a large majority to suspend their school for next year and to transport the children into Myrtle Point.

This is a one-room school which had been operating with an old, inadequate building and due to the shortage of teachers the situation had become more complicated.

#### Byron Davis Receives Rank Of Second Lieutenant

Ms. and Mrs. Warren Davis

Mr. and Mrs. Davis and daughter, He is to be stationed in New Jersey.