

The Comptons Buy Chandler Hotel

Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Compton, who have operated the Coquille Hotel since its opening Jan. 1, 1924, this week completed a deal for the purchase of the Chandler Hotel in Marshfield, both building and business. The deal which was pending last week was completed on Monday of this week. The purchase was made from Mrs. Verneta Glasou, who has operated it since the death of her husband, H. J. Glasou, in 1924.

This is not as serious news to Coquille as it might be, for the Comptons intend to make their home here and the local hostelry will be under the management of Mrs. Compton.

Lafe will be assisted in the operation of the Chandler by Mrs. Compton's twin sister, Mrs. Frances Sandstrom, who comes from Portland. She will be hostess and in charge of the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. Compton first came to Marshfield at the time of the railroad jubilee in 1916, and except for six months away from there he was associated with the Chandler until coming to Coquille in 1923.

The local and traveling public will miss Lafe Compton's smile and happy greeting here, but one and all congratulate him and his wife on their expansion into a larger business and wish them the greatest of success in their two-hotel combination.


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Three Die In Plane Crash Here Sunday

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meet his father, but Mrs. Hannon, going to the front door, was jammed and bruised and suffered a punctured arm artery. She was taken to the Myrtle Point hospital, where her condition has proved not to be serious.

Following the fire alarm hundreds of people rushed out to the spot and it is a reason for surprise that none were injured from stepping on the live wires which lay on the Coulter street pavement and parking.

The city and state police soon arrived upon the scene and their efforts to regulate and control the crowds were most successful.

It was not long either until the Mt. States Power Co. crew was on the job, setting a new pole to replace the shattered one, and getting power lines back in place.

The telephone company crew was also quickly on the ground, with the local manager, Dan Brown, and Mr. Chapman from Marshfield, district manager, directing their crew's operations.

On all sides have been heard the words of highest praise for the splendid efficiency shown during the late afternoon by the Coquille Fire Department, the State Police, the Coquille Police, the power company and the telephone company.

W. W. Tilghman, who formerly owned and operated the Standley store and still owns the store building as well as the Rodgers home next door, asked the Sentinel to quote him as highly commending the actions and efforts of the above-named five agencies. An officer from the Naval Base at the Bay was on the scene in half an hour. He was followed later by a crew from the base which until dark and for a good portion of Monday, combed the ground for hundreds of feet from the scene of the catastrophe for any part of the plane, its motor, equipment and instruments, whether they had been mutilated by the explosion or not.

Hundreds of people witnessed the plunge of the Avenger and it was most fortunate that the usual collection of boys and girls around the store, after school hours, was not there on this Sunday afternoon.

County Receives Two Checks From State Offices In Salem
County Treasurer Stauff received a check for \$65,702.82 from the State Support School Fund at Salem this week. It is to be divided among Coos county schools and another for the same amount will come next April.

He also received from the Secretary of State a check for \$817.43, Coos county's share of the alcoholic beverage tax for the quarter ending Sept. 30.

Horsemen Get Two Deer, Bear In Eastern Oregon
Two Coquille hunters, Phil Albion and Wayne Watson, did not use up any gas on their trip to eastern Oregon in the John Day section, part of their hunting being on the Morris Ray ranch. They rode horseback all the way out and back. They each got their buck but what seemed to interest them more was the 300-pound bear they killed. Both hit the big fellow, one shot striking his shoulder and the other went through its head.

Lions District Governor Here For Dinner Session Today
Bob Fischer, of Eugene, Lions Club, District Governor for Oregon district 36E, arrived in Coquille yesterday and last evening made his official visit to the Myrtle Point club. This noon he is making his official visit to the Coquille den.

Don Farr Named Co-Chairman For S. W. Coos Republicans
Don Farr was appointed Co-Chairman for the southwestern part of the county, by Republican County Chairman Raleigh Green last Tuesday evening at the central committee meeting held in the city hall here. Don will be assisted by Graydon Anderson here and Jack Kronenberg at Bandon. A meeting of Coquille precinct men and women will be called at once for organization work.

A traveling examiner of automobile drivers, from the Secretary of State's office will be at the Coquille city hall Tuesday, Oct. 24, from nine till four o'clock, to receive applications of those desiring drivers' licenses and to conduct examinations.

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Judge King Speaks To B.P.W. at Banquet

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is top heavy, and we cannot continue that way. Industry and business must supply the jobs.

Peace after the war is something all individuals must be thinking about because we lost the peace after the last war. A change of viewpoint is necessary in the present changing world. Judge King told of the twenty-six hours it took him to travel from Myrtle Point, to Salem during his college years and now we are twenty-six hours from London. The world has shrunk, we are close together and the problems of the world are our problems. He said the United States should be a leader, but won't be unless the people get busy soon and formulate their plans.

Civilization will be destroyed in case of another war. Eventually the Utopian peace will be the late Wendell Wilkie's idea of One World. Judge King closed with reading the final paragraphs from Leland Stowe's book, "They Shall Not Sleep."

Yes, yesterday is dead. But only the weak or the incurably greedy will weep for yesterday. Tomorrow is a different day. It will belong only to those who are as clear of mind as they are strong as heart.

Today is dying as swiftly as those who fall and those who have fallen upon the fields of battle. If tomorrow is not a better as well as a different day, we can be sure that they shall not sleep.

Listen carefully and you may hear a faint echo from the gaves on Guadalcanal and Bataan, from Norway and Poland, from Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia, from Spain and Greece, from Flanders and Russia, from China and Malaya and Burma, from Holland and the Indies, from Tunisia and Sicily and Italy, and from battlefields named and nameless.

"We shall not sleep," the echo says. "But neither shall you, my friends, neither shall you."

Music of the evening was especially delightful. Piano solos by Aileen Wilson were a Waltz in E Minor, Chopin, and a selection from Folks Songs of Percy Granger.

Vocal solos were by Kenneth Talley, accompanied by Mrs. Talley. The numbers were "Pale Moon" and "Land of Sky Blue Water," by Chas. Wakefield Cadman; an encore was "Sunrise and You" by Arthur M. Payne.

Chairman of the Coast District, Natalie Burns, gave a very fine convention report. The conference was held at the Waldorf Astoria with present the presidents of 47 states and the 48th state represented by the vice-president. Twenty million women are in industry today, women have advanced she said, but are still far from their goal. "Woman wield tremendous power and politicians are afraid of them." In every country where the war permits the B.P.W. clubs are carrying on. The International was organized in Geneva in 1939. Federation clubs have not failed in war time, the speaker said.

Eva Stevens, president of the club, welcomed the group in a short talk and closed the meeting. A conference at Corvallis Nov. 4-5 was announced. The next business meeting will be Nov. 6, at which time an outside speaker will discuss the measures on the November ballot.

Mrs. Stevens paused to say a few words on the passing of Edith Walton, who until her ill health prevented had been an active member of the club.

Death Ends Suffering Of Chas. B. Minor
Charles B. Minor passed away Wednesday at 10:30 p. m. at the hospital here after an extended illness. He was born at Thomasville, Missouri, Oct. 16, 1864, and was at the time of passing, one day past 80 years of age.

He came to Bandon in 1937 and has made his home there since that time. He was married to Etta L. Howard, Jan. 6, 1893, and to this union were born their two surviving sons, Farley R., of Bandon, and Benton, of Hood River, and a daughter, Mrs. Ola Vineyard, of Hood River. He is also survived by eleven grandchildren.

Mrs. Minor passed away last July. Graveside services are being held at the I.O.O.F. cemetery at Bandon this, Thursday, at 2:30 p. m. under the direction of the Gamp Funeral Home, Rev. Mr. Stubbs of the Bandon Baptist Church officiating.

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Red Devils Trim Bulldogs, 25-6

Coos Bay followers of the Coos county conference of high school football are beginning to realize that Coach Leslie has one of the smartest and smoothest running outfits in the league this year, since the Red Devils' victory, 25 to 6, over the North Bend Bulldogs on the latter's home grounds last Saturday. It can also be said that this is the first time the Red Devils have beaten the Bulldogs on their home field since Spike has been coaching at Coquille High.

At the start of the game, North Bend received the kick-off and before the Red Devils got them stopped they had made four first-downs and were on the Coquille five-yard line. But from there on the Red Devils took the ball and using the T formation, and with Bob Alborn flipping a pass to Meek, were able to score in the second period. Dave Kline went over for the extra point.

The Red Devils next score, making it 13-0, came in the same period when an attempted pass by North Bend was spilled, before it was tossed, and George Hugst picked up the spheroid and ran 65 yards for the score.

North Bend scored its six points in the last quarter after reaching the Devils' 12-yard line, with a pass across the goal line.

Also in the last quarter Coquille scored two more touchdowns, Hurst intercepting a pass and running 35 yards for the score.

The Red Devils final score followed Meek's interception of a pass on the 45-yard line when he ran to the 17. One play took it over from there. Alborn tossed to Meek and when the Bulldog tacklers started for him Meek tossed it to Porter who had raced into the end zone.

Coquille's record for the afternoon was the interception of seven North Bend passes and the completion of eight of their attempted eleven passes. From rushing Coquille made 102 yards to North Bend's 137; from passes, Coquille 93 yards, N. B. 42; Coquille's punting average was 37 yards; North Bend's one punt went for 27 yards.

Leslie says that the North Bend squad is a tough outfit, but that his team played a good defensive game, as well as a sterling offensive one, and North Bend had to work hard for all its gains.

And another thing which anyone who has watched the Red Devils play, has readily seen is that the team co-operative spirit by every man on the squad is of the highest order.

The starting line-up was:
Coquille (25) North Bend (6)
Train LE Damron
Kimsey LT Jansen
Kelly LG Buchanan
Smith C Budeslich
Buckles RG Bellah
Chesem RT Sigstodt
DeNoma RE Mills
Alborn Q Wilson
Kline LH Noel
Meek RH Fry
Hurst F Sanders

Coquille substitutions — Porter, Boots, Johnson, Jenkins, McKimney, Minard, Billings. North Bend made no substitutions.

R. T. Moore Reports Railroad Meeting

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Inter-State Commerce Commission, which will have to approve the railroad's application when it is made, statistics and information about the coast counties in Oregon and California.

A development in Coos county which Mr. Moore mentioned, would be the increase of cranberry bogs in the Coquille valley and in northern Coos county. The present production of this crop is now about 60,000 boxes, and the estimated possibility, when all suitable land is producing, is 160,000 boxes.

He said the project would cost millions upon millions, one tremendous item of construction costs being the necessary bridges across rivers and streams near the coast. Hints were given as to the possible location of a crossing of the Coast range and of where the line would run in Coos county, but definite information on these matters is not for publication at this time.

John R. Denning, of Portland, representative of the United States Chamber of Commerce, was introduced but stated that as he expected to see every professional and business man in Coquille during his stay here, he would not make a talk at the dinner session.

Evans Albion reported progress on the preparation of copy for a Coquille publicity folder and added that the committee was still in need of a number of glossy print pictures of scenes and industries in and around Coquille.

Mr. Albion also reported on the committee's actions in support of

the C. H. S. football team and suggested that business homes close again on Saturday, Oct. 28, between 2:00 and 4:00 o'clock, for the Coquille-Marshfield game here. By vote the directors went on record as in favor of the two-hour closing on the 28th.

County Agent Jenkins reported on the cranberry pickers situation and said the bog owners could use 300 to 400 more pickers than have responded thus far.

Republican Central Committee Met Here Tuesday Evening

Raleigh D. Green, chairman of the Coos County Republican Central Committee, presided over a specially called meeting at the Coquille city hall Tuesday evening. Precinct committee men and women were present from many sections of the county. Appointments to fill precinct vacancies were made. The various members of the executive board were called on for reports. Ben Chandler, Jr., of Marshfield, finance chairman, made his report. Harry Slack, state committeeman from Coos county, gave a talk on instructions to the precinct workers.

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