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Official Canvass Shows How Coos County Voted

The Coos county official canvassing board completed its labors this week and the following shows the record of votes cast in Coos county as reported to the Secretary of State by County Clerk Oddy:

For President—
Roosevelt, D., 6476.
Dewey, R., 4609.
Thomas, I., 113.
Watson, I., 27.
For U. S. Senator, 4 years—
Cordon, R., 5986.
Mahoney, D., 4510.
For U. S. Senator, 6 years—
Morse, R., 6005.
Smith, D., 4057.
For Congress, 4th Dist.
Ellsworth, R., 5578.
Dover, D., 4147.
State Treasurer—
Lambert, D., 4343.
Scott, R., 4855.
Attorney General—
Neuner, B., 4067.
Spaulding, D., 4921.
District Attorney—
Fernald, D., 5228.
Olson, R., 4046.
State Senator—
Walsh, R., 5783.
Chaney, D., 3997.
Coos State Representative—
Moore, R., 7761.
Joint State Representative—
Adams, R., 4654.
Steiner, D., 4728.
County Judge—
L. D. Felsheim, R., 8012.
County Commissioner—
Hildenbrand, R., 5086.
Powers, D., 4788.
County Clerk—
Oddy, D., 8888.
County Assessor—
Forsyth, D., 5269.
Trus, R., 2325.
County Surveyor—
Garhart, B., 5222.
County School Superintendent—
Mulkey, R., 6300.
Justice of the Peace—
Marshfield No. 2, Allan A. Hall, 2731.
Coquille, No. 3, Fred R. Bull, 1472.
Myrtle Point No. 5, Arthur R. Jones, 1048.
Constable—
North Coos No. 1, Wilson, 82.
Marshfield, No. 2, Condon, 2427.
Coquille, No. 3, Pagle, 1390.
Myrtle Point, No. 5, Pearson, 1197.
Bandon, No. 6, Rose 487, Fieger 177.
Commissioners Port of Bandon—
Dellefson, 1594; Ross, 1557. Two to elect.
Com. Port Coquille River—
Clinton, 1171; Guerin, 1111; Lundy, 1145. Three to elect.
Com. Port Coos Bay—
Hartley, 3428; Lund, 3338; Olson, 3823; Anderson, 2867. Three to elect.
On the eight measures on the ballot the official count in Coos county was as follows:
Securing Bank Depositors—Yes, 5256; No, 2132.
County Management—Yes, 4152; No, 2794.
War Veterans Fund—Yes, 4542; No, 3066.
Voting Privilege—Yes, 3798; No, 2893.
Educational Aid to Veterans—Yes, 5910; No, 2188.
Tax on Retail Sales—Yes, 2113; No, 5387.
Fortified Wine Bill—Yes, 5119; No, 3783.
Tax for School Support—Yes, 5150; No, 2947.
\$60 a month at 60—Yes, 5344; No, 3924.

Dewey Carried Curry County By 152 Over Roosevelt

Curry was one of the Oregon counties which gave Dewey a majority in last week's election, the vote there being 827 for Dewey, 675 for Roosevelt, with 22 for the other two presidential aspirants.
The Townsend \$60 a month at 60 amendment carried down there by five, the vote being 632 yes to 627 no.

Ralph Cochran Is Manager Stone's Florist Shop Here

Ralph L. Cochran last week became manager of Stone's Coquille Florist shop, opposite the telephone office here, the former Bergen shop, which Mr. Stone recently purchased along with the Bergen shop on the Bay. Note their advertisement in this issue.

Red Devils To Play At Medford Saturday

The unbeaten Coquille High School football champions of Coos county will leave Saturday morning to meet the Medford High School team for the Southern Oregon championship. The winner of this game will then play the Willamette Valley of Portland winner in the semi-finals for the state title the following week.

The game with Medford will be played at 8:00 p. m., Saturday evening, November 18. A section of the Medford stands is being reserved for Coquille fans and for the Coquille High School band.

A limited number of these reserved seat tickets will be on sale at Brandon's and at the Rackliff Pharmacy Thursday and Friday at \$1.10, including the tax. General admission to the game is to be 75c, high school students 40c and children 15c.

It is evident that Spike Leslie's boys will find a large delegation of Coquille rooters in the Medford stands when the starting whistle blows.

The Coquille boys are going up against a pretty heavy Fearpickers team Saturday evening. A man who saw Medford defeat Bend recently said the Fearpickers were a big and husky lot of football players and it will not be surprising if Medford High can get over the Coquille hurdle that that team will walk off with the state high school championship when the final game is played.

Sixth War Bond Drive Nov. 20

Again every business house and individual will be called upon next week to buy bonds of the Sixth War Bond Fund which starts next Monday.

The war is not over, even with the highly satisfactory advance being made on all fronts, and it is little enough that Uncle Sam asks these of us to do, to help pay the expense, when so many hundreds of thousands of our country's youth are now overseas doing their part in the fighting. They should be shown that those of us who are too old to fight are backing them with our dollars. And it is not a gift of money either. The United States will repay it, with interest, over the years to come.

Mayor O. L. Wood and L. W. Claver are bond drive chairmen in Coquille.

Former Coquille Girl Bowls High Score Game at Redmond

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Southstone have received a clipping from the paper at Redmond, where their daughter, Lyndell—Mrs. Harold Glenn—resides, telling of her high score in bowling there last week. Lyndell is a member of the Down & Outers team in the Women's Bowling League and scored high points for the lady bowlers with a 179 in one game.

C.H.S. Won Final Conference Game

The Coquille Red Devils won their Armistice Day football game with the Myrtle Point Bobcats, up there, by a larger score than they won by the first time they met, the score Saturday being 39-0, but it was a costly victory, too, for the injury sustained by Dave Kline, in his back, will keep him out of the Medford game this coming Saturday. Dave had been tackled and was down when another player rushed in and jumped on him, fracturing a process adjoining the spinal column.

Myrtle Point started off with a rush for the opening kick-off and for the first quarter the hearts of Devils supporters were up in their necks for several minutes as the Bobcats, by reverses, round the ends, and line plunges, carried the ball to within five yards of the Coquille goal line. They were stopped cold at that point, however, and did not again seriously threaten, although they showed a lot of fight and power throughout the game.

The second quarter saw conditions completely reversed, with Coquille on the offensive throughout, and three touchdowns were scored before the half time gun.

The most spectacular score was that made by Boots, who intercepted a Myrtle Point pass and raved, without any interference help from

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175 Attend Banquet Honoring C. H. S. Football Squad

The dining room in the Odd Fellows building was capacity full last evening for the dinner sponsored by the Lions Club for the Coquille High Red Devils football squad, there being 175 seated at the tables.

The Rebekahs served an excellent meal of roast pork, vegetables, dessert and the trimmings, and were ably assisted by Odd Fellows who waited on the tables.

Included in the list of guests were the 30 members of the Squad, Coach Leslie and the line coach, Dr. Witcosky.

Ray Jeub acted as toastmaster and called on Spike to introduce the members of the squad. There was a lot of good-natured kidding and raising of the boys, without picking on any particular individual.

After the group singing of the high school song, three fathers of team members—Weldon Kline, Geo. Jenkins and Evan Albarn—were called on for talks and responded. Miss Jeanne Griggs favored the audience with a lovely solo.

Dr. Dan Poling, of the State Board of Higher Education, was present and gave a very fine talk.

Speaker for the evening was Dr. Dean Crowell of Marshfield who talked, man to man, to the players, giving them a well thought out pep talk. He said the boys have been playing smart football and that very often the smart team wins out from the bigger, heavier team, and cautioned the boys not to let the Medford team weight worry them. He told of the Columbia win over Stanford some years ago—he saw the game—in which Columbia was not given a chance by sports writers, but won out.

As president of the Coquille Lions Club, Jack A. Moore presented the team with a football on one side of which appeared the words, "Coquille County Champions for 1944," and on the other side the scores of the games C. H. S. has played this year.

Bob Albarn, team captain, responded and thanked the Lions for the dinner and the gift.

The dinner was a splendid success and was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present who were unanimous in wishing the Red Devils success in their district game with Medford, out there, this coming Saturday.

Buy A Ticket To The Shrine Dance

That Thanksgiving Eve dance in the Coquille Community Building next Wednesday evening is for a most worthy cause as all the receipts, except necessary expenses, will go to the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children in Portland. The Coos county Shriners are giving the dance and that combined orchestra of Medford Fullers and Bob Spears' insures that the music will be tops. Admission will be \$1.50 per couple and there has been a fine advance sale of tickets.

The Shrine Hospital is financed largely by the help of such affairs as this and contributions by those interested. One of the recent producers of funds was the paper drive in Portland, which brought thousands of dollars to the hospital.

The records of the hospital show that last year 550 were admitted and that there were 6,220 polio, or infantile paralysis, treatments in the hospital and 10,000 in the clinic.

Everyone who attends this Thanksgiving eve dance is assured a good time, as well as the satisfaction of knowing that he or she is helping to relieve suffering.

Oscar's Automobile Welding Service Succeeds Thompson's Wrecking House

Oscar Chormicle, who comes from Los Angeles, last week purchased the property and business of the Thompson Wrecking House, across First street from Safeway, which he advertises in this issue is available for service to car and truck owners, both day and night. The shop name is now Oscar's Automobile and Welding Service. Mrs. Chormicle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClement of this city.

Harry M. Johnson of the Western Auto Supply here left Saturday evening on a buying trip to Portland.

Woman's Club Hears Carl E. Morrison At Tuesday Meeting

The November meeting of the Coquille Women's Club was held in the Guild Hall on Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. R. E. Boober, president of the club, presiding. In the absence of Mrs. Jas. Brady, the president was also in charge of the program.

Carl E. Morrison, superintendent of the Coquille schools, addressed the group on the subject of Education. Mr. Morrison expressed his disappointment over the defeat of the school bill which was up before the voters at the recent election. He gave the theme of N. E. A. convention as "Education for New Tasks," and followed up by dealing with the subject of the need for improved schools of tomorrow, with real life programs in relation to the needs of the particular community. The improved educational percentage of the soldiers in this war against the very low percentage in the last war mentioned and the statement was made that Democracy won't work where ignorance prevails. Post war adjustments are going to be difficult. Federal aid will be necessary to fill up the amount needed in the nation for education.

Present shortage of teachers will not be relieved until the profession is made more attractive by raising salaries. There were 1400 emergency certificates issued in the state this year, Mr. Morrison said.

Mrs. Barrows, of Marshfield, associated with the Public Health Association in Coos county, was present to give a talk explaining the

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Dr. Strand And Poling At Rotary

Dr. A. L. Strand and D. V. Poling, of the Oregon State College at Corvallis, were guests at the Rotary Club luncheon on Wednesday at the hotel.

Dr. Strand, who is president of the State College, told of the work of the school during the present war emergency and of the urgent need of an expansion of the physical properties as well as in the teaching staff after the war, when the influx of high school graduates and returning service men and women will vastly increase their registration. Dr. Strand also stressed the need of some sort of retirement plan as an inducement to get efficient teachers for the staff. He stated that Oregon was one of only four or five states which did not provide some sort of pension fund, all the others having passed legislation covering this matter.

The state of Oregon, according to Dr. Strand, has added practically nothing to the building up of the physical properties of the college since 1926 and he urged that citizens get behind a movement in the legislature to aid not only the college but the other institutions of higher education as well.

This is Dr. Strand's first visit to this part of the state and he expressed a strong desire to return.

Dr. Poling, at the piano, led in a series of songs by the club and put a lot of his usual pep into the effort.

A committee from the Lions club, consisting of Geo. H. Jenkins, M. O. Hawkins and Wayne Smith, was present in the interest of the booster banquet for the High School football team last evening.

The club voted to finance the trip of the high school band to Medford with the football team next Saturday.

Bob Greene reported on a recent meeting of the district scout council and stated that on account of there being a number of vacancies in both the other local scout troops that there would be no urgent necessity for the Rotary club to sponsor a third troop at present.

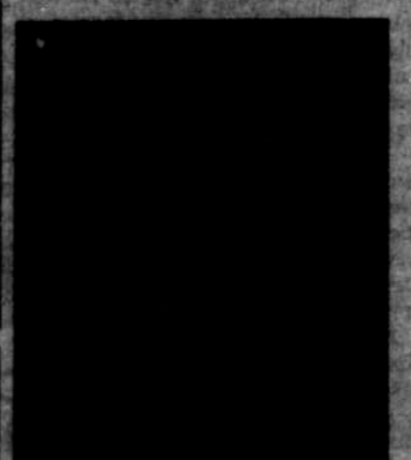
Two new members, Alton Grimes and Ed Throckmorton, who were elected at the last meeting, were present and were introduced to the club.

Peter Schwabe, an attorney of Portland, was present as a guest of J. Arthur Berg. Other guests were Al Overgard, Tiny Brownson, Harry Holmes and Al Montgomery.

A traveling examiner of operators and chauffeurs will be at the Coquille city hall again next Tuesday, 9:00 a. m. until 4:00 p. m., to receive applications for drivers' licenses and to conduct examinations.

Speaker Change For November 17 Teachers Conference

Miss Vanya Oakes is being sent to Coquille to speak, instead of Dr. H. H. Chang, for the Coos County Teachers' Conference at the Washington Building, November 17. The substitution has been made because the serious illness of Mrs. Chang has made it necessary for Dr. Chang to cancel all engagements.



VANTA OAKES, SPEAKER

Miss Oakes is a famous journalist and is splendidly prepared to speak on the subject of "The Far East and The Future." She was long ago called a Cassandra because she forecast in her dispatch today's tragic course of events.

The speaker recently completed a 50,000 mile trek through the Orient and on into Russia. Her trip took in Malaya, the Dutch East Indies, Tibet, Burma, Thailand, China, and "fabulous northwest route" to Moscow and back again to Chungking, Hong Kong, Singapore and the Philippines. She saw a land already in the throes of war and revolution and observed much that explains why America fights today in Asia. She has met General MacArthur, General Chiang Kai-Shek and most of the other figures who are in the thick of it.

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Chas. Mulkey Weds Miss Hardenbrook

According to word received from Salinas, Calif., this week by Mrs. Martha E. Mulkey, her son, Lieut. Charles E. Mulkey, was united in marriage at Salinas last Sunday to Miss Marjorie Hardenbrook of San Jose, Calif., who formerly resided here. She is the granddaughter of S. S. Hardenbrook of Coquille. She is a graduate of the Taft, Calif., high school and of the San Jose Junior College.

Charles, who is a pilot in the Army Air Forces, having enlisted in February, 1943, graduated from Coquille High in May, 1941, and later attended Oregon State College for two years. Mrs. Don Farr is a sister of the groom.

The future plans of the young couple depend on what Uncle Sam has for him to do.

Merchants' Meeting In Coos

Buy Set For This Evening

Attention is called by the O.P.A. of all merchants interested in price problems relating to toys, furniture, apparel and machinery. A meeting will be conducted by O. P. A. price specialists dealing with the above lines on Thursday, November 16, at 8:00 p. m. at the O. P. A. office in the First National Bank Building, Coos Bay. This is an opportunity the merchants of this area cannot afford to miss as it is very essential that they have a clear understanding of the regulations. Everyone is urged to attend.

F. W. Adams Wins Out For Joint Representative

While Karl E. Steiner, of North Bend, carried Coos county as a candidate for representative in the legislature for the joint district of Coos and Curry counties by a majority of 74 votes, Mr. Adams won out in his home county by a majority of 884, giving him a lead of 810 for the district. The vote in Curry county was Adams 1154, Steiner 270.

Mrs. R. W. Kunzil, of this city, who has been ill at her home for the past several weeks, is improving. Mrs. S. J. Chenoweth, mother of Mrs. Kuenzil, has come to spend the winter months at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. J. Randleman, Coos Pioneer For 78 Years, Passes

Mrs. Julia A. Randleman, a pioneer of Coos county who came with her parents from Illinois in 1866, passed away at her ranch below Coquille, on the Bullards route, last Monday, and funeral services are being held in the Schroeder chapel at two o'clock this afternoon. Rev. R. L. Greene officiating. Interment will be in I.O.O.F. cemetery, No. 1.

Mrs. Randleman was born Julia Gorham, in Jefferson county, Illinois, Feb. 14, 1860, and was 84 years, eight months and 29 days of age at her passing.

She was united in marriage to Martin L. Randleman in 1876, two years after he had come up from California and homesteaded a ranch ten miles east of Bandon, where she has since resided. Mr. Randleman passed away in California, March 10, 1898.

She is survived by five children, their sixth, Allen, being deceased. The living are Mrs. Georgia Barter, who with her husband, Hal Baxter, has been living with her on the Randleman ranch; Charles Randleman, of Bandon; Martin Randleman, of Coquille; Orin Lee Randleman, of Marshfield, and Mrs. Olivia Clinton, of Coquille. She is also survived by seven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

Her parents, who started across the plains in 1865, with an ox team, spent that winter in Walla Walla. The next spring they disposed of their oxen and after securing pack horses started the 500 or more mile trek to Coos county.

Mrs. Randleman was highly respected and beloved by all who knew her and her memory will linger long in the minds of those who had the honor of knowing her.

Services For Mrs. Boles Wednesday

The body of Mrs. N. W. Boles was taken to Salem this morning for cremation. She passed away at the Myrtle Point hospital last Monday after being there for two weeks.

Christian Science services were conducted at the Schroeder Bros. Mortuaries at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. Grace Norton officiating.

Born Inez Penn, at Logansport, Ind., Nov. 16, 1885, she was eleven months and 27 days past 58 years of age at passing.

She and Mr. Boles came here from Bend about a year ago and he has been bookkeeper at the Kline logging camp office at Fairview since.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three daughters, Nancy Ann, who is attending U. of O. at Eugene; Margaret Eilan, who is at Oregon State at Corvallis, and Mary Patricia, who is also at O. S. C.

Belle Knife Hospital

Mrs. Glenn Wolff, from Norway, entered the hospital last Wednesday for treatment. On Thursday Mrs. Eva Cox, of Sitkum, and Mrs. Andrew Spurgeon, of Coaledo, underwent major operations.

On Friday, Harry Collier, from Arago, entered for treatment of an infected leg and John Warner, of Gaylord, entered for treatment.

Mrs. Jack Storms, of Bandon, entered for treatment on Sunday, as did Rex Morgan, of Coquille on Monday. Wesley Greer and his son, Glenn, both of Myrtle Point, submitted to major operations on Monday. Eddie Culver, an 11-year old boy from Marshfield, underwent an appendectomy on Monday.

Marcella, daughter of Mrs. Faye Jeffries, of Coquille, submitted to a major operation on Wednesday.

Dismissals the past week were Cleo Willis last Friday, Claude Brown on Saturday and Mrs. Oliver Weekley on Tuesday this week.

Below 32 Degrees Mornings This Week

The thermometer has been down to 32 or a little lower the last three mornings, ice forming on bridges and unprotected earth spots, and with white frosts every morning since Sunday.

Heavy morning fogs have also been the usual thing since it started raining last week.