

Business Session Set For June 2

The fourth and last business meeting for the fiscal year of the Coos-Curry Pioneer and Historical Association is set for Saturday, June 2, at one o'clock in the Coquille City Hall, according to President A. H. Bender.

Important and interesting reports are to be continued by special committees relative to the proposed historical and museum undertakings by the Associations. Furthermore, time is drawing near for the all important annual get-together held in Coquille on the last Sunday in July.

President Bender proposes to appoint special committees for this occasion who will make all possible arrangements for one of the biggest and best meetings the members and friends of the association have ever enjoyed.

This year has been one of the most progressive since organizing. Membership roll has increased to a list of 450 names, with many interested friends who are in accord with all regulations of the association but neglect to hand in their names, intending in good faith to do so very soon.

Another evidence of growth is the fact that all necessary procedure for incorporating has been handled by reliable legal service so that the association is now a non-profit corporation and may maintain a museum open to the public just as soon as such an enterprise becomes possible. The association may also exhibit and publish material relative to history of Coos and Curry counties, all of which may be summed up as an opportune educational field.

Whether interested in the association as a pioneer, or because the history of Oregon appeals to those who have escaped the hardships of early days by arriving later, but are glad to familiarize themselves with the background of their newly acquired home; in either instance both are eligible to affiliate with the association.

The support of every one interested is an asset and an inspiration to the association to "Go Ahead" and make the effort to do the things which seem advisable and possible even though somewhat distant. Please indicate interest by at June 2.

In Justice Bull's Court

George LeRoy Hultin was fined \$21 last Thursday by Justice Fred Bull on a "combined overload" charge.

Allyn Rey Tycheen was summoned by the state police on Friday to appear in justice court for having an improper license on his truck and no P.U. permit.

Charles Ogden Webster was fined \$3 and \$4 costs on Monday for not having an operator's license.

(Held Over From Last Week) Five cases were brought before Justice of the Peace Fred Bull here by the state police recently:

Gilbert Ellis Holbrook paid \$5 fine and \$4 costs May 10 for operating a car without lights; Lester Jack Cardwell paid the same amount the same day for a combined overload; Della Wilson Nichols paid \$7 for having no vehicle license, on May 10, and John H. Cox was summoned that day on a trailer overload charge.

On Monday, May 14, James Arthur Pratt paid a fine of \$1 and \$4 costs for having no tail light on his car.

Anne Elvera Katherns paid an \$11 fine and \$4 costs in Justice Bull's court last Wednesday for having no operator's license.

The same day LeRoy Ray Ellis paid \$7 for having no muffler on his car and N. H. Chowning paid \$9 for violation of a basic rule of the road.

William Edward Deveny, arrested recently by the state police for driving while intoxicated, was fined \$150 and sentenced to 30 days in jail. The jail term is to be suspended if he pays the fine and costs. His driver's license was suspended for one year.

Probate Court Items

Harry A. Slack was last Friday appointed administrator of the \$15,000 real property estate left by Ben E. Bush. To appraise the property the court named L. H. Hazard, O. C. Sanford and Dr. C. A. Rietman.

Council Session Monday Evening

(Continued from Page One) across the lot where Jack Dolan's blacksmith shop is located between First and Front streets, and Elliott and Hall streets, where Mr. Dolan expects to begin filling in his lot about July 1, was that the sewer line might be concrete-capped to prevent its sinking any more in the rotten sawdust pile over which the line was laid. He said the line is in poor condition through that block and the council made a date to look the route over and may order the laying of a new sewer line, which would run around the edge of the old gulch, on higher ground.

In this connection, Craig Perrott told the council this his father, E. L. Perrott, had told him that as a boy he had rowed a boat from the river up what was then a slough to the Quick corner on First street.

At the request of J. A. Hannon, he was given an additional 30 days to get the old Boy Scout cabin removed from Myrtle Grove park.

Upon the recommendation of Geo. F. Burr, chairman of last year's Clean-up committee, June 1 was set as the time to start the program and the trucks will pick up the refuse a week or so later.

The street department was instructed to set back in place the entrance pillar of the city on Front street, which a logging truck trailer recently knocked over. These pillars, two at each of the three entrances on the highways to the city, were one of the many civic improvements for which the Woman's Club is responsible.

City Attorney Berg was requested to look into the matter of whether the city wishes to buy the three lots—5, 6 and 7—of Block 51, Elliott's Addition, at the corner of Fifth and Beach streets, for which the county has an offer of \$150 for the three. It is swamp land there but the city has improvement liens of \$236 against the lots.

The council ordered that a fence be built on either side of the road leading to the water dam east of town where the road passes through the Marc Shelley ranch.

The request of Ernest Whereast, who wishes to build a retaining wall in front of his place on Cypress street, for a positive determination of his property line—two previous surveys by engineers have set the line two or more feet apart—was denied by the council, it not being felt that it was the province of the city to establish property lines, which might entangle the city in legal complications in the future.

Three In County Jail On Auto Larceny Charges

Richard Abercrombie was brought over from Justice Hall's court in Coos Bay, bound over to the grand jury on the charge of larceny in a dwelling.

James Howard Shaisson was arrested Sunday, and taken before Justice Bull here Monday, after he had tried to make away with Wm. Church's car out on the Bullards route. The judge set his bail at \$1,000.

On Monday two service men, Billie Elwood Blair and Clem P. Bryan, were stopped by the state police here after they had taken a car at Myrtle Point, and they were lodged in the county jail. The Oldsmobile sedan belonged to Lauren J. Cason. When tried before Justice Bull here he set their bail at \$1,000 each.

Circuit Court Cases

May 18—Rose M. Morrill vs. Herbert E. Morrill. Suit for divorce.

May 19—Cora A. Strassburg vs. Richard Strassburg. Suit for divorce.

May 22—In the matter of the trust estate of Henry Fourier, deceased.

May 22—Chas. O. Slaybaugh vs. Florence A. Slaybaugh. Suit for divorce.

May 22—Boletta Kennedy, Julia C. Hunter, Lena E. Rogers, trustees, vs. Gordon C. Rasmussen and wife, Beryl and John Haglund.

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Student Body Elects Kline To Lead In 1945-46

(Coquille Hi-Times)

At a noon election in Room 11 on Monday, May 14, the Coquille High School Student Body elected Dave Kline to the executive position on the Student Council for the year '45-'46.

Kline, who posed out his rival by a margin of 28 votes, scholastically maintains a good three average, has been a member of the "C" club for the last three years, and is quite generally active in school affairs.

Also elected were Jack Buckles, vice president, succeeding Dave Kline; Shirley Slater, secretary, succeeding Jeannie Griggs; Marian Gregory, assistant treasurer, succeeding Jerry Oerding; Melbourne Mitchell, business manager, succeeding Jack Stevens; Walter MacKinney, succeeding Jean Pileth, as inter-class rivalry chairman.

Appointments for the office were held first at a student council meeting in the office and additions were nominated at a general assembly on May first.

Those nominated were: President—Dave Kline, Bill Kistner.

Vice President—Maurice Williams, DeWayne Vandergriff, Jack Buckles. Secretary—Shirley Slater, Sally Gable, Bernice Haga, Wilma Drake. Asst. Treasurer—Laura Emily Rubie, Joyce Munger, Marian Gregory.

Business Manager—George Gant, Melbourne Mitchell.

Inter-class Rivalry Chairman—Bill Sage, Marianne Rackleff, Pat Yarbrough, Walt MacKinney.

Non-High School Budget \$128,210

Tuesday evening, this week, the budget committee of the Non-High school board met in the county court rooms to plan for the coming year. The total of estimated expenditures was set at \$128,210.00. The increase in tax levy was slight, due to the fact the board entered the new year with cash on hand and with considerable estimated receipts for delinquent taxes and from other sources. The budget committee is composed of the Non-High board members—W. M. Hillar, Empire, chairman; A. R. Sasse, Bunker Hill; Mrs. W. A. Nickerson, Sitkum; Ida Linder, Eastside, and W. E. Cross, Roy, in addition to the following members: J. J. Geaney, Cunningham; Carl Brynteson, Coos Bay; W. W. Eikworth, Empire; Flossie Wilson, Sitkum. Mrs. Linder was unable to be present.

Contracts approved for the coming year were: Union High, Myrtle Point, for transportation from McKinley, \$90 per mo.; Coquille board for transportation from Coaledo, \$128 per mo., and Gorst and King of North Bend, to be paid on a sliding scale. When 70 or less students are transported, \$250 per mo.; 71 to 85 students, \$300 per mo., and 85 to 100 students, \$350. Cunningham's children will be given transportation with the high school students for \$40 per mo. George Gunnell's one-year contract on Ross and Catching Inlets was extended to two years.

The budget committee elected Louis Linder chairman and Flossie Wilson secretary for the coming year.

Church Filled To Capacity For Baccalaureate Service

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of Coquille High were held at eight o'clock on the evening of May 20, in the Pioneer Methodist Church, with the Rev. W. R. Munger bringing the message, "Life At Its Best." He took for his text the first chapter of Second Peter. A record attendance was reported, since all the seats were filled and extra chairs were brought.

Especially well-received was the music presented by the High School mixed chorus, accompanied by Ronald Williams. Invocation and benediction were offered by the pastor of the host church, the Rev. C. G. Brown. Scripture was read by the Rev. Menno Rempel and prayer was offered by the Rev. Liston Parrish.

Geo. Burr Receives Piece Of Jap Zero From Marc Shelley

In a letter to George F. Burr, Marc Shelley writes from somewhere in the Pacific that he had hoped to see his son, Marcus, at one of the ports where his vessel docked. He was disappointed in this but did encounter Lynn Perrott, son of E. L. Perrott of this city.

Marc also sent Mr. Burr a small piece, almost as light as paper, of a Jap Zero plane which had been knocked out of the sky and completely wrecked.

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Riverton News

Pfc. Philip Clausen, who sailed from a California port on a troop ship five weeks ago, has arrived somewhere on the Philippines, he advises in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clausen. He writes that his camp, which is a temporary one, is pitched in a beautiful palm grove there. Their barracks are large tents, each accommodating forty men. He is much impressed with the beauty in the place. Evidently the weather has not been too warm there yet for comfort, although he states the walls of the tents are rolled up during the day for better circulation of air. The Filipinos near the camp are friendly and very nice people.

He states that while he is in the land from which most of our coconuts and bananas came prior to the war, yet they needs must buy them now from the natives. And at what price! If one is a convincing talker and is lucky, he may be able to purchase a coconut for fifty cents and bananas are one dollar a dozen!

Donald Sell, son of Mrs. George Welch, left the states in Philip's company and it is understood he is still with him on that Philippine island.

Another of our boys in whom we are deeply interested is "Bud" Aasen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aasen of Coquille. His first letters have been received by his family and friends since he landed "somewhere" in the Pacific just prior to May 1. He wrote his mother that he was privileged to attend a grand Mother's Day service there on that day.

Last week's report had to be sent in before the program of our Eighth grade graduating class could be given. Those exercises were held Wednesday night. Superintendent of Coquille schools, Carl E. Harrison, gave the address. The class sang three songs, "This is My Shining Hour," "Leave Me With a Smile," and "Farewell to Thee." Joanne Smith had the honor of being chosen valedictorian of the class and she gave an interesting talk on "Education of Handicapped Children." Virginia Lou Corrie, salutatorian, brought a brief message on "Education."

The class presented to Mrs. Lyla Mitchell, their principal and teacher, a lovely Fostoria dish. They gave a corsage to each of the other three teachers—Mrs. Cuma Russell of the fifth and sixth grades, Mrs. Ara Russell, who has the third and fourth grades and Mrs. Myrtle Kelly, who teaches the first and second grades. Mrs. Mitchell presented each girl in the class with a corsage and each boy with a boutonniere. She and the class together presented their janitor, H. A. Hatfield, an electric sander in appreciation of the many things he had done for them during the year.

The school closed Friday, culminating with a picnic for all, including many parents, at Croft Lake just below Bandon. Two of the school buses made the run down there with the pupils. The day was grand and everyone had a most enjoyable time. Thus ended a most successful grade school year for Riverton. Much credit is due Mrs. Mitchell, the three teachers on her staff and Mr. Hatfield for the success attained here this year.

On Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shields from Myrtle Point had dinner and spent the evening with George and Lavina Shelton and family. Ben is Lavina's uncle.

Friday morning when bucking logs for Ralph Smith, Ancil Kight had the misfortune to cut his foot quite badly with his axe. It's impossible to keep a good man down so true to form Ancil was back on the job Monday morning when he shouldn't have been.

Pfc. Edward Hatfield of the Air Forces, and elder son of our janitor and wife, came in Wednesday on a short furlough to visit his parents and his wife, before being sent into the Pacific. He reports at an embarkation point on this coast some time this week.

Mrs. Genevieve (Fetch) Williams returned to her father's home here last week after having spent some time in Colorado with her husband, Phil, who is in the armed forces. Phil was moved to Las Vegas, Nevada, from which place he is soon to be sent overseas. If Phil doesn't receive a furlough so he can come here before going out, Genevieve plans to go to him there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Lockwood drove in from Portland Saturday night. Their presence here at this time was due to the confinement of his mother, Mrs. Mary Lockwood, in the Belle Knife Hospital. She entered there last Monday for a major operation on Tuesday and her condition is reported favorable at this time. Lloyd and his wife stayed while here at the home of his sister, Mrs. Ancil Kight. They had to return to Portland Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collier and little Rosemarie and Johnnie from Coos River spent Sunday and had dinner with the George Sheltons. George is feeling much better now and is back on his job with the State

Highway Department this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ganser and Donna Rae from Coquille spent an enjoyable evening at the George Shelton's Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Detillon and Charles Detillon stopped in for a short time, later taking Charlotte with them to the Townsend dance at Bandon.

Mrs. Jess Kay from Bandon visited friends here last Thursday. Mr. Kay works with Ralph and Gene Smith with their logging operations over on the Smith ranch.

Mrs. C. M. Hartwell attended the Mothers and Daughters banquet at the Coquille Pioneer church hall Monday evening, sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's club of which Mrs. Hartwell is a member. Her guest mother was Mrs. Ella Fonner from here.

Mrs. Lorena Willard of near Coquille, who underwent a major operation at the Belle Knife last Wednesday, is the former Lorena Kight, sister of Walter, Ellis and Ancil Kight of this place. We are glad that Mrs. Willard is making a satisfactory recovery. Our best wishes have been with her.

Belle Knife Hospital

On Thursday of last week G. W. Anderson, of Fairview, entered Belle Knife Hospital for treatment, while Mrs. Eva Shepherd, of Coquille, and Dorothy Epling, of Denmark, entered for surgery.

Sharon Funk, Bullards Rt., submitted to a tonsilectomy Saturday. Jimmy Clinton, son of Orville Clinton of Arago, entered for treatment Monday, as did Mrs. E. L. Hanson of Coquille.

Elmer Hook and Calvin Fuitts, of Coquille, underwent surgery Tuesday.

Edith Mattoon was discharged on Wednesday of last week and Santos Bedy and Rybern Workman were dismissed Saturday.

On Sunday, C. L. Tuttle left the hospital. All patients dismissed during the past week were residents of Coquille.

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The Duplicate Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. E. D. McCune on Wednesday evening of this week.

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