

30 Young Fighters Signed Up For First Coos County Amateur Prize Fight Matches

With 14 bouts slated for the first night of the Coos County Amateur Boxing championship fights in the Coquille Community Building all arrangements have been made for the pugilistic exhibitions Friday and Saturday, August 2 and 3, according to the fights committee of the Coquille Active club.

There are 30 contestants from Coquille, Coos Bay, North Bend, and Myrtle Point. Ages range from 12 years to 23 with weights running from featherweights in the 90 pound class, to heavyweights tipping the scales at 182 pounds.

Matchings are being made by weight and by age. Dr. Gerald Stark, Coquille physician, will conduct the physical examinations for each contestant.

Dave Johnson Referee

Referee will be Dave Johnson and timekeeper is Jack Moore. Fred Bull and Harry Schaeffer will serve as judges.

Winners of the bouts in their classes Friday night will fight again for championship titles Saturday evening. Amateur buckles will be given the winners of the second contests.

Ticket sales are going well and it looks like a packed house, according to Activists. Tickets may be secured at Dick's Outdoor Store, Smoke House, Stewarts in Coos Bay and Stevens Hardware and the Sentinel. Tickets will also be on sale at the box office in the Community building.

Fighting Friday night, August 2, will be: Don Megale, Coos Bay and Mickey Mullin, Coquille; James Mullin, Coquille; and Billy Willard, Coquille; Glenn Griffith, Coquille, and Billy Nichols, Coquille; B. J. Sherwood, Coos Bay, and Harry Hardcastle, North Bend; Jimmy Newton and Ronald Morgan, both of Coquille; Fred Wilhelm, North Bend, and Bud Meek, Coquille; Bud Brant, North Bend, and Rudy Nichols, Coquille; Bob Wylie, Coquille, and John Abbott, Coos Bay; Jim Nelson and Neil Milligan, both of Coquille; Homer Anderson and Bill V. Pettingill, both of Coquille; Dick Gronholm and Ken Hunt, both of Coos Bay; Tommy Mullins, Coquille, and Don Rutherford, Coos Bay; Bud Buckles and Eddie Steinmetz, both of Coquille; James E. Kimsey, Coquille, and Clarence Spurgeon, Coos Bay.

Concert To Be Held Wednesday, Aug. 18

Miss Marvel Skeels of New York, daughter of Mrs. Birdie Skeels of Coquille, will be presented in concert Wednesday evening, August 18th in the Liberty theatre under the sponsorship of the Coquille Woman's club, it was announced today.

Miss Skeels, a former Coquille girl, has been a church soloist in New York City and has appeared on the concert stage there.

She has studied in the U. S. and abroad.

Admission of \$1.00 plus tax will be charged for the concert. Miss Aileen Wilson will assist. Miss Skeels and present several piano selections.

Miss Helene Katherine Sabert, recently released from the U. S. army with the rank of captain, has been employed by the county as new health nurse. She will report on August 7 for active duty.



AMONG THE PIONEERS OF COOS COUNTY who visited together at the Annual Coos-Curry County Pioneer and Historical Association meeting Sunday, July 28, in Coquille were these men: From left to right, back row: Gene Norton; Charles Cavanaugh, California; Tilly Culver, Catching Inlet; J. D. Clinton, Myrtle Point; Bert Gould; "Doc" Dean, Portland; and George Terry. Front row: R. H. Mast; J. Albert Matson, new president, Coos Bay; Gov. Earl Snell; J. P. Beyers, retiring president; J. D. Clinkenbeard, and Sam Nosler.

J. Albert Matson Elected President Coos-Curry Pioneers

J. Albert Matson of Coos Bay was elected new president of the Coos-Curry County Pioneer and Historical Association in the annual meeting Sunday, July 28, in Coquille. He succeeds J. P. Beyers of Coquille who is the retiring president. Also named were Fred True, Coquille, vice-president; and Mrs. Inez R. Chase, Coquille, secretary-treasurer. The last two are re-elections. Directors for the ensuing year are Orville Wood, J. E. Norton, E. L. Perrott and Charles Stauff, all of Coquille; Edgar McDaniels, North Bend; and C. H. Bufington and Mrs. Wanda Volck, Gold Beach.

It was announced that plans for a Pioneer Museum are going ahead. The association already has several hundred dollars on hand, according to the financial report made by the secretary, Mrs. Chase. The Rotary club of Coquille sponsored a benefit dance in the Coquille Community hall on July 30. Entire net proceeds from this dance will be given to the museum fund. It is rumored that several other service clubs throughout the county plan benefits of some kind for this fund.

Program Highlights Meeting

The highlights of the program which followed the business session was the

address by Governor Earl Snell who came to Coquille especially for this occasion. He praised the pioneers of Coos and Curry counties, and showed how they laid a fine foundation for what we have today. He brought with him a copy of a part of the United States government census of 1890 naming some of those who lived in the Coquille precinct at that time, and as he read from that list some of the old familiar names of the county, knowing smiles were exchanged by many of those present as members of their families or old friends were mentioned. A number of copies of this list were left with Mrs. Chase for distribution.

The governor evidently had done considerable research into local history for he had assembled information concerning some of our pioneer families with which some of our younger citizens are not too familiar, and as he spoke, he emphasized how the principles followed by our pioneers have given us a better present, and are still needed today in even greater application.

There were several other interesting events on the program. The invocation was given by the Rev. Liston Parrish. The group singing of the "Star Spangled Banner," and later

Coos Cranberries Heavy Bearers

Back in New England on the famous bogs where come—or we should say did come—the nation's favorite berries, the producers are happy with a yield of 40 barrels per acre . . . but out in Coos county on the edge of the Pacific producers get a yield of from 140 to 200 barrels per acre. So said Marcus and Carl B. Urann, both of Hanson, Mass., and officials of the Cranberry Growers when on a visit here the past two weeks.

That's just another reason Coos captivates the citizenry of the nation, and another incentive to planting more bogs into berries for the market of the world.

Greyhound Busses Featured In Double Mishaps This Week

Mrs. L. P. Harvey of Lighthouse Way, Coos Bay, was killed instantly at 8:50 Monday morning five miles south of Riverton when the car in which she was riding alone crashed into the front of a Greyhound bus; while on Sunday at 3 p. m. a Greyhound bus left the Coquille-Roseburg highway to drop into the Coquille river.

Driver of the Greyhound bus that was struck by Mrs. Harvey's car was S. A. Cotter who suffered shock.

State police stated that Mrs. Harvey may have been asleep.

In the bus going off the highway the driver reported that he was forced from the road by another car.

The passengers were slightly shaken up, and Darrel Gay, Myrtle Point, was taken to the Keizer hospital in North Bend for observation.

Sunset Bay Park Question Up Again

Whether or not anything will be done with Sunset Bay which was set aside by the county for a county park area is still being discussed, according to Judge L. D. Felsheim.

Last week citizens of North Bend were interested in finding out what plans were held out for the park area.

The Bay which is one of Oregon's most picturesque and protected bays was set aside several years ago by the county court at the instigation of the Elks of the county as a park reserve area.

It is reported that Arch Sanders, secretary of the Oregon Coast Highway association, has been advertising in the Wall Street Journal in an attempt to get capital to come in and develop the area with the right to reserve all concessions for the improvements.

At present date no results have been secured, Judge Felsheim stated, though Sanders believes he will have interested parties before the end of the year.



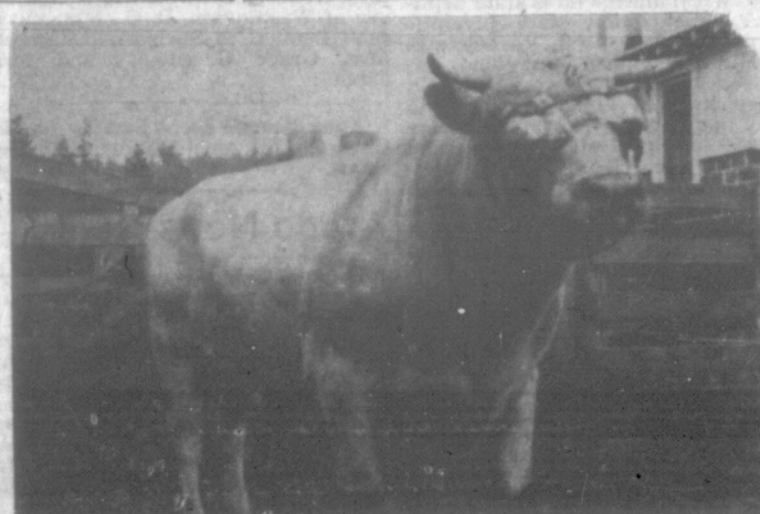
—Coquille Studio Photo

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS get a real treat when the Girl Scouts under Mrs. Marvin Shaw entertained the "city fathers" in their "Dead End Kids" camp unit to the Coquille Girl Scout Day Camp held in lovely Patterson Grove under the direction of the Coquille Girl Scout Council. Over 110 girls took part in the two weeks camp with sessions running from 10 to three each day, four days a week. Art work, handicrafts, painting, singing, out-of-doors cooking, hiking, games, and other subjects made up the program of the camp. The city council with the park commission was active in securing piped water into the park for the Girl Scouts, and had large work tables such as the one pictured above made for the Girl Scouts. The council plans on a storage cabin in the park for the storage of Girl Scout equipment next summer. Pictured above are Councilmen John Purkey, Mayor Orville Wood, George Burr, George Taylor and George Ulett.

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ENOUGH HOT DOGS FOR EVERY hungry man, woman and child in this end of Coos county for a long time is what this White Shorthorn bull weighing over 2050 pounds on the hoof made at the Stonecypher Packing plant here when he was killed late in July. Of the White shorthorn milking strain, he was raised and owned by the Bronson Bros. farm at Bridge. He was the biggest 3 year old bull ever seen and was the size of two ordinary bulls. Recently Portland papers ballyhooed a large bull in the Portland stock yards that was several hundred pounds smaller than Coos county's biggest bull.

Lion President Stan Sherwood Names Committee Members For Year's Program

President Stan Sherwood who leads the Lions of Coquille took out his black book this week and named 17 committees to lead the activities of the club for the coming period ahead.

Named were: Safety—Irving Larson, "Bud" Griffin, Mel Giles, Dr. E. C. Hamilton and Oscar Henrichs; sight conservation—J. A. Moore, Denton Ellingson, George Ulett, Mel Giles and Ned C. Kelley; Boy Scouts—George Howe, Robert Harris, Joe Sayre and Cliff Strom; community betterment—Dr. J. D. Rankin, Irving Larson, J. A. Moore, Tallant Greenough, Lee Stonecypher and Philip Albom;

Education—Ernest James, Paul Snider and Wayne Smith; health and welfare—Dr. Leland Gould, Dr. J. D. Rankin, Dr. J. R. Bunch and Craig Perrott; program—Paul Snider, Geo. Howe, M. D. Hawkins, John Perkins and B. W. Dunn; publicity—Lloyd Wood, Walter Laird, Dee Brown and Harry Ireland; boys' and girls' work—Richard Barklow, William Barrow, Cecil Hugh, Cliff Strom, David Rackleff, Wayne Smith and Ernest James. Citizenship and patriotism—Thurston Gremgard, Joe Sayre, Lin Swain and Fred Logsdon; civic improvement—David Biegger, Evan Albom, Ed Parent, Frank Pook, George Ulett, Robert Harrison and Clifford Gulseith; attendance—Lev Craven, Robert MacDonald and Ned Kelly; constitution and by-laws—Harry A. Slack, Henry McCue, Elton Savage and Arthur Hooton;

Convention—Lloyd Claver, Ray Detlefsen, Ray Buckles and Ernest James; finance—Robert Stewart, Lewis Wiltshire, E. E. Benham and Dr. R. N. Crawford; Lions education—R. A. Jeub, Robert Harris, George Oerding, Dale Elliott and Russell Holman; membership—George H. Jenkins.

Coquille Indians To Meet Cape Arago

Coquille's baseball team of the Southwestern Oregon League will play Cape Arago's team in the Baseball Park Sunday, August 4 at 2 p. m.

The pitcher for the Cape Arago team is a former Coast League pitcher. Cape Arago is one game above Coquille in the league standing.

Manager Floyd Chase stated today he hoped Coquille "would change position with them after the game Sunday."

It should develop into a pitcher's battle as "Smoky" Goodman will pitch for the local nine.

Junior Legion Nines To Tangle Here

Southwestern Oregon's junior American Legion ball clubs will start a two day tournament here Saturday and Sunday, August 10 and 11, it was announced today by Jess Barton.

The first game will be held Saturday when North Bend meets Coquille, with the winners playing the league leading nine, Marshfield on the local ball park diamond, Sunday, August 11.

Girl Scout Awards Given By Mrs. Shaw

Girl Scout service badges were awarded five girls at the closing program of Bay Camp last Thursday at Patterson Grove.

Mrs. Marvin Shaw gave the awards to the five girls of Dead End camp, oldest of the four day camp groups, who had helped keep and set up camp for the 110 girls attending the two week's outing.

Receiving the awards were Rosalee Arnett, Virginia Foote, Nancy Godard, Adrienne Eubanks, and Colleen Chowning.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Bottom of Lafayette, Oregon, are visiting the LeRoy Rices as part of their vacation. Mr. Rice is the brother of Mrs. Bottom.

Sheriff Howell To Have Opponent

Chester G. Finn of Sumner will oppose Sheriff William F. Howell in the November primary by having his name placed on the ballot due to the filing of petitions bearing 574 names of qualified Coos county electors. Legal number required would have been only 522.

Finn who is a Sumner farmer has seen previous police work in Washington.

Sheriff Howell was nominated by both the Democratic and Republican parties in the primaries.

The petitions were filed in the office of County Clerk L. W. Oddy.

Rat Meeting Will Be Held This Week

A meeting of the representatives of the five towns of Coos county will be held in the Coquille city hall this week. It was announced today by C. Eugene Fields, Coos county sanitarian who has arranged the meeting to discuss the rat problem in this county and methods of setting up a war campaign on them.

Present to meet with the city fathers and all interested parties will be G. E. Hanson of the U. S. Wildlife commission who will discuss the rat control problem.

So far the general public reaction has been very favorable to the rat control project, says Mr. Fields, and it is expected that more information will be brought out at the meeting.

Coquille Golfers Lose To Coos County

Players from the Coquille Valley Country club lost their matches last Sunday to the Coos County club golfers on the Coos course by a total score of 49 to 17. This was the second defeat suffered by the Coquille players this year.

Medalist was Dick Hansen with a 71 defeating George Linn of Coquille. Following was Ed Bashaw of Coos Bay and Dutch Clinton of Coquille.

Results with Coquille players listed first were: Curt Warstaff, 129 vs Ed Schindler, 105; George Johnson, 94 vs Al Stalkup, 92; Dutch Clinton, 74 vs Ray Hopp, 77; George Linn 77 vs Dick Hansen, 71; Butch Briner, 98 vs Lew Jones, 91; Russ Holman, 87 vs Leonard Epling, 87; Jack Holmes, 90 vs Bill Fitch, 80; Lou Holman, 94 vs Frank Peters, 82; Spike Leslie, 85 vs Ben Woods, 87; Andy Richardson, 83 vs C. L. Brown, 84; Ray Butch, 90 vs Bob Downer 87; Harry Dement, 91 vs Al Johnson, 91; Bob Harris, 93; vs Earl Mathis, 97; Lin Swain, 117 vs Joe Kolen, 112; E. Detman, 79 vs Tony Milosevich, 82; Jack McLarrin, 75 vs Ed Bashaw, 74; Vern Estell, 101 vs Life Compton, 95; J. Louterbech, 98 vs Vern Husk, 86; Dave Johnson, 100 vs Jack Valentine, 91; George Richardson, 91 vs Emil Matson, 80; Stewart Norton, 97 vs Ken Johnson, 83; Bill Clausen, 92 vs J. Spicer, 80.

North Bend Legion Nine Plays Coquille

Coquille and North Bend will tangle in the last league game of the season when the Junior Legion local nine comes up against the hard-hitting boys from the bay area.

Batteries for the Coquille team will be Jim Zellmore in the box with Bob Dykes catching.

Game is called for 2 p. m. on the Coquille Ball Park field.

This game originally slated to be played on the Marshfield diamond was moved to Coquille to make room for the Marshfield-Oakland game there Sunday.

Girl Scouts To Camp

Among the girls leaving Wednesday for the Girl Scout camp at Cleawax were Colleen Chowning, Nancy Perrott, Geraldine Smith, Marcie Mauney, Adrienne Eubanks, Marilyn Purkey, Zelma Miller, Dolores Anderson, Joan Benham, Mary Kistner and Phyllis Stevens.