

Coquille Herald.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 4, 1908.

Owing to a late ruling by the U. S. Postal Department which goes into effect the first of next month, it will be necessary for us to drop from our subscription books the names of all subscribers who are more than one year in arrears for the Herald.

It seems at first a little strange for the government to take this position, as it would appear that it is a simple case of interfering with our private business, but when we study into the matter, the object is plainly to be understood. The intention of the government is to give the publisher of every bona fide newspaper every advantage of cheap rates possible, and in doing so the publishers of advertising schemes have learned to take advantage of these rates, and the idea of the department is to cut them out, and only allow genuine news papers with paid-up subscription lists to have access to what is known as the second-class mailing rate.

Therefore, under the circumstances, we are sending out statements to all who are more than a year in arrears, and in case we receive no remittance by April 1st, we will be obliged to drop such names from our mailing list.

We have been sending the Herald to a great many for a number of years in good faith, and they have received and read the paper, we hope, with pleasure and profit to themselves, and should not feel harshly toward us under the existing circumstances, but should be willing to settle up to the first of the present year at once, and in case you wish to pay a year in advance, we are in a position to give a valuable farm paper as a premium.

Fruit Growers' Association.

A local branch of the Coos County Fruit Growers' Association was organized in this city last Saturday, or at last, steps were taken in that direction. Owing to the fact that the day was exceedingly stormy and the hour set for the meeting in the afternoon, there was not as large an attendance as was hoped for, but genuine interest was manifested by those present, and on the 14th of this month there will be another meeting at which the organization will be perfected, and plans for operations put into complete working order. E. A. Hovey was chosen as chairman of the former meeting and Walter Caldwell secretary. M. G. Pohl, Fruit Inspector was present and gave an interesting talk on the subject of fruit growing as well as others. The prime object of the association is to see that a fine article of fruit is grown, and then that the producer get a fair and reasonable price for it, and to do this it is the purpose of the association to form a stock company and at the proper time secure necessary sating room in one on each of our principal markets with a good man in charge who will take care of their interests. Proper advertising will be put out by and association which goes a long way toward causing the market to seek our fruit.

M. G. Pohl, the Fruit Inspector, is in this section looking after the duties of that office. He finds some who are inclined to ignore him and his demands, but they will find their mistake. The laws of the state are behind him, and their good laws and should be observed, regardless of officers as far as that is concerned. It is not right for one man to try to keep his orchard clean while his neighbor's orchard is a hotbed of insect pests and disease, continually contaminating all fruit trees near. If an orchard is worth having at all, it should be kept up in good shape; otherwise it should be grubbed up.

Following are the names of those who have filled petitions and will be before the nominating election of the Republicans and Democrats: W. H. Bunch, Republican, School Superintendent; James Watson, Republican, county clerk; A. N. Gould, Republican, Surveyor; T. J. Thrift, Democrat, Assessor; W. W. Gage, Democrat, Sheriff; Cal W. Wright, Democrat, Sheriff; John B. Duley, Republican, Treasurer; Robert Goetz, Republican, school Superintendent; John E. Perrott, Republican, Sheriff.

If you wish to travel by steamer, make your reservations for berths with Paul Sterling, at the depot.

Paul Skeels Gets Fall.

On Wednesday of last week while assisting in ceiling the lower story of Nosler's building in changing it from a skating rink to a store room to receive W. O. Laird's new stock, a portion of the staging fell upon which Paul Skeels was working at the time, throwing the young man violently to the floor, fracturing two ribs and otherwise bruising him up. He struck on his head and shoulders and it was at first thought by his companions that his neck was broken, but this proved not the case, and he is now getting along very well, but has been suffering intensely. We hope he may soon be entirely recovered.

League Entertainment

By M. E. Church South

MASONIC HALL

MARCH 6, 1908.

"Man-Ke-Aloha" (My Last Love)..... Illustrated Hawaiian Song.....Mr. Edwin K. Rose and Miss Susie Smith.
Vocal Solo.....Mrs. Moomaw
Recitation.....Perry Lawrence
Vocal Solo, "Somewhere," Edwin Rose
Vocal Solo.....Miss Gertrude Wilson
Recitation.....Dorris Peoples
Piano Solo.....Mrs. Bourne
Coon Song and Comic Sketches.....Bill Simmons.
Recitation.....Miss Wells
Farce, "A Social Outcast".....Cast of characters—Larence Emmett as Meandering Mick, S. M. Nosler, Hon. Frank Kenmore a Politician and a Rascal, Aaron Wilson, Judge Montgomery of the Circuit Court, Raymond Bates; Julia his Alleged Daughter, Susie Smith; Genie his Loving Niece, Gretchen Sherwood.

Judge Hall came over yesterday to look into matters concerning the family of Hollenbeck children at Bandon who got into trouble last week. He found the little things in a pitiable condition, and proceeded to find them homes, in which we understand he has had good success.

For good dairy ranches, good farm or city property, call at the Central Real Estate Exchange, B. B. Paul, manager.

On account of sickness in the family Mr. Thurston could not return from Marshfield the first of this week to this city to continue the meetings so auspiciously begun last week. Mr. Thurston has the sincerest sympathy of all who know him in this place, and it is earnestly hoped he will be able soon to come and continue the work so splendidly begun. Further news is awaited from Mr. Thurston as to continuance of meetings.

Cut prices—Ladies' felt fur-top slippers \$2.00, now \$1.45; \$1.75 now \$1.25; \$1.50 now 95¢; \$1.00 now 75¢ at Robinson's this week.

The trial of Messrs Smith and Jones, connected with the land fraud cases, is to come off soon at Los Angeles, Cal., and Monday the following-named witnesses from Curry county passed through town to the bay on their way to that city to give testimony: Al Marsh, Ed Jensen, Ed Marsters, W. B. Dean, Murt Miller, Walter Sutton, M. M. Jameson, Mrs. P. J. Lindberg, Mrs. L. Knapp and Mrs. Alice Zumwalt, and Thomas Lane, of this city. Later: Four of these witnesses, W. B. Dean, Otto Newman, Thos. Lane and Murt Miller who were for the defense, returned yesterday, having received word while at the bay that they would not be needed.

Prof. H. A. Howell, of Havana, Cuba, Recommends Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"As long ago as I can remember my mother was a faithful user and friend of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, but never in my life have I realized its true value until now," writes Prof. H. A. Howell, of Howell's American School, Havana, Cuba. "On the night of February 3rd our baby was taken sick with a very severe cold, the next day was worse and the following night his condition was desperate. He could not lie down and it was necessary to have him in the arms every moment. Even then his breathing was difficult. I did not think he would live until morning. At last I thought of my mother's remedy Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which we gave, and it afforded prompt relief, and now, three days later, he has fully recovered. Under the circumstances I would not hesitate a moment in saying that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy saved that child, and the life of our dear little boy." For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

"Sound Ring" flour can be bought through any grocer.

WANTED. A good man and wife to work on dairy farm. Inquire at Herald office.

A Tocsin for the Times.

By W. S. Gordon.

An appeal to the thoughtless children of Christian ancestors:
O children of the saints, arise
And gird your armor on!
A "Promised Land" is still at stake,
The day will soon be gone.

The royal blood is in your veins,
And duty will not down;
Your hand was made to wield the sword,
Your brow to wear a crown!

Perchance you bear the name of one
Who died for conscience sake—
Some Puritan or Huguenot
Who shrank not from the stake.

But what avails it all to thee—
The martyr's fire and sword—
If faithless to the sacred trust
You fight not for the Lord?

As brave a battle wages now
As waged in days gone by—
You're matching pennies in your tents
While others fight and die!

How dare you talk of "father's faith,"
And "mother's prayers" for you,
While trampling underneath your feet
The book that made them true!

Plead not the "changes of the times"
Or cringing Custom's nod—
Deserters always trailed the rear
In the armies of our God!

His granite law must stand unchanged
While God himself is true;
The direct charge that time hath wrought
Is wrought by sin in you.

Still burns the old heroic fire,
Still yawns the gulf of sin,
Still surges on the giddy throng
That blindly plunges in.

Still flows for you the crimson flood
Of God's Eternal love;
Still holy hands are beckoning
From battlefields above.

A dying world demands your life!
No time for weak complaints!
Then rise and gird your armor on
Ye children of the saints!

Unequaled as a Cure for Croup.

"Besides being an excellent remedy for colds and throat troubles, Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is unequaled as a cure for croup," says Harry Wilson of Waynetown, Ind. When given as soon as the croupy cough appears, this remedy will prevent the attack. It is used successfully in many thousands of homes. For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

Bancroft Items.

A warm rain Wednesday night broke the monotony to frosty nights on Sunnysdays.

Mrs. J. Laird of Myrtle Point is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Weekley this week.

F. J. Fish is improving his home-stead, assisted by his brother Joe.

Mrs. T. S. Evernden returned Tuesday from a lengthy sojourn in the lower country. She was accompanied by her son Fred who comes to recuperate from his fever.

Wm. Lett who is at Ashland to have his eyes treated, is much encouraged by the Dr. and will be home soon.

Farm work is going on at a good rate and there are signs here of early spring.

Most of the Grippe victims are improving, among them we note Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Price, J. V. Shuck and Orrilla Rice.

A Pleasant Physic.

Nearly all diseases of the skin such as eczema, tetter, salt rheum and barbers' itch, are characterized by an intense itching and smarting, which often makes life a burden and disturbs sleep and rest. Quick relief may be had by applying Chamberlain's Salve. It always relieves the itching and smarting almost instantly. Many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by R. Knowlton.

Fresh bread, pies and cakes at Drain's store.

Drain keeps on hand fresh bread, pies, cakes and cookies. Before ordering suits, call and see Drain's samples. Good fits and satisfaction guaranteed.

G. A. Robinson has just received two large shipments of Brown shoes and there are more coming. Hold your order till you see them.

The entertainment given by the Women's Study Club last night is reported the grandest success of the season and much praise is spoken of those who took part in the program. Their attendance was very good, the admittance amounting to \$34, which will be added to the public reading room funds. The reading room will soon be opened in room adjoining the Sentinel office.

Thousands Perish.

Thousands perish every year from consumption resulting from a cold. Foley's Honey and Tar cures the most obstinate racking coughs and expels the cold from your system and prevents consumption and pneumonia. It has cured many cases of incipient consumption. E. J. Slocum.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

To the Republican voters of Coos county, Oregon.

Greeting: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the nomination for School Superintendent of Coos county, subject to your pleasure at the Republican primaries.

ROBERT GOETZ.

Eastern Star Program.

Tuesday evening March 10th.

PART FIRST.

1. Overture, Poet and Peasant—duet for piano, Mrs. Bourne and Miss E. Boyd.
2. Song.....Miss Lola Tupper.
3. Recitation.....Miss Wells.
4. Song.....Miss Wilson.
5. Vocal duet, "Oh that we two were Mating," Mrs. Tyrrell and Mr. Pierce.
6. Song, "For This" by Mrs. Ethel Mehl.
7. Piano solo, "Caprice"—J. Ruff—by Mrs. D. W. Bourne.
8. Song.....Mrs. Naamah Tyrrell. Song and sketch Mr. E. K. Rice.

PART SECOND.

1. Opening Minstrel Overture No. 1, Isidore Witmark by "The Merry Jesters" chorus of 25.
2. Song, "I'll be Your Dewdrop Rosey, Rosey Sunflower."
3. Song, "I'm Savin' up my money" Johnson Jones.
4. Monologue, "Baby Talk" Dinah Dewdrop.
5. Song, "Lazy Bill" Bill Bailey.
6. "Stump Speech" by Way-down-Bebbe.
7. Song and "Cake Walk" by Snowball Family.

Don't fail to see the "Pickin'-nics. Finest "bunch" of little coons you ever saw.

The Smith Powers camp on Cunningham shut down last week for a rest for a month or six weeks while some business matters concerning shipping are being adjusted.

The city council met in regular monthly session last Monday night and the usual routine of business gone through with. Night Marshal Dunham's resignation was accepted and Oscar Wickham given the position for one month, after which there is to be a change as to the manner in which this officer is to be employed. The project of adding another stream to our water supply was looked up to some extent as it is the intention to have a greater supply by the arrival of the dry season.

There is a good opening for some one to do a lot of spraying if properly prepared, as a great many people who have a few trees will not want to go to the trouble to prepare for the work.

The Lucky Quarter

Is the one you pay out for a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They bring you the health that's more precious than jewels. Try them for headache, biliousness, constipation and malaria. If they disappoint you the price will be cheerfully refunded at R. S. Knowlton's drug store.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the improvement and construction of a portion of the county road in Road District No. 12, Coos county, Oregon, according to the specifications on file with the County Clerk of Coos county, and a copy of such specifications in the hands of E. N. Harry, Supervisor of Road District No. 12.

All bids to be filed with the County Clerk of Coos county, Oregon, on or before the 5th day of March, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. when such bids will be opened.

Five per cent of amount of bid to be deposited with county clerk with bid. The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at the Court House, City of Coquille, Coos county, Oregon, this 5th day of February, 1908.

JAMES WATSON, County Clerk.

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FINE AND PLAIN SEWING, At home on the T bridge, by Mrs. Emma Hansecom.

Mrs. John Barrows, of the lower river, visited in town the first of the week.

Pay Up. All knowing themselves to be indebted to the steamer Echo are requested to settle at once.

Quick's Exchange is the place to go for a stepladder. They make them to order—light, strong and any length.

Don't wait till the last minute to order that Easter suit as you may not be able to get it on time. Traveler the Tailor.

For Diseases of the Skin.

When you want a pleasant physic give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial. They are mild and gentle in their action and always produce a pleasant cathartic effect. Call at R. S. Knowlton's drug store for a free sample.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL INDEMNITY SELECTION.

United States Land Office.

Roseburg, Oregon, February 26, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that the state of Oregon, on June 27, 1897, applied for n.w. 1/4 of sec 34, tp 27 S. R. 10 W. of W.M. and in this office a list of school indemnity selections in which it selected said land; and that said list is open to the public for inspection. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or any legal subdivision thereof, or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selection for any lawful reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office on or before the 22nd day of April 1908.

I hereby designate the Coquille Herald, published at Coquille, Oregon, as the newspaper in which the above notice is to be published.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that seal bids will be received for improvement of a portion of the County Road in road district No. 26, according to the specifications on file with the county clerk of Coos county, Oregon; five per cent of the amount of bid to be deposited with the County Clerk with the bid. Improvements to consist of swamping, grading, fills, culverts and bridges.

All bids to be filed with the County Clerk of Coos county, on or before the 5th day of March, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock when such bids will be opened. The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 15th day of February A. D. 1908.

R. P. CARMAN, Special Road Master of R. D. No. 26.

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Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all persons are hereby warned against hunting and shooting upon my place near Riverton, and those disregarding this warning will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

J. D. DONALDSON.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received for the improvement of a portion of the County Road, District No. 30, Coos County, Oregon, according to the specifications on file with the County Clerk of said County and a copy of which is in the hands of H. E. Wilcox, Special Road Master of R. D. No. 30.

Such improvements to consist of planing, corduroying, grading, making culverts and fills, etc.

Five per cent of amount of bid to be deposited with county clerk with bid. All bids to be filed with the county Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before the 5th day of March A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. at which time all bids filed will be opened.

The County Clerk reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 14th day of February A. D. 1908.

H. E. WILCOX, Special Road Master of Road District No. 30.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for the special improvements of the Glenn Creek Junction and Douglas County road in Road District No. 6, Coos County, Oregon, said improvement being known as the Glenn Creek Falls Improvement, in accordance with the plans and specifications, prepared by C. S. McCulloch. Bids will be received up to the 6th day of March, 1908, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day. Said bids to be for removing rock and dirt and making roadbed, clearing roadway by cubic yards and also for clearing road way rock work and making road bed complete by lineal rods. Work to begin at the stake or station No. 46 and continuing on the line of said road until the special tax levied for said improvements shall be exhausted.

Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check or bond payable to the undersigned in the sum of \$50.00 to be forfeited in case contract shall be awarded and bidder shall fail to enter into contract within 10 days, with a suitable understanding for the fulfillment of his contract. The said contract to be made in accordance with Section 75, laws of 1903, page 284.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved; also the right to modify any bids.

Dated this 12th day of February, 1908.

CHARLES ROBINSON, Special Road Master for Road District No. 6.

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