

Coquille Herald.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23, 1910

Local advertisements among local readers five cents per line each insertion. Cards, thanks 50 cents each. Obituary poetry five cents per line. Resolutions of Condolence and lodge advertising five cents per line.

The Port of Coquille.

The importance of the Coquille river as a shipping point is so apparent that there is nothing to base an argument upon that would detract from its merits, and while the work done by the government has been very satisfactory as compared with the amount of money expended, the work of improvement has not been as rapid and extensive as the progressive and enterprising people of the valley consider the case warrants. Therefore a move is now on foot to take advantage of the new law giving any section contiguous to a river or bay the right to levy taxes for harbor improvements. There has been a considerable sum recommended by the river and harbor committee which congress is almost certain to allow for the jetty extension, but there are some snags and troublesome shoals in the river which should be removed, and to show the good intentions of the people on the river, it is but fair and proper that a tax be voted and the proceeds be placed in the hands of a competent port commission to be expended for this purpose.

Arrangements are under way to give the voters of this valley a chance to place themselves on record as to what shall be done in the premises and show to the world whether they are progressive, business-like citizens, worthy to occupy a place in this rich and beautiful valley, or the mossbacks some would have us believe them to be.

Washington's Birthday.

A very entertaining program was rendered by the pupils of our public schools yesterday, February 22nd, which was highly creditable to their efforts. Following is the program:

Instrumental Duet, Mabel Crouch and Margaret Curry, Eighth Grade. (late)
Recitation, "Washington," Benjie Hersey, Sixth Grade.
Exercise, First Grade.
Exercise, "Truth," Third Grade.
Flag Drill, Second Grade.
Recitation, Pauline Goodman, Sixth Grade.

Quotations from Washington, Red, White, and Blue, Fourth Grade.
Recitation, Geneva Robinson, Fifth Grade.
Piano Solo, Janie Lowe, Fifth Grade.
Recitation, Perry Lawrence, Eighth Grade.
Drill, "Barbara Frietchie," Fifth Grade.
Drill, Sixteen Boys.

Besides the program there was an exhibit of work from the first to the eighth grade which shows the excellent progress being made. A large number of the parents and friends of the children were present. A collection was taken to pay for the use of the hall, a small balance of which will be added to the library fund.

At The M. E. Church.

Rev. R. H. Allen, pastor of our church at Bandon, will preach in the M. E. Church at Coquille both morning and evening, Feb. 27th.

NOW READY

The New Monthly Issue of the Celebrated

McCall Patterns

(Superior in Style, Fit and Simplicity)

AND FASHION PUBLICATIONS

Call at our Pattern Counter and inspect the Very Latest Designs

MCCALL FASHION SHEETS FREE

Rose's Cash Store

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION MEETS.

Meeting Held Monday Evening—Work to be Renewed—Much Interest in Evidence.

A meeting of the directors of the Coquille Library Association was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hazard on Monday evening with a fair representation of the officers and a few interested parties, at which time a move was made to renew work with a view to setting the library association upon a better footing, and to continue the good work that organization has started with a renewed vigor and determination to have the library and gymnasium a reality in the near future. The beautiful lots intended as the site for the building are not entirely paid for, and it will require a considerable sum of money to pay this, erect a building, install a library and other equipment. To accomplish this, much work and good management will be necessary, and the working committee are now inaugurating plans by which this may be achieved. They have done good work in this line, and we have every reason to think that they are fully competent to continue with even better results than before, if the proper encouragement is given.

The first benefit given for this purpose will be the basket ball game to take place in this city March 4th and will be a contest between the Coquille and North Bend high school teams. All the net proceeds will be given to the library fund. The 4th of March will also be designated as library tag day, and all will be given an opportunity to help this fund.

The entire school will take part in a parade on this occasion in which the Coquille Brass Band has been invited to join.

All friends of the enterprise should be on hand and do their part toward making this a great financial success, as its merits are so thoroughly understood. Our young people in particular should do all possible, as they are the ones for whose special benefit this effort is being made.

The Educational League.

The last meeting of the Educational League held on Friday afternoon at the school house, was an unusually interesting one and greatly enjoyed by all present.

The disagreeable weather prevented a larger attendance, though the high school room and one adjoining were pretty well filled.

A very delightful program was rendered. Mrs. Sengstacken, of Marshfield, presented a very able paper, on the "Ideals in Private Life," which was greatly enjoyed and appreciated. The program was as follows:

Opening song America.
Instrumental duet, Mesdames Chas. Skeels and Fay Jones.
Reading, Mrs. Fred Belloni.
Vocal solo, Mrs. Ed Lorenz.
Violin solo, Cecil K. Lyons.
Paper, Mrs. Sengstacken.

Steamer Plant Arrivals.

Arrivals from San Francisco by the Plant on Saturday afternoon were as follows:

J. C. Greene, M. F. Fisher, J. H. Bridges, Miss Fay Bridges, Miss Mary Black, A. M. Prentiss, Mrs. A. T. Haines, Harry Adler, Miss L. Larson, R. Desmond, Chas. Bergeron, J. W. Robertson, Theo. Bradley, E. R. Niensadt, Mrs. J. H. Bridges, J. Hering, Mrs. Geo. A. Ross, J. H. Flanagan, J. Baines, Miss Mary Clark, Mrs. A. G. Aiken, E. T. Lampe, Miss Bergeron and Mrs. J. H. Somers.

K. Holverson, the tailor, has just received a large lot of samples of suitings. Call and see them and get his prices.

NEW MACHINE SHOP

OF THE

Coquille Electric Supply Co.

Sherrard & VanMarter Props.

Rose Building, Second Street,

Coquille - - - - - Oregon

Are prepared to do all kinds of repairing in machinery—large and small—in a scientific and workman-like manner. Special attention given to Steam and Gasoline Engines, Automobiles, etc.

Myrtle Point Items.

Capt. Walter Pointer was visiting his people in town last week.

The basket ball boys are quite jubilant over their victory Friday night.

Miss C. Summerlin was in town last week looking after business affairs.

The Iles Company play in town Saturday night. They have changed their dates.

Owen Rackleff took a number of his friends out for a little turn in his new boat Sunday.

R. B. Dement was a passenger for Coquille on Friday's train returning Saturday morning.

Judge E. D. Sperry and wife, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Lucia, of Coquille, were in this city Tuesday.

Alex. Culbertson and R. Haines went to Coquille Friday morning, returning in the evening with the Coquille bunch.

J. E. Haines has sold his farm west from town, and expects to leave shortly for California where he intends to invest.

We have not noticed any of the Myrtle Pointer's wearing new hats since the basket ball game last week. It is just possible there was none large enough to be had.

The big dance Tuesday evening was a grand success. Do we ever stop to consider what Washington would say if he were to step back upon earth again and witness the way his birthday is celebrated?

Ernest Schneider, of this city, district organizer for the Woodmen of the World, was in Coquille last Saturday shaking hands with the "neighbors" of that city. Mr. Schneider expects to begin an enthusiastic campaign about the first of next month and some lively work will be doing in those parts, in behalf of that worthy and substantial beneficiary order.

I Test Eyes.

Figures don't lie. I test eyes and fit glasses with a mathematical nicety that insures comfort and relief. I can refer you to dozens of persons who I have fitted and the glasses give perfect satisfaction. I guarantee to give you a perfect fit. My prices are reasonable. Have you seen the "Toric" lens? They are the best for the eye.

V. R. WILSON, Optometrist,
Coquille

Card of Thanks.

The undersigned desire to express their sincere and heart-felt thanks to the neighbors and friends for their expressions of sympathy and kind assistance rendered during the illness, death and burial of their husband and father.

MRS. THOMAS ASHTON
MRS. FLORENCE CERRY
CHARLES W. ASHTON.

DO YOU WANT TO SELL?

If you want to sell your business of any kind, or if you want to sell your property, and will make the price right, I would like to hear from you. Give description and price. Address J. E. Smith 513 Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon.

Information Wanted.

Information is wanted as to the whereabouts of William Costello. I have important news for him from Van Couver, Washington.

W. W. GAGE,
Sheriff

For that Terrible Itching.

Eczema, tetter and salt rheum keep their victims in perpetual torment. The application of Chamberlain's Salve will instantly allay this itching, and many cases have been cured by its use. For sale by R. S. Knowlton.

Timberland For Sale.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executrix of the Last Will and Testament of David Mathers, deceased; and all persons having claims against the said estate are required to present them, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned executrix, at the office of J. J. Stanley, in the city of Coquille, Coos County, Oregon.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1910.
BESSIE MATHERS,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of David Mathers, Deceased.

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The Newest and most handsome thing in the City in
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Choice Fresh Meats Always on Hand

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FREE

Beautiful \$10 White Lily Washing Machine Absolutely Free

A Clock stands in a Conspicuous place in our Store, and will be allowed to run down and stop at Stated Intervals.

Our Liberal Offer is as Follows

With each cash purchase amounting to one dollar which you make at our store, we give you a card on which the time of day is stamped. Bring the card to our store at three o'clock on Wednesday, March 16th, when the face of the clock will be uncovered and one of our neat White Lily Washing-Machines will be given to the person present holding the card on which is stamped the nearest correct time the clock stops at.

It is necessary for all ticket holders to be in our store at the time the face of the clock is uncovered.

We want you to secure one of these premiums so as to advertise our business and to show in a substantial way that we appreciate your trade.

We are not making any money on them—we don't expect to—we make this offer simply to please our old customers and to make new ones.

If your ticket does not secure a premium for you the first time the clock is uncovered, save your ticket as you may win on it the next time.

C. M. GOODMAN & CO

Dealers in New and Second Hand Goods

THE HUB

Going Out of Business

and are closing their stock of men's clothing, hats, shoes and furnishings, regardless of cost.

Only a Few Days More

BASKET BALL

Coquille High School

VS.

North Bend H. S.

At North Bend, Friday, February 25

Watch this Ad. Next Week

For the Announcement of the Final Game of the Schedule and LIBRARY DAY.

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Centrally and Conveniently Located, Table Supplied with the Best the Market Affords. Sample Rooms for Commercial Men. Transfer of Baggage to and from Boats and Trains.

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