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### LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. Ben Curry has returned from California.

For fancy dressmaking call on Mrs. M. Nosler.

Mrs. John Leneve and son were in Bandon over Sunday.

Miss Cora Belloni was a Marshfield visitor Tuesday.

Attorney Treadgold of Bandon is in the city this week.

B. F. Ross, a pioneer of Catching Islet is quite ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellingsen, and L. J. Carey of this city were in Bandon recently.

Miss Hazel Manwaring has returned from San Francisco where she has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Marhoffer of the bay are looking toward Coquille as a future home.

The annual meeting and banquet of the Coos County Bar Association will be held February 6.

Mr. Gene Nosler, who has been in San Diego, is again mingling with his own townspeople.

Mr. J. L. Bean, postmaster and storekeeper of Lampa, paid Coquille and the Herald office a visit recently.

J. W. Leneve has been appointed receiver of the Golden Rule in place of W. H. Martin who failed to qualify.

Mr. R. P. Richardson, who is handling the contest for the Marshfield Evening Record, was in the city yesterday.

The Farmers' Union will hold a meeting Saturday evening January 13. After the election of officers a banquet will be served.

For Sale.—Team, harness, new light Bain wagon. \$150 if taken at once. Will sell horses separately. Inquire at feed barn.

Judge John S. Coke is again holding court in the city and a number of prominent lawyers from different sections of the county are attending.

Mrs. D. H. Prewett and little daughter, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Carl of Norway, paid the Herald a visit Wednesday enroute to her home near Bandon.

A crusade against vice is said soon to be inaugurated in the county, which will certainly have the support of all officers as Coos county seems to have had a wave of crime in the last few months.

Mrs. Bert Rice and Mrs. Albert Morse of Bandon spent Sunday and Monday in the city as the guests of Mrs. Arthur Jenkins and Mrs. T. A. Walker, Mrs. Rice's mother and sister.

Justice E. G. D. Holden from July 14, 1902, to December 31, 1911, married 122 couples, none of whom has sought divorce. Evidently the Justice knows how to administer the knot that binds.

A. S. Hammond and family will shortly move to Marshfield, where Mr. Hammond will take charge of the abstract and law office which his firm will operate in that city in connection with their business here.

Advices received from W. C. Conner, former publisher of the Herald, are to the effect that the reports circulated last week in many of our neighboring papers regarding his proposed goat enterprise, are without foundation.

Stewart Lyle Leep, the infant son of Dr. and Mrs. K. A. Leep, died January 10. The funeral will be held from the Christian Church Friday, January 12, at 2 p. m. Mrs. Leep is a sister of Dr. C. W. Endicott of this city.

Kime & VonPegert have just installed a Steptoe Shaper in their mechanical shop. This device is used for planing iron of all sizes and is an indispensable tool in an up-to-date machine shop, such as these expert workers possess.

McConnell & Bolden, Jr., who have united their energies in disposing of residential property in this city, have just sold two fine corner lots to J. M. Elwood, the property being located in the north end. Mr. Elwood will build on the same soon.

The Coquille river has been bank full for the past few days, but no serious results to navigation or railroad traffic have been sustained. The waters are now receding and if Jupiter Pluvius desists from further work, normal conditions will soon prevail.

Charles Vincent has lumber on the ground for a five-room bungalow to be erected on lots in the north end of the city two blocks beyond the Academy.

George & Madison, the Coquille Studio photographers, will furnish you with one dozen post cards for 75c. See their ad elsewhere.

The fire, which alarmed residents early Monday morning, proved to be due to crossed wires in the Farmers' telephone switchboard, but fortunately no damage was done.

C. A. Cardell, an employee of the Smith-Powers company on the South Coos river is suffering from a broken leg and is now in Mercy hospital at Marshfield.

M. Charles Watson, accompanied by his son Irvin and daughter Georgia, returned on last week's Breakwater from a trip to Corvallis, Eugene, Hubbard and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Howey and daughters returned from Bandon last week where Mrs. Howey and daughters participated in holiday pleasures at the residence of Mr. R. E. Buck.

Fred Slagle announces through the medium of the Herald that he is agent for the Ford automobiles, a car well and favorably known and sold at prices that will appeal to all prospective purchasers.

J. H. Ording is building a two story 42 x 60 feet addition to his plant on the river near the ferry. New machinery will be installed for the manufacture of cement brick and blocks and also for the making of wooden boxes of various kinds.

Ira B. Wheeler, associated with other enterprising boosters of the Bay, has formed a company capitalized at \$25,000 to buy the Coos Cay Condensary at North Bend. Mr. Wheeler was in Coquille a short time ago to interest local parties here in a like project.

George L. Carr, of Portland, Field Secretary for the Oregon "Out to Win" prohibition movement, will speak at the Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening, January 16, at 8 o'clock, on the attitude of our national government toward the liquor traffic. Admission free. All invited.

The many friends of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Van Marter, who spent some time in Coquille and vicinity last year, will be glad to learn of a postal received from them extending Christmas greetings, and containing the information that they are now enroute to Creswell from which city they will proceed to Klamath.

As it has rained the last two Saturday nights that we have had, Preacher Evans did not get to hold his meeting down on Front street, so he wants to announce again this week that he will, if not too stormy conduct Gospel service on the opposite side of the street from the Baxter Hotel down on Front street at half past seven o'clock Saturday night.

Robinson [Rock of Prosper, who was stricken with paralysis about five days ago, is now being cared for at the home of Mr. Hersey. Mr. Rock and Mr. Hersey are old-time friends and when this affliction overtook the former his only request was that Mr. Hersey be sent for. Mr. Hersey at once responded to the call and is now proving himself the "friend in need" to the aged sufferer.

A telephone was received Sunday morning from Mr. Frank Warren, whose ranch is at Cedar Point, to the effect that three of his children had been poisoned by eating some corn which had been left unopened. Medical aid was at once secured and we are glad to state that the little folks are recovering from what might have been very serious. The parents also suffered from ptomaine poisoning.

Alex McKay, a resident of Coos Bay, who has been employed by the Nelson Iron Works, attempted suicide January 7, by slashing his throat with a razor. The cut was an ugly one, but as he missed the jugular, he will probably recover. McKay had been drinking and when restored to consciousness said he had no recollection of having cut his throat.

Two corner lots with small barn, located opposite corner from Christian church, are offered at great sacrifice if taken soon. Inquire Herald office.

### BASKET BALL WITH OUR NEIGHBORS

#### Bandon-Coquille

The basket ball game held at Bandon Friday evening, January 5, between the Bandon boys and girls and the Coquille boys and girls was a most interesting one, the score being 20 to 12 in favor of the Coquille boys.

The Bandon girls won out over the Coquille girls 27 to 1, and while extending congratulations to our neighboring girls it must be remembered that the Coquille girls are younger than the competing team and shorter in stature, and though they put up a valiant fight, they are physically unable to cope with their antagonists. However, the pluck of the Coquille girl is undaunted and we predict that the time is not far off when she will be wearing the victor's crown.

#### Myrtle Point-Coquille

The game between the Myrtle Point Firemen and the Coquille Firemen Saturday evening, January 6 was somewhat postponed, the Myrtle Point team failing to arrive before ten o'clock as the boat groaning beneath its sturdy weight refused to stand the pressure and consequently the valiant fire fighters were obliged to proceed by team. However, the game was played with a 20 to 12 score in favor of Myrtle Point. The Muttis and Jeffs, thinking probably that they could not play up to the pictures represented on the placards distributed throughout the city, failed to show up so that interesting feature of the performance cannot be recorded.

#### Marshfield-Coquille

A game of basket ball will be played Friday evening, January 12, at the Masonic Hall, between the Marshfield High school boys and the Coquille High school boys. The contest will be through in time for those wishing to attend the Leap Year Ball at the Hazlett Theatre.

#### LOOK WHO'S COMING

President Taft or our genial Ex-President Theodore Roosevelt may not visit our city, but Harry J. Webster, the wellknown theatrical firm, have arranged with the management of the Hazlett Theatre to bring their wellknown comedy drama, "A Millionaire Tramp," to our city on Saturday, January 13, 1912.

This time-tried production will be presented in its entirety, the best cast of characters ever put together to interpret a play, all new and special scenery befitting the locality the scenes are laid in, and a grand array of headline vaudeville acts will be presented during the action of the piece.

#### NEW YEAR FROLICS WILL BEGIN

A Leap Year entertainment is planned by the ladies of the Library Association to be held Friday evening, January 12, at 8 o'clock at the Hazlett Theatre. This will be the first of a series of entertainments under the auspices of the Library Association, and is for the purpose of obtaining the necessary funds for the erection of a gymnasium, where the young people of the city can find recreation and an opportunity to work off surplus energy in interesting and health giving performances. The building contemplated will be only a temporary one and is to be erected on the site directly back of the M. E. Church South, consisting of two lots owned by the Association, which were bought and paid for by their own efforts. If the ladies are as successful in their present plans as they were in securing the lots, the youths of the city will have a great deal of pleasure in anticipation.

At this entertainment Friday evening the young people can enjoy a quiet dance and those desiring a social game of cards can engage in the same undisturbed.

One of the main features of the evening, which will be enjoyed by all, will be the midnight feast served at the W. O. W. hall for which 50 cents will be charged and which it is hinted, will excel all former collations.

Tickets of admission 50 cents each.

### SAD TRAGEDY IN COQUILLE

W. R. Foote of this city shot and instantly killed Charles L. Wilcox, a roadmaster of the local railway, Tuesday, January 9, at about one o'clock, on the thoroughfare to the city wharf at the rear of Skeels' store. When within about fifty feet of Wilcox, Mr. Foote shot him near the heart, firing two more shots after the body was on the ground. He then quietly proceeded up the street and surrendered to Constable Kelley, who took him to the county jail. In justification of his act W. R. Foote stated: "Wilcox ruined one of my daughters and was now trying to ruin another."

The body of Wilcox was taken to the Recorder's office awaiting the arrival of the Coroner from Marshfield, when it was removed to the undertaking parlors where an autopsy took place.

Wednesday morning Coroner Wilson held an inquest at the office of Judge E. G. D. Holden, the verdict of the jury being as follows:

We find that deceased was named Charles Wilcox, a native of America, about 48 years old and that he came to his death on the 9th day of January, 1912, by hemorrhage caused from gun shot wound at and by the hand of W. R. Foote, on the 9th day of January, 1912.

Signed—

J. A. LAMB  
GEO. A. ROBINSON  
GEO. S. DAVIS  
T. A. WALKER  
W. C. ROSE  
W. H. THOMAS

Charles L. Wilcox is survived by a wife and infant daughter, who resides at Coaledo, and a brother, Walter I. Wilcox, residing at Beaver Hill.

The deceased was insured in the Continental Casualty company in the sum of \$2,000. The funeral was held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning from the Ellingsen undertaking parlors, Rev. Evan R. Evans of the M. E. Church officiating.

At a preliminary examination held today (Thursday) before Judge Holden, the evidence taken at the Coroner's inquest was submitted, and the prisoner was remanded to the action of the grand jury.

The steamer Alliance, bound from Portland to Coos Bay, January 8, lost her rudder off Coos Bay and it was not until repeated wireless calls for assistance had been sent that she was finally taken in tow by the steamer Nome City enroute from San Francisco to Portland. The fact that the Alliance was not rendered assistance sooner by the steamers available is attracting much comment and the matter will probably be laid before government officials.

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Preaching next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Frank H. Adams, Pastor.

**M. E. Church South**  
Sunday January 14th, Rev. E. H. Mowrie, of Portland, our Presiding Elder will preach at both services. The Quarterly Conference will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Services will continue every night next week. Rev. C. L. McCausland, Pastor of M. E. Church South, Seattle, Wash., will arrive in Coquille about the 19th and will then have charge of the services every night. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services. C. H. CLEAVES, Pastor.

**THE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Holds service in the Little Church every first and third Sunday in each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Everybody cordially invited to meet with us to worship God through Jesus Christ.

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"Is there such a thing as a hell and does it last forever?" that will be the subject of Preacher Evans at the Methodist Church next Sunday night. At the morning service the theme will be "Assurance of Salvation." A cordial invitation is given to you to worship with us.  
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**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT**  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court for Coos County, Oregon, his final account in the matter of the estate of Thomas Anderson, deceased, and that the County Court has set Friday, the 2nd day of February, 1912, as the day and the County Court room at the court house in Coquille, Coos County, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate.  
ANDREW ANDERSON,  
Administrator of the estate of Thomas Anderson, deceased.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, William J. Floyd, was by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Coos, duly made and entered on the 5th day of December 1911, appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph Ferry deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are required to present the same, with proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at his residence in Riverton, Coos County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 28th day of December 1911.

WILLIAM J. FLOYD,  
Administrator of the estate of Joseph Ferry, deceased.

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