

The Herald, the old established reliable newspaper of the Coquille Valley in which an "ad" always brings results.

THE COQUILLE HERALD

Job Printing—New presses new material and experienced workmen. A guarantee that Herald printing will please.

VOL. 31, NO. 50

COQUILLE, COOS COUNTY, OREGON, TUESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1913.

PER YEAR \$1.50

CITY DIRECTORY

Fraternal and Benevolent Orders

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of A. F. & A. M., meets every second and fourth Friday evenings of each month, in Masonic Hall.

O. E. S.—Regular meeting of O. E. S., Chapter No. 4, second and fourth Friday evenings of each month, in Masonic Hall.

I. O. O. F.—Coquille Lodge No. 53, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday night in Odd Fellows Hall.

MAMIE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 20 fourth Wednesday night in Odd Fellows Hall.

COQUILLE ENCAMPMENT, No. 25 I. O. O. F., meets the first and third Thursday nights in Odd Fellows Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Lycengus Lodge No. 72, meets Tuesday nights in W. O. W. Hall.

PYTHIAN SISTERS—Justice Temple No. 35, meets first and third Monday nights in W. O. W. Hall.

RED MEN—Coquille Tribe No. 46, I. O. O. F., meets every Friday night in W. O. W. Hall.

M. W. A.—Regular meetings of M. W. A., ver Camp No. 10,550 in M. W. A. Hall, Front street, first and third Saturdays in each month.

R. N. A.—Regular meeting of Laurel Camp No. 2972 at M. W. A. Hall, Front street, second and fourth Tuesday nights in each month.

W. O. W.—Myrtle Camp No. 197, meets every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at W. O. W. Hall.

EVENING TIDE CIRCLE, No. 214, meets second and fourth Monday nights in W. O. W. Hall.

FARMERS UNION—Regular meetings second and fourth Saturdays in each month in W. O. W. Hall.

FRATERNAL AID No. 308, meets the second and fourth Thursdays each month at W. O. W. Hall.

Educational Organizations and Clubs

COQUILLE EDUCATIONAL LEAGUE—Meets monthly at the High School Building during the school year for the purpose of discussing educational topics.

K. O. KEEL CLUB—A business men's social organization. Hall in Laird's building, Second street.

COMMERCIAL CLUB—J. E. NORSON President; J. C. SARGENT, Secretary.

Transportation Facilities

TRAINS—Leave, south bound 9:00 a. m. and 3:00 p. m. North bound 10:40 a. m. and 4:40 p. m.

BOATS—Six boats plying on the Coquille river afford ample accommodation for carrying freight and passengers to Bandon and way points. Boats leave at 7:30 p. m., 9:20 and 9:50 a. m. and at 1:00, 3:30 and 4:45 p. m.

STAGE—J. L. Laird, proprietor. Departs 5:30 p. m. for Bandon via Myrtle Point, carrying the United States mail and passengers.

POSTOFFICE—A. F. Linegar, postmaster. The mails close as follows: Myrtle Point 8:40 a. m. and 2:35 p. m. Bandon and way points, Norway and Arago 12:45 p. m. Eastern mail 4:45 a. m. Eastern mail arrives 10: a. m.

City and County Officers

Mayor—A. T. Morrison
Recorder—J. S. Lawrence
Treasurer—R. H. Mast
City Attorney—L. A. Liljequist
Engineer—P. M. Hall-Lewis
Marshal—C. A. Evernden
Night Marshal—John Hurley
Water Superintendent—S. V. Epperson
Fire Chief—Walter Oeding
Commissioners—D. D. Pierce, C. T. Skeels, W. C. Laird, G. O. Leach, W. H. Lyons, Leo J. Cary. Regular meetings first and third Mondays each month.

Justice of the Peace—J. J. Stanley
Constable—Ned G. Kelley

County Judge—John T. Hall
Commissioners—W. T. Dement, Geo. J. Armstrong
Clerk—James Watson
Sheriff—W. W. Gage
Treasurer—T. M. Dimmick
Assessor—T. J. Thrift
School Supt.—Raymond E. Baker
Surveyor—A. N. Goudy
Coroner—F. E. Wilson
Health Officer—Dr. Walter Culin

Societies will get the very best **PRINTING** at the office of Coquille Herald

SYNOPSIS OF MANY EVENTS

THE NEWS IN TABLOID FORM

Condensed for the Quick Assimilation of Busy Men and Women—General Round-Up of a Wide Scope

Paris has granted the municipal franchise to women.

Robert J. Burdette is ill at his home near Los Angeles.

Dry weather has practically destroyed the apple crop in Kansas.

San Francisco women have petitioned the mayor for the removal of Chief of Police White.

The Oregon rifle team took high honors at the international shoot held at Camp Perry, Ohio.

St. Louis is undergoing a wave of modesty, and all paintings and statuary in the nude have been dressed up.

President Wilson has named Francis Burton Harrison, of New York as governor general of the Philippines.

The Odd Fellows will put up a two story concrete building at Stevenson, Wash., at an expense of about \$12,000.

Dr. Calvin Fletcher, of Indianapolis, met his death in Glacier Park, Mont., last week by falling 600 feet from Blackfoot glacier.

"Good Roads Day" in Missouri brought out about 350,000 men for two days of volunteer work on the highways of the state.

In spite of his opposition to woman suffrage, Cardinal Gibbons says: "Well, suffrage will come, of course. I guess it is inevitable."

A girl at Edgemere, R. I., was killed when the wet skirt of her bathing suit caused a short circuit with the third rail of an electric road.

In the unsavory Diggs-Caminetti white slavery case in San Francisco, Maury L. Diggs was found guilty by the jury after five hours' deliberation. Caminetti is now on trial.

Delegates to the annual convention of the National Fraternal Congress refused yesterday to adopt a resolution recommending the passage of equal suffrage laws in all states.

Secretary Daniels has directed the punishment of the sailors of the Pacific reserve fleet who participated in the destruction of the Industrial Workers of the World and Socialists' property in Seattle.

The San Francisco Call has been purchased by M. H. DeYoung, owner of the Chronicle. The publication of the Call will be discontinued on the last of this month, its subscription list being taken over by the Chronicle.

Harry K. Thaw escaped last week from the Matteawan asylum, in which he had been confined since his trial for the killing of Stanford White, and made his way into Canada, where he is now making a fight against being sent back.

Out of 41 state legislatures in session during the season of 1913, laws dealing with tuberculosis were enacted in thirty states, while appropriations to the amount of over \$5,000,000 have been set aside for the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis.

The novel sight of an airship towing a disabled companion was witnessed at Aldershot recently. The British Army dirigible Eta and a naval airship were out maneuvering when the machinery of the latter vessel became disabled. The Eta attached a hawser to the other dirigible and towed her to the factory for repairs.

Have you paid the printer?

George Bradford, living at Riverside Hotel, Colusa, Calif., reports that he had a very severe case of kidney trouble and backache, which also affected the secretions. He says, "I took five boxes of Foley Kidney Pills and they cured me." All over California people report that Foley Kidney Pills "cure." For sale at Fuhrman's Pharmacy.

Progressives Issue Final Call For Volunteers

With the work well in hand and assured success already in sight, the final call for Progressive Volunteers is being issued this week from the National Progressive headquarters in New York. The responses are still coming in steadily with nearly all states represented and the group of loyal, earnest Progressives thus formed is now receiving the first instructions concerning the service which the Volunteers expect to render. By September 1st it is expected that the work will be under full headway in more than forty states. The Committee has regretted the necessity for holding back the details of the true purpose of the Volunteers, but there have been reasons why this was deemed imperative. The success of the movement might have been seriously imperiled by premature or only partial reports of its plans. It may be stated positively that the idea of this movement and its proposed methods of operation is totally unlike anything that has been done heretofore by political parties. As a matter of fact, it does not come under what is ordinarily known as political work yet the directors regard it as one of the most vitally important steps that could be taken to hasten the ultimate victory of Progressive principles which they foresee. To all representatives of the press who have inquired at the New York headquarters in the 42nd Street Building, the men in charge have simply stated that confidential instructions were going out to all who enlisted, and at the proper time a report would be made public. Assurance has been given, and is repeated in the final call, that no one joining the Volunteers will be asked to do anything that will incur expense or involve any material sacrifice of his time.

The text of the Final Call is given elsewhere in this issue.

To the Boys and Girls

Last week I reminded you of the near approach of the State Fair and your Home Fair. I hope you have gotten busy with your gardens, your bird houses, your tables, your poultry, your sewing, your baking, etc. If you do not have a copy of the State Fair Prize list, call on your County School Superintendent, or write to State Superintendent J. A. Churchill, Salem, Oregon, and he will send you one. Read the Prize list through carefully and see what you can do best, if you have not already done so, and select the classes you are going to compete in. Do not overlook the special prizes in the back part of the book. You will find some very attractive prizes among them, including the Shetland pony for the best livestock exhibit; a cream separator for the best two pounds of butter; Scotch collies for the best fat lamb; an incubator for the largest and best poultry exhibit, etc., etc.

If you are going to enter the pig feeding contest it is time you had your pigs on full feed. There are two valuable prizes offered in the pig feeding contest, and boys who enter this contest will gain valuable experience, beside making good money out of their pigs. With pigs selling at \$10.00 a hundred, you are almost in Rockefeller's class, if you own two or three pigs. There are three nice prizes for the best sow and litter of pigs, the first being a hundred dollar Jersey calf. We hope to see a large exhibit of pigs and poultry at the State Fair this year as well as at the local fairs. In keeping account of your pig feeding and furnishing a statement of the same as required in the rules, you will get an idea of keeping accounts, and of what it costs to produce a pound of pork. This is all worth while. The pig contest is open to girls as well as to boys; so look out, boys, for some girls are good pig feeders. At some of the local school fairs in Oregon last year the girls beat the boys with their pigs. It was "tit for tat," though, for the boys sometimes won over the girls with their bread, butter and jelly. Oregon boys and girls led every

BOND CONTRACT AGAIN

County School Superintendent Baker Gives Out Letter indicating Keeler Bros. Intend to Get Bonds

County School Superintendent Raymond E. Baker has given out for publication some correspondence with Keeler Bros., of Denver, Colo., touching the contract which they entered into with the Coquille school board for the purchase of the bonds which the district has proposed to issue. This correspondence seems to bear out the assertions made by C. R. Barrow in the Herald, that such a contract had been made by the school board in August of last year and that the bonds were contracted at par, to bear interest at six per cent. This assertion by Mr. Barrow brought forth a denial from Messrs. Sanford and Mast, of the school board, that such a sale had been made, although they at the same time published the contract with Keeler Bros. showing that there was a misunderstanding out somewhere. Mr. Baker now gives out a letter received from Keeler Bros. under date of Aug. 11, 1913, written in answer to an inquiry from him, in which they say, "Yes, we have binding and enforceable contract for bonds of school district eight, Coos county." They write at some length, making it clear that they intend to enforce the contract, that they consider that it holds good until bonds are finally voted and issued, and that they expect the district officers to go ahead with the calling of another election at the earliest possible moment. While it is true that the first election held resulted in the defeat of the bonding proposition, the contract provides that prior to the delivery of the bonds the school board is to "call and hold such elections as may be necessary to authorize the issuance of said bonds in the manner hereafter designated by our attorney and that you are to take any and all such proceedings as he may direct in order that said bonds shall be duly authorized and issued and delivered to us, without undue or unnecessary delay," etc. As the word has been published in both the singular and plural in the two times that the contract has been published, it is noted here that the contract itself says "elections." In view of this and the fact that there is no time limit expressed in the contract, many are of the opinion that Keeler Bros. have the district very nicely sewed up, which of course is part of their business. This is the view taken by Superintendent Baker, although he adds that, "It is evidently to the interest of the district to have this contract set aside if possible."

It is reported from Roseburg that a deal was closed there last Thursday whereby Joseph Kreis, representing a syndicate of Chicago and Pittsburg capitalists, had purchased the holdings of the Coos Bay Townsite Co. on the east side of Coos Bay, consisting of about 500 acres of land, partly tide land. The price is given as \$250,000. Mr. Kreis announced that the purchasers would establish mammoth iron works and a woodenware factory on the land, and that between 400 and 1000 men would be employed in the works when completed. The news of this deal has aroused much excitement on the Bay, and has set afloat many rumors as to the real significance of the matter. It is taken by some to indicate that the purchasers have a hunch that the Southern Pacific will build up the east side of the bay, instead of crossing below North Bend on a bridge. In any case, it evidently means the development of the east side of the bay and the building up of a town there. This would involve the dredging of a channel to accommodate shipping, but there are no physical obstacles except more or less mud, to making the water front of the east side as good as that of the peninsula on which Marshfield and North Bend are situated. It is possible that the purchase means only a real estate speculation. It is well known that the old owners of the land were tired of holding the sack, as their attempt to market a townsite on that side of the bay did not meet with brilliant success. The announcement of great manufacturing plants may be only part of a plan to unload the lots. But all this will develop later. If it is all on the square, it is only a part of what may be expected from the coming of the railroad, and the effects of which will be felt in every part of Coos county. The Coquille side is interested only in a lesser degree than the Bay in the growth of that part of the county. The building of a large city there will give the farmers and gardeners, the chicken ranchers and stock raisers of the valley a market at their doors for all the foodstuffs they can raise, and every thousand added to the population on the Bay means a benefit to the Coquille.

Since the above brainstorm was in type, it having been crowded out last week, reports in the Bay papers would indicate that the great "deal" is nothing more than an attempt to start a great real estate speculation on a shoestring. The purchase of the property by an Eastern syndicate of untold millions has dwindled to the taking of an option by Mr. Kreis, whose backers are not named. The plan seems to be to get up an excitement, sell lots and use part of the money in an endeavor to induce manufacturing plants to locate on the land. Coos Bay has had too much of that kind of "development."

Here's the Only Movable Tunnel On the Map and It's Unique

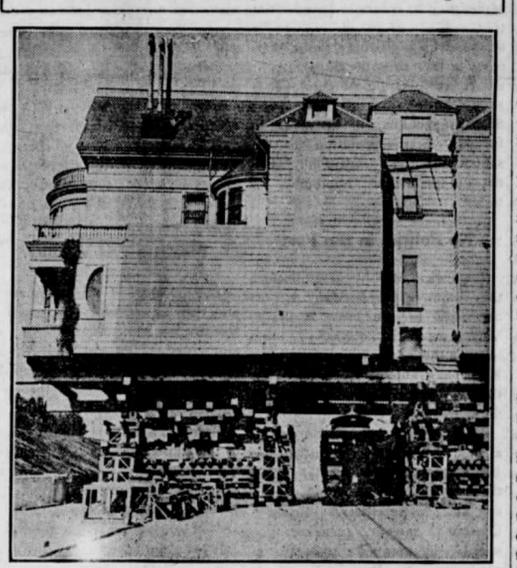


Photo by American Press Association.

CALIFORNIA boasts of many big and odd things that the rest of the country does not possess, such as giant redwood trees and sixty-seven varieties of climate, but now it is capping the climax with the only movable street tunnel in the country. This unique tunnel is formed under the old residence of Adolf Speckies, which is being moved. When the contract for the removal of the house was signed the street railway company objected to the obstruction of traffic, and it forced the movers to elevate the house so that cars could pass beneath it. The movers proceeded via the aerial route. The picture shows a street car passing through the movable tunnel.

state in the Union with their school fairs last year, and we are expecting them to keep up their record this year. I am sure you are too patriotic to disappoint us.

N. C. Maris,
Field Worker Industrial Fairs.

Logan Berry Juice

F. C. Reimer, who is in charge of the State Experiment Station at Talent, Oregon, tells how to make a fine summer drink of Loganberries and predicts that as soon as it is generally known what a delicious drink can be made from this fruit there will be a greatly increased demand for the berries. He says: "Anyone who is able to can fruit will have no trouble in making loganberry juice. The sound, ripe fruit is placed in a fruit press and the juice is extracted, and then carefully strained. A small fruit press may be purchased from almost any hardware store. One holding four to six quarts is a convenient size. Where no fruit press is used place the fruit in a small quantity of water

in a vessel on the stove and beat gently, at the same time mashing the fruit with a large spoon to extract the juice. It should then be strained.

To every three quarts of juice add one quart (by measure) of sugar. Place on a stove and heat gently until the juice begins to simmer. It should be removed from the stove at once and put in bottles or fruit jars and sealed. The bottles and jars must first be sterilized in boiling water—just before using—just as they are prepared in canning fruit. It should be stated with all emphasis that the juice must not be boiled, as boiling destroys the peculiar rich loganberry flavor. The juice may be used as soon as it becomes thoroughly cooled, or it may be kept for years. It should be served cold, just like other fruit juice. The juice is rather strong so that it is better when diluted with three parts of water to one of juice, just before using.

Get your butter wrappers at the Herald office.

Great Real Estate Deal May Be But Speculation

It is reported from Roseburg that a deal was closed there last Thursday whereby Joseph Kreis, representing a syndicate of Chicago and Pittsburg capitalists, had purchased the holdings of the Coos Bay Townsite Co. on the east side of Coos Bay, consisting of about 500 acres of land, partly tide land. The price is given as \$250,000. Mr. Kreis announced that the purchasers would establish mammoth iron works and a woodenware factory on the land, and that between 400 and 1000 men would be employed in the works when completed. The news of this deal has aroused much excitement on the Bay, and has set afloat many rumors as to the real significance of the matter. It is taken by some to indicate that the purchasers have a hunch that the Southern Pacific will build up the east side of the bay, instead of crossing below North Bend on a bridge. In any case, it evidently means the development of the east side of the bay and the building up of a town there. This would involve the dredging of a channel to accommodate shipping, but there are no physical obstacles except more or less mud, to making the water front of the east side as good as that of the peninsula on which Marshfield and North Bend are situated. It is possible that the purchase means only a real estate speculation. It is well known that the old owners of the land were tired of holding the sack, as their attempt to market a townsite on that side of the bay did not meet with brilliant success. The announcement of great manufacturing plants may be only part of a plan to unload the lots. But all this will develop later. If it is all on the square, it is only a part of what may be expected from the coming of the railroad, and the effects of which will be felt in every part of Coos county. The Coquille side is interested only in a lesser degree than the Bay in the growth of that part of the county. The building of a large city there will give the farmers and gardeners, the chicken ranchers and stock raisers of the valley a market at their doors for all the foodstuffs they can raise, and every thousand added to the population on the Bay means a benefit to the Coquille.

Since the above brainstorm was in type, it having been crowded out last week, reports in the Bay papers would indicate that the great "deal" is nothing more than an attempt to start a great real estate speculation on a shoestring. The purchase of the property by an Eastern syndicate of untold millions has dwindled to the taking of an option by Mr. Kreis, whose backers are not named. The plan seems to be to get up an excitement, sell lots and use part of the money in an endeavor to induce manufacturing plants to locate on the land. Coos Bay has had too much of that kind of "development."

Incendiary Fire

The new Bement barn near Langlois containing 80 tons of hay, four horses, several wagons and other farming implements was destroyed by fire Monday night. The value of the barn was placed at \$1500, and the value of the hay, horses etc. would easily bring the total loss up to \$3500. The origin of the fire was undoubtedly incendiary, as, in addition to other evidence substantiating the belief, a rifle shot was fired at Mr. Bement which missed him only a few inches while he was trying to extinguish the fire shortly after it was discovered.

—The Surt.

Free Books

The booklet "Outline of Labor Laws of Oregon for the Protection of Labor, 1913" is now ready for distribution, and will be mailed free to anyone, sending a postal card requesting same, giving number of copies wanted, name and address, to O. P. Hoff, State Labor Commissioner, Salem, Ore.

Oregon News Briefly Told

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

Transpiring in Oregon Boiled Down to Least Number of Lines and Yet Make the Subject Understood.

Seaside held its fifth annual dahlias show last week.

C. F. Van Allen, proprietor of the Eldridge hotel at Salem, died of heart failure last Tuesday.

Green corn is being shipped from Canby to the San Francisco market and is bringing good prices.

The Springfield city council has ordained that skating rinks may run on Sunday in that town.

Portland police have been instructed to keep the streets clear of women dressed in X-ray gowns.

Astoria has passed an ordinance against "ragging" or any irregular dance in a public or private dance hall.

OREGON NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD

EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

Transpiring in Oregon Boiled Down to Least Number of Lines and Yet Make the Subject Understood.

Seaside held its fifth annual dahlias show last week.

C. F. Van Allen, proprietor of the Eldridge hotel at Salem, died of heart failure last Tuesday.

Green corn is being shipped from Canby to the San Francisco market and is bringing good prices.

The Springfield city council has ordained that skating rinks may run on Sunday in that town.

Portland police have been instructed to keep the streets clear of women dressed in X-ray gowns.

Astoria has passed an ordinance against "ragging" or any irregular dance in a public or private dance hall.

The county investigation has disclosed wholesale frauds in the petitions for a referendum on the Workman's compensation bill.

Portland is excited over a report that the Milwaukee system is negotiating for the Inman-Poulson mill property on the East side.

The county school superintendent of Grant county traveled 3197 miles in visiting schools of his county during the last school year.

Under the orders of the railroad commission, the Corvallis & Eastern will relay its track to Yaquina Bay with 75 pound rails, doing the work this fall.

The county judge of Marion county has refused to allow any widows' pensions, claiming that there is no money available for their payment.

All corporations in this state coming under the Blue Sky law must file the statements by Sept. 5, or stop doing business, says Corporation Commissioner Watson.

A drunken sailor went to sleep where the sidewalk was covered by tar from a leaky barrel, in Portland, and when he woke up he had to call on the police to cut him loose.

The visit of Secretary Lane to eastern Oregon will result in the early settlement of the title to much land in that part of the state which is claimed by the State of Oregon as swamp land.

That lack of authority upon the part of a minister to perform a marriage will not invalidate it is the substance of an opinion rendered recently by Second Assistant Attorney-General DeLong.

Secretary Lane has announced that persons locating settlers on the lands recently forfeited from the Southern Pacific to the government will be prosecuted, as the lands will not be open for entry for some time, and such locators are committing a crime.

State Superintendent Churchill announced that many of the topics which pupils seldom, if ever have use for after leaving school, have been omitted from the new course of study. Our old friend, "the greatest common divisor" is among these.

The Soo-Spokane limited was held up by three men at Sullivan's gulch in Portland last Tuesday night, and about \$197 cash and \$500 worth of jewelry was taken from the passengers, the robbers doing the job in about 20 minutes and getting away in an automobile.

We would suggest to the National Manufacturers' association that if they want the country newspapers to use their labored attempts to cast discredit on the witnesses before the lobby committee, they at least pay the full postage. The Herald is inadvertently out 2 cents on a bunch of it, and we don't like it.

A Herald want ad will find a renter for your house, or a house for your renter.