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SAY EXPENSE TOO GREAT

(Centinued from first page.) bably be spent where the roads were graded, with no funds available when Coos county announced herself as properly prepared.

An amendment to Mr. Howard's motion was offered by F. B. Phillips that the investigating committee be authorized to draw on Coquille Commercial Club for not to exceed \$50 for expenses.

This amendment was carried by a small majority but when the amended the business college, motion was put there was not a single vote in its favor.

Mr. Howard then moved that the chair appoint a representative to mee with the investigation committee the the club what action was taken. This motion was unanimously carried and the president has appointed Leo J. Cary, who has consented to act.

That the "croakers" who know but little about the truth of the stories they repeat, would bear none of the investigation expense, while those who are better posted and find no fault with road affairs would have to stand the expense, was the point most frequently made by the many men present who expressed themselves.

GOOD SERVICE IS PROMISED

No poles have as yet been received for the high power line of the Oregon Power Company but the work of digging the holes is still going ahead without interruption and there is little delay because of their non-arrival. Manager McKenna stated this morning that he had been promised a raft of poles this week and that the work of setting them will begin immediately upon the arrival of the first raft. The new foreman of line construction, J. A. Hammond, arrived Saturday and is now in charge of the work. All the wire for the line has now been received and is ready for the poles. Replying to a question regarding to continuous power when the is up Manager McKenna stated that a new unit is now on the way for the power plant at the Smith mill which will carry as big a load as the two units now in use and that in the event of the failure of one plant the other will be immediately switched on so there will be little or no danger of a failure of power. Also the local plant will remain for a time for emergency work so Coquille is practically assured of a continuance of the almost perfect service she has enjoyed since the new company took charge and installed the plant at the local mill.

Howard Will Go to Eugene.

Superintendent C. A. Howard, of our city schools, has resigned his position here and accepted an offer from the school board at Eugene to become principal of the city high school there. Last Saturday Mr. Howard, Bessie G. F. Immel, of Marshfield. who had not applied for that place, was called up by phone and requested to come to Eugene and meet the school officials there. He went and after his return home, on yesterday, the place was tendered him. As the high schools there numbers 600 pupils, the change is not only a step up in school work, but carries with it a better salary than Mr. Howard was receiving here, where the total enrollment is only about two-thirds of the number in the school of which he is to take charge there.

Mr. Howard came here six years ago to accept the superintendency of our city schools and during all those years he has devoted himself to the work with such diligence, fidelity and efficiency that there is probably no school in the state in a city of less than five thousand people that ranks higher than the Coquille school, while time since the court house was built. in the teaching profession as standing ber of the firm of Steiner & Blosser, points in Curry, it begins to look as if

well towards the front.

complished wife have come to occupy train for Marshfield. Entered as second-class matter an enviable position in our social cir-May 8, 1905, at the post office at Co- cles, and he has also been active in quille, Oregon, under act of Congress Commercial Club work and taken a man's place among men in all the varied activities of our city life.

Coquille may be esteemed especially fortunate if she secures as a successor to Mr. Howard at the head of her public schools a man who comes anywhere near measuring up to Mr. Howard's stature as an educator and in Il the other relations of life.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard expect to remain here until September.

Vacancies Are All Filled.

The corps of teachers for the Conew selections being as follows: High School, science and athletics, L. C. Douglas; Grammar grade history, science and drawing, Gladys Treadgold; Fifth grade, Martha Mulkey; Fourth grade, Joan Fitzgerald.

Mr. Douglas is a graduate of Wilamette University and is at present a large share of county money. taking post graduate work at Oregon University.

the high school at Boise, Idaho, and has had one year's work in normal ty as a whole. Isn't that "port" a training and one year in Behnke-Wal- stinger? I have not read or seen any ker Business College. She has taught one who knows what the Point folks chool for three years, being employed for a part of this time as instructor in kick before the money was wasted

ath County High School and Oregon Myrtle Point, didn't it? I heard a State Normal. Her previous teach- man say that Murdock don't know ing experience has been in Klamath how to work a surveying instrument, first of the week and report back to reputation for strong and successful that those who told it would know a work. While in the Normal she specalized in fifth grade work.

Marshfield high school and has taken one year's work in the normal department of McMinnville College. the last four or five years she has been accounted one of the successful teachers of Coos county.

The corps of teachers are as fol-

High School Principal-J. W. Noblet. History and Languages-Ad-May

lewell. English-Mabel Bay. Science-L. C. Douglas. Grammar Grades

History, Science and Art-Gladys Treadgold. Intermediate and Primary.

Sixth grade-Winifred G. Spencer. Fifth grade-Martha Mulkey. Fourth grade-Joan Fitzgerald. Third grade-Catherine Dungey. Second A-Emma Kennedy. First A and Second B-May N. Al-

First B-Inez Chase. FOR SALE-My house. Six rooms and a bath. Terms to suit buyer.

C. A. Howard. Andy Davis Promoted.

yord that Andy P. Davis, former lumer inspector and later deputy sheriff iere, has been promoted to supervisor of the Washington Inland district, emoracing about 43 mills. He is making his headquarters at Scattle. He says that the I. W. W. have raised havoc with a number of plants for the time being.

Marriage Licenses.

During the past seven days the folowing marriage licenses were issued y County Clerk Oddy:

August 4-Thomas O. Krewsen and Linnie Frances Benham, of Sitkum. August 4-Stanley P. Bartlett, of Coquille, and Christine Alice McInosh, of Bandon.

August 7-Fay Elliott and Opal Powell, of South Slough.

August 7-Everett C. Crocker and

Dr. Low reports, July 26-To Mr. and Mrs. Finis Houser in this city, a daughter. July 30-To Mr. and Mrs. Marion Miller at Brewster a son. August 2-To Mr. and Mrs. Leo J.

Cary in this city a 14-pound son.

Chronic Constipation.

It is by no means an easy matter to ture this disease, but it can be done n most instances by taking Chamberlain's Tablets and complying with the plain printed directions that accom-pany each package.

Revisits Coquille.

David Steiner, of Salem, paid Coquille a visit this week for the first Mr. Howard is everywhere recognized Mr. Steiner was at that time a mem-ties, some parts of Coos and some Plumbers, of Salem, and his firm put the time had come when the forestry In organization and teaching meth- the roof on the county building. When department was about to reap that ods Mr. Howard has done much for he left Coquille at that time he stated immense crop of brush they have been our city schools, though not nearly that he would come back when Coos so carefully growing and zealously as much as he would have been able to county had a railroad and not until. protecting in the reserve for the past do but for the unfortunate hitch in This visit is the result of that declar- ten years,

The Coquille Herald the movement for the erection of a stion. Mr. Steiner stated today that ready postponed its construction for and that had he not known that it three years, and may as many more must be right where it is he would not have believed it was Coquille. He Both Mr. Howard and his ac- and his party left on the evening

East Fork Items.

Harold Shepherd shot a bear Friday. He thinks it dressed out about 200 pounds. It made good eating and had a good skin.

It is said that Wm. Smith has a good crop of corn.

J. S. Mater left for Casper, Wyoming, last Friday morning. It is expected that two of his nieces will return with him.

W. J. Murphy, Mrs. Murphy and children, of Marshfield, were enjoyng a change of climate and scenehy on the East Fork last week. Ford made it possible for lots of folks to quille schools is now complete, the afford a change of scene and a night or two in a tent.

It strikes me that it is not necessary to take Myrtle Point's kick against County Roadmaster Murdock seriously for County Judge Watson's statement several weeks ago showed that Myrtle Point roads were getting

The Myrtle Point "port" scheme that was put across is proof enough Miss Treadgold is a graduate of that the interest there, is all a local interest, not an interest for the counare kicking about. Why did they not putting a road over Cooper moun-Mrs. Mulkey is a graduate of Klam- tain? Lots of that money went into ounty where she gained an excellent it was told for a fact. Am not sure surveying instrument if they saw one, The writer would be in the same fix, Miss Fitzgerald is a graduate of the for if he saw a thing on a tripod he might think it was a camera, but this he does know, it is the first time that we are getting that which looks as though we were getting roads and that also, in due course of time, we might have a water grade road down the East and North Forks finished to Myrtle Point. The trouble with the Myrtle Points may be this, that Murdock lets them know where the money goes and that it has to be earned.

July 24 Willian Culbertson, of Gravel Ford, celebrated his 86th birthday. A family picnic was held in Bennett's grove at which were gather-English and Mathematics-Rena ed his sons and daughters, their famlies, and some of the neighbors. When the Culbertsons, the Hellers and the Brights are rounded up there ars ome numbers. A few of the grandhildren and great grandchildren were co far away to be present. Mr. Culpertson carries his years easy and

> If you want to know Billie 2 and nis kind real well read "Darker than the Dark Ages," in Successful Farming for August. Plenty of light will knock out that dark spot. The Germans are getting an introduction to 2t themselves.

oes not carry a grouch.

R. A. Easten.

Fruit jars in stock at Quick's-Easy seal, Mason, Economy, Schram and Cnowlton. Both new and second hand

New Guide Book.

We are in receipt of an attractive poklet, entitled "Camping, Fishing and Hunting Guide," which was compiled by the Forest Service and pubished by the Southern Pacific Comoany. The Forest Reserves of Western Oregon with roads, trails, re sorts, camping places, mountains, fishing, streams and lakes are describ ed in detail. Complete instructions are given to prepare for a hunting or fishing trip, even to cooking utensils and amount and quantity of food. This booklet contains much useful information regarding Western Oregon and will be invaluable to anyone conemplating a fishing, hunting or amping trip in that territory. Copies can be obtained from any Southern Pacific Agent, or will be furnished on application to the General Passenger Department of the Southern Pacific at Portland.

Gold Beach Reporter.

The largest scalp warrant ever isued in this county was secured by W. M. Hunter Friday last. He put in a claim for 596 seal scalps at \$3 a head, and received a warrant for \$1,788.

Messrs. Cummins and Mann, who ave been interested in copper properties in the Craggies, were at Wedderburn during the week. They are opening up the property out there, and believe they have a good proposi-

With bad forest fires burning in Douglas, Jackson and Josephine coun-

LOOK OVER OUR LIST of FEED

The problem of keeping a complete supply of feed on hand is a difficult one at the present time We are doing our best to keep the line complete:

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Bran, per sack	-	-			1.20
Middlings, per sa	ck	-	-		2.50
Rolled Oats, per s		-		-	1.85
Wheat, per sack	-	-			4.75
Cocoanut Meal, pe	er sa	ck	-		2.50

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