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## JAMES COLEMAN DIES TUESDAY

**Came to Gilliam County for Benefit of His Health and Passes Away at Home of George Stewart--Funeral Yesterday Afternoon.**

At the home of Geo. Stewart on Thirty-mile occurred the death of James Masson Coleman, Tuesday morning at 1:30. Thus closed the early life of one who, being dead, yet speaketh. Deceased was born in Stonehaven, Kincardineshire, Scotland, July 3, 1884. He came to Canada in March 1906, and in November of the same year came on west to Portland, where he has since made his home. He was married on June 18, 1910, to Miss Maggie Ann Brown who had arrived three days before from Scotland, in company with Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Coleman, who came to Portland to make their home. On November 14, 1910 he was brought to Condon in exceedingly poor health, and was taken to Mr. Stewart's home, with the hope that the brisk Eastern Oregon air would materially benefit him. He was steadily gaining in health until within the last week when he took a sudden turn for the bad and in a few hours he had passed into the glorious beyond.

Deceased was a model of industry in his efforts to entertain and instruct his people. He was strictly honest in the service he rendered. He was not only a model Christian, but an honorable gentleman, in the highest sense the term implies. To man, woman or child, saint or sinner, he always extended cordial greeting, that lent a ray of light to brighten their pathway in the journey of life. He commanded the respect of all classes of people. Some of his associates did not fully appreciate his worth until after the thread of life was severed. But as they caught a glimpse of the white sail that bore him away to the distant shore they awoke to the realization that a good and righteous man was being taken away from their midst.

Funeral services were conducted from the Congregational Church yesterday afternoon, Rev. Ferris delivered a timely sermon, and the choir singing a number of hymns appropriate for the occasion. Interment was in Mt. Moriah Cemetery, Rev. Curran delivering a brief but impressive sermon at the grave. Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Coleman, father and mother of the deceased; Jock and Belle, brother and sister; and Sam Devlin, an intimate friend, all of Portland, arrived in Condon Wednesday evening to take charge of the funeral. A large number of prominent Scotch people of this county and several from Wheeler County were present at the funeral services, Dave Hardie, Geo. Stewart, and M. L. Frizzell, assisting in bearing the body of the deceased to its final resting place.

### Arlington's Financial Conditions.

From The Record  
We are informed by Treasurer Cox that the last of the outstanding city bonds have been paid off, that there are no out-

standing warrants and that there is \$550 in the treasury. Besides this the 1911 taxes will soon be in, which will put the corporation in better financial condition than at any time in its history. The water works is owned by the city, streets are sprinkled during the dry season and lighted when necessary and efficient police protection is afforded our citizens. A good showing, truly.

### NEWS NOTES OF AJAX.

Ed Palmer and mother were business visitors at Condon Monday.

John Pope was here from Hood River this week.

Miss Ethel Adlard went to Rock Creek this week.

Ruff Stanton and family have moved into their new home on the Tom Scott place.

J. J. McDonald made a trip to Condon this week to attend to business matters.

Geo. Carlton of Hood River is the latest addition to our crowd of bachelors in this neck of the woods. He is staying with his friend A. S. Tate.

Chas. Adlard was in the county seat this week.

L. L. Turney exhibited his ability as a butcher Monday when he dressed 12 fine hogs in record-breaking time.

Will Adlard left on Monday for The Dalles and will also visit different points in Washington.

John Maidment and Nat Scott prominent ranchers of Lone Rock were registered at the Summit Hotel Monday.

### MAKES GOOD HIS ESCAPE.

Young Shippey, the fellow who escaped from the county jail last Thursday night, has evidently made good his escape as so far no outside officials have reported having seen him. Monday morning two forest rangers of the Heppner Reserve met him ten miles this side of Heppner. He was on horseback and armed. They reported to Sheriff Montague that night who immediately started on the trail, but the odds were all in favor of Shippey and he is probably out of the state by this time. The forest rangers did not know at the time that he was an escaped convict or they could easily have captured him. The County Court will be asked to line the jail corridor with iron bars so that no similar escapes may be recorded in the future.

Meals 25c at the Palace Hotel. Best the market affords. Clean Beds 25c. Specialty of Chicken Dinners on Sunday. Meal tickets \$4.00.

Mrs. Geo. Parman returned home last Saturday evening from Corvallis and Portland where she visited her numerous friends the past three weeks.

Mrs. H. W. Pauling is visiting her numerous relatives here, having arrived from Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. D. Rarker returned home Monday evening from a visit with her relatives in Portland.

W. K. Fraunce of Rock Creek is in the Wheat City today attending to several business matters. He will return home tomorrow morning.

## SELLING DEFEATS JAY BOWERMAN

**Portland Clothing Dealer Dealer Wins out for President of Senate Against Former Condon Resident--Rusk For Speaker.**

Ben Selling of Portland was elected President of the Senate, on Monday, winning over Bowerman by nine votes. Selling had 15 republican votes and two democrats. In accepting the presidency, Mr. Selling said: "I thank you for the confidence you have placed in me by electing me presiding officer. I shall endeavor to merit the same. I do not accept this as a compliment to myself, but rather as a mark of disapproval of machine politics, which I trust from today is banished from this state. And now, having promised you a business session of the legislature, we will proceed to the next order of business."

Jerry Rusk of Wallowa County was elected speaker of the house on the first ballot, receiving 35 votes to 22 for Eaton of Lane County. Eaton, Thompson and Libby were appointed a committee to escort Rusk to the chair. As he took his seat there was applause. "I greatly appreciate this evidence of your confidence in me," said speaker Rusk. "To the best of my ability I will conduct the house and affairs and I now pledge myself to give every member a square deal and to show favoritism or partiality to no section of the state."

### FROM THE FOSSIL JOURNAL.

Attorney M. D. Shanks of Fossil has accepted a partnership with Jay Bowerman in the latter's law practice in Condon, and will move next week to take charge of Mr. Bowerman's office there. Mr. Bowerman has decided to take up the practice of law in Portland after the Legislature adjourns, and in casting about for a capable partner to take charge of the business at Condon he decided that Mr. Shanks was the man, and offered him a partnership as above stated. Mr. Shanks has made many friends during the year and a half that he has been practicing law in Fossil, while they regret to learn that he is to leave us, wish him all possible success in his new sphere.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

By Grace Benson.

New pupils at school this week are Harland McCarty and Mattie Gunnell.

Pupils receiving the highest averages in their respective grades for this month are: 1, Uloh Browning; 2, Claude Myers; 3, Elton Clarke; 4, Mabel May; 5, Emmett Hoskins; 6, Gladys McMorris; 7, Mabel Williams; 8, Nell Donnelly and Myrtle Greenfield tied.

Mrs. Wall was a visitor Wednesday afternoon.

Welcome Moore received the prize given by Miss Seeley for a perfect spelling paper at test this week.

H. S. Smith of Mikkalo attended to business matters in the Wheat City Tuesday evening.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

**Banks of Gilliam County on Solid Basis--Condon National Elects Same Officers--Reisacher Succeeds Bowerman at First Nat'l.**

Jan. 10 is the day set by the Government for the annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Banks. Accordingly, the stockholders of the three Gilliam County Banks met on that day and heard the reports of the various officials. A. Greiner, Wm. Wehrli, Ed Clough, Lester Wade, F. T. Hurlburt and Frank French, the latter representing French & Co's interests, met and reviewed the business done by that Bank the previous year, each one expressing himself as being exceedingly well pleased with the reports of the officers and with the condition of the bank at the present time. The old officers were re-elected.

Wm. Wehrli, F. M. Pliter and John F. Reisacher, stockholders of the First National Bank of Condon were all very well pleased with the progress of that institution during the past year. At the election of officers, J. F. Reisacher was appointed to succeed Jay Bowerman as Vice President. The rest of the officers were re-elected.

O. D. Sturgess, Cashier of the Arlington National Bank, was granted a leave of absence by the directors of that institution and H. M. Cox, former Ass't Cashier will fill the vacancy. Mr. Sturgess has been in very poor health the past year or two and will spend some time in California. His numerous friends in Gilliam County will be glad to hear of his complete recovery in the near future.

Gilliam County can well feel proud of the stability of her banking houses, the reports of which will run way ahead of the average bank in small towns.

### HARTSHORN-BROWN.

Albert Lea Tribune.  
A beautiful home wedding took place Wednesday evening Dec. 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Brown, in east Albert Lea Township, when their daughter, Miss Lillian Gertrude, was united in marriage to Horace Allen Hartshorn of Condon, Oregon. The nuptials were solemnized at 4 p.m., in the parlor of the commodious Brown family residence, Rev. A. L. Kinter, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, officiating. The ceremony was very simple, there being no bridesmaids or grooms attendants, but the use of the wedding ring made the rites as impressive as if the ceremony had been more elaborate. After the bridal vows had been pronounced there was a season of congratulations and later an elaborate wedding dinner was served, and those who have partaken of the genuine hospitality of the Brown home need no description of the viands that appealed so strongly to the gastronomic qualifications of the guests. The evening was passed with music and sociability and at a late hour the guests or such of them as could,

departed, the bride and groom coming to the city to remain with the bride's sister, Mrs. Hans Z. Nelson, until this afternoon when they go to the twin cities for a stay of a few days, after which they will return and later go to Condon Oregon to reside. The bride is one of Albert Lea's most accomplished young ladies and while she has been absent much of the time the past few years she has hosts of friends who wish her success and happiness. The groom is a young man who has met with success in the west.

The guests were almost entirely confined to the members of the families of the bride and groom, those from outside the city and county being Messrs. Harper and Wilson Hartshorn, brothers of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. John Norton, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, all of Traer, Iowa; Miss Elsie Ackerman of Mapleton, Minn., an intimate friend of the family, besides two or three from this vicinity. It was intended as strictly family gathering and was one of the most enjoyable social functions known in this part of the country for many months. There were a number of elegant presents, remembrances to the bride and groom from relatives and friends.

### CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The class in Applied Christianity will discuss the subject, "The Liquor Traffic. How shall it be destroyed?" It will be opened with a paper by Rev. Thomas Shannon.

Dr. Ferris will preach in the morning on "Gods work of Revival".

Mrs. Ferris will read at night "The Song of our Syrian Guest" in connection with a musical program. This is a most fascinating service, strong in its spiritual grip, and full of instruction.

Our Christian Endeavor Society is becoming a strong factor in our work. All the young people in the city should attend at 6.30. L. K. Harlan will introduce the topic, "Lessons from great lives" Genises 22. 1. 18.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST.

The Church of Christ will hold their services in the afternoon instead of morning and evening. Bro. J. A. McMorris will conduct the Bible school at 2 o'clock-p.m. We will commence the study of the new testament next Sunday with the book of acts. Everyone is invited to attend who is interested in Bible study. Preaching at 2:45 at the close of the Bible study. Subject for next Sunday, "The gift of the Holy Spirit." Everyone invited to join with us in these services.

Lawrence Stephens, Minister.

### "PEAK SISTERS" TUESDAY.

"The 20th Century Peak Sisters" will give their peerless repertoire of marvelous "stunts" on Tuesday, Jan. 17, at the American Theatre. This is one of the cleverest of farcial entertainments. The "Sisters" are well known local ladies, who, in amusing costumes, give a program of clever chorus and individual numbers, with excellent local hits. Don't miss it. Program opens at 8.15 sharp.

## COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS

**New Court Holds First Session Jan. 4--Official Bonds Approved--Levy 1910 Tax--Big List of Claims for Circuit Court and Election**

Regular January term of the County Court convened January 4, 1911. Present, H. A. Thiessen, County Judge, J. W. Dyer, and M. E. Weatherford, Commissioners.

Ferry Canyon Telephone Co. Right of Way-Allowed.

Official Bonds Approved: Road Supervisors: L. L. Montague, H. A. Stewart, S. McGilvery, W. N. Brown, Jay Crenshaw, John McDonald, T. C. Mobly; Justice of the Peace: Asher Montague, A. R. Collins, F. B. Stevens, W. A. Darling, J. B. Goff; Constable, Sam Lang; Coronet, Dr. C. E. Kennedy, County Clerk, Chas. H. Horner, Surveyor, Jos. W. Kirschner, Sheriff, Elmer Montague, Treasurer, J. A. McMorris.

J. W. Phillips Tax Rebate for 1909-Allowed.

Vacation of Town of Blalock: Town Vacated.

N. P. Ry Co. Cancellation of certain taxes for 1909-1910-Allowed.

Petition of W. H. Fehrbacher for Gateway: Viewers appointed, Frank Marvel, Jos. W. Kirschner and Paul Greiner, to meet January 21, 1911 at 10 a.m.

County Clerk's Statement of Bounty Paid-Approved.

1910 Tax Levy: General Levy of 6 mills; Special levies, School Districts No. 1, .4 mills; No 2, .1 mill; No 5, 2 mills; No 9, 25. mills; No 10, .6 mills; No 14, .6 mills; No 16, 1.3 mills; No 17, 1.5 mills; No 21, 4 mills; No 22, 2.3 mills; No 23, 3 mills; No 24, .4 mills; No 26, .4 mills; No 30, 1 mill; No 31, .5 mills; No 34, .2 mills; No 38, 1.5 mills; No 39, .7 mills.

Auditing and allowing claims against Gilliam County; Allowed as follows: Witness and mileage and Jury fees and mileage Circuit Court. Geo W Howard, \$34 00; Arthur Bishop, \$11 00; Otto Tschauer, \$18.00; T. J. Linville, \$19.40; Frank Maddock, \$19.40; J. B. Ashenfelter, \$21.60; I D. Phillips, \$15 00; Frank Baker, \$29.00; J F Thomas, \$5. 60; Ed Lewellen, \$17.40; E B Schomp, \$15.40; D Cantwell, \$15 00; Frank Shaw, \$15.00; E A Stinchfield, \$5.80; W A Riggs, \$600; G W Andrews, \$1540; I. B. Carter, \$5.80; Jay Wright, \$20.40; J A Scott, \$15 00; E C Rogers, \$3 00; A A Townley, \$15.90; John Hess, \$3 00, John Maidment, \$19.80; Fred Bishop, \$19.00; U S Carnine, \$12 00; J. A. Miller \$20.80; C W Dyer, \$21.40; Sherman Wade, \$21 00; J C Webb, \$6.60; J L Blalock, \$12.00; H F Ellis, \$4.40; P. Dyer, \$3.00; Clarence Edwards, \$11.20; Alfred Weise, \$6.00; James Walkenshaw, \$6.00; J. W. Donnelly, \$2.00; Sam Lang, \$24. 00.

Judges and Clerks of Election: S. T. Bunch 15.00; J W Long 6.00; C W Martin 6.00; F M Crews 6.00; W C France 6.00; G. R. Huff 6.00; E T Farnsworth 6.00; G. W. Andrews 18.40; I D. (Continued on last page.)