

ACTIVITIES OF OTHER COMMUNITIES TOLD BY CORRESPONDENTS

COBURG

Coburg, December 1.—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Anderson and daughter, Miss Elsie, motored to Eugene Friday. Ray Losey motored to Eugene Saturday. A large crowd attended the dance given here Friday evening. E. R. Payne transacted business in town yesterday. Walter Drury motored to Eugene Friday. Miss Foster, domestic science teacher of the Coburg High school, returned Thursday from Eugene, where she has been spending the week's vacation. Col Johnson has moved into the Hot house on Willamette street. Mr. and Mrs. W. Kincart returned from their ranch to-day. Mr. Bishop, of Wendling was here over Thanksgiving visiting with his family. H. M. Anderson motored to Eugene Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sidwell and daughters, Louise and Agnes, motored to Springfield Thursday. Roy Pirtle was in Eugene last week. Mr. and Mrs. Healy were in Eugene Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tyler and Clarence and Charles Anderson motored to Eugene Wednesday. Clarence Anderson and Cecil Frum were in Eugene Friday. N. J. Nelson transacted business in town to-day.

THIS YEAR'S COUNTY LEVY TO BE 18.75 MILLS

County Court Estimates \$562,500 Will Have to Be Secured By Taxation. The county court estimates that it will be necessary this year to raise by taxation \$562,500, which will require a levy of 18.75 mills on the estimated valuation of \$30,000,000. By the time of the budget meeting, which has been set for Saturday, December 23, at 10 o'clock, the report of the state tax commission as to the actual valuation of the public utilities of the county will have been received, and also the county's apportionment of the state tax. Both of these items have been estimated by the court in preparing the budget, and both are subject to slight change.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes Advertising (\$2,500.00), Auditor (400.00), Assessor (9,030.00), Bounty (750.00), Care of poor (14,000.00), Circuit court (14,000.00), County court (4,240.00), County fairs (3,700.00), Court house (6,500.00), Coroner (500.00), County clerk (13,730.00), County agriculturist (1,500.00), District attorney (1,230.00), Fruit inspector (2,000.00), Health officer (200.00), Insane (500.00), Indigent soldier (1,500.00), Juvenile (600.00), Justice court (1,250.00), Roads and bridges (160,000.00), Retiring warrants (16,000.00), School superintendent (5,400.00), Sheriff (12,100.00), Surveyor (4,000.00), Sealer weights and measures (500.00), Tax rebate (1,500.00), Treasurer (2,390.00), Widows' pension (9,000.00), Veterinarian (100.00), Emergency and slaughtered animals (1,600.00). Total \$290,820.00.

A committee of forty authorized by the taxpayers last year, has been consulting with the county court in the preparation of the entire budget, and this committee will continue its investigations for the next three weeks, and make final recommendations at the budget meeting the last of the month.

Cox and Cox Purchase Delivery Auto. Acting upon the principle of sparing no expense to make their business the best of its kind in the valley, the Cox and Cox department store has added a delivery automobile to its equipment. The car, which is a Ford, was purchased from the Springfield Garage yesterday.

Philharmonic Society To Reorganize. The Philharmonic society of the University of Oregon and of Eugene, of which Mrs. Daise Beckett Middleton of this city is president, will probably be completely reorganized in the near future, it is said. Practice for "The Chimes of Normandy" has been suspended until after the holidays.

Relief Needed at Home More Than in War Stricken Nations, He Writes.

Only a few hours before his death from tuberculosis a man in Arizona wrote a letter to a California editor from which the following significant extracts are quoted:

"Anything that will encourage and help the Anti-Tuberculosis Society in its fight against Tuberculosis is of great importance to any community and the fact that nearly all of the money collected from the sale of these little Red Cross seals is spent in the community where the stamps are sold should make it doubly interesting to every one.

"It is not in Belgium or the Far East alone that relief is badly needed, but right here at home in our beloved America. Here in the state of Arizona thousands of dollars are needed every year to carry on this relief work. In the little town of P., not over 1,000 miles away from our doorstep, you can see some pitiful cases, cases where the father of two or three little children lies day after day in poorly furnished quarters, perhaps amid unsanitary surroundings, waiting for his health and



strength to return, while the wife and mother works and strives to make things more comfortable for the afflicted one. In many of the cases the income has been entirely cut off for some time and the family merely exist on what little the wife can earn by washing and sewing and on what the charitable societies are able to give them.

"And there is not the slightest doubt that such conditions are duplicated right at home and everywhere. Ask those who have in charge the spending of this money if there is likely to be enough to relieve one-half of the suffering from tuberculosis among the poor. The answer will be, not one-half or even one-quarter enough to provide the actual necessities.

"So when your readers are wrapping their Christmas packages let them place a few of these little red stamps on each package and think of the help they are giving these poor ones. Let them think what Christmas must be like for the little ones in these homes and then think what Christmas may be like next year if the parent through proper care and thought has been restored to health again."

All Remaining 1916 Issues Free. New subscribers for The Youth's Companion for 1917 who send \$2.00 now will receive free every remaining weekly issue of 1916. The Youth's Companion improves every year - new features, captivating stories, side-splitting sketches of down-east life, if you have a growing family whose pure ideals you wish to see reflected in their reading you cannot choose a more satisfying publication for every one in it than The Youth's Companion. Let us send you free the Prospect for 1917, which describes in detail the good things promised to Companion readers during the 52 weeks of the coming year.

New subscribers for 1917 will receive free The Companion Home Calendar for 1917. The publishers of The Companion have arranged with the publishers of McCall's Magazine—the famous tabloid magazine—to offer you both publications for 1917 for \$2.10.

- This two-at-one-price offer includes: 1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1917. 2. All remaining December issues of The Companion free. 3. The Companion Home Calendar for 1917. 4. McCall's Magazine—12 fashion numbers in 1917. 5. One 15-cent McCall Dress Pattern—your choice from your first copy of McCall's—if you send a 2-cent stamp with your selection.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, St. Paul St., Boston, Mass. New subscriptions received at this office.

Rents Hop Ranch. E. E. Morrison has rented the Yarnall place near Spores siding on the Mohawk from Hugh Sandgate. The farm contains 153 acres about 25 of which are planted to hops. Mr. Morrison will take care of the hop crop and will grow about 70 acres of potatoes next year.

Clay Parker of this city who was operated on at the Mercy hospital in Eugene Tuesday, passed a good night last night, and was reported to be doing very nicely this morning.

ODD FELLOWS ENTERTAIN

Local Men Host For Walleryville And Coburg Lodges Last Evening.

"A rousing good meeting" was enjoyed by local Odd Fellows and a large number of guests from Walleryville and Coburg lodges, and by several other visiting members from various places, in the I. O. O. F. hall here last evening. The Springfield degree team put on the second degree work, Ray Mulligan and R. N. Griffin being the candidates.

A number of very good talks were enjoyed, among which was one from Noble Grand Fred Russell of Walleryville. M. C. Bressler of this city, gave an interesting address on "Odd Fellowship," and other local and visiting members spoke along kindred lines. After the business session, an extraordinary good luncheon was served by the Progressive 22, the degree staff of the local Rebekas. Plates were laid for 55.

United Artisans Elect New Officers.

William F. Cofer was made Master Artisan at the election held at the United Artisan meeting last evening. The other new officers are as follows: Superintendent, Lavinia Kester; Inspector, Jennie Reed; Secretary, Mary Male; Treasurer, Ida Larison; Senior conductor, Orle Nettleton; Master of Ceremonies, Ada Manwarring; Junior conductor, Virgie Townsend.

Girl is Sent to Industrial School.

Elsie Roberts, aged 19 years, was arrested in West Springfield yesterday morning, charged with shoplifting and after the evidence against her was heard, she was committed to the girls' training school at Salem and taken to that institution yesterday afternoon. The Roberts girl was complained of by Eugene merchants.

Baptist Church.

Sunday school at 11 A. M. Reverend D. L. Parker will speak in the evening at 7:30 Col. Mercer will give an address. Col. Mercer will be accompanied by his singers among whom is Mr. Rust who formerly sang for D. L. Moody. Mr. Rust was associated with Moody and Sankey for several years. This is a treat which no one should miss.

Under the supervision of W. J. Hill, a holiday window trim is being put in at the Racket store.

Classified Ads

For Sale, Rent, Wanted, Etc.

WANTED—Good gentle milk cow to milk for her feed for the next 3 or 4 months. Phone 13F13, Springfield. J. W. NEET.

FOR SALE—Rubber tired buggy, in first class shape, cheap. Phone 115 J or write box 191.

LOST. Auto filler fountain pen, either at Methodist church or on 6th street between C and A, or between 6th and 8th on A. Leave at News office.

FOR SALE, Good milk cow, also Steel Range. Call 138-w.

FARM LOANS—At the lowest rate and on the easiest terms to be had. J. C. Holbrook, Springfield.

FOR SALE at a bargain, 11 acres of land in cultivation on Main McKenzie road 1/4 mile from Thurston store. Must be sold as owner is going east. Address Mrs. Cornelia E. George, Corner of 5th and B Sts., Springfield, Oregon.

THE BAPTIST LADIES' AID will hold a bazaar and silver tea on Wednesday, December 13, in the room next Swarts & Washburne's market.

FOR INFORMATION regarding homestead entries in Central Oregon, write enclosing stamped envelopes to A. O. King or D. D. Tussing, Brothers, Oregon.

COCKERALS FOR SALE: White Leg horn pure bred O. A. C. strain, six months old, \$1.00 each. Call at 710 C street.

FOR SALE—Practically new Oliver Typewriter number 5. Machine is equipped with tabulator and back spacer. It is in good running order. Call at the News office and have it demonstrated. Terms.

FOUND: Small key on wire. Owner may have same by calling at the News office and paying for this ad.

FOR SALE—Nine acre farm one fourth mile east of Crosswell. River bottom land all in cultivation. Has four acres of loganberries, one and seven eighths acres in red raspberries in bearing intermingled with four year old apple trees. Has house, barn, and modern chicken houses with covered in parks. Can be had at a bargain. Address A31, care of The Springfield News.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County.

D. H. Pierce & Barney May, Plaintiffs against

The Unknown Heirs at Law of David Arthur and Mary J. Arthur, Deceased; and Also All Other Persons and Parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the Complaint; Defendants

To the Unknown Heirs at Law of David Arthur and Mary J. Arthur, deceased, and All other Persons and Parties unknown, claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint and herein; Defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 30th day of December, 1916; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, plaintiffs will take decree against you as prayed for in said complaint, viz:

That their title be forever quieted to the following described lands, in Lane County, Oregon to-wit: Beginning at the intersection of the West line of the David Arthur and Wife donation land claim in Tp. 18 South r. 2 West of Wil. Mer., with the South line of the railroad right of way of the Southern Pacific Company, being 16 chains South from the NW corner of said claim, and run South 23.93 chs., East 33.60 chs., North 26.26 chs. to the South line of said railroad right of way and thence Westerly along said line to the place of beginning; and that you be forever barred from claiming any right, title, interest or estate in or to the same.

This summons is served by publication thereof once each week for six successive weeks in the Springfield News by order of Hon. John S. Coke, Judge of said Court, made November 14th, 1916, and the first publication thereof was made on the 16th day of November, 1916.

A. E. WHEELER, Attorney for Plaintiffs. Nov. 16, 23, 30; Dec. 7, 14, 21.

Dr. ADALINE KEENEY FERRIS, Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon, Office, Baptist Parsonage, Corner Second and C Streets, HOURS: 9 TO 12. PHONE 60

HERBERT E. WALKER, NOTARY PUBLIC, Office in City Hall, Springfield, Ore.

ELIZABETH SCHOFFEN FOR 21 YEARS SISTER LUCRETIA in the Roman Catholic Sisterhood, 18 years of which was served in St. Vincent's Hospital, Portland, will deliver two lectures in BELL THEATRE SPRINGFIELD Tuesday Evening, Dec. 12 8 o'clock Subject: "The Grip of Paganism" explaining the Convent System. Everybody welcome. Wednesday Afternoon, Dec. 13 2 o'clock. Miss Schoffen will deliver her popular lecture to Women Only, dealing with the confessional. No girls under the age of 16 admitted to this lecture. Admission to each lecture 25 cents.

PRIME MEATS at PEOPLE'S MARKET Beef Boils.....10 and 12 1/2 cents pound. Good Steaks.....12 1/2 cents pound. Pork.....15 cents pound. Sausage.....15 cents pound, 2 pounds 25 cents. Veal.....12 1/2, and 15 cents pound. PEOPLE'S MARKET Chas. Hardt, Prop.

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