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THE LOCAL NEWS

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

From Colville News Bureau:
The annual meeting of the Colville Chamber of Commerce was held at Hotel Colville Monday noon. Reports of the 1912 governing board, secretary and treasurer were read. The nominating committee placed in nomination for the new president Howard W. Stull, and for the remainder of the governing board E. W. Emery, H. R. Williams, Hayward O. Blair, L. E. Jessup. They were elected by acclamation.

President Stull took the chair, and short talks were made by the new members of the board, and by President Keller and Vice President Harrigan of the 1912 board.

The new board starts the fourth year of an active chamber of commerce in Colville, and in its personnel has men of ability to handle the work for the year to the best interests of this city and valley.

The work of the 1912 board, under the leadership of President Louis G. Keller, has brought the Colville Chamber of Commerce into considerable prominence in this state, and the vast amount of work and time given to this work by President Keller is certainly recognized and appreciated here.

Law Day in Colville.

From Colville News Bureau:
At a law term of the superior court held Monday, the damage case of Edward Bower and wife against Stevens county was dismissed. The case involved action for \$10,000, brought because of injuries sustained by Mrs. Bower when her horse became frightened at what she alleged was a defective bridge.

Judge Carey continued the arraignment proceedings against A. H. Hart, charged with assault in the first degree; Archie Kelley, second degree, burglary; Louis Smith, violation of immorality statute; James Scherette second degree assault; Marshal Tilden, seduction. These arraignments will be heard by Judge W. H. Jackson at the first law day term held by him.

Daniel Burns, found guilty of failure to support his family, was sentenced to one year in the county jail and the sentence was suspended to permit him to go to work for the support of his family. Burns was allowed to go to Idaho to find employment.

Official Weather Report.

From Colville News Bureau:
United States Observer W. L. Sax makes the following report for December: Maximum temperature 42 on the 2d, minimum 5 on the 12th, average for month 29.5, which is 4 more than in 1911, 4.5 less than in 1910, and 2.8 warmer than usual for December. Precipitation was 1.67, which is less than any December since 1908, and .29 less than usual. Snowfall was 9 1/4 inches. Clear days 9, cloudy 19, part cloudy 3.
For the year 1912 the total precipitation was 20.93, which is 3.16 more than normal, 4.73 more than in 1911, 8.04 more than in 1910, .77 more than in 1909, 7.63 more than in 1908, and .07 more than in 1907. Snow for the year was 20.8 inches, being less than half the usual amount. Average temperature for the year was 45.8, which was .8 more than last year, 1.2 less than in 1910, and .3 more than in 1909. Average temperature here is 45.5.

EIGHTH ANNUAL BANQUET.

From Colville News Bureau:
The eighth annual banquet of the Colville fire department was given at the Hotel Colville on Monday evening. Seventy invitations had been issued, and nearly every one invited was present.

Music was furnished by the Fontaine orchestra.

Mrs. J. C. Harrigan rendered several delightful solos.

Those who responded to toasts were: L. C. Jessup, P. R. Parks, L. G. Keller, Dr. L. B. Harvey, Mayor A. B. Cook, H. R. Spedden, J. C. Harrigan, H. W. Stull, W. R. Baker, James Petty, W. H. Jackson, George W. Seal.

Chief Fred S. Thomas officiated as toastmaster.

Here is a copy of the menu card:

MENU
(Which means Stuff to Eat.)
Soup
(By the Water Bucket Brigade.)
Fresh Oysters
(By Valves from Water Department.)
Celery, Olives
Four-Inch Hose
(Salvage from the Leader Fire.)
Baked Ham
(Without any Cabbage.)
Roast Chicken, Cream Gravy
With Hydrant Sauce.)
Baked Sweet Potatoes, with Their
Overcoats on
Saratoga Chips
(Dried in the City Reservoir last
Summer.)
Sweet Pickles
(In Honor of the Councilmen.)
Jelly
(Said to be Good Brain Food.)
Ice Cream
(In Remembrance of Several
Chilly Runs.)
Cake, Nuts, Fruit
Coffee, Tea
Hot Air by the Chief.

It was after 12 o'clock when the banquet adjourned. It was said to be the best banquet ever given by the department.

A royal time was had by all the guests, and the firemen maintained their well-earned reputation of being as good entertainers as fire-fighters.

The Fire Department.

Monday night's banquet of the Colville Fire Department brought out the fact that this department is started on its 16th year.

In the reorganization 8 or 9 years ago, Henry Lambert, F. S. Thomas and James Petty were charter members, and are still members. Lambert is the oldest member in continuous service, and Mayor Henry R. Spedden is second. Chief Thomas was out of the city for some time or he would also have held an equal record with Lambert. Petty was the first chief 15 years ago, and though he has attended the meetings quite regularly ever since, has not been able to be on the active list all the time.

The reelection of F. S. Thomas as chief, G. L. Rieth assistant, Victor Baird secretary, and Louis G. Keller treasurer, assures this city an excellent fire-fighting organization for another year.

Young People's Country Club.

This club was organized for the young people of the community for the good times they could have together. They built a club house of logs 24x36 and here dances and entertainments are held. The following officers are serving for a period of three months. President, Burley Keough; vice president, C. F. Churchill; treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Churchill; secretary, Miss Pearl Hardenbrook. There are 24 members at present. They are as follows: Misses Pearl Hardenbrook, Lila Fay, Ethel Knapp, Pae Hardenbrook, Messrs. Henry Kammerman, W. Keough, Andy McNeilly, Oak Hardenbrook, Frank Choens, Bert Pittman, Alvah Churchill, L. B. Keough, Lloyd Hardenbrook, Otto Keough, Charles F. Churchill, Earn Allen, Mesdames Chas. F. Churchill, Frank Choens, Wesley Keough, Bert Pittman.

The Winslow Lumber Co. which recently sold the Basin mill is now installing a new 7-foot band mill on the same grounds. The new mill will be of the most modern type and will have a capacity of 40,000 feet daily. Although it is generally conceded that the lumber market has been slack for the past year, this company has shipped and sold sixteen million feet of lumber during the year 1912, which is the heaviest business done by the company in any one year since the establishment of the plant. This company is now making preparations to make a very heavy cut during the coming season. Their intention is that the Basin mill will make a cut of six million while their main plant will turn out at least twelve million during the season.

The Banner Meat Market under the management of J. H. Carlin has just installed a new line of machinery consisting of sausage cutting and grinding machines, bone grinder and an electric motor.

The following letters remain in the Colville postoffice unclaimed for: Mrs. Ester Dunentier, John Griffith, Dr. G. H. Klein, Mrs. H. H. Louis, Mrs. H. N. Leighton, Mr. Marshall, Mrs. Mabel Markee.

The Qam Club will meet at the Habin home next Wednesday evening.

Adolph Strauss has opened a wholesale and retail business in feed, grain and flour, in the McMillan warehouse east of Bank of Colville. He has been in this line of business all his life, and expects to carry a heavy stock.

A mean stuffy cold, with hoarse wheezy breathing is just the kind that runs into bronchitis or pneumonia. Don't trifle with such serious conditions but take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. Quick and beneficial results are just what you can expect from this great medicine. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages. It stops the hoarse racking cough. Carroll Drug Company.—Adv.

There will be a special meeting of the Eastern Star next Friday night for initiation.

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Albert J. Frase of Daisy and Miss Bery M. Horton of Waterloo were married by Rev. Geo. T. Klein at his residence in Colville, Wednesday, January 8th.

A daughter was born Wednesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bay.

Miss Tille Kulzer of Valley, daughter of John G. Kulzer, and well known in Colville, left last Saturday for Chicago to visit relatives for several months.

A. H. Hart of Chewelah, charged with the shooting of E. D. Germain August 24, appeared before the superior court Monday, but was informed that his case had been postponed for two weeks. Mr. Hart states that he is very much annoyed by the efforts of officials to fasten this matter upon him in order to shield others from publicity and wants to have a hearing immediately. He also states that the former newspaper articles about his retaining a law firm is not true, as he will not need any lawyers if he can only have a hearing, and that the statements about his being the author of certain anonymous letters is false, inasmuch as the postoffice detectives have declared him not guilty of this. Hart is out on only \$1000 bond, which shows that the officials do not consider his case very likely.

Geo. Rieth was in Spokane this week, and after investigating the various makes of cars, and thoroughly examining the gears, parts, and workings of the Studebaker car, took the agency.

Mrs. Grace Lincoln Burnam received a telegram Monday announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Lucy P. Lincoln at her home at Ft. Dodge, Iowa. Mrs. Lincoln was born in New York state, the daughter of a Congregational minister, and went with her father to Chicago on an evangelistic tour before there were any railroads into that city. She lived in Iowa for about 50 years, and died at the age of 76.

Henry R. Spedden has purchased 4 1/2 acres in Wiltz' 3d addition to Chewelah, and will put it into town lots. This property is only 3 blocks from the business center.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dingle and family returned Saturday from a two weeks visit with the parents of Mrs. Dingle of Krupp, Wash. Mr. Dingle states that the hunting is fine in that part of the Big Bend country, and as proof of his statement brought back 35 jack rabbits that weighed over 200 pounds.

W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington street, Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after taking other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Pills, which not only did me more good than any other remedies I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. Carroll Drug Company.—Adv.

Charles Peach has been confined to his room for some days; physicians state that his illness is a complication of pneumonia.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment is fine for skin itching. All druggists sell it; 50 cents a box.—Adv.

The old Ivory cassarole bean pots are among the new and novel cooking utensils at the R. E. Lee Co.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regulata. They operate easily; 25 cents at all stores.—Adv.

Special meetings will begin at the M. E. church Sunday, in charge of the pastor, M. L. Sanders. The music will be in charge of Rev. G. H. Rice. There will be services each evening, save Saturday evening, at 7:30. Meetings will continue indefinitely. A very cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend these meetings. Strangers made welcome.

The Farmers' Union has elected the following officers: President, C. F. Leonard; vice president, H. W. Foster; secretary-treasurer, P. M. Simpson; chaplain, Mrs. Nellie Douglass; conductor, Walter Ramser; doorkeeper, P. H. Hovey; executive committee, A. C. Douglass, C. M. Baker, L. P. Johnson. Meetings 1st and 3d Saturdays, Rickey block.

There is no better indication of thrift and prosperity than to see the sidewalks in front of a business house kept clear from snow and ice. Or in other words, to see the twelve foot sidewalk covered deep with snow with only a narrow beaten trail in front of a business house, office or shop leaves the impression to the passerby that the place is deserted or that the occupants are negligent. This rule may apply in some degree to residence property. Although it would take the owner or tenant from five to ten minutes every day during the snowy season to keep his part of the sidewalk clean, it would impress pedestrians that he had a regard for the comfort and safety of his neighbors.

Out the High Cost of Living.
W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines did them no good. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25-cent bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." No opiates. Carroll Drug Company.—Adv.

SUMMONS.
No. 4285
In the superior court of the state of Washington, in and for the county of Stevens.

William H. Lillie, plaintiff versus Edith Lillie, defendant.
The state of Washington, to the said Edith Lillie, defendant: You are hereby summoned to be and appear within sixty (60) days, after the date of the first publication of this summons, exclusive of the day upon which the first publication is made, to wit: Within sixty (60) days from the 11th day of January, 1913, and defend the above named action in the above entitled cause, and serve a copy of your answer or other pleadings upon the undersigned attorneys for the plaintiff at their address below stated, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demands of the complaint, which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said court.

This action is one where the plaintiff prays for a decree of the court dissolving the bonds of matrimony heretofore and now existing between the plaintiff and defendant upon statutory grounds, to-wit: abandonment and desertion; said grounds being fully set forth in the complaint filed as above stated.

ROCHFORD & WILSON,
Attorneys for plaintiff, P. O. and office address, Colville, Stevens county, state of Washington.

Claude Lewis has leased the rink and will open Wednesday night for public skating, 7 to 10 every evening, and Saturday afternoons. He has not yet secured the music which he intends to install. He has plenty of skates, and will endeavor to provide a popular resort for ladies and gentlemen who like the exhilarating sport of roller skating.

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