

SPORTSMEN'S CORNER

Rod and Gun Club Doings—

The opening game of the season for the Ramrods basketball team which is sponsored by the Chetco Rod & Gun Club, will be played at Brookings high school gym Thursday evening, Dec. 30. It will, as a matter of fact, be a double header with the Ramrods' second stringers playing the Smith River quint for the opener and the first stringers meeting Gold Beach for the second game of the evening. This is the first games of the season, so let everyone be on hand and boot 'em in.

The Gabrielson Report, as well as that of the Interim Committee, are being studied by a committee headed by Hans Nelson. These reports are very important and very lengthy, and require considerable study by our committee before arriving at any definite conclusion.

INCOME TAX SERVICE

in

Hugh Gearin's
Law Office
WEDNESDAYS
& FRIDAYS

At home on other days,
on Hwy 101, 2 miles so.
of Brookings.

R. V. Guerrettaz

Gun Smithing and Rod and Reel Repairing

Done Very Reasonable.

See

Don S. Johnson

PAINTING & Interior Decorating

Paper Hanging—Spray Painting

Rural and Farm Buildings

Anything in spray or brush work.

Dodson Painting Co.

Across from Pilot Office or

PHONE 41

FREE ESTIMATES

When these are reached, however, our committee's recommendations will be presented to the board of directors and the membership before being transmitted to the Oregon Wildlife Federation Legislative committee.

As 1948 draws to a close, we are all more or less inclined to view in retrospect our accomplishments, our hopes and our blessings and to tear aside the self-created trimmings of tinsel and gold and reflect on the simple joys of living. Apropos of this state of mind, Edgar A. Guest reminds us of one of our primary blessings:

Life is sweet just because of the friends we have made and the things which in common we share;

And we want to live on—not because of ourselves—but because of the people who care;

It's in giving and doing for somebody else on that all life's splendor depends.

For the joy of this world, when you've summed it all up, is found in the making of friends.

A Feller Sez—

A man lives by believing something—not by debating and arguing about many things.

Along Azalea Row

COMING OUR WAY—

With a Happy New Year to you and the glad reminder that, steady, by minutes the sun is now shortening the long nights. To all, these little daily minutes for bright gain should be sweet. To those of us still on the kerosene circuit—rapture beyond reason.

The modern Aladdin lamp is most surely an improvement on the earlier sight blighting devices and must have been considered a blessing in its time. It is a blessing we could, now, well relegate to memory (more esteemed as it ages there) and strictly out of current events.

Its name conjures up a hope, by far too extravagant. Rubbing it brings no miracle working powerful genii to do our bidding as in the ancient legend. It is no thing of magis. Methinks the Arabian Nights Aladdin had the better lamp. However, since none of us wishes a castle in Arabia or to marry a Sultan or his daughter as the case may be, and since even the magic genii could not cause change in the seasons—Welcome The Sun! Here is real magic—a promise and performance that are akin. Hope is easy and belief is easy in a warm, green world.

JANUARY THE THIRTEENTH

The January monthly meeting of the club following on the heels of the celebration of the New Year ties in nicely to complete the festivities of the season. It is the birthday party of the Azalea Garden Club with a preview of our big annual Fiesta and Flower show of 1949. The preview as well as the later big show is under direction of Mrs. Harry Lockland. The page of the yearbook covering the January meeting is one of the most interesting in this excellent book. Its context and arrangement fairly sing from the page—"Looking Backward with our Historians—Looking Forward with Our Committee Chairmen—Music by the Fiesta Chorus"—this latter under Director MacKenzie.

A close acquaintance with this good garden clubber MacKenzie finds her more than well equipped for her job as music chairman—a stroke of luck for the club.

The program with a Spanish motif suggests that we haul out our shawls, and high combs and mantillas, flowing skirts, sombreros or ten-gallon hats of our "hombres"—a guitar or Spanish Fandango will do or, perhaps, just a slight Spanish accent—anything to add to the fun and atmosphere of the party.

On the more serious side, Dorothy Lockland, with special emphasis from our club's president, Mrs. Guy Rice and vice-president, Mrs. Bob Perkins, asks that we do our best in this preview to approximate our displays, exhibits, arrangements, etc., for the big show. Let this birthday party and little Fiesta be a memorable one!

Thought For The Day—

FIRST GAME of the season



RAMRODS

Sponsored by Chetco Rod
and Gun Club

Versus

GOLD BEACH

Brookings H. S. Gym

Thursday, Dec. 30

Starting at 7:30 p. m.

Admission ... 25c

"Let me not sleep past any rising of yours on Forest rivers, O Sun! Even through the thunder-cloud I see you there, with faith for my eyesight."

Local News Items

Pete Grigolo of Crescent City was a business visitor here this week. His son, Pete Jr. was the one who established the power plant in this area, later taken over by Coos-Curry Electric Cooperative.

Brookings Shoe Service has advertised a pre-inventory sale,

with liberal discounts, in this issue. This is being done, they say, to make room for a big spring shipment expected at any moment now.

Warrant Call

Notice is hereby given that all General Fund Warrants of School District No. 17, Curry County, up to and including 7391, and all Building Fund Warrants up to and including No. 243, are called for payment. Interest ceases Dec. 30, 1948.

DORA E. BEAULIEU, Clerk.

WE WISH ALL OUR FRIENDS A

Happy and Prosperous New Year—

and that our associations be closer!

Chetco Home & Appliance Co.

Grayshel Building

Brookings, Oregon

We Have A Real Wish For All Of You

"MAY 1949 BE PROSPEROUS"

Our first year in this area has proven to us that our faith in the community was right—the people of the area have given us their trust which we hope that you have been amply rewarded. The year, 1948, was a busy year, yes, full of troubles, but also full of joy.

Our wish for 1949 is that we may continue to serve you, yes more capably than was possible before. We have pride in our work, and more pride in your satisfaction.

BROOKINGS MACHINE SHOP

Tony Christensen

Jesse Hoagland

At Brookings Garage Building

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Work or Dress Shoes

Loggers, calked or uncalked

Slippers

Rubber Footwear

15 Per Cent Off on

ON ALL WOMENS DRESS SHOES
AND SANDALS!

10 Per Cent Off on:

ALL WOMENS STREET SHOES
AND RUBBER FOOTWEAR

Free Heel and Toe Plates

ON SHOES PURCHASED DURING
THIS RECORD-BREAKING SALE

BROOKINGS SHOE SERVICE

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Shoe Repair

PEGGY GOULD
New Shoes

Brookings Garage

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BODY AND FENDER WORK

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