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DESCHUTES TROUT CAN NOT BE BEAT

A word to the fishermen is sufficient. Deschutes! The Deschutes and the big Dolly Varden are synonyms. Arriving at Maupin you may divest yourself of all the cramped city habits and plunge into the vast area of country life and enjoy the freedom that is known only to those who live away from the buzz and hum of the city.

There is no rarer sport than hooking one of the big trout of the Deschutes, measuring from 12 to nearly 30 inches, and getting him to land. They are the gamest fish you ever angled for and the trip here means another of the following year.

The Deschutes river is known never to lower or raise so that it is noticeable and the large amount of water, its swift current, and sharp turns form many little eddies where you may see them any day drawing out any number of the finny tribe.

Remember when planning for an outing make your preparations for a stay at "Maupin on the Deschutes."

School Notes

The report to County Supt. Ronney for month ending April 16 shows: Total enrollment 53; average enrollment 41; average daily attendance 43; 95 per cent of 33; per cent of attendance 95. Attendance of 96 per cent is excellent, but punctuality of only 95 is poor. Just a few families need to start their children about ten minutes earlier. A "Standard" school must have 97 per cent attendance

New Soda Fountain

E. J. Styer has just installed a fine up-to-date soda fountain and fixtures. With a marble top counter and the other arrangements for sanitation he will soon be putting out ice cream and soda waters of all kinds in a way that will be a relief from the old methods used.

He is prepared to take care of the crowd that will arrive for this Sunday base ball game.

Ball Game Sunday

There will be a ball game here Sunday between the Dufur team and the Maupin nine. Both teams have been practicing up, and will give a good game. Don't fail to attend and root for your team.

The roll of honor for the present month is: Beniah Welter, Violet Miller, Nellie Stump, Willie Vanderpool, Louis Eunous; primary room: Lawrence Harphan, Lewis Mayhew, Fernie Mayhew, Paul Welter, Willie McClure, Olive Turner, William Stump, George Stump.

Helen Locke was a visitor Tuesday afternoon.

The Literary Society's question for debate next Friday is "Should capital punishment in the United States be abolished?"

Ruby Russell, absent in the Willamette valley since last fall, began school here again last Wednesday.

Maupin is in Section 32, T 4 S, R 12 E, and the summit of Mt. Hood is in Sec 28, T 7 S, R 12 E. By section lines, how far are two points apart is a question some of the scholars are considering. You try it.

E. J. Styer will treat the public to ice cream Sunday.

PRODUCING OIL WELLS ARE PREDICTED FOR WASCO CO.

Dr. Willbur Hastings of Cleveland, Ohio, an oil and coal expert of 30 years' experience, who is making a tour of the west in the interest of eastern capital with whom he is associated, investigated the property of the Beavis-May oil company at Dufur last week. His investigation of the property was for Portland and California capitalists who contemplate investing money in the project.

In an interview with the Chronicle yesterday, Dr. Hastings was emphatic in his declaration that there is every indication of oil at the Dufur property and he stated he is willing that any one doubting his statement should investigate his ability and reliability in the matter of judging oil and coal prospects. He stated he thoroughly investigated the surface indications all over the Eight Mile district and declared them to be equal to those of the Pennsylvania and West Virginia oil fields.

"I put the Beavis-May well to all of the tests known," said Dr. Hastings, "and I found that every indication is that there is now seepage oil present and that the hole must be close to the main body of oil. We tested the cuttings and water from the well and found they responded readily to the flash test."

The expert explained that the "flash" test is the burning of the gas and oil on top of the sump barrel in which the cuttings from the bottom of the well are emptied. The right kind of a flash test, he said, would indicate the near presence of large bodies of gas and oil, and declared that the Beavis-May well gave the right test. He said:

"The color of the oil secured in the test is chocolate, which would indicate a high grade. The right kind of oil sands are present and the only thing necessary, I believe, to make this an oil producing country is to drill deeper, and I believe that not much of that will have to be done. I have advised Mr. Beavis that nothing more should be done until the water in the well is shut out."

Work has been stopped until the advice of Dr. Hastings regarding the shutting out of the water can be followed.

Dr. Hastings is not financially interested in the Beavis-May well. —Dufur Chronicle.

The oil prospects spoken of above are close to the ground belonging to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Strauts that will soon have oil derricks erected for the purpose of prospecting for the deposits of oil thought to be there.

Farewell Sermon

Rev. N. Welter will preach his farewell sermon this coming Sunday, April 25. He and his family will soon leave to take up their residence in Willamette valley. Mr. Welter will attend the conference at Portland on the 27th of May at which time he will leave the exact location where they will make their future home.

While here they have made many warm friends who are sorry to lose them and will wish them joy and success in their new field.

Celebrate May Five

The time is growing near for the Big Celilo Canal Celebration, Wednesday, May 5th. You should make arrangements to attend the opening at The Dalles on that date.

Great preparations are being made at The Dalles to take care of the large crowd that will assemble from the three states, Idaho, Washington and Oregon.

Ice Cream Sunday at E. J. Styer's.

See the line of late fashion hats handled by Mrs. L. D. Kelly.

GOLD MINING ON THE DESCHUTES

L. M. Simpson of Spokane, manager of the Deschutes Power company, of Cline Falls, was a business visitor here yesterday. Mr. Simpson states that their property is located in the midst of the gold excitement in central Oregon. He states: "It is not a case of knowing whether the gold is there or not. It is there as has been demonstrated by hundreds of assays made by assayers all over the United States, but it is a case of saving the gold." It is very fine "four" gold and is said to be extremely hard to save. However, the company operating in the region claims to have perfected a process which will save a great percentage. —Chronicle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Heneghan were down in their big "Studebaker Six" today.

Bob Crabtree has been busy for several days building a house for Wm. Connolly on his ranch.

Duke Moad returned from The "Flat" today where he has been doing farm work.

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Tygh News

Charlie Wing was very ill with pneumonia. A nurse is out from The Dalles taking care of him, and latest report is that he is on the way to recovery.

Ed Woodford was a business visitor in The Dalles this week.

Elton Williams was a business visitor in The Dalles last Friday.

Miss Alice Beckwith spent the day Sunday fishing on White river.

Van Woodford was a business visitor in The Dalles the first of the week.

T. E. Mobergen was over in Maupin Wednesday on business matters.

Mr. H. E. Crook spent Sunday at the home of his son (has, near Maupin).

J. W. Daxelson and wife made a visit to the county seat Sunday in their car.

Glenn Morris was taken very ill and Dr. Elwood was called Sunday morning to see him.

Mrs. T. E. Mobergen will leave today for Mosier, Oregon, to visit her mother at that place.

Little Rena Morris had the misfortune while at school Wednesday to fall and hurt her right knee quite painfully.

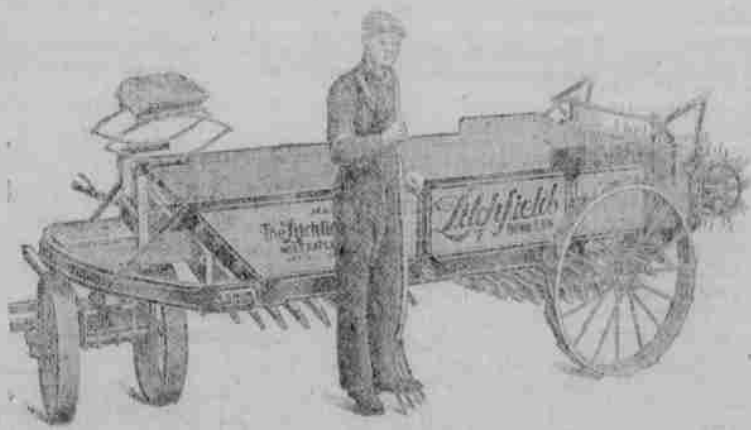
The entertainment given here Saturday night by the Dufur Home Talent company, "The Old Dairy Farm" was well attended.

Ed Wing and Orange Britton passed through here Sunday morning with about 50 head of cattle and horses enroute to Mulberry.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Knowles and Miss Ruby Crofoot of Dufur were callers in Tygh Sunday afternoon, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beckwith.

Wm. Heckman had the misfortune Wednesday to fall from a short railroad trestle while on his way to the E. J. Fischer ranch and is now just able to be up. While crossing the trestle his foot caught on a spike that had worked out of a tie and in trying to catch his balance he fell to the ground below, striking his side on a large rock and it is thought dislocated two of the ribs. He is fortunate in it not resulting more serious.

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