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## SENT IN BY OUR CORRESPONDENTS

### Criterion Chronicles

Jas. Hays, representing the American School of Music, of Portland, was here last week soliciting scholars for his concern.

C. A. Duns is suffering from an attack of grippe.

W. E. Hunt expects to start his sheep to the mountain summer range this week.

The excellent finish work being done on the roads by J. B. Kidder is causing much favorable comment by our citizens, as well as automobilists traveling this way.

L. N. Castor and Mrs. J. A. Gamber spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Mrs. S. A. Gamber of Flannagan.

A. A. Canfield was a member of a class of seven taking a civil service examination at The Dalles Saturday last.

R. H. DeCamp, C. A. Duns and L. B. DeCamp are engaged in hauling their year's supply of wood.

T. O. Miller returned Friday evening from Shearing at the McLennan ranch.

The new road just completed by H. M. Green and Earl Tunison makes travel over the Criterion-Maupin route shorter and allows adjacent land owners to straighten their fences.

Sunday last, the Criterion Union Sunday School voted to change the time of meeting from 2 p. m. to 11 a. m. The school continues a healthy growth in attendance and interest.

Lagrippe seems to be the prevailing pastime enjoyed by a number of our citizens during the last week.

### School Notes

The two scholars who completed the eighth grade work; Daphene Dyer and Violet Miller; both passed the state examination and received their diplomas. Congratulations, girls.

The annual school meeting of the third Monday in June is next Monday. The school is hoping that funds will be voted for a good encyclopedia, a valuable addition to the whole community.

Violet Miller who passed the state eighth grade examination, will begin a business course in The Dalles Business College June 28. Success to you Violet.

Philomina Chouinard, sixth grade, took the eighth grade examination in physiology and passed at 91.

### Programs for Picnic

At 10 o'clock, meet on Chouinard's Island; beginning of following sports:

- Six to 10 year boys' race.
- Six to 10 girls' race.
- Three legged race.
- Potato race, spoon race, shoe race, cake eating contest, pie eating contest.

### Bakeoven Man Dead

Jas. H. Brown, who had a homestead two miles east of Bakeoven, was found dead Monday by a comrad, heart failure being supposed to be the immediate cause of death.

Mr. Brown was born July 18, 1876 at Cherokee, Ia., being at the time of death 38 years, 10 months and 26 days old, and is survived by four brothers, Walter B., Geo. R., Chas. E. and Frank M. Brown.

Parents of the deceased, Andrew J. Brown, died March 18, 1891; Mary Brown, died November 27, 1905, and a sister, Addie E. Brown, died August 2, 1871.

Interment was made Wednesday at the Buzan cemetery, Rev. G. R. Ellis of this place, being called to conduct the services. Fifteen rigs and five automobiles followed the body to its last resting place.

### NEW HIGHWAY TO BE BUILT

County Judge F. S. Cunningham, County Road Engineer Sharp, Miss Robinson, a niece of the Judge and her friend, Miss Fletcher, were in Maupin Wednesday, coming out to look over the proposed new grades leading to Tygh Valley.

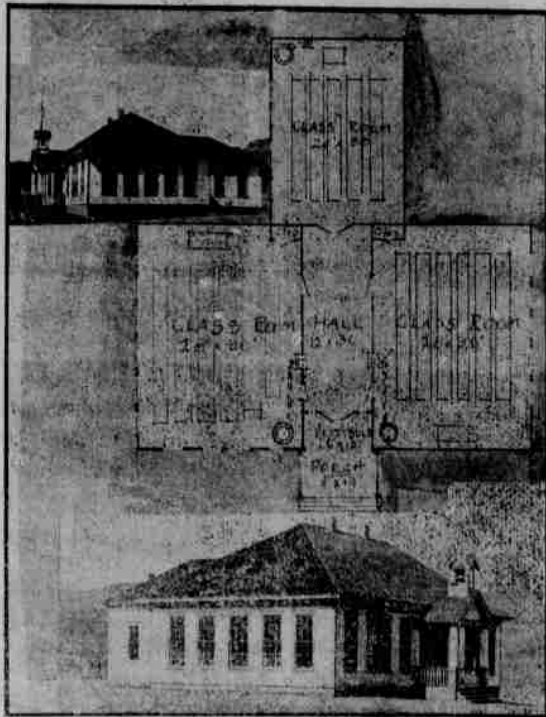
The new highways are to be 16 feet wide and will reduce the rise in the grades decidedly. The one leading to Tygh Ridge from Tygh Valley will follow the same canyon as at present, but will be so constructed that the ascent will be much more gradual, while the one on this side of White river will follow the direction of the canyon, coming to the level of the Flat near the Davidson place.

Bonds have been issued in the sum of \$15,611 and Mr. Croner of Lents has the contract for putting the roads through. Work will be commenced as soon as possible and it is hoped that the new highways will be completed by November 1, 1915.

Picnic dinner.  
Songs and recitations;  
Repetition of some of the races.  
Ten to 15 year boys' race;  
Ten to 15 year girls' race;  
Swimming race, water race.

### Fairview Items

Miss Verna Martin was completely taken by surprise last Thursday evening, when about twentyfive of her friends gave her a farewell party. Those present were Messers and Mesdames Frank Chastain, J. H. Chastain, H. L. Morris, Homer Martin, J. M. McCorkle, Geo. Crofoot, and their families, Missess, Hazel Brown and Lela Chastain, Master Liberty Chastain and Mrs. G. E. Wood. Games were played until late when sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. Everybody wished Miss Martin success in her school work.



Maupin School Building

Herewith is shown a picture of the Maupin school, showing the plans and interior arrangement. This structure was completed last year by Contractor Wilhelm and all material was furnished by the Tum-A-Lum Lumber people who have a representative at this place and carry an extensive line of building material in stock. The Tum-A-Lum Engineering department have been studying the problem of rural schools and have designed a large number, many suggestions for which are to be found in their plan book which is free to all interested. A very low-priced play ground apparatus has recently been installed.

at Monmouth and then went home with the satisfaction of knowing that the "surprise" had been a complete success.

G. E. Wood has been cutting on the farmers of this vicinity the last day or two.

### Smock News

James McCowan, wife and child visited at the M. P. Thornton home Wednesday of last week.

Grandma Farlow visited at G. W. Thornton's Thursday.

F. E. Spoor went to Portland Monday with a car of cattle.

John Farlow shipped a car of hogs from Sherar Monday.

Mr. Morgan and family returned from Hood River this week where they have been picking berries.

C. C. Marlin went to Maupin Monday afternoon.

C. H. Yockey is putting a porch on the east side of his residence.

Strawberries are ripe and on hand at the Berry ranches.

C. Duncan and Albert Russell are digging a well at M. J. Farlow's.

Thos. Whitcomb from Astoria is visiting his sister, Mrs. Leona Hull.

Grace Miller of Dufur, formerly of Smock, is picking berries at the Yockey ranch.

John Farlow intends buying a car in the near future.

We are having fine weather now.

### Wapinitia Items

N. W. Flinn had the misfortune of getting his limb broken and badly crushed last Tuesday afternoon while logging for Chas. Walker, Dr. Shannon was at once summoned from Tygh and Frank Batty took him in his big auto to The Dalles Hospital, where he is now under Dr. Writer's care.

Mrs. N. W. Flinn went to The Dalles Tuesday to stay with her husband while in the hospital.

Miss Phillis Fischer of Maupin, our former primary teacher, has been visiting friends here the past two days.

Charlie Tapp, nephew of V. B. of this place is visiting at the Tapp home.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday (Continued on last page)

### Good Game Sunday

An exciting, close game of base ball was witnessed by a large crowd Sunday when the Dufur nine played the locals at this place.

Up to the eighth inning the locals had made no tallies, Dufur getting only three. In the last half of the eighth Maupin came in with two tallies on one ball, after which it was a series of outs for both teams, the game closing 2 to 3 in favor of the visitors.

Maupin will go to Dufur next Sunday for a return game with that team.

### NATIVE DAUGHTER IS JUNE BRIDE

A pretty home wedding took place at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning at the country residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Van Homison when their daughter, Cora, and Joe Van Homison were united in marriage. Father Van Homison, brother of the groom, and Father Cantrell officiating in the most beautiful and impressive ceremony, following which a bounteous breakfast was partaken of at 9 o'clock.

The bride was attired in a gown of white silk veil and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bride's maid, Miss Mary Flanagan, was dressed in a pale blue messalin gown with white overlace. The bridegroom and his brother, Will Van Homison, who was best man wore handsome dark blue serge suits.

The parlors were beautifully decorated with roses and carnations.

Besides the relatives of the contracting parties, guests present were Miss Thrall, Tony Conroy, the families of Will and Tom Connolly, F. S. Flemming and E. A. Mayhew.

Mrs. Van Homison is well known here and a favorite. Mr. Van Homison is a popular lawyer of Portland where they will make their home. The young people were escorted to the train amidst a shower of rice and old shoes.

Ruf and Calvin McCorkle and families were guests at dinner Sunday at the C. H. Crofoot home; attending the ball game at Maupin in the afternoon.

### Teachers' Examination

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Wasco County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at the new Court House as follows: Commencing Wednesday, June 30, 1915, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, July 3, 1915, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday forenoon, Writing, United States History, Physiology.

Wednesday afternoon, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon, Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

Thursday afternoon, Grammar, Geography, American Literature, Physics, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary certificate.

Friday forenoon, Theory and Practice; Orthography, English Literature, Chemistry.

Friday afternoon; School Law, Geology; Algebra, Civil Government.

Saturday forenoon, Geology; Botany.

Saturday afternoon; General History, Bookkeeping.

Respectfully submitted, CLYDE T. BONNEY, County School Supt.

### Antelope to Celebrate

There will be a big three days celebration at Antelope the 4th of July. Racing and many sporting events; \$300 in purses. Free camping grounds. Plan to be there for the big three day occasion.

### Pass Examination

The following Southern Wasco county young people successfully passed the eighth grade examinations submitted June 3 and 4:

Harold M. Johnson, Belle McMurry, Wamie, Paul DeCamp, Vera Canfield, Criterion; Victor V. Hartman, Harold Walters, Lloyd Smith, Leohard Weberg, Mary V. Boen, Agnes C. Walters, Zona McDonald, Wapinitia; Violet Miller, Daphene Dyer, Maupin.

### AGED CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. O. E. Davis passed away at her home on the Edwin Mays place at 11 o'clock Sunday evening. She was 84 years of age. She was born in Ohio in 1832 and came to Oregon in 1850. She was married to O. E. Davis, who with seven children, survive her. She was united in marriage with O. E. Davis, who with seven children, survive her.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our thanks to all friends who helped us so kindly during the sickness and death of our wife and mother O. E. DAVIS AND FAMILY.

### HEAR LECTURE BY NOTED ARTISAN

Dr. Eschenberg, supreme medical examiner for the United Artisans will be here to speak at the social to be given by the local order tonight. A large assemblage will be present to hear this noted speaker.

### Mrs. Dale Bonney and Miss Confer were enjoying oriental customs Sunday; when they were taken through town to and from the ball game in a carriage propelled by Dale Bonney, Ernest Couffer and two enthusiastic assistants.

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