

When they come a fishin'  
They come to Maupin on the  
minutes river.

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roads you can reach any  
place from Maupin.

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## SHATTUCK STORE MARK FOR YEGGS

### Youthful Burglar Hides In Store Loft—Admits He's There To Rob Place

### TAKEN TO COUNTY JAIL

#### Climbed To Roof and Forced En- trance Through Trap Door— Bates Shattuck Captures Yegg

The Shattuck store in Maupin seems to be indexed as an easy place to loot among that fraternity who are averse to any kind of labor which entails physical exertion beyond that of breaking in and looting the premises of others. Tuesday marked the third time the store has been entered for the purpose of burglary, but in that instance the burglar was caught before he had time to carry away any of the loot and penates of Shattuck Brothers.

About 5:30 that afternoon Oliver Reah heard a noise coming from the loft above the grocery and hardware sections. He mined to call the attention of Bates Shattuck to the matter when he returned from supper. Customers drew his attention and he forgot to mention that he suspected someone to be in hiding. Later, at 7:00 o'clock, to be exact, the noise was heard again by both Oliver and Bates. The latter climbed the ladder. When he reached the opening to the loft he again heard a noise and came down. Taking an automatic revolver and a flashlight he went to the loft. Flashing the light around he discovered a form hiding behind a skylight box. He called to the man to 'shove 'em up, and come out,' which the fellow hastened to do, exclaiming, "don't shoot, I'm unarmed." Bates then brought his prisoner to the warehouse floor, where Oliver and James Chalmers were waiting. There the fellow was searched, nothing but a package of cigarettes and a sheathed hunting knife being found on his person. The knife is supposed to have been taken from the sporting goods department of the store.

Upon interrogation the fellow gave his name as J. C. Hazen and his age as 19 years. He was turned over to Deputy Sheriff, Joe Kramer who, with Chalmers took Hazen to The Dalles and turned him over to the sheriff. As he came down the ladder Hazen relieved himself of this expression: "Well, the rat's caught." He said his intention was to loot the store as soon as it had been closed for the night.

#### Store Robbed Short Time Back

About three weeks ago the store was entered by someone unknown. At that time the night hawk helped himself to some canned goods and also took what money the till contained, about \$10.00. That fellow made his egress from the store by way of the back door, the fastening of which he forced.

#### Robbed Last September

The Shattuck store was the victim of robbers last September. At that time several pairs of ladies silk stockings and some suits of clothes were taken. How the robbers escaped from the store at that time is a mystery. All the doors were found locked when the establishment was opened in the morning and the only theory as to egress was that two iron bars in the basement window were sprung slightly apart.

It is surmised that Hazen is a member of a truck gang, who has been robbing stores in other parts of the state. In many instances they have backed a truck up to the rear of the places looted, loaded it with goods and made a secure get-away.

#### Orchestra Will Give Dance

The Broadway Novelty orchestra have decided to give a dance at the Tygh Valley Odd Fellows' hall on the evening of Friday, December 3, the hop taking place immediately after the High school play. The members of the organization greatly pleased Maupin dancers here last Friday night and they promise as equally good music at the coming Tygh dance.

## KEEP YOUR HOGS IN HEALTH

Department Of Agriculture gives  
Advice On Care Of Porkers

A majority of the infectious diseases affecting hogs may be avoided through sanitation, quarantine, and immunization. Pig, shots, and old hogs should not be allowed to feed from dusty or muddy ground. Suitable feeding floors or platforms, preferably of concrete, and troughs of some nonabsorbent material that can be cleaned, washed and disinfected frequently, are recommended. Some sort of automatic drinking fountain which does not overflow should be used. If the wallow holes are provided, it is advisable to make them of concrete, so that they may be cleaned and disinfected from time to time.

Frequent cleaning of pens, sheds, shelters, and hog lots, as well as troughs and feeding floors, is an important factor in disease prevention. It is imperative that the premises be disinfected following outbreaks of infectious diseases. In addition to thorough cleaning at stated intervals, a liberal amount of slater lime should be applied in pens, houses, and adjoining lots. When disease appears in the herd, lose no time in calling a veterinarian so that a correct diagnosis may be made and proper treatment administered.

#### Stage Line Changes Hands

The Dalles-Dufur-Maupin stage line has been taken over by B. C. Tabor of Portland and will be conducted by him hereafter. Mr. Tabor is an old Taxi man, having conducted the largest taxi line in Lewiston, Idaho, for several years. He has put on a fine stage auto and will run on regular schedule. Beginning on Monday next the stage will leave Maupin at 9:30 in the morning, returning will arrive here at 6:00 o'clock in the evening. The schedule of trips will be found in next week's issue of The Times.

## MENUS FOR THANKSGIVING

### Foods To Be Thankful For and Easy To Prepare

Here's a choice of menus for Thanksgiving dinner depending on the size of your family: Fruit cup, then roast stuffed turkey, candied sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, broiled fresh tomatoes, individual pumpkin tarts, with meringue on top, coffee with or after the meal. Grapefruit with candied cranberries in the center, baked stuffed chicken, rice, brussels sprouts or five-minute cabbage, grape jelly, cranberry ice, frosted cup cakes, cider. Have a salad after the main course instead of a fruit course first, if you prefer. You don't need both. Lettuce with Russian dressing is good.

#### Winter Desserts

Dried fruit shortcakes make good winter desserts. Prunes, figs, dates, raisins, apricots, and peaches may be used in this way. Stew the fruit, sweeten to taste, removing any pits, and add such special seasoning as spices or a few drops of lemon juice if you desire it. Spread the mashed fruit pulp on both layers of a biscuit foundation which has been split in half and well buttered. Cream, either plain or whipped is an acceptable addition to these shortcakes.

#### Basketball Team Organized

The basketball fans of Tygh Valley have organized a team and are now scheduling games for the winter. Willis Norval was chosen manager and Guy Brittain captain of the new team of basket shooter.

#### Billy There With Shovel

Billy Heckman is there when there is any shoveling to be done. He succeeded in getting all the snow removed from the Deschutes bridge before the rain came.

#### New Clerk at Wilson's

Charley Crofoot has at last found a job to his liking. He accepted a situation as clerk in the R. E. Wilson store and went to work Monday morning. Of course Charley will have to get used to grocery weights and will find them somewhat different than the weight of horseshoes, plow shears and drag teeth.

Coleman gas lamps, \$7.50, at the Maupin Drug Store.

## Thanks, Dellinger, For Those Fine Cranberries

J. S. Dellinger, publisher of the Morning Astorian, of Astoria, and an enthusiastic cranberry grower, has hit upon a unique way of advertising the product of his marshes. He remembered the newspaper men of this state by sending out neat packages of the fruit without which turkey is dry, and The Times family acknowledges such a remembrance. Accompanying the package was a story on cranberry culture, including the strides Oregon is making in that line of industry. The article follows:

The Dellmoor Cranberry company, the largest growers of cranberries in the northwest, are experimenting this year on selling direct to the customer, cutting out to a certain extent the middleman. Whether it can be worked out or not remains to be seen, but J. S. Dellinger, publisher of the Morning Astorian and owner of Dellmoor, is a firm believer in getting the products of the land to the consumer at as low a price as possible, thereby increasing consumption and hopes to work it out on this line.

Cranberries this year, on account of such a large surplus of other fruit, are selling at the lowest figure in 10 years, the price for a bushel of cranberries delivered from Dellmoor marsh to any place in Oregon or Washington is \$4. However, the industry is in fair shape. In fact, at present prices there is a profit left to the grower where the production is on a large scale.

The Dellmoor cranberry marshes, located in the northwest corner of

## Mysterious Blast at White River Electric Plant

A report reached Maupin Tuesday morning to the effect that the White River power plant had blown up. The Times man tried to get the facts but all he could find out about the occurrence was the following special from The Dalles to the Portland Oregonian:

The Dalles, Or., Nov. 22-(Special.)—The White River power plant 34 miles south of this city was wrecked by a mysterious explosion at 5 o'clock tonight, and The Dalles was plunged in darkness.

Thomas Coberth, plant superintendent, was in the building at the time, but managed to escape uninjured. He was unable to ascertain the cause of the explosion. The theory was that the blast was due to short circuit between here and Hood River suddenly throwing the entire load on the White river plant, one turbine of which already was out of commission. The Dalles gets power from the Hood River plant as well as the one at White river.

The explosion came in turbine No. 3 Mr. Coberth said. The force was so tremendous that the roof of the building was torn off. The whole plant was flooded. Damage will run into thousands of dollars. The plant is owned by the Pacific Power and Light company and is located near Tygh Valley.

There has been considerable trouble with short circuits the past few days since the snow began falling. A crew of trouble shooters was rushed down the highway to see if the short circuit could be located in the Hood River line.

We will have to ask the indulgence of our readers for delay in getting the paper to them in time, also for the errors they may find. Nothing is infallible, even our type setting machine went "haywire" just as we were about to make corrections.

#### Another Dance at Ramsey Hall.

Another Dance is scheduled to be held at the new Ramsey Grange hall next Saturday night. The fine Dufur orchestra will be on hand to furnish the inspiration, and, as usual, the Grange ladies will furnish the supper. All who attended the dance there last Saturday are loud in praise of the good time had and the excellence of the supper.

#### Wamic People Here

Calvin Bergengahen and Wm. Spurgeon, two prominent ranchers of the Wamic section were transacting business in Maupin Thursday last. Those men say they can do better by buying here than in any other place in this part of the country.

#### Double Birthday Party

Sunday was the 23rd anniversary of the birth of Mrs. Guy Brittain of Tygh Valley, and also marked the second milestone in the life of her little girl, and to fittingly celebrate event several friends were invited to partake of a birthday dinner at the Brittain home, among whom were Milo Wood and wife of this city.

#### Will Make Final Proof

In this week's issue of The Times we publish final proof notices of Fredrick M. Covey, of Shaniko, and Allen Kennedy of Maupin. John M. Conroy has also a notice to the effect that he will make purchase of a tract of land in Tygh Valley. Covey makes proof on December 29, Kennedy on the same day, while Conroy's notice calls for his presence at the land office on January 18.

#### Attended Ramsey Dance

Among those from here who took in the dance at Ramsey Grange hall last Saturday night, were Wm. and Jack Staats, Earl Greene, Ralph Hammer, Edw. Semmes and the Misses Regina Muller, Ailene Greene Bessie Starr, Clayre Semmes, Doris Bonney.

#### Figs For Portland Market.

L. C. Henneghan went to Portland Saturday night, taking two carloads of fat porkers to market. The Henneghan ranch is noted for the excellence of its hogs, and during the year ships many to the Portland and Seattle stockyards.

## HARTWIG BUYS AT BEND

The Dalles Florist Acquires Two  
Fine Greenhouses

Carl Hartwig, who has been conducting a florist shop at The Dalles for the past few years, will leave that city the first of next week for Bend. Mr. Hartwig has acquired two greenhouses in the southern Deschutes city, these having a covering of 3,000 square feet of glass. Already there are growing therein a fine line of flowers and set vegetables. Mr. Hartwig has also acquired a down-town store, and this he will improve in many ways. He is an expert florist, and with the assistance of his wife, will soon be in a position to advertise himself as the leading florist of Eastern Oregon.

#### Coughing Nails.

(By the Editor)  
There's a feeling of pleasant calmness  
When I sit me down to rest,  
And I reach into the package that  
reposes in my vest,  
For the little round white pellet  
That makes of life a bet,  
And starts me off a coughing—  
The Camel cigarette.

#### Docherty-Powers Sale.

We call attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Docherty Powers Furniture company in this issue of The Times. That firm is the leading one in The Dalles dealing in furniture and the message it sends to our people is worth considering. The prices at which the goods offered are sold are within the retask of all, and, if credit is desired, it may be had without the attachment of interest. Read their ads in this paper.

#### Ran Into Blizzard.

While coming home from Corvallis Sunday afternoon Dr. Stovall and wife ran into a regular old-fashioned blizzard at Crown Point. The doctor says that all wires were so heavily coated with ice that they were torn loose from the poles. Crews of linemen were at work making repairs, but were having hard work to accomplish much.

#### Sold Radio At Corvallis.

Dr. Stovall's business is not confined to Maupin alone. While at Corvallis last week Mr. Stovall disposed of a fine Newsonic radio, which will be shipped to the purchaser from the main house at Tacoma.

#### Christmas Window.

Bob Wilson showed his versatility as a window dresser the first of the week by trimming one of the show windows at his store with a varied display of holiday things. The display shows up like a skyscraper in a small town and attracts much attention.

#### Improving Residence.

Mrs. Dick Johnson is having extensive improvements made to the ranch residence of the Johnson family, chief of which will be a new kitchen. A concrete basement will be placed under the structure, the roof of the main part raised and room made for sleeping quarters, and the whole house completely made over. Job Crabtree is doing the work.

#### School Play At Tygh

Don't forget the High school play, "The Arrival of Kitty," to be given by the students of the Tygh Valley school at Odd Fellows' hall next Friday evening. The cast has been faithfully rehearsed and the play itself, being a real comedy, carries a laugh in every corner. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

#### Mrs. Lewis Walters Dies.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Lewis Walters, which occurred at The Dalles that morning. Death came at a little before 12:00 o'clock, and ended a long spell of suffering. It is said the funeral will take place tomorrow at Wapinitia, the services taking place at the U. B. church at that place. We will publish the obituary of Mrs. Walters in next week's issue of The Times.

#### Reversal of Form

An Irish chiropodist announces that he has "removed corns from all the crowned heads of Europe."

## THE DALLES AFTER NORMAL SCHOOL

### Our County Seat's In Front Rank of Aspirants For the New Institution

### LOCATION LOGICAL ONE

#### Chamber of Commerce and Citizens Generally Awake and Working To Secure The School

Whenever anything of more passing notice is offered Oregon The Dalles is always first and foremost in striving to secure that enterprise. And by this same token whenever anything is offered a city of Oregon The Dalles is always after whatever it is. In this case Wasco's county-seat is making a strong bid for the new normal school, which must be located in some Eastern Oregon city, according to the dictates of a majority of the voters at the last election.

The chamber of commerce of The Dalles, as well as all influential residents of that city, are working hard to secure the location of the new school at that place. Committees have rounded up a mass of facts and figures all tending to enhance the favorable consideration of the Normal Board of Regents of the state. The committees have received the indorsement of men of influence in various parts of Eastern Oregon, and many of them have pledged their unqualified support of The Dalles' demand for the school. Figures already gathered place The Dalles in the front rank of eastern Oregon cities available. The normal should be primarily a state institution, not a sectional one, and its object is to relieve the congestion at Monmouth, and at the same time make available normal facilities for all of Eastern Oregon. Approximately 46 per cent of the enrollment at Monmouth comes from Multnomah county, and a school in The Dalles would draw equally with Monmouth from Multnomah, Columbia, and Clatsop counties, as well as being easily reached from other valley counties. The railroad fare from Portland to The Dalles is only a few more cents than from Portland to Monmouth.

Undoubtedly this condition with regard to the valley points will be one of the main factors in locating the school, and it is also certain that The Dalles location with regard to other Eastern Oregon cities must be given consideration. No other city of training and housing accommodations is as well located. This city is conveniently reached from all parts of the state east of the mountains, and with the extreme southern section of the state taken care of by the Normal at Ashland, from the standpoint of transportation and accessibility, The Dalles is Eastern Oregon's hub city.

Now that Maupin people, by their silence have signified no intention to make a try for the tuberculosis hospital, we might get together and do a little boosting for the biggest city in the county. We all know that The Dalles is the logical place for the normal school, so why not show a little friendly spirit and our indorsement to the others who have gone down the line for the school at The Dalles?

#### Rebekahs To Give Card Party

Wapinitia Rebekah Lodge No. 194 will give another of their enjoyable card parties at the Odd Fellows hall on the evening of Friday, December 3. Prizes will be given and supper will be served. The game to be played will be "500." All devotees of cards and their friends are invited to attend.

#### Big Newcomer

Virgil Mayfield and wife are the proud parents of a husky baby boy, who arrived at their home Tuesday morning on an early train. The newcomer tipped the beam at a little over 10 pounds and seems to be pleased with his quarters. Both mother and son are coming along in fine shape.