

"This morning as I opened my eyes,, gigantic gray shadows loomed through the fog. I knew that those shadows were pine trees and beyond the trees was the lake, and across the lake, the sleeping town. I knew, because I had seen it all so many times. And I wondered if the eternal fog that mystifies us were

The Crandall Undertaking Co.

The Dalles, Oregon

"Link" Harphan is in town from At that we believe he is right. -×---

none large enough to salvage.

The live merchant is the one that issue of The Times and spend yor

ger, W. H. Staats, Vice-president G. W. Vanderpool instructor, and A.

A. Crabtree is very happy over having 40 feet of water in a well drilled 379 feet. An engine and pump is on the way and will be installed upon arrival.

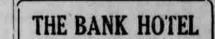
Wapinitia is coming to the front. Mr. Appling has purchased the Geo. Heitz building and expects to put in a 15 cent store in the near future.

Judging from the rehearsals and preparations going on those interested intend that Christmas shall be fittingly celebrated by our people.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tunison of Wapinitia last Notice is hereby given that the Tuesday morning. Mrs. Tunison is County Superintendent of Wasco staying with her mother, Mrs. W. O.

> A marriage license was issued at The Dalles ysterday permitting the union of Percy B. Driver and Miss Neva E. Harvey, both of Wamic.

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Sunday with friendsat The Dalles.

Cecil Woodcosck and his mother, Mrs. Maggie Woodcock, enjoyed a visit with old friendsat Wamic last fine stock of Christmas candies and Sunday.

-0-Sunday and spent the day visiting where. wit hhis mother.

Mrs. C. F. Butler, who had been visiting her son, F. C. Butler, at Maupin a few weeks, departed for her home at Corvallis last Thursday. shale lands on the John Day, was in

-0-Elmer Hornquist was a passenger on Manday's stage, going to The Dalles and from there to Barlow to be with his folks at the Christmas time.

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Link Harpham was in town a few days last week, spending the time exchanging reminiscences with old friends. He went to The Dalles on Monday.

-0-J. M. Conklin came up Monday remaining over until Tuesday, being engaged in looking over the affairs of the Maupin State Bank, of which institution he is president.

EAST MAUPIN NEWS

Andy Mann has returned from a visit with friends at Portland. -0-

Mrs. Phil Mott is spending this week end with her daughte, Mrs. F. Brown.

Mrs. E. A. Caton is busy this week feeding train crews and sheep herders.

-0-L. D. Kelly returned home Mon- for the coming term : day, after spending a week on business at The Dalles.

Jim Mace, sheepherder, joined the other bachelors at the intel Kelly last Tuesday.

Elmer Hornquist left Monday a.

days.

visited with East Maupin friends.

-0-Mrs. Verne Fischer has laid in a

his injury. goodies of all kinds. As she has no overhead to meet is enabled to sell

Leonard Farlow drove his rejuve- such goods on a very close margin. nated Star car to The Dalles last See her stock before buying else-

Will Drill For Oil

Hugh McGreer, representing the people interested in the Clarno oil among the young folks of his city,

Maupin Tuesday. Mr. McGreer had samples of the shale with him and they elicited quite a little curiosity on the part of our people. The shale has the appearance of oil residu, being black in color with a showing of brightness, which indicates a parafine base. The substance burns readily and emits an odor resembling that of crude oil. Mr. McGreer says that all but \$5,000 of the amount required before being granted permission to form a company, has been subscribed. It is the intention, as soon as possible, to erect a standard rig and proceed to ex- Among them are R. E. Wilson, Dr. plore the interior of mother earth Lawrence Stovall, F. C. Butler and at Clarno. The drillers will go the Maupin State Bank. Those men down to a depth from 1,200 to 2,000 realize that the Christmas time is feet as a test. Geologists have ex- a time when people are wont to spend amined the district and they have money and that they are after that each expressed the opinion that oil trade and not averse to letting buyexists there. If the oil is found it rs know what they have for their means another industry for southern consideration. They are telling the Wasco county.

New Legion Officers

The local American Legion post held an election of officers at its last meeting, the following being chosen to administer the a fairs of the post

Commander-Cecil' Woodcock. Adjutant-Don Miller. Chaplain-George Morris. Secretary-Ernest Confer. Executive Committee-Raymond Crabtree, Dolph May new.

m. for Portland, where he will be installed tomorrow '(Friday) night. ed to 98 cents;" "This > for 59 with his home folks during the holi- The local post is m sking great head- cents;" "Marked at 45 wats from way and the new officers are en- \$7.00," ctc. thusiastic members and will do their

three weeks. Mac is cheerful and is in running order the wood men looks to be in good health, barring will be put out of business-every-

Lewis Is Popular

While at The Dalles Monday the editor of The Times had a short visit with Lewis Derthick. employed at the county seat town by the Central drug store. Lewis says he likes his employment and the city. He appears to be a popular young man the best people at social functions.

Free Christmas Trees

Manager Renick of the Tum-A-Lum Lumber company will give away Christmas trees to all who call at the yard for them, from now until Saturday. The trees come in all sizes and are nicely trimmed and are shapely.

Some Believe In Advertising

There are some business men in Maupin who believe in the efficacy of well written and well printed advertisements, run in the local paper. buying public what they have as Christmas gifts in this issue of The Maupin Times. Read their ads, then you will know just where to go when you are in town for your holiday shopping.

o PICKED UP ABOUT TOWN o

Bates Shattuck could not get reduced prices out of his mind during his advertising for the firemen's ball. Many of the dance hangers bore marks sch as "Special Reduc-

Henry Richardson returned to best to put their 1 post on a par with There is strength in that fertili-

one will be using electric energy for organized last Saturday night with

From The Times, Dec. 17, 1915 The Maupin Brass band was re-

all llighting and domestic purposes. Dr. Hatfield as president and mana-

The one place in The Dalles to make the rancher and out-of town fellow feel at home.

Hampton Furniture Company Broadcasting a Stirring **Pre-Inventory** and Holiday Sale

Starting Thurs. Pec. 169 a.m.

We are going to conduct a sale greater in scope than any attempted before. It will be so startling and sensational in both value and price cutting that no person can afford to pass this up. Buy their wants for present and future use, and get your Christmas gifts for less. Each day we will spring new surprises, so be here as often as you can. It will pay you.

ALL TOYS AT SALE PRICES

Large Assortment of Fancy Gifts at Reduced Prices



Idaho the first of the week after a other Legion posts of the Northwest. zer Richmond & Son are grinding.

Vice-Commander- John Morrow.

The newly elected, officers will be