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The Dalles Optimist is engaged in showing up a circle of wouldbe "Get Rich Quick Wallingfords," who fostered a scheme whereby people of this section would put the promoters in a lucrative business and those subscribing be left holding the sack. The Optimist took the matter to the public with the result that the underhanded methods of the promoters of the scheme were shown up in a manner not to their liking, but one which opened the eyes of intended investors in a business that lacked anything but stability.

John G. Heimrich, the man who owns the Great Southern railway and who has a contract with the government to log off a considerable amount of timber near Friend, says he discovered the men who sought to interest people at The Dalles in a wild-cat scheme, were of questionable honesty. Our advice to John is that if he does not wish to become defiled he should keep his hands away from pitch.

A driver for the Corvallis Creamery company was fined \$100 in justice court last week. He forced a deputy sheriff off the road at the point where Harold Gabel was killed, nearly injuring the officer. Justice Merridith says the next infraction of the speed laws will receive a taste of jail, as there are too many of that ilk appearing before him, and that a little stay in jail might prove a lesson in careful driving.

"Bill" Borah's shoulders are broad, and well they should be. His own state wants him for president and while many farmer organizations are lauding him for his interest in their behalf there are others

who are calling him an obstructionist. Borah is big enough and broad enough to bear up under any and all criticisms.

The school authorities of Shaniko and Antelope believe in going the full distance when it comes to athletics. The latest on the boards there is an amateur boxing exhibition, to be staged on Saturday, December 3, with contestants from each school taking part.

A woman named Lillian Dubb is suing her husband for divorce in the Portland courts, after a married existence of 24 years. She claims desertion and bases her complaint thereon. Seems as though her husband made a dubb shot when he entered the married state.

Truly presidential candidates should be men who will stand as a rock against disintegrating influences which threaten to undermine constitutional rights and privileges.

The Medford preacher who paid a fine of \$100 for driving while drunk evidently was filled with something else than Christian spirit at the time the law violation occurred.

MAUPIN SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Basketball Practice Now on Tap—Attendance Percentages

Madras has asked to exchange a pair of pre-season basketball games with us the next two Friday evenings. Coach G. S. Davies intends to do some intensive practice in the next few weeks.

At the regular monthly meeting of the M. H. S. A. S. it was voted to purchase eight new basketball suits and a new basketball.

Madras has a girls basketball team ready for conquest.

New English texts for the study of standard poetic literature arrived Tuesday. Students seem much pleased with the variety of selections in it.

Someone presented Mr. Nagel with a subscription to The United States Daily, published in Washington, D. C. It gives facts concerning actual workings of the government—no opinions being presented. He has made the paper accessible to students, some of whom are reading

carefully upon these lines.

The school has paid its dollar and is now a member of the Debating League. The question for this section is, Resolved: "That the State of Oregon control and operate hydro-electric power of the state." Several students are enrolled for a tryout.

Miss Tillotson has selected a play, but is having trouble obtaining sufficient copies. It will be the first appearance of the players, as the cast selected are all novices.

How we have missed Job Crabtree all this week. "Not a sound was heard"

Our editorial writer was ill last week and absent from school this week. We are going to continue this feature if we must take out illness insurance to get it done. If you have not been reading the articles you are the loser.

The motor power on the Criterion bus went wrong Monday and even though we had done our part to get them home, some of the pupils arrived there late. But it has given wonderful service bringing pupils eighteen miles to school daily.

There has been a desire on the part of High school pupils to get their outside reading done early this year. The matter would be solved easily were not the purpose to acquire a taste for, and a habit of reading more worthwhile and heavier literature. It is a pull up stream for most young people. Just as diamonds are scarce and hard to find, so are the diamonds of literature—it takes effort.

Miss Madge Shearer and her cousin, Miss Wray, accompanied Fred Shearer on his way to O. A. C. Madge entertained and enlightened her classmates of English III, Wednesday with what she saw at the college.

The last school report, November, 25, contained the following facts:

First Primary, Miss Dorothy Harris, teacher, had 10 pupils neither absent nor tardy and per cent of attendance 95.0.

Second Primary, Mrs. Maud Joynt, teacher, had 10 members of the class neither absent nor tardy and per cent of attendance 96.4.

Intermediate, Mrs. Lucille Cattel, teacher, 12 of class neither absent nor tardy 12, and per cent of attendance 98.3.

Grammar, Mr. G. S. Davies, teacher, 11 neither absent nor tardy and attendance 98.2 per cent.

High school, 27 neither absent nor tardy and per cent of attendance 98.0.

Due to a typographical error the date for closing for Christmas holidays in the last issue read December 22 and should have read December 23.

Mr. Gronewald met with a group of volunteer club leaders for various projects last Monday. They organized to promote these activities and elected Mrs. Stovall as president. The promoters will meet with students and pupils on Friday afternoon of this week.

Rex Stuart celebrated his fourteenth anniversary this week and among other things ate of a large and delicious birthday cake. We acknowledge sampling it. This leaves Mabel Weberg and Alice Davis still in the thirteen group.

Regular Butcher Now.

Oliver Resh may hereafter be classed with regular butchers. Monday, while cutting a piece of meat, he made a slip and now is wearing his left thumb in a bandage. The knife slipped, almost severing the end of the digit.

Business Suspended.

Business at Rufur was practically suspended today, all there attending the funeral of the late Frank Ingles, who died suddenly the first of the week.

Too Much Wheat In Sight

The wheat market is somewhat unsteady and prices are held down by statistical information. It is stated that the United States and Canada have 453,000,000 bushels to spare and that in 36 countries there is an increase of 115,000,000 bushels over last year's production. Australia is short about 50,000,000 bushels, but Argentina has a normal crop.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of The Interior
U. S. Land Office at The Dalles,
Oregon November 22, 1927.
Notice is hereby given that
Arthur W. Schilling,
of Grass Valley, Oregon, who, on November 1, 1924, made Homestead entry, act Dec. 29, 1916, No. 023-553, for E 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 29, Lots 2, 3, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, E 1/2 SW 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 30, E 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, N 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 32, T. 4 S., R. 16, E., Willamette Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register of the United States Land Office, at The Dalles, Oregon, on the 11th day of January, 1928.
Claimant names as witnesses: John Karlen, John Joyce, of Maupin, Oregon, William Holmes, Michael Bibby of Grass Valley, Oregon. D1-29 W. A. Wilkinson, Act. Reg.

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