

Personalities

Tony Connolly made a business trip to The Dalles on Monday. F. M. Driver and wife were in Maupin from Wamic on Monday. C. A. Daug and wife were down from their Criterion home Tuesday. A. A. Brittain was down from the ranch Monday morning on business. Ed. Mathews and wife were over from their Tygh Valley home Monday. Ernest Troutman returned from a four-days visit at Portland Monday evening. Verne Fischer, mother and little daughter, were at The Dalles last Friday on business. Paul Light, teacher in the Tygh Valley schools, visited with friends in Maupin last Sunday. A. S. Leighton visited with his father at The Dalles from Saturday until Sunday night last. Uncle Ike Driver from Wamic was transacting business with Maupin merchants on Monday. John McCorkle and wife took time out from spring work and came to town on business Tuesday. Ivan Scheer was in town Monday morning, he having to have some work done on the road grader. Peter Kirsch and wife were customers of local merchants Tuesday, coming down from the Criterion hill. Andy Mann has returned from his winter's sojourn at Portland and is again at his old job at Billy Hunt's. George Miller was in Maupin a short time Monday, coming over from Tygh after some repairs for a drill. John O'Dell, insurance agent from Portland, was writing up prospects here and at Wamic the first of the week.

Oscar Renick and Laverne Fischer spent a few minutes at Madras Tuesday, going there in Renick's auto. Joe Kramer went to Portland on Wednesday morning's train and came back today with a new Tudor Ford sedan. James Mitchell, wife and children were guests at the Seethoff home on Sunday last, coming down from Metolious. Mrs. Jesse Johnson of Klamath Falls, is visiting at the home of her uncle, Roy Crabtree. She came in Tuesday. Oliver Reah and wife left this morning for Portland, where they will enjoy themselves sightseeing until Sunday. Charley Lake was over from Wamic Tuesday, having had to consult Dr. Elwood relative to examination for insurance. Simon Hix and wife of Kingsley were guests at the home of the lady's brother, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Fraley, Sunday. Dr. G. A. Clarke, optician of Portland, called on patients in Maupin on Monday, going from here to Kent and Grass Valley. Dr. Stovall and wife were at the Ray Kaylor ranch Tuesday, the doctor having been called there on professional business. C. E. Tunison visited the county seat Monday. He is at his son, Verne's ranch, having left the section at Two Springs. Mrs. Dr. Stovall has been under the weather several days this week, she having a severe cold accentuated by a very sore throat. Miss Winifred Kaiser is home from the University of Oregon, this week being vacation week at that institution of learning. Theodore Radtke returned from a trip to Mollala Monday evening. He left with his family of boys for that place later in the week. G. W. Wilson, the painter, was

over from his Smock ranch Tuesday and succeeded in landing several painting jobs while in Maupin. Claude Wilson was down from Bakeoven Monday, being the first time he has visited Maupin for several days, having been laid up with the flu. Sam Bennett, well-known old-timer of this section, rode in on his faithful cayuse Tuesday morning and visited with old friends a day or so. J. M. Miller, of the Wilson Painting Company, arrived from Silverton Monday evening and will spend the summer here working at his trade. Wallace Fargher was down from the ranch Monday and when he returned home was taken thereto by Chev. truck purchased that day from the Richmonds. Al. Gillis came to town Tuesday, Al, as secretary of the fair board, is making arrangements for a bigger and better fair than ever, which task keeps him on his toes at all times. Verne Fischer made a flying trip to Madras on Tuesday. Billy Hunt, Jr., was in East Maupin a short time Tuesday evening. George Richardson is now employed at Connolly's, he having quit the O. W. section. Marion Lister was down from the Raymond Crabtree ranch a few hours Tuesday evening. "Buster" Miller came over from Mikkalo Tuesday evening and spent a few days with friends here. Bob Fortune came up from The Dalles Tuesday evening and made a return trip to that city Wednesday morning. Frank Lister has gone to Fargher's at last, he having trekked up the hill Sunday and will remain there thru lambing. Andy Mann's pleasant smile is seen in East Maupin again, he hav-

ing come up from Portland, where he spent the winter. He will go to work at Hunt's again for the season. WILL FIGHT CO-OPERATING MARKET OF FARMERS Middle Men of Country Seek to Continue Bilking Ranchers—Stick and Win Out State Market Agent Seymour Jones sends out the following regarding an effort under way to defeat the farmers' co-operative marketing plan. Much money to be spent to enable middle men to continue gouging growers and to curtail their efforts. Mr. Jones' story follows: "A very powerful organization has been formed for the purpose of fighting co-operative marketing activity. The organization has been named the Federal Agricultural Traders of America, and embraces the various combinations that are handling products as middle-men, price fixers and profit takers in all lines, and also includes banking and manufacturing institutions. This new federation claims that co-operative marketing by the agricultural classes means a heavy loss to its members and is wrong from an economic standpoint, and that it would be profitable to spend a million dollars now to combat the advance of the co-operative principle. This effort of the market-controlling agencies to keep agricultural producers from securing profits to themselves will probably arouse the farmers to still greater efforts for organization and the fight will be a bitter one. The farmers can win if they stick together." Picking Rock Off Grade—The county has a crew of men at work this week picking loose rock from the Bakeoven grade. Just what the idea is we have not learned, but it appears to us that that work is unnecessary in view of the fact that those stones have been lying in their bed for a number of years and ranchers living up that way become so well acquainted with each individual one that they unconsciously steer out from them when going up or coming down the grade. Went After Smelt—Jes. Temple, Phil Starr, Gordon Metteer and Emery Davis went to Troutdale early Sunday morning and spent part of Sunday catching smelt. They succeeded in landing about 100 pounds of the little fish. Temple says the smelt run is about over, also that there were a number of fishermen on the Sandy while he was netting the stream. Walkeo tablets for White diarrhea, roup and chicken cholera, 50 cents per box at the Maupin Drug Store.

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for the office of county commissioner to succeed himself. There can not be found a better man for the job than our worthy townsman and if he files for the office there will be none to oppose him.

ELEVEN YEARS AGO (From The Times March 23, 1917) Shattuck Bros. have received four new Studebaker cars, they having been driven out from The Dalles yesterday, Bates Shattuck, Van Moad Art Fargher and Jim Harpham directing them to Maupin.

Those who saw J. A. Lake about town in a crippled condition Saturday may be assured that he met with no accident—he was only admitted to the Elks lodge at The Dalles the night before. Grandma Heitz, a former resident of Wapinitia, now living at Tacoma, was operated on there recently for cataract of both eyes. The operation was successful, and the old lady is now able to see after a blindness of three years.

The schools of Pine Grove and Oak Grove closed for the year last Friday, the former holding fine closing exercises. The teacher of the Oak Grove school has gone to his home at Yamhill.

F. S. Fleming is erecting a modern building on the W. A. Davis place, which he recently purchased.

"Dad" Coale says other pet buyers have offered him \$5.00 if he will cease advertising in The Times.

A party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mayhew, who will soon move to their Juniper Flat ranch, Sunday evening. The guests brought lunch goods and the evening was given over to cards, music and dancing.

Pick Ups About Town

Spring is surely here, as is indicated by the fact that Marcus Shearer has begun the foundation of a garden. He has rented the lot between Lou Wilhelm's residence and the Home Hotel and says he will have one of the best gardens in Maupin this season. And he will, for his wife will put it in and take care of it.

The following is the wording of a check, supposed to have been issued by a bank in Los Angeles. Evidently the management of the financial institution is not well versed in real English, as the wording of the check favors rather strongly of Yidish as it is anglicized. Here it is:

CHECK No. 192 Los Angeles, California WESTERN WIT MALROSE BRENCH COMMISHAL NESHNAL TROST wit SAVING BENK Lotta Soiplus, wit Capital, wit Uiso E. Pluribus Union—Eef You Don't Mind Dirr Mrester Commishal Eef it Haint Hasking Too Moch PLIZ GIVE TO Such a Bendit DOLLARS? And not a penny more—Positivel! Whom-so-Ever Gonna Be Caught Temperink wit dis Hurr Check— Like Anytink Will Gonna Be Chestized Nuttice—Doo't Be Mised—De SEMUAL FSHBAUM

People hereabouts are wondering whether or not Lew Kelly will run

"Applesauce"

Served in Three Courses at THE LEWIS HALL Saturday, March 31 at 8:00 o'clock in the evening BY STUDENTS OF THE Wapinitia Hi School

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