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LEGION SMOKER SET FOR SATURDAY, NEXT WEEK

Dancing Will Follow Bouts—Local Battlers Will Strut Staff and Show Mettle

The annual smoker sponsored by the local American Legion post has been dated for the evening of Saturday, December 8. To date four bouts have been scheduled and the participants therein number some of the most promising boxers of this part of the state. The main event will be a tilt featuring Cowboy Baxtor of Bend and Battling Ray New of Tygh Valley. This bout will go six rounds.

Jim Hollman of Bakeoven and Elton Snodgrass of Maupin will indulge in four rounds of fast work. These boys are willing mixers and will provide entertainment for the throng present.

Two of the best scrappers in this neck of the woods, Woodside of Wapinitia and Elmer Conley of Tygh Valley have signed to box four rounds. Both boys have appeared in smokers before and each has given a good account of himself. It is needless to say their bout will be one of the best of the evening.

"Stub" Lister, who is about to graduate out of the amateur class, and Albert Hachler, the hard hitting lad from Wapinitia Plains, are down for another four-round bout. Both have given promise of developing into something other than novices, both have appeared in the ring on several occasions and when they face each other in the ring, at the coming smoker the onlookers may expect something out of the ordinary in the ring.

Nick Holman and Jim Kinker will mix for four rounds, as will Ray Stacy and Cecil Mott as a certain raiser.

Immediately after the boxing the floor will be cleared and those who care may indulge in dancing.

Prices for the smoker have been placed at \$1.00 for ringside seats, 75 cents for reserved seats, while the general admission will be 50 cents.

DALLE'S BROKER KILLS SELF

O. K. Porter Takes Own Life Tuesday Evening

O. K. Porter a Dalles real estate broker, took his own life by shooting Tuesday evening, the fatality occurring at his own residence. He had been a resident of The Dalles many years, was married and the father of two children. Despondency caused by business troubles and family dissension is said to have been the cause of suicide. His wife and two daughters, Heler, 13; and Jean, 11, survive, as do his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Porter, who conduct a service station at the mouth of the John Day river.

Mrs. Porter is a cousin by marriage of Mrs. Arthur Croighton of Maupin.

J. S. PHIPPS NEW CO. JUDGE

Dalles Attorney Appointed by Governor Patterson

Wasco county has a new judge in the person of a Dalles attorney, J. S. Phipps, who received the plum at the hands of Governor Patterson on Monday. The name of Ray Kelly and that of Mr. Oberlin evidently were not considered by the governor, as he chose the attorney against the others.

Just when the new judge is we do not know, but he is favorably spoken of by The Dalles people and they seem to think he will make an acceptable county judge. Having a knowledge of law he will be in a position to pass upon mooted points in the county court, thereby lessening the manifold duties devolving upon the district attorney.

Come In From Baker

Laco DeCamp and family arrived from Portland Sunday afternoon. Laco has been at work on state highways in the vicinity of Baker City all summer and on the way here stopped at Portland to see his little daughter, who had been in a hospital there or some time.

GOV. PATTERSON SPEAKS FOR CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE

Sale Begins Today Under Direction Oregon Tuberculosis Assn.—Sales Directors

The following letter from Governor Isaac I. Patterson was received recently at the Portland office of the Oregon Tuberculosis Association and released today in connection with the opening of the 21st annual sale of Christmas health seals:

"I am glad to comment to the people of Oregon the annual Christmas seal sale by which the Oregon Tuberculosis Association finances its program of health work.

"I hope you will this year, as you have done in the past, meet with a generous response which will enable you, not only to carry on, but to widen the scope of your work which is such a great value to our state.

Very truly yours,

I. L. PATTERSON, Governor.

Preparations for the sale of seals are complete today in every community in Oregon. More than half of the counties in the state have public health associations which are affiliated with the Oregon Tuberculosis Association, and which carry on year-around programs of health education, nursing service, and other activities for building good health and preventing tuberculosis.

In this county the Christmas health seals are to be sold under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Fagan, The Dalles.

BOUGHT TWO NEW FORD CARS

Joe Kestner and Lester Crabtree Get Late Automobiles

Joe Kramer and Louie Mayhew came in from Portland Wednesday evening, each driving a new Ford automobile. They consisted of a former seaman and a business coupe, the former going to Joe Kestner and the coupe being delivered to Lester Crabtree. Joe returned to Portland tonight and will try and bring back two more new Fords, each ordered by a Maupin man.

TEACHERS ON VISITING TRIPS

Maupin Pedagogues Go to Various Places for Holiday

Nearly all of the Maupin teachers enjoyed the Thanksgiving vacation either at their homes or in other cities. Principals A. W. DeVoe and Mrs. J. Joynt and Miss Harris. Teacher Davies also spent his vacation at the parental home in the big town, while Dan Poling continued on to Corvallis, his parents' home. It is expected all will return to Maupin on Saturday.

Carnival Promises Big

The carnival at Tygh Valley gymnasium on this week Saturday promises to be the biggest entertainment yet attempted by the students of the Tygh schools. The members of the domestic economy class are exerting themselves to provide a line of eats that will surprise, while the High school orchestra is rehearsing some new music for the occasion.

Cranberries and Goose

J. S. Dellinger, publisher of the Morning Astorian, aside from getting out a first class newspaper, operates a cranberry marsh. That marsh produces a superior quality of cranberries, and that fact was brought to our attention last week by the arrival of a neat carton containing a quantity of the largest and most tasty cranberries it has been our luck to eat. Thanks, Brother Dellinger, and may your bog never lack water nor your paper its wealth of real news.

Living Living Rooms

Nick Karolus and Jack Berthala have been busy this week lining their residence living rooms with plaster board. Both men are amateur carpenters and have done a first class job in making the rooms attractive in appearance and more comfortable from a weather standpoint.

Feeding Many People

Not only is every cabin at the Maupin camp ground occupied, but Johnny Williams and wife are feeding a large number of people daily. The crew working on the new bridge is responsible for this, as each member thereof desires to be as close to his work as possible, therefore boards close by.

MAUPIN HI TIMES

With the approach of the basketball season comes the learning of technical parts of the game. They are one-hand dribbling, pivoting, and passing. That is what Maupin Hi is now doing evenings from seven until eight-thirty o'clock. Wednesday night was the first practice of the season. Those turning out for practice are Andrek and Richard Crabtree, Estel Stovall, Elton and Kenneth Snodgrass, Ira Kidder, Glenn Alexander and Tom Slusher. The Student Body has purchased a new basketball for the season.

Due to the minstrel show being put on just before Christmas, the girls have been delayed somewhat in their basketball practice. However, they have plenty of the true school spirit and will double into the work when they start.

School Magazines

Several magazines have been bought by the school board for the different grades. St. Nicholas and Child Life were bought for the lower grades, The American Boy for the Seventh and Eighth grades. The Scientific American, The New Republic and Time will go to the High school. The magazines are well suited to the different interests.

School Holiday

There will be no school Thanksgiving Day nor the day following. Most of the faculty plan on leaving Maupin for the week end.

New Editor

Kenneth Snodgrass has been selected as the editor of the Maupin Hi Times for the coming six weeks. The work of the past editor, Avis Crabtree, will be continued.

An improvement has been made in the school paper. The work has been divided into four divisions with special editors at the head of each division. Those in charge at the present time are Lelah Weberg, Arline Linn, Richard Crabtree and Merle Snodgrass.

A Collection of Rocks and Minerals

Our General Science class has the University of Oregon to thank for the samples of different kinds of rock we are studying. Many of them are ore-bearing. Among the collection are limestone, sandstones, agates, and numerous others beautiful and interesting. Perhaps the most interesting fact about this collection is that we can look at the rocks themselves and learn where they are usually found, what they are made of, and how they were formed. Some of us recognized several of the rocks as those found here, such as sandstone or agates. Several of them we had found or had seen in place, but the literature that accompanied them told us all of the details. The class are: pertified members of potato, and a polished agate.

Assembly Meeting

the regular Student Body meeting was called to order by the presence of Clarence Hunt for the purpose of paying several bills which are: Northwestern Furniture Co., \$14. Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co., \$4.00

Season Closes Tomorrow

Reel up that fish line, oil up the reel, disjoint the rod and varnish and wrap it and put reel and other fishing tackle in cold storage until the 15th of next April.

What's In Warehouse

Manager Doty of the Hunts Ferry ware house reports better than 20,000 bushels of wheat now in storage at that house. He shipped a carload to Portland on Monday, but expects that a majority portion will remain in storage until spring.

Visited in Portland

Mrs. Virginia Mayhew visited with friends in Portland part of last week and this. On her way down she stopped in The Dalles today for a visit and then proceeded to the big city.

Christmas Gift Display

Christmas gifts will be placed on display this week. Make your selections early. A large assortment at the Maupin Drug Store.

The Maupin Times \$6.00

After the meeting the regular singing was taken up. A number of the songs for the minstrel show were practiced. If the other numbers prove as peppy as this one the minstrel show will be a "wow." The end men, Elton, Arthur, Bo, and Harry all seem well pleased with their parts. The important part of the show has been given to Andrew Crabtree, interlocutor. Some additional numbers have been offered by the students. Watch for the date.

A Trip to See the New Bridge

(By Tom Slusher)

Monday afternoon Mr. DeVoe took the enterprising manual training class to the bridge, which is being constructed across the Deschutes. They went for the purpose of seeing how cement was tested and the amount allowed or expansion and contraction of the spans. We saw the 2,400-pound pile driver, used to drive the piles in the bottom of the river; a thirty horse-power engine runs the concrete mixer. They mix one part cement, two and one-half parts sand and five parts gravel to form the cement. The mixture is then put in the forms, and allowed to harden. When the forms are removed, they are doing this on the east end of the bridge it will leave a substantial foundation. When the bridge is finished it will be about fifty feet high and eight hundred feet long.

Volley Ball

Arthur Appling, assisted by Glenn Alexander and Clarence Hunt, have finished putting up a volley ball net for the grade school. The ground was hard but the boys succeeded in putting the posts down our feet. They also cleared the ground of rocks and sagebrush.

Grade Notes

The Seventh and Eighth grades are preparing four numbers for the afternoon program on November 28. This room has also completed their second six-week examinations.

Mr. Davies is going to purchase a basketball for the boys and girls, and if possible organize a junior basketball team. By this form of organization the boys obtain experience for later participation in High school basketball.

Changing a Tire on a Ford

(By Art Appling)

First jack up the wheel on the flat side. Then using two large tire irons, you tug, pry and sweat, using both hands and feet till you get one side of the casing off. The rest comes easy.

Take the tube out and discover the puncture, place a large amount of glue on it, and apply a patch. Hold under pressure for some time.

Next look over the casing and if possible find the cause, and return to the wheel.

Finally get your breath, attach pump and work the handle up and down till you are black in the face. Kick tire a time or two to ascertain the amount of pressure. Take out the jack, pile in your tools, crank the pump up and off you go.

Stage Line

Mail Carrier Hartman is considering buying a new car, fitting it up as to accommodate passengers and so as to accommodate with his mail combine a stage run with eyes on a line. He is casting his eyes on a new six cylinder Chevrolet. If he makes the buy will install a couple of folding seats. The body will be enclosed at the rear for protection and also for package freight.

Gone to Salem

Lew Henneghan and wife and Mrs. Knowles of Dufur left for Salem Monday and will visit the rest of the week there. They expect to return on Sunday next.

Waiting for Thieves

Lew Henneghan has taken precautions against losing any of his prize poultry by providing an intricate lock for the door thereto. Lew has also loaded up his automatic shot gun and as he is a light sleeper proposes to give the doctor a job picking shot from the anatomy of anyone caught in that chicken house.

O. A. C. FOG WINS FR.

Uppsets Dupe and L. Score—Oregon Def. Angeles 28-6

All hail Oregon's two leading college football teams—University State College. The latter team traveled to New York and today defeated the champion eastern team of New York university by a score of 25 to 13.

While O. A. C. was doing her stuff in the east the team from Eugene battled the university of Los Angeles and emerged from the big end of the horn with a score of 26, while the southern athletes had to content themselves with a score of a measly little six points. A feature of that game was a 95-yard run by Kitzmiller of the Webfoots, made in the last three minutes of play.

At the Portland stadium the two leading high school teams of the state battled for supremacy, they being Medford and Benson schools. Medford players again showed the stuff of which they were made, winning the game by a score of 39 to nothing. Both those teams went through the season undefeated and both were touted as being champions. Medford decisively defeated The Dalles Hi team at our county seat last week Monday, and by taking in the champion Portland High school team closes the season as champions of their division.

DINNER WITH HOME FOLKS

Maupin People Journey to The Dalles for Holiday

Marcus Shearer and family and Dr. Short and Mrs. Jean Wray went to the M. I. Shearer ranch home, near The Dalles, this morning and will eat Thanksgiving dinner there. It is expected that all the Shearer family will be at home for the holiday, and the Maupin people went down to meet them.

OPENS NEW OPTICAL STUDIO

Dr. Fred Pageler Now Operating on Sandy in Portland

Dr. Fred Pageler, formerly proprietor of the Del Arhue optical parlors, The Dalles, writes The Times that he has recently opened new parlors at 1202 Sandy boulevard, Portland. He says his place is equipped with all the newest type instruments that are on the market and asks that Maupin people, when in Portland, call and inspect his studio.

Dr. Pageler enjoyed a good patronage while in The Dalles and many from this section were fitted with glasses by him with entire satisfaction.

PREVENT ALL HOLIDAY FIRES

Serious Conflagrations Can Be Prevented By Care

How terrible it is to read newspaper accounts of fires at Christmas time. This is the happiest season of the year, especially for children, but fires often bring suffering and death, creating a roaring furnace of flames where but a short time before had been a joyous home.

Yet simple precautions will prevent holiday fires:

When using a candle in your window, be sure it is an electric one, properly wired, as they are generally safe.

If you have a Christmas tree, set it up securely so it cannot topple over. Don't place it near heating or lighting fixtures.

For trimming the tree use only noncombustible materials such as metal tinsel, flake asbestos and powdered mica for snow effects.

For illuminating the tree, lighted candles should never be used. Properly installed electric lights are safer and give a colorful effect, but safest of all is a colored spotlight focused on the tree.

Again it is necessary to caution smokers to be careful with their matches and smoking materials near trees and decorations. Of course, keep matches out of the reach of small children.

Remember our prescription department. Will compound any prescription at the right price. The Maupin Drug Store.

Make us a X-Mas present—pay up

Editor's Note

I promise you a few lines when I left on my vacation. Well, as you know, I hopped on the train which leaves Maupin at 12:05. The driver of the iron horse gave its tail a twist and a sudden pull and we were off. The ride to Portland was pleasing and beautiful to the eye. Nature was putting on the trees, grass and rocks their autumn dress of yellow, red and gold and they had the swift-running river as a background.

Well, the train rolled into the Portland union station at 5:45, and it was raining like the old scratch. As my destination was out to my granddaughter's (Mrs. Stanley Randall) at Montavilla, and as I did not care to walk that far in the rain, I asked a taxi driver how much he would charge to take me out there. He said \$1.50 and I told him he had bought a customer. I got there just in time to eat, as the family had just sat down to supper.

Saturday morning I took a car—no, I did not take the car; the car took me—out to the stock show. I paid my eight cents and the conductor gave me a piece of paper and told me to hunt up another car, one that had a sign "To the Stock Show" on it and to give the conductor the piece of paper. I stepped out on the track and saw a good many people there. When the car came along we all got aboard—I do not mean we all had a board, but got on the car—and as I passed the conductor he said "fair," and I said no, it is not fair for it is raining like the dickens. He looked at me and told me he did not mean the weather, but have my permit to ride with him. I then thought of the piece of paper the other conductor had given me and he told me I could pass, as he had a full hand with the king, queen, ace, jack and the joker. Then the car started and went on and on. I could see nothing but a big pond of water on one side and a green field and some trees the other side of the track and I began to think we were on the wrong trail and were heading for Seattle or some other seaport town.

After a while the car stopped and the conductor told us we could not go any further unless we would each dig up a nickle, and if we didn't have a nickle we would have to walk. I didn't think that was just right as I had given him my permit to go to the stock show. Then I saw the yards had been stacked and he had dealt himself a winning hand and that if I wanted to stay in the game I would have to ante up my five cents. I didn't want to give it up for it was my last nickle I had and I would have to get a dime changed, so I dug into my jeans and fished up and gave it to the conductor. By that time the other customers had donated their nickles, and he then had enough to pay for his dinner. He gave the man in front the password and that we were all members in good standing (most of us were standing) of that moving palace, and for him to go on. Some time passed and then the car stopped in front of a big building with a sign on it—"Big Live Stock Show." After a good many hard knocks and tribulations I am here at the big show. Will tell you in my next letter how I got along inside the big show.

COUNTRY JAKE

Everett Richmond conveyed a double-deck load of porkers to the Portland market on Tuesday. The hogs were from the O. P. Weberg and Sam Brown ranches.

Went to Market

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ELECTION NOTICE

To the Voters of the Town of Maupin, Oregon:
I hereby announce my independent candidacy for the office of city recorder, to be voted at the town election, to be held on Monday, December 3, 1928.
O. F. RENICK