



Neighborhood School Notes

Wapinitia

BASKETBALL

Tuesday, January 2, the Wapinitia Cyclones, motored to Maupin and engaged in a basketball game with the Maupin Cubs. The game was of a rough character. Maupin was victorious at the end of the game, the score being 17 to 1.

Friday, January 3, the basketball team of Wapinitia High—the Cyclones—went to Grass Valley where they clashed with the fast quintet of that place.

The game was one of remarkable speed on the part of both teams and poor shooting on the part of Wapinitia basketekers. At the end of the first half the score stood 13 to 2 with Wapinitia at the small end of the score. During the second half the Cyclones were stronger and held the opponents to a 23 to 11 score. Clean playing and sportsmanship throughout the whole game prevailed.

Due to the small amount allowed for traveling expenses only one car made the trip. The five players to make the trip were F. Hachler, W. Mathew, guards; M. Walters, G. Claymier, forwards; and M. O'Brien, center. The trip was made in Arnold Gonnell's car.

Girls Basketball

The girls have once more decided to play basketball. Basketball suits will be ordered and a few games with other schools will be scheduled for later in the basketball season.

SCHOOL NOTES

Billie West and Eva Linn were absent from high school Monday. Zelma Teschner, who has been absent for some time, has resumed her studies in the Ninth grade again.

At a Student Body meeting held last Thursday afternoon Melvin Walters was elected captain of the boys' basketball team and Avis Endersby captain of the girls' basketball team.

The best spellers for the past week are Lenora Hammer, Freshman, 96 per cent; Wilbur Mathews, Sophomore, 100 per cent and Avis Endersby, Senior, 100 per cent.

There is much murmur among the students about the semester exams, which will come this week. There does not seem to be as much spare time this week as formerly.

All of the students are watching the Weather Man to see if basketball practice may continue on our outdoor court. At present it looks like the snow will keep us off the court.

Frank Hachler has been studying bookkeeping for the midyear exam. This morning Frank was wondering what a business would do if the "sales returns" were larger than the sales.

The American History class is now studying "Jacksonian Democracy" on page 277. Most of the students are up in outline work.

The Senior class has completed Chapter V of the Literature and Life, Book IV which deals with "The Age of Shakespeare." A review will be given for the semester tests, which come Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Wapinitia Jottings

Mr. and Mrs. Isham West, and Miss Myrtle Shorthill were Sunday guest at the Emil Hachler home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson and daughter, Mary Margaret, were visitors at the Roy Crabtree home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Linn are away on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Endersby were in Wapinitia Friday afternoon. Floyd Holloman is in The Dalles training for his next fight.

Mac Holloman and the McCoy brothers were at The Dalles one day last week.

Wm. Sturgis had a bunch of sick porkers on his hands recently.

Arnold Gonnell took the basketball players to Grass Valley last Friday.

OREGON NEWS NOTES

Odell—Plans underway for new construction on old William Brock site on southwest shore of Odell Lake.

Sisters—New winter playground in McKenzie Pass country, eight miles west of here, officially opened.

Survey underway of Greenspring highway for resurfacing and oiling of entire stretch between Klamath Falls and Ashland.

LaGrande—Veltex Oil company tanks will move from Island City to this place.

Fencing right of way of Southern Pacific's Klamath Falls-Alturas line completed.

REBEKAHS, ATTENTION

Maupin Rebekah Lodge No. 194 will hold installation of officers on the regular meeting night, Wednesday, January 15. Please come and bring cats.

CLARNO WELL PRODUCES SHOWING OF CRUDE OIL

Fossil Journal Recites Interview With Field Manager of Clarno Oil Co.

Last week G. G. Kiessling, manager of the Clarno Basin Oil company, was interviewed by the editor of the Fossil Journal relative to the showing of oil in the well being put down by his company. To the newspaper man Mr. Kiessling said:

The amount of oil cannot be determined until water in the well is shut off. Steady bailing for a day and a half revealed an unmistakable content of oil in the water, the farther they got the stronger the showing until the water became a golden yellow color when bailing operations ceased.

"Do you think there are two barrels a day?" Mr. Kiessling was asked.

"Perhaps," he answered, "and there may be more. We can't tell until the water is out of the hole. We are underreaming now preparing to set a ten-inch casing to the bottom of the well for the purpose of shutting off the water."

J. W. Lowman, an eastern geologist and chemist employed by the company, who was at the well a few days ago advised that the water be

stopped. Mr. Kiessling could not tell, he said, how far he was from the oil sands, it might be 200 feet or only 50 feet. Something is forcing the oil up, was his opinion.

"It looks like the gamble was all out of the undertaking, now," said the field manager who expects to resume drilling today following a five-day vacation for the holidays.

37 COUGARS FOR DECEMBER

Kill Cougars and Conserve Deer Says Game Warden

Cougar hunters of Oregon had their best month in years when in December they bagged a total of 37 of the "big cats." The majority of the kills were made in those sections of the state that are the favorite haunts of deer. Charles H. Erwin of Hoaglin led the list for the month with the slaughter of six, and was presided for honors by John Oblack of Molalla with a total of five. Gard Saunders of Elkton and Bud Kintzley of Fall Creek each killed four cougars, while Clay Ulam of Milo and Dale Bonney of Drew each accounted for three of the cats. Erwin, in addition to killing his six cougars, bagged a wolf.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to sincerely thank all those kind friends and neighbors who were of great assistance and comfort to us during the illness and at the burial of our beloved wife and mother, who recently passed to that land from which no traveler returns. Especially are we thankful for the spirit shown in sending the many beautiful flowers, and to those whose tokens came without cards. Such manifestations of kindness were of great help to us in the hour of our affliction and we pray that all may be spared a like suffering for many years.

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to three billion dollars, which is twice the annual value of iron produced and twenty times the annual yield of gold, is one of the most impressive statements about this cereal.

The importance of corn is not generally appreciated, for only a minor part is eaten directly by the people. Over one half of all the corn grown is fed to livestock. However, the corn oil, syrup, and starch are already manufactured on so large a scale that their production is likely to soon rival the meat packing industry. An area of about one hundred million acres is planted to corn each year in the United States, and during the past decade the value of the corn crop has exceeded the combined value of the cotton and wheat. Although the large amount of corn is grown in the corn belt of the middle states, corn is also grown in every state of the Union. The main five kinds of corn consist of dent, flint, flour, sweet and popcorn. The geographical range for corn is determined by temperature, rainfall and length of growing season. It thrives best where the days and nights are warm and where there is moderate summer rainfall.

Corn played an important part in the settlement of America by the European races. The early settlers of Virginia and New England found the Indians growing and eating it. However, the history of corn growing in American dates back to the time of Columbus, and its relics are found among the most ancient tribes of Indians. The cultivation of corn is supposed to be at least twenty-thousand years old.

Corn is used as a supply crop. Because of the low price compared to the heavy weight does not make it a profitable article for export. Most of it is consumed in the cattle belt.

NEWS NOTES

These cold mornings one may find many students hovered around the furnace in the basement and around the radiators upstairs. Mr. Weberg, keeps the rooms comfortable and warm and with the new fuel house finds his duties lighter than last year. The High school appreciates his vigilance in its behalf.

Theft of Traps Reported

Bonney Duus reports that some of his traps that were in a sack under a tree by his place have been taken. He had the traps put away for future use, but when he returned for them they were gone. Bonney says if the sport who got the traps will notify him he will give him his full catch of furs also Ta Ta trap.

It has been reported that there will be no assemblies for several days until the tests are over.

Massie Ashley has returned to school after an absence of a few days.

Cecil Ashley has been absent for several days and has not yet returned. We hope he may return soon.

GRADE NOTES

Children Make Good Resolutions The Third and Fourth grades have been making New Year's resolutions. The following has been chosen as the best:

My 1936 Resolutions
(By Louise Daus)
1. I will tell the truth.
2. I will try to get my lesson every day.
3. I will mind my teacher and my parents.
4. I will not tease my brother.
5. I will play fair with other children.
6. I will practice my music every day.
7. I will help my mother.

Third and Fourth Grades

Loyal Pratt says he is glad that he belongs to the 4-H club because it teaches him to take care of poultry, and he expects to go to Corvallis summer school for club members. For this reason he hopes many people will come to the 4-H club party, Friday night, January 10, eight o'clock, at the I. O. O. F. hall in Maupin.

Primary

The First and Second graders have started a Chinese project. They are learning how Yaun and his people live.

The sand table will soon show Chinese life. A Chinese border will soon be on the boards.

Billie Schilling was absent Monday on account of sickness.

Mae Greene has charge of the wraps for this week.

The inspectors for clean hands and teeth are: Naomi Schilling, and Jack Bothwell.

Fifth and Sixth

The names of Miss Velma Crofoot, Mrs. D. D. Wilson and Mr. Toy Conley are on the visitors list for last week.

The best spellers in the Sixth grade have been allowed to drop spelling. The ones that have not a standard grade will be required to take spelling with the Fifth grade.

The Fifth grade pupils have dropped Oregon History and will devote the next six weeks to the study of "American Beginnings in Europe." When this subject is completed they will again take up Oregon History.

Seventh and Eighth Grade

Earl Addington and Russel Holt were the leaders of the spelling match last Friday. Russel's team proved to be the best.

The Eighth graders are taking up an entirely new process in Arithmetic, it being Square Root. They find this more difficult than the past work.

The Seventh and Eighth grades are busy taking the mid-year exams this week.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE

2 for 1

Women's Shoes in Pumps, Straps Spike and Cuban Heels

WOMEN'S—Lot 1—	MEN'S—Lot 1—
Values \$6.50 to \$8.50	Values \$6.50 to \$8.50
\$4.85	\$4.85
Pumps, Straps, Oxfords	Buy one, get another
All Heels	pair absolutely free.
WOMEN'S—Lot 2—	Values \$5.90 to \$7.50
Values \$5.50 to \$6.50	\$3.85
\$2.85	Pay for one, get the
Come in All Heels	other pair for nothing.

The above means that if you buy one pair of shoes, paying cash, you will be given another pair absolutely free. In this manner you get two pairs and only pay for one.

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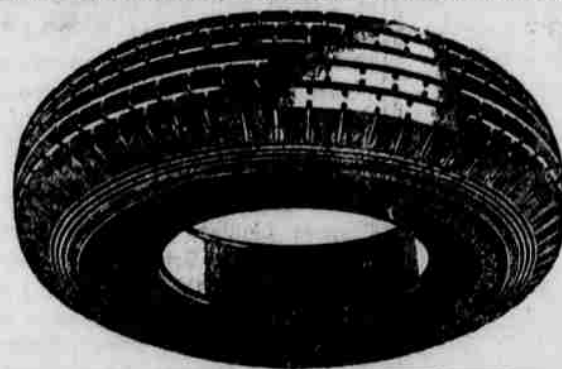
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Reg.	Extrta Heavy		
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30x4.50	9.20	28x5.25 (Royal)	2.45
29x4.75	10.65	29x4.40 (Royal)	1.90
29x5.00	11.00	29x4.50 (Royal)	1.95
31x5.00	11.85	29x5.50 (Royal)	2.85
29x5.50	14.10	30x5.00 (Royal)	2.30
32x6.00	15.95	31x4 (Royal)	2.20
		32x4 (Royal)	2.30

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