

Coquille Valley Sentinel

COQUILLE, COOS COUNTY, OREGON THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1948.



BIDDING FOR THE FARMERS—Going out after the farm bloc in Oregon is Harold E. Stassen, former Minnesota governor, who will talk from the steps of the city hall at North Bend Wednesday morning, May 19th, at 10:35. Following this meeting he will be shown the city of North Bend, according to Andy Newhouse, Coos Bay, Republican central committeeman, and then will appear at an invitational luncheon at the Tioga hotel. Later he will appear for a brief talk at the Marshfield high school, and then fly directly to Tillamook and Astoria. All efforts by Coquille Valley Stassen supporters to get him to appear in this area were unavailing. Stassen appears with his father and mother in a farm picture as he visits their farm.

SPORT SCOPE

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First Trout Tag Received At Game Commission Office

To H. B. Kilmer, of Florence, Oregon, goes the honor of being the first angler to send a tag from a trout into the offices of the Oregon State Game Commission this season. The tagged trout caught by Mr. Kilmer was a cut-throat nine inches long and was taken in Sutton Lake. Robert Holloway, in charge of surveys for the Game Commission, announced after checking the number of the tag it was discovered that the fish was liberated in Mercer Lake on February 19 of this year. He pointed out that checking the migratory habits of the various species of trout was one of the purposes of the extensive tagging program being carried on this season by the commission. He also urged that all anglers

be on the lookout, no matter where they are fishing, for trout bearing metal tags or trout that have been marked by having certain fins clipped. Upon taking tagged fish the angler is asked to send the tag along with information as to where the fish was taken and its size to the Oregon State Game Commission, P. O. Box 4136, Portland 8, Oregon.

Jr. Izaak Walton Lands Large Chinook

Many an oldster was envious last Tuesday as they watched an eleven year old boy emerge victorious in a titanic struggle with a Royal Chinook, weighing slightly more than 28 pounds. The lad is Bobby Burr of Coquille and the scene took place on that king of all salmon streams—the Rogue. Bobby, with his father and several friends, spent two days on the stream before he hooked into the fish that provided one of the high points of his young life. Then, the battle was on. Bobby played the giant fish like a veteran—reeling him in slowly, then playing him out again until the salmon began to tire. It was quite some time before the young fisherman was able to land his fish, but finally he brought his fish to bay, and a tired but very happy boy learned that he had made the largest catch in his father's party.

Ladies Land Fish Unaided

Two women, alone in a boat on the wild, tempestuous Rogue river—that is the scene witnessed by a multitude of anglers during the past week. It all came about when Irene Cedarquist and Dorothy Mansell of Coquille decided to try their combined luck in the fine art of salmon fishing—without the aid of any men folk. Seems as though the ladies were quite successful, too, for Mrs. Cedarquist landed three fighting chinook, the largest weighing 28 pounds, eight ounces; while Mrs. Mansell caught one that tipped the scales at 18½ pounds.

At Arago

A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Robinson for Alan Hatcher Tuesday. Miss Leora Ames was hostess. Those attending were Ronnie Halter, Albert Tomlinson, Glendon Zeller, Harold Lee Clark of Bridge, John Ed Leeper, Leon Ames, Jaylene and June Simmons, Veva Pickett, Max Williams, Bob Bellinger, Woodrow Robinson, and the guest of honor, Alan Hatcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shaw and Patty of Coquille were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burbank.

Melden and Herbert Carl, Clark Bean, Al Crawford and Harvey Myers all went fishing on the Rogue River Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Woodward and daughter, Cynthia, of Eugene were week-end guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Peterson and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Myers and Mrs. Ida Myers were Sunday callers at the Wayne Woodward home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Barklow have moved his trucks to Agate Beach, where he will finish a contract.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Woodward and Cynthia and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Halter were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Woodward.

Mrs. Richard Lane was a Monday caller at the home of Ida Myers.

Another Large Egg

Mrs. George A. Johnson is the owner of an unusual hen. In less than a month she has laid two "outsize" eggs. The second one which was brought to the measured eight by six and three-quarters inches.

Marriage Licenses

Marriage licenses were issued this week to Orville W. McKee, Coos Bay, and Rose L. Alkire, Coos Bay; F. Crawford Peek, Coos Bay, and Glenda Grandmontague, Powers; Jack Voe Kauffman, North Bend, and Nellie Maye Norris, North Bend; Wallace M. Parrish, Myrtle Point, and Myra M. Wyrick, Myrtle Point.

Clyde DeWitt, Gardiner, and Lorene DeWitt, Coquille, and Mary E. Fort, Coquille; Jacob Stoltz, Reedsport, and Lois Landerking, Reedsport; Robert L. Bossley, Coos Bay, and Georgia A. Burge, Coos Bay; Curtis D. Warner and Loretta B. Warner, Multnomah county; Alfred L. Hebert, Eastside, and Mary Jean Clark, Coos Bay; Cleal H. Langenberg, Coos Bay, and Helen U. Norton, Coos Bay; Robert C. Usey, Coos Bay, and Bettie L. Libby, Coos Bay.

Marriage licenses were issued this week to Lawrence H. Hutchinson of Myrtle Point and Helen Hickam of Coquille; Jere J. Lepley, Coos Bay, and Marianne Tofflemire, Coos Bay; Henry Steinmetz, Bandon, and Julia E. Sly Cord, Bandon; Elmer Duncan, Powers, and Donna Bichsel, Powers; John F. Kennedy, Portland, and Alice L. Scarlett, Portland; Charles F. Johnston, Coos Bay, and Carrie Ena Morris, Coos Bay.

Game Salting Operation Nearing Completion

The spring salting operations on big game ranges by Oregon State Game Commission district agents is nearing completion. Between ten and eleven tons of salt are being distributed this season over the ranges of eastern and southwestern Oregon. The salt, in fifty pound blocks, is being set out by the use of aeroplanes, pick-up trucks and pack horses.

All salting stations being set out have been approved by the Forest Service or other land administrative departments. This is done so that the work will not interfere with established stock salting programs.

The Game Commission conducts its salting operations for several purposes. In some places it provides necessary minerals to big game diets. By the location of these stations it is also possible at times to induce earlier migrations of big game from problem winter ranges and make for a more uniform use of forage on crowded summer and winter ranges. By encouraging a more widespread use of range in this manner game and livestock competition can be reduced. In some instances it is also possible to lessen game damage to crops by drawing the animals away from the problem areas.

In the coastal sections of the state some small experimental salting stations are being operated, although, so far it has been difficult to get big game animals to use the salt in this part of the state.

Robert Mace, chief biologist for big game, stated that salt is proving to be a relatively inexpensive but very effective management tool for big game animals.

Crippled Clinic Set For June 9

Preliminary plans for the crippled children's clinic which will be held in Coquille on June 9 are now going forward, according to Dr. Eleanor Gutman, county health officer.

The clinic will be held at Washington grade school.

Appointments are now being sent out by the health department to all known patients. New patients may make appointments by contacting the county health office.

Divorces Granted

Divorces were granted this week to Robert L. Westman vs. Wava Westman; Mabel Whereat vs. Ernest Whereat; Albie J. Smith vs. Raymond G. Smith; Otto Reis vs. Clara S. Reis; Margaret Siewell vs. Charles C. Siewell.

TO GO TO WALLA WALLA

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Driskell and family will drive to Walla Walla, Wn. this week-end where Mrs. Driskell and her family will visit for a few weeks. Mrs. Driskell just returned from the Mast hospital where she had been following a reaction to a sulfa drug.

Rural Fire Plans Being Formulated

The Coquille-rural area was one step closer to a rural fire protection district after a meeting last Friday night in the Union hall at which farmers, the Coquille fire department heads, and M. Gilson, deputy state fire marshal, talked over the prospects of such a group.

Earl Cross headed the meeting and was appointed chairman of a group to meet with the Coquille fire department and draw up a proposed district.

At present there are over 100 rural fire districts in the state. Formation of such a district is much the same as that of a drainage district.

Court of Honor Held This Week

At the Boy Scout court of honor this week thirteen committeemen and six parents saw a group of Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts make advancements.

Advancing were Rodney Mintonye to second class; Jim Brewster, first class; and merit badges to Richard Roush, Frank Christensen, Jim Brewster, Bill Anderson, Peter Harvey, and Rodney Halter. Bill Anderson advanced to star scout.

In the Sea Scout advancement Bob Simmons became an apprentice, Alfred Stump, Jim Newton, Bill Anderson, and Don Mulkey advanced to ordinary rank.

Colored movies on Camps Lucky Boy and Lake Maolowaka were shown.

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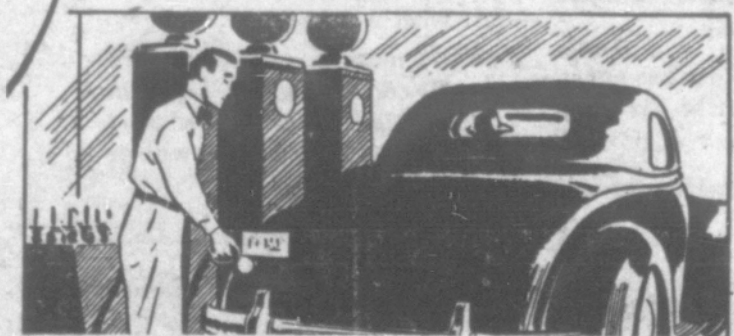
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