

Elks Smoker Set For Saturday Nite

Plans have all been completed for one of the grandest smokers ever given by Grants Pass Elks, Saturday evening, December 9th, beginning at 7:30.

This is an annual affair for the Elks and the proceeds go towards filling baskets of goodies for all

CLASSIFIED ADS

ACCOUNTANT and TAX CONSULTANT — Income taxes a specialty. Room 203, Erwin L. Schmidt, First National Bank Bldg., Grants Pass. 31-tfe

WANTED—Some one to build a brick flue. Maude E. Bigelow, Maple Court, Kerby, Ore. 32-1tc

ABSTRACTS — Title insurance, affiliated with Commonwealth, Inc., Josephine County Abstract Co., 217-219 No. 6th St., Grants Pass.

FOR SALE—Christmas trees, 1 to 5000. Hill Top Ranch, on old Takilma road. Will deliver in Cave Junction to local people. Glenn F. Graham, Box 154, Cave Junction, Oregon. 31-2tp

FURNITURE — When you need New or Used Furniture, think of Manchel's. Keep up the home the boys are fighting for. Manchel's Furniture, 112 N. 6th St., Grants Pass. -2-tf.

HAVE BUYERS for ranches, large and small. You furnish the property and we furnish the buyers. List with Sam J. Miller, Muir Auto Court, Cave Junction. 5-tf

FOR SALE—Good motor in good condition from 1935 Overland sedan. Also axle which will make a good trailer. Inquire at News office. 5-tfe

LOG CABIN GARAGE Selma, Oregon General Auto Repairing Motor Tune-up — Lubrication Art Dedrick, Prop.

DYNAMITE Try Valley Lumber Co. if you need blasting powder. 221 West F St., Grants Pass. 44-tfe

FOR REAL VALUES in used furniture and household goods Try Hollywood Specialty Shop We buy, sell and Exchange. 626 South 6th Grants Pass

LISTINGS WANTED — Country and town property, acreage, ranches, and business opportunities. Leave listings at Dorothy's Dinnette, Cave Junction, our valley office. Geo. P. Chalker, realtor. 26-tf

LOST—Buckskin horse with "OK" brand on hip, rope halter and leather bridle, south of Bridgeview. Finder call Ed Bayse or Takilma store. A Morton, owner. 25-tf

FIRE AND AUTOMOBILE Insurance. See L. A. Athey at the News office. tf

FOR SALE—Two wheel trailer. Inquire at News office. 27-tfe

CLASSIFIED ADS Sure get good results. Someone might have the thing you want, or you might have what someone else wants. Two-bits makes a bargain.

FOR SALE—No trespassing cards at The News Office. 52tf

FOR SALE — Mining location blanks, both quartz and placer and trespass notices at the Illinois Valley News office.

L. E. (TED) ATHEY is now a licensed real estate broker and would appreciate listing of property from those who wish to dispose of their holdings.

Old newspapers for sale at The News office, 10 cents per bundle.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Freida Messenger, Administratrix of the Estate of FRANCES LOLITA WHITE, deceased, has filed in the County Court of the County of Josephine, State of Oregon, her Final Account as Administratrix of said Estate, and said Court has set Friday, the 5th of January, 1945, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day in the County Court Room at the Courthouse in Grants Pass, Oregon, as the time and place of hearing on said Final Account and all objections thereto. FREIDA MESSENGER, Administratrix of the Estate of FRANCES LOLITA WHITE, deceased.

"WE'VE NOT YET BEGUN TO FIGHT"

"We've not yet begun to fight!" declared John Paul Jones TODAY as he prepared to battle his way across the Pacific.

That famous phrase, first heard in the Revolutionary war, was repeated today by a direct descendant of the famed maritime hero. True to the family's sea-going tradition, the current John Paul Jones is an officer in the U. S. Merchant Marine, a veteran of the invasions of Salerno and Southern France.

Already the latter-day John Paul Jones has seen more warfare than the historical founder of his line. Because of the serious shortage of licensed Merchant Marine officers to man ships in the Pacific, the War Shipping Administration transferred John Paul Jones to the west coast. This will be his first voyage to the Pacific war zones.

Aboard a Merchant Marine Liberty ship in the Salerno, Italy invasion, Jones' ship went in with the first wave, anchored a half mile off shore and fought off German planes every single hour for seven days and nights. His ship brought down five planes—and John Paul Jones acted as gunner as well as ship's officer. Finally his ship was hit, the plates sprung, the propeller and shaft broken. By manning the pumps the crippled ship was gotten into a safe port.

youngsters of the county at the Grants Pass high school gym Saturday afternoon, December 23rd.

A large number of valley people are planning to attend the smoker.

To the People of this Community

"Sad little personal belongings are strewn all over these bitter sands." Thus wrote Ernie Pyle from a beachhead in Normandy.

More than 2,000 bundles of these belongings, carefully collected and packed by the armed forces, are sent monthly from a Kansas City depot to homes throughout America. That's the current price of victory over enemies who forced this war upon you. These "souvenirs" are enveloped with heartaches and drenched with tears.

How long this tragic depot stays in business is up to you. Every second prolongs the slaughter. Every extra \$100 War Bond in the Sixth War Loan helps to shorten the fighting. Can you do less than to lend your money for speedy victory?

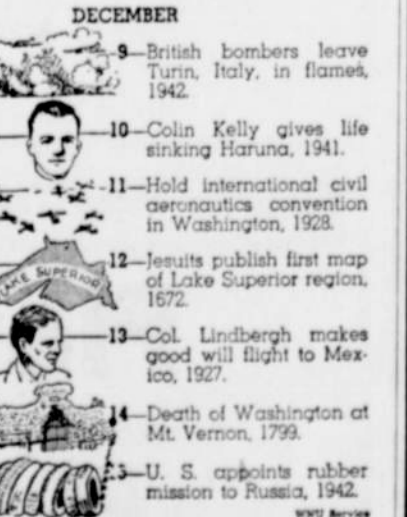
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"Sicilian tyrants never invented a greater torment than envy"—Horace
DECEMBER
9—British bombers leave Turin, Italy, in flames, 1942.
10—Colin Kelly gives life sinking Haruna, 1941.
11—Hold international civil aeronautics convention in Washington, 1923.
12—Jesuits publish first map of Lake Superior region, 1672.
13—Col. Lindbergh makes good will flight to Mexico, 1927.
14—Death of Washington at Mt. Vernon, 1799.
15—U. S. appoints rubber mission to Russia, 1942.



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SPANISH TREASURY

Florida demonstrates the old maxim that good things are made slowly. Long before the Pilgrims landed in the North, Spanish and English explorers were battling to plant their colonies on the East Coast. Sebastian and John Cabot sailed along there in 1497 and in 1513 Ponce De Leon christened Florida. By 1647, St. Augustine had a population of 2,000. In 1588 Sir Francis Drake destroyed the town and looted its treasury. Spain rebuilt it the next year, much more substantially. Reconstruction must be done all over the world when the guns are silent. Buy more War Bonds to speed the day when the world can begin to rebuild.

U. S. Treasury Department

"I've seen merchant ships sunk all around us, by submarines and enemy planes, but so far my ships have only been wounded," declares Jones, who wears the uniform of a lieutenant j. g. in the U. S. Maritime service. "My last Liberty delivered troops to the Alpha beachhead for the opening invasion of Southern France—and we were the first Merchant Marine ship to enter the harbor of Marseilles. It was a shambles of sunken ships. When I went ashore in old clothes, the F. F. I. were rounding up German soldiers disguised in civilian clothes. When I carelessly replied 'Yah' to a question I was promptly arrested and freed only

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when a French officer recognized my famous name." Lieut. Jones has a 14 months old son at his home, 1395 West Nevada St., Denver, whom he has only seen twice. Oh yes—the boy is named after his father, grandfather, ad infinitum—John Paul Jones.

TRUCK BURNED AT HAYES HILL

A lumber truck owned and driven by a Central Point man whose name was not learned ran off the highway at Hayes hill early Tuesday morning and burned after rolling over four times, it was reported by Clarence Dougherty, make-up man of the Courier, who was on his way in from Selma just after the truck left the road.

A trailer hitched to the truck was wheels up and had started to burn as Mr. Dougherty passed. He brought the driver in to Grants Pass.

The man apparently was unhurt except for a few scratches on the face. He said he had just purchased the truck and was using it to haul lumber between Crescent

City and Medford. It had taken him a year to get priority for the truck purchase, he said.

NOTICE

Belt Lodge No. 18, A. F. & A. M. will hold a special communication Saturday evening, December 9, at the Masonic hall in Kerby. The M. M. Degree will be conferred. Visiting brethren welcome.

LEW HAMMER, W. M.

Basketball Friday Night!

NOTICE

The annual hearing of the Oregon State Game Commission in regard to angling regulations will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, January 13, 1945, as specified by statute, in Portland.

At this time the commission will consider the 1945 seasons, bag limits and other regulations affecting the taking of game fish in the state.

The hearing will be open to the general public.

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