

FORESIGHT SAVES SNOW MEASURER NIGHT MID DRIFTS

Arch Work, department of agriculture irrigation engineer, attached to the Medford experimental orchard, and Alvin Copeland, Fort Klamath trapper and guide, on a snow-measuring trip last week to Seven Lakes in the heart of the southern Oregon Cascades, avoided a night of exposure in zero weather by digging a tunnel, 12 feet in length, through 20 feet of snow, to a snow-buried cabin.

Work, regional director of snow coverage measuring, and Copeland, headed for the cabin, built and stocked with food last fall as a snow-measuring station at Seven Lakes. When they arrived late last Friday afternoon in the general vicinity, they came upon a silent, snowy waste, with not a sign of the cabin. Before departing last autumn, when the cabin was built, Work had a worker climb a tree and hang a shovel from a limb, 20 feet from the ground. In the fast-gathering dusk, the pair located the tree with a scant two feet of the shovel handle protruding from the snow.

Then with joined snow-measuring tubes they poked in the snow until they found the cabin roof, and tunneled to the lone door of the cabin, and shelter for the night from polar temperatures.

Work congratulated himself on his foresight in hanging the shovel from the tree limb, and recalled that the worker at the time objected to hanging it so high. The shovel was the only implement they possessed to dig to the cabin, after they had prospected and located it.

Inside the cabin there was food and wood, but it was necessary to poke the snow away that had lodged in the chimney before a fire would burn in the stove.

After a comfortable night and completion of snow measurements, for which they had made the hazardous trip on snowshoes, Work and Copeland returned last Saturday to Fort Klamath.

Caveman Guide



L. M. MITCHELL

L. M. Mitchell of Murphy, Josephine county, who as a member of the famous organization of "Cavemen" in that region, guides initiates in the secret rules of the Oregon Cavemen.

Gold Hill

GOLD HILL, April 2.—(Sp.)—Mrs. Cella Elder visited friends here Monday, going to Medford for a two week visit with her sister.

Makine Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Cook, is receiving medical care at the Osteopathic clinic. Mr. and Mrs. Cook and daughters Jewel and Alvagene have moved to Medford to be near her.

Mrs. Ella Patrick returned Saturday from Wilderville where she had been visiting with relatives for several days.

Mrs. Cora Olsen of McMinnville came Monday evening for an extended visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. Norman Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and children, Lyle, Roland and Patricia of Sawyer's Bar, Cal., visited over the week-end with relatives. Lyle remained with his grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Huff, to finish the school year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hutchison of Sams Valley were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook.

Virgil Edgington of the Umpqua divide, visited Monday with his aunt, Mrs. John Edgington.

Mrs. George Hammerley, daughter Jeanne and Mrs. Wm. Hammerley of Sawyer's Bar, Cal., visited from Thursday until Sunday with friends and relatives here and in Medford.

Mrs. Millie Walker motored to Ashland Friday evening for a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. Wu Meyer, her nephew, Rowland Miller, who is attending BONS, accompanied her home to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lance and daughter Ruth of Wolf Creek and Mrs. R. E. Cook were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott on Foote creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cass of Medford were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wise.

Mrs. T. J. West visited Monday with relatives in Medford.

John Palmer returned Sunday from a two weeks' stay in Crescent City. He will be here for some time, the guest of his uncle, Ed Bolt.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Downey of Medford were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wise.

On Friday evening, ladies of the P. N. G. club entertained their husbands and escorts at the I. O. O. F. hall, with a chicken dinner. About 90 ladies and guests enjoyed the dinner, followed by a short program and social hour. Mrs. Floyd Lance of Wolf Creek sang a solo; the Old Family Album was portrayed by members of the club; a clever skit was put on by Mrs. Evelyn Thompson and Mrs. Eleanor Force; Chas. Carter played his harmonica, accompanied by Mrs. Della Whitsett at the piano. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lance of Wolf Creek, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. Latourette of Medford.

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JOINT SUIT FILED FOR RECOVERY OF C. E. VELIN ESTATE

Jackson county, and A. C. Walker as administrator of the estate of C. E. Velin, deceased, against Ray E. Painter and Theo Painter, for the return of property belonging to Velin, and allegedly obtained by the Painters, "through undue influence," is sought in a suit filed in circuit court today. The property involved is located in the district west of Central Point.

Reconveyance of the land to A. C. Walker, as administrator of the estate, reimbursement of Jackson county for \$120 paid as old age pension, and \$144 for expenses incident to last rites; \$250 for damages to oak trees on the property Painter assertedly cut for wood, and consideration of a note for \$250, signed by Velin in favor of Lillian M. Harrison, is asked.

The complaint alleges that the Painters moved upon the property and lived with Velin, and used "undue influence" upon him, to cause him to grant them a warranty deed to the property, later filing it with the county clerk.

It is further alleged the Painters at the time "were in indigent circumstances," and Velin "furnished food while living on the bounty furnished by Jackson county as an old age pension."

The complaint avers that "a grove of oak trees on the property greatly enhanced its value, that Painter has cut a portion of them, and sold same for wood."

Velin was committed to the state asylum at Salem last fall, and passed away there last January.

SAMS VALLEY SCHOOL WILL HAVE PROGRAM

SAMS VALLEY, April 2.—(Sp.)—The Sams Valley student body will present its Glee club and Dramatic club in a combined program Friday night. The musical program will consist of several songs by both boys and girls, the Girls' Glee club alone, the boys alone and several trio and duet numbers.

The Dramatic club will present a one-act play, "He Ain't Done Right by Nell," a hilarious comedy of the early nineties. The villain's role is ably taken by Gerald Fitzgerald and Billy Crawford is the hero. "Little Nell," the object of their affections, is played by Marie Seegmiller while her "Granny" is played by Betty Wilson. Mary Esther Davis is the village gossip, Ruth Winn and Ralph Ellis also have a place in the cast.

A small admission will be charged.

ROAD TO SUGARLOAF WILL PERMIT LOGGING

WILLIAMS, April 12.—(Sp.)—A road is being built by the Spalding company of Grants Pass up to the Hevri Land company's holdings which have been purchased by Amos Smith and will be logged off this spring.

The four 40-acre tracts of virgin timber lie near the base of Sugarloaf mountain and extend over toward the base of Grayback near the "Swede Cabins." The finest timber on east Williams is contained in part of this tract. Road-building is being delayed just now until the Davidson place is completed. It collapsed under the weight of the cat-sprillar.

Howard to Rule Salem Elks.

SALEM, April 2.—(AP)—Charles A. Howard, state public school superintendent, will be installed tonight as the 40th exalted ruler of Salem Lodge No. 336, B. P. O. E. The

NEW TRIAL ASKED IN SCHENCK SUIT

A motion for a new trial, on the grounds of alleged errors in the instructions of the court, in the damage suit of A. Orin Schenck, as administrator of the estate of his father, D. R. Schenck, 86, against Dr. R. W. Sleeter and others has been filed by the junior Schenck, through his attorneys, George M. Roberts and W. M. McAllister.

ARGUMENTS UNDERWAY IN GUS NEWBURY CASE

Closing arguments in the \$4,013 damage suit of Gus Newbury, attorney, against Marie Collins and Kate Wright, for injuries allegedly received in an auto accident on the Pacific highway north of Central Point, last December, were underway in circuit court this morning.

It was expected the case would be in the hands of the jury late today. Marie Collins is the owner of the auto and Kate Wright, her mother, was the driver at the time of the accident. Negligence and reckless driving is alleged, in driving from a rural lane to an arterial highway.

STUDENT TICKET SALE IS 825 SHY AT OREGON

EUGENE, Ore., April 2.—(Sp.)—Sale of about 825 student body tickets at 35 each will assure a complete spring sports and general student activity program at the University of Oregon, the executive student council decided. The number of tickets sold was less than last year.

Payment of the fees formerly was compulsory, but became optional as a result of the last state-wide election.

Wyoming oil men completed 83 wells during 1935.

WATER PROSPECTS DISCUSSION FRIDAY

Representatives of the bureau of agricultural engineering, the state engineer, the California Oregon Power company, the reclamation service, and the county watermaster will meet Friday at the courthouse in the irrigation district office, to study snow coverage data, and attempt therefrom to make a forecast of the 1936 irrigation water supply for the Rogue River valley. It was erroneously announced the meeting would be held today.

The meeting has been called by Arch Work, regional snow coverage director, in charge of snow cover survey work in this section.

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Alaska Wolves Busy. JUNEAU, Alaska, April 2.—(AP)—

Depredations by wolves in the Kobuk river region of northwestern Alaska are increasing, Archie Ferguson, trapper and trader at Selawik, informed the Alaska game commission today. Ferguson said he saw 21 wolves running in one pack and

found 10 deer which wolves killed in one small area.

Bishop to Remain. LA GRANDE, Ore., April 2.—(AP)—Bishop William R. Remington of the Eastern Oregon Episcopal district

will remain in this area at least for another year, he told a church audience at Cove. The Bishop recently was offered a position with a divinity school in Philadelphia.

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