

TRAPPER KILLS LARGE COUGAR

Cat Measures Eight Feet, Six Inches; Had Killed Doe

LAKEVIEW, Jan. 27.—A cougar hide measuring 8 feet 6 inches from tip to tip, was the trophy exhibited in Lakeview by D. M. Bryant. The animal was killed near the Bryant ranch in Clover Flat, and was one of the largest specimens seen in the county for several years.

Mr. Bryant ran onto the tracks of the big cat near the ranch while looking over a trap line. He traced the footprints for some distance and found where the cougar had stalked a bunch of deer, and had succeeded in killing a fine large doe. Believing the animal near he sent his dog on the trail and in a short time heard the dog barking on ahead. Running up he found the cougar had been taken to a small tree where he was snarling viciously at the dog.

Mr. Bryant quickly put a bullet into the cat's meandering by a well-directed shot through the head, and added the pelt to his trophies for the winter season. The animal tipped the scales at 155 pounds.

MILLS OPEN IN WINTER TIME

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Weeks shut-down for repairs, will continue to operate throughout the winter and early spring—however, all predictions, it was pointed out, are contingent upon weather and market conditions. The planing mill and box factory are operating on a one-shift basis.

With seven million feet of logs in the pond on December 1, Lamm's mill at Modoc Point has been operating two shifts in the saw mill and will continue to do so up until the end of this month. After a shut-down of several weeks for repairs, the mill will resume operations, probably on a one-shift basis. The planing mill has been on a one-shift basis and, it is understood, will continue throughout the winter.

Although the Shaw-Bertram Lumber company sawmill has been shut down for a month—two weeks for repairs and about the same period because of freezing conditions—will again resume operation on a two-shift basis tomorrow night. This is in striking contrast with last winter when the sawmill was down for six weeks.

With a steady supply of lumber assured from the kilns, the planing mill will be working steadily the rest of the winter; during recent weeks it has been operating about half-time. Of course, it was explained, a solid freeze would curtail operations. The box factory will continue on a one-shift basis.

The situation in the Chiloquin district reflects the trend in the Klamath basin as a whole.

The Forest Lumber company has kept its planing mill operating one shift throughout the winter but shut down its sawmill for repairs three weeks ago for the first time since the plant was built.

The sawmill will reopen the latter part of February and the woods crew will resume operations the forepart of February; exact dates depend on weather conditions.

The mill is employing 100 men—with all units operating 200 men are employed. It cut 55,000,000 feet last year but anticipates a cut of between 60,000,000 and 70,000,000 this year.

The Chiloquin Lumber company sawmill which has been shut down several months for repairs, reopened today with one shift. The box factory has been operating on a one-shift basis throughout the winter and, according to plans, a night shift will be inaugurated in the near future. The woods crew will begin operating February 1, if weather conditions permit. The plant cut approximately 27,000,000 feet last year and, if market conditions continue favorably, will cut between 30,000,000 and 35,000,000 during 1929. The full complement of men is 275; 125 are now employed.

No definite date for reopening of operations in the Bray-mill sawmill could be secured as William Bray, owner could not be located. However the box factory has been operating one shift and 50 men are employed. Total for the operation is 150. Approximately fifteen million feet of lumber were cut last year.

Outstanding in the day's news is the entertainment in the "Scotch Concert and Ball," at which the entertainment was to be given by a "singer with two voices."

NEWS IN BRIEF

Judges Are Named—

Mayor Thomas R. Watters, Elmer Baiger, president of Klamath Falls, M. West, president of Rotary, T. S. Richardson, president of Lions, and Bruce Dennis, editor and publisher, have been named judges for the second annual Hi-Jinks of the Scholarship Loan Department of the Woman's Library club which will be given on Wednesday evening. The public is invited.

Costumes Not In Order—

Because the annual Hi-Jinks of the Scholarship Loan Department of the Woman's Library club is open to the public, fancy costumes will not be in order, according to announcement made today. Many inquiries have been made asking the committee in charge if costumes are to be worn.

Planning Trip Abroad—

Mrs. Edith Morrison and Miss Ethel McKenzie, who formerly owned the Variety Store, are planning to leave shortly for an extended trip abroad. They have left for Seattle, where they will visit before sailing for Europe.

Joined Husband In South—

Mrs. F. M. Shontz has left for San Francisco, where she will join Mr. Shontz who is south on a buying trip for the Klamath Furniture company. Mr. Shontz has been attending "Market Week" in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs South—

Mr. and Mrs. Lee W. Jacobs were among those having reservations on the southbound Southern Pacific train last night. Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs will spend some time in San Francisco visiting.

Baker In Hospital—

J. M. Baker of Baker and Dunn, contractors, is confined to the Klamath Valley hospital, where he submitted to a major operation. Mr. Baker is reported as recovering nicely.

Returned to California—

Mrs. J. A. Brown has returned to her home at Merrill after visiting at Griddle, California, for the past month with her daughters, Mrs. Ray Benight and Mrs. Earl Brooks.

Dr. and Mrs. Soule Left—

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Soule were among those who boarded the special train of the Southern Pacific last evening for San Francisco, where they will enjoy a visit.

Visiting South—

Mrs. R. Motschenbacher and Mrs. Frank Evans left last night for San Francisco to enjoy a fortnight. While south they will visit at Oakland, Berkeley, Point Richmond and San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill South—

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hill, prominent farmers of Mt. Laki district, left last night for San Francisco, where they will spend the coming fortnight.

Hosley Recuperating—

Ernie Hosley of the Merrill country is improving following an operation which he recently submitted to at the Klamath Valley hospital.

Returned to Normal—

Miss Thelma Lewis was able to resume her studies at Ashland Normal this week after a lengthy illness. Miss Lewis has been ill since the Christmas holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Truax Left—

Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Truax were among the Klamath Falls people who left last night for San Francisco on the special train.

Not Aired at Medford—

The following item from the Medford News of Medford, will be of interest to people of this community: That Senator McNary's bill to establish a federal court in Klamath Falls would not take away Medford's session is the substance of a telegram received by the chamber of commerce yesterday from Senator Fred Steiwer. "Answering your wire January 22, am mailing copy McNary's bill to establish federal court at Klamath Falls," the telegram says. "I cannot see that the bill takes anything away from either Medford or Pendleton, at which places federal court has heretofore been held." Medford has no objections to holding a session in Klamath Falls, so long as it is not at the expense of the local court.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Home—

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson are home from an enjoyable trip to Boise and Lewiston, Idaho, where they visited with relatives and friends. They plan to visit in Medford with friends for several days. Mr. Anderson is enjoying a vacation from his duties with the Southern Pacific. Mrs. Anderson is employed at Moe's and is now on a month's vacation.

To Visit Parents Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cozad are looking forward to a visit from their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip S. Pope of McFarland, California. Mr. and Mrs. Pope recently disposed of their drug store in the southern city and are planning a trip which will bring them to Klamath Falls and other southern Oregon points.

Eastern Star Carnival—

The Eastern Star Social club has completed plans for a carnival to be held at Masonic Temple on Saturday evening, February 9. All Masons, Eastern Stars and their friends are cordially invited. This carnival was to have been held in December but was postponed because of so much illness at that time.

Purchased Store Here—

Fred E. Eyerly, recently of Woodburn, has purchased the Klamath Variety Store at 434 Main street, from Mrs. Edith Morrison and Miss Ethel McKenzie. Mr. Eyerly will bring his family to Klamath Falls. He took possession of the store on January 22.

Mrs. Hayden South—

Mrs. Flora Hayden, bookkeeper with the Klamath News and Evening Herald, is enjoying a vacation in San Francisco and other southern cities with relatives and friends. Mrs. Hayden went south on the excursion train last evening.

Located In Klamath Falls—

A. C. Palmer and J. W. Kruse, formerly of Oakland, Calif., have opened a plumbing business to be known as the Klamath Plumbing company. They have established offices at 250 Delta street.

Enjoying Vacation South—

Mrs. Ada Parsons, well known resident of the Bonanza country, is enjoying a delightful vacation with relatives and friends in southern California.

Mrs. Slater Left—

Mrs. Jack Slater and son left last night for San Francisco, where they will remain a fortnight visiting.

Mrs. Hector Left—

Mrs. O. M. Hector left last night on the special train for San Francisco on a visit.

A. A. U. Championships—

The Pacific coast A. A. U. boxing championships will be held in Portland Monday and Tuesday nights, February 25 and 26, under auspices of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic club. The two nights' flat classic will be staged in the Portland Armory. James J. Richardson, manager of the club, expects at least 60 entries from eleven western states which make up the five amateur districts comprising Pacific coast territory. Entry blanks are being mailed to all colleges, universities, high schools, recognized amateur athletic clubs and unattached boxers on the Pacific coast. Any boxer who has never participated in a bout for financial gain will be permitted to enter the tournament. Entry blanks may be secured from James J. Richardson, care Multnomah club, Portland.

Visits Lakeview—

Luke Walker, prominent stockman of Klamath county, was a visitor in the city Tuesday. Mr. Walker was formerly located at Bly and has many friends in Lakeview and Lake county.—Lakeview Examiner.

Harris In Lakeview—

Zed Harris of Klamath Falls, formerly engaged in farming at Paisley, is a business visitor in Lakeview for a few days. Mr. Harris is now engaged in logging contracting in Klamath county.—Lakeview Examiner.

Uhlir on Trip—

H. Uhlir, Klamath Falls electrical contractor, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday. He was accompanied by R. E. Paddock, Klamath Falls.—Lakeview Examiner.

Visiting In California—

Mrs. Roy Fugate, resident of Tule Lake, is spending some time in Los Angeles visiting relatives and friends.

DOUKHOBORS STAGE NAKED DANCE IN SNOW

GRAND FORKS, British Columbia, Jan. 26 (UP)—One hundred Doukhobors—a sect of Russian land settlers—went berserk here yesterday when two provincial police attempted to arrest three of their colony.

The Doukhobors reverted to viking days.

Dance in Snow Naked. They stripped themselves naked. They danced in snow a foot deep and in a biting cold.

They worked themselves up into such a frenzy that they were beyond any civilization or calming.

They ended by putting the two officers to flight and defying them to bring on all the law forces of the province.

Trouble Over Schools

Today the situation stood with the government forces debating the next step and the Doukhobors hurrying from all parts of the countryside to the ranch where yesterday's mad demonstration took place.

Laugh Clown Loses Smiles



Above, "Happy Jimmy" Murphy as he used to look in his make-up—and, below, the unsmiling Murphy of today.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 26.—A clown who can neither laugh himself nor make other people laugh at him isn't a clown. So "Happy Jimmy" Murphy, 51-year old veteran of circus and theater, is trying to get a divorce.

There's no obvious connection between those two statements. But Murphy, seeking to divorce his third wife, whom he married in 1924, says in his petition that she has nagged him so much that he has lost his ability to laugh—and, with it, his ability to make others laugh. If he gets a divorce, he says, he'll be himself again and all will be well.

Murphy, who ran away from his home in Streator, Ill., at the age of eight to join a circus, and who has appeared in all parts of the United States and Europe, says that the backneyed "laugh, clown, laugh" motif is all a myth. A clown who is unhappy can't succeed, he says. Hiding a broken heart behind a painted smile is all right, except that the broken heart won't stay hidden.

"In the old days," said Murphy, "you had to be able to entertain a crowd all by yourself. I've had to come out on the stage and keep 'em laughing

for over half an hour straight. A clown then had to be able to sing, dance, do acrobatics and almost be a complete show alone. I used to get \$10 a week for that, but I was happier and had more money than ever since."

"There ain't many of the old-timers left who could do the 'leaps,' sing and be in the concert. The ones nowadays just put a lot of make-up on and run around and think they are funny."

"When Ben went into the movies I had a chance to go, too, but I didn't, old fool that I was," he says.

BOWLING RESULTS

Following are scores made by bowling teams on Friday night at the Klamath Bowling Alley:

Lorenz Plumbers	1	2	3	Total
Driscoll	148	230	217	595
Foster	104	168	167	439
W. Lorenz	173	176	169	518
Russman	170	195	171	446
O. Lorenz	169	125	137	431
Totals	764	805	861	2430

Elk B.	1	2	3	Total
McCroskey	176	206	134	516
Schaupp	153	156	155	464
Hoyce	180	171	156	507
Argaves	117	131	160	408
Leavitt	128	157	188	543
Totals	824	821	793	2438

Pelican Bay	1	2	3	Total
Pohl	164	179	144	487
Nyback	143	147	131	421
Starr	145	160	125	430
Cain	136	138	145	419
Howard	145	204	171	520
Totals	723	828	716	2267

Connolly Brothers	1	2	3	Total
Schaap	202	167	171	540
Nitachem	133	124	168	425
Pool	151	173	155	479
Renick	137	111	143	391
Houston	163	145	155	463
Totals	766	725	802	2293

COMMITTEE TO FAVOR OREGON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (UP)—From the department of agriculture Senator McNary has received a favorable report on his bill to apply the same fire protection regulations to lands of Oregon and California and Coos Bay wagon road grants as are applied to national forest lands.

Assistant Secretary Dunlap, in transmitting the report, said the problem as to all these lands is identical, and departmental regulations as to burning slashings and other precautionary measures should extend uniformly to all.

AIMEE MAY AID JUDGE HARDY

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25 (UP)—Aimee Semple McPherson, the world's most famous woman evangelist, will testify before a legislative investigating committee here Saturday at a hearing to determine if Superior Judge Carlos E. Hardy should be impeached because he accepted a \$2500 check from her.

She will be asked to explain the payment to Hardy, which he has said was for legal advice.

The State Bar association ruled that the jurist violated the state code in acting as an attorney when he was serving as a superior court judge.

The famed "kidnapping" of the evangelist three years ago, when she disappeared on the beach at Ocean Park and reappeared on an Arizona desert, probably will be seen throughout the hearing.

While the disappearance case is not directly concerned, an effort will be made to learn if the "advice" given Mrs. McPherson by Hardy was in that connection.

FRIEND ATTACKS WIFE

AKRON, O., Jan. 25.—Jealous of his wife's beauty, George Thomas, 39, tried to gouge her eyes out with his thumb as the climax of a bitter quarrel early today. The man then shot and killed his 4-year-old son, Robert, shot and critically wounded his 2-year-old daughter, Rose, as she lay in her crib, drank poison and shot himself twice. He is dead; his wife, Helen, 23, may escape.

INDIAN PROBE STARTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Jackson Barnett, wealthy Creek Indian, and his white wife, who is alleged to have kidnapped him, thus creating the famous "Jackson Barnett case," have been summoned to testify before the senate Indian investigating commission February 4. They reside in Los Angeles.

The fastest liners in the world at present are the Mauretania (25 1/2 knots) and Maestral (25), both British ships; then comes the France (24), a French vessel, and an American, the Leviathan (24).

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