

# Modoc 'Hot' As Election Draws Near

ALTURAS, June 1.—With the primary election to be held in California on June 4, which will decide the winners in four contests, the political situation in Modoc county is getting rather "hot."

John Sharp, sheriff, is being opposed by Glyne M. Johnson of Adin. Both have staunch supporters throughout the county and even money is being offered on the outcome of the battle. Johnson is a veteran of World War I and served in the Seabees in World War II. Sharp has been sheriff of the county for 16 years.

Mrs. Ella C. Sloss and Mrs. Mollie E. Miller are out for the county clerkship. Both are working hard for the office.

For supervisor in the fifth district, which includes Tulake area, Adin, Lookout and the Canby district, Clinton J. Fulcher of Lookout, former state assemblyman, and D. M. "Dan" Crawford of Tulake are seeking the office. Fulcher operates a garage in Lookout; Crawford is a farmer in the Tulake district.

For justice of the peace in the Canby-Alturas townships, Ralph W. Doolittle, incumbent, is opposed by Archie R. Close. Both are old-time residents and a close race is looked for.

Dennis McHugh, constable in the Alturas-Canby townships, is battling it out with A. A. Rachford. Both are residents of Alturas.

District Attorney Charles Lederer, Etta C. Pepperdine-Miller, tax collector and treasurer; T. H. Ballard, recorder and auditor; Hallie M. Tierney, county superintendent of schools, have no opposition for the offices they hold.

# Smokey Gets New Owner



Turning over the title of ownership of her horse, "Smokey," to Otto Smith, head of the Klamath County chapter of the Red Cross is Mrs. Frank Hurd. Smokey has been donated to the Red Cross by Mrs. Hurd to be the main attraction at an auction sale sometime in July from which all proceeds will go to the Red Cross. Pictured with Smokey are, left to right, Otto Smith, Jessie Totten, one of Smokey's admirers, Frank Hurd, and Mrs. Hurd.

# Horse Donated To Red Cross

From her interest in the Red Cross and its work, Mrs. Frank Hurd has donated to the Klamath County chapter of the American Red Cross a five-year old horse named "Smokey," to be auctioned off at a later date for the benefit of the Red Cross.

She hopes by this gesture to start the ball rolling toward an auction sale of anything in the way of household goods, livestock, or other goods of value donated by Klamath people from which all proceeds will go to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Hurd, a former WAC, purchased "Smokey" with her mustering-out pay. Impressed with the record of the Red Cross she feels that Klamath county people can do a great deal for that organization by making similar contributions to help the Red Cross raise funds to continue its work.

The date of the auction sale and the name of the auctioneer will be announced later, but it is hoped to be held at the time of a Fourth of July celebration either at the local fairgrounds or at some other celebration in the county.

People having goods to donate toward the sale are asked to contact Otto Smith, head of the Klamath County chapter of Red Cross.

Smokey is being cared for in a stall specified for him at the fairgrounds by Al Jones, caretaker of the fairgrounds, who is

donating his time. The Standard Feed company is providing feed for Smokey. He will be exhibited in downtown Klamath Falls soon, and is being exercised by experienced riders. Jessie Totten, a 15-year-old high school girl, devotes much of her time riding him. The horse may be seen at the fairgrounds in stall 22.

# Auto Accident Fatal To Mt. Hood Veteran

HOOD RIVER, June 1 (AP)—Charles Tweedy, 21, Mt. Hood, was fatally injured yesterday in a Mt. Hood Loop automobile accident which left his companion, Gene Jackson, 23, Odell, in critical condition.

Jackson, who suffered a fractured collar bone, cuts and bruises, was semi-conscious but expected to recover. He is in a hospital here.

Police said Tweedy was thrown 30 feet when the car carrying the youths, recently discharged veterans, overturned en route from The Dalles to Odell.

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# Under-Age Veterans Hinderd By Laws

PORTLAND, June 1 (AP)—State laws, which say that minors cannot enter into binding real estate contracts or loans, are denying full benefits of the GI bill and state loan act to Oregon veterans under 21, Hugh L. Rosson, state veterans affairs director, said today.

He recommended that the state legislature pass amendments, but reported no such

proposal has yet been discussed. Oregon and Washington are not among the 26 states which have revised their laws to aid minor veterans, he reported.

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# Toastmasters Hold Meeting

At the Toastmasters club meeting, Wednesday night, Frank Weaver was acting president and conducted the meeting in the absence of Harry Stoler, club president.

Toastmasters for the evening were Vincent Clapp, and topic-master was Jack McGuire, who conducted a discussion of magazine advertising. Lyle Glenn was general critic for the program.

Hugh Estes and A. H. Bussman gave 10-minute talks, and other speakers for the evening were Paul Taylor, Bill Miller, Dale Throckmorton, Scotty Johnston and George Kunzman.

**Meetings**

Neighbors of Woodcraft—Monday, 8 p. m., KC hall

Juveniles—Juveniles of Neighbors of Woodcraft, KC hall, Monday, 2 p. m. Attention is called to this new meeting time.

Knight's Path—Monday, 8 p. m., 1009 hall. Initiation in rank of knight. Refreshments later.

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# Telling The Editor

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**METERS DO THE JOB**  
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (To the Editor)—I am a farmer and a worker. Live some 14 miles out of Medford, Oregon.

Since the war began it has been a major problem to obtain parking space on the streets of that city.

It has seemed to us out-of-town people that the merchants of Medford were in the bad habit of hogging all the parking space possible.

It also seemed that the police must have known all business men's cars and did not limit them to the legal hour city ordinances permitted.

So it was, as a result, that we who wished to trade with those business men, could not easily find parking space. The result was that we were obliged to park at considerable distance from the business house we wished to patronize. This made things very inconvenient, as you can readily see, and we did not like such conditions.

Recently the city installed the parking meters. As a result we are able, without difficulty, to find a space in which to leave our cars and within a reasonable distance of the business center. No one complains about the fee of one nickel.

I have been wondering if the same pre-meter situation exists here as it did in Medford. If so, then the meter will be a good thing for this city.

I am now employed by the lumbering industry in this city. Yours sincerely,  
A. L. UNGER.

**ABOUT CHINA**  
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (To the Editor)—Is the Chinese situation ever going to be settled? I have an answer which many Americans agree with. I say, let China settle her own affairs. Let us keep our nose out of it. Of course we would like to see a stable government in China. We would like a big trade with her, but we can get along without it.

I am not an isolationist but so far as China is concerned, wash our hands of her. We offered good peace service. General Marshall is deserving of praise for his work.

Some say if we let China alone a large percentage of her population would be killed. O.K. let it happen. There will be plenty left. So far as death is concerned, really does it matter? All have to have it. When you reach my age (76) and even

if this has been a good world to you, and you see so many good and bad men of your time have passed on, what is the use of too much ambition? "All paths of glory lead but to the grave."

I still work and have ambition, because God gave me talents and strength to use them, but what is the use of regrets if I do not accomplish a great deal? I'll have to pass on and leave all to a younger generation. I repeat what an old missionary said. He had lived his allotted time. "I know on borrowed time I'm living. I'll keep on working, striving ever; all my way to be of some use, God let me die working, ceasing never."

The number of living creatures are but as a drop in a bucket to the myriads who have passed into mother earth.

Chiang Kai-shek is too ambitious, but let him alone, let them kill a lot of Chinese.

The same thing can be said of the communist leader, En Lai. Give them rope.

We had a similar situation here in the USA, in the 1860's. We fought it out, in some cases, brother against brother, but we produced the greatest nation the world ever had. We wanted no outside nation to nose in.

For thousands of years China has been a backward nation, maybe if they fight it out they will make up and be a progressive country.

Fire purifies crude ore. A good destructive fight sometimes purifies a nation. Let

China fight it out. We can stand by and wait results as the world did in our Civil war.

Spanish civil war was unproductive because other nations stuck their noses into the mess.

DR. W. P. TABER,  
4060 Shasta way.

**MOOSE!**  
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**KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (To the Editor)**—We would like to take this opportunity to thank all participants and donors of flowers for the Memorial Day services.

We would especially like to thank Jack Linman for his splendid job of master of ceremonies, Dayton E. Van Vector for his address, The Reverend Father Raymond Beard and the Rev. Victor Phillips for their services at the Memorial shaft.

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