

SPEBSQSA Group To Go To Bay City

The Klamath Falls chapter of the SPEBSQSA will be represented by one quartet at the Far Western Regional Barber Shop Quartet contest to be held at the War Memorial opera house in San Francisco on Saturday, May 1.

At this contest, one quartet will be selected from the northwest states and one from the southwest states, for entry in an international contest at Oklahoma City on June 14. Forty quartets will be entered in the international competition, which will require two days to run off the semi-finals and finals.

The contests are different from parades in that eight competent judges are on hand to score competing quartets on merits and demerits. These judges work on a definite set of rules and score on such points as attacks, releases, balance, blend, harmony, appearance, stage presence, costume, etc.

The Klamath Falls entry in the preliminary at San Francisco this time will be the Eagle Four, consisting of Dick Hamilton, B. J. Loftsgaard, C. K. Perkins and M. L. Shepherd.

John H. Houston, director of the Klamath Falls chapter, will also be present at the San Francisco contest. Accompanying him will be Mrs. Houston and a few other Klamath Falls people.

High School

News and Comment
By MARY LOU CASE



The lucky girl whose class has sold the most tickets to the track meet May 1 will be crowned tonight at the coronation dance. The outcome won't be disclosed until the coronation, and everyone is wondering whether it is Trudy Bennett, Beverly Young, Sandra Moore or Betty Pinniger.

The dance is being held in the boys' gym, and prices have been lowered to 75 cents couple, and 50 cents stag. The surplus money will go to the Teen-age club.

Bob Hooker was elected president of Hi-Y at a meeting Thursday. Norman Wilson was elected vice president; Boyd Carstensen, secretary-treasurer, and John Young, chaplain. Retiring President Glenn Lorenz will turn the gavel over to Bob to carry. Bob Hendershot is adviser.

Another club has chosen its officers for the next year. Fonda Parsons was elected president of Commercial club. Assisting her will be Elys Hazzard as vice president; Pat Ward, secretary-treasurer, and Kathryn Paup, reporter. Glenn Lorenz is also retiring president of commercial club; Mae Lorenzen advises.

Off on a bus at 6 a.m. were the band and AC choir today, for the state music festival in Eugene. Earlier this week the clarinet quartet and drum ensemble traveled to Eugene as well as several soloists. The soloists that were eligible to compete were the ones receiving "1's" in the Southern Oregon contest.

Plans for today's "clean-up" parade were humming around KU today. As plans stand at this moment the parade should have started at 3:20 at the high school and moved the length of Main street. Posters and floats sponsored by the school clubs were to have participated along with eight school busloads of students.

Knapp Assigned To Lakeview Post

LAKEVIEW, April 30—State Policeman Todd Knapp will arrive here about May 1 to fill the vacancy to be created at that time by the recent resignation of Tommy Martin.

Martin, whose plans are still indefinite, submitted his resignation a month ago, effective May 1, because his daughter's health is not good in this altitude. He was stationed here for about two years.

Knapp has been with the force for about 10 years, stationed at Klamath Falls.

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Trees May Be Key To Deposits Of Minerals

DENVER, April 30 (AP)—By examining a tree, the geologist of the future may be able to tell definitively whether deposits of copper, zinc and other metals lie underground.

Progress made by the University of British Columbia in research along this line was reported by Prof. E. V. Warren Wednesday before the national convention of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists.

"Our investigation shows," he said, "that the zinc and copper content of some trees and lesser plants may reflect, to a striking extent, the

presence of zinc and copper under the ground.

"We have proved conclusively that biogeochemistry has real possibilities in metal prospecting."

When the project was started three years ago, Warren said "we faced a lot of laughing from practical mining men. A sure sign of our progress is the fact that the mining companies of British Columbia now show 'benevolent tolerance' toward us."

But when it comes to putting up money for continued research, he added, this "tolerance" changes into a stone wall. However, he said, much financial and technical help has been given by the United States.

"From the results of our experiments so far, we feel that it will be possible to present both prospector and geologist with a new and useful tool," he said.

Speaking before another section of the convention, Dr. D. R. Layer, research geologist from Calgary, Alberta, said the oil reserves of Canada's new Leduc oil field had been estimated in excess of 106,000,000 barrels.

Discovered in February, 1947, the field already has 37 oil wells producing 4470 barrels daily under government allowances.

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Coosten Area Vote Slated May 17

EASTSIDE, April 30 (AP)—This incorporated suburb of Coos Bay will vote May 17 on the question of eliminating the Coosten area from the city of Eastside.

Separated by the Coos river, Coosten residents reach Eastside proper only by driving 10 miles in a circuitous route that takes them over McCullough bridge, through North Bend and Coos Bay and across the Eastside bridge spanning Isthmus slough.

Fishermen To Take 23-Cent Fish Price

ASTORIA, Ore., April 30 (AP)—Columbia river fishermen have voted to accept 23 cents a pound, the same price as last year, for the salmon they deliver to canneries.

This is the first season since the removal of OPA controls that packers have not increased their price offer. Fishermen will probably receive more than 23 cents, though, as canneries usually pay a bonus to meet the competition of the fresh fish market buyers.

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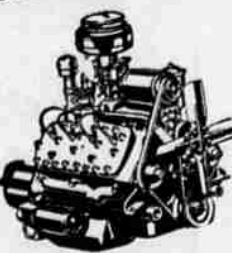
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Forest Office To Open May 1

The forest service ranger station at Lake of the Woods will be opened May 1, according to present plans of District Ranger Robert Cooper with Ansel Pearce in charge.

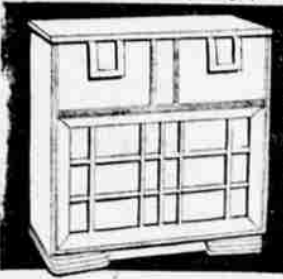
The office will be open during regular business hours from June 10, through the balance of the fire season.

A seven-man fire suppression crew will be headquartered at the lake this summer in addition to the regular fireman and recreational aide. This crew will be subject to call by the Ashland and Butte Falls ranger stations as well.

A timber stand improvement crew will operate out of Scott creek this year Cooper advised and will be made up of forestry school students from Oregon State college and several eastern forestry schools. This project will consist of pruning, thinning and release work on the timber sales areas cut over during the past three years.

Except for the new crews no changes in last year's personnel are expected, Cooper said.

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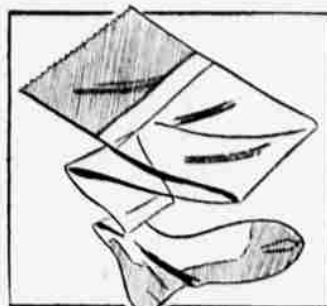
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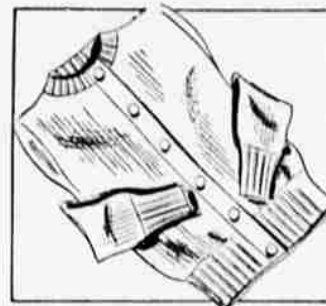
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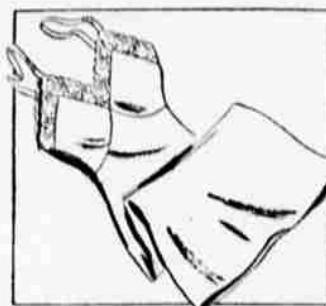
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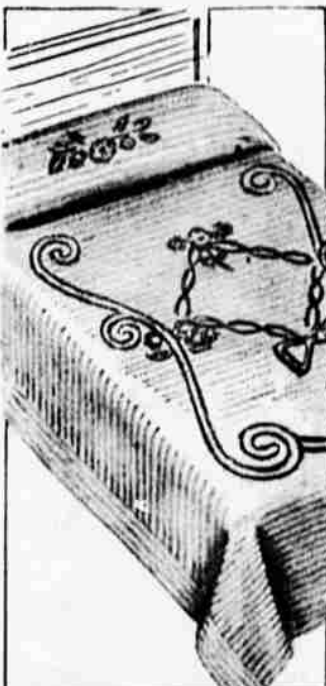
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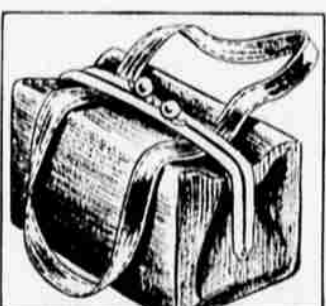
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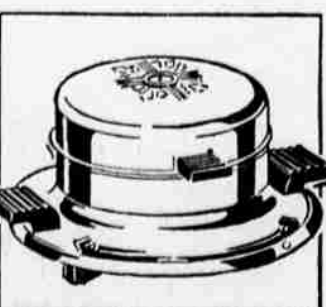
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