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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY OF KLAMATH FALLS

"Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith let us to the end dare to do our duty as we understand it"—Abraham Lincoln

BASEBALL REIGNS!

Baseball—the game that grips and gets "under your skin" in such a way that you're a kid again. Horse racing may be the sport of kings, but fandom is ruled by baseball.

Apropos of fandom's reign, the baseball season has opened in Klamath Falls auspiciously, with an exhibition and an attendance which insures the success of the 1925 Klamath-Siskiyou baseball league.

Sunday afternoon saw fifteen hundred hearty-lunged enthusiasts congregated at the ball park, obvious to the cares and worries of everyday—a pair of hours in which trials and tribulations were forgotten and clean, enthralling sport indulged in.

Klamath Falls is indeed fortunate in having a people who are always willing to encourage and support sports or movements which tend to make life more worthwhile.

Yes, Klamath Falls is behind its baseball team, and has proven it conclusively.

WHAT DOES THE FUTURE HOLD?

Not far from our office is a shop window in which there is a nice, new, golden-oak desk and office chair, and looking at it makes us wonder what is going to happen to that combination.

Somebody is going to buy that desk and chair and rent an office and get a name painted on the door. Will all the pretty plans he has at first blow up into nothing or will a business be started that will grow and grow into a prideful thing?

Will he be a crook or an honest man? Will he scheme to sell wildcat stocks to folks who can ill afford to lose, or will he so order his affairs that investors will rise up and call him blessed?

And at times will he sit at that desk and in that chair and worry about a note due on the morrow, or will his face soften with smiles at the thought that across that desk comes the honest wherewithal to make his home and home folks happier?

GETTING THE MOST OUT OF ROADS

Practically every county in the United States has many miles of good rock macadam highways which have outlived their usefulness from the standpoint of carrying modern motor vehicle traffic. Thousands of dollars a mile have been spent in building and maintaining these old roads. To save this investment of the taxpayers is a duty which devolves upon county commissioners and boards of supervisors.

Instead of tearing up these roads, it has been successfully demonstrated in many states that they can be used as a base for a waterproof asphaltic concrete surface at a saving of from \$6,000 to \$10,000 a mile.

Extension of this type of road paving is saving taxpayers over the country millions of dollars and building hundreds of miles of hard surfaced highways which could not otherwise be paved.

GONE IS THE DAY OF THE RADIO "FILLER"

Back in the early days of radio broadcasting, the program manager didn't have to worry about "filling" his time on the air. One or more phonographs and an automatic piano were fixtures of the broadcasting studio, and when there was a lull in the program the studio announcer made good use of a few of the latest record releases or pianola rolls to fill in the time.

That practice, however, is a thing of the past. The radio audience no longer wants to listen to just plain "fillers" to kill time, so to speak. Today, everything that comes over the air must be fresh or first-hand. Moreover, the various features must be fitted into the program with the utmost care and judgment, so as to make for a harmonious ensemble.

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HILDERBRAND

HILDERBRAND, May 18.—The school program and picnic given Friday, May 8 was well attended and all report a good time. Those present were: Mrs. Rodgers and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kaut, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flackus, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lind and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Welch and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lovelady, Mrs. E. K. Hartzler, Mrs. P. Thomas, Mrs. Weisk, Mrs. Vieira, Mrs. Michael and daughter, Mrs. Adam Weidman, J. G. Wright, David Bliss, Andrew Vince, Matilda and Ann Bodnar, Frank Beck and teachers and pupils.

Mrs. Tipton and David Clanton and two daughters, Lena and Irene, were Klamath Falls visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bartlett were Klamath Falls visitors Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ritter and Mrs. George Ritter visited at the Jacob Kueck home Sunday.

David J. Bliss was transacting business in Klamath Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers and family and Mrs. M. Vieira and children spent Sunday with M. Vieira and sons at their Sprague River ranch.

Quite a number of our ranchers attended the track meet in Klamath Falls Saturday.

T. A. Roberts has been seriously ill for the past week.

Our school closes Friday, after a very successful term.

Miss Ada Flackus who is working in Klamath Falls visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Flackus Thursday.

CHILOQUIN

CHILOQUIN, May 18.—A petition is being signed rapidly here by all the citizens demanding a high school be erected in Chilquin. This school is greatly needed, as at the present all the boys and girls of high school age have to go to the expense of attending the high school in Klamath Falls and it works a great hardship on the parents of the children.

Albert Jackson and Mrs. Jackson were in town today making local purchases and returning home the same day.

Edward Hall, of Williamson river has received a letter from Harry Miller, of Warm Springs, who is well known here and he reports that a large number of Warm Springs will be here for the Klamath Indian convention at Wul-Kee in June.

Mrs. Jess L. Kirk, wife of the secretary of the Klamath Indian council, who has been confined to her bed is greatly improved.

A week from Sunday, May 24 at Wul-Kee the trout will take place for the bucking horses which will be used at the coming Klamath Indian convention. Cecil Jackson, Francis Silvers and Roland Hicks have rounded up a bunch of horses for this event. They all being well known riders of the past rodeos.

Mrs. Rose M. Wright who has been under the doctor's care for some time past, has returned to the home of Mrs. P. Miller in Chilquin and she is showing some improvement in health.

Anderson Faithful, rancher of Beatty, is stopping with his old time friend George Miller.

J. J. Steiger, well known lumberman, left for Klamath Falls via motor and intends to spend the weekend with his daughter in Dorris, Calif.

Walter J. Kerrigan, well known publicity man left for Sprague to visit with friends and will return tonight.

The Williamson river is going down some and the local fishermen are reporting some good catches.

MERRILL

MERRILL, May 18.—The Merrill Library club met at the home of Mrs. N. H. Bogue Thursday afternoon. On motion the last card party for the season will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall the first Saturday in June. The last meeting of the year will be in June, at the home of Mrs. W. Walker. Mrs. T. Blake will assist in entertaining. Mrs. Bogue served an elaborate luncheon at the close of the after-

noon. Members and friends present were: Mesdames R. L. Dalton, R. H. Anderson, Ed. Harwood, Jim Stevenson, E. K. Barker, G. F. Carlton, Arthur Frasier, C. V. Shuck, Bert Grashiel, F. N. Morer, Jess Wellatch, J. R. Hallett, T. Blake, Albert Meyers, C. D. Chappenz, W. C. Bailey, W. Walker, Joe Dewey, R. C. Anderson, R. C. Gifford, Mosées, Ellen Mayhugh, Thelma Anderson and the system, George Offield and daughter, Miriam and Winifred, were visitors in Klamath Falls Friday afternoon. Rev. Charles C. Hulet returned home from Portland Friday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Hobbs was transacting business in Klamath Falls Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. P. Merritt, who has been sick for the past two weeks and after improving and seemingly was on the way to recovery developed a case of scarlet fever. Miss Joyce Siford is staying with Mrs. Merritt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hendrickson were in Klamath Falls Thursday afternoon.

W. F. Jinnette was a business visitor in Klamath Falls Friday.

The senior banquet given Friday evening in the school cafeteria, was a very pretty little affair. The dining room was prettily decorated with evergreens. The senior table was decorated with a bouquet of white roses while the other tables held bouquets of lilacs. The place cards were green leaves suspended in front of each place, the shaded lamps gave a soft twilight effect. The guests were deftly served by the boys of the junior guests. The principal, Mr. Turnbaugh, was toast master for the evening.

The class history was read by Mary Graybael, the Will by Helen Meyer, and the prophecy by Charlotte Georston. Each member of the senior class gave thanks to the juniors. W. F. Jinnette, president of the school board and Fred Peterson, county superintendent, addressed the class with an appropriate message, after which all repaired to the assembly room where the junior class put on a very clever and original stunt, namely, an imitation of school days at St. M. S. The invited guests were the members of the school board and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jinnette, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. M. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Anderson, the county superintendent, Fred Peterson and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Chas. C. Hulet, all the school teachers, the senior class and the junior and sophomore classes as host and hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Turnbaugh were visitors in Klamath Falls Saturday.

The high school will have their annual picnic on next Wednesday. Several rooms of the grades are planning an outing on Monday.

The funeral service for Mrs. Elizabeth Cox was held Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian church, Rev. Bobbitt, of Klamath Falls read the service. The many floral pieces were beautiful and expressed the high esteem in which Mrs. Cox was held by her family and friends. Interment was in the old Merrill cemetery.

MIDLAND

MIDLAND, May 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Douglas are expected to arrive in Midland from Siskiyou county, Calif. They will visit Mr. and Mrs. Harry Withrill, of Midland.

Mr. Callahan was visiting at the Midland school last Wednesday. He is from the state superintendent's office at Salem. He made a very nice speech before he left.

Frank Sexton also was a visitor at the school. He was looking after the club work of the Midland boys and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Barnett and small son were Klamath Falls visitors Thursday.

Charles Porter was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edger Farber Friday evening.

Miss Opal Hooper returned to school after several days of illness.

John Hooper was a caller in Midland Friday morning. The Midland school children are able to breathe more freely since the state exams are over.

The Adventures of Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy

By JOHNNY GRUELLE

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Raggedy Ann and Raggedy Andy were sorry to part Grampy Hoppytoad, for he had been with them on so many adventures and was such a jolly old fellow. But Grampy Hoppytoad said, "I have had a long vacation, so now I go back to my work for the Fairies and keep all the insects off the lovely flowers in the Fairy hovers!"

So the Raggedys told Grampy Hoppytoad goodbye and watched him ride away through the woods on his lovely leaf scooter.

"Now, which way shall we go, Raggedy Andy?" Raggedy Ann asked.

"We will throw a stick up in the air, and whichever it points when it falls, we will go that way!" So Raggedy Andy threw a stick up in the air and when it pointed across the brook the Raggedys jumped their magic scooters and scooters hopped up in the air and sailed right across the brook.

Now, if the stick had pointed another way, perhaps the Raggedys would have found the strange creature who in the path, and as it was Raggedy Ann almost ran into it before she saw him.

"Please excuse me," Raggedy Ann said.

"I'm very glad you didn't run into me!" the strange creature replied, "for had you hit me with your scooter I would have tumbled down and would have broken into smithereens!"

"Dear me," Raggedy Ann exclaimed. "You don't look like a stick!"

"Indeed I do!" the man replied. "I am a candy stick, that's why! Very brittle!"

"Why, you do look transparent," Raggedy Ann said.

"What does that mean, Raggedy Ann?" the candy stick asked.

"Why, transparent means something which can be seen through, or like a piece of glass."

"I've noticed that my shadow is quite dim," the candy stick sighed. "But, oh dear, what can I do? I wish that I made me had decided to make me of cloth like you wouldn't break! Why," he said, in a confidential manner afraid to sit down for fear of snapping off my leg!"

Just then a large man came walking down the path, looking in the bushes with his cane and snooping about. He saw the Raggedys and the candy man he called to.

"Don't let him get away, Raggedy Ann. It's my candy and I want to eat him. He's flavored with strawberries like a lovely lolly pop!"

The candy man started to walk stiffly away, and Raggedy Ann knew that he could never travel fast enough to escape from the large man, so he picked up the candy man and hid him on the magic scooter, then hopping on in back he sent the scooter sailing down the path and he jumped the brook. Raggedy Ann jumped upon her scooter and started away, but the large man, seeing she was escaping, too, and angry because he had lost the candy man, threw his cane. Now, of course, it did not hurt Raggedy Ann, for she was looking right ahead and did not notice the cane. Then, before she could get to the edge and escape, the man had her tight in his hand.

"Aha, Mister Raggedy Andy," he shouted. "I shall keep Raggedy Ann until you return my candy man!" And this, the large man turned back the path and carried Raggedy Ann and hung her on a nail in the wall.

"You can just hang there until I get my candy man!" the large man said.

FAMOUS FANS

THE CREW IN THE REAR SEAT THAT GIVE FREE ADVICE ON DRIVING =

