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BOTH LAKEPORT AND FT. BRAGG SUFFER DEFEAT

Locals Defeat Two Teams By Hard Hitting And Real Teamwork.

In the face of a blinding dust storm which was stirred up by a gale from the north, the Ukiah baseball team walked away with last Sunday's game with Fort Bragg's "Uicos." The final score stood 18 to 10. It was rather hard to recognize the hard hitting bunch who walloped Ukiah in the Fort Bragg game some two weeks ago, in the aggregation that was trounced so badly here Sunday. Poor hitting and baserunning on the part of the coasters was partly responsible for their defeat. The Ukiah boys played excellent baseball, and gave Bev Broadbush air tight support during the nine frames.

Monday's game between Ukiah and Lakeport was more or less of a farce as the 22 to 6 score in favor of Ukiah would indicate. Lakeport used four pitchers during the game, but the Ukiah boys found all of them easily. Taylor pitched high class ball for Ukiah and had the opposing batters at his mercy throughout the game.

Next Sunday's game will be played on the local diamond and the contending teams will be Willits and Ukiah. Since the teams are nearly evenly matched the contest promises to be a warm affair. Ukiah is scheduled to win the game Sunday, and if the dope runs true to form, the locals will pull out of their place in the cellar of the Mendocino county league, and Willits will be occupying the lowly position.

Harry Johnson, manager of the local team, has been making arrangements with the railroad company to run a special train to Fort Bragg, a week from next Sunday, to take over a load of excursionists to root for Ukiah in the game to be played with Fort Bragg on that day. Provided 150 passengers can be found who will make the trip the excursion train will be run. The round-trip fare will be \$3.00.

Accused Forger Gets Three Years Probation

Fred R. Jaeger of Santa Rosa, who came up for hearing last Friday afternoon, accused of passing bogus checks aggregating \$123 entered a plea of guilty to the charge, and was placed on probation for three years. Miss Edyth Papefus, of Santa Rosa was with Jaeger during the trial and when Judge White suspended sentence on Jaeger and placed him on probation Miss Papefus, was about the happiest mortal imaginable.

Immediately after leaving the court room the couple went into the county clerk's office and took out a marriage license. They were married by Rev. J. E. Moore at noon and returned to Santa Rosa, where they will make their home.

FAIL TO PAY BOARD BILL; LODGED IN JAIL

In the case of Boaz and Taylor, two "laboring men" who were arrested in Willits Tuesday, following a little oversight on their part in neglecting to pay a four dollar board bill, it is pretty hard to figure who's the winner after all. Judge Whitney sentenced the men to twenty days in the county jail, following their failure to pay the twenty dollar fine imposed upon them, but the hotel keeper didn't get his four dollars, the men got twenty days' board and lodging in the county jail, and the county gets the pleasure of having 'em around.

POTTER VALLEY TRUSTEES TO MEET WITH COMPANY

A representative of the Maddox trucking company will meet with the Board of Trustees of Potter Valley this evening, in an endeavor to come to some settlement as to repairing Potter Valley's roads when the operations of the trucking company are finished.

Whether the board will follow the advice given by Attorney Charles Kasch, which was contained in the Dispatch last week, or not is a matter of conjecture. It is stated that Mayor Brower was unfavorable to Kasch's advice, but the board is unanimous in agreeing that some definite agreement has to be made at once.

WOMAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH

A coast woman whose name is unknown, had a miraculous escape from death during the first of the week, when the motor truck in which she was riding overturned and kept her pinned beneath it for 45 minutes, during which time the other occupants of the truck were making heroic efforts to free her. Other than a few bruises about the face and arms, the woman was uninjured.

BIG BOAT WILL BE LAUNCHED ON COAST

PORT BRAGG, June 2.—It is planned to launch Hyman brothers' 64 foot launch this week. Finishing touches are now being made on the construction of the boat at Fred Hymans' boat factory on the Noyo. This is the largest launch ever built on the Noyo and when fully equipped will represent an investment of \$25,000. It is sixteen feet wide and is believed to be capable of standing almost any kind of seas.

HOWARD FAMILY MEETS TO DECORATE GRAVES

A reunion of the Howard family was held at the Howard ranch north of town last Sunday, the purpose being to decorate the graves of those of the family who have been laid to rest in the picturesque Howard cemetery which is situated at the east of the house. At 1:30 p. m. the assembled guests sat down at tables which had been laid in the large living room, and enjoyed a sumptuous banquet. After the meal the graves were decorated, and with the beautiful hymn "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again," had been sung, the relatives returned to their homes.

Those who were present were: Mrs. Emma Davis, San Rafael; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Gannon, Santa Rosa; Mr. and Mrs. Mat McGowan and two sons, of San Francisco; Mrs. Charles Hopkins and son of Ukiah; Mrs. Garret Stock of Lake county; Miss Esther Howard, Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. H. Ledebor and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Howard and mother, and cousin, B. Hildreth, of Ukiah; Mrs. Bessie Harbin, Vacaville; Peter Howard and Mr. and Mrs. William Howard of Ukiah.

REDWOOD VALLEY COUPLE MARRIED MAY 20TH

A romance dating back to school days culminated in a pretty wedding May 20th when at the hour of ten, the DeVee home at Laughlin was the scene of a simple but solemn marriage that united for life Miss Carrie De Vee, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. De Vee, to Oscar Phillips. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present.

The bridal couple quietly took their place which had been converted into a bower of the spring blossoms and foliage and where the ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Elbert Holland, pastor of the Christian church of Ukiah.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of white satin trimmed in silver lace, a veil of white tulle was caught up in shape by a head piece of lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of orange blossoms.

Immediately following the ceremony and congratulations, the company partook of light refreshments.

The bride of May 20th is one of Redwood Valley's most charming young ladies possessing those beautiful traits of character and having won the love and esteem of all, with whom she comes in contact, by her unassuming and sweet personality.

Mr. Phillips is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Phillips of Ukiah. He is a very promising young man of sterling qualities.

Mr. Phillips and his bride have a multitude of friends in Redwood Valley who will wish them all the blessings of life at this happy time and as they go forth in their new life together.

On Saturday evening the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips tendered them a miscellaneous shower given at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips were the recipients of many useful gifts. A large company of friends were in attendance and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Yates in behalf of the guests presented the bride and groom with the gifts and extended to them congratulations and best wishes of all who were present.

STANDING OF CLUBS

Mendocino County League.			
Club	W.	L.	Per C.
Mendocino	3	1	.750
Ft. Bragg	3	2	.600
Willits	2	2	.500
Ukiah	1	2	.333
Redwood League			
Cloverdale	2	0	1.000
Fulton	1	1	.500
Boonville	1	1	.500
Geyersville	0	2	.000

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES

Lillie M. Walker et al vs. A. L. Smith et als—Matter came up regularly. Plaintiffs who had demanded jury trial waived jury, and agree to pay nine of the men called so to act, the county to pay the other three. Witnesses were called and examined and after argument by respective counsel the case was ordered submitted on briefs 10, 10 and 10.

Estate of Charles Olson, deceased—Upon motion of Attorney Mannon the administrator was ordered finally discharged.

Lina vs. Hart—Cross Complaint ordered dismissed and the matter set for trial September 15, 1920.

The People vs. Frank McGrail—Report of doctor shows that defendant is afflicted with tuberculosis. The court therefore suspended judgment and admitted the defendant to probation for a period of three years.

The People vs. Fred R. Jaeger—Defendant enters a plea of guilty to the charge of committing burglary in the second degree. Judgment was withheld and the defendant was released on probation for a term of three years.

The People vs. Luckett—There being a doubt as to the defendant's age the matter was continued two weeks for further hearing.

Estate of Monroe Henry Kistler, deceased—Continued to Wednesday, June 2.

Estate of Elvira A. Raymond, deceased—Permission granted to file proof of posting and affidavit of mailing. Matter continued to Thursday, June 3.

Estate of Daniel Jeans, deceased—Continued one week. Estate and guardianship of Walter Leroy Harris, a minor—Same as above.

Estate of Lottie E. Beal, deceased—Matter came up for hearing only. Petition for letters of administration. John Henry Beal was appointed administrator with bond fixed at \$2000.

Estate of Charles M. Hargraves, deceased—H. P. Preston was appointed administrator with bond fixed at 7000.

Guardianship of the person and Estate of Eliza Shoemaker, an incompetent person—Mrs. Belle Wilson was appointed guardian with bond fixed at \$500.

First National Bank of Fort Bragg vs. James Frazer et al—Matter set for trial for September 27, 1920.

Ida Marie Hall vs. George E. Hall—Matter came up for hearing upon a motion of the plaintiff to have the order setting the matter for hearing on June 14, 1920, vacated for the reason that the temporary alimony and attorneys fees granted by this court had not been paid. It appearing to the court and the court finding that the said moneys had been paid the motion was denied.

The People vs. Peter Toivar and Edla Toivar—Matter came up for hearing upon an application for a writ of habeas corpus. By agreement of counsel the matter was set for hearing June 3. The application for a writ of habeas corpus and release of the defendants from custody without delay was denied.

The People vs. Peter Toivar and Edla Toivar—Matter came up for hearing upon an application for a writ of habeas corpus and release of the defendants from custody without delay was denied.

A. G. DANE TO HANDLE STOCK FOR FARM BUREAU

In an all-day session of the farm bureau held yesterday, the proposed marketing project was finally completed, and the details entered into the minutes of the meeting by the secretary. A. G. Dane, superintendent of the Standard Stock Farm was appointed to handle the marketing.

All of the details of the project have not yet been given out, but Mr. Dane will be called upon to market all kinds of livestock, and to buy and sell farm implements and machinery.

Boonville Wins In Hard Fought Contest

The Boonville baseball team defeated the Geyersville nine in last Sunday's game by a 9-7 score. The game was played at Boonville and a holiday crowd was in attendance. The game was a hard fought battle from start to finish. Both teams hit the ball heavily, and the lead zig-zagged between the two teams. The Anderson valley boys had the edge on the Sonoma county team however, and brought in the two winning runs in the ninth inning.

ODD FELLOWS MEMORIAL

The memorial services of the Odd Fellows will be held at St. John's church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, according to announcement made by Rev. Brink, of that church, this week.

CASES FILED IN SUPERIOR COURT

Through Frank W. Taft Jessie M. Read and James H. Brown have brought suit against Charles M. Mannon, as trustee, to terminate the trust created in him by the will of Myron W. Wood, deceased. The plaintiffs pray to be adjudged to be entitled to the residue of the estate after the settlement has been made. The suit is a formal one of a friendly nature to provide for a legal technicality.

Through M. H. Iversen, Geneva Cooper has filed suit for divorce from Stephen Cooper.

Through Keith C. Eversole, Giuseppe Quani has filed a petition to establish the birth of Giuseppe Francesco Quani. The petitioner prays for an order of court establishing that his son was born at Greenwood, at the time which will be set forth in the hearing of the petition.

Through W. D. L. Held Dorah B. Bolden has filed suit against F. M. Bolden and William Bolden, seeking to obtain a judgment that she is the half owner of certain property situated in Mendocino county.

Through Hale McGowan Jr., Victor Makiante has filed suit for divorce from Rova Makiante.

Through M. H. Iversen, R. L. Cleveland has filed a petition to sell personal property valued at \$50 and belonging to the late August Erickson.

SEQUOIA APARTMENTS ARE OPENED IN DOWLING BLOCK

The Colonial hotel, formerly operated by Mrs. Harvey Maze, lapsed last week, and was taken over by Mrs. H. F. Spencer, who has completely renovated it, installed new furniture and has opened up for business under the name of the Sequoia Apartments. Mrs. Spencer is well known here, having lived in this city with her husband several years ago. Mr. Spencer is now in the army but expects to join his wife here in the near future. Mrs. Spencer is a sister of Mrs. Harry Johnson of this city.

SAN JOSE MAN BUYS LOCAL OVERLAND AGENCY

A deal was consummated during the latter part of last week where E. A. Totten, formerly of San Jose took over the agency for the Overland and Willys-Knight automobiles in this territory. H. A. Walker and F. O. Taylor were formerly the Overland agents here.

Mr. Totten has been connected with the Overland people for several years, being the agent for the cars in San Jose, and selling out there recently.

He stated yesterday that he liked Ukiah immensely and planned on making this city his home, and identifying himself with the community permanently.

Besides the Overland and Willys cars he will also be the local agent for the Diamond T and Traffic trucks.

COUPLE ON TRIAL FOR CRIMINAL SYNDICALISM

Peter Toivar and Edla, his wife, arrested some weeks ago in Fort Bragg and charged with criminal syndicalism in connection with the finding of volumes of I. W. W. literature in their possession came up yesterday afternoon for preliminary hearing before Judge Hurley.

Both pleaded not guilty to the charge. The examination was continued until this morning, as one of the witnesses missed the train yesterday.

Attorney J. G. Lawlor who has been defending alleged I. W. W.'s all over the state, has been retained by the Toivars to defend them.

Board of Supervisors Has Special Session

Three of the five county supervisors met in special session last Tuesday for the purpose of granting the request of Sheriff Byrnes for a 30 days' leave of absence from the state. A. J. Fairbanks, chairman of the board, called the meeting to order. E. M. Ford and E. L. Williams, were present, making the necessary quorum.

Sheriff Byrnes had been appointed as an alternate delegate to the Republican convention to be held at Chicago, and left Tuesday afternoon for San Francisco. The special trip which carried the delegates east left the city Wednesday morning.

SANDELIN ENJOYING REST AT BARTLETT SPINGS

Frank Sandelin, genial proprietor of the Palace Hotel, writes this week from Bartlett Springs, where he has been for some time, that he is feeling a great deal better, due, so he states to the climate and the excellent mineral properties of the Bartlett water. He expects to be away several weeks longer. His many friends here will be glad to know that he is finding his vacation so beneficial to his health.

VISITING AT HOME OF ATTY. W. P. THOMAS

Dr. Herschel Cleland and family came up from the city the latter part of last week for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Cleland's parents, Atty. and Mrs. W. P. Thomas. Dr. Cleland returned to the city Monday. Mrs. Cleland and her children remaining here for a time.

LAST RITES SUNG FOR J. J. THOMAS

John J. Thomas, prominent rancher and business man of this section, died at his home south of town last Friday morning, aged sixty-eight years. Death came suddenly and was a great shock to the friends and relatives.

Mr. Thomas was born in Chicago in 1852, moving to Salt Lake City in 1880. He took a prominent part in the politics of that state for many years, being at one time a member of the Utah State Board of Equalization, and serving for some time on the board of supervisors of Salt Lake City.

He came to California eight years ago and purchased the Wheeler ranch south of this city. He entered actively into community affairs of this section. He was secretary of the Grape Growers' Association at the time of his death.

Active work in various fraternal organizations was another feature of Mr. Thomas's useful life. He had held high positions in the Eagles and Odd Fellows, both in Utah and California.

The deceased is survived by the widow, Mrs. Carrie M. Thomas, two daughters, Ellen F. Thomas, and Mrs. Edgar Dutton, a son, John F. Thomas, a twin brother, Arthur L. Thomas, formerly governor of Utah, a sister, Mrs. W. A. Maxwell, and a nephew, Alex R. Thomas.

Funeral services were held at the home last Monday, Reverend W. W. Breckenridge pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating. The Odd Fellows took charge of the services at the cemetery.

CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAM IS DRAWING LARGE CROWDS

The Ellison-White Chautauqua, which opened here last Tuesday evening, has been well attended and is seemingly pleasing the community. Capacity crowds attended on Tuesday and Wednesday and Thursday evenings, and it is reported that the afternoon performances have drawn attendance above the average.

E. B. Fish, whose work in opposition to the "Red" elements which have entered organized labor, has drawn so much attention in Washington and Oregon, made a stirring address Tuesday evening on the subject, "Americanism in Industry." He paid an especially fine tribute to the work that is being done by the American Legion in carrying on a campaign to stamp out the radical element which is entering into organized labor and threatening the industries of the country.

WILLITS NEWS

WILLITS, May 31.—Our population increased very materially last week, four new babies having been added to our citizenship, as follows: To the wife of L. P. Foster, and John Evic, baby girls, and to the wife of E. Roach a son. On the 27th a son was born to the wife of Fred Remstead.

W. T. Chapple received his new combined harvester last week.

A. Rinaldi left Saturday for a visit to his old home in Italy. His mother is quite aged and in poor health and this will be his last chance to see her. He expects to be gone three or four months.

A well kept secret has just leaked out, Will Whitney, son of Judge and Mrs. E. M. Whitney, was married at Modesto, January 20, to Miss Wave Jones. They will make their home in Los Angeles.

LAUREL DELL WILL OPEN ON JUNE 19TH

Laurel Dell Resort will have a grand opening dance on the evening of June 18, according to an announcement made this week by Henry Heckendorf, proprietor of the resort. Good dance music will be furnished by a first class orchestra. An announcement containing complete details will be made later in this paper.

Carl Prather and son, of Boonville, were in Ukiah Wednesday.

VETERANS PAY HOMAGE TO THE SOLDIER DEAD

Memorial Services Held at Comrades Graves Are Most Significant.

The G. A. R., the Spanish war veterans, and members of Lewis White Post of the American Legion met last Sunday at the Presbyterian church and later at the cemetery, and held services which were both beautiful and significant in honor of their departed comrades.

The three organizations met at 11 o'clock in the Presbyterian church. Doctor W. W. Breckenridge delivered the memorial day address. His theme was the debt of gratitude which the nation as a whole owes to the men who fought against servitude. He pointed out that as time goes on we are more deeply cognizant of that gratitude, and is illustrated by our feeling for the veterans of the civil war. He closed his address with a beautiful tribute to the flag and the men who fought for it.

After the close of the services at the church, the veterans went by automobile to the cemetery. The American Legion boys, twenty-five in number, gathered at the gate and marched to the flag pole at the center of the grounds.

Several hundred people had gathered here to witness the ceremonies. Reverend Elbert Holland made a short address which was followed by the singing of several patriotic hymns by the assembled throng. The graves of the departed comrades were then decorated. The services concluded by a short prayer by Dr. Breckenridge after which the national anthem was sung.

A variety of beautiful flowers had been donated by various townspeople for the decoration of the graves. The cemetery was beautifully decorated by the loving hands of those whose loved ones had departed.

Forest Fire Raging In Gualala Section

Although first reports from Gualala were to the effect that the Gualala mill had been completely destroyed by fire, it was later ascertained that the fire did no damage to the mill, but rather destroyed 10,000 to 30,000 railroad ties which had been cut and piled for shipment.

The fire was reported Wednesday as burning fiercely on the holdings of the American Redwood Co., while Arch Richardson of Stewart's Point, with 75 men was making a desperate fight to control the flames which were still spreading.

The fire is about ten miles from the nearest telephone, and reports are not received very often. There is a dense growth of fine timber in the region affected and considerable damage is expected to result.

WORTHAM SHOWS OPEN HERE NEXT TUESDAY

Advance agents for the big Clarence A. Wortham shows, which open an engagement here Tuesday, June 8, under the auspices of Lewis White Post, No. 76, are in the city making final arrangements for the coming of the tented city. The shows will be located near the depot. They are now at Vallejo where daily they have played to enormous crowds.

Some idea of the size of the shows may be gained when one is informed that it takes thirty-five cars to transport them, there are twenty-five shows and attractions, and there are 350 persons in the amusement city family.

The special features of the shows are the five rides, particularly "Over the Falls," the most sensational ride ever invented. Another sensation is the "Barrel of Fun." The biggest Ferris wheel ever with a traveling company is with the shows. All the shows are set around a spacious midway, in which are some of the many rides.

The Clarence A. Wortham shows are the biggest of their kind in the world. They visited the Coast here this year for the first time. They will open Tuesday night and will close Saturday at midnight.

W. C. T. U. WILL MEET HERE ON JUNE 20TH

On June 29-30 a regional conference of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in Ukiah. This is one of many being held in different parts of the state. Five counties will be represented by delegates and the state officers and speakers will be in attendance.