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MYRTLE POINT CONTEST ON AUG. 18 HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

REDMOND FIDDLE SHOW ON AUG. 4 HAS BEEN POSTPONED.

OLDTME FIDDLE MUSIC. EACH WEDNESDAY NIGHT FROM 9:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT
RADIO STATION KBOO FM 90.7 ON THE DIAL.

MCMINNVILLE JAM SESSION & POTLUCK JULY 15

THERE WILL BE A JAM SESSION AND POTLUCK DINNER AT THE MCMINNVILLE GRANGE HALL ON JULY 15, 1973. THE HALL WILL BE OPEN AN 10 A.M., DINNER AT NOON AND SHOW TIME AT 1 P.M. PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SERVICE FOR THE POTLUCK.

DIRECTIONS: COMING FROM THE NORTH, PROCEED THROUGH MCMINNVILLE ON HWY. 99-W, TURN RIGHT AT THE JUNCTION OF 99-W AND HIWAY 18. THERE IS A BOWLING ALLEY ON ONE SIDE OF THE JUNCTION AND A SERVICE STATION ON THE OTHER. THE GRANGE HALL IS ABOUT 1/2 MILE FROM THE JUNCTION ON THE LEFT OF THE ROAD IN A GROVE OF TALL FIRS. ARRANGMENTS WERE MADE BY:

FRED HILDIBRANDT & MINNIE BENNETT

NATIONAL NEWS

BILL YOHEY, CHAIRMAN OF DIST. #8 WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL OLD TIME FIDDLERS ORGANIZATION FOR THE NEXT TWO YEARS. HE HAS APPOINTED EVELYN WALTER, GRESHAM AS SECRETARY. CONGRADULATION TO BILL AND EVELYN.

TO THE HOEDOWNER

WE JUST RETURNED FROM WEISER IDAHO, WHERE WE ATTENDED THE NATIONAL OLD TIME FIDDLERS CONTEST. I AM ANXIOUS TO TELL EVERYONE WHAT A JOYOUS WEEK WE HAD, TH FIDDLING WAS GREAT. I AM PROUD TO REPORT THAT OUR CHAIRMAN OF DISTRICT 8 MR. BILL YOHEY WAS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL OLD TIME FIDDLERS ORGANIZATION AND WAS ONE OF THE JUDGES FOR THIS YEARS SHOW. HE ALONG WITH THE OTHERS DID A FINE JOB. MANY OREGON FIDDLERS, ACCOMPANISTS AND THEIR FAMILIES ALSO MEMBERS ATTENDED

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THE SHOW. I AM SURE IT WAS REALLY ENJOYED BY EVERYONE, DO HOPE WE CAN LOOK FORWARD TO ATTENDING ANOTHER YEAR.

JUNE SECOR

DISTRICT 4

NOT MUCH TO REPORT FROM DOWN HERE THIS MONTH. WE ARE NOT HAVING ANY JAM SESSIONS DOWN HERE IN DISTRICT 4 UNTIL THIS FALL. THE MEMBERS FELT THAT WITH WEISER THIS MONTH AND SO MANY ON VACATIONS NEXT MONTH AND IN AUGUST, THEN THE CAMPOUT IN SEPTEMBER THAT WE WOULD NOT TRY TO HOLD ANY JAM SESSIONS.

THE NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING OF THIS DISTRICT WILL BE ON AUGUST 10TH, 11TH AND 12TH AT OUR RANCH. IT WILL BE A BUSINESS MEETING AFTER A POT-LUCK PICNIC SUPPER WHERE WE WILL ELECT THE OFFICERS FOR THIS DISTRICT. AFTER THE BUSINESS MEETING THERE WILL BE FIDDLING AROUND THE CAMPFIRE. ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY WE WILL BE BUSY GETTING THE CAMPGROUND READY FOR THE BIG CAMP-OUT. ALL MEMBERS IN THIS DISTRICT NUMBER 4 ARE URGED TO ATTEND THIS FUN WEEKEND. BRING YOUR CAMPING EQUIPMENT, ALSO YOU MIGHT BRING A SHOVEL, RAKE, SAW AND/OR AN AX. MANY HANDS WILL MAKE LIGHT WORK SO BE SURE TO BRING YOUR FIDDLES, I'M SURE THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF THAT.

FOR THOSE WHO DON'T KNOW HOW TO REACH THE RANCH: COME TO WILLIAMS SCHOOL, TURN LEFT THERE ONTO EAST FORK RD. FOLLOW IT FOR ABOUT 2½ MILES TO 2861 E. FORK RD. THERE WILL BE A SIGN THERE. THIS IS IT FOR THIS MONTH.

MARTHA WARWICK

DISTRICT 7

DISTRICT #7 WILL HAVE A MEETING FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING OFFICERS ON JULY 8, 1973 AT THE KINTON GRANGE HALL NEAR PROGRESS AT 1: P.M., COFFEE AND COOKIES FURNISHED. BRING YOUR INSTRUMENTS AND WE WILL PLAY A TUNE OR TWO AFTER THE MEETING THE GRANGE HALL IS 5¼ MILES S.W. OF PROGRESS ON SCHOLLS FERRY RD. WHICH IS THE SAME AS HWY. 210. COMING FROM BEAVERTON GO MURRAY RD. TO OLD SCHOLLS FERRY RD. TURN RIGHT APPROXIMATELY 1¼ MILES TO THE END, TURN RIGHT TO SCHOLLS FERRY RD. (HWY. 210) APPROXIMATELY 1¼ MILES TO TILE FLAT RD. IF ANY ONE GETS LOST CALL MIKE WALTER AT 649-1291 AND HE WILL PUT YOU STRAIGHT.

WAYNE WALTER
ACTING CHAIRMANST. HELENS

THERE WERE 15 FIDDLERS AND SEVERAL SPECIALS AND ACCOMP. AT THE ST. HELENS JAM SESSION AND POTLUCK ON SUNDAY JUNE 10. FIDDLERS WERE: FRED HILDIBRANDT, GEORGE JENKERSON, BOB FAST, GEORGE CIELOHA, LUDWIG GIMM, MURA COLLINS, GLADYS BRASKETT, BILL BELL, TONY DESCOMBAZ, CHARLES JOHNSON, BILL YOHEY, WAYNE WALTER, MARGARETTE THORNBRUE, FRANK WILLIAMS, VALDEMAR NELSON, AND BILL WILSON. ACCOMP. WERE: MINNIE BENNETT, LLOYD SMITH, JUNE SECOR, JIM BRASKETT, RIAN & VERNON BELL, ED MORKEN, AND FRANK WARNER. SPECIALS BY: GLADYS BRASKETT & FRED HILDIBRANDT FIDDLES, ED MORKEN ACCORDIAN, RIAN BELL HARMONICA, AND JOHN DOUGHERTY MANDOLIN.

AFTER THE JAM SESSION SEVERAL OF THE FIDDLERS AND ACCOMP. WENT TO THE WASHINGTON HOTEL AND PLAYED FOR A WHILE.

EVELYN WALTER

TO THE HOEDOWNER

SOME FIDDLERS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO PLAY FOR THE DAKOTA STATES SOCIETY AT BLUE LAKE PARK ON JULY 15TH FROM NOON ON. THIS IS AN OUTDOOR EVENT AND FOR FORMER AND PRESENT NORTH AND SOUTH DAKOTA PEOPLE.

A FEW FIDDLERS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO PLAY FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE BLIND AT ORAL HULL PARK, THREE MILES NORTH OF SANDY ON MINIG RD. THE BLIND SOCIETY WILL SERVE A BARBECUE AT A REASONABLE PRICE TO THE PUBLIC. THIS WILL BE JULY 22ND AFTERNOON.

TO THE HOEDOWNER

THERE WILL BE A FIDDLE SHOW AT SANDY, ON AUGUST 11TH FROM 2:00 TO 4:30 P.M. IN THE FOOTBALL PAVILION AT SANDY HIGH. ALL FIDDLERS ARE INVITED TO COME AND PLAY FOR THIS SHOW. THIS IS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SANDY PIONEER'S 100TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION. THE CELEBRATION WILL BE THREE DAYS, FRI. SAT. AND SUNDAY, AUG. 10, 11, AND 12TH WITH THE FIDDLE SHOW ON SAT. THE 11TH. THE PUBLIC IS INVITED AND THERE WILL BE NO CHARGE TO SEE THE FIDDLE SHOW.

CANYON CITY CONTEST RESULTS

SENIORS: FRED HILDEBRANDT, GEORGE JENKERSON, ALLEN RICE.

OPENS: BILL YOHEY, LOYD WANZER, EDNA GRICE, CHUCK GRIFFIN, ORIN SHAW.

INTERMEDIATES: DON HAYNES, LESTER KIESECKER, JESS COOPER.

LAST FOUR ITEMS SENT IN BY:

MARSHALL JACKSON

NATIONAL CONTEST RESULTS

JR. JR. DIVISION: LORETTA BRANK, WASH. JUNIOR DIVISION: SHEILA WRIGHT, WASH.,; RON WALLBAUER, WASH.; LORETTA BRANK, WASH.; CONNIE BONAR, WASH.; BILLY WARWICK, ORE SENIOR DIVISION: JOE PANCERZEWSKI, WASH.; STEVE CRAWFORD, WASH.; CLARENCE NORBERG, WASH.; WALTER STALTSMAN, MINN.; AND SIG SVEDEN, MONT.; LADIES: PATSY BUCKLEY, IDA.; JANA GREIF, COL.; EDNA GRICE, IDAHO; FRANCES ANDERSON, CALIF.; LOURIE LEWIS, CAL.; OPEN OR NATIONAL DIVISION: HERMAN JOHNSON, OKLA.; DICK BARRETT, TEX.; BENNY THOMASSON, WASH.; LOYD WANZER, IDAHO; J. C. BROUGHTON, OKLA.
HIGHEST OREGON FINISH WAS DON GISH WHO WAS 13TH.

WAYNE HOLMES

DISTRICT 8

A BUSINESS MEETING WAS HELD AT MCMINNVILLE ORE. JUNE 9TH ELECTING OFFICERS TO BE HELD FOR DISTRICT #8 WHICH INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING COUNTIES: MARION, POLK, YAMHILL, TILLAMOOK AND LINCOLN. THOSE ELECTED WERE BILL YOHEY, CHAIRMAN, JIM SECOR, CO-CHAIRMAN, AND MRS. MINNIE BENNETT SEC. TRES. OUR HOPE IS THAT THOSE MEMBERS THAT RESIDE IN THIS DISTRICT WILL ASSIST IN HELPING US TO HAVE MANY HAPPY SESSIONS TOGETHER.

JUNE SECOR

CONTEST THE DALLES JULY 14

THERE WILL BE A FIDDLING CONTEST IN THE DALLES, ORE. AN JULY 14 REGISTER AT 1:00 P.M. THREE DIVISIONS: OPEN, SENIOR AND JUNIOR. THE PRIZES WILL BE THE SAME AS LAST YEAR. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL BILL YOHEY AT 1-472-2058.

CONTEST NORTH DOUGLAS FAIR, DRAIN ORE. FRIDAY JULY 27

THERE WILL BE AN OLD TIME FIDDLERS CONTEST AT THE NORTH DOUGLAS FAIR IN DRAIN AT 7 P.M. FRIDAY EVENING ON JULY 27. THERE WILL BE TWO DIVISIONS OPEN & SENIOR. FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL BILL YOHEY IN MCMINNVILLE, 1-472-2058.

CONTEST CALLAHAN CALIF. JULY 27 AND 28

THERE WILL BE AN OLD TIME FIDDLERS CONTEST AT THE 8TH ANNUAL CALLAHAN GOLD RUSH JUBILEE AT CALLAHAN, SISKIYOU COUNTY, CALIF. DATE: LAST WEEKEND OF JULY STARTS FRI. JULY 27TH AT 9P.M. RUNS TO 12 MIDNIGHT, CONTINUES AT 10 A.M SAT. JULY 28 WILL RUN UNTIL 12:30 P.M. CONTEST WILL BE CONTINUED BEGINNING AT 10:30 A.M. SUNDAY, JULY 29 IF NOT CONCLUDED THE PRECEDING SAT. ENTRY FEE: \$3.00. FOR ENTRY BLANKSWRITE SECRETARY. MT. BOLIVAR GRANGE BOX 1595 CALLAHAN CALIF. 96014 OR PHONE 467-3626 AREA CODE 916. DIRECTIONS: COMING FROM THE NORTH TAKE THE 3RD OFF RAMP, THE SIGN READS YREKA-FORT JONES, GO TO FT. JONES AND FOLLOW THE SIGNS TO CALLAHAN.

RALPH DIAS RT. 1 BOX 103-A, YREKA
CA 96097

CHIEF JOSEPH DAYS CONTEST JOSEPH, OREGON JULY 20 & 21

FRIDAY EVENING 7:00 P.M. WALLOWA CO. FIDDLERS CONTEST. OPEN TO WALLOWA CO. RESIDENTS ONLY. ENTRY FEE IS \$3.00 REGISTRATION WILL BE FROM 6:00 TO 7:00 P.M. PRIZES: 1ST \$25.; 2ND \$15.; \$10.; PLUS TROPHIES.

SATURDAY 11:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M. REGISTRATION AND FREE LUNCH FOR ALL CONTESTANTS AND ACCOMPANISTS. THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF FIDDLERS, JUDGES, AND BLUE MT. OFFICERS AT 12:15 TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS CONTESTANTS MIGHT HAVE.
SATURDAY AFTERNOON 1:00 P.M. SENIOR CONTEST, AGE LIMIT 60 OR OLDER NO ENTRY FEE.
INTERMEDIATE CONTEST. ENTRY FEE \$3.00
SECOND OPEN CONTEST. ENTRY FEE \$3.00
FIRST OPEN CONTEST. ENTRY FEE \$5.00

SATURDAY EVENING 7:00 P.M. INTERMEDIATE AND FIRST AND SECOND OPEN FINALS, FOLLOWED BY AN OLD TIME DANCE WITH MUSIC BY THE FIDDLERS.
PRIZES: SENIORS \$25.; \$15.; \$10.; PLUS TROPHIES. INTERMEDIATES \$25.; \$20.; \$15.; \$10.; \$10.; PLUS TROPHIES. SECOND OPEN: \$35.; \$25.; \$20.; \$15.; PLUS TROPHIES. FIRST OPEN \$75.; \$50.; \$30.; \$20.; PLUS TROPHIES.

COTTAGE GROVE CONTEST JULY 21

FOUR DIVISIONS: OPEN PRO DIVISION ENTRY FEE \$5.00. OPEN DIVISION ENTRY FEE \$5.00 SENIOR DIVISION ENTRY FEE \$3.00. JUNIOR DIVISION ENTRY FEE \$2.00. OPEN & SENIOR ENTRY FEE \$7.00

PRIZES:

OPEN PRO DIVISION: \$75.; \$60.; \$45.; \$25.; \$15.; PLUS TROPHIES
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SENIOR DIVISION: \$30.; \$20.; \$10.; PLUS TROPHIES
JUNIOR DIVISION: \$15.; \$10.; \$5.; PLUS TROPHIES

ENTRY DEADLINE IS 2:30 P.M. FOR OPEN AND JUNIOR DIVISIONS AND 7:30 P.M. FOR SENIOR DIVISION SAT. JULY 21. A CONTESTANT MAY DEDUCT 50¢ FROM THE ENTRY FEE IF ENTRY BLANK IS RECEIVED EARLY. ENTRY FEE WILL BE REFUNDED IF CONTESTANT CANNOT COMPETE. SEND PRE-REGISTRATION TO FAR WEST OLD TIME FIDDLERS CONTEST

% GENE FREESE
120 S. SEVENTH
COTTAGE GROVE, OR 97424

PLACE: COTTAGE GROVE ARMORY, 7TH AND WASHINGTON.

FOR THOSE OF YOU WHO WILL REGISTER AT THE CONTEST REGISTRATION IS AT THE ARMORY ENTRANCE STARTING AT 10:00 A.M.

THE COTTAGE GROVE JAYCEES INVITE ALL FIDDLERS, ACCOMPANISTS AND FAMILIES WITH CAMPERS TO USE THEIR FACILITIES AT WALKER, 3 MILES NORTH OF TOWN AND ALL TO JOIN IN AN ALL-NIGHT JAMBOREE AFTER THE CONTEST. THERE IS NO CHARGE.

TO THE HOEDOWNER

IF ANY OF THE PEOPLE COMING TO THE CONTEST HERE IN COTTAGE GROVE, WANTS TO COME OUT HERE TO MY RANCH TO PARK OR CAMP, THEY WOULD BE WELCOME, WE HAVE LOTS OF ROOM, BUT MAYBE A LITTLE SHORT OF FACILITIES, BUT WE HAVE SOME PLYWOOD AND A SHOVEL IF WE NEED IT.

WE HAVE WATER AND ELECTRICITY, WITHIN REASON, AND WE COULD HAVE A CAMPFIRE AND WE LIVE ABOUT THREE MINUTES FROM THE NORTH EXIT. COMING FROM THE SOUTH TAKE THE SECOND OR NORTH EXIT, THIS WILL COME OUT BY THE VILLAGE GREEN MOTEL, AS YOU PASS BY THE MOTEL YOU WILL SEE A P. P. & LIGHT SUB STATION, DRIVE PAST IT AND ON ACROSS THE RAILROAD TRACK, TURN LEFT AND GO ABOUT A MILE TO QUAGLIA RD. THEN RIGHT TO THE FIRST HOUSE ON THE LEFT.

COMING FROM THE NORTH TURN AT THE FIRST EXIT, THEN BACK UNDER THE HIGHWAY AND YOU WILL BE THE SAME PLACE OF THE NORTH BOUND TRAFFIC GOING BY THE MOTEL. REMEMBER, WE ARE ONLY ABOUT A MILE OR A LITTLE MORE, AFTER YOU CROSS THE TRACK. PHONE 9428002.

EMERY HARRIS & FAMILY