

IONE

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The local teachers' institute and one of the outstanding social events of last week was the junior-senior banquet given Friday evening at Masonic hall. The banquet was served at 6:30, and covers were laid for 23. Throughout the room and table decorations the senior class colors of black and pink predominated. Those present were Principal and Mrs. Earle A. Brown, Miss Lucile Rhoten, Miss Irene Anders and C. M. Daniels, high school instructors, Ordie Farrans, Mildred Smith, Gene Engelman, Gladys Bra-shers, Harold Kincaid, John Eubanks, Mary Healy, Milton Mygagan, Margaret Crawford, Dorr Mason, Veda Eubanks, Kenneth Smouse, Geneva Pettyjohn, Ralph Mason, Helen Smouse, Paul Smouse, Beulah Pettyjohn, Barton Clark and Earl McCabe, members of the junior and senior classes. Norman Swanson was unable to attend because of illness. Margaret Crawford was toastmistress, and Josephine Healy, Ruth Keene and Clara Nelson, lower class women were waitresses. After dinner those present spent a happy hour playing games in the lodge room upstairs.

On Tuesday evening of last week the members of the order of Eastern Star held a social meeting. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served. The members of the Rebekah lodge held their regular meeting on Thursday of last week. The degrees of the order were conferred upon a candidate, a pleasant social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The Ione service station had a formal opening on Thursday evening, May 2. The townspeople, both young and old made merry, favors were distributed, each purchaser of five gallons of gasoline received a gift, and Mr. Lundell served ice cream and cake to all.

According to the recent census the population of Ione is 282. Ten years ago it was 439. Twenty years ago it was 239 and thirty years ago 223. In Ione's grade band of about 16 pieces we have the beginning of a good school band in the near future. The pupils are in earnest, and under the leadership of Principal Earle A. Brown, are doing well. Mr. Brown plans to give a little concert Friday, May 16, to which the parents and friends are invited. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ford and son of Pendleton visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Ford's sister, Mrs. Helen Farrans. John Cochran has returned from Yakima, Wash., where he visited his wife and two daughters. Mrs. Cochran, who some time ago underwent an operation, is recovering nicely and will be able to return home soon. The friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Katie Pettys who has been very ill, is now much improved. Mr. and Mrs. John Bryson moved into their own home on Third street this week. They have been living in the Lana Padberg house while their residence was being repaired following a disastrous fire. Mrs. Della Mobley has finished her work on the Murray ranch and is now living in the Padberg house on Second street. Dorr Mason and Norman Swanson are Ione boys who have applications in for enrollment in the Citizens Military Training camp to be held at Vancouver Barracks, Wash., this summer. Richard McElligott of Portland

has been in Ione looking after his farming interests in this district. Charley Shaver and Lowell Clark spent the greater part of last week in Ione. Mr. Shaver came to look after business affairs and Mr. Clark came for a visit with home folks. The Shaver brothers have just completed two wells in the Bend country, getting a good flow of water in each case. They have much work ahead of them. Mr. Clark is working in one of their well drilling crews. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger moved to Umatilla Sunday and spent a pleasant day with Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Skeen. Mr. and Mrs. Skeen are former residents of Ione, Mr. Skeen having been principal of the Ione school for two years. He plans on spending next summer in study at Stanford university and will teach next year in the Eastern Oregon Normal school at La Grande. Many of the Arlington baseball fans motored to Ione Sunday to attend the ball game. Among those who came were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cochran and son. The ladies' aid society of the Baptist church will hold their annual May sale of food and fancy work on Saturday, May 10. Alice Katherine, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholson, is quite ill with mumps. The annual Junior-Senior picnic is to be held next Saturday. W. E. Bullard departed last Friday for Gold Beach where he has purchased a drug store. Mrs. Bullard will remain in Ione until school closes, and will look after the store at this place. When Mr. Bullard closes up his business here it will leave Ione without a drug store. The Bullard family have lived in our town for about nine years. They have been active in church, social and fraternal circles and will be greatly missed. Monday morning Mrs. W. E. Bullard received notice of the death of Mr. Bullard's mother, Mrs. Susie Bullard, at her home in Portland, Sunday, May 4. The deceased was 82 years of age. Interment was in Rose City cemetery. Mr. Bullard visited his mother Friday night as he was on his way to Gold Beach, and although she has not been in good health for years, he found her as well as usual. Death came without warning early Sunday morning. Mrs. Barbara Ritchie who two weeks ago suffered a paralytic stroke at the home of her daughter in Portland, is still very ill. Robert Montgomery received word Saturday afternoon that his wife, who was taken to Portland several weeks ago for medical treatment, was not so well, and he was preparing to take the night train for the city when a message reached

him that she had passed away. The daughter, Lucy, was in Portland with her mother, and the son, Robert, had gone down on Friday. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the many friends here. After eleven years of efficient work as instructor and principal in the school at Ione, Professor Earle A. Brown will sever his connection with the school at the end of this year. He has accepted a position as principal of the school at Pixley, Cal. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have always taken an active part in social and fraternal affairs of our community and we regret to have them leave. The Ione school will close May 23. The baccalaureate sermon will be Sunday, May 18, and the graduation exercises Friday evening, May 22. At the regular meeting Monday the following student body officers were elected for the year 1930-31: Earl McCabe, president; Norman Swanson, vice president; Helen Smouse, secretary-treasurer; Barton Clark, athletic manager; Francis Troedson, transportation manager; Joel Engelman, yell leader. Mrs. Harriet Brown and Miss Hildegard Williams were week-end visitors in Pendleton. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Colvin and son Donald of Eugene, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tracer and two children of Junction City were week-end visitors in Ione. The Colvin family were guests at the home of Mrs. Colvin's sister, Mrs. Helen Farrana, and the Tracer family visited with Mrs. Alice McNabb, Mrs. Tracer being Mrs. McNabb's niece. Frank Engelman and son Gene spent Sunday in Portland. A large crowd witnessed the ball game Sunday between Arlington and Ione. The score was 9-1 in favor of Arlington. Batteries were, for Ione, Ritchie and Akers; for Arlington, Soden and Peterson. Rev. W. W. Head accompanied Mr. Bullard as far as Portland Friday and then went on to Cathlamet, Wash., for an over Sunday visit with his family. Because of his absence there was no preaching services in the Congregational church Sunday. The freshman class proved themselves royal hosts on Wednesday evening, April 30, when they invited the members of the student body and high school faculty to the gymnasium for the annual return party. Many new and interesting games were played. At ten thirty the guests partook of appetizing refreshments which were daintily served in the domestic science room by the freshman girls. After playing a few favorite games the guests departed, thanking the freshmen for a very enjoyable evening. Mr. and Mrs. Kingery and two children of Portland have been

spending a few days at the French Burroughs home on Rhea creek. Mr. Kingery owns some land which is farmed by Mr. Burroughs.

Four Schools Feature Child Health Program

Rocky Bluff, Missouri Ridge, Pleasant Vale and Davis schools joined forces Friday to observe Child Health day at the latter school. Foot races, a three-legged race, sack race and relay race were staged. Men attending vied at horseshoes, while the women devoted their time to bean bags. The children played playground games. A lunch was served at noon. "The Welcome" was given by Leo Young. Pleasant Vale pupils presented "The Beautiful Willamette." Three Rocky Bluff boys gave an Indian dance. Joyce Carlson was heard in "Sunset on the Columbia." Frank Botts of Missouri Ridge recited "Good Posture." The group attending, numbering 52, joined in singing old time favorites. The four schools joined in staging the pageant, "Health Rules." Pleasant Vale won the school prize in the posture parade, with individual honors going to Alvin Christopherson of that school. Miss Edith Stallard, county nurse, made health examinations of the pupils of the Davis and Rocky Bluff schools. Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, county superintendent of schools, was a visitor during the day's program. Those attending the program

were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Carlson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson and family, Mrs. O. E. Peterson and family, Rocky Bluff; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everson and family, Mike Matthews, Mrs. Esther Feller and daughter Iva Mae, Mrs. Christopherson and family, Pleasant Vale; Mrs. C. H. Botts and family, Mrs. Clarence Warren, Charles Nelson, Raymond Johnson, Mrs. Wiseman, Missouri Ridge; Mr. and Mrs. C. K. McElligott and family, Barbara Wagner, Robert Wagner, Leo Young, Davis. Teachers aiding with the program were Miss Wilma Chase, Pleasant Vale; Mrs. Mary Johnson, Missouri Ridge; Miss Geneva Palkey, Rocky Bluff; Miss Audrey Beymer, Davis.

W. C. T. U. NOTES

MARY A. NOTSON, Reporter. To hear some of the wets talk, you would think that moonshining was never heard of until after the eighteenth amendment was adopted. In 1901, a federal officer shipped from Lexington a still which he had seized in the mountains south of Hardman. Several barrels of mash were destroyed at the site of the still. At that time there were fourteen saloons in Morrow county. Something like four years ago, operatives working under the direction of Sheriff McDuffee captured still near the Morrow-Umatilla county line. A prominent citizen of that part of the county told the officers that he had seen that still in that

neighborhood more than thirty years before. At that time saloons were running in all the towns and liquor was cheap, but moonshining went on. The United States is compared with Great Britain very frequently as to law enforcement, and the comparison is very unfavorable to the United States. However, the following Associated Press news dispatch published in the newspapers of this country shows something of the conditions as to the illicit liquor business over there: "London.—Bootleg liquor is annoying the authorities of this metropolis. Some of it is smuggled in from abroad; some is made by illicit distillers in the London dock area. What makes such venture profitable is the tax of \$2 which is levied on every \$3 bottle of whiskey sold in England."

In Canada, where, under government control, liquor may be easily bought in a legal way, they have trouble with illicit liquor business. Several high powered motor boats are employed twenty-four hours a day in an attempt to keep the rum-runners from landing cargoes of liquor on Vancouver Island, and they do not succeed. The bootlegger, the blind pig, and the speakeasy are in business because they can make a profit and still sell at a price between the rum-runners' price and government price. Government control does not solve the problem. The fact is, John Barleycorn is an outlaw and always has been.

Rose Festival Dates

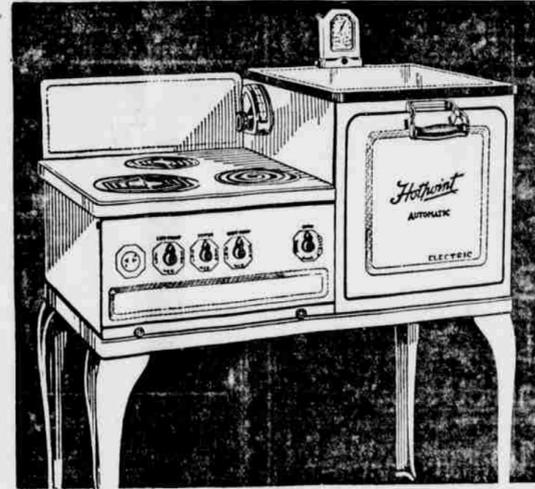
Portland, June 12-13

Portland, Ore., May 7.—A distinctive festival—two days flooded with color, sparkling with pageantry, laden with fragrance of native flowers—this is what Portland offers to the world, Thursday and Friday, June 12 and 13. A feature of this year's show will be a brilliant Mardi Gras night.

To her historic Chinatown, a transparent fragment of the orient, Portland, center of the green-clad empire of the Pacific Northwest, invites the east, the middle west, the south, empire of the north, the citizens of foreign countries. The "Old Oregon Country," trails' end for pioneers of the covered wagon era, the "green land" of perpetual spring, always makes a strong appeal to those who drop their work-a-day cares for a vacation. Snow-tipped mountains cluster around the great Columbia river, down which Lewis and Clark trekked in 1805. Multnomah and other famous falls flow the year 'round. But the finest time of the year is the time of the Portland Rose Festival, when the whole Pacific northwest is in bloom.

Senator E. D. Baker, the first colonel to fall in the Civil war, will be the subject of a talk over KOAC by Dr. J. B. Horner, professor of history, at 3 o'clock, Wednesday, April 14.

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