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28 at the Sisters Episcopal
Church, 68825 Brooks Camp Rd.
Small fee applies.
Contact Claudia Bisso-Fetzer
Ph.D., at bissofetzer@gmail.com
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information available online at
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**Sisters Park and Recreation
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901 Wanted

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work van during winter months.
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999 Public Notice

Three Sisters Irrigation District
plans to hold an open meeting to
discuss the Petition for Exclusion
of Lands Within the District,
submitted by Jane K. Gragg,
Trustee of the Robert L. Gragg
Revocable Living Trust. The
meeting will be held at 10:00 am
during the Regular TSID Board
Meeting, on Tuesday November
6, 2018 at Three Sisters Irrigation
District office, 68000 Highway
20 West, Bend, OR. Contact
541-549-8815 or
office@tsidweb.org

WHISPERS: Historical Society preserves remnants of old Sisters

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Ellis and his wife, Ellen, had
four children who grew up
on the ranch and rode their
horses into town to attend
school. Their youngest child,
Georgia, was the Sisters
Rodeo Queen in 1944 and the
mother of Norah and Dennis.

Don Frisbee of Portland
purchased the remaining 265
acres in the late 1960s with
the intention of protecting
it from development. Tim
and Marie Clasen have lived
there since 2001, acting as
caretakers of the property
for the Frisbee family. Marie
said when she walks the prop-
erty, it's as if the spirits of the
hearty souls who loved and
worked the land surround
her. Tim, as he cares for the
property, has come across
remnants of the past farming
activities conducted by Ellis
and later his son Jesse.

Lumber from the old
barn rests in an open field
beyond the remains of the
log house built by Ellis for
his family. The first floor of
the log home is still standing,
although it is now open to
the elements with a stairway
going up to nowhere. The old
wash-house/generator shed
still stands near the spring-
fed pond, where the Clasens
swim in the summer and ice
skate in the winter.

On the walkabout, the
group discovered the rem-
nants of an unidentifiable
piece of Case farm equip-
ment, partially buried where
it was left, including two old
wheels with tires still on them.

A weathered section of
fence standing among the
trees traces the edge of a
long-abandoned corral. A
metal cup hangs on a tree
branch where the springhouse
used to stand.

The house on the edge of
one of the large meadows,
with a close-up view of the

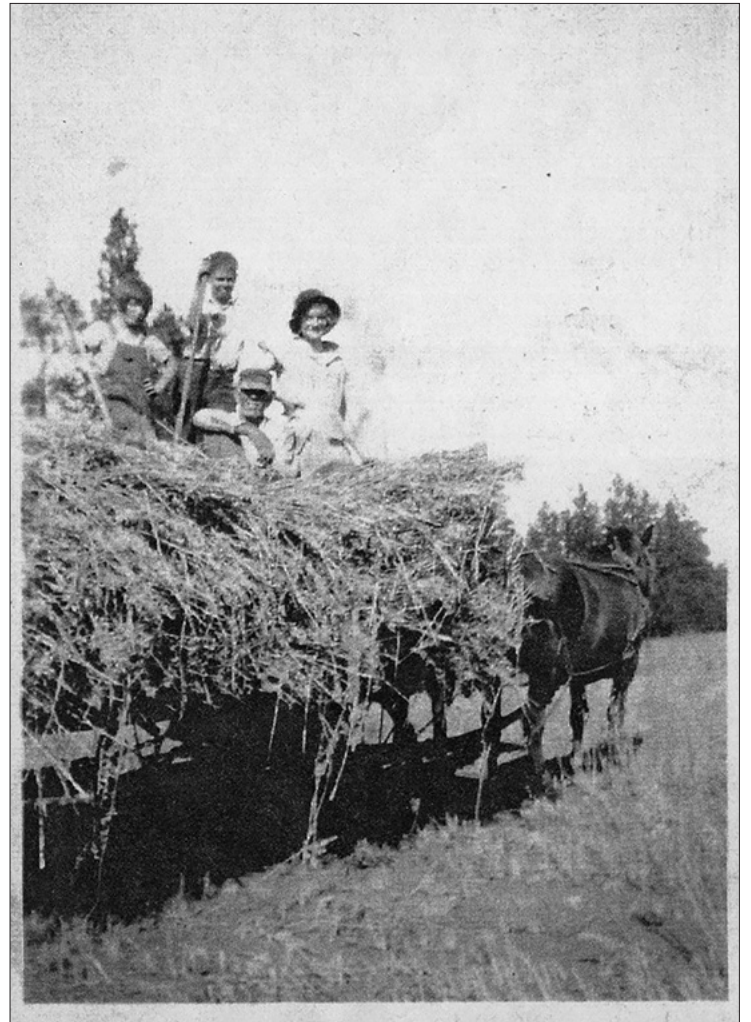


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In the 1930s, haying was a family affair on the Edgington ranch, utilizing pitch-forks and a horse-drawn wagon.

Three Sisters, is where the
Clasens live. It is the house
where Cliff and his three sib-
lings grew up. Cliff brought
the past alive with his stories
of life in the quaint house
with the sturdy rock chimney.

All three of the cousins
painted word pictures of life
on the ranch, with stories of
haying before the days of
baling, and playing in the
yard under the ancient cot-
tonwood tree, its former loca-
tion marked by a remaining
weathered stump of immense
diameter.

Coming away from four
hours walking that idyllic
piece of history, the histori-
cal society group was rein-
vigorated in the intention to
encourage the preservation of
Sisters' remnants of the past
— her structures and stories
that contain the essence of
where this little town at the
foot of the mountains came
from and who the hardy souls
were who took unirrigated
high desert and dense pine
forests and grew a small town
that holds such a special place
in the hearts of so many.

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You must submit your application
in person.

More information is available
at 541-549-0143 or read
the qualifications and get an
application at epicopenings.net

