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**COVE FORMS BOY SCOUTS**

Cove, June 17.—(Special)—Within the last few weeks there has been formed here a Boy Scout organization. The scout master is Harvey Lantz; assistant scout master has not been elected yet. There are two patrols and their officers are as follows: The Wolf Patrol No. 1; Patrol leader, Herman Lund; assistant patrol leader Leslie Peck; treasurer, Tommy Conklin; secretary, George Williams. The Eagle Patrol No. 2: Patrol leader, Louin Lantz; assistant patrol leader, Henry Allen; secretary and treasurer, Phillip Conklin. There will be several more patrols in the near future. Judd Gear was a business visitor in La Grande Monday.

Marian Conklin has been very sick for the past week but is improving now.

Mrs. Doney returned to her home in Union Saturday after a visit here of several weeks.

Carl Gasset is in Portland this week attending the Rose show.

Hattie DeBorde is in Walla Walla visiting her sister, Christina Peal.

Jean and Ruth Holmes started to Enterprise Thursday where they intend to stay several weeks.

Katie Houx went to Freewater, at which place she expects to spend the summer.

A children's day program was held in the Methodist church Sunday morning. The church was beautifully decorated in flowers and evergreen.

Hazeline Wilson is visiting in the Cove this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Robinson are the proud parents of a baby girl, born June 14, 1913.

Mr. Wilson of the electric light company, was a business visitor in the Cove Saturday.

**OMAHA KNOWN AS THE GATE CITY OF THE WEST.**

Metropolis Struck by Cyclone Has Many Fine Industries.

Omaha has claimed the sobriquet of Gate City ever since before 1864, when the Union Pacific was begun and when it was the most northerly outfitting point for overland wagon trains to the "far west."

It stands on the west bank of the Missouri, opposite Council Bluffs, Ia., 492 miles southwest of Chicago on the Union Pacific and the Missouri Pacific, and occupies a site of over twenty-four square miles on an elevation 1,030 feet above sea level and eighty feet above the river, crossed at this point by several bridges.

The superior location of the Gate City has caused it to become the home of many prosperous industries, and prosperity has resulted in the establishment of many educational institutions, buildings attractive for their architecture. Omaha is a city of churches. Among its industries are those of packing cattle, hogs and sheep. Omaha ranks third among cities of the United States in packing. There is a good deal of silver smelting as well as distilling, brewing and manufacture of steam engines.

Important among the buildings are the courthouse, city hall, public library, containing 60,000 volumes; the federal building, Coliseum hall, seating 12,000; Roman Catholic and Protestant Episcopal cathedrals, hospitals, state institution for the deaf and dumb, the New York Life building and the office of the Omaha Bee.

Omaha has a city university and is the seat of Creighton university, the Academy of the Sacred Heart, Brownell hall, St. Catherine's academy, the Presbyterian Theological seminary, the Omaha Medical college and the Creighton Medical college. It has a magnificent high school building.

In maintenance and operation the city has been spending annually nearly \$1,500,000, the principal items of the budget being about \$375,000 for schools, \$295,000 for debt interests, \$120,000 for the fire department, \$80,000 for the police department and \$80,000 for municipal lighting.

Historically the site of Omaha figures as the place where Lewis and Clark in 1804 held a council with the Indians. J. B. Royce in 1825 built a stockade and trading station there. The first permanent settlement was made in 1834. The growth of the city has greatly increased since the Pacific railroad was completed. The population is 130,000, making it Nebraska's metropolis. The name Omaha was taken from a tribe of the Dakotas that inhabited the town.

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**WANTED**—An elderly couple for light work on a ranch. Permanent if satisfactory. Call or address Dr. Law, Union, Oregon. 5-25-tf

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**FOR RENT**—Furnished, 6 room modern house. Phone Main 60 or Red 731. 6-11-tf

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The age of three is the next most dangerous age. Almost one-fourth of all the babies born die during the third year.

From three on to the age of forty-five life is comparatively safe, but forty-five, especially for women, is a trying time, and many are carried off.

After passing forty-five in safety men and women may reasonably hope to reach seventy-one. Here again they are in great danger—the greatest save for the first few hours after birth.

Longevity is a hereditary quality. It passes from father to son and from mother to daughter. He who had an octogenarian father may hope to become an octogenarian himself, and she who had an octogenarian mother may hope to become an octogenarian herself. But a father's longevity does not pass down to a daughter, nor does a mother's pass down to a son.—New York Tribune.

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