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INTER-TOWN DEBATE HELD

BIG PORTION OF THE NIGHT USED BY 400 PEOPLE.

Imbler and Alice People Have Most Delightful Affair.

Imbler, Oregon, March 3. (Special)—County Superintendent, Mrs. A. E. Ivanhoe, spent last Friday visiting the two Imbler schools and conferring with the teachers. Mrs. Ivanhoe was also the guest of "Gradma" Ruckman.

Dr. Barrett and O. D. Fleener were transacting business in La Grande Saturday. Mr. Fleener also visited North Powder returning to Imbler Sunday morning.

Walter Stringham, Sr., is recovering

from the attack of la grippe which he encountered on his recent trip to Portland.

William Day of La Grande is spending a few days in Imbler visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Clay Fox.

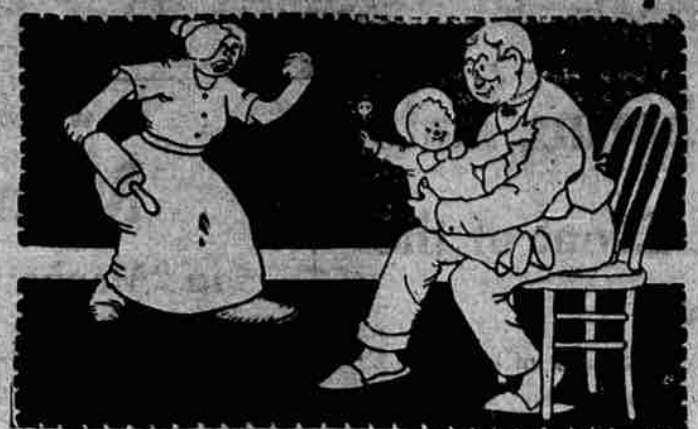
M. J. Young, of Spokane, Wash., was registered at the Hotel Imbler Friday.

Miss Grace Stover, of La Grande, is working for George Cleaver and is a welcome addition to Imbler's young people.

Whooping cough seem to be increasing, several new cases being reported.

Friday, Feb. 26, the capacity of the amusement hall was tested by a crowd of more than 400 who assembled to enjoy the triple treat of school program, debate and box supper. The festivities started at 7:30 p. m. and ended at 1 a. m., the selling of baskets being difficult owing to the lateness of the hour. The program began with the musical and declamatory numbers and closed with the debate between Alice and Imbler. Each number was well received showing thorough training by the school, especially the vocal work under the direction of D. C. Wilson, one of the local teachers. A duet by Mr.

ROCKING THE CRADLE, NO MAN-SIZE JOB, SAYS WIFE. "YOU FOR THE PAY ENVELOPE"



Ben Powell is a good family man, as Chicago family men go, and not for the world would he forget his duty to his home. So when it came to a choice of carrying a hod on a cold wintry day, and staying home and "minding the baby" Ben stayed right by the fireside. But Mrs. Ben is that unreasonable that when she returned from the Women's Voters' league and found the family "meal ticket" rocking the baby she got right mad about it and never calmed down until the police dropped in and stopped the riot. Hard is the way of a family man! Quitta rock the cradle, and all the thanks he gets is the caress of a f...

and Mrs. Sherwood Williams and a piano solo by Mrs. O. D. Fleener were the only numbers from outside the school. Mr. Wiggs filled the interim between program and debate with a movie reel. The debate was spirited, both teams being in trim from the former meetings, and some interesting facts were submitted to the judges who finally decided in favor of the affirmative. Following is the question and lineup: "Resolved, That the Co-Operative Commonwealth Would Be a Cure for Present economic Conditions in This Country." Affirmative: Imbler: Bergold, D. C. Wilson, A. J. Wilson and Connor; negative: Alice: Maxey, Thompson, Wilsinger and Case. The proceeds from the basket sale are for the school and part will be used toward equipment for a track team.

The M. E. Sunday school, under the superintendency of I. A. Bingham, is on the up grade, in both attendance and interest.

John Witty, of the local postoffice, is on a business trip to Idaho, and Miss Hazel Welch is looking after Uncle Sam's business in addition to her duties in the drug store.

Alice citizens came to Imbler en masse Friday evening to support their team of debaters. Neighboring towns cannot develop too much of the spirit of friendly intercourse, and Alice always finds a hearty welcome in Imbler. We have also enjoyed their hospitality on different occasions and hope to see a continuation of the present social relations.

NORTH POWDER NEWS

Rag Party, Not to Be Confused With Razzing, Greatly Enjoyed.

North Powder, March 4.—Mrs. M. Shourds entertained the Ladies' Aid at her home last Thursday afternoon at carpet rag sewing, after which elegant refreshments were served by the hostess and a good time is reported.

Will Henderson was taken to the hospital at Baker yesterday where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Chris Johnson is repairing the mill race where a break occurred last week.

Mrs. C. K. White has accepted a position as clerk in the Huddleston store at this place.

Dave Lee and Ratler passed through this place yesterday with a band of sheep, taking them to the hills.

Mrs. Irvine entertained the ladies of the Artisan lodge and a few invited guests at her home last Friday afternoon. Refreshments were served those present.

Lou Dougherty is moving to the

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Walk ranch for which he recently traded.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Huddleston, Mrs. O. H. Sloan and Mrs. Ralph Williams were Baker visitors yesterday.

Melvin and Less Olson are spending a few days in Astoria.

George Hewett, of this place, is very low with Bright's disease.

Ralph Williams and family moved to the ranch which he recently rented at Rock Creek.

Rev. Harry Young, pastor of the Methodist church at this place, began a series of meetings here last night.

J. A. Thronson and family have moved into town from the Thronson ranch, which recently changed ownership.

Mrs. Sarah Walk, of Union, is visiting her brother, M. R. Shourds, and family for a few days.

OLD-TIME SCOTCH JUDGES.

Picturesque Examples of Judicial Spleen and Ire.

Philadelphia Leger.

Those who have read Stevenson's unfinished work, "Weir of Hermiston," will remember the powerful delineation of "the hanging judge," Lord Braxfield. The original of that portrait is described in W. Forbes Gray's study of "Some Old Scotch Judges" in a fashion to bring before us that most remarkable character among the forceful and picturesque succession of the Scottish bench of the 18th century. According to this authority Braxfield bullied prisoners, witnesses, young advocates and even his colleagues, Cockburn write of him: "It is impossible to condemn his conduct as a criminal judge too gravely or too severely. It was a disgrace to the age." He invited Mr. Horner to "help us hang one o' these damned scoundrels." "I'll do for the fellow," was a favorite expression.

"You are talking nonsense, sir," he would roar at a distinguished barrister. "Bring me prisoners and I'll find you law," he said on another occasion. The landed interest alone, he declared, had the right to be represented.

Then there was Lord Eskgrove who seemed to enjoy pronouncing the death sentence, whose usual formula concluded: There are plenty of reverend gentlemen who will be most hap-



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py for to show you the way to Yel-
to hesitation in saying to a lawyer.
"That's a lie!" Of Lord Kames it was
written by Ramsey that "in trials of
life and death he sometimes lowered
the majesty of justice by the levity
or harshness of his expressions."
The survivals of such manifesta-
tions of judicial spleen by irascible,
overbearing temperaments are so
rare today as to attract attention and

general censure, where as in the mid-
dle of the 18th century they would
not have seemed a marked departure
from the accepted procedure.

Inexpensive Flight.

"I would I were a bird," she sang.
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band.
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ter without it costing me anything."
—Life

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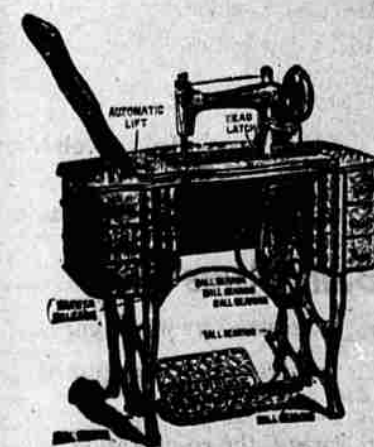
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