

### Union-Wallowa County News

#### JOSEPH NEWS NOTES

JOSEPH, Feb. 6.—(Special).—On Monday a chinook wind arrived in Joseph, reducing our foot of snow to merely a few white patches here and there. Some predict that this is the starting of Spring.

Johnnie Thompson, who has been confined in the County jail for the last few months for bootlegging, was in Joseph Sunday evening telling of his whiskey selling experiences. We suggest that Johnnie write a book on the subject of "The Troubles of a Bootlegger," or words to that effect.

Guy Davis of the Wallowa high school was in Joseph the first of the week visiting with his relatives here.

Mrs. William Luckrel left this week for the East where she will visit relatives.

W. T. Hislop, a representative of the John Anisfield Company of Cleveland, Ohio, was in Joseph on business the first of the week.

Marvin Shannafelt is temporary station agent at Lostine this week as the regular agent is on a trip. Mr. Shannafelt is an employee in the Joseph O. W. R. & N. depot.

At a meeting of the Farmer's Union over \$200 was raised for the Armenian relief work. This is just a starter for Joseph as many more subscriptions are to be raised here. Also the ladies of the town are raising \$100 for the support of a comfort fund for nurses who are now on the firing line in France.

This is the result of a talk made by a Y. W. C. A. worker who spoke to the Red Cross ladies some time ago. Ten ladies volunteered to raise \$10 each for the work.

Mrs. Albert Mount left Monday for Dayton, Wash., where she will visit.

Floyd Ozmert is a visitor in Portland this month.

The following Joseph people left this week to attend the Portland Automobile Show: Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Morlock, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brunken, and Mrs. R. Hodmer.

Kenneth Lane is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Grover Swaggart has just received word from her brother, Albert, who worked in Joseph last summer and who now is a student at the Walla Walla high school, stating that he had been made corporal of the school military company and that he had been made assistant editor of the school paper. Albert has many friends in Joseph who are glad of his school success.

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