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### BOY LICKED ON BIRTHDAY

(Special to The Observer) STARKLEY, Feb. 27.—The first three days of last week were marked by heavy snow and wind storms and on Wednesday it turned cold and clear throughout the week.

The dance a week ago Saturday at the J. S. Rose home was a success. A large crowd attended, including Jerry Davis, William Young and Johnny Dixon of Hilgard.

Happy Stiles was here from La Grande to visit friends in Starkley last week. He visited the school Wednesday and also visited at the home of J. S. Rose and Jack Starvo.

Claude Daniels and John Rogers came down from the mountains Friday and stopped at the J. S. Rose place, returning to Sheep Ranch Wednesday. Mr. Daniels is one of the watchmen at Camp Carson and Mr. Rogers is a trapper. They came down on webs but the trip was a hard one, the snow being very soft. Mr. Rogers brought many coyote hides and took these to La Grande, where he received the bounty and also sold the hides. They will be down again in several weeks with more pelts. Mr. Daniels intends to go to Portland soon.

J. S. Rose is saving wood with a gasoline drag saw for John Wells. He will move over to the ranch of Jess Plunkett in a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Noyes made a trip to La Grande Tuesday, returning Thursday.

Miss Marguerite Johnson spent the night at the A. B. Burnett home Thursday.

The 21st of the month was the birthday of J. S. Rose, he being 55 years old on that day. Mrs. John Wells

surprised him with a birthday dinner, which he says he did ample justice to.

The 22nd was the 13th birthday of Lloyd Burnett. All the pupils in the school joined in giving him a whipping and after each had administered the thirteen licks an extra one was given all around to growen. He is a good strong boy and will likely grow to be a large, powerful man.

#### UNCALLED FOR LETTERS.

Lots of letters remaining uncalled for in this office for the week ending February 24th, 1922:

Gentlemen—Dr. R. C. Binzer, Geo. Barbeau, J. M. Eveland, Ed Fermiling, A. Perill Minott, W. M. Nolan, Chasley et'ers, H. C. Pillers, Robt. H. Strong, D. L. Steward, A. L. Trowley.

Ladies—Mrs. Berry, Miss Maud Croighbaum, Miss Ethel Central, Francis Cavanaugh, Mrs. L. A. Moore, Miss Ella Martin, Mrs. Charley Scott, Miss Wilma Stevenson, Mrs. L. L. Smith.

These letters will be sent to the Dead Letter Office on March 10th, 1922, if not delivered. In calling for these letters please say "advertised," giving date of list.

E. E. BRAGG, P. M.

#### SHOOT'S WIER

(By Associated Press) MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 27.—Edgar C. Frady, president and treasurer of a Chicago automobile sales company, shot his wife, probably fatally, and cut his own throat at a hotel here Sunday, according to the police. Both were taken to a hospital where it was said their condition was critical.

After firing three bullets into his wife's body, Frady attempted to cut his throat with a safety razor blade. Failing in this, he resorted to a knife to complete the act.

### THE OUTBURSTS OF EVERETT TRUE—by Condo.



### AMUSEMENT HALL PLANNED

(Special to The Observer) UNION, Feb. 27.—Members of the Union M. I. A., a society of the young people of the L. D. S. church, went to La Grande last Wednesday evening to put on a play entitled "Just For Fun," which they had rendered here a few days ago. All they can clear above expenses will be put into their building fund. The society is saving up this money to build an amusement hall. The church had planned to build a new place for worship and use the old building for social affairs but had to postpone this program on account of the present financial slump.

About the noon hour last Wednesday a small house in the eastern part of Union caught fire and was almost wholly destroyed. A stove had been set up in the house and the paperhangers were at work getting the rooms ready for a family to move in. It is thought that the fire started from the pipe of the stove. The property belonged to Ed Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Huff came over from La Grande last Tuesday and are visiting with Mr. Hill's two sisters, Mrs. Knight and Mrs. McClay.

Mrs. Eugene Parent, Mrs. Pat Sullivan and Mrs. D. M. Hoots were visitors in La Grande last Tuesday evening.

F. B. Connor, president of the Union Commercial club, appointed a committee of four to attend the special meeting of the Baker Commercial club Thursday evening. Three of the members, C. L. Caldwell, J. F. Hutchinson and I. K. Hess, made the trip and Mr. Caldwell was elected as one of the vice-presidents of the Oregon Trail association during the meeting.

In our items last week a slight mistake was made. In reporting the surprise on Riv. Cook we forgot to mention the names of the ladies and were very politely brought about face by several of the ladies who had been instrumental in planning the surprise. The ladies present were Mesdames P. Reuter, Van Houten, Hayden, Craster, Evans, Littler, Dolapp, Caster, Spenser, Shaw, Isack, Kuhn, Phy Connor, Kiehlback.

W. T. Davis, who recently went to Walla Walla from Union, was sent to Portland last week where he will enter the Old Fellows home if the authorities find from their examination that he is unable to work. His little daughter made the trip with Mr. Davis.

Mrs. Holly has opened the gymnasium on Main street again since the cold weather is apparently over. The older boys have formed a club and fitted up one room for boxing, wrestling and similar sports, while the smaller children make use of the main room. One of two classes have been organized to meet at four in the afternoon.

Prof. E. C. Robbins, dean of the business department of the University of Oregon, was the guest of the Commercial club at the Union hotel last Wednesday noon. After dinner the dean addressed the members present. Arrangements had been made for Prof. Robbins to deliver an address to the local high school student body, but the snow was unable to make the early trip

and the speaker did not arrive here until about noon.

Mrs. Nell Hutchinson entertained the "Lucky Thirteen" club at the Union hotel last Wednesday afternoon. After the business session a dainty lunch was served. This club gets its name from the arrangement that there shall be just 13 present at each meeting. If some members cannot be present enough visitors are invited to finish out the unlucky number.

Thomas Adams is improving his home in North Union by putting oak floors in all the rooms on the first floor.

The little six-pound baby girl born last Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Morgan, is getting along fine. The new member of the family has been christened Florence Martha.

Local schools were closed on the afternoon of last Wednesday in memory of George Washington. Appropriate exercises were observed in the various rooms.

The Woman's club held their regular meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Hall. After the routine business was disposed of the members present all enjoyed a short musical program and were served a light lunch by the hostesses for the day, Mesdames Hughes, Fox, Hall.

Income Tax Facts

The revenue act of 1921 authorizes the Commissioner of Internal Revenue and his assistants whose duty it is to see that the law is properly complied with to examine all books, papers, and memoranda bearing upon an income tax return and to examine under oath persons having information in the premises. A new provision of law is that no taxpayer shall be subject to unnecessary examinations, and only one inspection of the taxpayer's books of accounts shall be made for each taxable year unless the taxpayer requests otherwise, or unless the commissioner, after investigation, notifies the taxpayer in writing that an additional inspection is necessary.

The act provides that in the absence of fraud, or miscalculation, the decision of the commissioner upon any claim presented under or authorized by internal-revenue laws shall not be subject to review by any other administrative officer, employee, or agent of the United States.

Written Agreements Binding. Except upon a showing of fraud or malfeasance, an agreement in writing between the taxpayer and the commissioner as to the amount of taxes due is final and conclusive, and there-

fore binding upon both parties. The act provides that no suit or proceeding for the recovery of any tax or penalty alleged to have been erroneously or illegally assessed or collected shall be begun before six months from the date of filing (unless the commissioner renders a decision thereon within that time) nor after the expiration of five years from the date of payment of such tax or penalty.

It is provided also that the amount of income, excess profits, and war profits taxes due for the year 1921 and succeeding years shall be determined and assessed by the commissioner within four years after the return was filed, and the amounts due for prior years within five years after the return was filed unless the commissioner and the taxpayer consent in writing to a later determination, assessment and collection. Except in the case of a false or fraudulent return or failure to file a required return no suit or proceeding for the collection of such taxes shall be entered after the expiration of five years from the date the return was filed or became due. This provision does not affect proceedings begun at the time of the

passage of the revenue act of 1921, November 23, 1921. The act provides that under certain conditions interest at the rate of one-half per cent a month shall be paid upon claims for abatement and refund of taxes erroneously collected from the date of allowance of the claim. Taxpayers are no longer invited to submit such claim, but upon audit of the return they will receive a certificate of overassessment and a check in correction of the error, or if an assessment is outstanding against the taxpayer for income or excess profits taxes, the overpayment is applied as a credit and the balance immediately refunded.

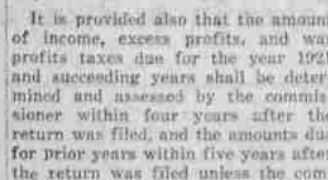
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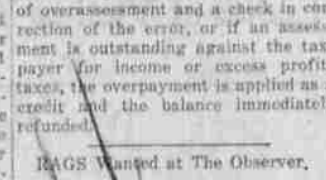
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