

UNION LOSES COOK FAMILY

(Special to The Observer.)
Rev. L. A. Cook and his son, Paul, left Union last Friday evening for their new home at Yakima, Washington. Mrs. Cook and their daughter, Grace, left a few days earlier and expected to visit with friends until their furniture arrived. Rev. Cook was pastor of the local M. E. church for the past three years and the best wishes of their many friends accompany the family to their new home and new work.

Lee Tuttle, of Elgin, was in Union last week boosting for the county fair to be held in Elgin.

More children are being enrolled daily in the grade and high school buildings and by the time peaches harvest is over and the children are all back in school the enrollment will probably reach 500, a larger attendance than our schools have had for several years.

Union has a case of typhoid fever, little Robert Binkler, who lives in South Union, at last reports he was getting along as well as could be expected.

Several Union people motored over to Pendleton Saturday morning to witness the last day of the Round-Up.

Sells Drug Store.

The woodwork on the outside of the high school building is being improved by a coat of white paint. Claude Busick has sold out his drug store to George Ferguson, who was formerly in this business in Junior, but has been living in Union for the past few years. The new proprietor has taken charge of the store and is ready to serve the public. Mr. Busick has not yet definitely decided just what he will do since getting out of the drug business.

Felix Evans, his wife, daughter and mother, left for Rapid City, South Dakota, last Tuesday evening, for a few weeks' visit at his old home. Leaving his mother there Mr. Evans and his family plan to return to Union and in a short time start for California, where he expects to locate.

Ed and Charley Castor and their brother Frank, the latter from Halnes, and William Wigglesworth, spent nearly two weeks on a hunting trip up Little Catherine creek. A few grouse was the extent of their success.

Friends of Fred Mayo, who was recently convicted of stealing an automobile, are circulating a petition on the streets of Union, asking for his parole.

Rev. Quinn, the new pastor of the M. E. church, arrived in Union last week from his former pastorate in Idaho, and is busy getting settled in the parsonage. He occupied the pulpit for the first time last Sunday.

A fire started in the Honer Cheney home last Wednesday but it was put out before much damage was done. The fire started from the stove. An alarm was turned in but the flames were soon under control. One fellow in his hurry used a pail of milk instead of water to throw on the fire.

Van Houten and Kent finished their threshing run last week and are back in Union. Some other machines are still threshing but the work is about finished for this season.

Mrs. Viola Parker who went to Walla Walla for a short visit has returned to her home much improved from the effects of the fall she had just before leaving for the Washington city. She is able to resume her piano teaching again. Walter Stevens has announced his candidacy for the office of street commissioner. There are several offices to fill, council members, mayor, recorder, marshal, and treasurer, besides the position Mr. Stevens is seeking to fill, but so far as could be learned hardly any one else has showed inclination to become candidates.

Dr. Gilmore's son and daughter, J. Q. and Happy, went to Pendleton last week to enjoy the Round-Up.

George W. Wright has announced his candidacy for the office of street commissioner.

W. V. Connor gave a party at his home last Tuesday evening for the members of his Sunday school boys' class, The Gang. Twelve were present and enjoyed an evening of games and eats.

Last Wednesday afternoon the Methodist Ladies Aid held their September social meeting at the home of Mrs. Charley Castor in South Union. Mrs. Castor, Mrs. Edith Phy and Mrs. D. A. Croutier were hostesses for the afternoon.

Claude Picklin started for Canada Sunday to look after some property he owns there. He will make the trip in his automobile.

W. C. Kelley, the La Grande contractor, who is building the new bungalow on the experiment farm near Union, was over last Tuesday to look after the work. He says there will be a few weeks delay on account of having to send to Portland for lumber.

Union Hotel Guests.

I. R. Swook, Baker, insurance agent was in Union last Tuesday. Some Eastern Oregon and Idaho people who were registered at the Union hotel during the week were: J. King, J. P. Lottridge, H. Guy Schneck, Jack Rogers, W. E. Geddes and family, Mrs. B. H. Hallack, Blaine Hallack, and W. M. Lemmon of Baker; Jay Conley, P. Webb, B. Amnes, G. M. Riney and wife, Jonathan Gibbs, Ed Hackman and W. H. Case of La Grande; Robert Hunter of North Powder; Herbert Polard of Cave; H. L. Browning and family of Enterprise; Winifred Kay of Enterprise; Arthur Taylor of Pendleton; W. H. Richardson of Conception; Fred Williams and William H. Cook of Boise.

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FEW DEER IN STARKEY HILLS

(Special to The Observer.)
STARKEY, Sept. 25.—Hunters are still bringing in hard luck stories and no deer. They report lots of bear, and sheepherders tell of bear disturbing their sheep. Coyotes are also very troublesome.

It is still dry and fine for harvesting, but dry and dusty for summer fallow work.

Some of the farmers are preparing their ground for seedling.

R. L. Sullivan and Everett Clark took a bunch of pasture horses belonging to Pendleton country ranchers out yesterday.

Phil Strack, of Portland, is visiting his brother, Ray Strack, and is enjoying his vacation in the mountains. Mr. Strack is employed in a bank in Portland.

Mrs. R. L. Sullivan and her mother, Mrs. McKay spent the day with Mrs. Len Ingham Wednesday.

Mrs. Glenn Brown was up to visit Mrs. Rose Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Thornburg were over to visit the J. S. Rose family Wednesday.

George Hillman, of Baker, and Mr. Moore, of La Grande, both railroad men, were in the Starkey hills hunting Sunday.

Harlan Eriksen, young son of Mr. Wm. Eriksen, has been quite sick this week but is improving now.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thomas have moved out to Starkey, having bought out Sol Twidwell, who is leaving this week for Washington. Vincent Erickson and Ira Wilson will drive the horses of Mr. Twidwell and Mr. Twidwell and wife and children will go in their car, which he bought lately.

The school of Starkey opened Monday. With Mrs. John Wells as teacher. Eleven pupils started. Little Davey and Lena Rose started to school Monday, it being their first term.

Little Floyd Sullivan was quite sick Thursday night, but was better Friday.

CABLING SECURE AGAINST RADIO

Submarine Cabling not Endangered by Radio; One European Company has Laid 28,000 Miles of Cable Recently

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Aug. 30.—(By Mail.)—

Submarine cabling is not in danger of being superseded by wireless transmission, if one may judge from the activities of cable companies since the armistice. One European company has laid over 28,000 miles of ocean cable in the past three years, and it is believed that American companies have done as much in other parts of the sea.

Today the world is encircled by 325,000 miles of electrified ropes that carry messages from man to man. Fifty years ago there were only 8,000 nautical miles of cable. On the modern routes duplicate, triplicate and even sextuplicate cables are provided, and the entire system is linked up by alternative in circuitous lines, so that if interruption occurs on one artery another may be quickly pressed into use. Land lines that link these ocean cables into one vast network constitutes the nervous system of the civilized world. There is hardly any spot on the habitable globe which cannot be reached by a message over this great arterial system.

With the amazing development and

perfection of wireless as a means of disseminating the world's thought, it was believed at one time that the submarine cable soon would become obsolete; but the fact is that the business of the ocean telegraph companies has increased by leaps and bounds today there are scarcely sufficient cables to carry the enormous volume of messages daily sent across the five oceans and under the seven seas. It is apparent there is ample room for both forms of telegraphy.

The development of the submarine cable tends almost like a romance. As in so many of the world's other modern miracles and inventions it was an American—Cyrus W. Field—who was the pioneer in the industry. In 1858 he laid the first cable between Newfoundland and Ireland. This line was 2,500 miles long and the wire weighed one ton to the mile. The project was characterized at the time as "the boldest feat of electrical engineering ever attempted." The cable cost \$100 for 20 words of five letters each, and \$5 for every five letters extra. Today the rate for 20 words is less than \$5.

Two Famous Americans.
Nathaniel Webster, born 1758, died 1843, was famed for his dictionary. Daniel Webster was the great American statesman.

A PRONOUNCED SUCCESS.

The uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the relief and cure of bowel complaints, both for children and adults, has brought it into almost universal use, so that it is practically without a rival and as everyone who has used it knows, it is without an equal.—adv.

High School News

Happenings in and Around the School Centers

Students will now be given credit for music taken outside of school, provided they take from an accredited teacher and meet the requirements of the school. Each pupil may be excused from one study period a week to take a lesson, but not for practice.

The Sophomore class held their first meeting Wednesday for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. Those elected were: President, Ralph Webb; vice-president, Wilma Smith; secretary, treasurer, Lila Bean; yell leader, Jack Dennis.

Several machines yell dogs wandered into the study hall. The task of taking them out fell to Dallas Jacobson. On Wednesday, however, Dallas lost his position as dog-catcher and Mr. Reynolds has now taken over the duties of that office. The Associated Girls Students, known as the A. G. S., was first introduced in La Grande high school in 1921. It is an organization to which all the high school girls are eligible. Each year they give a stunt show. The first year the proceeds were used to furnish the rest room for the girls while last year they bought a gruffonola. Music dances and parties are given occasionally. The principal aim of the A. G. S. is to promote a stronger feeling of good fellowship among all the girls of the high school. Miss Comstock is the A.

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A real home-like place on Washington avenue. Two big lots and shade trees, close in. The owner is a non-resident and the price is right.

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An apartment house furnished, income \$100.00 per month, besides occupied by owner. Paved street, big lot, shade trees, close in. Investigate this.

Geo. H. Currey

Real Estate Insurance

G. S. advisor this year.

The girls of the A. G. S. take particular pride in the rest room which they themselves have furnished. Edith Swallow is the chairman of the rest room committee. Each week she appoints two girls to sweep and dust it. Thus, in spite of the large number of girls that use it, it can always be kept clean.

An executive meeting was held Friday during the seventh period. Student body tickets will be placed on sale Monday morning. The price is \$2.00 for students and teachers. A short student body meeting will be held Monday morning to urge the sale of student body tickets. The executive expects to make the student body 100 per cent this year among the people in school.

The Junior class held their first class meeting for the purpose of electing their class officers for the coming year. Those elected were: President, Clark Price; vice-president, Francis Robinson; secretary,

treasurer, Garnet Bowery; yell leader, Francis Snodgrass.

Two new footballs were purchased by Coach Reynolds this year. They were put into immediate use.

Fast Travelers in Air.

The swallows are very graceful birds and are exceedingly swift fliers. They feed on insects which they catch on the wing. There are five native swallows which are common—the house or cliff, the barn, the bank, the tree swallow and the purple martin.

No Substitute Offered.

Say what you will about druggists offering something "just as good" because it pays a better profit, the fact still remains that ninety-nine out of a hundred druggists recommend Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy when the boy is medicine for diarrhoea is asked for, and do so because they know from what their customers say that it can be depended on.—adv.

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—AT THE—

Union County Fair

ELGIN

September 27, 28, 29, 30

BUCKING CONTEST

\$150.00 Prize Saddle to the winner. Silver Mounted Spurs and Bridle Bit to second best rider, \$60.00 value.

STEER ROPING

\$30.00 Prize to the Winner.

RING TOURNAMENT

A revival of that once favored sport in horsemanship. \$30 Bridle to the Winner. \$10 Velour Hat as second prize.

\$10.00 REWARD

To the buckaroo who can ride Jack Dempsey, the bull.

RACING

Free-for-all Dashes — Quick Change races — Novalty Races — Saddle Horse Races — Pony Races — Roman Races.

Mule riding and other amusing events.

Contests begin Sept. 28. Entries must be made not later than Sept. 27. For rules regulating contests address Secretary Elgin Fair Association.

Don't Miss the Agricultural and Horticultural Display.

RACE PROGRAM

Union County Fair

Elgin, Oregon

September 28:

One-fourth Mile Dash—Free for All	\$30.00	\$10.00	\$ 5.00
Pony Race, one-fourth mile—boys 12 yrs. and under	5.00	2.50	1.00
Men's Saddle Horse Race, one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	2.50
Quick Change Race—Riders to mount horses bareback, run 1-8 mile and put on chaps and spurs; mount and run 1-8 mile and put on saddle, running 1-4 mile to finish	50.00	25.00	10.00
Ladies' Saddle Horse Race, one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	2.50
Novelty Race, Horses to walk 1-8 mile, trot or pace 1-6 and run 1-6 of a mile to finish	10.00	5.00	2.50
Girls' Pony Race—One-fourth mile; girls 12 years and under	5.00	2.50	1.00
Half Mile Dash	40.00	20.00	10.00
Roman Race—One-half mile	17.00	8.00	

September 29:

Three-eighths Mile Dash	35.00	15.00	7.50
Pony Race, one-fourth mile—boys 12 years and under	5.00	2.50	1.00
Novelty Race, same as first day	10.00	5.00	2.50
Half Mile Dash	50.00	25.00	10.00
Ladies' Race one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	
Quick Change Race, same as first day	10.00	5.00	2.50
Pony Race, one-fourth mile—boys 12 years and under	5.00	2.50	1.00
Saddle Horse Race, one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	
Three-fourths Mile Dash	70.00	35.00	20.00
Roman Race—One-half Mile	17.00	8.00	

September 30:

One-fourth Mile Dash	20.00	15.00	7.50
Pony Race—Boys and Girls 12 years and under	5.00	2.50	1.00
Novelty Race—Same as preceding days	10.00	5.00	
Five-eighths Mile Dash	50.00	25.00	12.50
Ladies' Race, one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	
Quick Change Race—Same as preceding days	10.00	5.00	2.50
Half Mile Dash	40.00	20.00	10.00
Saddle Horse Race, one-fourth mile	10.00	5.00	
Union County Derby—One Mile	100.00	45.00	20.00
Roman Race—One-half Mile	17.00	8.00	

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