

UNION GETS SILVER TROUT

Union Hatchery Receives A Big Shipment of Silver Trout; Hatchery Will Remain Open.

UNION, Dec. 14.—Owing to the fact that the fish hatchery has received a shipment of silver trout, or yank eggs from Seattle and that the rainbow trout stream from the local ponds has been taken for the first time that the hatchery will be compelled to run during the cold weather. Heretofore the troughs had been emptied and dry till early spring. The yanks when hatched out will be planted in Wallowa lake. The work of taking the eastern brook spawn at Aneroid lake has been finished and all that remains to be done is to bring out the eggs. Mr. Bonny, the superintendent, had been promised a new dwelling this spring, but owing to repairs and improvements at the hatchery he will probably have to wait till next fall for the new house.

Union has a lighter fall of snow than other parts of the valley according to reports from other places. At Imbler and near Cove the roads are almost impassable in places. Here there is only a light fall and the roads are practically bare.

Mrs. Ida Cline who was brought home from Hot Lake last week, is rapidly improving in health.

G. I. Hoos, proprietor of the Oregon Trail garage, reports that he sold thirty automobiles this season.

The radio outfit received at the Union hotel proved to be deficient somehow and could not be persuaded to work, so a new one has been ordered and is expected to arrive this week.

Milton Turnbull is erecting a six-room bungalow on his ranch north of Union.

The Catherine creek road has been graveled for a distance of about four miles up from Union, at a cost of about \$700 per mile. Part of this, \$1500, was appropriated by the county and residents along the improved road furnished the remainder of the money.

Mrs. Edith Phyl returned from Portland the middle of the week. She had been called there on account of a sick relative.

The young people are enjoying some skating on Goodford lake the last week. Two auto loads of M. W. of A. members went to La Grande last Thursday evening to visit the La Grande camp. They reported a pleasant time.

Sheriff Warnick was in Union last Thursday on business.

Our local paper, the Weekly Republican, is getting out a special holiday number. This number will probably be out the latter part of this week.

Stock Show Meeting.
Amesing of the stock show members was held at the city hall last Wednesday evening to elect officers for the coming year. The lineup is as follows: Robert Withycombe, president; C. L. Cadwell, vice-president; Tony Smith, secretary; E. N. Fox, treasurer, besides a board of directors. Five vice-presidents and standing committees will be appointed later.

Mrs. Myrtle Cline has become a member of Uncle Sam's payroll, having accepted a position in the local postoffice.

After conducting a cigar store in one of the Old Fellows buildings for several months, Mr. Williams has closed the store and removed his goods to North Powder where he has another cigar store.

Mrs. Clara Morton of Ontario has accepted a position in the Republican office.

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Cecil Carter and Herakal Halsoy were two of the local representatives to attend the boys' conference in La Grande last week.

Dr. Erwin, the local dentist, spent part of last week in Portland on business.

One Union man at least is willing to testify that the wind was really blowing Saturday. While on his way to La Grande the wind lifted the top of his buscar car just as he was crossing the viaduct at Hot Lake.

Mrs. Vera Fox was taken suddenly ill Saturday and word was sent to Imbler for her mother, Mrs. A. F. Wilson, who arrived on the stage Wednesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall the local Rebekahs held initiatory ceremonies. Mrs. Coffey and Mrs. DeVore were the candidates. At the same meeting the following officers were elected: Opal Shappett, N. G.; Mrs. Shaw, V. G.; Mrs. DeLap, R. S.; Mrs. Belle Baker, C. S.; Mrs. Ella Holly, treasurer. After the meeting closed a light lunch was served to the members.

E. R. Martin, district superintendent for the American Sunday School Union, for Oregon, Washington, and Idaho, was in Union last Friday in the interest of this work. He left Imbler for her mother, Mrs. A. F. Wilson, who arrived on the stage Wednesday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall the local Rebekahs held initiatory ceremonies. Mrs. Coffey and Mrs. DeVore were the candidates. At the same meeting the following officers were elected: Opal Shappett, N. G.; Mrs. Shaw, V. G.; Mrs. DeLap, R. S.; Mrs. Belle Baker, C. S.; Mrs. Ella Holly, treasurer. After the meeting closed a light lunch was served to the members.

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