

# IMBLER LODGE HAS BIG MEET

**IMBLER (Special)**—The K. of P. lodge held its regular meeting Wednesday evening in the hall here. After the business session the Pythian Sisters gave a reception for Mr. and Mrs. William Troy.

Mrs. Ab Page is slowly recovering from her recent illness. Loyal Strachan has gone to Portland and Astoria.

Sherwood Williams has taken over the Imbler bank. Mrs. Barrie will have charge of the bank here.

Preaching services were held at the Methodist church Sunday morning. C. C. Pratt, of La Grande, was in charge.

Mrs. Parilla Keefe returned home Sunday after a three weeks visit with friends in La Grande. Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hutchinson spent Sunday with friends at Alcol.

Mrs. Prior spent the week end at La Grande.

Mrs. Dennis McCully, of Elgin, visited at the home of her son, Oscar Howell recently.

Lewis Hayes spent several days at Baker recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Buckman went to Baker Saturday where they have gone for medical treatment.

E. G. Kirby was at Imbler Sunday.

The primary grades of the public school gave a play entitled "Little Stories of Wonderland" in the amusement hall Friday evening. Besides the play several songs were rendered.

Roy Phillips of Union, was at Imbler Monday on business.

Mr. May has gone to Union, where he will make his home with one of his sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keefe were at La Grande Monday on business.

Another school meeting has been called for March 25 to elect a director to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Dave Osborne.

The stage operated by Sutton, Kescott and Johnson will make the Gun their stopping place at Imbler.

Miss Gladys Miller was here Monday giving music lessons.

**AUTO THEIF IS POILED**

**ROSEBURG, Ore.**—Jack Henderson, who claimed Portland as his home, was arrested here last night charged with an attempt to steal an automobile. Henderson, it is claimed, was trying to start a car belonging to C. T. Rasmussen, a local auto mechanic, when the owner came out a theater and found Henderson in the machine.

Mr. Rasmussen sent his wife after a policeman and then evinced a kindly interest in the effort of the officer to get Henderson out of the car. He offered him a ride as a reward. He was released and attempted to get away, but was arrested with an officer.

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# Limited Goes Into Ditch



A second section of "The Southland Limited," crack Florida train on the L. & N. railroad, was wrecked near Covington, Ky. The engine and two coaches were piled up in a ditch. The engine crew was killed.

# JOIN GRANGE AT WALLOWA

**WALLOWA, Ore. (Special)**—Wallowa grange No. 502 held their regular meeting here Saturday afternoon, with a fair sized crowd of members in attendance. Six applications for membership were received, and referred to the committee on candidates. A report from C. E. Davies, captain of the degree team of the organization was read, and plans for putting on the degree work at the next meeting, when the new classes of candidates will be taken in. Following the business session a card will be served by the ladies of the grange. The date of the next regular meeting will be Saturday evening, March 21. All members of the grange are asked to be present, and enjoy the good time assured.

Mr. Hensley of Summerville, came in on the Saturday stage to see Dr. Gregory about a broken arm which had been causing him considerable trouble. His arm was broken about six weeks ago, while working in the woods near Maxville. Mr. Hensley, formerly farmer, is a part of the J. H. Haun hill ranch, but sold his crop lease to H. H. Shintaffer, of Exton recently, and moved his family back to his old home at Summerville.

Ira Litchfield and wife visited with friends at Lostine over the week end.

Elvyn Reel and Ed Colpitts were busy the latter part of the week breaking some horses. Mr. Reel states he expects to start plowing at his farm in middle evening in a few days. He expects to seed about sixty acres to spring wheat and barley.

Glenn Sherod of Middle Valley has been busy the past several days doctoring more of his horses which are suffering from some mysterious disease which a number of veterinarians have been unable to find the cause of. Mr. Sherod has lost a number of fine animals during the past few weeks.

L. R. Whitmore of Lostine was among the visitors here the last of the week.

Giles Plass, county commissioner, was here the latter part of the week on business connected with the contemplated improvement of the Wallowa-Promise road. It is expected that the work on this stretch of road will start within a short time. The part of the road between here and Massville, has been in a very bad condition for the past several weeks, as a large amount of travel is going over it at all times. The part of the road up the Valentine hill is considered one of the worst stretches of road in this section of the country, and with the increased traffic greatly needs improvement.

Miss Velma Sherod of Middle valley visited a few days the past week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Heskett of Leap.

A considerable number of people over the community are suffering from the epidemic of colds and "flu" which has been prevalent in this section for the past several weeks.

Harvey Courtney and wife of Lostine were in town the last of the week.

J. H. Fisher and wife of Joseph have been visiting the past few days with their daughter, Mrs. T. A. Downing and family of Leap.

**Army Reservations May Be Turned Into Parks**

**JACKSONVILLE**

Data on state parks in the south and plans of various states for development and maintenance of systems of state recreation grounds are being gathered for the National Conference on State Parks by Raymond H. Torrey, field secretary of the organization. This information is to be used in advising other states of the ways and means used in establishing, maintaining and administering state park systems.

Mr. Torrey, speaking of his labors, declared that one of the objects of the survey was to induce states in which are located military reservations which the United States war department wishes to dispose of, to take over these tracts for outdoor recreation purposes. There are many such tracts, he said.

The National Conference on State Parks is composed of executives, technical experts and sup-

porters of state park systems from states which already have public outdoor recreation spots.

# PRODUCTION OF FIR YET SLOW

**PORTLAND, Ore. (Special)**—Despite the fact that logging and lumbering continue to be greatly curtailed, employment conditions in the northwest improved last week and more men found work than during any similar period of the year, according to reports from 41 employment service offices in various northwestern cities received at 41 headquarters here today. The greater part of new employment was from farming, mining and construction sources, the reports state.

Conditions in the pine districts of the Inland Empire are improving daily the reports show, and sawmill activity there is fast approaching normal. Condensed reports from the various 41 offices follow:

Employment conditions in Portland have improved slightly during the past week. Road contractors have been hiring crews and extra for agricultural work-

have continued to come in steadily. Most local sawmills are continuing the five-day week, logging on the Tillamook line has come more active last week when the Wheeler Lumber company at Colman resumed operations. The Cobbs-Mitchell camp near Valsetz also has started logging and the Eagle Lumber company at Westlimer, Ore., and the American Logging company at Carson, Wash., are other concerns which will resume work this week, it is reported. There are fewer unemployed men in this city than there were one week ago.

**Aberdeen.**

There was no added curtailment of log production on Grays Harbor last week. Although the Stoll Lumber company shut down one side, logging was daily becoming more active. The Winton Lumber company at St. Joe, Idaho, has started cutting at its mill and it is reported that the Panhandle, Lone, Wash., will resume next week. Preparatory work has begun in many of the higher level camps. With the exception of

**Seattle.**

More men were sent to job from Seattle last week than during any similar period in the past six months. The employment came chiefly from farming,

mining and construction sources, however, as both logging and lumber manufacturing in this district continue to be greatly curtailed. Camps closing last week included one of the Simpson Logging company at Shelton, and also one side each at the Phoenix, Port, Hatch and at the Irving-Hartley, Tain. The Russell, Nettleton and Duwamish mills in Seattle, and the Simpson plant at Ballard, have reduced cutting program to four days per week. Logging at the North Bend Timber company's camps has been curtailed to five days weekly.

**Spokane.**

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**Famous London Eater Is 92 Years of Age**

**LONDON, (AP)**—Fennell Bourne is a candidate for the Hall of Fame, for he just completed a run of 72 annual helpings of the famous but heavy meat puddings, the product of the "Otte Cheese" of West Forest. The pudding is served first at the hostelry to all customers at the opening of the season each year. Mr. Bourne is 92 years old and still healthy. He has been a constant customer at the Cheese Cheese, he says, since 1851.

The inaugural ceremony is usually presided over by some noted figure, such as the premier, a cabinet minister or an ambassador, and a piece of honor is always reserved for the person who can claim to be the oldest customer of the inn. Mr. Bourne has received the first helping in this seat of honor for the last 19 years and has had his pudding served by the late American Ambassador, Walter Hines Page; and Ambassadors Davis and George Harvey.

The famous pudding is known to contain rump steak, kidney, lark and oysters.

**BAPTIST ARBITRATION UP**

**ASHLAND, Ore.**—A proposal to arbitrate the question of which faction really represents Baptist faith, which has split the congregation into two disagreeing cliques, and which has the right to the Baptist church property here, was made by Rev. H. C. Miller, pastor of the group which retains control of the property, to the group which was recently expelled from the church and who are now holding services in another location.

The proposal was that each faction appoint one member of a committee and that these two select the third. The decision of this committee would be final and would decide the control of the church property.

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