

PROMISE NEWS OF THE WEEK

PROMISE. (Special)—The weather continues to be warm and pleasant here for this time of the year.

Harold, Robert and Ralph Carper went to La Grande last Monday.

Mrs. Obe Swearingen returned last Tuesday from a several days visit with her son, Everett McCubbin, at Enterprise.

Mrs. Smith returned home last Saturday. She has been nursing the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen, who has been ill with pneumonia. He is much better now. The Allens live at Maxville.

Chester Gorbett bought two good milk cows from I. S. McDonald last week.

Howard Carper returned home Monday after working three months for Grover McLean in Middle valley.

Lee Courtney went to Maxville Saturday.

Lora Carper and Mabel Thompson spent the week end with Miss Carper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carper.

Leo Kenworthy was in Promise last week from an East Oregon lumber company camp hunting timber cutters.

A delightful party was given at the Henry Knuffer home last Saturday.

Miss Scott, of Maxville, visited at the Poulson's Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Poulson are in Promise this week. Mrs. Poulson is visiting her mother, Mrs. Swearingen and Mr. Poulson is hunting cattle.

Mrs. Lucy Reed and daughter and Miss Carper and Edgar Barton went to Enterprise Sunday.

Miss Ruth Hayes and Eunice Courtney visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Garrett.

Ethel and Lillian Carper visited Sunday at the Boyd Carper home. Mrs. Susan Pleshman is visiting her son's, Andrew and Marshall, at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorbett visited at the I. S. McDonald home.

Laella Carper fell from an up stairs barn loft Saturday, but was uninjured.

Buck Comes to Town
COTTAGE GROVE, Ore.—Employees at the Cottage Grove Manufacturing company, whose plant is in the heart of the city, were astonished a day or two ago to find a five-point buck making an inspection of the plant. It seemed to be interested particularly in the work at the shingle mill which the company is erecting. After satisfying itself that everything was moving smoothly there, it inspected the Methodist camp meeting grounds nearby. Whether it was converted is doubtful. The buck was seen again the next day in the vicinity, but seems since to have returned to the woods.

Tax Change Proposed
SALEM, Ore.—The Salem school board, in co-operation with state authorities, may institute at the next general election a measure making more elastic the 6 per cent tax limitation amendment now in effect in Oregon.

Under the proposed measure it would be possible for any tax levying unit of government to readjust every five years the tax basis from which the 6 per cent limitation would be calculated. The new basis would cover the 4 per cent increase allowed under the present tax limitation amendment and allow for the natural growth or expansion of any governmental unit.

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School News

(By Marjorie Maguire)

Four Points Received—The La Grande Hi-Bikers went to Birming'ham last Saturday afternoon. The bike was eight miles long and under the point system employed by this club, the bikers will receive four points.

Commercial Club Active—The commercial students who take the two subjects, shorthand and typing, have organized a commercial club, the purpose of which is to make this department better known to the school. The advisors are Miss Anna Davis and Miss Marie Wilson. An entertainment committee has been appointed, consisting of Leiland Jackson, Elvora Hansen, Mabel Schaefer, Marjorie Condit, and Coruella Hansen. They plan to organize a chorus and quartet and also to present a commercial play. A party will be given by them in the next week or so.

Another Plea—A freshman class meeting was called Monday at intermission. The president, Maurice Baker, asked all freshmen who had not already done so to buy student body tickets.

Mime Contest—The Mime staff is presenting before the students of the high school contest for the best short story and poem. When the contest closes an award will be given for the best work handed in.

Efficiency in Department—The Manual Training boys are making furniture and other objects in the department of Manual Arts. The boys are instructed to make wooden articles of all kinds including tables, desks, canite sticks and numerous other articles. Under the instruction of Mr. Riehl, lean, quality counts more than quantity; therefore will there be fewer articles completed, but the work will be of higher class.

Science Department—One of the most interesting departments in the La Grande high school is the science department. Several different sciences are taught, including chemistry, physics, physiology, and zoology. The latter science is a general study of physical geography. The general science classes are large this year. They have laboratory two weeks at which time the instructor, Mr. Campbell, or one of the students demonstrates the experiment before the class. There is not adequate equipment in the laboratory for each student to do the experiment himself. This week the classes are studying air pressure and winds.

Hi-Dad Dance Tonight—The first Hi-Dad dance will be given this evening, November 14, at the Elks Temple. All students are cordially invited to attend. The dance will start at 4:30.

Study of Hamlet—Hamlet, one of Shakespeare's great works, is now studied in English 7 classes. The students are trying to imagine Hamlet in modern times—say in pig-tails. They may dramatize parts of Hamlet later on.

Tigers Defeat Buckaroos—Perhaps the most interesting and thrilling game of the season on the local gridiron was played Armistice Day by the Tigers and the Pendleton Buckaroos.

American Education Week—Under the supervision of the faculty, many essays have been written concerning National Flag Week from Nov. 16 to November 20 in to be recognized by decorating the school flags, having speakers talk about the origin and the meaning of our emblem, and also the constitution of the different classes on the best essay. Everyone evidently must be trying to win honor as the librarians are kept busy looking for books, about the ensing, and Old Glory is the sub-

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ject of many conversations.

Fire Drill—At 1:30 p. m. Tuesday the fire gong was sounded and the students rushed pell-mell in their excitement to get out side.

It took one minute and forty seconds to clear the doors.

Officers Chosen—The domestic science and art classes held a meeting several days ago to elect the officers for the home economics club. Wilma Gaskill was elected president and Goldie Owen, vice-president. Edna Hawley was elected secretary and treasurer.

Tigers Play Apple-Pickers—Last Friday week all students who wished to attend the game at Imber, were given permission to go at the end of the sixth period. Of course many students went to the game. The score was 25-9 in favor of the Tigers.

Spaced Tests—The advanced students in typing have taken their fifteen minute tests for awards. These tests are sent out by the Underwood and Remington companies each month. Students making 60 words receive a silver pin, those making 40 words a bronze pin, and those making 30 words receive a certificate. So far only a few students have won pins, but many have received certificates.

Do You Know That—There are nine different departments in L. H. S. There are six sets of encyclopedias in the school library? There are 447 students in L. H. S. There are 200 boys? There are 247 girls? There are 21 faculty members? The Tigers play the Buckaroos Thanksgiving?

Glee Club—The glee club has chosen "The Belle of Barcelona" for the opera-tta this year. The setting is laid in Spain and both the speak-

ing and the singing parts are said to be clever.

The cast has been selected with the greatest care. The members of the chorus will be limited and will be selected from the best singers only.

Art Committee Busy—The art committee of the A. G. S. has been making posters for the hiking club and for the basket ball team. They have been put up in the hall. Sylvia Malone is chairman of the art committee.

Will Get Work—Now that the junior play is over, the orchestra is turning its time and attention to the Oporetta which will be given Dec. 4 and 5. The orchestration is expected to arrive in a few days and immediately upon its arrival practice will begin. The operetta is excellent and it is believed that the orchestra's accomplishment, it will be the best ever.

Sells Ties—The financial committee of the A. G. S. sold clever blue and white

ties at the Armistice Day football game with Pendleton.

Spelling Bee—The fifth period English classes recently had an old fashioned spelling bee. Kenneth Owen took first prize. Many of the students fell down on five or six lettered words.

Betty Cochran Announces—That money is coming in fast for the Junior rings and urges that those who have not paid to do so at once at the class is eager to get the order in.

TWO FIRMS INCORPORATE. SALEM, Ore.—The Portland Well and Supply company, with headquarters in Portland and capital stock of \$50,000, has been incorporated by L. K. Nash, Lyle Miller and R. Schultenberg.

The Oregon Hosiery company has been incorporated by Ralph A. Coan, M. E. McElmerritt and G. G. Durr. The capital stock is \$5,000 and headquarters are in Portland.

Motor Vehicle Gain Is Rapid, Statistics Show

DETROIT, Mich. (Special)—Motor vehicle registration in the United States increased 13.9 per cent during the first half of the present year. Sales are continuing at a healthy clip and the indications are that there will be a still further increase for the last half of the year. At present it is said there are more than 16,500,000 passenger cars in the hands of owners. The number of trucks now actually in use throughout the country exceeds 2,500,000.

During the last week there was added to the payrolls of Detroit automobile and accessories plants a total of 3717 workmen, bringing the total now employed up to 241,053. This number is approximately 15,000 above the high mark for any previous year, and means but one thing—a continued output of both passenger cars and commercial vehicles throughout the winter months. In some departments of the larger plants the demand for skilled labor is greater than the supply, and labor bureaus are combing the country for skilled mechanics.

Such a condition at this time of year was never before experienced by automobile manufacturers, and right now they are preparing not only for next year, but for at least the next five years. Plant additions either are in course of erection or have been contracted for, to be finished at the earliest time possible. Early spring of next year will see the bus manufacturers in full swing with capacity far too limited to take care of demands which they are satisfied will be put to them.

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