

Over The Valley

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Return From Trip

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lawson who are on the Union-Cove highway have recently returned from a vacation trip which took them up through Washington with their National park as their chief objective. They visited with their daughter who is employed at Longview and also stopped at Olympia and Longview for visits with friends and relatives. Mrs. Lawson has taken great pride in her flower garden this year, due in part to the fact that this year has been the best since the spring of the hill giving them water in abundance for the house, lawn, stock etc. A new building has been erected which is partly for fuel storage and partly a milk house and the Lawsons hope to have the water piped into this for cooling purposes in the near future.

Postpone Carnival

The carnival which the juvenile pleasant Grove branch has been advertising has been postponed for a week or so, the definite date to be announced in plenty of time. Illinois of Miss Woodell, master of the carnival and rural carrier out from Summerville, making it necessary for Mrs. Woodell, his substitute carrier to cover the route, keeps her from assisting the children in the preparation for the event. Mrs. Woodell is sponsor for the juvenile organization. Mr. Woodell is suffering from hemorrhoids in his back.

Repair Road

One more bad stretch on the highway between Union and La Grande is being repaired this week and one way traffic is in vogue. The stretch lies beyond the Lane Pine mill site. The road was scarified and a heavy coat of crushed rock has been laid in preparation for a substantial top cover.

Mr. Anson Quite Ill

Dulbert Anson, who lives about five miles from La Grande out in Grange Hall neighborhood was taken quite ill again yesterday, the trouble being additional results from the accident in which he figured early in the summer, when a horse fell on him causing an ugly wound in the abdominal region. Mr. Anson is suffering from intestinal inflammation.

Goats to Normal

Miss Vera Cose of near Alford has gone to Monmouth where she

will take work this year. Miss Cose was a student at Oregon State last year.

Returns From Idaho

Mrs. Lillian Allen, who lives above the Cove has returned from Idaho where she spent several days having accompanied her, Alice Payne to Sweet, Idaho her new pastoral charge.

Visit at Muddy Creek

The Misses Mary and Margaret Taylor of Alford drove to Muddy Creek Wednesday where they spent the day visiting with their friend, Mrs. Henry Lennig.

Improves From Operation

Mrs. Ira Kennedy, who lives on Cove avenue out from La Grande is improving nicely and gaining strength following her recent severe operation at Hot Lake.

Ships Last Lamb

Auctioneer Tom Johnson of Lower Cove is shipping his last car of lambs today to the Chicago market. Mr. Johnson has shipped a total of 58 or 60 cars this summer, all having gone to the middle west. This season's business compares very favorably with preceding years with the advantage if any to this year's shipments.

Last Fair Day

Tomorrow marks the closing day of the Wallawa county fair at Enterprise and many people from Union county are attending today and planning to be there tomorrow. Wallawa county claims the oldest continuous fair in the state having run since 1894 with the exception of two years, one of them during the war.

Making Annual Rounds

County health nurse, Miss Alice Macquardt, is exceedingly busy these days trying to have her inspection visits of the rural schools in the most outlying districts completed before the bad weather and accompanying difficult roads are in vogue. The greater part of the outlying schools have already been inspected.

Annual Pheasant Feed

The announcement of the approaching open season on China pheasants reminds a group of people living up toward Imbler and Elgin way of the annual pheasant feed which always comes on the first Sunday of the open season.

County Health Association To Meet Thursday

The annual meeting of the Union County Public Health association is to be held in La Grande Thursday of next week, the place to be announced later. Mrs. Sadie Orthing of Portland, executive secretary of the state Tuberculosis association, will be here to direct the meeting. It is hoped that the attendance at the meeting may be quite representative.

This association has been in active operation for twenty years, or since 1907. The membership list has included only those who have known about and had an interest in the lines of work followed by the organization, and up to this year a drive for membership has never been made. The association does just such work as its name would imply. Perhaps the item which is least known is its support of the free health and hygiene which are held sacred to time across the county and which have proven to be of inestimable value. It is also in hearty sympathy and cooperates with the work of the public health nurse. It is because the work it supports is beneficial to the populace of the entire county that this year it is seeking to enroll 1000 members at 25 cents each as annual dues. It is believed that those who understand the object of the organization and its work will all subscribe their names as active and sympathetic members, without any hesitating.

Present officers include the following: president, Robert S. Eklund; secretary, Mrs. Lee Warnock; treasurer, Mrs. Anna Pollock; executive board, the president, secretary, treasurer, Mrs. A. Hunter, Mrs. George Cochran, Mr. Wilkerson, Mrs. Denham of Elgin, L. A. Wright of Union. Community vice presidents are: La Grande, Mrs. A. Hunter; Union, Mrs. S. E. Miller; Elgin, Mrs. L. Denham; Imbler, Mrs. H. Huron; Cove, Mrs. Lydia Lantz; North Powder, Mrs. Harry Parker; Medical Springs, Mrs. P. J. Powers; Pondosa, Mrs. M. F. Raymond.

EXTRA

SALAM (Special to Over The Valley) Club news continued: Twenty-two members of Union county clubs exhibited at the state fair this year, the list by clubs being as follows (club members winning scholarships are designated by the asterisk): Wolf Creek Pig Club, Charles and Virginia Nies, Olive Gorham, Malcolm and Glenn Nies, Gertie and Forrest Bowman, Cove, Jerry Club, Lloyd Hills, Gertrude Hill, Robert Hill, Cove Holstein club, Ruth, Harold, Frances and John Comstock, Troy Becker, Beef club, Allen Mills, Herbert Roldand, Alfred Roldand, Sheep, Bobby Huron, Island City Pig club, Gene Roldand, Wilbur Roldand, James McTear, Now scholarships won today: Wilbur Roldand on Berkshire and Bobby Huron on Hampshire lamb.

Improves Building

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilmore who operate the ranch on the Union highway belonging to Mr. Gilmore's father, Dr. Gilmore of Union are making constant improvements on the place, which borders on the La Grande-Union highway. The little home which was first started about a year ago has recently been painted a clean white and other buildings have likewise been improved.

Visit at Rock Creek

Mr. and Mrs. William Westenslow and son of Imbler drove to Rock Creek in Baker county Friday evening where they made a visit with their daughter, Miss Fortis Westenslow who is principal of the Rock Creek school and attended a special entertainment there Friday evening. Miss Westenslow returned home with them for a visit over the weekend.

Coming Sales

Sales which are to come off in the near future and for which definite dates have not yet been established are: (1) a sheep sale to be held by N. E. West on his ranch who raises from La Grande and (2) the joint sheep sale to be staged by J. H. Reynolds, Coleman George and Claude Deal.

Boys Harvest Spuds

Last spring two Imbler high school boys, Pauline Nodine and Edward Smith, leased a plot of ground, about ten acres, near the Will Rasmussen farm and put it to spuds, using Netted Gem certified seed. The boys have worked hard on their plot, the spuds made a

ALL SCHOOLS OVER COUNTY OPERATING SUCCESSFULLY NOW

From all reports the work of the rural and town schools of the county is running along in a very smooth fashion, after having been in session now for three and four weeks. While the matter of handling out some supplies to rural schools has been delayed by a fire at the court house which has made much additional work in the office of the county superintendent, other things have worked out well, and when Mr. Sayre returns from Salem where he accompanied members of county H clubs, all efforts will be bent toward the two county teachers' institute which comes next week.

Mr. Sayre has just completed the official list of the teachers of the various districts of the county, together with their addresses and this list is published today. The number preceding the name of the school is the number of the district, number one which is omitted, being La Grande. The complete list is as follows:

- 1—Mrs. Carmel, Stella Edvalson, c/o Mrs. Rose Peters, North Powder.
- 2—Mrs. Pauline Payton, c/o Paul Knut, La Grande, Rt. 1.
- 3—Shanghai, Mrs. Hattie Towell, Cove.
- 4—Union, Supt. Roy Conklin, E. P. Colburn, Cecil Griggs, Pauline Hood, Helen E. Schaper, J. W. Baxter, Jr., Georgia Wright, Ross Kuster, Alice Patterson, Grades, W. V. Connor, John Nyström, Mrs. Nellie Vaden, Mrs. Lillian Caster, Dorothy A. Busch, Virginia Key, Mrs. Elizabeth Vogel, Mrs. H. C. Rees, all of Union.
- 5—Pleasant Grove, Leona Fries and Nina Williams, Summerville R. P. D.
- 6—Moss Chapel, Mrs. Ethel Blahnik, La Grande, R. F. D. No. 1.
- 7—North Powder, Prin. Ward Henderson, William Kraft, Mary Callagher, Doris Neptane, Grades—Mrs. Gladys Carme, Mrs. Jennie O'Bryen, Mabel Miller, Ruth Lamplin, Mrs. Doris Brant, Delitha Thatcher, all of North Powder.
- 8—Lower Cove, Mrs. Eustelle Hibbert, Alford.
- 9—Island City, Ralph Hunt, Mrs. Teresa Leslie, Emma Michaelson, Mrs. Mabel Weber, all of Island City.
- 10—Imbler, Prin. Ralph Morgan, J. W. King, Mrs. J. W. King, Mrs. R. C. Thomas, Esther Stangenberg, Grades—Alice Scott, Emma Nelson, Audrey DeLaf, Emma Baxter, all of Imbler.
- 11—Riverside, Vergella Bond, La Grande, Rt. No. 2.
- 12—Summerville, Helen S. Jensen, and Lottie Black, Summerville.
- 13—Indian Creek, Bernice Schorns, Elgin, Box No. 26.
- 14—Cove, Prin. C. G. Springer, J. R. Price, Mrs. Elva Good, Mrs. Besse J. Fletcher, Grades—Mrs. J. E. Mills, Mrs. C. G. Springer, Mrs. Eva Duncan, Mrs. Helen Conklin, all of Cove.
- 15—Frosty, Frances Ida Roberts, Cove.
- 16—Dey Creek, Edna Greenhouse, Summerville.
- 17—Liberty, Mrs. Inez St. Jenkins, La Grande, 299 Cedar.
- 18—Ladd Canyon, Blanche Whitlitz, La Grande, Rt. No. 3.
- 19—Wolf Creek, Mrs. Martha M. Titus and Rose E. Chrony, North Powder, Rt. No. 1.
- 20—Hilgard, Loh Martin, Hilgard.
- 21—Elgin, Prin. E. E. Arant, Ralph E. Jones, Cora M. Peleg, Gertrude Dawes, Grades—Mae Glenn, Louisa Bily, Phyllis M. Crookshank, Bernice Hill, Mildred Schorn, Frances Hart, Avela Stewart, Stella Mayfield, all of Elgin.
- 22—Catherine Creek, Inez Ebert, c/o A. N. Stonedahl, Union.

Correspondents Meeting To Be Held On Monday

A meeting, rather unique in its scope and purpose is to be held in La Grande next Monday, October first, when those residents of the county and contiguous territory who write news for any of the newspapers within the county will gather for an all day meeting. The exact number of those who will attend is not available but it will be an interesting group whatever the numerical size.

The meeting, which has been named a "one day training school in news writing," has been called by Prof. C. J. McIntosh, teacher at the state college at Corvallis. At the morning session Mr. McIntosh will talk on news writing and will present an extension course to be given through the college, the offer being extended to the different correspondents through the courtesy of their respective news sheets. At the noon hour, the correspondents will be guests of their employing papers at luncheon.

In the afternoon at one of the local movie houses, a motion picture will be shown, the several reels picturing the burning of Oregon trees into finished newspapers. This is to be followed by a drill in actual news writing, then a visit to the local printing offices where the mechanics and of the business will be explained. The news pointers at The Observer office, the big presses, etc. will not be the least interesting feature of the day.

Correspondents of The Observer will have a meeting following this program when matters of special importance and interest will be presented.

Club Members

Make Excellent Showing at Fair

If there were an editorial column on this page, there is no question that today it would be concerned with the record made by the Cove Club at the state fair now in progress at Salem. And it would also have to do with the Wolf Creek pig club with every single member of the club showing a pig at the fair and also with Bobby Huron's sheep being shown.

A SEASONABLE RECIPE

A Prize White Cake

2 cups sugar

1/2 cup butter

2 1/2 cups flour

2 level teaspoons baking powder

1 cup water

Cream the sugar and butter.

Add the flour and baking powder and work with the hands until like meal. Add the water and the whites of four eggs, stiffly beaten. Bake in a moderate oven.

calities, won three firsts and three scholarships.

If this were an editorial we would say that this is but one more feather in Union county's cap and it was a big, long feather of the most brilliant colors and won for the county by a group of her boys and girls. If you ever feel that the pittance allowed by the county court for the conduct of this work is too much, or a waste, get down on your prayer bones and repent right off.

Then there are the pigs and the sheep yet to be heard from!

With each member assigned a quota of verses, 1,500 Hapstads of Norfolk, Va., recently read the Bible through in 150 days.

As this is being written only the first meager word has been received from Mr. Avery concerning the awards which had been made at the time his message was sent. But what a record it was! Of the two clubs composed of Cove young people, there were two firsts, two seconds, one fourth, and one seventh. Two scholarships and one member Gertrude Bell winning a silver cup for champion jersey calf, standing first in scoring over all breeds and winning second in open class. Then the baby beef club which has always been sponsored by a Cove man and has club members from the Cove, with some also from Island City and other to-

42—Valeria, Mrs. Zilpha Howell, Alford.

43—Pumpkin Ridge, Martha Glas-

son, Elgin.

44—Cunningham, Marion Crawford, Elgin, Rt. No. 1.

45—Alford, Ethel Hansen, Island City.

46—Mountain Home—School suspended.

47—Thorny Grove, Leona Hearing, Elgin, Rt. No. 2.

48—Starkey, Thelma Severson, Starkey.

49—Jimmy Creek, Genevieve Nelson, North Powder, c/o Mrs. Pierce.

50—Lone Star, Ava Woodell, La Grande, Rt. No. 1.

51—Fairview, Faye McIntyre, Elgin.

52—Kamela, Iris Snow, Kamela.

53—Willowdale, Frances Kelly, La Grande, Box No. 254.

54—Haller, School suspended.

55—Darr, School suspended.

56—Perry, Mrs. Mary B. Kall, La Grande, Connerdale; Mrs. Mary E. Cox, Perry.

57—Hysdam, Mildred Henningson, Elgin, Rt. No. 1 c/o J. E. Ryd-

dam.

58—High Valley, Margaret Hall, Union, Rt. No. 1 c/o Mrs. Ruth Cokrell.

59—Palmer Junction, Grace Bridgefarmer, Palmer Junction.

60—Hempe, M. Elma Cusick, Union.

61—Willow Creek, Anna Cason, c/o Reid Hibbard, Summerville.

62—Fox Hill, Marion Fulkerson, La Grande, Box No. 14.

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