

OVER THE VALLEY

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ously enjoyed. The program was presented under the auspices of the Elgin Women's club.

To Build Line—

It is announced that all members of the Whitman National forest will be called together on March 24 to build a telephone line from Bone Point to Dale Ranger station in the resolution ranger district, near Elgin. The job will be finished in about a week. On account of that part of the country being infested with ticks carrying spotted fever, the rangers have all been vaccinated as a precaution against the disease. The rangers in this district who have been called are Rangers Langdon, of Elgin, Barnett, of North Powder, Judy, of Medford Springs, Hal, of Sunifer, Palmer, of Unity, A. G. Smith, of Baker and McCool, of Elgin.

Ill at the Lake—

Guy Penland of Island City who has been a patient at Hot Lake is reported as improving now.

Has Hunter—

Gilbert Hunter, of Hunter's Lane is starting his heavy spring work with the use of a new Caterpillar tractor.

Club Leader Here—

H. C. Seymour, state club leader arrived in the valley Wednesday and, together with county agricultural agent, Harry G. Ayrey is holding a series of meetings at different localities in this county, looking toward the perfecting of several club organizations. A meeting was held last night at Elgin for this purpose when several clubs were organized.

Visit States—

Miss Laura Scott, of Union, spent Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Dahlstrom in the Moss Chapel district.

Will Entertain Pomona—

The Union county Pomona Grange will be entertained tomorrow by the members of Rock Wall grange at their new hall and will be assisted by the Cricket Club. According to advance notice, a large crowd is anticipated and the usual good time is being planned.

Visiting Brother—

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Powers of Worcester, Mass. arrived in Medical Springs early this week and are visiting at the home of Mr. Powers' brother, P. J. Powers. They have made many friends in that vicinity during previous visits at the Springs.

Organize Teams—

Coach J. W. King of the Timber high school reports baseball practice to be progressing nicely. About a score of boys have turned out for this team.

that most of the fields present the appearance of good stands at this time. The mild weather of the past several weeks is thought to have been very favorable for allowing much of the seed which fell in the ground all winter to sprout and start growing.

Practically no signs of winter killing are seen in any of the fields. In places the tops of the leaves are brown down for a little way from having been killed down some from snow freezing. Lambing has been in progress at a number of the farms in this community during the past several weeks. Some of those who have had plenty of shed room for their flocks say they have had excellent luck in saving a large percentage of the lambs, but others who have been lambing during the past two weeks while the weather has been wet and stormy report some losses. H. D. Peck, who lives at the former J. B. Pace farm, reports 80 lambs from 50 ewes and one ewe in his flock brought four strong healthy lambs, while twins and even triplets are a common occurrence in several of the flocks of the community.

was completed in ten meetings. Ole Mathson and son, Theodore, were business visitors in town one day during the week. Rex Brown was a recent visitor of Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Perisho, of La Grande, made a trip to Perry Wednesday to look after their property.

Elmer Sinclair and sons, Dean and George, accompanied by Charles and Arthur Whiteman left by car for Klamath Falls Tuesday morning where they have taken a contract to slash brush on 180 acres of land. Their families are still here but expect to move also as soon as the men provide homes there for them. George Sinclair gave a pupil in the eighth grade here and took his books along in order to study evenings after work preparatory to taking the regular state eighth grade examinations there. George was a good student and will be greatly missed by his school mates and teacher here.

Mrs. K. W. Smith, of Pondosa, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ellen Walker, of this community, has returned to her home.

Margery Conroy and small son, Jackie, are visiting friends in this community at present.

Walter Sinclair is absent from school this week on account of illness.

Mrs. Gerald Plerson and children were recent guests of Mrs. Stephen Tractor.

C. R. Seitz, contractor of La Grande, made a business trip to Perry Wednesday.

The W. L. Robertson family, of La Grande, expect to move to Perry next month. Mr. Robertson purchased the residence in Upper Flat formerly occupied by the Gerald Plerson family.

Frank German of Moss Chapel was a recent Perry visitor.

LARGE BELT OF LIGNITE IS REVEALED IN TEXAS
TRINIDAD, Tex. (AP)—Development of lignite may give the Texas farmer a chance to reduce his cotton acreage. Surveys indicate that a broad lignite belt extends from Laredo on the Mexican border to Tegar-kana in the northeast corner of Texas. It may cover 60,000 square miles, nearly one-fourth of the area of Texas. It is estimated to contain approximately 30,000,000,000 tons of lignite.

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Oregon Sheep And Lambs Are In Good Shape

Reports given out within the last few days relative to sheep conditions in Oregon for the month of February in Oregon are quite encouraging and read as follows:

Present prospects for early lambs in Oregon are quite generally better than they were a year ago, according to the March 1st reports of the federal state crop reporting service. Although the condition of flocks at breeding time was below average, due to the poor range feed, Oregon ewes lambing early are showing a good lambing percentage. Weather and range conditions are much more favorable in early lamb development than last year, when lambs were stunted in early growth by very unfavorable conditions. Present conditions are favorable to better quality of early lambs from Oregon this year. Prospects are that the movement to market will commence at about the usual time and considerably earlier than last year.

In the principal early lambing states as a whole, the early lamb crop of 1930 is somewhat larger than that of 1929. The general condition is better and prospects are for a larger market supply of spring lambs than last year for the three months, April to June, the quality of which will be average or better. Weather conditions were exceptionally good in all areas. Prospects for spring feed are as good or better than last year.

Washington ewes wintered fairly well and the proportion of lambs saved is reported as average or better. In Idaho breeding flocks wintered well and an excellent early lamb crop was secured. Movement to market will be earlier than last year. California's early lamb crop is at least as large as last year. Early March conditions were below normal but lambs made more than normal growth during February. Numbers marketed before April 15th will probably be below last year and go mostly to local consumption, but shipments east will be in material volume the latter half of April. The peak of the winter movement from California will come at about the usual time in May. Top-grading to date has been limited. Texas reports sheep below average condition but prospects of heavy market movements, probable though later than usual, the

Weather, Crops In Wallowa Co. Good Is Report

Reports of weather and crops in sections of Wallowa county are quite encouraging in spite of varied weather conditions during the past week. G. C. Meek reviews the situation as follows:

Weather conditions in this section of the country have been quite changeable during the past week. During the early part of the week the ground had become practically dry and roads were getting good enough for car travel on many of the dirt roads. However, toward the last of the week stormy conditions again had made the surface of the ground quite muddy. A few inches of new snow fell over the hill sections on Thursday and remained on the ground for a couple of days. With the frost all out of the soil and warm sun during the day the snow has melted away rapidly and the ground is again drying at this time.

While the new grass has made some growth on much of the early range, it has not yet become good enough to provide very much feed for livestock and most of the stock outside of horses are being fed some yet. Should the weather continue to remain mild for another week many of the farmers say they will not have to feed much of the stock. Some freezing has occurred at night. Winter wheat crops in this community are showing up quite well at this time. Many of the fields are out into the winter in a rather dry condition from the early spring rains and the ground is very hard and dry spots, however, some of the farmers say

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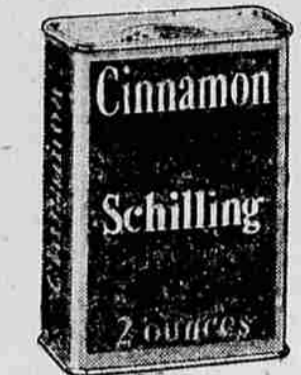
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A thin layer of Schilling Prepared Mustard Sauce spread on an omelet before folding lends a most elegant touch.

Fish dishes put on a new dress when served with a sauce made by adding 1 tablespoon Schilling Prepared Mustard Sauce to 1 cup medium white sauce. This sauce is a delightful accompaniment for cauliflower, asparagus, and artichokes.

PEANUT SALAD DRESSING
Mix together:
2 teaspoons Schilling Prepared Mustard Sauce,
2 teaspoons peanut butter,
2 teaspoons sugar
Add cream to make this enough to pour over salad.

For savory sandwiches, blend equal parts of Schilling Prepared Mustard Sauce and butter, and spread on the bread. Meat, chicken and cheese sandwiches are ever so good this way!

Cinnamon

Artichokes may be baked in oil and water to which 1 teaspoon Schilling Ground Cinnamon has been added.

A sprinkle of Schilling Cinnamon over the top of meringue before baking gives an unusual touch to cream pies.

To vary hot chocolate, add a dash of Schilling Cinnamon to each cup. Or, if topped with whipped cream, shake the cinnamon over the cream.

Before placing muffins in the oven sprinkle the top with a mixture of 2 teaspoons of Schilling Ground Cinnamon and 3 teaspoons of sugar.

Did you ever serve cinnamon honey with waffles? Just honey blended with Schilling Cinnamon to taste.

A dash of Schilling Ground Cinnamon in cranberry sauce gives a new flavor.

Sprinkle Schilling Cinnamon on pan-fried apples.

And when you bake apples—Schilling Cinnamon dusted over each apple is a magic sprinkle.

A bit of nutmeg rolled out, spread with a little melted butter, sugar and Schilling Cinnamon, and a piece of banana rolled up in it, is baked and served with cream or lemon sauce.

Maple

To almost any plain sugar cookie dough add 1/2 teaspoon Schilling Maple Flavoring and finely chopped nuts.

When milk for the youngsters goes "abegging," add 1/4 teaspoon Schilling Maple Flavoring to the glass.

For a sweet dessert, prunes may be baked slowly in Maple Syrup (made the Schilling way—see below). Serve with a fluff of whipped cream.

Home-made Maple Syrup is made by pouring one cup of boiling water over two cups of granulated sugar. Boil without stirring for two minutes. Remove from fire and add 1/2 teaspoonful of Schilling Maple Flavoring. A dash of salt improves the flavor. (This recipe makes one pint of delicious syrup at a cost of less than eight cents.) This easily made syrup has many uses beside the usual hot cake or waffle accompaniment. It may be used as a sauce for ice cream, pudding and cake, and for flavoring frosting and candies.

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