

Imbler P.-T. A. Elects Officers For Coming Year

By Leitha Cleaver (Observer Correspondent) IMBLER, Ore. (Special)—A P.-T. A. meeting was held recently in the Wade hall at which officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. Stella Huron was elected president; Mrs. Watson, vice president; Mrs. Charlie Kenyon, secretary; Miss Audrey DeLan, treasurer. A small number of members were present due to a stormy night.

Mrs. Al Fuller and daughter, Audrey, of Morrow, attended the Memorial services of Summerville Friday. They will remain here for a few days visiting with Mrs. Fuller's father, Mr. Page.

The Bluebird 4-11 Sewing club enjoyed a winter road one evening last week at Dry Creek, near Summerville. June (Mrs. J. J. J.) took them in his truck to the road. The sewing club has almost finished its course and most of the members have completed their work and have handed it in. Their work will be on display at the Union Experiment station sometime during this month.

Mr. Deering, of near Pendleton, and his sister, Alma Sutton, of La Grande, spent Memorial day with their mother, Mrs. Rose Gams. Mr. Deering returned to his work Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Billings and daughter, Gladys and Blanche, left the last of the week for Salt Lake City, Utah, where they will visit relatives. Miss Wilma Billings, their daughter, who has been attending school in Salt Lake City, will return home with them for her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry and family are to leave the first of this week for Salt Lake City, where they will visit relatives for a short time.

Miss Portia Westenskow underwent a polio operation Thursday morning at the Grande Poudre hospital. She is getting along as well as can be expected.

The train from La Grande to Joseph changed time, starting June 1. It will be due at 10:41 a. m. and 5:02 p. m. The mail will be filed at 10:12 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Discoverer Of King Tut's Grave Seeks Tomb Of World Conqueror

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt (AP)—Howard Carter, who discovered the tomb of King Tut-Ankh-Amen in the Valley of the Kings, is starting excavations here at the mosque of Nefit Ismail in the hope of discovering the real burial place of Alexander the Great. The government has authorized the antiquities department to proceed with the digging. The authorities, however, have laid down the condition that the body shall not be touched, if it is discovered.

There is no certain record of the burial place of the world conqueror. Only tradition places it in the city which he founded and to which he gave his name. But checking up of Diodorus has convinced archaeologists that there is a chance that legend has been

right in this instance. Alexander, as every school boy knows, died at the age of 33, slaying for more worlds to conquer. The death was caused by a malignant fever and took place in Babylon after eleven days illness on June 29, 323 B. C. He had founded Alexandria in the previous year.

There is an elaborate sarcophagus in the Turkish National Museum at Istanbul which was for a time thought to have been the last resting place of the son of Philip of Macedonia. But the Turkish authorities themselves now acknowledge that it was misnamed, the mistake arising because the frieze on it depicts some of Alexander's battles. It was found at Sidon in Syria in 1887.

Wallowa People In Auto Wreck Near Bend, Ore.

By Edna Henfrow Hunter (Observer Correspondent) WALLOWA, Ore. (Special)—

Word was received here yesterday by wire that John Landers and his family, who left Wallowa early Friday morning for Ashland, met with a serious accident near Bend and their car went into the Bechotes river. Mr. Landers expected to be in Southern Oregon and had a load of household effects in the car. The family of five escaped drowning but were all seriously injured, while their car and all their belongings were lost.

Mrs. Leo Reed and children left early Sunday morning for their home in Canyon City, after spending a few days in Wallowa with Mrs. Reed's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Poole. Mrs. Poole accompanied her daughter home and will spend two weeks visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ravenscroft and daughter, Jane, of La Grande, were visitors here Saturday. The Ravenscrofts formerly lived in Wallowa where Mr. Ravenscroft was for many years the bookkeeper at the McNaught Lumber mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cox went to La Grande Sunday to attend the funeral services of O. E. Coolidge, uncle of Mr. Cox.

In spite of the cold, rainy day a large crowd attended the third

All Ladd Canyon Students Given Passing Grades

By Mrs. Chas. Grandy (Observer Correspondent) LADD CANYON, Oregon (Special)—

Since school has closed here, Miss Blanche Whiting, who taught the Ladd Canyon school, has received word that all of her pupils who wrote on the seventh grade questions passed with good grades, and that Jimmie Halley, who took the state eighth grade examination passed with an average of 96.16.

Miss Helen Austin is at present in Casper, Wyo., visiting at the home of an uncle and his family. She will remain another week and then return to her work at the J. C. Penney store, in La Grande. C. Y. Beale has returned from a trip to Spokane, Wash. He says that grain fields there are far ahead of ours, heading out and looking fine. He made the trip by car.

Mrs. Mary Council has received word from her daughter, Katie Watson, that she is coming up from California as soon as school has closed, which will be June 13. She lives at Monterey-Pacific Grove and she and the children will accompany her cousin, Mrs. Dudley Moody, who lives at King City, at Ashton.

Mrs. William Benton and daughter, Mrs. Frank Poole, and Mrs. Lon Banton drove to Elgin Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrell Ewin, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green of La Grande, drove to Baker last Sunday. They had lunch at the home of Mrs. Ewan and Mrs. Green's uncle, William Dohlin, and attended the baseball game there in the afternoon.

Mrs. William Perry was hostess to the Get-Together club at her home Wednesday afternoon, instead of Thursday, on account of the nearness of Decoration day. Her mother, Mrs. Blokland and sister, Miss Mildred Blokland and Mrs. Clyde Kiddle, were specially invited guests of the club. Mrs. Laura Braden and Mrs. Adolph Poehler each conducted an interesting contest. Mrs. Henry Ewin and Mrs. Claude Beale winning the prizes. Mrs. Perry served a tray luncheon following the contests, and a social hour was enjoyed before adjournment.

Mrs. Alec Ferguson will entertain the Get-Together club at its next meeting.

Charley Farmer, North Carolina's sophomore sprint star, was beaten for the first time this season when he finished third in the century on a rain-soaked track at the Southern conference meet.

DOUG'S NIECE ON BROADWAY



Flobelle Fairbanks, niece of Doug Fairbanks, is out to get herself a stage reputation. She is playing a role in "June Moon."

O. S. C. Graduation Exercises Today

COVINGTON, Ore., June 3 (AP)—With honorary degrees of doctor of law conferred on five prominent citizens and with 486 bachelor and masters degrees awarded to seniors and graduated students, Oregon State college today held its 61st annual commencement with impressive ceremonies.

Dr. Edward Charles Elliott, resident of Purdue university of Indiana, delivered the commencement address, and was one of the five granted honorary degrees.

Of the regular graduating class today 25 received degrees of master of science; 444 degrees of bachelor of science, and 14 degrees of pharmaceutical chemist.

Distribution of fish from state hatcheries has passed the 1,500,000 mark in North Carolina this year.

Blanton of Texas Returns to House

WASHINGTON, June 2 (AP)—Thomas L. Blanton, of Texas, returned today to the house of representatives.

Re-elected to fill a vacancy caused by death, he again took the seat from which he had withdrawn to try for the senate, after 12 colorful years of service.

Because of a technicality, he had been denied official admission until certificate of re-election arrived and was filed today.

BOY DIES OF INJURIES

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., June 2 (AP)—Willis Kelsa, 6, died here Sunday as the result of being struck by an automobile driven by W. D. Cofer, contractor. An inquest was ordered. The boy's death was the second from auto injuries in the county this year.

New Church To House Cabin Of Abe's Parents

HARRISBURG, Ky. (AP)—The rare log cabin in which the parents of Abraham Lincoln were married 124 years ago is to be made a national shrine dedicated to prayer and marriage.

Construction of a small, cross-shaped church which will house the cabin, preserved here at Pioneer Memorial State park, has begun.

Laying of the cornerstone some time this summer will be the occasion for ceremonies to be broadcast over a coast-to-coast radio hookup, according to plans of the sponsors. They hope that either President Hoover or Vice President Curtis will speak.

The building, replica of a Kentucky Baptist church of 1809, will be dedicated June 12, 1931, the 125th anniversary of the marriage of Thomas Lincoln and Nancy Hanks.

Citizens of Harrisburg, the only colonial town west of the Alleghenies and the place where George Rogers Clark conceived his conquest of the northwest, say the shrine will remove the last vestige of the cloud that for many years hung over the legitimacy of Lincoln's birth.

The church will be available for marriage services under conditions considered proper by officials of the park, which adjoins the site of old Fort Harrodsburg.

The cabin will be in the center of the church. In the cabin will be an altar and a Bible.

When Thomas Lincoln, then 28 years old, and Nancy Hanks, a 22-year-old orphan and domestic, were married in this cabin June 12, 1806, it stood on Beech Fork in the adjoining county of Washington. The ceremony was a typical backwoods wedding with the Rev. Jesse Head, a Methodist circuit rider, the officiating clergyman.

The cabin was owned by Richard Berry, Nancy's guardian.

There was a Washington county

tradition that Lincoln's parents had been married in the "Dick Berry cabin," but there were no records to prove it until 1878, when William P. Brooker, then county clerk, discovered the marriage bond signed by Thomas Lincoln and Berry, dated June 19, 1806, and a marriage return certifying the wedding by the Rev. M. Head.

Practical Joker Killed by Friend

DENVER, Colo., June 2 (AP)—A short-lived honeymoon ended here last night in the death of a man whom police believe to have been a practical joker, following a supposedly "faked" holdup.

Everett E. Stewart, 26, who was married in Colorado Springs, Colo., one minute past midnight Sunday morning, fatally shot his friend, Cornelius W. Maloney, 38, when Mrs. Stewart screamed "Help! Police! Holdup!" as she walked through a small passage way in the rear of a rooming house while Stewart stayed behind to park his car. Hearing the words "stick 'em up" followed by his wife's cry for help, he turned and fired three times, a bullet piercing Maloney's chest and resulting in his death in a local hospital 45 minutes later. An unidentified man, according to Stewart, was with Maloney, but fled when the shooting started and has not yet been located.

Three Weddings Celebrated

HECAMP, France (AP)—A gold, a silver and an ordinary wedding were celebrated the same day, in the same family, at the church of St. Etienne here. M. Pigeon, retired clerk of the Tribunal of Commerce, and Mme. Pigeon celebrated their golden anniversary; their daughter, Mme. Boulanger, and her husband celebrated their silver wedding; and a grandson, Marcel Boulanger, and Mrs. Denise Douille were married.

Chanute, Kansas, has an absent minded carpenter. The workman hired to put a new roof on a house, shingled the wrong dwelling.

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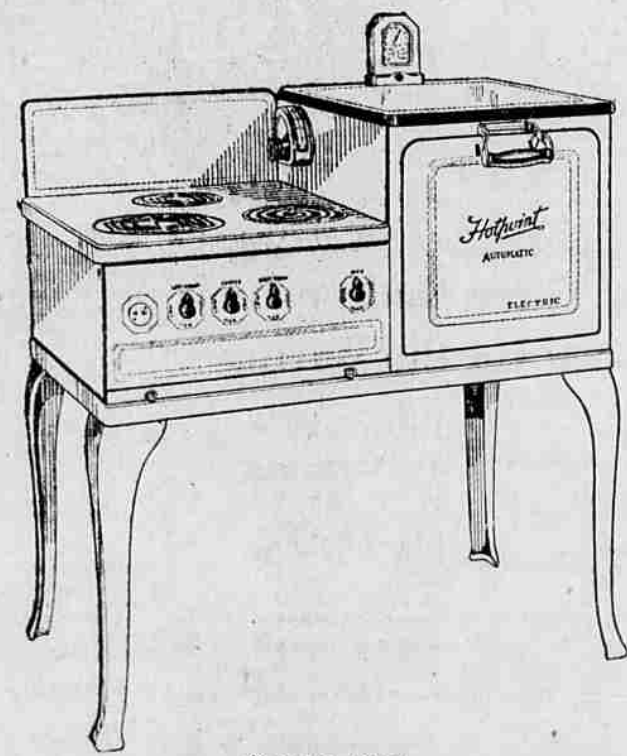
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