

Over The Valley Personals

Visits—
Floyd McKennon of Portland has been visiting among his many relatives and former friends in the valley the last day or two. He came from the city Tuesday afternoon.

Visits Father—
Murdo McRae of La Grande is making a visit at the home of his father, Johnnie McRae at Sunnyside.

Club Meets—
The T. & C. club met Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Tucker in the Iowa district. The evening's festivities starting off with a pot luck dinner, which was a fine, beguiling description. After this there were several hours at pinocchle, with four tables at play. High scores were made by Mrs. Gilbert Hunter for the women and George McDonald for the men.

Teachers Elected at Imbler—
At a school board meeting held last week teachers were elected for the coming year. Miss Audrey Delap who has taught the third and fourth grades there for the past six years has resigned, effective at the close of the present term. It is reported that Prof. Swearingen who has taught the Smith-Hughes department has

other plans for next year. The teachers elected are: Supt. J. W. King, Henry Johnson and Mrs. Gordon for the high school faculty. Three teachers will handle the grades this year instead of four. This change is not because of a decrease in the number of students in the grades but was made as an economy measure. Those selected for the grades are: Maurice Weis, Miss Bond and Miss Andrew.

From Portland—
Alvadoro Andrews of Portland is visiting with his relatives at Imbler and in La Grande this week.

In Seattle—
Following a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Woodell in Dry Creek, Lloyd Woodell has gone to Seattle where he has taken a position with the Northern

Electric company. He will be employed there until the middle of April when he will go to Alaska to take the same radio position which he filled so well and enjoyed so much last summer.

Quitting—
The Summerville aid met yesterday afternoon at the Odd Fellows hall and worked on some quilts for Mrs. Emma Burnham, Mrs. Perle Wagoner and Mrs. Wayne Park.

Concludes Visit—
Mrs. J. P. DeLong who spent last week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest DeLong in the Grange Hall neighborhood has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Everett Wallinger in the Valeria district.

Home From Walla Walla—
Mrs. Bernette Wilson who has made an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Renshaw, Walla Walla, arrived at Union Sunday evening where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. N. Fox, this week. She reports that apricots are in bloom in the Walla Walla valley and if the present warm weather continues pears and apples will soon be blooming. Fruit growers there are greatly alarmed as there is grave danger of heavy frost damage when blooming occurs so unusually early in the season.

Budd Says Business Shows Improvement

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Mar. 19 (AP)—Addressing more than 500 persons at a luncheon here yesterday, Ralph Budd, president of the Great Northern railroad, said he sees signs of improvement in the present business condition. A slow but steady rise in good stock prices is indicative of a better business feeling. "I can't say how soon the depression will end," Budd said. "I cannot say how to go about making it end, but I do know... that this nation is too big, too sound... peopled with men and women who adjust themselves to conditions too readily to permit a period like this to continue for long."

He assured Klamath Falls that work on the line to Keddle, where the Great Northern will connect with the Western Pacific into San Francisco, will go forward without interruption. A new line of standard trackage with heavy steel will be laid this summer from Bend south a distance of 23 miles at a cost of about one million dollars, Budd said.

Heavy Rainfall In Portland Yesterday

PORTLAND, Mar. 19 (AP)—Nearly one-third of an inch of rain fell here in fifteen minutes during the noon hour yesterday.

Rainfall during the storm which struck the city Tuesday afternoon totaled 1.88 inches at 1 p. m. yesterday.

CELTS INVADE AMERICA

GLASGOW, Scotland (AP)—The Celtic football team leaves for its American tour May 9 aboard the S. S. Mauretania and will return about June 27, it was announced by sponsors of the tour.

Miss Lathrop, 17, Of Leap, Passes Sunday Morning

By G. C. Meek (Observer Correspondent)

WALLA WALLA, Ore. (Special)—Friends and neighbors of the L. V. Lathrop family of Leap were deeply saddened by the death of their daughter, Muriel, at the Walla Walla hospital early Sunday morning. Miss Lathrop had been a patient at the hospital for about a week, suffering from an attack of heart trouble. During the latter part of the week she was reported to be somewhat improved and friends were under the impression that she was getting better, however, she took a sudden turn for the worse and passed away Sunday morning. She was a student of the Walla Walla High school and enjoyed a wide circle of friends among both young and old of this community. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Lathrop, and several brothers and sisters. She was about 17 years old.

The Walla Walla County Stock Marketing association shipped a car of fat hogs from this end of the valley the latter part of the week. Part of the shipment consisted of hogs from the Lathrop community, but because of the comparatively small number to be loaded from that point they were hauled to the stock yards here by truck and the car loaded here. Even with the price of hogs dropping off considerably, many of the farmers feel they offer about the best chance of making a profit from their grain. There is said to be a rather good demand for any class of stock hogs, especially weaner pigs. If average luck is experienced in saving the young pigs, there should be a considerably larger spring furrowing of pigs in this section than usual this spring. Many farmers held over much larger numbers of brood sows last fall in order to assure themselves of a good supply of hogs for feeding this year's grain crop.

H. D. Bechtel recently increased his farm holdings at the former John Pace farm a few miles east of town, by the purchase on contract of 100 acres of land from T. T. Shell. The tract purchased was a strip off the east end of the H. G. Masterson farm which was recently purchased by Mr. Shell. A large part of the tract is irrigated farming land and the balance fine river bottom pasture.

John Couch, of Leap, delivered a load of fat hogs to the stockyards here the last of the week for shipment.

H. G. Masterson and J. L. Maxwell are the proud owners of some of the best Durham cattle to be found in this section. The herd consisting of something over 100 head were purchased during the past winter and practically all are said to be purebred Durham stock.

E. L. Rucker and wife, of Parson Creek, were here the first of the week helping with arrangements for the funeral of Miss Muriel Lathrop, who died early Sunday morning.

Sam Meek and Roy Gastin have done some repair work on the Leap telephone line. With the frost going out of the ground many of the poles which have rotted are falling down, making the line service very unsatisfactory.

Giles Plass and wife, of Leap, were visitors in town last week.

Duane Lathrop and wife, of Parson Creek, have been at the L. V. Lathrop home in Leap during the past few days taking care of the small children and looking after stock while Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Lathrop were away.

Roy Gastin has been building a number of large pole gates for his barn yard. He reports that he also expects to do a considerable amount of fence building as soon as the frost leaves the soil sufficiently to allow driving of posts.

A large number of ground squirrels are in evidence in nearly all parts of the community. In a few instances farmers tried to do some early poisoning. However, with the snow quite deep making it difficult to get over much territory but comparatively few squirrels were killed. Many state that the most effective time they have found for getting large numbers of the rodents with poisoned grain is at the time when the young first start to come out and where the poison is well distributed at that time an excellent clean up is made.

Mrs. Bertha Taylor, of La Grande, arrived here the latter part of the week for a few days visit with her son, Earl Burfield, at the Meek farm.

C. W. Marshall, of Maxville, was a La Grande business visitor during the past week, returning here Saturday.

Clark Wood Says

Talk can hardly be described as cheap, when Charlie Chaplin refuses an offer of \$500,000 for radio speeches.

It is said by a scientist that Chicago gangsters can be reformed by psychiatry. Ward suggest that they be generally uplifted by means of commandeered pineapples.

We wonder now, if Mr. Legge will cut down the production of harvesters 25 per cent.

Modern youth has nothing in common with an older generation, unless it's a borrowed car.

We learn from Cal Coolidge that "politics is an art." To succeed usually requires a master of the canvass.

I. C. C. Permits G. N. Company To Re-Locate Line

WASHINGTON, Mar. 19 (AP)—The interstate commerce commission to-

day authorized the Great Northern Railway company to re-locate its new line in Klamath county, Oregon, and Modoc and Lassen counties, California.

The line originally was authorized to run through a portion of Siskiyou county, California, and roughly to parallel the Southern Pacific's Altura branch for fifty miles south of Klamath Falls. The commission in the original authorization suggested trackage rights over the Southern Pacific lines be obtained but when this was found to be impossible of arrangement the Great Northern applied for relocation of the line.

As authorized in the new report of the commission the line would parallel the Altura branch of the Southern Pacific for about 15 miles from Klamath Falls to Merrill, Oregon. From Merrill, the line would swing east about 10 miles to a point near the California-Oregon state line about one mile southwest of Malin, Oregon. From this point it would run in a southerly direction about ten miles crossing the Altura branch of the Southern Pacific to the original location which it would follow to a point about 45 miles from Klamath Falls. Beyond this point it would run over the original location approximately 46 miles to Bieber in Lassen county, California, where it would connect with a proposed line of the Western Pacific.



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