

Play "West Of Broadway" Given By Union Cast

By W. V. Connor (Observer Correspondent)

UNION (Special)—Miss News, who has been in Union for the past couple of weeks working in connection with the local American Legion post in preparing for the production by a local cast of the three-act comedy, "West of Broadway," staged the first school play Thursday night. A number of specialties including songs and dances were included in the program, these numbers being furnished principally by boys and girls from the Union school. One of the prettiest numbers was the curtain raiser, a colorful patriotic pageant by a stage full of little tots from the primary grades of the school.

A show troupe, the Buskin Show company, is stranded in the town owing to the fact that a bridge is washed out on the railroad, so they decide

to stage their performance in the local theatre. The troupe includes Tex Knight, manager of the company; John Geertsen, George Van Housen, Rosale Burns, Dorothy Cook, and Araldeen Johnson.

Local residents who attend the try-out and the show includes: Jane Smith, who becomes leading lady in the company; Leona Spray, Margaret Campbell and Dorothy Baker, her three friends; George Adams is the station agent; Clarence Rosewall and Mrs. Mint Gale are running the local hotel; W. V. Connor has the part of Mayor Cadwell; Bob Cox is the village grocery boy and furnishes the comedy part; William Campbell, local banker, marries one of the show girls; George Glikson and Orvell Roberts are the Jewish and Irish traveling salesman; Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips and Mrs. Iva Reuter take the place of local ladies who attend the show. The Union High school orchestra furnished music for the performance. In spite of the blizzardy weather the Thursday night house was very satisfactory to the sponsors of the show. The second and last program will be given tonight.

The Blue Devils, local basketball team, under the management of Ellis Hess, is again planning to attend the outlay basketball tournament at Gooding college. These boys went to the Idaho meet last year, being the only team from outside the state of Idaho to participate. The Blue Devils have defeated teams from Cove and La Grande and Saturday night will meet a Haines team on the Union floor.

The February meeting of the county association of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will be held in Union on the evening of February 23. A Washington program is under preparation by the committee in charge of this part of the meeting.

Clara Van Houten, who has been visiting for the past two weeks with relatives and friends in Spokane, Wash., arrived home Wednesday and resumed her work in the Union post office where she is assistant postmaster.

An assembly of the upper grades of the South school was held Friday morning, the boys of the seventh grade furnishing a fake radio program for the occasion. Mrs. Williams Campbell talked to the children about the local public library and some of the new books for children.

Mrs. Lizzie Castor has been in La Grande part of this week owing to the illness and death of Mr. White.

J. B. Weaver has been packing out apples at the Little Warehouse this week. There seems to be some difficulty in securing cars from Union Junction to ship out the fruit.

A petition presented to the school board of district No. 5, the Union school, calls for retrenchment by the elimination of the manual training and home economics departments, offering help for Supt. Roy Conklin and a cut in his salary. It is not known just what action will be taken by the local board, composed of J. F. Hutchinson, chairman, C. L. Cadwell and S. E. Miller. Last spring a general 10 per cent cut was made in salaries of the local teachers. So far this district is in excellent financial condition.

Little Gene Ricker was taken to the hospital at Hot Lake a few days ago threatened with pneumonia. Mrs. Ricker is at the lake with her now. It is reported that the boy's condition is improving.

Several former students of the Union High school have recently registered for post graduate or other special work. Among the new students are Meade Toll, who recently moved

to Union; Merrill Blacker, Gilbert Hillman, George Rowan and Leonard Clark. Chances for these students are being handled by Cecil Griggs and Supt. Conklin and have their sessions each afternoon.

LUMBER REPORT
PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 5 (AP)—Ninety-four of the 121 sawmills reporting to the Western Pine association for the week ending Jan. 30, were closed, the association said today. The 27 mills which were operating ran at an average of 28.4 per cent of capacity.

Current new business increased 2,760,000 feet or 8.5 per cent over the previous week. Shipments increased 1,475,000 feet, and unfilled orders increased 701,000 feet. Production for the week was 11,160,000 feet, shipments 34,285,000 feet, and orders 34,986,000 feet.

Imbler High To Stage Play On Friday, Mar. 11

By Mrs. Ray Wilson (Observer Correspondent)

IMBLER (Special)—The junior class of the Imbler High school will present the comedy-drama "Light House Nan" on Mar. 11. The cast was chosen and practice began Tuesday, under the direction of Miss Charibel E. Cannon.

Following is the cast of characters: Hon. John Enlow, president of the Seacoast Banking company, Bob Huron; Ned Blake, his private secretary, Raymond Munson; Ichabod Buzzer, the old keeper of the lighthouse, Lynn Anderson; Sir Arthur Cheke, a British aristocrat, Lyle Sanderson; Injun Jim, a bad man, Jack Cole; Nan, a little roustabout, Mary Richeson; Moll Buzzer, the gentle antelope, Winona Westenkow; Hon. Sarah Chumley-Choke, Arthur's sister, Blanche Billings; Horfense Enlow, a city belle, Marjorie Perry.

The double-header basketball contest between the grade teams of Cove and Imbler Wednesday afternoon resulted in a 29-8 win for the Imbler girls but the Imbler boys lost 17-9.

The girls on the Imbler team who saw action were forwards Emma Coe and Neta Wilson; center, Berta Lloyd; side center, Ruth Conklin; guards, Donna Watson and Berta Hudson and substitutes Aletha Bushman, Dorothy Crouser and Elva Richeson.

The Imbler boys who played were forwards, Elmer Perry and Darwin Keenan; center, Keith Pratt; guards, Neil Martin and Richard Wilson, and substitute, Farrell Skillings.

Naoma Perry is ill of the measles. The M. I. A. dance and social held in their church Wednesday night was a success despite the bad weather. There was a large crowd present who

had a most enjoyable time and the pies and candy which were sold to defray expenses sold well.

The school board held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday night. In addition to regular routine business it was decided to get all the information obtainable regarding salary schedules in other northwestern schools for the coming year. One teacher was dropped from the grade staff last year at a saving of approximately one thousand dollars a year, as an economy measure, and it is hoped that other savings can be made this year.

Wednesday afternoon and continuing Thursday this locality experienced one of the worst storms in its history. The high winds and drifting snow made most of the east and west roads impassable.

The school bus got stuck in a snow drift west of Sumnersville on the afternoon trip Wednesday. Students were compelled to use other methods of transportation the remainder of the way to their homes. The bus was pulled out by horses Thursday morning and arrived back in Imbler at noon Thursday. It will probably be several days before it is possible to cover the route again as the snow banks along the road are quite high and may require a rotary to clear the road.

The Elgin High school boys and girls teams will play the Imbler High teams Friday night in Imbler at 7:30. The dopsters say the Elgin girls will have an easy win as they have been chalking down all their opponents on the losing end of the score board this season and with plenty of margin to spare. The same wise ones who can do everything but give you the exact score in advance predict an Imbler victory in the boys contest but with not too much margin to spare.

Pay of football officials was reduced a third by the Southern conference at its winter meeting.

Kieckhefer Still Threat in Play For Billiard Title

CHICAGO, Feb. 5 (AP)—The threat of Augie Kieckhefer, the southpaw Chicago cuedist, rose today in the path of Otto Reisel's steady march toward the world's three-cushion billiard throne.

The Philadelphia veteran paired with Gus Copulos, of Eugene, Ore., today after holding the undisputed lead in the angle tournament for days, but from the corner of his eye he watched another match.

Jake Schaefer of San Francisco finished his first bid for the angle title by losing to Thurnblad in the night match, 50 to 38, in 62 innings. Schaefer, regarded as matchless in balkline billiards, wound up with a record of five victories and six defeats.

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For Kieckhefer, only a game behind him, met Arthur Thurnblad, the defending champion and third place holder, in a contest that might materially affect the standings.

A defeat at the hands of Copulos would not tip the Philadelphia from the whip seat but should Kieckhefer come up to share Reisel's place in the sun, Otto Reisel must still meet Kieckhefer in the titeward march.

Copulos ran into Johnny Layton, Sedalia, Mo., at his best yesterday and suffered a surprising 50 to 37 defeat in 38 innings. The victory was Layton's fifth in 10 matches and left him in a tie for fifth place.

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The meeting was called after Senator McNary had telegraphed that the tariff commission had proposed to revise the tariff schedule. Growers said a lower tariff on cherries would ruin the industry.

TEST CASE FILED
SALEM, Feb. 5 (AP)—A test case to determine whether card room proprietors can give merchandise checks, redeemable in trade, to winners of card games, without violating the state gambling laws, was filed in the courts here last night. George Hull, owner of a Salem card room, was named defendant in the action.

Hull will have the support of hundreds of Oregon card room owners in his defense. He pleaded not guilty.

The ballad singers a chain male quartet, sit at a bridge table while broadcasting, the microphone being suspended above the table.

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