

# OVER THE VALLEY

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**Called To Pennsylvania**—Everett Kuhn, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kuhn, of near Summerville, but until recently of Union, has been spending the summer at the home of his parents, arriving in the valley from Pennsylvania about the first of May. He has recently been called back to Jeannette, Pa., to take a position as mechanical engineer with the Everett Co., a large electric and heating equipment concern. Kuhn is a graduate of the Oregon State college. He will return to the east by the way of Portland and Seattle.

**Two O. O. N.**—Bob Huron, of Brooks Lane, and Lynn Anderson, of Imbler, are among two of the valley boys who enrolled this week at E. O. N. Bob was graduated from the La Grande High school in May and Lynn from Imbler.

**Have Family Dinner**—Mrs. Mary Blokland's children gathered at her home near Island City, Sunday for a family dinner which was served at mid-day and occupied the time until the wedding at four o'clock of Lester Blokland and Miss Doris Cade. At the table were Mrs. Blokland, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blokland, and Mrs. William Perry and daughter, Joan, of Lostine, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blokland and daughter, Marjorie Anne, of Island City, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Bach and Geraldine, of North Powder, Lester, Esther, Herbert, Alfred, Mildred, Wilbur and Gene Blokland.

In the account of the Cade-Blokland wedding, the name of E. J. Blokland, of Lostine, should have been included in the list of guests from out of the valley, but William Perry, of Lostine, was unable to be present on account of illness.

**Meeting Is Postponed**—The meeting of the Countrywomen's club which was to have been held this week, has been postponed until the next regular meeting date which will be October 13.

**From Ontario**—Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKennon came the first of the week from Ontario for a visit at the Frank McKennon home near Imbler. Russell joined a party from this valley on hunting expedition into the mountains.

**Move Away**—After a residence here of four or five years in the Summerville and Alcei communities, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown have gone to Goldendale, Wash., where they will make their home in the future.

**For Weekend**—M. P. Lantz and his bride, whom he married recently at Yakima, Wash., were here over the weekend for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lydia Lantz, in the fruit section above the Cove.

**Blue Mt. Grange**—At the regular meeting of the Blue Mt. grange which was held Saturday afternoon, Miss Sara Williamson described in a most delightful way some of the things she saw at the Century of Progress exhibition in Chicago. Miss Williamson and three fellow teachers spent a week in Chicago this summer, five days in one car and the other two visiting places of interest in the exhibition city.

**B. A. Masterton**, master of the grange, had charge of the business meeting at which time the organization voted to have Lester Blokland, who will meet with Pleasant Grove grange Tuesday evening at their hall. The rest of the meeting was spent in making plans for the fair which is to be held in La Grande Sept. 28 and 29.

**Has Tonsillitis**—Miss Loraine Hug, who makes her home with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanderson in Dry Creek school, has recovered nicely from a recent operation for the removal of her tonsils by Dr. Halston, of La Grande.

**From Portland**—Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hug, of Portland, visited over the weekend at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Barker, of near Cove. Returning home the first of the week, they were accompanied by Mrs. VanGortom, Mr. Barker's sister, of Portland, who has been visiting at the Barker home and by Robert Lantz who has spent the summer at the home of Mrs. Lydia Lantz in the same neighborhood.

**Ships Lambs**—Selwyn Gauke, of Joseph, was in the valley last week and purchased 400 yearling ewes from the Pierce ranch. They were shipped by rail to Wallowa county.

**Given Shower**—Mrs. Melvin Gekeler, recent bride, was given a miscellaneous shower Friday at the home of Mrs. Lena Gekeler. It was a surprise and there were 23, mostly relatives of the Gekeler family, present. During the evening dish towels were hemmed and a small embroidery design was worked in the corner of each towel. Near the close of the evening Peggy Brown and Dazel Turner, little cousins of Mr. Gekeler, presented Mrs. Gekeler a box containing many beautiful and practical gifts. A lunch was served by three young women, Mrs. Ralph Robinson, Mrs. Vernon DeLong and Miss Theolina Strain, who sponsored the affair. Mrs. Gekeler, who was formerly Miss Helen Fellows, of La Grande, was married to Melvin Gekeler, son of Mrs. Lena Gekeler, about a month ago in Walla Walla. Mr. Gekeler operates his mother's farm and the young couple will reside there.

The population of bears—black and brown—in Florida is 235, government figures show.

Georgia's bright leaf tobacco crop this year brought farmers more than \$5,000,000 in cash.

## IMBLER PERSONALS

The M. I. A. gave a program Tuesday night, which included a song by Melba Westenskow and Elva Richeson, reading, Pauline Jensen, songs by the High school girls chorus directed by Mrs. Merl Stewart. After the program were games, dancing and refreshments. Stake officers of La Grande present were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Metcalf, Mrs. Olive Neal and Beatrice Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Welch, left for Oakland, Ore., Wednesday after a two weeks' visit with his father C. C. Welch.

The Methodist Sunday school gave a picnic at the Elgin city park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hazen and family have moved to Enterprise where Mr. Hazen will relieve the regular agent who has gone to the Chicago Fair for six weeks.

Jim Burton's small daughter who has been very ill has returned from a La Grande hospital.

The Freshmen initiation held in the High school gym Friday night, was enjoyed by everyone except the freshmen. Games were played after the initiation and refreshments served.

## PROMISE PERSONALS

Henry Moore, of La Grande, came Friday and Mrs. Laura Davis and Mrs. Edith Lindsey who had been visiting relatives here returned with them to their homes. Mrs. Lillian Garrett returned with them for an extended visit.

Miss Edna Turner, of La Grande, is teaching the Promise school. She is boarding with Mrs. Nellie Pleshman.

Ellis Haney, of Wallowa, is staying with his grandmother Mrs. Alma Carper and attending the Promise school.

John Carper and son, Frank, Carl Richards and Paul Lively are working in the Baker peach orchard at Home, Ore.

Mrs. Lena Carper who has been quite ill is greatly improved. Her niece Vivian Trump, who has been staying with her returned to Wallowa Friday and entered High school Monday. Another niece of Mrs. Carper's, Hazel Trump, is staying with her.

Maxville school has been discontinued and the territory annexed to Promise school dist., and Grossman Consolidated No. 1.

Alvin McDonald spent last week visiting his brother, Harvey who is assistant fire warden on Day Ridge.

## COVE PERSONALS

Mrs. Dean Puckett was hostess at a children's party Monday honoring the second anniversary of her daughter, Marilyn. The children were turned loose in a sand pile for the first hour and then played games. The centerpiece was a birthday cake ornamented with roses and surrounded it were tiny cakes decorated with roses. After the lunch each child was given a toy balloon. Present were the guest of honor, Keith Hallmark, Frederik French, Charlie Gale and Dickey Conklin, Donald Herley, Anne Barker, Freddy White, Robert Blank, Paul and Ardeth Gorham and the mothers.

G. E. Barker was given a surprise party Wednesday on his birthday. Guests were Messrs and Meses Orton, Kelley, Conklin and Evers, Miss Kelley, Mrs. Miller and Messrs Conley and McIntire. Dinooles was played, prizes going to Mrs. Conklin, Miss Kelley and Len Evers and F. D. Kelley.

John Fisher has been home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher. He has been stationed at the Frog Heaven C. C. Camp during the summer but will not join for another six months as he wishes to enter school this fall.

Prof. J. C. Peel of Southern college, Lakeland, Fla., recommends a study of history and religion as a cure for economic ills.

## WALLOWA PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Shell, Thorstein Shell and Donald McDaniel have returned from Portland where they attended the wedding of Stanley Shell and Miss Kathryn Galbraith Sept. 10.

Mrs. Rita Rounsavell, of La Grande, returned Tuesday after a week looking after business interests here.

Luella Reed, of Dallas, Ore., will be a student in the 5th grade this winter. Luella is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Poole and will live with them.

Wallowa schools opened Sept. 11 with an enrollment of 330—a slight increase over the number at the beginning of last year. There are 111 enrolled in the high school, the freshman class being largest.

Mrs. J. M. Castrol left Saturday for Powhatka to spend a week with her niece Mrs. George Coleman Jr.

## JOSEPH PERSONALS

Don, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gossett, of Prairie Creek, broke his arm Thursday.

Ted Mays of Bend, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mollie Mays.

Sam Cole a former Joseph boy came Saturday to visit and attend to business matters. He lived here when a boy. He left Monday for his home in Portland where he is paymaster for the Northwestern Elec. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. George DuBois and sister, Ruth DuBois are on a short visit with friends. They formerly lived here and are on their way to Indiana to make their home. They were joined at Nyssa Monday by Mrs. P. D. McCully Sr., who will go with them as far as Chicago, to visit her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Mixer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cannon were pleasantly surprised Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cannon and children came in from Lost Prairie to spend the day. It was Mr. Cannon's birthday and at noon they had dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seary and children who have lived here two years left Wednesday for Sutherlin where Mr. Seary is in charge of liquidation of a bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roup and daughters, Geneva and Edna, left Wednesday for San Diego, Cal., after visiting relatives and friends and attending to business here for three weeks. Sunday a picnic dinner was held at the lake in their honor. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roup and daughters, Mrs. Alvira Roup, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roup, Mrs. T. Edmond and son Roy, of Enterprise, Mrs. Art Wilson and Lucille and Louise Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Warrick and Mrs. Harry Mays entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Seary at the Hays home Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner.

Mrs. Dora Adams left Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Seary for Sutherlin where she will spend the winter. Mrs. Adams was given a farewell party by the Rebekahs Tuesday evening. A handkerchief from each member was given to Mrs. Adams.

T. H. Green Sr., is some better the last few days. He is being cared for by Glenn Marr left for his home in Denver Friday, after visiting his mother, Mrs. Carl Phapp. His brother Ross Marr went home with him for an extended visit.

Miss Maids Caldwell came Saturday from Salem. Miss Caldwell teaches in the High school and this is her third year.

## PORTLAND PRODUCE

PORTLAND, Sept. 20 (AP)—Butter—Prints, extras, 22c; standards, 21 1/2c. Butterfat—Portland delivery: A grade, 19c; farmer's door delivery, 17c per lb.; sweet cream, 5c higher.

Eggs—Pacific poultry producers' selling prices: oversize, 26c; extras, 25c; standards, 23c; medium, 22c; pullets, 17c dozen. Buying price by wholesalers: fresh extras, 21c doz.; firsts, 18c; medium, 17c doz.; undergrade, 13c; pullets, 13c.

## Ex-Oil King Out For Governor



Ernest W. Marland, above, who made and lost a fortune estimated at \$65,000,000 in oil, wants to be governor of Oklahoma. Marland, now a member of Congress from Oklahoma, has announced he will be a candidate next year to succeed Governor "Alfalfa Bill" Murray, who is forbidden by law to run for re-election.

## FOOTBALL SETUP AT UNIVERSITY APPEARS BRIGHT

(Associated Press Sports Writer) EUGENE, Ore. (AP)—A preponderance of material but two "weak" spots in the main ranks is the football setup at the University of Oregon for the Pacific coast conference campaign this fall.

Coches Prince Callison probably has more veterans and good looking prospects surrounding him than any other mentor in the league. He lost only two regulars from the 1932 lineup—Bill Morgan, a great tackle, and Bill Bowerman, quarterback, but he is only worrying about one of those places.

"Oregon might be considered a contender if we are able to remedy the quarterback and end places," declared Callison as he sent his horde of guests through their paces. "We are particularly weak at those spots. The loss of Bowerman, a three-year veteran general is keenly felt, and although our regular ends are back again we have only three capable wingmen available."

Ralph Terjeson, Bowerman's understudy last season, is a husky lad who knows the rudiments of blocking but he needs defensive work to become a regular. I may switch Bob Parks, a halfback, or Clarence Codding, a guard, to quarter. Both are exceptional blockers."

If Callison wished, he could field a team made up solidly of lettermen, seven of whom have two years' experience and four one season of training.

The Webfoot backfield bulges with power and speed with Mark Temple, Co-captain Leighton Gee, Stan Kostka, Art Clark and George Popeljak, all veteran halfbacks, and the mighty Mike Mikulak, a blasting fullback, ready to perform again.

Oregon's starting lineup looks like, Hughes, center; Frey and Clark, guards; Nilsson and Eagle, tackles; More and Wistard, ends; Terjeson, quarter; Temple and Gee, halfbacks, and Mikulak, fullback.

The schedule: Sept. 30—Ouzagay at Spokane. Oct. 7—Columbia at Eugene. Oct. 14—Washington at Seattle. Oct. 20—Idaho at Eugene. Oct. 28—U. C. L. A. at Los Angeles. Nov. 4—Utah at Eugene. Nov. 11—Oregon State at Portland. Nov. 18—Southern California at Los Angeles. Nov. 26—St. Mary's at San Francisco.

Budgets of the six units of the Greater University of Montana were reduced 25 per cent for the present biennium.

## LA GRANDE HIGH GRID SEASON OPENS HERE SATURDAY

### COVE TEAM WILL OPPOSE TIGERS IN OPENING TILT

The 1933 Tiger football season will open in La Grande Saturday afternoon, when the La Grande, eleven meets the Cove eleven at the High school field here at 2:30 o'clock.

Cocher Ira Woodie has been scrimmaging his squad regularly since last Friday, whipping the lads into shape for the opening game of the season. Most of them are in excellent condition, and what few sore spots remain now, are expected to be ironed out by Saturday. The team is reported to be developing rapidly, and is expected a tough tussle with the Cove boys.

Several veterans remain on the Cove team, which made a good showing last fall, and although the Tigers are hoped to win, no large score is expected.

Charles H. Reynolds probably will referee. The other officials were to be announced later today or tomorrow. As there will be no school Friday because of teachers institute, the pep assembly at La Grande High preceding the game, will take place tomorrow morning. A Hi-Dad representative will be present, and the La Grande High band will make its first appearance of the season, and will aid with leading the songs. Janet Binger will preside in the song leading, and Johnny Groupe, yell king, will lead the yell.

Much interest is being shown in the Tiger team this year, and indications are that the squad will be lighter but scrappier than in 1932. Enough veterans are back in the lineup to assure H. S. of having a team about on par with last fall's championship outfit.

### GROWTH ACID IS REPORTED FOUND BY O. S. C. PROFS

(Associated Press Science Editor) CHICAGO, Sept. 18 (AP)—The most universal stimulant ever found, a growth-promoting acid, is under discussion by American Chemical Society biologists.

Even its name, pantothenic acid, is new to most of them. Its discovery was reported by Dr. Roger J. Williams and Carl M. Lyman, of Oregon State Agricultural college, who said they named it from the Greek meaning "from everywhere" because it is described exactly where they found it.

They said it was a "constituent of all living things." They found it in humans, worms, plant molds, oysters, bacteria, algae and milk.

Single Acid Substance "It is probably safe to say," they stated, "that it is more widely distributed in nature than any known physiological potent substance. It is apparently a single acid substance."

Although they have not yet succeeded in getting rid of all the impurities, their latest extract taken from liver, is so potent that a single droplet the size of a pin head speeds up the growth of yeast in 250 gallons of liquid.

Their experiments indicate that it is composed of long chains of carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. Neither sulfur nor nitrogen has been found in it, or any of the common combinations of carbon and hydrogen forming sugar.

In strength it falls between acetic and lactic acids. Yet one part in a billion appears sufficient to affect growth.

This indicates, they stated, that it probably is a catalyst, one of those minute chemical substances whose presence causes great chemical changes without the catalyst being affected in the slightest.

There appears to be absolutely no difference between the acid extracted from the highest mammal or the lowliest bacteria or molds. It is soluble in water.

**EASY LIFE SUITS SCOTT WITHOUT A SONG**  
MILAN, Italy (AP)—Antonio Scotti, retired baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Co., has refused to break his rest to write a book of memoirs. "I want repose," he said in answer to an offer of publication. "I could tell many things about my 34 years of singing, but I'm a selfish old man. I just want to loaf around."

"I've worked long enough. And believe me, singing is work." He said he has enough money to keep him the remainder of his life providing he "goes easy."

## BASEBALL STANDINGS

By the Associated Press Coast League			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	106	68	.609
Hollywood	101	73	.580
Portland	99	73	.573
Sacramento	94	78	.547
Oakland	84	90	.483
San Francisco	75	99	.431
Mission	73	101	.420
Seattle	61	110	.357

**Yesterday's Results**

Los Angeles 5, Hollywood 3.
San Francisco 10, Mission 9.
Oakland 10, Seattle 4.
Portland - Sacramento, postponed, rain.

**National League**

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	89	62	.592
Pittsburgh	82	65	.558
Chicago	82	67	.550
St. Louis	79	68	.537
Boston	76	68	.528
Brooklyn	69	83	.451
Philadelphia	66	85	.437
Cincinnati	57	90	.389

**Yesterday's Results**

At Pittsburgh 2-2, Philadelphia 1-3.
At Cincinnati 0, Boston 3.
At Chicago 3, Brooklyn 12.
At St. Louis 12, New York 3.

**American League**

	W.	L.	Pct.
Washington	85	49	.630
New York	86	55	.610
Philadelphia	74	67	.525
Cleveland	74	72	.507
Detroit	69	78	.469
Boston	63	81	.438
Baltimore	59	84	.413
St. Louis	55	89	.382

**Yesterday's Results**

At Washington 0, St. Louis 4.
At Philadelphia 5, Detroit 2.
At New York 10-10, Chicago 1-3.
At Boston 4, Cleveland 3.

## ENTERPRISE TEAM WILL PLAY BAKER

Baker and Enterprise high schools will open the 1933 football season in Eastern Oregon Friday at Baker, the game to commence at 3 o'clock. Out of the last three Enterprise games, Baker has been able to get one tie and two beatings.

The Baker grid schedule follows: Sept. 22—Enterprise at Baker. Sept. 30—Baker at Prairie City. Oct. 6—Nyssa at Baker. Oct. 20—Pendleton at Baker. Oct. 27—Baker at Ontario. Nov. 3—Nampa at Baker. Nov. 11—Baker at La Grande.

**LIFE**  
Vapor—the life to which we cling With every ounce of our mental strength. No more lasting than the grass That withers in a day. Stretches before us in a great expanse When we are young. Drifting on from day to day, Washing, expecting, longing for the future. Quaking when we fear what it may mean.

Building castles towering to the sky To see them crumble, fall, and die. Our hopes to others all unseen, Vanishing for a time. Return again with wisdom, patience, courage.

And we launch afresh to claim what's yours and mine. Then comes the stability of years. Receiving life as it is: Always that looking forward: Always a looking back upon the vanished years. That, slipping from our grasp, Become but memories of the past. And stepping stones to what we are. —Adah Singleton.

**'MURDER' OR 'CUSTER'— YOU TAKE YOUR CHOICE**  
McBRIDE, Mich. (AP)—McBride—or Custer—is a town divided against itself. Though the town uses the same city hall, the same fire department and to all outward appearances is one municipality, it has two names. On one side of Division street is McBride. On the other is Custer.

The mix-up developed in 1878 when two persons laid out towns on opposite sides of the road.

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## PHELAN PLANNING ON UNBALANCED LINE THIS FALL

(Associated Press Sports Writer) SEATTLE (AP)—Jimmy Phelan, University of Washington football coach, plans to unbalance his team in an effort to balance his luck this season.

"We have been working toward an unbalanced line for sometime and this year we will use it altogether," said the former Big Ten coach who is starting his fourth season on the Pacific coast. "Maybe it will change our luck. We need something to balance our wins and losses and a dwindling budget."

Phelan was forced to make changes in his backfield because of the departure of Earl Bufkin, brilliant blocking halfback, who went to West Point. The unbalanced is expected to help maneuver Art Ahonen, a light but slippery running back, into the open with Jay Hornback, quarter, Paul Sukloski, battering fullback and Matt Muczynski, blasting half, paving the way. Ahonen moves up from the reserve list to fill the gap left by Bufkin.

"Where Washington will finish I cannot guess, with Stanford, California, Washington State and Oregon much improved and Southern California as strong as ever," said Phelan. "I look for the hottest battle in a long while on the coast."

"We have a fair ball club, but are shy on reserves, good ones. Both of our best hitters—Muczynski and Ahonen—are in the same backfield. We gained a little help from the freshmen so we are starting with virtually the same personnel."

"We lost the brains of our machine in Dave Nisbet, a sparkling end, and the sparkplug of the outfit by Johnny Chereberg, quarterback. "One thing I am sure of is that we will have an end who will compare with any in the country. Bill Smith is one of the greatest pass receivers I have ever seen and we will have plenty of aerial plays mapped out for him."

**OMAHA SHEEP**  
OMAHA, Sept. 20 (AP)—(U. S. D. A.)—Sheep: 9,500; lambs 25c higher, sheep and feeders steady; native and range lambs up to \$7.00; ewes \$2.50 down; range feeding lambs \$6.00 @ \$6.25.

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## Tornado Wreaks Death, Destruction in Texas



Here are first pictures of the wreckage caused by a tornado in the Texas valley district, in which 100 persons were killed, \$10,000,000 in property damage was suffered, and a wide area in Texas and Mexico were isolated. Pictures taken at Port Isabel, show wrecked buildings, and below, rescuers seeking bodies in the wreckage.



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