

Over The Valley Personals

New Year's Dinner—New Year's dinner is always quite an event at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wallinger in the Valeria district as the day is also the birthday anniversary of their son, Virgil. There were 22 relatives seated for the turkey dinner which Mrs. Wallinger had prepared.

Family Gathering—Christmas dinner was enjoyed by the entire Ledbetter family at their home near Alicel, excepting only Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ledbetter, who were in Portland. Present were—Eva from Lewiston, Ida, Edna from Port Orford, Mary, Sam, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leontine and daughter, Donna Esie and Diane from Muddy Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ledbetter from Baker, W. R. Ledbetter and son, Lyle at home.

"Grandfather" McKennon—While we have not all the information as to dates, weights, name, etc., we learn that Frank McKennon, of near Imbler, has been conferred the exalted title of "Grandfather" and on Mrs. McKennon, "Grandmother" at the recent birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Russell McKennon of Condon. This is their first-born. And "Aunt Emily" adds congratulations. P. S. We have learned that the advent of the fine new boy weighed 8 1/2 pounds and has been given the name Keith Robert, was on Christmas eve. His aunt, Mrs. Frances McKennon, leaving Saturday for her new teaching position at Oakland, Ore., was to stop off in Condon for a brief stay to inspect the new member of the McKennon family.

At Mrs. Williamson's—All except one of Mrs. Susan Williamson's children were with her at her home on Cove avenue, Christmas eve. Her grandchildren were all there, too. In the evening there was a lovely dinner and afterwards a tree laden with gifts for all. Present besides Mrs. Williamson and her daughter at home, Miss Sarah, were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williamson, of Walla Walla Lake; Dr. and Mrs. Donald Hughes, of Boise, Ida.; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Leigh, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Davis and two daughters, Margaret and Susan; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hughes and daughter, Helen; Mrs. A. P. Davis and Bay Shelton. Mr. and Mrs. Leigh left for their home in the Oregon metropolis early Monday morning.

Detained—Layon Koger, of Lower Cove, a sophomore at Willamette university, who was home for a Christmas visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Koger, was unable to return when studies started again, as he contracted chicken pox while in the valley.

Children Give Program—Absence of the editor of this page for ten days has delayed the publication of a number of very fine school programs given during the holiday season. The children did so well generally and such large companies of parents and friends heard them, that we mean to give the accounts in spite of the date. Among these presentations was that one at the Kamela school given under the direction of the teacher, Miss Louise Wetzel, of La Grande. Its numbers were as follows:

"Christmas Gifts" dialogue, Barbara Daniels, Marjorie and Thomas Cox. "Dickie Falls Asleep" playlet, Santa Claus, Jackie Hostman, sandman, Barton Brown, Mother Goose, Pearl Brown, Jack Be-nimble, Gene Hood, Little Miss Thuff, Geraldine Riggs, Jack Horner, Thomas Cox, Wee Willie Winkle, Neil Daniels, Tom, Tom The Piper's Son, Max Ingerson, Polly Flinders, Barbara Daniels, Bo-Peep, Marjorie Cox, Boy Blue, Jimmie Lokett.

"Santa's On His Way" recitation, Geraldine Riggs. "Everywhere Christmas Tonight," Phillips Holmes, recitation, Floy Ione Wetzel. "The Happiest Christmas" play, Mrs. Jackson, Arceola Hood, Bob, Barton Brown, Betty, Floy Ione Wetzel, Jack, Douglas Riggs, David, Jackie Hostman.

"The Wee, Wee Star" story told by Francis Brooks. "Christmas Prayer" recitation, Pearl Brown. "The Christmas Flower" poem, Jackie Hostman. "The New Christmas Sprites" play, Poverty, Jack Riggs, Greed, Francis Brooks, Loneliness, Arceola Hood, Wealth, Jackie Hostman, Unselfishness, Douglas Riggs, Happy Giving, Barton Brown, Brownie, Floy Ione Wetzel, Spirit of Christmas, Pearl Brown.

"The Christmas Rose" recitation, Jack Riggs. "Ecce and The Christmas Fairy," adapted from Dickens' Christmas Carol. Scrooge, Jack Riggs, Fairy, Floy Ione Wetzel, Nephew, Francis Brooks, Bob Cratchit, Francis Brooks, Mrs. Cratchit, Arceola Hood, Marjorie, Barbara Daniels, Belinda, Marjorie Cox, Michael, Douglas Riggs, Peter, Thomas Cox, Danny, Jackie Hostman, Dick, Barton Brown, Tiny Tim, Pearl Brown. Christmas story read from "The Christ Child," Mrs. Wigglesworth as grandmother, Pearl Brown, Marjorie Cox and Barbara Daniels as the children. "Her Christmas Hat" community play, Warren Williams, Monty Brown, Kitty Williams, Francis Hostman, Eddie, Walter Ingerson, Laura Loney, Dolly Brown, Minerva Mockridge, Loren, Prasier, Honoria Goggin, Viva Ebe, Maginnis Goggin, Claude Ebe, Officer Hogan, Orval Prasier. After the program, Santa Claus brought all the children presents, popcorn balls and oranges while presents, were taken from the tree for the grown-ups.

Conclusion Visit Here—Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kail and daughter, Rachel, left the first of last week for their home in Yakima, Wash., after a few days' visit with her brother, Bert Kail and family. Previous to the visit at the brother's home, they spent a week with relatives at Cove. This was Mr. Kail's first visit since two years ago. He has many friends in the valley as he formerly lived at Cove and also attended La Grande High school, graduating with the class of 1912.

Allice Aid—The regular meeting of the Allice Ladies Aid society will be held Thursday afternoon, Jan. 11 at the home of Mrs. Everett Wallinger, with Miss Emma MacAnish and Mrs. Frances Wells as assisting hostesses. The meeting is called for 1:30 o'clock. One comforter will be tied out.

At The Dalles—Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnson, of near the Cove and his brother, George Johnson, of Alicel, spent a week over the holidays visiting with Mrs. Johnson's parents at The Dalles. Miss Ruth Johnson, who teaches in The Dalles, was home for the holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Johnson, near Alicel.

At Miller's—The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller in the Shanghai district was open for the family clan during Christmas, there having been present, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Laird, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Laird, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Laird, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mangren.

Dogs Run Over—Two dogs belonging to Willis Moss, of the Moss Chapel district, were killed during the holidays when they were run over by passing automobiles.

To Berkeley—Mrs. P. A. McDonald, of the Iowa district, left before the holidays for Berkeley, Cal., where she will make an extended visit at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McNabb.

On Visit—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith, of Boise, were among the visitors in the valley during the holidays. Mr. Smith returned to his work after a short stay while Mrs. Smith remained for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hermann, east of Island City, and with her many friends.

Returns Home—Mrs. B. C. Alexander has returned to her home near Philomath following a visit over the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Moss, of Moss Chapel.

GRANT DIVORCE TO W. M. GIBSON—A divorce was granted William M. Gibson from Myrtle Gibson yesterday by Judge J. W. Knowles in the circuit court. Desertion was given as the cause of the separation. They were married in February, 1931.

UNION PERSONALS—Miss Frieda Brown entertained a group of the younger set at her home Tuesday evening. Four tables of pinocle were arranged and high prizes were awarded to Eam Halsey and Tom Conklin and consolation to Ethel Conklin. After a jolly evening a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Pote have been visiting in Portland this week. A post-Christmas party was given at the Union hotel Thursday evening with their husbands as guests of the evening. A 6:30 dinner was served in an attractively decorated dining room after which five tables were arranged for bridge. At the end of the games each person selected a gift from the tree according to his score.

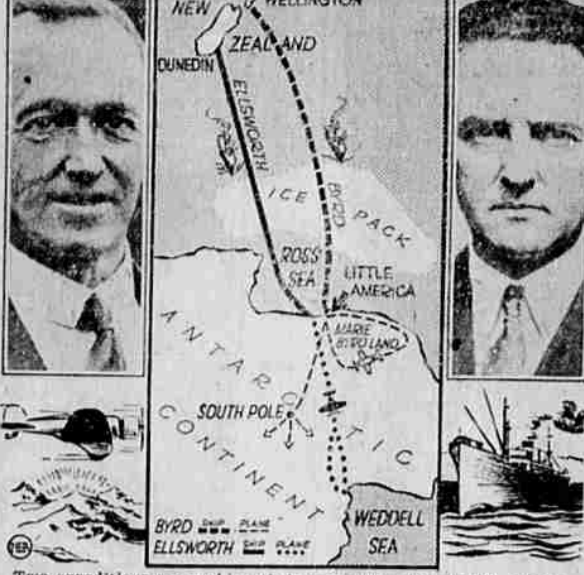
Mrs. Mary Hutchinson is spending this week with her daughters in Portland. Dr. and Mrs. George Hoffman and Jeanne returned home Thursday after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Murphy, at Pendleton. Miss Jessie Devlinney, former nurse at Hot Lake, was visiting friends in Union Thursday and Friday. She has been in Omaha but will start at work at the Pocatello hospital the first of the new year. She will have charge of the surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Gilmore drove to Milton-Freewater to spend Christmas with her parents, Leonard Clark, of Gooding, and Mr. and Mrs. Kelvin Hartwell, of Fairfield, Idaho, are spending their vacations with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark. The Ladies' Aid made a Christmas party of their regular monthly meeting Thursday when they met with Mrs. Viola Parker. Following routine business during which they planned the next year's work, treats were received from a Christmas tree, Mrs. Burell and Mrs. Chas. Gaster assisted the hostess.

The Epworth Leaguers enjoyed a Christmas party at the Woman's clubhouse Thursday evening. Mrs. and Mrs. T. W. Anshuld, of Weiser, and son, Thomas, of Rena, spent a part of this week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Anderson.

ELGIN PERSONALS—Oto Klinghammer was taken to Hot Lake Saturday and submitted to an operation for appendicitis. He is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeBole, of Stark, spent the Christmas holiday with Mrs. Francis DeBole. An husband, of Weiser, and son, Thomas, of Rena, spent a part of this week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Anderson. The Pymian Sisters will hold a social meeting at their next meeting, Jan. 8. It is hoped there will be a good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith were in Portland over the weekend.

Hunt Answer to Antarctic Riddle



Two expeditions are making their way across icy seas to Antarctica, to explore the "last continent," one headed by Richard E. Byrd, the other by Lincoln Ellsworth. The map shows their courses. Byrd is to land and explore Marie Byrd Land, Ellsworth is to fly from Ross sea across Antarctica to Weddell sea and return, in an effort to learn whether the vast mass is continent or islands. Ellsworth is shown, left, with sketch of his plane, Byrd, right, with his ship, The Jacob Ruppert.

TIGERS TACKLE JOSEPH QUINTET HERE SATURDAY

With a week of hard practice behind them, the La Grande High school Tigers were tapering off a bit in practice today in preparation for their basketball game here Saturday night with the strong Joseph High quintet. Coach Ira Woodie, watching the performance of his squad in practice with a critical eye, believes the Tigers have shown some improvement this week, and was hopeful that they would check against Joseph like they did again Union three weeks ago. One forward and two guards were sure of starting the game tomorrow, Sutt, Webb and DeBole. The other center was to be selected from Reynolds, Hyde and Stoddard, and either V. Bean or Zivkovich was to start at center.

OREGON QUINTET DEFEATS OILERS

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 5 (AP)—The steadily improving University of Oregon basketball team evened its series with the Union Oil team of Portland Oct. 31, 1933, reported deposits of \$139,828,957. The gain was shorted despite the circumstance that the First National bank turned back \$3,000,000 in deposits to the United States postal savings system last month.

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4-H Pig Club Is Organized For The Year's Work

WOLF CREEK (Special)—The Wolf Creek pig club entertained the community at a watch party at the Grange hall Sunday night. The evening was spent in cards and games after which the club members served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nice and daughters, Virginia and Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nice and daughter, Eva, Jack Gorham and daughters, Audrey, Lorene and Olive, Mrs. James Newman, Sarah Brothers, Harold Craig, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bowman and children, Forest, Quinten, Howard and Larose, Billy Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gorham and children, Orvin, Roland and Loreta, Mrs. H. L. Nice and son, Glenn, Miss Rose Chromy, Paul and Malcolm Nice, Daisy, Jasper and Allen Nante, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son, Kenneth, and Mrs. Oscar Smith.

Union Boy Scouts Have Overnight Party at Cabin

UNION (Special)—A group of Boy Scouts, accompanied by the assistant Scout master, Dale Baxter, enjoyed an overnight party at the Scout cabin on Catherine creek last week. They were obliged to pack in the last mile and a half because of bad roads but they reported a wonderful time. They spent their days hiking, signaling and doing other Scout practice tests. The boys in the party were Darwin Orton, Roy O'Neil, Vance Terrill, Keith Kohler, Junior Davis and Herman Davis. They returned home Friday evening.

Dempseys Expect Arrival of Stork

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 5 (AP)—The Jack Dempseys are expecting an heir. The ex-champion of heavyweight fighters just couldn't retain the secret any longer, so he broke the news here yesterday during a 20-minute stop in his old home town as they arrived from Los Angeles. The famous pugilist and promoter and Mrs. Dempsey, the former Hannah Williams of Broadway musical comedy fame, detained from a transcontinental limited here just long enough to stretch their limbs.

HOLDUP MEN GENEROUS SEATTLE (AP)—A holdup pair accosted M. A. Rider, 29, rider handed over a \$20 bill, a five and two ones—complaining it was all he had. "We aren't the kind of guys that would take a man's last dollar," one of the robbers said. "Here, take this." He handed rider one of the bills. Rider looked at it when he got home. It was the twenty. Professor Irving Fisher, economist of Yale university, says: "The old and apparently still persistent notion of the 'business cycle' is a myth."

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WILL MOVE TO UNION COUNTY

Alma Cunningham, of Huston, Idaho, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Morris Wednesday night and left Thursday for his home. Mr. Cunningham has rented a ranch near Union which his daughter and son-in-law are caring for this winter. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham will complete moving their goods to Union this winter and come there to make their home permanently in the spring.

MISS WRIGHT COMES HERE FROM SALEM

Miss Eloise Wright, of Salem, arrived in La Grande recently to carry on case investigation work for the Union county relief committee. Miss Wright already is known in La Grande having taught for one year at North Powder. She is a graduate of Oregon State college and for the past year has done investigation work for the Marion county Red Cross.

ELKS PLAN TO GREET DEPUTY ON VISIT HERE

Plans for the official visit of Charles Bradley, district deputy of the B. P. O. Elks, on Jan. 17 were made night when the local lodge met at the temple. Regular business also was transacted.

Bank Deposits In Portland In Gain

PORTLAND, Jan. 5 (AP)—Deposits in the six Portland banks responding to today's call, amounted to \$149,804,660. The same banks as the call Oct. 31, 1933, reported deposits of \$139,828,957. The gain was shorted despite the circumstance that the First National bank turned back \$3,000,000 in deposits to the United States postal savings system last month.

UNION PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coles and Gordon and Mrs. Lydia Collins drove to Weiser Saturday and spent New Year's day with relatives. Dr. and Mrs. George Hoffman drove to Caldwell to spend New Year's day with his parents. Mrs. Will Hutchinson was hostess to the members of the Lucky Thirteen club Friday afternoon. Polynolia a dessert luncheon bridge was enjoyed with prizes going to Mrs. Ray Coles and Mrs. J. H. Jacobs. The La Grande L. D. S. choir under the direction of D. I. Stoddard presented a cantata at the new L. D. S. chapel Sunday evening before Mrs. George Lyman gave a beautiful story during the program. Mrs. S. E. Miller gave a little birthday party Wednesday afternoon for Jimmie LaCont who is visiting from Baker. The monthly meeting of the Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Walter Cook Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Viola Parker was the leader of a very interesting program on Child Labor and the recent legislation to eradicate it. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. L. Z. Terrill, served a lunch. D. E. Richards left Sunday for Bozeman and other Montana towns on a business trip.

CLOSE HEAVY IN STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 5 (AP)—Stocks pointed slowly downward today as speculative forces generally took time out to figure the market aspects of the government's greatest budget. The figuring, involving billions, was somewhat difficult and prices suffered from the strain. The close was heavy. Transfers approximated 980,000 shares.

Table with columns: Closing figures included, Air Bednet, Al. Chem. and Dye, American Can, American T. and T., Bethlehem Steel, J. I. Case, Col. G. and E., Continental Can, General Motors, Johns Manville, Libbey-O-Ford, Liggett and Myers B., Montgomery Ward, National Distill., J. C. Penney, Pub. Ser. of N. J., Southern Pacific, St. Oil of Cal., St. Oil of N. J., Union Pacific, United Aircraft, United Corp., U. S. Indus. Alcohol, U. S. Steel.

CIRCULATION OF LIBRARY PASSES 18,000

UNION (Special)—At the regular monthly meeting of the library board Monday afternoon Mrs. Minnie Baird, the librarian, submitted the following report for the year 1933: Number of adult fiction books loaned 9,859 Number of adult non-fiction books loaned 1,963 Number of juvenile fiction books loaned 5,050 Number of juvenile non-fiction books loaned 1,330 Total circulation 18,210 Magazines received 1,114 Papers received 81 New books placed on shelves 129 Number of books donated 45 Number of books borrowed from state library 225 Number of books repaired 1,251 New borrowers 130 Money collected from rents and fines \$33.96 The librarian has spent a very busy year with an increased circulation of nearly 1,000 books over that of last year and almost double that of the preceding year. The board gave her a vote of thanks for faithful services. Under the C. W. A. two assistants have been given work which consists of repairing books, rearranging the stacks and other duties that will be of advantage to the library.

U. S. LEADING WORLD-WIDE IMPROVEMENT

(Continued From Page One) with 59.6 in October, 1932." The communique, which dealt with a comparison between the last quarters of 1933 and 1932 indicated a diminution of unemployment in the following nations: The United States, Canada, Chile, Germany, Great Britain, Hungary, Australia, Belgium, Finland, Yugoslavia, Rumania, Denmark, the Irish Free State.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

Table with columns: CHICAGO WHEAT, CHICAGO CORN, PORTLAND WHEAT. Sub-headers: Open, High, Low, Close. Rows: May, July, Sept.

EGG PRICES CUT IN OREGON TODAY

PORTLAND, Jan. 5 (AP)—Owing to the fact that outsiders have openly been selling extra eggs down to 20c in the Portland market and creating more or less demoralization here, leading private operators have cut their selling price to retailers to that sum but have not lowered the buying price at country points. The new low price of 20c for extras by independent dealers will be effective for the weekend.

PINE ORDERS ON UPGRADE IN 1933

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 5 (AP)—The Western Pine association reported today that orders in 1933 throughout the western pine territory increased about 8 per cent over the previous year, that shipments were 2 per cent greater, and production 26 per cent more than in 1932. For the week ending Dec. 30, new business amounted to 25,573,000 feet, about 2 per cent more than for the previous week.

PORTLAND LIVESTOCK

PORTLAND, Jan. 5 (AP)—Cattle: 35, calves 35; strong for calves. Steers, good common and medium, \$2.75 to \$5.65; heifers, common and medium, \$2.50 to \$4.75; cows good, \$3.25 to \$3.50; common and medium, \$2.25 to \$3.25; low cutter and cutter, \$1.00 to \$2.25; bulls, cutter, and medium, \$1.75 to \$2.75; vealers, good and choice, \$5.00 to \$6.00; cull, common and medium, \$2.50 to \$5.00; calves, good and choice, \$4.00 to \$6.00; common and medium, \$2.00 to \$4.00. Hogs: 500; steady. Lightweight good and choice, \$3.35 to \$4.25; medium weight, good and choice, \$3.85 to \$4.25; heavyweight, good and choice, \$3.35 to \$4.00; packing sows, medium and good, \$2.25 to \$3.10; feeder and stocker pigs, good and choice, \$2.75 to \$3.25. Sheep: 1700; 40c higher. Lambs, good and choice, \$6.25 to \$7.00; medium, \$4.50 to \$6.25; yearling wethers, \$3.75 to \$4.50; ewes \$1 to \$2.25.

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Schilling TEA advertisement featuring an image of a tea box and an elephant. Text: NEW! FLAVOR SEALED in CELLOPHANE. The wonder of CELLOPHANE is that it costs so little and protects so completely a thing so delicate as the flavor of fine tea. NOW at your GROCERS.

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LIBERTY advertisement for the movie 'Zane Grey's TO THE LAST MAN'. Includes showtimes, cast list (Randolph Scott, Esther Ralston, Buster Crabbe, Jack La Rue, Noah Beery), and other showtimes like 'Blow Me Down' and 'The Power and the Glory'.