

Over The Valley Personals

Has Tomasetti— Mrs. P. T. Pugh, who lives in the Dry Creek neighborhood above Summerville was taken home Tuesday from La Grande, where she had recently undergone an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

Guests— Mrs. A. V. Fisher, of the Frosty district had as her guests recently, Mrs. Elizabeth Mayville and Mrs. Mary Norris, both of La Grande.

Entertain— Fifty were present for the party which was given by Mrs. Reese McAlister and Mrs. Bert Grout last Friday evening at the Blue Mt. Orange hall. A potluck supper was enjoyed the first part of the evening while the remainder of the time was spent at cards and games.

Returns From California— Mrs. Tom Skeen has returned to her home in Imbler following a visit since before Christmas at various sections in Southern California. She has much to say of the good conditions in that region having been there during that experience.

Entertain— Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Unicker, of Orange Hall, had as their guests over the weekend, Elder L. E. Esteb, of Walla Walla and Elder J. W. Turner, of Boise, who were here for the two-day conference of the Seventh Day Adventist church, held in La Grande.

Attend Altar Society— Mrs. Helen Becker and Mrs. Margaret Becker, of the Frosty district, were in La Grande Thursday attending the meeting of the St. Mary's Altar society held at the home of Mrs. Martin Fitzgerald. Plans were made at that time for a benefit card party to be given at the Sacajawea on Feb. 19 and Mrs. Helen Becker was named chairman of the committee on arrangements.

Luncheon Thursday— The monthly luncheon given by the January committee of the Ladies Aid society will be an event of Thursday Jan. 23 at the home of Mrs. Garrett Blokland. Mrs. John Bowers is chairman of the committee which will serve from 12 until 1 o'clock. The public is invited. The regular meeting of the group will follow in the afternoon.

More Lambs— Little lambs are arriving at the C. B. Unicker farm in Orange Hall. They have been making their appearance in singles and doubles ever since Dec. 23. We do not know if this is a record.

Visits Son— Mrs. Ruth Hays, of Aloha, is visiting at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Penland near Island City.

Returns Home— Mrs. Clyde Myers has returned to her home near Summerville from Hot Lake where she had been with her daughter, Lawanna who underwent an appendectomy Monday. Lawanna is making a satisfactory recovery and was taken to La Grande from the sanatorium Tuesday.

To Have Benefit— In order to assist in their remodeling program, members of the Mr. Pannic grange are giving a card party Thursday evening at their hall. There will be tables for both bridge and piano and refreshments will be served, the committee, Mrs. A. L. Becker, Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. R. S. Comstock announce. This was part of the business transacted at the regular meeting held all day Friday. A resolution to the county court asked for the re-appointment of J. D. Woodell to the Union County fair board. It was decided to drop the request for CWA assistance in building the kitchen adjacent to the hall and the men of the order will do the work themselves, starting as soon as possible. The addition will be 12 by 24 and will join the hall on the north. Four officers who could not attend the joint installation at Pleasant Grove were installed by Mrs. Margaret Beer, a seventh degree member. These were: master, R. S. Comstock, treasurer, Mrs. Lydia Lantz, lady assistant steward, Mrs. Amelia Bertsch and overseer, O. M. Gardner.

K. D. KING DIES NEAR EUGENE

La Grande friends of Mrs. A. E. Gilkison, of North Powder, will be sorry to learn of the death of her father, George Dotson King, on Saturday at Jasper, near Eugene. Mr. King was 78 years of age.

MRS. THOMPSON PASSES AWAY

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Ida J. Thompson, mother of Mrs. Florence McDaniel, of this city. Mrs. Thompson, 74 years of age, was a resident of the Rogue River valley for eight years.

Cove Guild Meets With Mrs. Barker

COVE (Special)—The Ladies Guild was entertained by Mrs. R. Barker and her daughter, Mrs. Lura Walla at the home of Mrs. Barker Thursday afternoon. At the business meeting plans for Lenten work were discussed. Mrs. Hefty led the devotionals. Five tables of bridge were in play with the high score made by Mrs. T. R. Conklin and low by Mrs. Presto. Lunch was served after the games. Mrs. Mangren and Mrs. Fischer will be the next hostesses. Guests were Mrs. Anderson, Allen, Bertsch, Corpe, Comstock, A. G. Conklin, T. B. Conklin, Chaffee, Chadwick, Dunningan, R. S. French, Stuart, French, Hefty, La Violette, Laird, Mangren, Miller and Presto.

Imbler Remains Undefeated; Wins From Elgin 40-20

IMBLER (Special)—Both the boys and girls basketball teams of Imbler High school continued to lead their respective circuits with a double win over Elgin high school. The girls swamped their rivals from Elgin by the score of 21 to 10 with tiny Ruth Conklin, Imbler forward, going on a shooting spree in the second quarter annexing 17 of Imbler's 21 points. The boys also won by a wide margin although they were slow in starting. Crouser for Imbler scored first only a second after the game started but Elgin came back with two baskets to take the lead which they still held as the first quarter ended, 8 to 6. From then on, however, the game was all Imbler as they worked the ball in almost at will. The half ended 23 to 12 and this margin was increased to 40 to 20 the second half. Fowler led the scoring with 13 while Crouser, his team mate, had 11. Philippen was high for Elgin with 10 counts.

Score by quarters: Imbler 6 17 9 0-40 Elgin 8 4 6 2-20

Lineups: Imbler (40) (20) Elgin McCoy (9) P (10) Philippen Pratt (4) F (3) Kneezvich Crouser (11) C (4) Bumgardner Fowler (13) O (3) Hilduck McKinnis (2) G (3) Cooper Feeter (1) S (3) Scober Pralwood (1) S (3) Henry Wagener (1) S (3) Cummins Keenan (1) S (3) Pratt (1) S (3) Referee: Burnett, La Grande.

Second Semester Of School Year Begins

checked on Friday. Of the new pupils 37 are former eighth graders while the remaining 12 did not attend school last semester in La Grande.

La Grande High has worked out a method of taking care of the students that enter at the mid-year period to give them a full year's work in two classes during the second semester, in order that they may start regular classes the following fall. They are registered for two classes in general science, taught by Miss Agnes Hattberg and Arthur Wight, and for two classes in English, composition, taught by Miss Nora Myers, and literature by Miss Catherine Osborn.

To Reconsider Hoop Tournament Award

When the tourney was voted to La Grande, this city was not aware of the movement until a board meeting was held at Baker. Supt. Coleman and Leo Hollenberg, secretary of the board, of Nyssa, voted to transfer the tourney to La Grande. Principal A. L. Galapp, of La Grande, third member of the board, did not vote, but accepted the tourney offer.

It is reported that Union presented petitions signed by 14 schools in the district, asking for a re-opening of the matter. La Grande, Baker, Enterprise and Nyssa did not sign the petition. Also, it is understood that the schools of the district are sending letters to the board this week fully explaining their ideas on the question. What the outcome of the meeting Friday will be no one knows, except that indications are that some final settlement will be agreed on. There are, however, no indications that the matter will develop into a fight between Union and La Grande for the tournament. La Grande has had, at any time in recent years, conducted any campaign for taking the tournament away from Union, and citizens of both Union and La Grande have expressed themselves as eager to settle the matter with a minimum of friction.

HIATT GIVEN BIG CONTRACT

F. R. Hiatt, Klamath Falls contractor but formerly a resident of La Grande, has received a contract to construct two and a half miles of water ditch on the Elyptrohm placer mine on Trinity river, Humboldt county California, according to word received here. The contractor will construct both ditch and dams at a total cost of \$5000.

JUSTIN SMITH MOVES TO EAST

Justin Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Smith, has gone to Kansas where he plans to open osteopathic offices. He has not decided as yet where he will settle.

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WHITMAN COLLEGE PLAYS E. O. N. "5" AT 7:30 TONIGHT

Missionaries Fresh From 54 to 23 Win Over College of Idaho at Ontario Last Night.

Nine Whitman college basketball players and Coach R. V. Borleske, better known to fans over the north-west, as "Big Borleske," arrived here today for a game with E. O. N. at the L. D. S. Recreational hall at 7:30 o'clock tonight. It will be the second meeting of the two teams. Whitman winning a one-sided clash at Walla Walla three weeks ago before the Mountaineer team was more than a few days old. Whitman chalked up an easy win at Ontario last night, outscoring College of Idaho 54 to 23 in a northwest



CORNERSTONE conference game. Superior passing and accurate long range shooting, coupled with close guarding, held Idaho thoroughly in subjection. The Missionaries were led by Mott Irving, veteran guard, who scored 13 points. Tompkins followed closely with 10 and Swan led the Coyote scorers with eight.

The Whitman travelling squad consists of Capt. Irving (10), former Walla Walla star; Carpenter (10), from Prescott, Wash.; Nelson (17), former Mac-tilly player; Woodward (11), from Walla Walla; Davis (10), from Walla Walla; Tompkins (7), from Walla Walla; Diehl (11), from Walla Walla; Mott Irving (18), Walla Walla; and Kallispell, Mont. With E. O. N. advancing improvement during the last fortnight, local fans are hoping the Mountaineers will be able to hold their own against Borleske's crew.

Cove High Wins From Wallowa Quintet 26 - 14

COVE (Special)—Cove finally managed to break into the win column with a cool workmanlike defeat of Wallowa. By closely covering the flashy Wallowa center who was held to eight points, the lads of the cherry orchards neatly polished off the ragged Wallowa attack.

Cove will play Imbler at Cove Jan. 27 and will go to Muddy Creek Friday, Jan. 26. Wallowa (14) Kiddleman (2) P (10) B. DeBorde Evan P (4) L. Mills Bartmess (8) C (12) D. DeBorde Bird G Comstock Carpenter (2) G Richards Mead (2) O Goodell Southwick S R. Duncan S B. Dupcan Robinson

William M. Boehmer estimates he walked 50,000 miles in the 30 years he was employed as a mail carrier in Alameda, Cal.

BEAVERS NEED 3 WINS THIS WEEK

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 23 (AP)—Better than an even break in their four consecutive games this week against University of Idaho and Washington State will be essential if the Oregon State college Beavers remain in the race for the north division basketball championship.

With this in mind, Coach Stala Gill took two full teams to Moscow where University of Idaho will be met tonight and tomorrow night. Then the Beavers swing back to Pullman and meet Washington State college the next two nights.

Union, La Grande Fighters In Good Showing In Boise

According to a letter received during the weekend from Les Showers, promoter of the interstate amateur boxing tournament at Boise last week, the amateur boxers from La Grande and Union made a big hit with the records at the amateur ring meet in Boise last Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Bill Zivkovich upset the dope by dropping Roy Oliver, sensational Boise light-heavyweight, to gain possession of that title. And had not Lowell Hutchinson injured his hand and Vic Tarter been so all in, physically, after the first fight in the final night, they would have been almost sure shots for the middleweight and welterweight crowns. It is part of the word from Showers, who managed the recent tourneys in La Grande. He also spoke highly of David Larson, La Grande, flyweight, who was forced out of the tourney for the final bout by fighting himself into a condition that prevented him competing in the next bout for the title. He stated that Les and Floyd Sullivan, and Oliver Hammon were handicapped by the long drive to Boise and fighting on the same night. He spoke highly, too, of the sportsmanship of the locals and of their managers and said they so conducted themselves both in and out of the ring as to leave a fine impression of Eastern Oregon with the fans in Boise.

Changes Are Made In Golf Club Directorate

fully accepted at the board meeting, and four others elected to succeed them. W. C. Perkins, director for many years and vice president for the last four years, resigned, and Homer Leftel was named to fill out his unexpired term, which ends in 1937. Aug. J. Stange, whose term expires in 1936, resigned and was succeeded by Elmer McManus. Fred Lanzey, whose term also expires in 1936, resigned and was succeeded by Clyde Bunting and Herman Siegrist, whose term expires in 1937, resigned and was succeeded by J. O. Ormand.

All four resigning directors announced they intended to continue active in the club. All have held office for many years and have contributed much of great value to the club's progress. It also was decided to meet next Monday night to elect new officers for 1934.

CARS COLLIDE THIS MORNING

Cars driven by Clyde Metcalf and Ray Patten collided at Fir and Jefferson at 10 o'clock this morning. It was reported to the police. No one was injured.

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HEAVY RAINS SEND RIVER OVER BANKS

LONGVIEW, Jan. 23 (AP)—Rising waters due to the incessant rainfall in the Cowlitz and Lewis river watersheds reversed floods of last December in several lowland areas in the county today and speeded erosion of crumbling river banks.

With protecting dikes at Woodland swept away last month and only temporary repairs made since, the town faced probability of new floods today should the Lewis river continue to rise. Already last night two blocks of the west end of the Main business street was covered as well as a large part of the lowlands south of the business area. Water was creeping into the south end of Castle Rock where the dike is also gone. The Cowlitz rose nearly three and one half feet. Blue skies today gave some promise of relief from the rain.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 23 (AP)—A Northern Pacific passenger locomotive plunged through a weakened bridge across Potlatch Creek between Juliaetta and Arrow early today. William N. Skidmore, fireman of Spokane, was missing, and it was believed he was swept downstream. Potlatch Creek went on a rampage after heavy rains last night, and the bridge was weakened by high water. The stream has been out of its banks since last month.

DEVALUATION ACT APPROVED BY COMMITTEE

Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader, speaking in defense.

The committee also placed a limitation of two years on President Roosevelt's power to devalue the dollar.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23 (AP)—President Roosevelt told William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, today that an extension of the civil works administration beyond the May deadline would depend upon conditions prevailing in the late spring. Green said the president was hopeful that 1,000,000 of the 4,000,000 CWA workers would be absorbed by private industry by May as a result

CLOSING FIRM IN STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 23 (AP)—The stock market was subjected to group movements today and prices generally pointed upward in rather quiet trading. Much of the activity was accounted for by professional operations. Profit taking flurries also continued. The close was firm. Transfers approximated 2,300,000 shares.

Table with columns: Air Reduc., Al. Chem. and Dye, American Can, American T. and T., Bethlehem Steel, J. I. Case, Libbey-O. Ford, Liggett and Myers B., Montgomery Ward, Nat. 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. Includes closing figures and prices for various stocks.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

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