

Over The Valley Personals

Observe Birthdays—Three birthdays, those of Miss Mary Taylor, Irwin Moss and Wayne Reavis, were observed at a lovely party Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wallinger in the Valeria district.

Ward Reunion Is Union Event Friday

UNION (Special)—The annual Ward reunion of the L. D. S. church, held at their recreation hall Friday brought together about 230 members who are or have been residents of the Union Ward.

Elgin Aiders Are Guests of Calames

ELGIN—The Methodist Ladies Aid met recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calame, Stella Wittly, president, was in charge of the meeting and the devotional service was led by Ruby Rollins.

Those present were Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. Mary McCullough, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Mary Beem, Mrs. Elsie Vandervoort, Mrs. Mary Long, Mrs. C. C. Estes, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Witherspoon, Ruby Rollins, Frances Cates, Rev. and Mrs. Smuts, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Calame and Mamie and Paul Calame.

COVE PERSONALS

Mrs. J. R. Fletcher read "The Late Christopher Bean" at the last Women's club meeting Thursday afternoon. About a dozen women were out for the meeting. After the program a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. Charles Hancock was given a surprise party by her Sunday School class on her birthday anniversary Wednesday. The evening was spent in playing games.

Mrs. Chas. Hancock gave a quilting to a few friends Wednesday. It was an all-day affair and lunch was served. The guests were Mesdames Thot, Towle, L. J. Chadwick, McDaniel, Corpe and Mrs. Hancock Sr.

Mrs. Harold Chaffee was hostess at a quilting party at the home of her sister Mrs. T. G. Hefly Friday. The quilting was Mesdames Comstock, Bertch, Price, Fletcher, Prouty, Arthel, A. G. Conklin and T. R. Conklin. Some of the party went very early and some of them did not arrive until nearly lunch time. Lunch was served and the quilt nearly finished.

Mrs. A. G. Conklin was hostess at a small dinner Tuesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. La Violette were the guests. Mrs. B. Conklin was hostess the same evening at a dinner entertaining Mesdames Hefly, Chaffee and Mills. After dinner the guests all assembled and played bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Davis of La Grande spent the weekend with Mr.

'Bremer Killed,' Note Declares



Handwritten note in red ink: "For a federal office. Very sorry, but Ed. Bremer is now resting in peace. - Was by accident bumped off - body near Anoka, Minn., will not be found until after snow goes - Contact all off - please forgive us - all a mistake by one of our gang been drunk. Please tell Walter Magee - St Paul. One of the gang."

Fear that Edward G. Bremer, kidnaped St. Paul banker, had been slain by his abductors was intensified by receipt of the pencilled note shown above. It was received by W. C. Robertson, Minneapolis postmaster, having been placed in mailboxes in the business district. A second note, similar in its information, was received by the Anoka, Minn., postmaster.

Joseph Boy Makes National Military

JOSEPH—Keith Wilson, University of Oregon student from Joseph, has recently been pledged to Seaboard and Blade, national military honorary. Only 12 men were initiated this year.

During an entire day the university students were entertained by the antics of the 12 pledges which included a parade around the campus, a ceremony drill and calling out of the guards. The men were required to wear their freshmen uniforms and carry miniature guns. Formal initiation was held in the Eugene armory.

CRICKET FLAT PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roulet and daughter, Norma Jean, Mrs. Ivan Hug and Mrs. A. H. Parsons drove to La Grande Sunday to visit with Dave Hug, who is a patient at the Grande Ronde hospital.

Miss Verma Knight, of the Iowa district, spent from Thursday until Sunday visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Lucy Allen.

Floyd Parks spent Sunday with Burford, Buren and Delbert Witherspoon. Miss Chloe Parsons, a student of the E. O. N., spent her weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Parsons.

Miss Theodora Weiss spent Friday and Saturday with her son, Zeno Weiss and family.

Mrs. Herring of Wallawa, visited from Sunday until Wednesday with Mrs. Lucy Allen.

Mrs. A. H. Parsons spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Roulet.

If your gardening tools are standing in some damp outhouse, give them a coating of oil to prevent rust.

Wallowa Co. Boys Are Financiers

ENTERPRISE—A group of boys, pupils of Miss Elsie Gletthuber, of the Trout Creek school, were in town Saturday, having a candy sale. In about three-quarters of an hour the stock of sweets was exhausted and the boys had earned \$4.50. The money will pay for a baseball, and other things for the school. Their first venture in the commercial world was so successful that they plan to have a popcorn sale soon.

Miss Gletthuber and her pupils, five boys, Toby Childers, Spencer Mastrove, Elbert Pyles, Junior Pyles, and Billie Parker, accompanied by two boys from the Eagles school, Charles Forthman and Vandon Forthman, made a pleasant visit to the Record Chieftain while in town. They are preparing to print a school paper of their own and wanted to see how a newspaper is made.

Miss Gletthuber has one girl pupil, Barbara White, but she did not come to town with the party Saturday. — Chieftain.

JOSEPH PERSONALS

John Fine, of Hazelton, Kan., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Addie Fleener.

John L. Searcy, of Hillsboro, came last week on business. Mr. Searcy is in charge of liquidation of the Joseph State bank.

A. M. McKinley attended a meeting of the North Western Pine association at Baker Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. McCully were with visitors in La Grande. They visited their son, Frank, who is a student at E. O. N.

Elwin Kernan has been quite sick of the flu and is planning to go to the veteran's hospital at Walla Walla. The Ladies Aid held a silver tea Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. R. Patten. Mrs. Homer Hayes, Mrs. Jessie Amey and Mrs. Jean Warnock were assistant hostesses. About 40 were present.

Revel meetings are being held at the Christian church each evening and a good attendance reported. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Beresford are in charge.

Jeff Stickney, who has been at a hospital in Portland the past six weeks was brought home Tuesday.

Mr. Stickney is in a serious condition. His son, Kenneth, went to Portland Saturday to help his mother bring him home.

George Boner, who has been quite sick all winter, was taken worse Monday and for a while was very dangerously sick but is now resting easier.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Nye, of the head of the lake, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Beckman for a few days.

Small Boy Gets A Bad Face Gash

JOSEPH—Donald White, 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William White, fell Monday and out a severe gash in his cheek. He was taken to Enterprise hospital, where it required several stitches to close the wound.

Elgin Folks Net Sum For Cripples

ELGIN (Special)—Elgin raised \$62.43 on the Roosevelt ball given at the high school gym Tuesday night. A sum amounting to \$20.95 was made by the ladies of Elgin selling cake, coffee, doughnuts and pie. The McWilliams bakery gave the birthday cake which was decorated with 52 candles.

Post-Graduates Present Fine Play

UNION (Special)—The post-graduate class of the high school presented their play "A Southern Cinderella" in one of the best plays of the school year at the high school Thursday evening. The cast of characters was as follows: Madame Charter, an old aristocrat, Mildred Sloper; Enid Bellamy, the southern Cinderella, Juanita Hand; Miss Rosie Winterberry, a famous settlement worker, Eldora Hutchinson; Katherine Hawke, an English nurse, Betty Cadwell; Caroline Hawk, her sister, an adventuress, Oreta Baum; Mammy Judy Johnson, a black, blue-glass widow, Ruth Connor.

Extension Worker Visits Wallowa Co.

ENTERPRISE—Gertrude Skow of the extension service of the state college, was here Monday and Tuesday conducting classes in recreation and entertainment. That is, she trains persons to take the lead in providing recreation in a community. This particularly appeals to teachers and grange leaders. The classes met at Hurricane Creek grange hall Monday evening and Tuesday.

Mrs. Poole Hostess To Presbyterian Aid

WALLOWA (Special)—Mrs. W. F. Poole entertained members and friends of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid society at her home Wednesday evening. Twenty were present. Mrs. Hollis Bull had charge of the devotional exercises. Following the business meeting, a social time was enjoyed and refreshments were served. Mrs. James Coats, of Elgin, was an out-of-town guest. The next meeting in two weeks will be at the home of Mrs. Earl Peffer.

Union P. T. A. Plans Party For Monday

UNION (Special)—Plans are being completed for the box social and dance being sponsored by the Parent Teacher association to raise funds to carry on their projects. The dance will be held at Goodbrod's hall, Monday evening, Feb. 5 and all women are requested to bring boxes with lunch for two. Music will be furnished by a local orchestra, led by Miss Eric Clarke and a short program is being arranged by Mrs. J. S.

Countrywomen's Club Entertained

GRANGE HALL (Special)—When Mrs. Charles Spencer, assisted by Mrs. Bert Grout, entertained the Countrywomen's club Friday afternoon there were 25 women and six children present for the meeting. The new officers—Mrs. Ed Jasper, president, and Miss Minnie Holman, secretary, and Mrs. M. J. P. Price, treasurer, had charge of their respective offices at the short business session. In behalf of the club members, Mrs. Jasper presented a quilt top to Mrs. Reese McAllister, in appreciation of her services as president of the club for the last two years. Mrs. H. A. Masterton and Mrs. Wesley Bond conducted a contest which made up the entertainment for the afternoon. The prize was won by Mrs. Alrah Dodson. Guests were Mrs. A. B. Marshall, Mrs. Alvah Dodson, Mrs. Sara Anson, Mrs. Bert Kall, Mrs. A. L. Huff, Miss Elmira Dodson and Mrs. Claude Wilcock. It was decided at a previous meeting that the club would take up an educational project for the year's work, the project to be the study of different countries. At the next meeting, which is to be at the home of Mrs. Dolle Paul Feb. 9, Mexico is to be the program subject with Mrs. Albert Hamann and Mrs. Orin Anson in charge.

WALLOWA PERSONALS

Ira Kennedy, of La Grande, is visiting this week at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiddle.

Leland Owsley and daughter, of La Grande, were in Wallowa Saturday to attend the funeral services of the late C. E. Hood.

Mrs. James Coats, of Elgin, arrived in Wallowa Wednesday for a visit of a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. McKenzie.

Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Williams motored to Elgin Wednesday where he had charge of the funeral of the late Dan Graham.

Irma, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benrow, who has been ill for two weeks of a throat ailment, is reported to be improving.

Harold Hamstreet, of near Joseph, is visiting at the home of his mother in Sheridan this week.

Mrs. C. A. McClaran visited in Enterprise the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Curry.

WISE CAKE BAKERS STICK EXACTLY TO GOOD RECIPE

Melted chocolate has a tendency to thicken cake batter, but do not, upon seeing this, begin to alter the batter by adding more liquid, as the cake will come out all right when baked. Select a dependable recipe and follow it exactly. Adding a little more flour or liquid to make the cake batter "look right" is the cause of many failures.

COOKIES—Plus Imagination

Imagination helps in making your cookies. Thus, by using bits of raisins, dates, nuts, colored sugars and citron, many different designs can be made on your cookies for holiday guests. For instance, holly is simulated by thinly cut citron and red cinnamon citrus drops.

Foreign Artist

A crossword puzzle grid with clues. The grid is partially filled with letters. Clues include: 1. What was the real name of the world-famous artist in the picture? 12. Propelled by Mrs. Fletcher, Prouty, Arthel, A. G. Conklin and T. R. Conklin. 13. Substance used on violin bows. 14. Sea eagles. 15. With might. 16. Half. 17. Onager. 18. She was a. 19. Lair of a beast. 20. Southeast. 21. Dye. 22. Average (abbr.). 23. Second note. 24. Unit. 25. Cavity. 26. Beluga. 27. Figure. 28. Chamber. 29. Genus of ants. 30. To step on. 31. To primp. 32. Alleged force. 33. Not to win. 34. What first name was she known by. 35. Neuter pronoun. 36. Stream. 37. Wing part of a seed. 38. Hurray! 39. Freight. 40. A Greek epic poem. 41. She was a. 42. One who asserts anew. 43. She lived in the century. 44. Lava. 45. Northeast. 46. Pretense. 47. Knacks. 48. She painted. 49. Monastic buildings. 50. Indian. 51. Story. 52. Light-haired race. 53. Group of brilliant persons. 54. To evade by craft. 55. Sacred song. 56. Early. 57. Half an em. 58. Sun god. 59. Press. 60. Implosion. 61. Hastened. 62. Railroad. 63. Iowa (abbr.).

A word search puzzle grid with a portrait of a woman in the center. The grid contains various words hidden horizontally, vertically, and diagonally. The portrait is of a woman with dark hair, wearing a light-colored dress.

RECIPE CALLS FOR COFFEE LEFT-OVER KIND WILL DO  
When a recipe calls for coffee, the coffee infusion is meant, and so what's left over in the pot or percolator will do. Chocolate French pastry frosting is improved in flavor if the liquid used is coffee.

TINY BRIGHT AIDS AUSTRALIA IN WAR ON PRICKLY PEAR  
MELBOURNE, Australia (AP)—Helped by a tiny blight with a long name—caetoblasta cactorum—Australia is winning a war against the deadly prickly pear.

Over an area of 60,000 acres the tiny blight has attacked the enemy, and there is definite prospect that the plant will be exterminated in Australia within a comparatively short time.

In the last two years more than 8,000,000 acres of land previously affected by the pest have been opened for permanent settlement in Queensland.

Poppo-Red Wool Frock Worn For Tea  
PARIS (AP)—Madame Simon Holo attended a smart afternoon tea recently wearing an afternoon frock of poppy-red wool destined by Palou and a little felt hat of the same shade tilted on one side of the head.

Do your gardening with pencil and paper this time of the year. A plan well thought out beforehand will invariably result in the best garden.

The First 30 Days are the hardest--

HERE January is gone and if one of your resolutions was to operate in the New Year on a family budget plan, you have already experienced many of the temptations to abandon it. Indeed, the first 30 days are the hardest for budgeteers!

It takes courage and patience and careful planning to live by the budget. There's no question about that! And one of the most vital essentials is careful buying.

The first principle of careful buying is daily study of the advertisements in your newspaper. Within its columns the trade of the world parades before your door, in those moments when you are considering your own needs, at the time you can balance your desires and your resources. You can make comparisons—pause, consider, decide at your own convenience!

Nothing can be more helpful to you in making your dollars go farthest than the opportunities and economies revealed to you through the advertisements in this newspaper.