

Over The Valley Personals

Cemetery Asks To Meet—

An important meeting of the members of the Island City Cemetery association and those who are interested in the beautifying of the cemetery will be held in the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The matter of water supply and other important questions will be up for discussion.

Have Birthdays—

The birthdays of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Fisher, of the Frosty district, coming on Tuesday and Thursday of this past week have been given nice celebrations. On Tuesday evening a few friends were in for a birthday dinner. Mrs. E. S. Morris, Mrs. Mayville, Amanda Zabel and Mabel Morton, of La Grande, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright and daughter, Geraldine and Miss Naomi Twidwell of the neighborhood. The evening hours following the dinner were spent in conversation. On Friday evening a great company of their former neighbors in the Valeria district together with a few friends from La Grande went in at 7 o'clock with the wherewithal for a splendid potluck dinner and gave Mr. Fisher a genuine surprise. Needless to say this was a most enjoyable event for all the friends and former neighbors present, who were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wallinger and Virgil, Tom Wallinger Sr., Harold and Tom Wallinger Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fuller and Dick, Mrs. Martha Jane Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wells, Marie and Dick, Mrs. Fred Wells and two children, Miss Emma MacAnish, Miss Amanda Zabel, Miss Mabel Morton, Miss Mary Taylor, Jack MacAnish, Clarence Stultz, and Tony Puckett, together with Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, Josephine and J. Newton.

Making Visit—

Mrs. Wade Brooks arrived in the valley the first of the week and will have a month's visit here with her mother, Mrs. Susie Williamson on Cove avenue, her sisters, Mrs. Dee Davis, Miss Sarah Williamson and Mrs. Ruth Hughes, of the valley and her brother, Tom Williamson at Walla Walla, her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Hugh Horton, Mrs. Mike Royce, Mrs. Rachel Blawie, and her great host of friends hereabouts. Mr. and Mrs. Brooks are moving to Saranac, N. Y., where their future home will be.

Makes Visit—

Howard Smith, state president of the Future Farmers of America in Oregon, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Smith, were here a couple of days last week visiting at the P. G. Pottratz home near Summerville, Mrs. Smith and Mr. Pottratz are sister and brother.

Given Charity—

A group of friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Strimling in the Grange Hall neighborhood Wednesday evening and gave them a rousing charity. The evening was spent socially. Lunch, which the self-invited guests brought, was served late in the evening.

Ill—

Benny Hicks, principal of the Island City school, has been ill the past week. Mrs. Homer Schroeder substituted for him. He is reported to be improving now.

Imbler P. T. A.—

A program of exceptional interest and enjoyment is scheduled for the Imbler Parent Teacher association for Friday evening, April 6 at Wade hall at 8 o'clock. Besse Streeter Aldrich's "A Lantern in Her Hand," will be reviewed by Miss E. E. Dwyer, of Imbler, La Grande, and several parts of the book will be dramatized. Miss Beatrice Young will take the part of Abbie, Miss Miriam Hanna, Grace, Mrs. Miles Fallow, Katherine, Mrs. E. E. Hurley, Sarah, and Inez Gibson, Laura. Preceding this feature an orchestra consisting of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gaskill, Jessie Berry, Mrs. Charles Keenan, Darwin Keenan and Sam Ruckman, will play some old time music. The public is invited and there is no admission fee.

Campfire Group Meets—

The Otocwa campfire girls met Tuesday afternoon at the Island City school for their regular meeting. The program, scheduled for the afternoon was postponed, so the time was spent practicing the songs for the council fire. Health charts were also distributed.

Countrywomen's Club—

The members of the Countrywomen's club enjoyed an unusually interesting program presented by Mrs. M. A. Sayre Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. F. Wright. Mrs. Sayre's subject was "China" and she reviewed in an interesting way, customs of these oriental people. She described and told the significance of many articles she had on display that her daughter, Geneva, who is a missionary, had sent her. The program chairman for the meeting were Mrs. Ruth Anon and Miss Minnie Holman. Mrs. Wright served at the close of the afternoon. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mabel Anon. Mrs. Frances Wells and Mrs. Laura Taylor being in charge of the program.

Have Guests—

March 18 is the birthday of Miss Esther Blokland, of near Island City and her twin brothers, Herbert and Alfred Blokland. A dinner was arranged to properly observe the day and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blokland, Robert Olson, Buster Gibson and Bert Leonard were invited for the dinner served at 1 o'clock.

Is Better—

Mrs. C. B. Unklester, of the Orange Hill neighborhood, who has been sick for over a week is sufficiently improved to be able to be up and about. Mrs. Ed Davis, who has been with her during her illness has returned to her home in La Grande.

Anniversary Tomorrow—

Mrs. Mary Blokland, of near Island City, will have a birthday tomorrow, Easter Sunday, and her two daughters Miss Esther and Miss Mildred are giving a family party today anticipating the birthday. The after-

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



THE U.S. PATENT OFFICE BEGAN IN 1836 TO NUMBER ITS PATENTS SERIALLY. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE TEN MILLION MARK WILL BE REACHED BEFORE 1935.

CAPT. ALFRED JOHNSON SAILED A 16-FOOT DORY FROM GLOUCESTER, MASS., TO LIVERPOOL, ENGLAND, ALONE!—1876—

THE flexor muscles in the palm of the orang-utan clench the fist so tightly that museum collectors, when skinning one of the animals, had to cut the muscles before they can straighten out the fingers.

Here's a Glimpse of Washington, Oregon Congressmen In The House

By H. C. Hunter

(Associated Press Staff Writer)

WASHINGTON (AP)—"Any day in congress," it might be called, but here is a picture of one of the Oregon and Washington members on the house floor.

Glancing down from the gallery, one sees Representative Zionschek (D., Wash.) in the front row, hands clasped around one knee as he listens intently to the discussion before him. It is a favored pose, for the "baby" of the two delegations is one of the most eager followers of proceedings in the group.

And back near the center aisle, Oregon's representative, Mott, the only member of the minority party from the Pacific northwest in the lower house. He, like Representative Lloyd of Washington, studies veterans' legislation and plans intently for the upbuilding of army and navy defenses of the Pacific northwest.

Across the aisle on the Democratic side, Representative Wallgren takes a lesson on the tariff question from his fellow Washingtonian, Representative Samuel B. Hill, who gives fatherly advice to the new members of his delegation in moments snatched from his busy hours as ranking member of the noon is being spent sewing and visiting. Two daughters of Mrs. Blokland who live out of the valley are here, Mrs. Joie Bach, of North Powder, and Mrs. William Perry and daughter, Joan, of Lostine.

Mrs. Holman III—

Word comes to Miss Minnie and Ernest Holman that their mother, Mrs. Anna Holman, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Weatherford and family at Santa Rosa, Cal., is quite ill.

At Groat's—

Alvin Boswell, who is employed near Emmett, Ida., was a Sunday visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bert Groat in the Liberty district. He was accompanied by five young people of Emmett—Loree Hunter, Gene Gratten, Glen Stiles, Ruth and Ethel Roseberry, the last two being cousins of Mrs. Groat. The group drove over, arriving in the middle of the forenoon and left that evening on the return trip.

Relief Society At Mt. Glen Banquets

MT. GLEN (Special)—The Mt. Glen Relief society entertained the people of the community at a banquet and program Monday evening at the home of Mrs. L. D. S. church. After the dinner served by the ladies, the following program was given:

Duet, "An Irish Melody" by Mrs. Vernon Waite and Arda Berry. Play "Pat O'Doole's Wedding" by a group of the young folks. Recitation, "When I Grow Up" by Esmer DeGraw.

Report on the Relief society organization, by Mrs. Ernest Zaugg. Play, "The Miracle" by people of the neighborhood.

Solo, "Smilin' Thru" Anna Mae Whiting. Community singing led by Joseph Zaugg.

OBITUARY

Tennix Xavier Gauthier, born on Sept. 29, 1860, at Napierville, Quebec, Canada, died March 17, 1934, at Edmonton, Alberta, Can. He was married in 1870 to Lea Quimette, who passed away May 17, 1919. To this union were born four sons, Delos of Cove, Horace, Milwaukee, Wis., Arson, Portland, Ore., and Dennis, Muskegon, Mich., and two daughters, Antoinette Dardis, of Mt. Angel, Ore., and Alberta Garsneau, of Edmonton. He also leaves 17 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. For several years, Mr. Gauthier lived in Union and Cove and still has many friends in both places.

crutches but feels very much discouraged. Funeral services were held for the late James Houston at the Baptist church Monday afternoon with Rev. Earl Baker in charge and interment in Rose Ridge cemetery.

PERRY PERSONALS

Alvah O'Neil, who has been a patient at the Grande Ronde hospital for the past nine months, has returned to his home here but will be confined to his bed for some time yet.

Bruce Pierson was made happy Wednesday afternoon when his sixth birthday was celebrated with a party arranged by his mother, Mrs. K. C. Pierson, who had invited in six of his playmates. Games were played on the lawn and a lunch served. A birthday cake with six candles was the centerpiece. The guests were Harold and Newton Winch, Russell and Gerald Proctor, Charles Anderson and Paul Carman.

Mrs. Alvin Carman, who has been living in La Grande for a month, returned home Sunday.

Joe Smith has returned to his work with the telephone company after having been detained at home by illness.

John Anderson and family moved Sunday to their new home at Elgin.

Mrs. Wilda Shenfield, of Union, spent the weekend at the home of her mother, Mrs. Alvah O'Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scoggins have moved to Wallawa where he is employed by the Hart Bros. Co.

HOT LAKE PERSONALS

Roy W. Holtberg, who was recently appointed receiver for the Stock-growers and Farmers National bank at Wallawa, is a patient in the hospital.

Miss Edna Zebra, of Athena, recently underwent a major operation.

Mrs. T. A. McKinstry, of La Grande, is receiving medical care at the Hot Lake hospital.

Mrs. R. E. Wood, of Enterprise, returned to her home Tuesday, after receiving medical care.

A. May, of Pendleton, was admitted to the hospital Monday for medical care.

Wallace Cass, of La Grande, underwent a major operation Monday.

Friends of Evelyn Geneva Lindsay, who has been a patient for several weeks, will be pleased to know that she is greatly improved.

E. A. Crowder, of Lostine, is a patient in the hospital, having undergone a major operation Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Johnson, of Woodland, Wash., became ill while visiting her son in Baker, and was brought here Sunday.

B. H. Gatuson is receiving medical attention, having arrived from Dole Monday night.

C. F. McPherson, of La Grande, who has been a patient at Hot Lake for several weeks, returned home Sunday.

Peter Solan, of Clarkston, Wash., returned home Friday, after having spent two weeks here.

J. E. Gilbert, of Portland, was registered at Hot Lake over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holtberg, of Portland, returned home Sunday after visiting their son, Roy Holtberg, who is a patient in Hot Lake hospital.

Fred Wilkinson arrived Friday, March 23 and expects to spend a month or two.

E. S. Ryerson, of Dayton, Wash., returned home Saturday, after spending several days in the sanitarium.

Willford Green, of the state highway department of La Grande, is suffering from leg injuries sustained in an accident on the highway Monday.

The Misses Muriel Ryerson, Paibody and Frances Samuel of Dayton, Wash., were guests at the Hot Lake sanitarium for a few days last week.

H. K. O'Brien, of Ponderosa, recently spent a few days here.

Family Birthdays Are Remembered

UNION (Special)—A big family dinner was held at the S. E. Miller home Sunday to celebrate the birthday anniversaries of Otis Miller and Harry Myers. Bethene Miller, who is in England and whose birthday also fell on that day, was remembered by the group with a series of letters.

The Logan Anderson and Stackland families were over from Cove and Mrs. Harry Myers, of La Grande.

Other guests were Mrs. Amo Corpe, of Cove, and Kenneth South and Mrs. Ella Holly. The large decorative birthday cake was made by Mrs. Miller.

Easter Cantata To Be Given At Cove

COVE (Special)—A cantata "The Conquering King" will be presented at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening. The choir will number about 20 voices and the solo parts will be taken by Mrs. S. E. Smith, Miss Vina Conley, Mrs. Lynn Chadwick, Merrill Conley, L. G. Lantz, Virgil Conley and Archer Antles. The public is invited.

Mrs. A. H. Orton was hostess at a small dinner party Thursday evening. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hefly, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Conklin, Mrs. A. G. Conklin, Mrs. Berneice Miller and Jack McIntyre. Bridge was played after dinner, Mrs. Miller and T. C. Hefly making high and Mrs. Hefly and Jack McIntyre low.

Bert Towle and son, Robert, of Vancouver, Wash., have been visiting his brothers, Tom and Leonard.

A surprise and farewell party was given for Mrs. Clifford Love Monday at the home of her mother, Mrs. L. D. Sutherland. They are leaving for Idaho to make their home.

Mrs. Stuart French was hostess to her bridge club at a one o'clock luncheon Saturday. Three tables of bridge were in play after the lunch. Mrs. Abby Thomas was a guest.

Mrs. T. R. Conklin was hostess at a family dinner Sunday, complimenting her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Way. The guests were Mrs. Way, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Antles, Fred McCallister, Mr. and Mrs. Archer Antles.

Mrs. Ruth Brazille, who broke her leg a month ago, is told by her physician that the bone has not healed, but has slipped out of place and it will take at least another month to heal. Mrs. Brazille is walking on

Books Opened or Closed Financial Statements and tax returns compiled

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CLOSING FIRM IN STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Mar. 31 (AP)—Stocks pointed slowly upward in today's brief session. The principal activity was in a handful of specialties and it was reported that professionals were busy in a few low-priced issues. Most of the old-time leaders improved, but they were relatively dull. The close was firm. Transfers approximated 700,000 shares.

Closing figures included:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Air Reduc	96			
Al Chem and Dye	153			
American Can	99 3/4			
American T and T	119 3/4			
Bethlehem Steel	43			
J. I. Case	72 3/4			
Col. G and E	15 1/2			
Continental Can	78 1/4			
General Motors	38 3/4			
Johns Manville	57 1/2			
Libbey-O-Ford	36 1/4			
Liggett and Myers B	90			
Montgomery Ward	31 1/4			
National Distill	28 1/4			
J. C. Penney	62 1/4			
Pub. Ser. of N. J.	38 1/4			
Southern Pacific	27 1/4			
St. Oil of Cal	37			
St. Oil of N. J.	45 1/4			
Union Pacific	127 1/4			
United Aircraft	23 1/4			
United Corp	6 1/4			
U. S. Indus Alco	51 1/4			
U. S. Steel	52 3/4			

Pioneer Baker Editor Is Dead of Injuries

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settlers in this valley. He started to learning the printing trade in 1875 under George H. Himes in Portland and in 1880 resumed his work on the weekly Redrock Democrat. Mr. Brown purchased an interest in the paper in 1897 and later the publication was turned into a daily under the name of Morning Democrat.

Q. What member of the American expedition into Mexico in pursuit of Pancho Villa attained the greatest distinction in the World war?
Ans.: John Joseph Pershing.

Q. Who were the Anzacs?
Ans.: The troops of the Australian and New Zealand army corps.

Q. What well known American boxer had his nose remodeled by plastic surgery?
Ans.: William Harrison (Jack) Dempsey.

MARKET NEWS OF THE DAY

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	.86 @ .86 1/2	.87	.85 3/4	.86 1/2 @ .87
July	.85 1/2 @ .86	.86 1/2	.85	.86 1/4 @ .86 1/2
Sept.	.86 1/2 @ .87	.87 1/2	.86 1/4	.87 @ .87 1/2

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	.48 1/2 @ .49	.49 1/2	.47 1/2	.49 @ .49 1/2
July	.50 @ .51	.51 1/2	.49 1/4	.51 @ .51 1/2
Sept.	.52 1/2 @ .53	.53 1/2	.51 1/2	.53 1/2

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	.72 1/2 @ .73	.73 1/2	.72 1/2	.73 1/2
July	.72	.72	.72	.72
Sept.	.72	.72	.72	.72

Oregon's Relay Team Winner Of Portland Event

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 31 (AP)—Three schools were winners in the annual Hill Military Academy indoor relay carnival last night, due to addition of events for two college groups.

Milwaukie high outdistances the high school group scoring 13 points compared to 11 at Washington and eight for Benson.

University of Oregon won the medley relay in a special dual event with Oregon State college. The time of 3:50.2 set by Shumake, Bowerman, Burr and Scharff will stand as a record for at least a year because it was the first inclusion of the event in the Hill carnival.

The Northwest collegiate mile medley a new special event for several Northwest conference schools, was won by Pacific university. College of Puget Sound was second and Albany college third. Foast, Bruce, Marcum and Main ran the mile in 4:11.8 for another inaugurating record.

The one high school mark to fall was the shotput relay. D. Gilbert, McRae, Turner and Sanford of Grant high gave the 12-pound pole 10 feet, tossed that totalled 115 feet 11 1/2 inches.

Other high school scoring points were Grant 7, Seaside 5, Franklin 4, Centralia 3, and Hill, St. Helens and Astoria each one point.

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