

FRUITLAND NEWS ITEMS

Thursday, August 6, there will be a picnic in Orcutt's grove under the auspices of Payette Valley Pomona Grange. Sports and field games will take place in the forenoon. Music and addresses will entertain the people in the afternoon. This picnic is not for grangers only, but all are invited to bring a basket dinner and have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Blair, formerly of this place, but now of Payette, left Saturday of last week for Des Moines, Iowa, and other places. They will be gone several weeks.

The school board met last Thursday and considered the applications and bids submitted for driving the school wagons this year. The following drivers were chosen: O. K. Wilcox, route 1; E. A. Link, route 2; Tom Hulin, route 3; Ralph Makinson, route 4; Frank Eldridge, route 5; Mr. Spencer, route 6.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Russell and Olive Harry were entertained at dinner Sunday at the L. B. Makinson home.

Rev. Thos. Johns of Ontario preached here at the Methodist church Sunday morning and Rev. Hower Sunday evening.

Mrs. Prichert, a trained nurse, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Prichert, was called to Payette Monday to assist the nurse there to care for Mr. Chapman, who was recently operated on for appendicitis.

Olive Harry went to Payette Monday evening to visit two or three days with her friend, Miss Elizabeth Reid.

The W. C. T. U. and the L. T. L. had a picnic Tuesday afternoon at the W. A. Reed home northeast of town.

The M. E. Christian Endeavor business meeting will be at the home of Miss Lillian Winter next Saturday evening. All the members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Frost are the parents of a baby girl, which came to them August 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor are the proud parents of a 10-pound baby girl born last Saturday, August 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Fest, who have been visiting at the home of George Childs for several days, left Tuesday morning for their home near Emmett.

Mr. and Mrs. George Childs and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Fest of Emmett, were entertained at the Charles Stevens home at dinner Sunday.

Material is being hauled to the site of the new bungalow to be erected by Mr. Ficken. The bungalow will be constructed of concrete blocks.

H. J. Prichert has sold the ranch belonging to Rev. Peters, formerly of Payette, but now of Honolulu. The land brought \$200 per acre.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Tuttle and daughter Elizabeth of Massachusetts are visiting at the home of Mr. Tuttle's sister, Mrs. G. W. Cotton. Prof. Cotton is also enjoying a visit from his brother and sister, who are here for a short stay.

Miss Apphia Robinson invited about seventy of her friends for a social gathering at the M. R. Powell home Monday evening in honor of the relatives of Prof. and Mrs. Cotton who are visiting them. Music and meeting the guests of honor were the features of a very pleasant evening. Punch was served.

Mrs. H. R. Frost was taken to the Holy Rosary hospital at Ontario Tuesday morning, where she will undergo an operation soon.

The high school orchestra gave a concert on the porch in front of H. E. Robinson's store last Saturday evening to a good crowd of listeners. The members of the orchestra have the best wishes and respect of the people, and Mr. Robinson has the thanks of all for his aid in maintaining interest in the orchestra during the hot weather.

Elemental.

The republican theory of a customs tariff is that American manufacturers and American producers are entitled to protection in their home market to the extent of a fair margin of reasonable profit.

The democratic theory is that the American consumer is entitled to first consideration as against the producer or manufacturer, and that the latter must be subjected in their home market to the restraint and corrective influence of foreign competition.

The republican theory is that if the producer and the manufacturer are protected, labor may be employed at the highest wages in the world, and that where the mills are busy and the farms have a profitable market for their output, all will prosper.

The democratic practice, as expressed in the present tariff law, is to give the manufacturer moderate protection and the producer of agricultural and kindred products no protection at all. The buyer can buy where he pleases; the seller must take his chances.

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