

### Malheur County Community News

#### ONTARIO

Return From Tacoma and Camp Lewis Several Deaths Reported Attends Convention.

ONTARIO, Oregon Dec. 12: Gerald Stanfield from the Stanfield ranch was here this week.

Jim McEwen wife and children from Crowley were visiting here last week.

A. E. Brown returned from the interior Tuesday where he has been looking after business interests.

Al Cockram, the banker, went to Tacoma Friday to visit his sons near there.

Mrs. Cockram will return home gone for some time will return home with him.

John Babcock, son of Mrs. Byers, died at Camp Lewis from influenza. The body was brought home and buried here Monday.

There were several deaths from influenza reported here this week. The number of influenza cases here was more than that of last week.

Wm. Kine has returned home from Nebraska where he has been with a shipment of mules.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones have returned to their home near Pendleton, after a short visit with relatives and friends here.

Jack Piston made a flying trip to Cord and back this week.

Mrs. Jacob Prinzing, and daughters and mother returned home Saturday from Tacoma where they have been since the doctor entered the army.

Mrs. Prinzing said she expected it would be several weeks before the doctor came to stay, and says she likes Ontario better than Tacoma.

T. M. Seaward and Virgil Sebold drove a bunch of cattle down from Whitehorse and arrived here Monday. Virgil returned home but Tom will be here for some time.

Mrs. Joe Fine came down Tuesday and will be here for some time with her sister, Mrs. Blanche Anderson.

J. H. Farley went to Portland Sunday to attend the K. P. Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huntington Currey were in town Monday evening. Mr. Currey had just returned from Camp Pike, Arkansas.

The funeral of L. Falkner was held from the Catholic Church today. Two members of the Falkner family have died of influenza within the week.

Word was received here that Logan Barkley of Nampa died of influenza. He leaves a young wife and small child who were both sick at the time of his death. He was buried at Nampa Saturday.

Miss Margaret Giroux, operator at the O. S. L. Depot is on the sick list. The many friends of Alva Arnold will be glad to know she is out of the hospital now and getting along fine.

The weather still remains ideal for this time, a light snow fell Wednesday covering the ground about an inch.

#### ARCADIA

Many Improvements on Ranch—Building Activities Marked the Fall.

ARCADIA, Oregon, Dec. 10—John Hunt of Boise who now owns the Kimball ranch is doing quite a lot of improving.

Mr. Hunt bought the A. C. Kimball ranch of 160 acres late last spring then in October he bought 40 acres from E. B. Butler Jr. he paid both Mr. Kimball and Mr. Butler 185 dollars per acre.

Mr. Hunt is a sheep man and expects to raise most of his own feed. About 140 acres of the land was in alfalfa when he bought it, the remaining 60 acres is being leveled and plowed.

He expects to have two pit silos put down and raise several acres of corn next year. Since September the first he has had a new addition built to the house, a new stock barn, a shed for the farming tools, well house with electric motor and jack for pumping stock water.

He is also putting in a piping system for watering sheep. Frank Edwards is foreman of the ranch and Mr. Hunt was lucky to get him as he is a rustling wide awake fellow.

Charlie Thompson bought some sheds from one of the Ontario lumber companies and will move them to his ranch and build sheds to accommodate one thousand ewes.

Al Thompson is building a new barn and garage combined.

Mr. Penney of Ontario will finish loading his baled hay from the Arcadia ranch in the cars at Arcadia tomorrow. He had about 150 tons baled and shipped it to Riverside, Salem and other points.

Fred Kiesel of Ogden Utah owner of the K S and D ranch was over one day last week looking over his live stock.

The school board has decided to put the school opening off another week. Some few families still have the flu and others are unwilling to risk sending the children to school yet.

The Dail family who were down with flu are all up but Miss Pearl and she is out of danger and expects to be up in a few days.

There has been 18 or 20 cases of flu in and around Arcadia and some very bad without a single death.

Mrs. Chester Lackey and little daughter have returned home. She has been visiting her mother Mrs. Bert McConnell of Fruitland and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lackey of Ontario for the past two weeks.

J. A. Wallace from up on the Owyhee spent Sunday with C. W. Barrett and family.

Thomas Claggett of Ontario made a business trip out to his ranch Tuesday.

But Priest and family have moved to the K S. and D Ranch from Ontario.

E. B. Butler Jr. has torn his old garage down and built a nice new one. Charlie Thompson and Chester Lackey with a government appraiser have gone to Jordan Valley to appraise land for some farmers over there. They expect to be gone two or three days.

Garret Smith is taking advantage of this nice weather and is doing all his plowing and fencing this fall.

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### Christmas Suggestions

In anticipation of your holiday needs we have put in an extra large stock of Christmas Novelties.

Our store is headquarters for Toys, Games, and anything to make the children happy.

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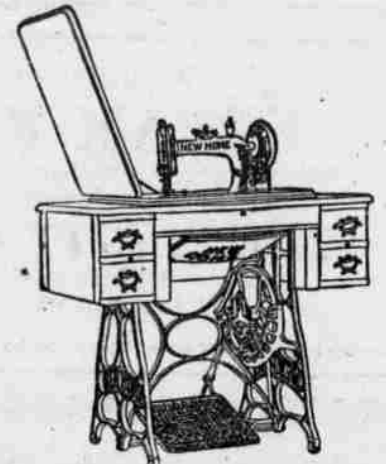
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#### RIVERDALE

Returns From Training Camp—Will Install Electric Lights.

RIVERDALE, Oregon, Dec. 10: Mrs. Phil Lawson of Nampa visited friends on the flat a few days ago.

The Local Progress Club will meet with Miss Jennie Patch on Wednesday December 11 and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Outclet and children who spent the summer in the state of Washington reached here a few days ago and are glad to be back again.

All flu gripple cases are coming a long fine and it is hoped the worst is over.

Mr. Rix will soon be out again after being confined to his room for some weeks with a severe case of pneumonia.

John Farnsworth returned to his home at Rupert, Idaho a few days ago after spending some time looking after his ranch property and cattle here.

F. M. Pearce reached home this week from a California training Camp to the delight of his many friends.

Misses Jennie and Kistie Patch are figuring on installing electric lights in their home and a number of others may do likewise in the near future.

The Kaiser having been licked who not proceed to lick the American Kaisers—the greedy profiteers.

#### HARPER

News of Death of Former Citizen—Light Snow Falls at Harper—Sunday School Opens

HARPER, Oregon, November, 11. The Harper Community was shocked Saturday by news received through the columns of the Statesman telling of the death of Logan Barkley at

Nampa, Idaho, on Tuesday November 5, of pneumonia following Spanish influenza. Mr. Barkley was firing on the O. S. L. trains out of Nampa.

After apparent recovery from the influenza Pneumonia followed resulting in his death Thursday. The body was laid to rest in Kohlerlawn Cemetery at Nampa.

Mrs. Barkley and little daughter, Doris are both ill with the same disease but have so far recovered as to be able to move to Cambridge, Idaho, to the home of John Barkley, father of Logan.

Deceased leaves a wife and one daughter 15 months old. He had a home and a blacksmith business in Harper. He was well and very favorably known in this community and his death comes as a distinct shock to his many friends.

Mrs. B. Schluppe is in Vale under the doctors care. She will likely remain for several weeks.

Donald McCleod is in town from his sheep camps. Mr. McCleod has recently recovered from influenza.

Burrell Caviness and Dave Kime are on the sick list this week. Mary Madden is also ill.

The Harper Sunday School re-opened last Sunday with an attendance of twenty two.

A light snow fell here Wednesday morning.

#### BROGAN

Move to City Property—Word of Soldiers Death in France

BROGAN December 11, 1918. There are still a number of cases of flu in the Brogan vicinity. Miss Vera Logue is one of the latest patients.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Preston who were married at Vale last week visited at the Harry Logue home in Brogan on Wednesday. That evening the young folks of the town visited them with the usual accompaniment of cow bells and tin cans.

Frank Rigton of Boise was a Brogan visitor Friday and Saturday of this week.

Miss Baker teacher in the Brogan schools has left for her home where she will spend the holidays.

Mrs. Lark Bilyeu has returned to her home in Cow Valley. She has been nursing cases of flu at the home of her sister.

Mr. Schroder has taken possession of the L. Tschirgi ranch which he has rented for the coming year. Mr. Tschirgi will make his home in Boise this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnie and Mr. and Mrs. Strout have moved into the Lawrence Tschirgi property in town. This vicinity was much shocked by word of the death of Clarence Howard

in France. The sympathy of friends is extended to the bereaved family.

T. Hill of Ironside was in Brogan this week returning from Camp Lewis. Fred Mitchell returned home last Saturday from an extended trip in the east.

Pilot Rock voting water system bonds.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION  
Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Vale, Oregon December 11, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that Clarence Elmer Vines, of Vale, Oregon, who, on November 29th, 1914, made Homestead Entry No. 9532 for the SW 1/4 Sec. 24, Twp. 24 N., R. 40 W., Lot 1 Sec. 19, Twp. 24 S., R. 41 E., and who on September 8, 1915 made Adit Homestead Entry No. 9494 for Lots 2, 3, 4, SW 1/4 Sec. 19, Twp. 24 South, Range 41 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 16th day of January, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bert Ingham, Vale, Oregon; F. M. Vines, Vale, Oregon; S. R. Conland, Skullsprings, Oregon; and X. E. Littlefield, of Skullsprings.

THOS. JONES, Register.  
Dec 14-Jan 11.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS  
In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Malheur County.  
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHAS. T. CARTER, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, Administrator of the estate of Chas. T. Carter, deceased, and having qualified, notice is hereby given to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against said deceased, to present them, verified as required by law, within six months after the first publication of this notice to said Administrator, at his residence at Jambon, Oregon, or to Davis & Kester, his attorneys, at their office at Vale, Oregon.

J. L. POPE, Administrator of the estate of Chas. T. Carter, deceased.  
Dated December 7, 1918. Dec 14-Jan 11

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