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Powell Butte

About fifteen members of the Soroisis Club met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Foster last Wednesday to sew for Mrs. Wallace Smith, whose house was destroyed by fire recently. The ladies spent a pleasant afternoon at the close of which the hostess served delicious refreshments. She was assisted by her daughter, Miss Phoebe, and Misses Buelah Landfare and Pauline Irnesdale.

A.W. Bayn is enjoying a visit from his mother, Mrs. Helen Newman, of Seattle. Mr. B. had not seen his mother for twelve years, and the meeting last Tuesday was a happy one indeed. Mrs. Newman will be here about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bussett and son Ross returned Sunday from a delightful auto trip to the Silver and Summer Lake countries. Ross says they had a nice trip, but as for farming land he didn't see anything like Powell Butte and was glad to get back home.

Miss Ila Charlton went to Prineville last week to nurse a sick child.

Miss Gladys Bayn was hostess at a party at her home Saturday evening in honor of her guest, Arthur O'Neil, of Prineville. The evening was passed in games and music. At a late hour the guests enjoyed delicious refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake and punch. Those invited to meet Mr. O'Niel were the Misses Phoebe Heath, Viola and Paultue Truesdale, Messrs. Reeves Wilcoxon, Porter and Dennis Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilcoxon.

Mrs. Allen Wilcoxon was a business visitor to Prineville Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N.P. Alley and family and Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Iverson drove up to the Stove Pipe flume Sunday.

Miss Gladys Bayn went to Prineville Sunday for a short visit with friends.

Frank Kissler returned to his home in Redmond Saturday after a two weeks' stay in this section, during which time he was busy clearing and seeding on his forty.

Last week Dennis Heath had occasion to tie his saddle horse to a tree while riding in the upper Butte section. When out of sight of the animal he heard a noise as of limbs breaking and ran back to find the horse had pulled back and in some way had broken its neck.

The Miller boys had the misfortune to kill a horse last Sunday. The animal was staked on a long rope and while running to avoid being caught it was thrown and killed instantly. The horse belonged to their uncle, Mr. Brix.

Mr. and Mrs. McPherland and family took dinner in town Sunday.

The Shepard Sunday school is to have a choir. They chose Miss Alma Johnson as organist and Miss Viola Truesdale as choir leader. The singers will meet each week at the different homes where there is an instrument to practice.

Geo. Brazee took a load of hay to Des Chutes Monday.

There is to be prayer meeting at the Allan Landfare home Wednesday evening of this week.

We hear considerable talk of the lateness of the season among our people. The fact is or folks forget from one season to another and invariably encounter something in the present which to their knowledge never occurred just so in the past. When the writer came to Central Oregon, two years ago, the latter part of May, the grass crops all through the country were just starting. Different alfalfa fields passed in our travels showed a bare six inches growth, and other vegetation was equally delayed. Recently by actual measurement the alfalfa near our door measured 22 inches, while others have fields of even better growth. Evidently our cold backward spring has not delayed our hay crops much and the grain, too, is looking fine on the irrigated lands out our way.

With the closing of the Crook County High School last week our boys and girls are back to the farms.

Roberts Items.

Clarence and Lester Ferguson left June 2d for Klamath. They are going after a big bunch of cattle.

H. G. Bunn has purchased a new horse from parties in Lamonta.

Mr. Sears, of the Bunn ranch, had the misfortune to lose his watch a few days ago. It had a fob attached with 1915 on it.

We understand that Mr. Manty has purchased several head of cattle. They are mostly young stock.

Mr. Gould made a trip to the city last week on business. He is expecting to get his stump puller in operation soon.

Ira Wertz made a trip to town for a load of wire.

The Big Bear creek school closed May 23d for the summer. There was an entertainment in the afternoon consisting of speaking and dialogues. At noon a lunch was spread under the trees by the parents. It was a very pleasant occasion, especially for the children.

Everyone who is doing any irrigating in our locality complains of a shortage of water. It is a lamentable fact that this will not be as good a season as last for crops.

Mr. Treune has a fine looking garden. He has corn and peas over two inches high. Nothing preventing he will have the finest garden in our locality.

Ed Hunterberger, one of the recent settlers here, has over five acres of sage grubbed, besides other improvements on his place.

Roberts

Miss Irma Parry is visiting friends at Roberts.

We are glad to learn that Mrs. Boydston, who has been sick for some time, is on the road to recovery.

W. J. Linfoot made a trip to Prineville Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Perry and Fred Roberts returned home last week. They had been attending school in Prineville.

Fred Roberts left Monday for a few weeks' visit in Klamath Falls.

J. E. Roberts made a business trip to Prineville last Friday.

G. W. Conrad is hauling lumber for Mr. Mead's house.

Several more homesteads have been taken in this vicinity recently.

Wool Sales Day at Redmond, July 9

Bring your wool to the Redmond Union Warehouse Co. Large stone warehouse, low insurance rates, low shrinkage. Free use of shearing corrals. 6 5-2t

Lamonta Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowan were at F. F. Wright's Sunday.

Mrs. John Hacket is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Black and two daughters visited at Mr. Mitchell's Sunday.

A large crowd attended Sunday School last Sunday.

George Ragner made a business trip to Culver last Saturday.

Mrs. Grey and Miss Maisel Smith went to Redmond Sunday afternoon after Miss Mattie Grey who has been teaching school there.

Frank Cowan, manager of the Lamonta ball team, was unable to get a game last Sunday but will try to get a game with Redmond this coming Sunday.

Miss Ethel Cox of Madras passed through Lamonta Sunday on her way to Prineville to visit her sister, Adella, who has typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs Luther Melton and Mr and Mrs. Joe Weigand were in Prineville on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Joe Weigand and son, Jack, left for Portland Wednesday morning. Mrs. Weigand will take in the Rose Carnival, while Jack will receive medical treatment.

Beulah Barker was in Prineville a few days last week visiting.

Miss Ada Mitchell is staying with Neva Weigand for an indefinite time.

Will Classify Metolus Government Land

A full classification of the Government land in the Metolius river valley has been started by the United States Government, following the filings of many applications for homesteads in that territory. Adolph Nilsson, with a crew of four men, began soil survey work and will be engaged in the understaking all Summer. The examination is to determine the value of the land, at present included in the National forest, for agricultural purposes. Not only will the 8000 acres that have been applied for as homesteads be examined, but all possible agricultural land will be gone over.

Preliminary work on the Tumalo irrigation project, for the completion of which the state appropriated $450,000, is now being carried on actively in charge of Project Engineer O. Laurgaard. Several parties of engineers are in the field getting data. The Summer's activity will be devoted chiefly to the digging of ditches and probably very little will be done on the dam. By July 1, 50 men will be emloyed. Operations wil be continued all summer.

The co-operative state and Federal survey of the Deschutes river, for which $100,000 is available, is now under way. The first work being carried on is the taking of diamond drill soundings just above Benham Falls, 12 miles south of here, to obtain data on the construction of a dam at that point. A crew of about 10 men are employed and operations will continue all Summer.

Notice.

During the summer will saw wood on Wednesday and Saturday of each week. Leave your orders at Kamstra's store and they will be promptly attended to.
5 8-1m M. Kamstra.

Superior Niagria and Columbia Ranges $37.50 to $65. Sold on installment plan. It will pay you to investigate if you are in the market for a Range. J. E. Stewart & Co. 5-1

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New 5-room Bungalow; modern in every way. In East Prineville.
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Wood for sale at $4.75 and $5 a cord at the yard; 50c extra per cord delivered. P. L. & W. Co. 1-16

Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that all registered general fund warrants, all scalp bounty warrants and all high school warrants will be paid on presentation at my office. Interest stops May 29, 1913.
R. L. Jordan,
County treasurer, Crook county, Ore.

Timber Claim for Sale

Timber claim, 10 miles from Prineville for sale cheap for cash. Apply to S. A. Prose, Prineville, Ore. 5 29 1mpd

For Sale

2½ lots one block from public school; corner property; good improvements. Address R. V. Constable, Prineville, Gregon. 5-29

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Teachers' Examinations

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Crook county will hold the regular examination for applicants for state and county papers at Prineville, as follows:

For State Papers.—Commencing Wednesday, June 18, 1913, at 9 o'clock a.m., and continuing until Saturday, June 21, 1913, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon.—Writing, U.S. History, Physiology.

Wednesday Afternoon.—Physical Geography, Reading, Composition, Methods in Reading, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thurspay Forenoon.—Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography.

Thursday Afternoon.—Grammar, geography, American liferature, physics, methods in language. Thesis for primary certificate.

Friday Forenoon.—Theory and practice, orthography, English literature, chemistry.

Friday Afternoon.—School law, botany, algebra, civil government.

Saturday Forenoon.—Geometry, Geology.

Saturday Afternoon.—General History, bookkeeping.

Lists of subjects for Primary Theses, June, 1913.—What should be taught in the primary grades, that is not found in books? Home geography in the primary grades. The use of phonics in the first grade. Primary reading. Nature study. Busy work. The Montessori system of education. Play and playgrounds.

J. E. Myers,
County School Superintendent.

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27 in. Domestic, per yard ..... $ .60
27-in. Imported, per yard 1.00
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27 inches wide.
Per yard **$1.00**

Ladies' Vests and Union Suits

Ladies' Jersey ribbed vests 12½c
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Ladies' Jersey ribbed vest with "can't slip straps" 25c
Ladies' Jersey ribbed union suits 35c
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Ladies' Jersey ribbed union suit with "can't slip" straps, knee length 60c
Ladies' Jersey ribbed union suit with "can't slip straps" 85c
Ladies' mercerized ribbed union suit, umberella knee, lace trimmed $1.10
Ladies' "Comfy Cut" union suit, umberella knee, lace trimmed 1.25

MIDDY BLOUSES

Just received a nice assortment of children's, misses' and ladies' blouses. Come both in the loose fitting with sailor collar, and in the Norfolk with black patent leather belt. The material is of white drilling and Galatea trimmed with light and dark blue collar and cuffs.

Children's ..... $ 1.00
Misses' 1.35
Ladies' 1.50

STRAW HATS

We have a good selection of straw hats for boys, girls, ladies and men, ranging in price from 20 cents to **$2.00**

Men's Gloves

Just received a large shipment of men's gloves in medium and heavy weight buckskin, also heavy horse hide.
A dandy glove for **$1.50**

Special Values in Men's Shirts

Men's negligee shirt with military collar, regular $1.75 shirt ..... $ 1.50
Men's tan soiesette shirts, collar attached 1.25
Men's chambra work work shirts in all colors and sizes ..... .50

Men's Underwear

Men's fancy ribbed shirt and drawers, regular 65c value, special price.... 50c
Men's silk finish balbriggan shirts and drawers, regular $1.25 garment, special price 75c

Under Muslins for Ladies

In this lot we have a nice assortment of combination suits, made of Nainsook, ranging in price from $1.25 to $3.25.

Ladies fine cambric gowns, special values, 85c to $2.75.

Ladies' skirts, pretty styles with embroidery flounces, fine quality cambric, all sizes, special values, 85c to $3.25.

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