

CHILDREN ON MOUNTAIN ARE HAVING BRONCHITIS

(East Oregonian Special.)

WESTON MT., May 10.—The little infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles May is still seriously ill and Dr. Sharp of Athena was called in Sunday. Mrs. Jones is helping to nurse the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon O'Hara moved up to the Jim Jones farm Wednesday. Miss Edie Miller arrived Friday evening from Pilot Rock to visit her sister Mrs. Dick English for a few days.

Miss Hilda Larson left Sunday for her old home near Minneapolis, Minn., to spend the summer. This is the first visit in 14 years.

Huette March moved up to the Ferguson farm for a short time to put in the crop. He expects to plant 100 sacks of potatoes.

Dr. Smith was called to see Roy May's baby Wednesday. The baby has bronchitis. There is almost an epidemic of bronchitis among the children of the mountain.

Henry and Alice Dowd motored to Holden Sunday to visit their sister Miss Ruth who is teaching school there.

Mrs. Jacob Narcoos and little son Rulin left for their home on Reid and Hawley mountain Thursday after a week's visit with her mother Mrs. Lizzie Lansdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Henderson arrived from Baker Wednesday and will live at the mill, where Mr. Henderson will be employed by the new owners. The Lamb Fruit Co. and Mr. Stone of Milton. Mr. Henderson was formerly employed by the Blue Mt. Sawmill Co. and was with them seven years. The new general manager is an experienced sawmill man and comes well recommended from Grays Harbor, Wash. The Sawmill will start about June 15 and it is expected to employ 20 men.

Mrs. Cecil Hyatt is to be operated on at 9 o'clock in Walla Walla Tuesday for gall stones from which she has been suffering for several months. Her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Rhon of Colfax and her husband will be with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKneff of Weston visited this week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gould.

Mr. Bayburn moved his family up from Weston to the farm Friday.

Arvilla Beamer visited Alice David Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Hamer of Portland and Mrs. Pickford and Mrs. Shummell of Walla Walla visited their niece Mrs. Cecil Hyatt last week.

Business on Stock Exchange at Low Ebb.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Business on the stock exchange today dwindled to about 250,000 shares, the smallest total since Feb. 3, 1919, and far less than the average week and two-hour session of recent months.

Movements of stocks were in keeping with the insignificant total. Many of the standard railroad and industrial issues were only occasionally dealt in and some remained unquoted throughout the day.

In point of fact the stock market was most often subordinated to trading in bonds. Further very extensive liquidation of Liberty bonds and Victory notes forced most of these premier war issues to new low levels.

The only stocks to manifest more than a slight degree of activity and strength were those comprising the sugar and food groups with intermittent firmness in leathers, tobacco and shippings.

No attention was paid to the money market although call loans eased from 7 to 6 per cent and a few time loans for short dates were reported at 2-4 per cent.

Extreme declines in Liberty bonds ranged from one-fourth to 1-2 per cent. 156 2 1-2's alone holding steady. Foreign bonds also reacted but in the general domestic list St. Louis and San Francisco railway incomes were conspicuously strong. Total sales (par value) \$39,275,000. Old United States bonds unchanged on call.

Corn Takes Downward Crash of 7 1/2 Cents.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Prices crashed down in the corn market today as much as 7 1/2 cents a bushel. Failure of two Kansas banks embarrassed by unwieldy loans on grain, did a good deal to bring about the selling stampede which took place and which attained almost whirlwind force at the last. The close was semi-demoralized, 2 1-8 to 2-4 net lower, with July 1.59 2-4 to 1.70 and Sept. 1.50 3/4 to 2c down and provisions off 7 1/2 to 25c.

Weakness in corn market began to develop as soon as the trading commenced. New low records for Liberty bonds increased the uneasiness due to the Kansas bank failures and anxiety on the part of holders of grain was further deepened by word of extensive price slashing at department stores and of industrial establishments laying off employees. Cais were way with corn. Lower quotations on grain depressed provisions.

SMALLER STORES JOIN IN SLASHING PRICES

(By Associated Press.) OMAHA, May 10.—Eight smaller stores have joined the five large establishments which have announced price reductions of from 20 to 25 per cent.

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Apartment Remodeled
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Addition is Progressing
The new addition to Alexander's department store is progressing with C. M. Griswold as contractor. The framework for the new and modern store front is being completed and made ready for the tiling work.

Improvements are Added
New improvements have been added in the hotel annex at Bingham Springs by William Hoch, the proprietor. The improvements include a new porch on the hotel annex. The hotel office has also been improved.

Residence is Remodeled
The John Adams ranch residence near Pendleton is being remodeled. The improvements will give additional space to the house.

Telegraph Office Painted
The interior of the Western Union Telegraph office is being re-calcimined and re-painted. Later the exterior is to be painted.

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