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THURSDAY, JANUARY 19, 1922.

HAVE FAITH IN GOD:—And Jesus said unto him, Go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way.—Mark 10:52.

JAPS AND THE OCHOCHO

Central Oregon will look with considerable misgiving on the plan of certain Ochocho project land owners to colonize their holdings with Japanese farm laborers. While it is true that, so far as reported, there is no intention of selling outright to the Japanese, the five year lease plan will have practically the same effect as a sale. Under it the Japanese will become established on the land, they will farm it in such way that at the end of the lease period the owners will be glad to sell rather than take it back, the project will become definitely orientalized, and it will be difficult to re-colonize it with white settlers.

The course of Japanese land settlement in California and in Oregon, at Hood River, has shown all too clearly that the white and the yellow races will not mix. Lower standards of living and alien customs keep the two apart and slowly the inferior yellow man drives out his neighbor. There can be no doubt that the same thing will happen here if the Japanese are once allowed to gain a foothold.

The reason back of the proposal is the unfortunate financial plight in which the big Ochocho land owners find themselves. Their land is not settled, much of it is not even cleared of the original sage brush, and yet they have heavy taxes, maintenance and water charges to pay. Without other resources to carry them through they have cast about to make the land itself pay and in their desperation have turned to the Japanese. Their friends regret their financial difficulty but they properly object to having it turned into a community liability. These men plunged on Ochocho land. Now they want to put the burden of their losses on the community by bringing in Japanese. It should not be done.

Several million of our country's youths recently plunged their all in a fight for American ideals and principals. They were ready to lose life itself in the cause. What would have been thought of them if, to save their lives, they had gone over to the other side? How, in principle, are the cases different?

Fifteen Years Ago

(From the columns of The Bulletin of January 18, 1907.)

At the present session of the legislature a bill will be introduced praying for the creation of a large portion of Western Crook and a part of Klamath and Lake counties into a new county to be known as Deschutes county.

It is reported here that all the available engineers in the employ of the Harriman lines in Idaho have been transferred to the Central Oregon line of survey and are working between here and Vale, says the Burns Times-Herald.

It is understood that the D. I. & P. Co., has been given power by the state land board to raise the price of its land, the augmented price being \$100 for a forty, plus \$15 for each and every irrigable acre.

The new mail route recently petitioned to be established from Shanks to Bend via Madras, Redmond, and Laidlaw, will be recommended by the inspector for this district, it is learned.

Creed Triplett and Miss Nina Wilkinson were married in Portland last Saturday.

The mass meeting called Wednesday night to discuss plans for county division was a harmonious affair. Not a dissenting voice was heard.

The present week has been a very cold one in Bend. Sunday night the



The Evil Act

John Jasper drove his touring car and overtook a man who looked as though he'd traveled far, a footsore also-ran. "Get in and ride," John Jasper said; "I will," the hobo yipped; then slugged John Jasper on the head, and took his purse and skipped. Along that road a thousand boats are chugging every day; and pilgrims who have lost their goats on foot proceed that way. But now no driver stops his wain to give the bos a lift; he figures it would not be sane, since Jasper's dome was biffed. A hobo with a wicked heart knocked Jasper's brow awry, and now the drivers speed the cart and pass the pilgrims by. The limping strangers by the score toil up the thoroughfare, and they can catch a ride no more, there are no seats to spare. And some are old and broken down, and some are young and frail, and all must suffer for the clown who swiped John Jasper's kale. A thousand feet with aching corns toil onward day by day, and auto drivers, with their horns, demand the right of way. And thus one evil act extends its influence abroad; the comfort of a legion ends because John lost his wad.

thermometer dropped to four degrees below zero, Monday night 19 below, Tuesday night 11½ below, Wednesday night 12 below, last night 26 above.

Hugh O'Kane is having his ice house filled with a fine quality of ice this week.

While Will Brock was in Portland during the holidays, he was the recipient of a fine rifle, a gift from Harry Corbett. Corbett was one of the men who hunted in Central Oregon with Brock last summer.

CLOVERDALE MAY HAVE RIFLE CLUB

CLOVERDALE, Jan. 19.—A meeting was called for Monday night at the schoolhouse to organize a rifle club. Jess Black has been in communication with the National Rifle association and they hope to organize a club here.

Mrs. H. C. Miller attended the opening of the Union high school in Redmond last week.

S. E. Kline was a Redmond visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Frank McDonald is confined to the house with a severe case of grippe.

George McAndrews is staying at the Fryrear home during Mr. Fryrear's absence.

The Box social Saturday evening was well attended, the proceeds from the sale of boxes amounting to \$52.

The program given was as follows: Solo, Miss Geraldine Relling; solo, Little Eulalia Relling; Play Birds, Christmas carol; Recitation, Orval Partin; piano and violin solo, Misses Hodson; recitation, Ethel Goodrich; recitation, Edward Kilgore; play Havsel and Gretel; recitation, Lois Kilgore; recitation, Clement Wassman; play Mrs. Pepper's Ghost; piano and violin solo, Misses Relling and Hodson.

H. C. Miller and Frank McDonald delivered some dressed hogs into Bend Thursday.

W. T. Harrison helped Thomas Arnold kill a beef Wednesday.

R. O. Andrus had a load of grain ground at E. E. Hess' Thursday.

Our community has been asked to join with Sisters in the all day meeting to be held in the church there Sunday, January 22.

A number from Sisters attended the social Saturday evening.

Mr. Chorus went to Redmond Thursday for material to finish fixing up his house.

Miss Mary Fryrear of Bend attended the social here Saturday evening running over Sunday and spending the day here with her mother, Mrs. W. F. Fryrear.

W. F. Arnold took grandma Fryrear and son, W. F. Fryrear to Bend Thursday to take the train for Pendleton to visit the Mrs. Fryrear's son at that place.

Mrs. Harrison spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Black.

Miss Mary Fryrear and mother were dinner guests Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. S. Fryrear's.

Miss Fay Miller a senior at Redmond Union high school came out Saturday evening, attended the social and remained over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Miller.

Black brothers and Kilgore are putting up ice this week out of the canal. It is about six inches thick.

Mrs. E. M. Peck is quite sick this week.

Mrs. Chorus is confined to the house with a severe cold and an attack of rheumatism.

Leroy Fox of Plainview was a business visitor at W. F. Harrison's Friday.

Rev. Harper and Rev. Hillis called at R. O. Andrus' Saturday.

TWO ARE HURT IN SISTERS RUNAWAY

SISTERS, Jan. 19.—Miss Irel and Alan Harrington met with an accident last Saturday evening while on the way to attend Cloverdale's basket social. The clip came off of the single tree letting one of the tugs drop and frightening the horses so that they ran away overturning the

were in town Tuesday.

J. M. Griffin was a Bend visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swalley accompanied Mrs. George Holten to Bend on Tuesday of last week.

Fred N. Wallace was out over the surrounding districts this week in the interests of the Tumalo project.

Velveta Phillips leaves Monday for Columbia City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross and little son of Salem are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Ray. The Ross' are formerly of Tumalo.

Judge Barnes of Bend has been here the past few days looking after his interests. He will leave with his family soon for the southern part of the state, where he has purchased a home. Mr. Barnes is keeping his property here, in case he wants to return.

Mrs. Harry McGulre has been quite sick in the Bend hospital but at this writing is reported as much improved and will be able to return home soon.

The Sunday callers at the Swalley home were P. B. Gile of Bend, and Mrs. George Holten and babies of Deschutes.

The community dinner given at the hall on Sunday, was well attended and enjoyed.

The Cook brothers are loading a car of potatoes for G. W. Bales this week. W. H. Gray is helping.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swalley and Mrs. George Holten were dinner guests at Mrs. M. E. Rogers one day last week.

A very pleasant affair was given at the home of Mrs. Martin on Saturday afternoon, from 2 until 5 o'clock when she as teacher and her junior boys' Sunday school class entertained the junior girls class. The treat had been previously won by the girls in a contest. Games were played, after which refreshments of salad, cake and cocoa were served. A remembrance was given each girl by Mrs. Martin.

G. W. Jones and Edith and Lois Swalley attended the dance given at the Wallace Cooley home on Saturday evening.

SCHOOL BOARD CONTEMPLATES DRASTIC CUTS

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by the district. The estimated saving from this change would be \$1200.

May Shorten Year

The directors will consider the reduction of the school year from nine and one-half months to nine in view of the \$6000 saving which this would mean.

It is expected also that a great curtailment in the purchase of school supplies will be authorized. Elimination of paper towels, examination and practice writing paper, pens, and ink would cut \$1500, dispensing with art supplies would save \$200, and taking floor oil, sweeping compound, fumigators, and liquid soap from the supply list would mean \$500 more.

NEED MORE TREES TO CHECK FLOODS

Waste Lands Must Be Planted If Disaster Similar To That In China Is Avoided, Declared.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—Reforestation of waste regions in this country is absolutely necessary to combat regular recurring floods which yearly play great havoc along our rivers.

Unless our waste lands are planted with trees, says the American Forestry association, river floods in the United States will in time cause disaster such as that now in the flooded regions of China, 10,000 square miles in area.

"Millions of dollars in property are destroyed in this country every year," the association says, "because of spring floods. For some reason we take this as a Spring habit of nature and give little or no thought to correcting this habit."

"This country needs a broad national forest policy directed by the United States Forest Service," said Charles Lathrop Pack, its president, "and when that forest policy is adopted we will make progress in the right direction as concerns denuded and deforested lands."

HAS ONE POSITION FIFTY-ONE YEARS

Contractor Holds Secretaryship of Baptist Sunday School Continuously Since 1871.

NAVASOTA, Texas, Jan. 19.—One position for fifty-one years, without a break. That is the record of W. W. Stacy, 87, retired contractor and builder of this city. He has been the secretary of the Baptist Sunday school here since 1871.

Beginning the second half of his century of service, Stacy continues to show as much enthusiasm over his church position as when he first assumed the duties. "Rain or shine—there is no need for one to disregard his work," Stacy declares.

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MOVIES
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Good music adds much to any motion picture drama but to a picture such as Humoresque the accompanying music is everything. When Humoresque played in Bend the first time it was exhibited under very unsatisfactory conditions. Under proper exhibiting conditions Humoresque is a picture among pictures and with the accompanying pipe organ music, played by Emmett Mollitor, its exhibition tonight at the Liberty theatre should be most pleasing.

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