

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. Chaffee was a business visitor in Arlington Tuesday.

W. A. Murchie of Wasco, was in Boardman on business again Tuesday.

Miss Wahnona Keyes is in Portland, where she is under the care of a physician.

S. H. Boardman was in Arlington Tuesday in the interests of our new aviation field.

Walter Wigleworth of Butter creek, was a week-end visitor at the A. L. Larsen ranch.

Mrs. Royal Rands was called to Milton last Monday to attend the funeral of a nephew.

The Ralph Humphrey family are spending a few weeks on his wheat ranch near Colfax, Wash.

C. G. Blayden was in Hermiston Thursday and Friday finishing a piece of carpenter work.

A school orchestra seems assured as several have said they could get the necessary instruments.

C. Snively moved his family Tuesday onto the Hines' farm which they leased for the coming year.

County Agent Calkins was in town Tuesday and Wednesday in the interests of the dairying industry.

The American Legion is planning a dance for the 15th to raise money to secure an Armistice Day speaker.

Mrs. Earl Harper and two children left the first of last week for Colfax, Wash. for a short visit with her parents.

The social dance that was to have been given by the Grange and scheduled for October 15th has been postponed indefinitely.

Gus Kontos, Louie Charon, and the two small daughters of Coyote, left Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Greece.

Miss Clara Rands has returned to her home in Portland, after a three week's visit with her brother, Royal Rands, and family.

Mrs. Brice Dillabough received a telephone message Monday that her sister in Portland was to be operated on Tuesday for appendicitis.

Mrs. George Mefford left Tuesday for Condon to consult an eye specialist. Mrs. Mefford has been suffering with eye trouble for some time.

The school board with Messrs. Blayden, Mefford and Kutzner met Tuesday evening, and acted on the school budget which will be voted on shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayworth left Tuesday for their home in Goldendale, Wash., after a pleasant visit with their old friends, the Garrets and Meffords.

Mrs. A. T. Herein is in Stanfield assisting in the apple packing establishment. Mrs. Pinnell is entertaining little A. T., Jr. during his mother's absence.

Fire Prevention Day is to be observed in the Boardman schools next Friday with special exercises in each room and essays on the subject in the high school English classes.

Miss Clara Rands accompanied by Miss Wahnona Keyes left for Portland last Tuesday. Miss Wahnona, who has been sick for some time, will take medical treatment.

J. W. Webster of Tigard, has rented the Harry Murchie building and will install a modern confectionery and restaurant, and an up-to-date barber shop as soon as the fixtures arrive.

Jesse Lower left last week for a visit with relatives in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbreth of The Dalles, arrived Wednesday for a visit with their son, N. H. Gilbreth and family, Mr. Gilbreth returning Saturday.

Pastor Hillis of Colorado, filled the pulpit Sunday of the Community church. He preached a very interesting sermon, and in the evening he went to Irrigon accompanied by the J. R. Johnson and Messenger families.

Mrs. O. H. Talbot spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Blayden. Mrs. Talbot is enroute to New Plymouth, Idaho, where she will join Mr. Talbot. From there they plan to go overland by auto to points of interest in California.

Eugene Cumins left Tuesday for a short visit in Hood River. Mrs. Cumins has been there for a month past visiting a sister and incidentally packing apples. She was feeling so well and having such a good time that she wanted Mr. Cumins to come down.

Geo. Blayden received the sad news Wednesday morning of the death of his daughter-in-law in Plymouth, Idaho. Mrs. Blayden has been sick for several months and suffered intense agony, so while we sympathize with the family in their bereavement, yet we know she is at rest.

The first day of the open season for China Pheasants resulted in H. H. Crawford losing two turkeys and having another one crippled, also in Frances Gilbreth receiving a buckshot in the eyelid and missing the eyeball an eighth of an inch. Mr. Crawford suggests that would-be hunters first take a course in domestic fowls.

Last Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Morgan entertained informally at cards and dancing. Hearts was the leading game with Miss Price and Mr. Berger receiving high scores. Those present were the Misses Glatt, Runner, Price and McNeil; Messdames Harter and Berger; Messrs. A. Macomber, H. Crawford, C. Barnes, O. Wagner and I. Berger.

WONDERS OF AMERICA

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OLD CARLYLE HOUSE

OF SURPASSING interest, because of its unmatched historical associations, is the venerable home of John Carlyle, who came to America as collector of customs for the British Crown.

It is located near the Potomac river in Alexandria, Virginia, which settlement was at that time a sort of American headquarters for the British empire. It was built in 1752, on top of an old fort which it is thought was constructed about the year 1600.

Solidly built of cut stone which it is believed was brought from England, the walls of this two-story-and-basement house are wonderfully well preserved and much of the interior furnishings remain but little unchanged from the days when this was the scene of much old-fashioned hospitality.

In the hallway stands a slender, grandfather's clock which for more than a century recorded the passing of time. Upstairs is the ancient canopy bed, so high that a step was necessary to enable one to comfortably climb into it, in which slept General Braddock who was sent to this country to take charge of the British forces during the French and Indian wars.

It was in the blue-room of this mansion that the celebrated and historic Council of the Governors of the Colonies was held, which contributed so much to the growing discontent that later expressed itself in the Revolutionary war.

General George Washington frequently visited here and it is said that his commission as commander in chief of the Colonial army was handed to him in this house.

California Woman Named Assistant.

Washington, D. C.—Appointment of Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt of Los Angeles to be assistant attorney-general of the United States was announced at the White House.

Let us do that next printing for you.

WEATHER ERRATIC AND SO ARE CROPS

Phenomenal Heat Aids Farm Outputs. But Frosts Damage Fruit.

Washington, D. C.—Phenomenal heat accumulation, which has marked weather conditions all over the northern hemisphere this year, has produced equally remarkable and erratic outputs of agricultural crops, according to summaries of American and foreign production compiled for and by the agricultural department.

The world's bread crops came to abundant fruition, in spite of drought and heat during the growing season.

The world in 1921, up to September 30, it was indicated, would have a total wheat crop of 157,000,000 bushels greater than in 1920.

By another freak, fruit crops, almost in a world-wide sense, met havoc from cold in a season which has set new records everywhere for solar heat.

The paradox was occasioned by the fact that last February the sun got at its work of bringing spring weeks in advance of normal, and trees and shrubs responded by budding out and finally coming into flower and bloom by March in nearly all areas where fruit is grown.

Frosts could not be averted on all the nights, however, and this year the United States will produce about 109,000,000 bushels of apples, against 244,000,000 bushels in 1920. Only the orchards of the Pacific coast, northern New England and northern New York escaped.

KU KLUX PARADERS AND POSSE CLASH

Waco, Texas.—The 54th district grand jury here will investigate the clash last Saturday night at Lorena, 14 miles south of here, between 50-odd knights of the Ku Klux Klan paraders and a sheriff's posse, in which Bob Buchanan, sheriff of McLennan county, was dangerously wounded, and eight other men severely injured.

Following a meeting with the county attorney, a delegation of Lorena citizens drew up a resolution, signed by 200 persons, placing blame for the clash on the sheriff.

The clash took place when Sheriff Buchanan with Deputies Burton and Wood attempted to disperse the marching klanmen, masked and robed, after, according to the sheriff, they had refused to divulge their identity. He had agreed to permit them to parade, he said, if they would allow him to identify those participating.

BASEBALL RIOT IN SEATTLE

Spectators, Umpires, Detectives and San Francisco Team Take Part.

Seattle, Wash.—More than 1000 fans, a number of the San Francisco baseball players, three umpires and five detectives were engaged in a free-for-all fight on the Coast league ball park last Saturday afternoon, following an assault on an umpire by a disgruntled San Francisco player.

The fight started in the last half of the sixth inning, when Doc Walsh, the Red second baseman, was put out of the game for throwing his bat at the grandstand after being struck out by "Stubby" Mack, pitcher of the Seattle team.

The fight that ensued involved the San Francisco players, three umpires, five policemen and more than 1000 fans. A battle royal followed in which blows were struck indiscriminately against friend and foe.

German Reichstag Ratifies Treaty.

Berlin.—Approval of the peace treaty with the United States was voted by the reichstag. Debate on the bill ratifying the treaty was dispensed with by agreement of all the parties except the communists, and thus but a few minutes were required for the proceedings when the treaty was reached on the calendar.

Brooklyn Veterans Heads G. A. R.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic closed their 55th annual encampment here with the election of L. S. Pfoher of Brooklyn, N. Y., as commander-in-chief and the choice of Des Moines, Ia., for the next meeting.

Washington Officials Appointed.

Washington.—Thomas P. Revell was nominated by President Harding to be United States attorney for the western district of Washington and E. B. Henn was nominated to be United States marshal for the same district.

Interstate Commerce Chairman Named

Washington.—Charles C. McChord of Kentucky was selected to be chairman of the interstate commerce commission for a term ending December 31, 1922.

Blood Will Tell in America

Fifty-six years ago at Appomattox two great bodies of men, one clad in blue and the other in tattered gray, decided to stop fighting and live together in peace thereafter.

Few, alas, of those men are left. The other day the "boys" of the Grand Army held their annual reunion at Indianapolis. Shortly, the surviving fighters of the Confederate army will meet at Chattanooga.

But it will not be long before these handfuls of glorious blues, and superb grays will be compelled by circumstances to discontinue their national gatherings.

Well, they all belonged, those boys, to a wonderful age in our history. They made America. For one thing, their deeds of steadfastness and valor in battle gave notice to the whole world that this nation, united, could not be trifled with. And the moment it was learned that their grandsons were to join in the world war, intelligent men everywhere—even in Germany—knew that that conflict was all but over, over there.

The heroic blood of the men of 1861-65 courses thru the veins of millions of 20th Century Americans. In the last analysis, both the blue and the gray fought for democracy, and they who fear that the descendants of such men will permit autocracy of any breed—whether ancient Hohenzollernism or any other ism—to raise its head in this land, are faint-hearted Americans indeed.

How Many Trees a Day Does the Public Read?

The paper you are now reading was once a tree. This newspaper is printed on what is commonly called newsprint and it is made from pulpwood.

The annual consumption is two million tons of newsprint a year, according to the American Forestry Association, and that means a strip of paper as wide as the regulation newspaper and about forty million miles long; half the distance of the sun, which is ninety-two million miles away. The annual consumption would make a two-foot wide ribbon of newspaper around the world 1600 times. Some trees!

More than one-third of our pulpwood comes from across the Canadian border, and Canada, profiting by our mistakes, is now taking steps to forbid the cutting of timber at a rate more rapid than its growth. That means primarily that our annual importation of Canadian pulpwood has practically reached a maximum, and for the other two-thirds at least we will have to look after ourselves.

"Paper Week" will be the week beginning October 31, with Thursday, November 3, as the date of the meetings of the American association itself. The National Paper Trade Association has announced October 31 as the date of the meeting of the merchants and distributors, while the balance of the week will be devoted to meetings of the affiliated association, most of which,

TAKEN UP

One Gelding colt, 3 years old, star faced, brand "M" on left shoulder. Will be sold at my ranch on Saturday, October 22 at 2 o'clock.

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Boardman, Oregon.

like that of the National Paper Trade Association, and the American Paper and Pulp Association, will be held in Chicago.

Few of us care much about the other fellow's business, but it so happens that this phase of the forest products situation is of a piece with a problem that touches our whole economic life, for, without forest products, business cannot go on. We sight our end of it to show the tremendous consumption of trees going on every day, to say nothing of loss by fires that sweep the forest areas. The American Forestry Association is campaigning for forest policy legislation. Every publisher in the country should be behind this campaign.

IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

Merrill E. Dobie made a business trip to Heppner Monday.

Geo. C. Howard and Thomas Clark has arranged with Lyle D. Saling to level a portion of their acreage under the new pumping plant system at the ferry landing. They will have it sewed to rye this winter and early spring when the plant can be started, sew alfalfa and probably plant considerable acreage of corn and other crops.

W. H. Pierce of Bickleton, Wash., spent several days in Irrigon during the past week, looking after his acreage and plans for the coming year.

A big boy is reported to have arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strader on Saturday, October 1. Mother and babe are doing fine.

W. E. Walpole reports the sale of ten acres of land to Carl J. Caldwell of Umatilla. The tract joins his other holdings, and lies between it and the old ditch. This makes a very attractive farm and Carl will make immediate improvements on the land, probably getting most of it under cultivation next season.

A. B. Chaffee, owner and manager of the Boardman Telephone company, was in Irrigon Tuesday looking after the possible prospects of putting in telephone lines in the Irrigon district, and connecting with

the Boardman lines with a central at that place. This, however, does not appear very favorable or possible at present. Our farmers want to see the money rolling in for their hay before getting in any farther.

The Irrigon boys motored to Hermiston Saturday afternoon, and played the local team there a game of football. Our boys report having had a good game and done as well as they could have expected owing to having had but very little practice. The score was 29 to 0 in favor of Hermiston.

Pastor Hallos of Bend, preached at Irrigon Sunday evening, having spent the day looking over the field with the possibility of accepting the Irrigon-Boardman pastorate, but will not decide what he will do until after making a trip back east on various business matters. A number of the Boardman people accompanied Pastor Hallos to Irrigon and remained for the evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Larsage of Starbuck, Wash., and lady friend motoring in their Chalmers to Portland, stopped over night at Glasgow's Saturday, and are expected to return the latter part of this week to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow. Mr. Larsage is a sister of Mr. Glasgow.

The Yager Family shows have engaged Wadsworth hall this week for Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday evening and are showing moving pictures and vaudeville, singing, dancing, etc. A fairly good crowd turned out Tuesday evening, and a larger crowd is expected for the remainder of the week. A prize was given Wednesday night for the best baby under four years of age. A prize will be given Thursday night in a ladies' nail driving contest, and a prize consisting of 26 pieces of Rodgers silverware Saturday evening for the most popular young lady in town. Votes are given with each ticket purchased.

FOR SALE—2 Duroc Jersey Boars, 8 months old; 2 Bucks, 1 February lamb, 1 Shropshire buck, 5 years old. F. M. Whitney, 1 mi. So. of Hermiston. UBS-45-1f



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