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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Garretts and Richardson drove to Hermiston last Monday.

Jim Howell and family were Hermiston visitors last Thursday.

J. C. Ballenger, N. A. Macomber and W. H. Mefford motored to Heppner last Saturday.

Jennie Marvin and Louise Sears were Hermiston visitors last Sunday.

Mrs. V. Keys left Thursday morning for a few days' visit with her parents at Mt. Hood.

Harry Warren and wife were dinner guests at the Henry Harrison home last Friday evening.

Mr. Hardison of the Mutual Creamery Company of Portland put in a receiving station in the north room of the Dodd building.

Prof. J. O. Russell and wife and son Elmo and Miss Talbot, a niece, were visitors at the J. C. Ballenger home last Friday.

Oscar Koser, who has been in Harney county since last December, came home Wednesday afternoon to visit his wife and son, who have been here for the school year.

Mrs. J. D. Sommer of the Hope Millinery Shop, which is in the People's Warehouse at Pendleton, will be in Boardman on Tuesday, April 15, at the Messenger's Rest with an assortment of hats, veils and flowers. Boardman women are asked to come in and see them.

Nate Macomber and wife were hosts at a delicious chicken dinner Sunday evening, having Dale Albright and Margerie as their guests. Mr. Albright and son Dale, left that night for Portland driving down in their Ford and Mrs. Albright and children left next day on No. 17. They will make their home in Portland for a time.

The Easter program will be given at church Sunday, April 20, to begin at 11:00 a. m. Everyone is cordially asked to be present at this time.

Boardman's baseball team played at Lone Sunday with a large number of Boardman folks to boost for the home team. They were beaten. One of the lone players had the misfortune to break a leg.

J. R. Johnson, elder of the Boardman church, attended the meeting of Presbytery at Umatilla Wednesday. Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Blayden and Mrs. Herlein accompanied him. The ladies of Umatilla served a beautiful dinner of chicken with all the trimmings. Of special interest was the devotional service conducted by Cash Cash and daughter Helen of the Umatilla reservation, speaking and singing in their native Indian tongue. Rev. Cornelison of Tutuilla mission, interpreted for Cash Cash.

Boardman people who met Mrs. Effie Ritchie of Freewater, who was here two years ago at C. E. Rally, were grieved to learn of the tragic death of her 20-month-old son, who was accidentally killed recently at their home. It seems that he fell in a post hole 6 feet deep and his muffled caught on a barbed wire, which was across the hole and he was strangled to death. Mrs. Ritchie came here to attend a rally and was taken ill with tonsillitis so spent several days here instead of the one day as planned. Rev. Cornelison, who is also known here had charge of the funeral services for the little one. Boardman Christian Endeavorers extend deepest sympathy to the Ritchie family.

The best home talent play ever given Boardman was that given by the high school last Friday night at the auditorium. It might be difficult to say who the best character was as they all did so well, but special mention should be made of Miss Ketchum and Mr. Saunders, Katherine Brown with her giggle and Frances Gilbert and also of the sufferer and her husband, who

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THIRD YEAR

Edited by the High School Students

KATHERINE BROWN Editor.

WAHNONA RANDS, Ass't Editor.

Joke Editor, Alton Klitz, '24

Uncle Ephraim, his family, and summer boarders, were well pleased with the hearty reception accorded them by the people of Boardman, while they lifted mortgage on their farm. Uncle Eph gave in return an excellent entertainment of a kind seldom seen in a school. Not only was the play high class but the acting and singing was above the average. There was no leading man or woman. Opportunities for display of dramatic talent were rather evenly distributed throughout, and every character was well portrayed. As Uncle Eph remarked: "There is considerable dramatic talent in Boardman," and his play was well calculated to call it forth.

Since there was no leading man or woman in the play it may also be remarked that there was no leading man or woman in the preparation of the entertainment. The entire school staff was behind it and cheerfully contributed to its success. Even the business men, and neighbors on the project cooperated in a most helpful manner, loaning clothing for costumes, and properties for the stage. It was Boardman's day and Boardman's play.

The audience, though not overly large, was appreciative and showed a kindly sympathetic interest in the work of the children thus giving to Uncle Ephraim a clearer vision of the "bright side of life."

For the Play
Mrs. Crowder and Mr. Mulkey trained the speakers, arranged the details in stage performance and Mrs. Crowder acted as prompter.

Miss Marvin directed the costuming and was assisted in makeup by Miss Hixson and Mr. Griggs.

Miss Wolff presided at the piano and directed the musical part of the program.

Mr. Boardman drove to De Moss Springs, Sherman county, last Friday, and his passengers were his daughter Helen, Norma Gibbons, and Mrs. Mulkey. The occasion of this journey was a mass meeting of the citizens of that county as an initial step in a tree planting campaign.

A holiday for the schools was declared and many school children were present.

Helen Boardman and Norma Gibbons each gave a speech on behalf of the Boardman schools when they presented seeds and trees for the children of Sherman county. For this token of good will they were the recipients of some real home-like hospitality which they will not soon forget. A bountiful feast was spread and the visitors returned from their pilgrimage not hungry, but happy.

Do you know there's lots o' people
Settin' 'round in this 'ere school
Growin' like the very dickens,
Disobeying every rule?
Don't you be that kind of cattle,
'Cause they ain't no use on earth.
You just be a booster rooster;
Crow and boost for all you're worth.

If your school needs boosting,
booster;
Don't set 'round and wait and see
If some other feller's willin';
Sall right in, this country's free.
Cast your loaves upon the waters—
They'll come back—the sayin's true.
Mebbe they'll come back all buttered,
When some feller boosts for you.

The eighth grade class has covered the advanced work in all subjects. They are preparing for their graduation program, which will be given at the close of the school, providing enough members pass the examinations.

The first and second year English class has finished its work in sentence and theme and will soon begin the study of another classic.

Monday morning a student body meeting was held for the purpose of cleaning up their debts of the play.

were Irma Broyles and Norman Bailey. Mr. Griggs made an efficient and hard-hearted squire, and Howard Packard as Uncle Ephraim was excellent as was Ida Mefford, his wife. The four girls played their parts well, Marie Messenger, Zoe Hadley, Louise Klages and Katherine Berger. The summer boarders were a motley array and their costumes were perfectly suited to the parts they played. Alton Klitz as the English dude, played well as did Nona Rands.

Two resignations were also handed in by Zoe Hadley, Editor, and Edward McClellan, Assistant Editor. Those elected in their place were: Katherine Brown, editor, and Wahnona Rands, assistant editor.

The Freshmen home economics class have finished their cotton blouses and are now working on various articles.

The general science class have completed their regular work and are now taking a course in Botany. As it is spring, it will be easy to gather specimens to mount.

Since the science class have finished most of their work they are having current events every two weeks. This makes the lessons more interesting and it is all very helpful to the students.

The advanced sewing class has finished the work necessary to earn their credits and are now making dresses and doing fancy work.

At the tree planting gathering at De Moss Springs, Sherman county, the following speeches were delivered:

To the school children of Sherman county—On behalf of the Boardman Community school, I present to you these seeds from our locust trees. If you plant and keep them well watered for a time they will produce manifold. They can then be transplanted wherever desirable, and will help to beautify not only your highways, but your homes as well.

In the heart of a seed,
Buried deep, so deep;
A dear little tree lay fast asleep.
"Wake," said the sunshine,
"And creep to the light."
"Wake," said the voice of the rain—
drops bright.
The little tree heard,
And it rose to see
What the beautiful outside
World might be.

NORMA GIGGONS.

Ladies and gentlemen—We are very glad for the privilege of being here today and it gives up great pleasure to present these trees to Sherman county's boys and girls.

At Boardman we have a school nursery in which we have planted two thousand trees and about ten thousands seeds from which we hope to reap a great harvest of trees.

For over three hundred years man has been destroying the trees of this country. It remains for us to plant, plant and keep on planting trees lest our land become a barren plain and treeless mountains.

If we begin now it will not be many years until we shall see Eastern Oregon become a land beautified with living green.

We should like to have you take these seeds and trees we have brought today and plant them in a school nursery. Then when it seems the proper time, transplant them so that they may adorn your school grounds, your homes and parks.

—HELEN BOARDMAN.

The freshman sewing class are pleased to think Miss Marvin took their picture Tuesday morning.

Jokes

Norman—"Are you going to the movie tonight?"

Weldon—"Yes, I'm going to walk in backward so that they will think I'm coming out."

Howard—"Mrs. Crowder says we are the best class she has had in 1924."

Carl—(As he missed the ball)
"I'll never touch another drop."

First Student—"What is a Zebra?"

Second Student—"A horse dressed in a bathing suit."

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IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. C. C. Grimm is in Portland and the Valley for a week or two visit.

George Allen's house burned down Thursday about 3 o'clock in the morning. The cause of the fire was not learned.

Mrs. M. F. Wadsworth went to Hot Lake to visit Mr. Wadsworth Friday. She returned the next morning and reports Mr. Wadsworth resting easier.

L. P. Davidson one of the county commissioners, with Wm. McCaleb, road supervisor from the south end of the county, were in Irrigon looking over the ferry road Saturday. They are figuring on a direct road from the ferry to the Columbia Highway and will have same posted at once. It will not be possible to do anything on this road for a year or so, however, and the present road will be repaired for the time being. Six hundred feet of plank road will be put in where sand has caused some trouble and other patches fixed up temporarily.

Regular monthly meetings of the farm bureau was held in the high school auditorium Saturday evening, April 5, and some very important business discussed, including state income tax question and the county school unit plan. The bureau went on record as opposed to state income tax on account of its effect upon the state and practically no reductions in taxes due to income tax collections. Its repeal was recommended at the earliest possible date. The County School Unit plan was likewise condemned along the same lines, as being fostered by a few for the purpose of making big paying positions and additional taxes and graft. The only way to reduce taxes is to discontinue voting additional graft and useless taxes. R. B. Wilcox, president of the Morrow County Farm Bureau, with his two daughters and boy, also County Agent Morse attended this meeting. Mr. Wilcox gave us a lengthy talk on the dairy cow while his children demonstrated milk testing and methods of keeping records. Mr. Morse talked at some length on the rabbit poison campaign question and arrangements were made to cover the territory thoroughly with paste bait on cedar shingles. Gates will be placed on all bridges over the main canal to keep the rabbits back in the sage brush country. Forces are lined up to do this work on Sunday, April 13.

WANTED—Fresh eggs and chickens. French Cafe. Pendleton. au31tf.

Political Notice

To the Republican voters of Morrow county: I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination of County Clerk at the Primary Election to be held May 16, 1924.
GAY M. ANDERSON.
(Incumbent.)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Ore. April 1, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ambrose C. Partlow, by T. E. Broyles, mortgagee, of Boardman, Ore., who, on April 4, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 020541, for W $\frac{1}{2}$ E $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, being Unit "B" Umatilla Project, Sec. 14, Township 4, N. Range 25, East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. G. Blayden, United States Commissioner, at Boardman, Ore., on the 13th day of May, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses:
H. H. Weston, W. O. King, Ray L. Brown, and Claude Ballenger, all of Boardman, Ore.

J. W. DONNELLY,
Register.

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FOR COUNTY JUDGE

To the Republican Voters of Morrow County:

I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for the nomination for County Judge, at the primary election to be held May 16, 1924. During my present term, my policy has been to obtain efficiency in public service, with economy and fairness. If nominated and elected, I pledge the same in the future.

WM. T. CAMPBELL,
(Incumbent).

April 4

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Commissioner for Morrow county subject to the will of the Republican voters at the coming primary election to be held on the 16th day of May, 1924.
April 4. L. P. DAVIDSON.
Read the home paper.

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