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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. Keys returned home Tuesday accompanied by her hister.

E. Messenger and J. Allen returned Saturday from a business trip to California.

J. T. Healey and wife and E. K. Mulkey were Arlington visitors one day last week.

Harvey Huff and Fred Klages drove over from Dufur on Saturday for a short visit.

Alfred Kistler of Wapato, Wash., came Monday for a visit at the Mefford home.

Sam Shell was an Irrigon visitor on Wednesday going up to help organize a Grange there.

Mrs. E. K. Mulkey enjoyed a few days' visit with her sister and family last week who came from Grass Valley.

Chas. McDaniels and family have moved to the Hines' place which they have rented for the coming year.

Prof. P. J. Mulkey and wife and Mr. Griggs were guests at the Hereim home for dinner on Tuesday evening.

Klitz's are settled in their new home, having moved in a week or so ago. The old house has been torn down.

Mrs. Dan Ransier has gone to Pendleton to care for her sister, Mrs. W. J. Thurman, who has a new seven and one-half pound son.

W. De Lano came the fore part of the week from Spokane for a visit with his brothers, the Delanos of the west end. Mr. Branscromb accompanied him.

Boardman Trading company has blossomed forth with a new front porch, which will be a comfort during the summer. W. A. Goodwin is putting one on his place of business, also.

James Sayre, who is agent for the International Correspondence School was a visitor at the Chas. Wicklander home one night last week. He is an old time Granger friend of the Wicklander's.

Mrs. Hereim and children were overnight visitors at the J. T. Healey home Thursday. Mrs. Healey and Mrs. Hereim were guests at a delicious chicken dinner at the Ellis Garrett home on Friday.

Jack Gorham is delighted over the arrival of another daughter, who came the 15th to Mrs. Gorham at St. Anthony's hospital, Pendleton. She weighed eight and one-half pounds. Congratulations. Mr. Gorham returned home Tuesday night.

Announcements of the marriage of Miss Alvina F. Cornelsen and Lewis Blayden, April 8, at Payette, Idaho, have been received by Boardman relatives. Lewis Blayden was a Boardman resident for some time, making his home with his parents. His many friends here wish him much happiness.

Rachel Johnson was 14 years of age Tuesday, so a pleasant surprise was planned to help her remember it. Thelma, Thyra and Mildred Beck, Helen Chaffee, Marie, Mildred and Nellie Messenger, Helen Boardman and Esther Imus were the ten girls who came in the evening and had a jolly time with games. All enjoyed the dainty lunch served by Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. Carlton, former assistant state superintendent but now with the extension department of the state university, was a visitor at the school on Tuesday. He complimented the teachers and superintendent on the good school we have. Mr. Mulkey took Mr. Carlton to Arlington after school Tuesday so that the latter could visit the Arlington school.

Ladies' Aid met Wednesday at Mrs. C. G. Blaydep's home with eight in attendance because of the severity of old Boreas, who howled and whistled till it was almost difficult to keep one's footing out of doors. Plans were completed for the Annual Roll Call meeting to be held the afternoon of May 7. Everyone is especially urged to be present. The ladies of the Umatilla Aid will be guests at this time. Cake and coffee will be served.

Mrs. Blayden served a delicious and unusual lunch, consisting of hot biscuits with jelly and marguerites with appropriate candy Easter eggs on them and most appetizing spring radishes raised in the Blayden garden. Next meeting May 7th at the church.

It is with the keenest regret that we learn that Professor and Mrs. Mulkey do not plan to return to Boardman next year and we are all hoping most sincerely that they will reconsider and decide to remain. Mr. Mulkey has made good here. He and his wife with the cooperation of the corps of teachers have built up a splendid school which, we feel safe in saying, can not be excelled, possibly not equaled any place considering the size. They have worked hard but have more than succeeded. Last year Mrs. Mulkey brought her eighth grade class through 100 per cent—not one failure in the entire class. The school children the past two years have always been under supervision both indoors and out. The programs which have been given could not be improved upon. The study hours of the high pupils are always supervised—in fact any slip shod methods of the past have all been overcome. Perhaps there have been some who thought Mr. Mulkey too severe, but he never has been stern without just cause and far better to have a superintendent a bit severe than one too lax. It is not surprising that Arlington wants the Mulkeys to return to them. Boardman not only wants them but needs them—needs them to continue their excellent work of the past two years. Mrs. Crowder does not plan to return and the high school is losing one of their most capable and best loved teachers they have had in the history of the school. Manual training work has been very satisfactory and parents are wishing for Mr. Griggs to return. The grade work is splendid and people are all earnestly hoping for the return of the teachers who handled those grades. If Mr. Mulkey has not yet definitely signed his contract at Arlington let's all tell him that we need both him and his wife here; that we want them again; that we feel it would be a difficult matter to get two such excellent instructors to replace them. Show our support and appreciation of the good work that has been done the past two years.

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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

Dale, Ted and Marjorie Albright have moved with their parents to Portland, where they will enter school. They will be missed by their classmates and teachers.

The school children from the sixth grade down, finished planting trees on the section of the highway between Boardman and Peters. This work was done under the direction of the highway department with Mr. Boardman, and Mr. Chaffe supervising and Arthur Mefford as truck driver.

Dear Friends:

We would like to have you come to our operetta, "The Gypsies' Festival," on Friday, April 25, 1924. We think you would enjoy it.

The admission is 25 cents and 10 cents. This money will be used to buy music books.

Third and Fourth Grades.

Prof. E. F. Carleton, who represents the extension department of the University of Oregon, visited here last Tuesday. Mr. Carleton was deputy state school superintendent for several years and is a veteran school man. While here he partook of noon luncheon in the cafeteria, and during the afternoon gave a talk to an assembly of high school and seventh and eighth grade students, and teachers.

The speaker dwelt mainly on the question of what to do after leaving high school, but first explained what one should do while yet in high school in the way of preparation. This consisted of doing the work well and in making a definite choice of a career in life's work.

He also stated that the reason so many students failed in college is that they do not plan out definitely what course they will pursue, and find they are not suited to the work attempted, fail, lose time, money and return home discouraged.

Mr. Carleton mentioned three things to be kept in mind. They are as follows:

1—Being prepared.
2—Good character.
3—Good attitude toward work.

Without these no one can progress.

Another interesting feature of the address was that Oregon ranks second in proportion to population in the number of 8th grade pupils who enter high school and first in number of high school students who enter college.

"Things Which Make the Best High School Student"

The first and most important thing which makes the best high school student is to have a good attitude toward your work and the rest will come easy.

When you start to do a thing, do it or "bust:" never give up till the job is finished.

A high school boy or girl should take a good attitude toward all athletics and help the school out by contributing to all its works or causes.

One should take all things good-naturedly, such as the initiation into high school, which is sometimes a little rough.

Another thing, a person should always pay his student body dues on time as it is likely to lose valuable time on the account of the students trying to think of some suitable thing to do with or punish such a person.

One should always pay most strict attention to all things which the teachers or instructors say as it is generally of importance in understanding some of the work.

Last Tuesday Miss Marvin gave us all quite a surprise by wearing a wedding ring to school. She has been married ever since February 23, and now we must address her as Mrs. Deggendorfer. We all knew because she has been so good-natured lately, that something nice had happened to please her.

Miss Sears and Miss Marvin visited with friends in Condon and Fossil Saturday and Sunday. Miss Wolff and Miss Hixson journeyed by train to The Dalles for a brief outing.

Ray Dempsey has been out of school this week. It is reported that he got his jaw cracked in the boxing match Saturday night.

Francis Gilbert is out of school this week.

Those having all their book reports in, in the first and second English classes are: Erma Broyles, Mildred Duncan, Katherine Brown, Catherine Berger.

Jokes

When Hardware Was the Style

Squire—"Did you send for me, my lord?"

Lancelot — "Yes, make haste, bring me a can opener. I've got a flea in my knight clothes."

Father—"Well son, did you get up nerve enough to take a girl home from church?"

Son—"Y-yes."

Father—"Who?"

Son—"I thought it was Bess, but she went in at Maggie's."

Father—"But couldn't you tell by her voice?"

Son—"B-b-but neither of us talked."

Howard—"Caesar must have been an awful strong man."

Mildred—"What makes you think so?"

Howard—"This book says he pitched his camp across the river."

A Wish Gratified

For hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart. He sighed. She sighed. Finally: "I wish I had money, dear," he said. "I'd travel." Impulsively she slipped her hand into his. Then rising swiftly she sped into the house. Aghast he looked at his hand. In his palm was a nickel.

IRRIGON NEWS ITEMS

The freeze Monday morning did more damage than all the other cold spells this spring. Apples have been quite hard hit, strawberries, cherries, and apricots thinned out considerable. However, we find other places had even heavier frost and more or less damage everywhere.

Sam Shell of Boardman, was in Irrigon Wednesday evening to assist in the organization work of the Grange. We should be pretty well equipped now to handle questions of general interest, having a well organized farm bureau with big membership and a grange working along the same lines.

The rabbit poisoning campaign was pulled off Sunday as scheduled. Considerably greater number of farmers came in after poison sticks than was first figured on and the south bank of the main canal was covered for miles both east and west of Irrigon, also many other districts where the rabbits have showed up in great numbers. J. E. McCoy reports having counted 78 dead rabbits around one stick without getting out of the railroad right of way. At this rate probably ten or fifteen thousands rabbits have been killed in the past four days within an area of six miles of Irrigon. This work should be continued while they eat the salt-flour paste on the cedar sticks so readily. In former years it was found that the rabbits did not take this bait much after the first of June, but go after it best at this time. County Agent Morse was on the job to assist in the preparation of the paste and went over the grounds with Rodent Control Chairman Arthur Yergins.

TO TRADE—FOR IRRIGATION ranch. 71 acres firm River Bottom land in high state of cultivation on Rock road. ¼ mile to school. 1½ miles to Cooperative cannery. W. A. Umyanhower. Rt. 1 Dayton, Ore.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon. March 11, 1924

NOTICE is hereby given that Victor Rietmann, of Ione, Oregon, who on October 28, 1920, made Homestead Entry No. 022002, for all of Section 28, Township 3, North, Range 26 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Gay M. Anderson, United States Commissioner, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 24th day of April, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Claude Finley, of Lexington, Ore., George Gorger, of Ione, Ore.; Werner Rietmann, of Ione, Ore.; F. Krause, of Echo, Ore.

J. W. DONNELLY, Register.

For County Judge

To the Republican voters of Morrow county: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination at your hands for the office of County Judge at the primary election in May, 1924. My experience of many years as county commissioner makes me conversant with the duties of the office I seek, and I shall greatly appreciate your support at the primary and for all past favors, I thank you kindly.

2tf G. A. BLEAKMAN, Hardman.

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 W½E½-SE¼, 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.

HOME IMPROVEMENT WAVE HITS SUMMIT COMMUNITY

Farm home improvements—private water, sewage and electric lighting system—are going or have gone into some score of homes in the little Summit community of Benton county, Oregon.

"The people there seem to appreciate that they live only once and cannot take their earthly possessions with them when they leave this world," reports George W. Kable, agricultural engineer for the state college extension service. "Many of the farmers already have their own electric light plants, running water, bathrooms and other modern necessities."

Improvements now in contemplation will not cost a great deal of money, installed after plans supplied by the college. Farmers are not depicted as having more cash than farmers in other parts of the valley, but the important thing is that they have the idea.

In speaking of the value of their improvements one woman said the running water in the house cuts the work in two, and another said that "we would not be making half so many trips to the hospital if we had it." New improvements under consideration with the college are listed as follows:

Septic tanks for sewage disposal—F. A. Reynolds, J. A. Botger, J. A. Stenback, John Strouts and Wiley Plunkett; water systems—F. L. Cone, John Messick, F. L. Pettit, Rev. Phelps and Mr. Plunkett. Mr. Reynolds is also studying the possibilities of a small stream for generating farm electricity.

The housewives of the district are studying their problems with the help of Eva Comegys, home demonstration agent. Community meetings are held and about the entire community turns out to report progress and get further assistance.

Read the home paper.

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.)

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Dry lime-sulfur dissolved in water is a convenient substitute for commercial liquid lime sulfur the Oregon station reports. It is somewhat more expensive to apply than lime-sulfur solution of equivalent strength. However, it is commending itself to those who cannot readily obtain the liquid lime-sulfur or who have to haul it a long distance. The excellent quality of some of the dry lime sulfur on the market is leading to an increased use of this material among commercial growers.

Let us print those butter wrappers.