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## MYRTLE POINT ITEMS.

Max Dement and family were in town from their ranch last Friday and Saturday. They returned Sunday morning.

Last Thursday evening Rev. John Lewtas, of Tacoma, Washington, war correspondent in France, was in town. He talked to the High School in the forenoon on "Turkey," which was very much enjoyed. In the afternoon he talked to the grammar school on "London," which was likewise much appreciated. In the evening he gave a lecture at the theatre on the "War and the League of Nations," illustrated with slides of the boys fighting and also of the large buildings in France, before and after they were destroyed. Mr. Lewtas has crossed the Atlantic seven times and traveled a great deal in Europe. His lecture was certainly very interesting and greatly enjoyed by all.

Will Lundy and family motored to Marshfield last Sunday.

Walter Scott, who is working in the mill at Coquille, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. J. B. Luttrell, of Broadbent, was visiting relatives at Myrtle Point the week end.

The following were those present at the farewell picnic held at Norway last Thursday evening for Mrs. Williams: Mr. and Mrs. Annin and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. McCloskey, Mrs. Marie Stemmler and family, Miss Ruth Barton, Mrs. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lewellen, Mrs. Driesbauch, Will Lundy and two daughters, Miss Nellie Barton, Dave Rackleff, Miss Zelma Strang and Geo. McDonald. A "great" time was reported by all.

The high school girls are starting a new style by wearing roses in their hair, especially the Freshmen girls.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. W. Perkins left for California Friday morning, accompanied by their daughter, Ala. They expect to visit their son, Flenze and a few of Mrs. Perkins' relatives.

J. I. Jones, of Cottage Grove, visited with the W. E. Lundy family Sunday.

The Myrtle Christian Endeavor Union held their third Annual Convention last Saturday and Sunday at Myrtle Point in the Presbyterian church. The delegates from other towns in the county were met at the train by the members of the Myrtle Point Endeavor in cars, which were decorated with the convention colors, blue and gold. The theme of the Convention was, "Prove all things and hold fast that which is good." The first meeting was held at ten o'clock Saturday morning. In the evening a banquet was given in the grove. The evening services were held around the camp fire. The services Sunday morning began at seven-thirty with a sunrise prayer meeting. The service Sunday evening at the Christian church was the Decision service.

The Myrtle Point Endeavor pledged fifty dollars towards the budget. This exceeded the pledges of all the other Endeavors in the county.

Theodore Burns, of Tillamook, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. G. A. Bunn, since last Wednesday.

W. E. Lundy and daughters, Mabel and Audrey, Miss Myrtle Tobey, Mrs. Gary and Mrs. Driesbauch motored to Norway Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. W. Stephens, who is visiting her parents on Fishtrap, motored to town Tuesday evening. On her return she was accompanied by Flossie and Herman Radabaugh, who stayed with their parents and returned early Wednesday morning to school.

Mrs. Clarence Boyrie and Mrs. Ramsey, of Coquille, attended the Christian Endeavor Convention last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Schriever, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schroeder, Claude Moon, Mrs. Marie Stemmler and Mrs. L. H. Pearce attended the Knights of Pythias banquet at Coquille Tuesday. They all enjoyed a very delightful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coulter, of Marshfield, were in town Wednesday visiting friends. They expect to leave for California next week. Mr. Coulter was the Christian minister here several years ago.

Edward Miskel, the thirteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Miskel, while catching crawfish in the Coquille river at Powers, fell in a deep hole and was drowned last Saturday. The funeral services took place Sunday in Marshfield.

W. D. Ramsey left last Monday for Marshfield to take treatments from one of the Marshfield doctors. He has been going each day this week.

Mrs. John A. Warner, of Gaylor, was in town Wednesday.

Last Friday the closing school program was given at Stringtown. All the parents were present and many friends. A very good program was rendered by the children and a very enjoyable time spent by all present.

Mrs. William Wise from near Powers was in town shopping Wednesday.

Miss Stella Barklow, who has been teaching the Stringtown school, left

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Friday evening for her home in Marshfield. Miss Barklow expects to start to school in Eugene soon.

George Adams is giving the inside of his house a new coat of paper and paint.

Mrs. C. F. DeLauney, of Reedport, spent last week-end with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Woodruff.

Little Farraly and Jack Hughes have been quite sick with colds and sore throat but are improving rapidly. Beryl Woodruff made a trip to Coquille Monday to get her glasses fixed. She says those glasses are always getting "busted."

Kathleen Marsters spent last week-end in the country beyond Catching creek.

Mrs. John Abel, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baynes, left for her home in Eugene Sunday.

The machinists are now at work at the Furniture Factory of Rev. Thomas Barklow. They are installing more machinery.

### East Fork Items.

Last week Mr. Coats, of Marshfield, bought potatoes in Brewster Valley; James Benham selling 130 sacks. Ernest Krewson, Walter Laird and Mr. Alford also sold to him this week. He is having them hauled to Coquille by a Bandon man with a two-ton truck.

Last Friday night, with Mr. Alford for company, Fred Baker took a truck load of hogs out of Brewster Valley to town. Several weeks ago he and Vern Bennett hauled out a number of truck loads of spuds from there. That valley is giving business to the trucks.

Miss Lund, the "school supervisor," and Mr. Peterson, the pig club leader, went up to Brewster Valley Tuesday evening in order to be on hand Wednesday morning for Miss Lund to inspect Ham Bunch, who is teaching the Brewster Valley school and Mr. Peterson to inspect pigs. It strikes me that they are an object lesson in applied economics. That combination saves gasoline and tires. Great is the study of economics. They will inspect other teachers and pigs as they beat it down the road.

Inez Easton, who teaches at Cecil, Morrow county, got home Friday.

Lloyd, Stella and Florence Shepherd went to James Cotton's Sunday in their car. When they came home Bertha Cotton came with them. Jess Cotton was in the Argonne battle nine days before he was gassed.

Charles Culbertson, who is working at Louie Heller's mill, came home Friday and returned Sunday. A breakdown gave him a chance to make a home visit.

Sunday many cars with many people came up the East Fork. It is a sign that the summer time is here. It did me good to catch a glimpse of the Kanu Klub folks as they passed. I shall never forget how they shortened the tri-weekly mail periods of the war by leaving late dailies in our mail box.

Mrs. Fred Baker is sick with the measles. She has had a long siege of it, but is now on the gain.

Those are heavy weight digger squirrel proclamations as published in the Sentinel. I read that a County Agent, have forgotten where, had to quit his job, and was going to go to farming. He threw up the job of peering blisters on his brains to take a possible chance of getting blisters on his hands.

On that proposed amendment to the state constitution concerning state bond payment of irrigation and drainage districts bond interest, it seems to me that the Eastern Oregon folks ought to put up their arguments on the merits of the bill, not along the line of swapping votes. We eastern Oregon, vote for the Roosevelt Highway bonds and you, western Oregon, vote for bond payment irrigation interests. If the United States matches dollars with Oregon and the Roosevelt Highway is built, it is more than a states road, it is a national highway that opens up a fertile country that is now in many places almost inaccessible.

The building of that highway would be one of the biggest advertisements for the whole state of Oregon, and would give Oregon a part of that tourist travel that has helped make the barren places of southern California orchards and gardens. If East-

ern Oregon needs the credit of the state to make barren lands become fruitful regions and of enough value to redeem the bonds, why should not the state extend the credit? But this talk about swapping votes is too much like the log rolling of the school machine for appropriations.

Three and one half tons of potatoes from J. D. Laird's have been hauled to Sumner. He had 525 sacks from three acres. August Christenson got 300 sacks from an acre and a half. Brewster Valley is some spud country.

Saturday night there was a party at Mr. Marcy's in honor of Mrs. Wilks, the teacher in Dist. No. 32.

Monday S. S. Springstead made final proof before U. S. Commissioner Dodge of Myrtle Point for homestead on Elk creek, W. T. Culbertson and Mr. Rohrer, witnesses.

Messrs. Chaney, Truzell and Hill, of Marshfield, were on the East Fork, the latter part of last week enjoying the scenery and trying to catch fish. Mr. Chaney says this is the prettiest country that he ever saw.

Mrs. Rolly Alford has gone to Eugene to visit her sister. Rolly Alford who has been working at Conlogue's Camp, is home again in Brewster Valley.

Walter Laird took a load of hogs to market Monday.

Alex Austin is building the Two-Mile bridge for which he has a contract from the county. James Benham and Harry Laird are helping him.

R. A. Easton

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