

# What's Doing In The Country

## 4 GENERATIONS IN FAMILY AT SISTERS

**SISTERS, July 5.**—Grandpa and Grandma Graham held a family reunion on the Fourth with a picnic on the Metolius river. Twenty-eight in all were to attend, five children, 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A picnic was held in Sisters on the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jaquot and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Robbins and family spent the Fourth in Bend.

Jack Robbins helped Carl Woods last week with farm work.

Having will begin this week in this section.

A rock crusher is being installed about two miles east of Sisters.

Charles Oreweller, John Dennis and Earl Robbins spent Monday evening in Redmond on business.

The Sisters stage was delayed until about 4 o'clock Monday on account of car trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Duckett was in Redmond Monday, shopping.

Charles Gist spent Monday in Redmond on business.

Clyde Duckett returned from Pe Ell, Wash., with his wife, to spend a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duckett.

Frank Arnold of Cloverdale was a business visitor in Sisters Saturday. Arnold brought strawberries here to market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Duckett spent Saturday afternoon in town, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall and children spent Tuesday in Redmond, shopping.

Miss Lorann Kirk was shopping in Sisters Saturday.

Dewey Grogan spent Saturday in Sisters.

Miss Ruby South was in Bend on Saturday, shopping.

Several large bands of sheep passed through Sisters last week on their way to the mountain range.

Among those from Sisters who attended the circus in Bend were Mr. and Mrs. E. Edgington and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Leithausen, George Aitken and son, Kenneth; Miss Lorann Kirk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Robbins was in Cloverdale Saturday on business.

Miss Rose Spoo returned Saturday from a visit with her brother, Ed Spoo, on the lower desert.

Miss Irel Harrington spent Thursday evening with Cecile Robbins.

Jack Stites worked in the place of Mr. Edgington Thursday on the road.

The Duckett sawmill shut down Thursday evening until after July 4.

The Oreweller sawmill shut down Saturday at noon until after the Fourth of July.

Mrs. John Dennis returned from camp meeting last Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Templeton returned from camp meeting last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gist and children were business visitors in Bend one day last week.

Vern Skelton was a visitor in Sisters Sunday.

Charles Christy was in Sisters on business Friday.

Mr. McDonald began driving stage last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Jacobson and little daughter spent Sunday evening at the J. P. Duckett home.

Master Howard Jaquot is spending a week in Bend visiting relatives.

## NEWS ITEMS FROM MILLICAN RANCHES

**MILLICAN, July 5.**—Miss Clara Graffenburger has been ill in bed for a week, but is now improving.

Egbert Dyer motored A. Rahn and Con Breen to Bend Saturday.

Ernest E. Dyer has been ill with a cold for a few days.

George Smith and Frank Houston have been reported ill with something like the "flu."

E. W. Sawtell motored to Bend Monday with his family.

Con Breen gathered all the help he could in this neighborhood, to help during sheep dipping. Dr. R. A. Parson attended personally to giving directions.

Miss Mary Holland is endeavoring to make a daily horseback ride to visit the Rosin family while staying in the country.

The Millican ranch is busy these days breaking wild horses.

W. E. Sawtell left with his family Tuesday to be absent for a few weeks.

## DANCE IS ENJOYED AT COMMUNITY HALL

**PLEASANT RIDGE, July 5.**—A dance was given in the Pleasant Ridge community hall on Friday evening which was well attended. Music was furnished by Wilson George's orchestra from Bend. Ice cream, cake and coffee was served by the ladies of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Teater and children were Bend visitors Thursday.

Dr. A. M. Petty made a business trip to Bend Saturday morning.

Fred Seeling of Bend spent Sunday visiting in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Anderson were shopping in Bend on Saturday.

Mrs. O. E. Anderson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Lewis of Deschutes to Bend on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cabeen of Oakesdale, Wash., arrived Wednesday evening to make their home on their ranch here.

Edgar Miller and son, Paul, of Suttle lake, called at the Gray and Anderson homes on Friday afternoon.

W. J. Shannon made a business trip to Redmond on Monday.

Antone Ahlstrom, accompanied by Mrs. Alfred Pedersen and son, Oswald, was in Bend on Wednesday.

Dr. A. M. Petty arrived from Portland Tuesday morning to spend his vacation on his ranch.

Alfred Pedersen and H. T. Mikkelsen were business visitors in Bend on Thursday.

Mrs. O. E. Anderson was a caller in Deschutes on Wednesday morning. Alfred Mikkelsen went to Deschutes Wednesday morning, where he took the train for Bend to attend the circus.

Mrs. Lavina Jones and Ed Swalley and daughters, Edith and Lois, were in Bend Wednesday to attend the circus.

Rev. and Mrs. Columbus Wardlaw of Redmond, accompanied by their daughter and two children from San Francisco, were callers at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Petty Tuesday.

Rasmus Peterson and Mrs. Catherine Johansen were dinner guests at the Chase home on Sunday.

Mrs. John Gray and daughter, Margaret, of Shevlin-Hixon camp, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Churchill were in Bend on Saturday to do some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Mikkelsen and son Alfred, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Anderson and Fred Seeling were picnicking on the river Sunday, near White Rock.

## WAS TROUBLED AT NIGHT

Painful annoying bladder weakness usually indicates kidney trouble. So do backache, rheumatism, sore, swollen or stiff muscles or joints. Such symptoms have been relieved by Foley Kidney Pills. Henry Rudolph, Carmi, Ill., writes: "Since taking Foley Kidney Pills I sleep all night without getting up." Sold everywhere.—Adv.

## DESCHUTES ALFALFA CUTTING IS BEGUN

**DESCHUTES, July 5.**—S. Debing of Deschutes was the first to start cutting his alfalfa in Deschutes.

Wade Short and Mrs. F. S. Stanley of Deschutes were business callers in Bend Thursday.

Mrs. W. Lowe and children of Deschutes were visitors at the E. M. Swalley home Friday.

Mrs. W. Lowe and children of Deschutes were visitors at the C. W. Nelson home Thursday.

Mr. Percy of Tumalo was a business caller in this neighborhood on Thursday.

Wade Short of Deschutes was a business caller in Bend Monday.

Mrs. McKnight and Gertrude Holten of Deschutes were Bend callers Monday.

E. M. Swalley and daughter Lois were business callers in Deschutes Monday.

Mrs. S. Debing and son were visitors in Deschutes Monday.

Miss Margaret Debing of Bend spent Sunday night and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Debing of Deschutes.

P. B. Gile of Bend is helping Ed Swalley irrigate his alfalfa.

Cecil Erikson of Bend, who has been working for Hal Cooke, has returned to his home in Bend.

Merwin Lee of Deschutes is working for Morrow & Keenen of Madras. G. M. Holten of Deschutes helped Ed Swalley rob his bees Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Debing of Deschutes were business callers in Bend Wednesday.

C. W. Nelson of Deschutes was a business caller in Bend Wednesday.

P. B. Gile was a business caller in Deschutes Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Holten of Deschutes were business callers in Bend Wednesday.

Sam Burgess of Bend was a business caller at the S. Debing home on Wednesday.

A number of people of this neighborhood attended the circus in Bend Wednesday.

W. E. Cooley and family were business callers in Bend Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Anderson of Pleasant Ridge were business callers in Bend Wednesday.

W. E. Van Cleave of Deschutes was a business caller at the S. Debing home Wednesday.

G. M. Holten and Jack Bruis of Deschutes were business callers in Redmond Thursday.

Mr. Phillips of Tumalo made a business trip to Bend on Friday.

Mrs. G. M. Holten of Deschutes was a business caller at the D. D. Stanton home Friday.

Mrs. M. E. Rogers of Bend was a visitor at the C. W. Nelson home Friday.

Mrs. G. M. Holten of Deschutes was a business caller in Bend on Friday.

W. E. Cooley of Bend was a business caller at the E. M. Swalley home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Moore and children were visitors at the J. R. Benham home Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Nelson of Deschutes was a visitor at the R. T. Thurston home Friday.

Walter Lowe was a business caller at the J. Lowe ranch Sunday.

## CAR'S OWNER FAILS TO CLAIM PROPERTY

A Ford car found last Tuesday by State Traffic Officer Earl B. Houston on Bond street continues without an owner. Perhaps this is because the car is wearing a Chevrolet license number, which would entitle the owner to a \$25 fine, says Houston. He is holding the car for a few days more, he states, but eventually the value of the machine will cover the fine which the owner might hope to dodge by not claiming his property.

## A GOOD THING TO KNOW

Foley Cathartic Tablets are a genuinely wholesome physic—an ideal laxative. They keep the system fit and fine, purged of poisons and ready to resist disease. Miss J. Hunter, 1260 Stedman St., N. S., Pittsburgh, Pa., writes: "I cannot praise Foley Cathartic Tablets too highly for what they have done for me."—Sold everywhere.—Adv.

## CAME BACK TO OLD HOME

Intelligent Horse Made Her Way for Many Miles to Quarters Which She Preferred.

My father was very fond of horses and owned several good ones. One which I remember particularly was a beautiful, gentle black horse—a pacer, which he named "Blackie." He was very fond of her, as well as she of him. He allowed no one to abuse her and always took the best care of her. She was petted and loved and given as much care as a child. She was one of my father's favorite horses and was the mother of one fine colt, of whom she was indeed proud.

At one time she was ill and my father sent her out to a pasture in the country. One dark December night a cold north wind blew and a light snow was falling. About midnight my father was aroused from his sleep by a strange noise. Did a horse whinny? Now he heard the unmistakable whinny of a horse, at which he arose and went out into the night. There, upon the front lawn, to his astonishment stood Blackie, who, hearing his approach, came to meet him. She nestled her head affectionately against his shoulder, and whinnied, as much as to say, "I was cold and came home. I very much prefer my own bed." My father took her to the stable and made her quite comfortable and did not again take her away.

As Blackie could open any gate, she had come home over the familiar road, a distance of several miles.—Marie McDonald Rigney in Our Dumb Animals.

## ARMS FROM FLINT DEPOSITS

Investigators Have Shown Where "Mound Builders" Got Their Supply of Materials.

Methods of ancient munition making are revealed by recent investigations of the Ohio State Archeological and Historical society, which show that the tribes which once inhabited Ohio, the so-called "Mound Builders," got their supply of flint for their arrow heads, spears, and knives from the deposits of flint which occur in the feriferous limestone of Flint ridge in Licking and Muskingum counties.

A great industry flourished there once. Skilled quarrymen, with a patience difficult to appreciate when one finds that their tools were only hammerstones of granite or quartzite, with perhaps the aid of wooden or bone wedges, worked out the stone from the ledges. Either the quarrymen or another group of workmen then roughed out the blank forms from which the implements were to be made. This was done that imperfections might be discovered and also to save the transportation of useless material.

The roughed-out blocks were then taken to the workshops in the vicinity of the quarry and expert workmen fashioned from them leaf-like blades, from which, with but little further work, all forms of arrow points, spear points, drills, knives and scrapers could be made.

## When Berlin Wanted Dark Streets.

Street lighting is ethically wrong because it is an open defiance of Deity to turn night into day—day should be day and night should be night!

In case some old-fashioned citizen of Kansas City made this startling statement he would in all probability be declared insane and be placed where he could not voice any other sentiments of a similar nature. Yet this argument antedates street lighting itself.

Historians and students on municipal affairs tell us that this argument was one of the most powerful ones against the installation of street lights in Berlin in 1820. Conservative people of that city deemed it an act against Providence to light the streets of Berlin with gas lights when God had ordained that their section of the hemisphere should be dark.—Kansas City Star.

## Great Wall of China.

An examination of the bricks and mortar in the Great Wall of China was made at Shan-hai-kwan by a chemist attached to the Bureau of Science at Manila. He reports that the bricks are so weak that pieces may be broken off with the fingers.

They are much larger than ordinary building bricks, gray in color, and resemble pumice somewhat in structure. The mortar, which is pure white under the exposed surface, is much stronger than the bricks. The tradition that the bricks were dried in the sun only has been confirmed by laboratory tests. If they had been dried in a kiln the appearance of the wall would have been considerably different and its strength and durability would have been much greater.

## Mason and Dixon's Line.

Mason and Dixon's line in itself was a very short affair, defining the boundary between the states of Pennsylvania and Maryland, about 244 miles in length. It was a subject of controversy for more than 80 years, and was finally fixed at 39 degrees, 43 minutes and 26.3 seconds north. This line, if extended across the continent, would pass through the states of West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, Nevada and California. It takes its name from the British firm of surveyors who surveyed it between 1763 and 1767. During the Civil war it was considered the northern limit of slavery, roughly separating the North from the South; Maryland and Delaware, however, both recognized slavery.

## SHELL EXPLODES IN FIRE, BOY IS HIT

A bullet from a shell which exploded in a camp fire pierced the hand of Homer Smith, son of E. A. Smith of Bend, Sunday night while he and Robert Foley were camping on the Tumalo near the fish hatchery, the boys related on their return home. The bullet passed through the fleshy part of Homer's hand, failing to strike the bone, so that the wound is expected to heal rapidly.

## Glass Resists Fire.

There is a product called "wire glass" which, it appears, presents a most effective barrier against fire. It consists simply of a meshwork of wire embedded in a glass plate. Even when flaked by flames and raised to a red heat it does not fall to pieces, and it has been shown in many cases that, employed in windows and skylights, wire-glass not only resists the heat or fire, but also the shattering effects of cold water poured over it while it is yet glowing hot.

## Horse Racing 900 Years Ago.

Horse racing in England is said to have been first established at Chester in the year 1000.

## CHARGES ILLEGAL CIGARETTE SALES

John Turner and M. F. Owens, proprietors of a shoe shining parlor on Wall street, are named in complaints being issued today. District Attorney A. J. Moore stated, charging them with selling cigarettes to minors. These charges were the result of investigations conducted by Moore Wednesday, when a number of possible witnesses were subpoenaed.

## His Explanation.

A small boy was given a dime by his mother to put in the plate at his Sunday school. When he returned in time for tea, he was eating rapidly out of a bag of sweets. "Where on earth did you get the money to buy sweets with?" asked his mother. "You gave me a dime," said he. "But that was for your Sunday school, and besides—" "Oh, that's all right, mother," he interrupted. "I met the clergyman at the door, so I got in free."

## Phi Beta Kappa Founded in 1776.

The Phi Beta Kappa college fraternity is the oldest of the Greek letter societies. It was founded at William and Mary college, Virginia, in 1776.

## SEES OWNER OF HOME LEFT 35 YEARS AGO

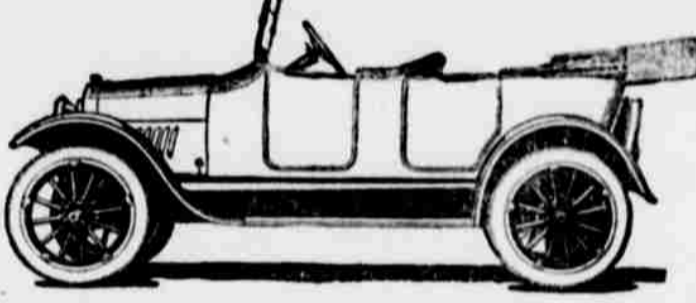
Thirty-five years ago H. Cato, local tailor, left his home in Norkoping, Sweden. Last week he met the man who for years has been living in the house at Norkoping in which the Cato family had resided. E. Kjelberg, the present owner of the old Cato home, is visiting in Bend, intending to return to Sweden later in the summer to interest farmers in the vicinity of Norkoping in the agricultural opportunities offered in Central Oregon.

## Persia Now Educates Women.

In Persia, where parents at one time were glad to be rid of little girls and willingly sold them for a few dollars, there is now a strong desire for educated womanhood, as evidenced by the establishment of industrial and other schools for girls.

## Care of Hands.

To simply shake the hands up and down freely from the wrist for a few moments will keep them pliable and at the same time produce a healthy circulation, which will manifest itself in the color of the finger tips.



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