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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

J. E. Loggan is over from Crane.

Sid Comegys was in town from Diamond on Thursday.

Mrs. Lee Caldwell is absent on a visit to Portland.

Frank Steele was in town during the week.

B. B. Clark was up from his ranch home in the Happy Valley section for a few days during this week.

Ted Patterson and M. A. Biggs are among the grip victims who have been confined to their rooms during this week.

Among the new improvements going forward is the foundation of a modern stone residence being erected by Arthur Hahn and Charles Backus in the addition opened up by the Burns Townsite Co. near the public school house.

The city council has decided to begin preliminary work on the proposed water and sewer system in Burns. This decision was reached at the regular council meeting this week. The first work in that line will be the sinking of a test well.

The Annual Easter Egg Rolling contest given by the Mothers Club, will be held at the Presbyterian church grounds on Friday, April 10. All children getting out of school at 2:30 will have their contest first. Each mother will supply a dozen colored eggs for this contest delivered to Mrs. Hotchkiss. Mothers who are not members of the club may supply a like number if they desire to participate.

Carroll Cecil was in town Tuesday. He returned Sunday from a visit to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lillard were over from their farm home on Calamity creek near Van on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. M. McDade and her mother, Mrs. Geo. A. Smyth, have been up from the southern part of the county this week, the former to attend to some land matters and the latter to visit her dentist.

The rain storm that visited this vicinity yesterday afternoon was most welcome and it is hoped the area covered was of such extent and the rain fall sufficiently heavy to do some real good. The ranges need rain as do the cultivated crops.

Lynn George left Wednesday morning for Canyon City after spending a week or more here with his sister, Mrs. Lela Millar. The latter's health having improved during the week she desired that Lynn return home as he was busy.

Capt. Gowan is arranging to take care of the public land matters, after the first of next month. He can give information as to the status of public lands, having access to the plats of the district, and is the duly qualified United States Commissioner herein.

Chas. Needham and family took their departure Wednesday morning for Maryville, Missouri, making the journey by auto. Mr. Needham had resided in this county for several years, having farmed near the Weaver Springs for a time but of recent years he has lived in this community, farming the J. C. Foley place last year. He goes to Missouri with the expectation of remaining for an indefinite time but may return to Harney county at some future time.

Oscar Downs was in town from his Catlow farm home for a couple of days this week.

C. B. McConnell made a trip out to Malheur county during the week on legal business.

Ed Egli is in town having arrived here from Bend last night. He and his family are now residing in Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dillon and little daughter were in town Tuesday. They have been living at Denio since last fall where Mrs. Dillon was teaching but her term is completed there now and they are moving into Nevada, about 30 miles below Denio where she will begin another term of school.

Fred Lunaburg brings back the sad news of the death of Perry L. Sheldler, the second county clerk of Harney county. Mr. Sheldler was a resident of Los Angeles, living in the block next to where Mr. Lunaburg's niece resides. Mr. Sheldler died the latter part of last month and Fred was one of the pall bearers.

Burns McGowan arrived home last Sunday from Eugene where he has been attending the University of Oregon. Burns has had the good fortune to be selected as principal in an appointment to Annapolis. He goes to Baker the middle of next month for a mental examination and if successful will leave shortly after for the east where he will later be compelled to undergo a rigid physical examination. His many friends are hoping he will be successful in both and that he realizes his ambition.

C. C. Kilburn ranch foreman at the Island Ranch of the Pacific Live Stock Co., is getting around with the aid of crutches these days as a result of receiving a kick on the leg by a horse. Cam was the first bronco buster the writer ever saw on a bucking horse and therefore has been something of a hero in his eyes ever since. He wouldn't consider it any disgrace to be hurt in cranking a car or an automobile accident, but after all these years to let a cayuse get the best of him is something of a come down in our eyes. Cam can't be getting old and careless, he's just in his prime and capable of doing a real day's work every day in the week.

County Water Master A. H. Page was over from his home at Diamond during the week.

The public school power equipment was changed this week from gasoline engines to electric motors.

The Harney county high school students held their annual clean-up day yesterday and have set a pace for the town to follow.

David Jones was in from the Silver creek ranch home yesterday on business. He has recently returned from a visit to Lake county.

There will be no preaching services in the Baptist church Sunday, March 29 as Rev. Eugene Howd and family have been called to Centralia, Wash., on account of the serious illness of Mr. Howd's father. There will be Sunday School at the usual hour Sunday morning and Young Peoples meeting at 6:30 P. M.

Miss Georgia Felton was married last week to Floyd Rogers, at Caldwell, Idaho. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hank Felton, former residents of this city and well known to many of our older residents. Miss Georgia is a very attractive young lady and her many young school friends in Burns wish her every happiness.

Relatives have received the information that Miss Agnes Foley has been given a position in the schools of Gary, Indiana for the coming year. According to members of the teaching profession the Gary schools are the most up to date in the United States, it being a new system that is attracting much attention. Miss Foley is a very capable young lady and has been adding to her qualifications by attending some of the best schools recently in acquiring advantages in her line of work. Her many friends congratulate her upon having the good fortune to be selected as one of the instructors in the Gary schools.

NO TRESPASSING

The gravel pit is a dangerous place and this warning is given parents to caution their children not to go on the premises. In fact trespassing is strictly forbidden.

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