

OFF IN A CORNER WITH PHIL SNORT

Dear Ed: A few Sundays ago I was taken over to the "Stewart Ranch", now owned by E. R. Brown, and entertained r-yally. It was the first time I was there since some time before Frank Stiltz's passing. What a change! I was not only surprised, but dumbfounded. I could hardly believe what my eyes beheld. For many years Frank had dreamed of the ranch that is there today, but he never lived to realize it. It was the lack of money and modern farm equipment that kept Frank from producing a like ranch that exists there at the present time. Eugene Brown has been blessed with all that Frank lacked and has built up as fine, if not the finest ranch there is in the Illinois Valley. I knew that Gene was doing things on Lucinger creek, but I didn't realize how much until I

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE — Cabbage plants. Clyde Brown, one-half mile north of Kerby. 13-2tp

TO GIVE AWAY — Fallen trees for wood. Inquire at The News Office.

ROBBER'S ROOST AT KERBY

FOR SALE—Like new, Salmon pole, reel, fish box and tackle; new 12x14 tent, 12-oz. army duck; Hamilton 17 jewel watch; new split bamboo fly rod and other articles too numerous to mention. Also Portable Corona and No. 5 Underwood Standard typewriters. 14-tfc

LISTINGS WANTED — Country and town property, acreage, ranches and business opportunities. Leave listings at Freeman's Auto Service and Parts, Cave Junction, our valley office. Walter Freeman and Raymond Proctor, salesmen. Geo. P. Chalker, Realtor. tf

FOR SALE — Anvil and Forge. See Carl at Kerby. 14-1tp

MEDICAL ARTS LABORATORY, 611 East G street, Grants Pass. Malaria smears, skin tests, blood typing and count. Basal metabolism, etc. 13-tfc

DYNAMITE Try Valley Lumber Co. if you need blasting powder. 221 West F St., Grants Pass. 44-tfc

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FURNITURE — When you need New or Used Furniture, think of Manchel's. Keep up the home the boys are fighting for. Manchel's Furniture, 112 N. 6th St., Grants Pass. 2-tf

STRAYED OR STOLEN — Very dark gray Persian kitten, just weaned. Any information will be appreciated. Reward. Leave word at News office. 14-1tp

CASH BUYERS of poultry and eggs. We were here before the war and will still be here after VJ day. Our market is Oregon. Rogue Valley Poultry & Egg. 13-tfc

FOR SALE — Growing business that will gross around \$600.00 per month. Farm and city property. See Ted Athey at The News-office.

FOR SALE—7 room furnished house in Takilma, over acre of ground. Woodshed full of wood, hen house, tool house, 2-room cabin in rear of house, both wired for electricity. See L. E. Athey, News office 13-tfc

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ABSTRACTS — Title insurance, affiliated with Commonwealth, Inc., Josephine County Abstract Co., 217-219 No. 6th St., Grants Pass.

REGULAR FREE CLINIC Wednesday, August 8th Legion hall. Immunizations will be given.

HAVE BUYERS for ranches, large and small. You furnish the property and we furnish the buyers. List with Sam J. Miller, Muir Auto Court, Cave Junction. 5-tf

FOR SALE—No trespassing cards at The News Office. 52tf

passed that Sunday there. It only goes to show what money, modern machinery, hard work and brains can do. Given a spot where a real ranch can be made, in our valley, and men like Gene Brown will make it.

Gene was in the midst of harvest and I rode his combine around a 71 acre field of oats and vetch, as fine as I ever saw in any country. It was the first combine I ever saw in operation in the Illinois Valley, yet I knew there were others. The Brown ranch has produced more than \$3000 worth of farm produce this year, at least, so I have authentically been told. What I mostly deplore is to see this produce hauled out of the valley, ground into stock feed, then hauled back to feed the valley stock. Maybe a mill will be installed here in the near future. Let us hope.

I still maintain that we do not have an agricultural valley, but I do claim that there are some fine ranches here, many fine garden spots and the finest residential conditions in the world. I shall have more to say along these lines in future letters. PHIL SNORT.

IN MEMORIAM

On June 8, 1945, the Community church was filled to capacity with those of the neighborhood who came to pay a tribute of love and respect to their friend and neighbor, Marta Webb who passed away on June 5th.

Martha (or Marta) as her husband and relatives called her was little more than a bride when she came to Illinois Valley in 1904 and had lived here continuously since that time. She was a very quiet woman but always cheerful, loveable and considerate of others. Husband, children and home were her first thoughts. Then in civic affairs she was again her own quiet but efficient self.

During the years when the O'Brien community boasted of one of the finest Parent-Teacher associations in the county, Martha was the organization's official hostess, working faithfully with the officers for the comfort of others. In 1940 she became a member of the O'Brien Woman's club, where she made many warm and true friends who shall long remember her sweet and gentle manner.

Born in Sweden, on December 5, 1877, she came to America at an early age with her parents, received her education here and in 1902 was married to Louis R. Webb in Sioux City, Iowa. The two sons, Ted R. and Verne R. Webb, with their father, Louis R. Webb, survive.

PHOTO COLLECTION C. OF C. AMBITION

The Grants Pass and Josephine County Chamber of Commerce will soon have a usable collection of photographs of industries and sports in the Rogue River valley if plans now under way can be worked out, Warren Whitlock, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said this week.

The photographic program will include pictures of lumbering in this area from log to the rough lumber in the mills, shots of large trees along the highways and pictures of processing and remanufacturing. Mining will be covered in all its phases, chemical and placer. There will be pictures of Rogue river mining and shots of typical prospectors. Hopyards, bulb farms, turkey raising, dairying and truck farming will be covered in the agricultural field.

The scenic beauties of southern Oregon will be covered in a series of pictures of the Rogue river, the Oregon Caves, the city of Grants Pass, and other beauty spots of the county.

Pictures of this area as the northernmost county of the Redwood Empire will be among the collection, Whitlock said. Pictures of the Oregon Cavemen and their various activities will be included. There will be also a special events section, showing scenes at gladoli shows, pageants produced in this area, participation in patriotic parades, etc.

Whitlock spoke of the many requests that have come into the Chamber of Commerce office for pictures to be used in pamphlets and magazines with circulation throughout the nation. The photographic program will prove of inestimable value as an advertising medium for the county, and the collection of pictures will serve as a backlog for future material to advertise the county through the Chamber of Commerce office, he said.

News Items from Selma

The "Hammer's Store" which has been in Selma for so many years was re-painted this week and now carries the new owner's name as "Hundley's Store".

Mrs. Earl King has returned to her home in Selma after a week's visit in Klamath Falls, with relatives.

Rev. Harold Anderson, pastor of Selma Baptist church, made a business trip to Huston, Calif., last week. Mrs. Anderson and children spent the week with her parents in Grants Pass during his absence.

Dorothy Breazeale, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breazeale, is recuperating from an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. B. J. Dickerson entertained her Sunday school class of girls last Saturday, July 21st, at a slumber party, at her home on the Pomero ranch.

There seems to be a serious epidemic in the Selma vicinity, namely, toothitis. Latest victims are Ernest Hatmaker, B. J. Dickerson and Mrs. Gordon Stevens. On the road to recovery from the same trouble were Mrs. Earl King and Mrs. B. J. Dickerson.

The Women's Missionary society of Selma held an all day meeting last Thursday at the church. Bandages were made for the Red Cross. In the afternoon Mrs. Anna Miller gave an interesting lesson on Missions in Africa. A special song was given by Mrs. Norman and her daughter, Mildred. Scripture was read by Mrs. Ernest Hatmaker. About 19 women were present.

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