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"Over The Hill"

The marriage of Miss Lillian Brickey, a faculty member of Weston High school, and Theodore Rich of Walla Walla, occurred June 29 at the home of the bride's parents in Provo, Utah. Mrs. Rich has resigned her position in the local school, and together with her husband will establish a home in Walla Walla.

Mrs. A. C. Brown and little daughter Geraldine left Saturday on their return home to Vancouver, after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. Iven O'Harra.

A. J. Proebstel came up last week on a vacation trip from the Willamette valley, where he has been engaged in field work for the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. He is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lillian Fredericks.

It was an encouraging moment at the road meeting in Weston Saturday when the Union county delegation of eight members walked in on the gathering, after a motor trip

across the mountains from Elgin via the proposed route of the Blue Mountain highway. They were headed by Lee Tuttle, one of the original Blue Mountain road boosters, and Cecil Galloway, county commissioner. Before starting for home, the visitors insisted that a party of Umatilla county men go over soon and visit them, saying that the people of the two counties saw far too little of each other for such near neighbors. Mr. Tuttle's car register the distance from Elgin to Weston as 41.9 miles.

Mrs. Robert C. French, wife of the former president of the Weston Normal, was in town Saturday and attended the good roads banquet, having motored up from Pendleton with Mayor and Mrs. G. A. Hartman. Mrs. French said that her husband is at present in Europe. He has recently been engaged in educational work in New York.

J. E. Jones and Henry Thompson spent two and one-half days on a recent hunt for bear in the Black Mountain country. They saw three of the animals and took several

shots at one of them, but at a distance too great for execution. They ran across a number of deer, which were quite gentle, as though aware that the closed season rendered them immune.

J. E. McDaniel has purchased from J. Boucher 11½ acres of good garden and fruit land adjoining the city limits of Weston on the east. A neat little cottage is located on the tract, and it is otherwise improved. Mr. and Mrs. Boucher have gone to Billings, Montana, to look after their interests there.

Prof. A. W. Lundell and family and Mr. Merle Sloan were up from Pendleton Sunday, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Landell.

Otto Purcell is serving as temporary carrier on rural route No. 1 out of Weston. Mr. Purcell was the first applicant for the route, which was lately made vacant by the resignation of Earl Barnett.

The Misses Harriett and Lurah Benedict, sisters of Mrs. Nelson H. Jones, have arrived from Moline, Illinois, to visit at the Jones residence during the summer. They are en-

joying a vacation from duty as buyers and department heads for a large department store at Moline. The Misses Benedict stopped off at Colorado Springs en route. They will accompany Mayor and Mrs. Jones on a drive over the Columbia Highway to Portland and thence to Seattle, returning via the Snoqualmie pass.

A party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes, Nora Barnes and J. R. Barnes and family were among the many people who sought Sunday the shady nooks and piscatorial pleasures offered by the Umatilla river.

Kendall Smith has gone to Waukegan, Wash., to take part in harvest operations on the Staggs & Sons holdings. He accompanied G. W. and Glenn Staggs.

Mrs. J. Kirkpatrick left Monday for a visit with her children at Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wurzer spent last Sunday very pleasantly in an outing on the Umatilla. Joe landed fourteen nice trout, the largest measuring fifteen inches in length.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bulfinch are on their way from South Bend to San Francisco, where Mr. Bulfinch was engaged in the grain business in early years. They took passage on a lumber schooner, in order to get the full benefit of the ocean voyage.

John Carmichael, a brother of Geo. Carmichael, was seriously hurt a few days ago in an accident near Lexington, Morrow county, where he has long been engaged in farming. Mr. Carmichael, who is 69 years old, was overturned with a load of hay, and landed with his back against a stump.

Claude Snider has returned from Kent, Wash., where he has lately been employed in a cannery. Claude has put in a year gaining useful experience in the industrial world, and

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after harvest expects to take mechanical engineering at the University of Washington, Seattle. He is an alumnus of Weston High.

Mrs. Mary E. Price of Pilot Rock, who has a number of nephews and a niece residing in Weston, was operated on for cancer Tuesday at Pendleton. Her condition is reported to be very serious.

Mrs. Alfred Pambrun returned Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pambrun at their home south of Athena. Mrs. Fuson accompanied the Pambruns on a trip to the Umatilla river to witness the big Indian celebration.

Fifty acres of red chaff grown by Sim J. Culley on the DeGraw farm south of Weston has been certified as seed wheat by Fred Bennion, county agent, and a professor from Oregon Agricultural College, who yesterday made a careful examination of the field, and found it containing less than three-tenths of one percent mixture. The field was developed from hand-picked red chaff.

A decided change for the better is reported this week in the condition of Mrs. J. M. Banister. Members of the family are hopeful that she will be able in due course to leave her sick bed, which she has been compelled to occupy continuously for the past five weeks.

Louis Christensen, long a well-known farmer of Reed and Hawley mountain, was called by death Thursday at St. Anthony's hospital, Pendleton, a few days after sustaining an operation for the relief of an enlarged gall bladder. The funeral services will be held in Weston at 10 a. m. Saturday. Mr. Christensen had been a mountain resident for thirty years or more, and enjoyed an enviable reputation for industry and integrity. He had no family, but is survived by two sisters, one residing at Grand Island, Nebraska, and the other at Shoshone, Idaho. A niece, Mrs. Anna Jensen of Grand Island, had been visiting him, accompanied by her family, and was with him during the last hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Dowd of Walla Walla are visiting at the E. C. Rogers residence in Athena. They lately returned from a trip to Portland and the Sound, and are leaving soon for Yellowstone Park, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Churchman of Walla Walla. The party will travel in two motor cars, provided with plenty of camp equipment and ready for an extended tour.

While harvest is well under way in the light land districts, only one outfit has so far taken the field in the Weston neighborhood—the Sim J. Culley combine, which cut its first swath yesterday at the Price Bros. place on Dry creek. The grain is reported to be slightly pinched, but this is expected of a good share of the Weston crop. "Buzz" Fisk will begin operations tomorrow at the Banister place near town.

BACKS U. P. PROGRAM
Oswald West, former governor of Oregon, addressing the Bend Commercial club Wednesday, urged its members to get behind the Union Pacific program of railroad development as the best for the future of the state as a whole.

BURIAL OF MURDERERS
The burials of Elvie Kirby and John Rathie, hanged for complicity in the murder of Sheriff Taylor, have taken place. Kirby was buried in the Catholic cemetery at Salem, and the body of Rathie was sent to Idaho Falls for interment.

GRESHAM LOGANBERRIES
Gresham Loganberries are selling on the Athena market at \$2.40 per crate. The berries are of excellent quality this year.

ROUND-UP DAYS
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