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CHAS. E. BARBER PASSES

This community was brought to a realization of the terrible consequence of influenza by the passing of our esteemed fellow citizen, Chas. E. Barber, at 2:30 on Monday morning, January 6th. He was taken ill just one week previous and seemed to get along nicely until Thursday when his condition became serious and continued to grow worse. On Saturday Dr. Sanders was summoned from Halfway to consult with Dr. Wilson in regard to the case, and their verdict left little hope. Everything that medical aid and loving hands could do was done, but to no avail.

Charles Ernest Barber was born at Pendleton, Oregon, on May 22, 1884, and was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barber.

When but a child he came to Eagle Valley with his parents and has since made this his home. Being of ambitious mind, when he had finished the Richland school he went to Baker and attended high school. Not content with the education thus far secured he went to Oregon Agricultural College, where finished a four-year course in pharmaceuticals in two years, graduating in 1907. He was a member of the Pacific Coast champion football team while at O.A.C.

He was married to Evelyn Greener in Pine Valley on May 30, 1909, and assumed management of the Richland Drug Store in October of the same year.

Charlie, as the deceased was called by most of his friends and acquaintances, was one of the influential business men of Eastern Baker County and the prospects for a great success in life were exceptionally brilliant.

In the prime of life and of excellent physique; energetic and ambitious; fair and honorable in all dealings; always ready and willing to assist in every movement that would tend toward the further advancement and general good of the community, his death leaves a vacancy in Eagle Valley that will be noticed for many a day. He was registered in U. S. Public Service Reserve and took a prominent part in all war drives.

Besides the father and mother, the deceased leaves a wife and three small children, also a sister Mrs. Nellie Cropp of Banks, Ore., and one brother, Alfred, with the American Expeditionary Forces in France. Friends innumerable join in extending to the grief-stricken relatives a world of sympathy, at the same time realizing that naught but time can assuage the pangs of the aching heart.

The remains were laid to rest in the Eagle Valley cemetery yesterday (Wednesday) the funeral being conducted by Irvine Lodge No. 86 Knights of Pythias of which he was a Past Chancellor Commander. The beautiful

burial service of the order being read at the grave. Mr. Barber was also a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The numerous floral offerings evidenced in no small degree the love and respect held for the deceased.

A PIONEER LAID TO REST

William Maholum Nash, a resident for many years of Eagle Valley, passed away at his home in Weiser, Idaho, at 4:00 p. m. on Tuesday, December 31st, 1918, aged 87 years and 11 months. He had been in poor health for two years past, and death was the result of a shock caused by a fall he recently received and the complications due to old age.

Mr. Nash was a native of North Carolina and in December, 1854, was married to Elizabeth Graham who preceded him to the Great Beyond in 1913, and by whose side he was laid to rest in the Eagle Valley cemetery on last Friday afternoon.

From North Carolina, Mr. Nash and family moved to Missouri where he joined the Confederate army and served four years in the Civil War.

In 1870 he moved to Big Valley, California, when that country was newly opened up. In 1882 he came to Eagle Valley where he remained many years, being engaged in agriculture and sheep raising, and was well and favorably known throughout Baker county. He moved to Weiser in 1908 and since the death of his wife had made his home with his daughter in that city, Mrs. E. H. Swisher.

Mr. Nash united with the Presbyterian church when very young and remained a member during his life.

He is survived by the daughter named above; a son, Wm. D. Nash; and a daughter by adoption, Mrs. Chas. Howell of Richland. Eight grand children and ten great grand children.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved.

To Help Returned Soldiers.

A letter received Tuesday evening announced the appointment of Chas. E. Barber and C. E. Thorp as members of the Board of Managers U. S. Department of Labor, Employment Service, Baker district, to have charge of the work in Eagle Valley. Judge Wm. Doby, as Bureau Manager, is the official head of the district.

Until an appointment is made to fill vacancy caused by Mr. Barber's death, Mr. Thorp will act alone in this community. It will be his duty to register positions and opportunities open for returned soldiers and sailors, and to register returned soldiers and sailors who desire to be placed.

All residents of this community in need of help now, or may need same in the near future, and requested to call at News office.

MRS. NETTIE CROSS DEAD

Mrs. Bert Masterson and Miss Goldie Sullivan were called to Boise last week by the serious illness of their sister, Mrs. Frank B. Cross, also her husband and little daughter Frances.

Mrs. Cross passed away at 4:20 Monday morning. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Sullivan and grew to womanhood in Eagle Valley, and her body will be brought here for burial as soon as Mr. Cross is able to travel.

Former Resident Buried Here

Mrs. C. W. Wallace died at her home in Pine Valley at 5:00 p. m. on Saturday, January 4th, 1919. The funeral services were held at the Christian church in Halfway on Monday, after which the remains were brought to Richland and laid to rest in the Eagle Valley cemetery by the side of her little son who passed away about five years ago.

Death was the result of heart trouble, with which she had been afflicted for several years, aggravated by a recent attack of flu.

Gertrude S. Snively-Wallace was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Snively and was the first child born at Cornucopia. The date of her birth being April 25th, 1886. On December 27th, 1906, she was married to C. W. Wallace at Halfway and for a number of years was a resident of Eagle Valley, uniting with the Christian church in Richland 11 years ago. She was a follower of Christ, a true wife, and a loving mother, and had a host of friends in this section who extend their warmest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

She is survived by her mother, now a resident of Union, Oregon; her husband, a son three years of age, also a number of other relatives whose names we did not learn.

Notice to Patrons.

On account of the epidemic we will be unable to make cheese for a short time, but will receive cream every day as usual.

ad Mutual Creamery Co.

Injured in France.

A letter received from France, dated Dec. 10th, stated that Ernest W. Connall was wounded by an explosion, his face and hands being severely burned. No further particulars were given except that Ernest's address was Base Hospital 67, A. P. O. 789, American Expeditionary Forces.

A letter received from Ray Taylor, written Dec. 8th, states that he is in the best of health. He made no mention of having been "missing in action."

Brick codfish is wholesome; buy it at Saunders Bro's.—ad

FLU HITS US HARD

The influenza has spread to epidemic proportions in Eagle Valley and it behooves each and every resident to take precaution to prevent serious results.

It is agreed generally by physicians that vaccination lessens the danger, although it does not prevent a person taking the disease. It is well to be on the safe side.

While there have been around 150 cases reported in the past week and more people are being taken down every day, there has been but one death. This is conclusive evidence that the disease is not as dangerous here as it has proven to be in other localities.

So far Dr. Wilson has been able to handle the situation alone, but there is a limit to human endurance, and it would be well for all of us to lighten his work as much as possible. One way to do this is to avoid night calls only when absolutely necessary.

Mr. A. N. Fisher of Halfway is in charge of the drug store. He is a graduate of one of the best pharmacy schools in America and has a number of years experience so you may rest assured that all prescriptions will be properly filled.

All of the schools are again closed and will remain so until the epidemic abates. The board of directors have done what they deemed best and offer no apology for their action. Most of the teachers are acting as volunteer nurses.

The citizens of the community must cooperate by keeping their children at home as much as possible; by avoiding crowds and visiting. If you or any of your family experience any symptoms of the disease, secure medical aid.

Former Resident Dies at Salem

Lieutenant Charles Cropp, a former resident of Eagle Valley and a brother of J. C. Cropp of this community, died of influenza early Monday morning at his home in Salem, where he was spending a furlough from Camp Lewis. He was a practicing physician at Independence previous to enlisting in the army.

The annual meeting of the Eagle Valley Cattle Association was held at the K. P. hall Monday. Elmer Holman was reelected president; J. W. Carnahan, vice president; L. C. Holman, secretary-treasurer; W. S. Saunders was elected riding foreman; J. C. Bowen and Dan V. Gover were elected as new members of the advisor board and W. Lovell Gover reelected as a member of same. County Agent Tweed was present at the meeting and gave detailed information on organizing a Registered Bull Assn. and the benefits to be derived from same.

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