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## The "Spanish Flu."

Since our experience with the "flu" last spring we have frequently been asked "What is it like?" We have never felt capable of giving an adequate definition, but after interviewing Bert Bennetoff, R. M. Kirk and several other sufferers, we have concluded that the following lines describe the "flu" concisely:

When your back is broke and your eyes are blurred, and your shin-bones knock and your tongue is furred, and your tonsils squeak and your hair gets dry, and you're doggone sure you're goin' to die, but you're scared you won't and afraid you will, just crawl into bed and have your chill and pray the Lord to see you through, for you've got the flu, boy, you've got the flu.

When your toes curl up and your belt goes flat, and you're twice as mean as an old tom cat, and your life is one long dismal curse, and food tastes like a hard-boiled harse; when your old back aches and your head's a-buzz and nothing at all is just like it was, with deepest regret we say to you—yov've got the flu, boy, you've got the flu.

What is it like, this Spanish flu? Ask us, brother; for we've been through. It is by chance born of despair; it looms your teeth and pulls out your hair; it thins your blood, it grinds your bones and fills you full of moans and groans. Sometime, perhaps, you may get well; doctors say 'tis flu—we say 'tis hell.

## Died of Heart Trouble.

W. B. Willoughby, a former resident of Eagle Valley, passed away at Ashland last Sunday as a result of heart trouble and will be buried in Baker, where he had made his home for the past few years.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one son, A. D. Willoughby of Tacoma, Wash.; also three sisters, Mrs. E. Taylor and Mrs. Sarah Fanshier, both of Baker, and Mrs. Martha Padrick of Idaho; and several brothers whose address we did not learn.

## Words of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends of Robinette and Eagle Valley for their sympathy expressed by letter and floral offerings in the last illness of our husband and father.

Mrs. Bess Helmick,  
Master Paul Helmick,  
Miss Glendyn Hawthorne.

On Saturday evening a surprise party was given at the Geo. W. Jones home in celebration of Leonard Jones' 26th birthday. The participants all came masked and it is needless to say that they had a royal good time.

Kodak films developed and printed, watches cleaned and repaired. Richland Drug Store.—ad

Come to Saunders Bro's for babies' hats and bonnets.—ad

Byron Thompson arrived home yesterday.

## Water System for Richland Again Under Way.

The matter of a water system for Richland is again being agitated and indications are that something will be done. Mr. Hall representing the Keeler Bros., a bond buying firm of Portland, and Louis C. Kelsey, consulting engineer State Board of Health, met with the town council Tuesday evening and the matter was discussed in detail.

Mr. Hall stated that his firm would place a bid of par for the bonds when issued, and were in readiness to contract to attend to all legal work connected with the matter for two per cent of the bond issue.

Mr. Kelsey gave as his opinion that the system as planned would cost in the neighborhood of \$35,000 when completed.

Contracts were signed with the above named gentlemen to supervise the legal and engineering details.

As the town charter provides for but \$20,000 for a water system it will be necessary to hold a special election to vote an amendment providing for the issuance of additional bonds in order to complete the project. This election will be held in the near future, and previous to that time we will publish statements from various of our citizens giving their opinion on the matter.

## Former Resident Dies.

Frank Helmick, a former resident of Richland, passed away at Boise on Friday night, June 7th, as a result of complications following an attack of influenza several months ago. The remains were buried at Boise on Monday, a number of friends from here and Robinette being present at the funeral.

Mr. Helmick was well known throughout this section. For a number of years he was engaged in the freighting business and later was employed by E. & W. Chandler. About nine years ago he purchased an interest in and assumed management of the S. & F. Forwarding Co. at Robinette and remained there until a few months ago when he took up his residence in Boise so as to obtain medical attention.

The deceased is survived by his wife and one son, Paul, age 6; and a stepdaughter, Glendyn Hawthorne; also a sister, Mrs. Duncan Fraser, a resident of Baker, to all of whom the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends is extended.

Franklin W. Helmick was born at New Haven, Ind., on Feb. 24, 1871, and came West when but a small lad, spending the greater part of his life in Eastern Baker county. A kind and loving husband and father, a true friend, a conscientious business man, his passing leaves a vacancy that can never be filled.

Tracy Matthews has purchased W. E. Barber's interest in the livery barn.

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## AUTO RATES REDUCED

Following our policy of treating our patrons with utmost liberality in every way, we announce the following fares are now in effect on our stage line:

From Richland to Baker - \$3	To Richland from Baker - \$3
" Halfway to Baker - 4	To Halfway from Baker - 4
" Cornucopia to Baker - 5	To Cornucopia from Baker - 5

Orders left at Richland Hotel or at Livery Barn will receive prompt and careful attention. If in Baker phone 52

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## Church Dedication.

On next Sunday, June 15th, the Methodist church will be dedicated. Rev. H. S. Shangle will have charge of the service. An appropriate program has been arranged, a feature of which will be some excellent music.

All the cost of the church, even to the painting recently completed, has been provided for and there will be no debt to raise.

There will be a basket dinner served at the church after the dedication. This will give a better opportunity for those farther away to attend. The ladies of the Valley are invited to bring dinners and invite others to do likewise.

The services at Pleasant Ridge are postponed in order to have a baptismal service here in the afternoon at three o'clock.

All are invited to come to both morning and evening services.

NOTICE—All who contracted bills at the Richland Drug Store on or before May 7th must make settlement on or before June 14, else the bills will be placed in attorney's hands for collection.

ad29-30 Evelyn N. Barber.

Dr. M. D. Fleming, Optometrist, will be at the Richland Hotel, on Saturday and Sunday, June 21st and 22nd. Call on him if your eyes need attention.—ad

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## NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 44 of Baker county, State of Oregon, that the Annual School Meeting of said district will be held at the school house in Richland, to begin at the hour of 1:30 in the afternoon on the third Monday of June, being the 16th day of June, A. D. 1919.

The meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director for two-year term, and one clerk for one-year term.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1919.

G. M. MOODY,

Chairman Board of Directors.

Attest: C. E. THORP,

District Clerk.