

Local Happenings

While in the city this week on his annual visit, Henry Blackman remarked to this paper that his family is somewhat scattered at present. Mrs. Blackman remaining at the home in San Francisco, and the boys being at various points over the globe. "Hep" is in New York city and connected with Daily News, a pictorial paper, as night editor. Leo is superintendent of a silver smelter, producing 30,000 ounces of silver weekly down in Bolivia and "Abe" is manager of a chain of milk houses down in California. As for Mr. Blackman himself, it is a hard matter to get him located definitely, for when he travels he registers for Heppner; he is registered in his home in San Francisco, therefore he does not know just exactly where he is.

Chas. H. Latourell and wife returned home Tuesday from an auto trip to the Tillamook coast, where Charley states he had been informed the fish were eating up the fishermen and he just had to go over and see about it. They were joined by friends at Portland and spent a couple of days on the coast, where Mr. Latourell found the reverse to be true for fishing was very poor. The ride over is now a pleasure, however, as there are good paved and macadam roads all the way. Weather at the coast now is pretty cool.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Campbell and son Arthur, accompanied by Mrs. A. G. Devere and daughters Lyle and Cecile arrived home from Eugene on Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Campbell motored to the university city for the purpose of witnessing the graduation of their son from U. of O. and Mrs. Devere and daughters have been residing in Eugene for the past several years where the young ladies have been attending college.

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Edward Chidsey of Heppner was a visitor at Wallowa Lake Park Saturday evening. Mr. Chidsey is with the surveying crew of the state highway commission which is working on the Grand Ronde division of the La Grande-Joseph highway. A number of years ago the young man's father, T. E. Chidsey, was in the forest service in Wallowa county with headquarters at Wallowa.—Joseph Herald.

For Sale or Rent—I am offering for sale my 5-room residence property in north Heppner; patent toilet in house; good cellar and wood shed; large chicken house and park; will sell, lease or rent by the month; \$15 per month or if taken by the year, \$12 per month. Inquire of Tom Boyd, Heppner or write **MRS. JOSEPHINE SCHEMPF**, Hood River, Oregon. J1-13.

Floyd Adams, young farmer of Hardman, came down to Heppner on Tuesday. He is located on a part of the ranch of his father, J. B. Adams and engaged in wheat raising. Wheat is now doing well up that way, but there was some winter killing which will cut the yield short, this being especially true with the bluestem crop on the Adams farm.

Pilot Rock friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dohyba will be pleased to learn of the birth of a fine little daughter at the hospital in Pendleton Thursday. Mr. Dohyba is one of the government's predatory animal hunters and at one time did some effective work in this locality.—Pilot Rock Record.

Wm. Lauder, who was formerly engaged in wheat raising in this county, but who has been on a stock ranch over in Grant county for some time, is visiting here this week. He states that he is well pleased with his location near Monument and is doing well.

Mrs. Emma Dice and granddaughter, Jean Crawford, went to La Grande Friday to meet the Misses Corrales and Mary Crawford who have come from their home at Heppner for an indefinite stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Crawford.—Joseph Herald.

Geo. D. Anderson, who tends camp for Hynd Bros. is off this week with the sheep for the high mountains, accompanied by Jack Knox, who will see that the flocks have proper care while ranging in the vicinity of Granite for the summer.

HEMSTITCHING—I have installed a hemstitching machine at my apartment in the Gilman building and will give all orders for work in that line my best attention. Your patronage is solicited. **Mrs. C. C. Patterson**. ad-1f.

Agent Wanted—Partially developed territory in your community. Get into a profitable business of your own selling Original Watkins Products. Write **J. B. Watkins Co.**, Rural Department, San Francisco, Calif.

W. G. McCarty is planning an auto trip to California, expecting to leave about the 4th of July. He will be accompanied by his daughters, Mrs. B. G. Sigabee and Mrs. LaVern Van Marter.

For Sale—Nice five-room bungalow, built in features, four lots, garden. Cost \$2000. Will take good used car and \$200. Easy terms on balance, \$600. Address Box 417, Hermiston, Ore. 2t.

Joe Simas, one of the leading stockmen of the Monument section, was spending a day or two in this city the first of the week, looking after matters of business.

The families of W. G. Scott and Karl L. Beach have been coming up from Lexington daily this week to take in the big programs at the Chautauquus tent.

Peter Farley will be with his sheep out in the Austin country for the summer months. The bands are on the way into the high mountains this week.

Wanted—Position as bookkeeper for mercantile, banking or grocery business. Box 154, Lexington, Ore.

For Sale—One McCormick heater for very little money; a bargain price; Phone 2873 evenings. 2t.

Glenn Boyer is an extensive rancher of the Fox Valley country. He was in Heppner for a few days the first of the week.

Lost—Between Jordan Siding and Lexington, brown suit case with black strap. Notify Jos. Eskelson, Lexington, Ore. 2t.

For Sale—Shetland ponies of good size, excellent quality, and disposition, from colts to five years old. C. C. Calkins.

Visit our 5 cent counter on Saturday, July 1. Cash Variety Store.

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Greaver Goff, of Gardate, was in the city on Tuesday. He is one of the prosperous ranchers of that section.

A. B. Cole of the Typewriter Service company of Portland, was looking up the trade in Heppner on Tuesday.

Wanted—Work as separator tender or engineer with threshing outfit. Address A. E. Switzer, Lexington, Ore.

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Don't forget we have hardware. All sizes. Suitable for making hitches. Peoples Hardware Company.

Good work horses for sale. Inquire of A. Henriksen, Cecil, Ore. Or will trade for cattle or sheep. 2t.

Experienced woman wants work on ranch; full charge. Inquire this office.

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LEXINGTON CHURCH OF CHRIST.

On this coming Sunday all of the newly elected officers of the various departments of the congregation will take their places to begin the work of the new church year. This Sunday will also be my last Sunday as I am closing my work with the church at that time. I have appreciated the year's work with the church and feel very grateful to the many friends that I have made in Lexington during the year.

The sermons will be as follows: Sunday morning, "My Closing Word to the Congregation;" Sunday evening, "The Man of Sorrows." You are all invited to attend.

ARTHUR A. HARRIMAN, Minister.

Reconstruction Task Vigorously Carried On By the Administration

Nation's Leaders Not to Be Deterred by Demagogic Clatter, Says Postmaster Work.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Postmaster General Hubert Work, in addressing the Pennsylvania state convention of postmasters at Wilkes Barr, took occasion to call attention to some of the outstanding accomplishments of the present administration, in addition to the constructive work which has been done by the Postoffice department itself.

In commenting upon the work done by the administration since it came into power Postmaster General Work said: "We have been so busy down in Washington struggling in the mire of our inheritance that we have had no time and little inclination to answer criticism. Like the man whose house is afire, we have been so busy putting out the blaze that we haven't had time to explain the cause of the fire. The fact remains, however, that our greatest troubles are those of inheritance and not the result of our own acts."

"President Harding's administration came into control pledged to install business methods in government, and the

achievement of this objective is the outstanding accomplishment of the executive branch thus far. Economy in the handling of government funds after the lavish expenditures of previous years, which reached the high water mark of \$27,000,000,000 in 1913, became a necessity.

"In 1920 the expenditures were reduced to \$6,500,000,000 by the cessation of the war and the economy of a Republican Congress; in 1921 business methods further reduced the operating appropriations to \$4,750,000,000, and for the fiscal year about to close it has been brought down to \$3,900,000,000, and we are not through yet."

"The establishment of a budget system alone, which had been repudiated by the Democratic party, has already saved more than \$1,000,000,000 of the people's money."

"The number of government employees has been reduced by over 55,000 since January, 1921."

"As a result of business economies Liberty bonds, which at low bids had fallen off more than 15 points, are now selling at par."

"The Veterans' bureau has been reorganized and \$500,000,000 is being expended this year for the relief of ex-service men."

"The farmer has benefited by the emergency tariff law, and the people generally have already found their taxes reduced."

"Our military and naval expenditures have been cut to the bone, and our foreign relations, which were sadly mangled following the armistice, have been gradually settled in a dignified manner. The arms conference promises to be one of the greatest achievements of history."

"The work of readjustment has been going steadily forward. It is no easy task for any political party to bring order out of the aftermath of the war, but it is significant that this task fell upon the Republican party. It is not the first time that it has had to assume the role of business doctor following a Democratic administration, and that we have been successful thus far is reflected in the business revival which is sweeping over the country, indicating that we as a people are on the eve of a most prosperous period."

"The copy books tell us that patience and hard work will overcome any obsta-

cle, and this is the theory which is actuating the government officials in Washington. To paraphrase the language of Kipling, they are keeping their heads when some of those about them of opposite political faith are losing theirs, and blaming it on them. The sensible people of the country will not be beguiled by the false issues raised by the critics for election purposes, whose effort to befog the real issue is pitiable in face of the fact that on the leaders of their party rests the responsibility for the very conditions about which they complain, and the additional fact that they too are sworn officers of the government charged with aiding and not to destroy the confidence of the people in their own government of their own choosing, and maintained for them.

"The president's cabinet is composed of plain men who have succeeded each in his own place in the world. It has been said of them that their industry is phenomenal and their indifference to public officials who regard their re-election to be in doubt may not feel it to their interest to attack the administration, through its servants, unjustly."

Live Cecil Items of Interest

Mrs. Karl Farnsworth of Rhea Siding visited a few days in Portland this week where Mr. Farnsworth is under a doctor's care. At this writing he is improving nicely.

Miss Minnie and Master Robert Lowe arrived Thursday and will spend the summer vacation at their home in Cecil. They have been attending school in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble and Johnnie Shufeldt of Rhea Siding, accompanied by Miss Violet Hynd of Buttery Flats were Heppner visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Lowe of the Highway House left on Sunday for Portland and other points for an indefinite stay, and to enjoy a vacation.

Vernon Lovren of Canby arrived in Cecil on Monday and will spend a few weeks with his old friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. Henriksen.

Mrs. Geo. W. Krebs of Portland arrived in Cecil on Sunday and will visit

her sons at The Last Camp for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Krebs of The Last Camp were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hynd of Buttery Flats on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Matlock and daughter of Heppner took in the sights of Sanny Cecil on Wednesday.

Miss Mildred Henriksen arrived home on Tuesday from Canby where she has been attending high school.

Miss Dana Logan left on the local Friday and will visit with friends in Heppner for a few days.

Wm. Chandler and son Roy of Roseburg are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Henriksen.

John McEntire of Killarney was transacting business in Arlington on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barratt of Heppner were calling on their Cecil friends on Friday.

A. Henriksen, who has been spending a few days in La Grande, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Halferty and son Ray were calling on their friends in Morgan on Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Hynd and son Herb were transacting business in Ione on Thursday.

Walter Pope is looking up his Cecil friends this week.



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