

CECIL NEWS ITEMS

We understand now why R. A. Thompson is making so many hurried trips to The Shepherds Rest. We hear that R. A. has founded a home for old men somewhere in Heppner and R. A.'s first inmate was taken from Cecil in the person of "Step-on-a-Half." Said to relate "Step-on-a-Half," like the cat, has come back. We are resolved to refuse to allow R. A. to take any more of our dear old men from Cecil.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Noble accompanied by Johnnie Shafeldt, left Rhea Siding on Friday for Vancouver, Wash., where George will have charge of a section crew. Our best wishes go with them in their new home.

Mrs. Roy Scott and daughter, Miss Cora, who have been visiting at Butterby Flats, left for Heppner on Sunday where they will visit with Mrs. Jack Hynd before leaving for their home at Freeseout.

Al Henriksen of the Moore ranch near Heppner was making the dusty round Cecil on Friday, but he departed a "sadder but wiser" man, when informed a dance would be held in Cecil hall on April 5.

Miss Clara Palmater of Windybrook, accompanied by Misses Thelma and Gerlie Morgan of Broadacres, were exercising their horses and also paying calls in Cecil on Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Perry of Ewing was visiting her daughter, Miss Crystal Roberts, in Heppner on Tuesday. Miss Crystal is a student of Heppner High school.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindstrom from their ranch near Lone were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lundell at Rhea Siding on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Glöner of Cameron, Idaho, spent Thursday and Friday in the Cecil district before leaving to visit friends in Portland.

Peter Bauerndorf, Cecil's right hand man, spared enough time during the week to spend a few hours amongst his friends in Lone.

W. A. Thomas of Dotheboys Hill was busy hauling baled hay from W. H. Chandler's ranch on Willow creek on Thursday.

W. G. Hynd and David Hynd of Sand Hollow were visiting Hynd Bros. ranch, Butterby Flats, on Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Osborn of Fairview ranch and Walter Pope of Cecil were calling on their Arlington friends during the week.

Miss Hazel Logan returned to Four Mile on Monday accompanied by her brother Cecil Ahalt of Los Angeles.

Gus Davis, who has been working at The Last Camp for several weeks, left for Pendleton on Monday.

Miss A. C. Hynd of Butterby Flats was calling on Mrs. Frank Madden at The Willows on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Farnsworth and children of Rhea Siding were visiting in Arlington on Monday.

John Krebs of The Last Camp and T. H. Lewis of Cecil were doing business in Lone on Friday.

C. D. Sennett of The Willows has been busy during the week pruning trees around Cecil.

Ray Halferty of Lone was a busy man around Cecil on Friday hunting up his horses.

Mr. C. Poe of Wells Springs was doing business at Butterby Flats on Wednesday.

Master Billie Logan of Four Mile was calling on his pals at Cecil on Saturday.

JUST SMILES.

"E" for the Papil.

A school girl was required to write 200 words about a motor car. She submitted the following: "My uncle bought a motor car. He was riding in the country and it stopped while going up a hill. The other 190 words are what my uncle said when he was walking back to town, but I know that you wouldn't want me to repeat them here."

Poor Peter.

The wife of a sailor handed the pastor of a church the following note: "Peter Bowers having gone to sea, his wife desires the prayers of the congregation."

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congregation for his safety." The minister glanced over it hurriedly and then announced: "Peter Bowers having gone to see his wife, desires the prayers of the congregation for his safety."

What Say You?

The grammar lesson proceeded smoothly enough until the teacher asked a small boy what kind of a noun "trousers" was.

"It's a nouncommon noun," was the reply, "because it's singular at top and plural at the bottom."

BLONDE BESS OPINES—

"My goodness, I didn't know the ship of state was an oil burner."

Ain't It the Truth, Mabel?

"What could be more sad than a man without a country?" "A country without a man," answered the pretty girl.

Obliging.

Man (in water): "Hey! Help! Do something! Can't you at least give a yell?" Freshman: "Sure thing, Rah! Rah! Rah! What's his name?"

Reason Enough.

Robert: "Maw, I can't go to school with this sprained wrist."

Mother: "Nonsense! It's your left hand, why not?"

Robert: "Too many kids owe me a licking."

Evidence.

"Maude says she puts her heart into her cooking."

"Yes—poor thing. I ate some of her cake and know she is heavy-hearted."

It Can Be Done.

George: "I hear you got married. Who to?"

Fred: "To a woman, of course, you insect. Who ever heard of marrying a man?"

George: "Well, my mother did."

Misinformed.

She said her dad was a retired millionaire.

So I went in to chat awhile.

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HARDMAN NEWS ITEMS.

Baseball is in full swing at Hardman. The business men are taking quite an interest in the sport and are giving the high school team some good practice for their interscholastic games. The first high school game will be played with Heppner on their field March 29.

"A Little Ciodhopper," a comedy in three acts, will be presented by the Freshmen and Sophomores at the High School auditorium on Friday, March 28. The play is full of humor from beginning to end, while each act ends with a fitting climax, showing the pathos of the story, which centers around the little ciodhopper from the poorhouse. Blanche Hummel has consented to favor the public with a solo and reading between acts.

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George Blackman, who has been ill with a gripe the past week is reported as improving and will soon be able to resume his work.

J. C. Welker is contemplating moving into Pete Prophet's store building on the corner across from the hotel, where he intends to put in a stock of merchandise.

The hay growers of Boardman thru S. H. Boardman have about completed arrangements to ship 500 tons of alfalfa to the east coast where the market is good and still a demand for hay. A rate of \$8 per ton can be obtained and the return to the grower will be about \$15 net.—Stanfield Standard.

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SUNDAY and MONDAY, MARCH 23-24

T. ROY BARNES and SEEN OWEN in "THE GO GETTER"

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