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Local Happenings

Robert, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Rietman underwent an operation for Mastoid trouble at the hands of Dr. Mc Murdo, on Thursday.

The Editor is spending the holidays with his family in Cathlamet.

Ed. Bristow and family motored to Walla Walla to spend Christmas with Mrs. Bristow's sister.

Mrs. Della Mobley is able to leave the hospital and is now at the home of Mrs. John Bryson.

Cecil Sargent and family left last Friday for their new home in Eugene.

Word has been received of the death of Sam Dennis. Influenza was given as the cause of his death. Henry Dennis who was with his father is reported quite ill also.

The school program given in the gymnasium last Friday evening was attended by a large audience. The teachers and pupils deserve much praise for giving such a fine entertaining program.

Workmen Fundamental

Workmen are the foundation of society. Show me that product of human endeavor in the making of which the workman has had no share, and I will show you something that society can well dispense with.—Samuel Gompers

Morgan News

Mrs. J. F. HARDESTY

Mrs. N. E. Pettijohn is at home again and feeling much better. Mr. Cutsforth stopped in Morgan a while Wednesday. He was on his way to Prinnville.

Mrs. C. McCormic of Lexington visited with Mrs. Geo. Mahoney Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mahoney were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Bert Palmer Friday and purchased a fine large turkey gobbler of them.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Ely drove up from Portland on Saturday. Mrs. Martin Bauernfind, Guy Farrens and sister of Oakland, Cal. came in on Monday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends in Morgan and Ione.

Robert Harbison came on the Tuesday train to spend Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harbison.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ritchie of Heppner had the misfortune to have a brake down near Morgan Christmas day, had quite a time finding any one home so they could get at a telephone to summon help. Mr. Ely finally came to their rescue and drove them to Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Seely are spending Christmas with Mrs. Seely's sister, Mrs. Leona Christopherson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harbison and son Robert spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Bullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bauernfind took dinner with her parents Mrs. Farrens in Ione.

Must Be Cultivated

Moral strength is like disposition, a matter of training and habit.

I. R. ROBISON

What is better for a good Christmas Present for the entire family than a New Grebe RADIO

GARAGE

MACHINESHOP

One Good Trait That Village Bad Man Had

The late Chauncey M. Depew was reproving a young critic one day for a harsh criticism.

"I'd like to see more of the Kin Klucald spirit in your work, my boy," the great man said.

"Kin Klucald, you know, was noted for his charity and loving kindness. Never a slanderous word passed his lips.

"Well, the bad man of the village died in due course, and they all roared him at the general store the afternoon of the funeral. They roasted him hard. They pointed out that he was a drunkard and a miser, a wife beater and a liar, a thief and a scandal-monger, a coward, a usurer and a rake.

"Kin Klucald listened to all that talk with a little smile of disapproval, and finally the general storekeeper said to him:

"Now, Kin, don't you look so hurt. Ain't everything wot's been said about that old cuss true? Can you name one meritorious trait, jest one, that he ever showed?"

"Well," said Kin, "you boys'll have to admit that he certainly had a good

Biology Omits This

A Chicago boy was visiting on a farm in Indiana for the first time. He was particularly interested in the animals and fowls of the barnyard, at which his knowledge of them was scant.

Seeing some ducks and geese in a mixed flock, he inquired:

"How long does it take ducks to be come geese?"

John Nash and family left Sunday by auto for Yakima to spend the holidays with their daughter Mrs. Beshears.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Pettijohn were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mahoney Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Palmer and children left for the Valley Sunday to spend the holidays with her parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Medlock and child en visited with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mahoney, Thursday.

Miss Carrie Medlock called on Miss Alice Nash, Thursday.

The school program given by Miss Allen and her pupils last Thursday was real good.

After the program Santa came with his helpers and gave every one a sack of candy and nuts and wishing all a Merry Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Ely are entertaining quite a number of their friends and relatives during the Christmas holidays. Those enjoying the sumptuous Christmas dinner were: Bert Palmateer, G. N. Ely and son, Mrs. Earl Morgan and family of Ione, Franklin Ely and wife, and Al Bacchus.

Miss Allen left Saturday for Lostine to spend the holidays with her folks.

Several of the Morgan people attended the school program in the Cecil district Saturday night.

The neighborhood at Morgan were all surprised and sorry to hear Miss Allen has resigned her school at Morgan.

See Swanson for Insurance.

Wanted: Millions of Jack Rabbit, domestic rabbit, and other raw furs. Highest prices. Valcauda Fur Co., 2131 Western Ave. Seattle, Wash.

Clark & Linn

Carpenter Work, Painting, Paper Hanging and General Repair Work, Ione, Oregon.

PRESIDENT SIGNS BOULDER DAM BILL

Six States Must Ratify Action Before it Can Become a Law.

Washington, D. C.—The Boulder canyon dam bill reposes on the statute books of the nation—the newest law of the land. Its long tempestuous journey with days of filibuster and all night sessions was brought to an official end last Friday, when President Coolidge affixed his signature to the measure.

But one step, and that embodied in the new act, now remains to be taken before its provisions are set in motion for the construction of the highest dam ever undertaken. This structure would be placed in the narrow, natural gorge which the swift Colorado river has chiseled for itself at Black canyon, on the Arizona-Nevada line.

The one step remaining to make it effective is the ratification of the Colorado river compact by six of the seven states in the river basin. Five of these states—Wyoming, New Mexico, Colorado, Nevada and California—have approved the compact which was drafted at Santa Fe, N. M., in 1922. The two remaining states are Utah and Arizona, and ratification by them is necessary.

The Boulder canyon dam act calls for the construction of an estimated cost of \$165,000,000 of a high dam for the three-fold purpose of flood control, irrigation and power generation.

The dam would be twice as high as any now in existence and engineers estimate would hold in storage approximately 25,000,000 acre feet of water.

NATIONAL VOTE WAS HEAVIEST IN HISTORY

Washington, D. C.—Of the 35,958,669 votes cast in the November election, the largest number in the history of the nation, Herbert Hoover received 21,425,109 and Alfred E. Smith received 15,065,497.

The republican candidate's plurality over that of his democratic opponent was 6,423,612 on the basis of these figures, gathered by the Associated Press from the election officials of the 48 states.

Candidates of minor parties received the 354,953 votes aside from those for Hoover or Smith, as follows: Thomas S. McMillan, 267,835; Foster, workers, 48,223; Reynolds, socialist-labor, 21,181; Verney, prohibition, 20,101; Webb, farmer-labor, 6391; scattered, 327.

Despite his large plurality, Mr. Hoover failed by 914,501 votes to equal the plurality of 7,333,513 given Calvin Coolidge over John W. Davis in 1924, but at that time the La Follette Wheeler independent ticket received 4,322,356 votes. In that year the republican vote was 15,725,916.

While the republicans carried 31 states in 1924, they garnered 49 in the recent election. This represents the most overwhelming defeat ever sustained by the democratic party in the electoral college. Governor Smith's popular vote, however, exceeded by 6,425,924 the 5,254,592 polled in 1924 by Davis.

ADVISE GERMAN SURVEY

President Coolidge Is For Settlement of Reparations.

Washington, D. C.—President Coolidge would be sympathetic to an invitation from European governments to participate in an expert study of the German reparations situation, but so far no representations to this effect have been received.

Such a study, the president believes, should be made by representatives left free by their governments to exercise their judgment as to what amount should be paid and what accepted.

Mr. Coolidge feels that the matter of reparations is one involving Europe almost entirely and one which should be settled by the European nations. However, he does not want the United States to shirk its duty.

Penny Postage Returns in Canada.

Ottawa, Ont.—Penny postage from Canada to all parts of the British empire went into effect Christmas day. The premier, MacKenzie-King, made the announcement in a message to King George, bearing Christmas greetings to his majesty from the people of Canada. In lowering the present rate of 3 cents an ounce, Premier King said it was the hope of the government that the reduction would encourage communication between Canada and the other countries.

Friends, a Merry Christmas we wish for you, where'er you be
Happy New Year to you all,
Winter, Summer, Spring and Fall.

The Ione Market

Merry Christmas to All!



We wish to express to you, our old customers, our appreciation of your confidence; to you who are not our customers, the hope that we may be of service to you. We wish each and every one of you, not only a merry Christmas, but a happy and prosperous New Year.

FARMERS ELEVATOR COMPANY

Of Ione.

Red & White Specials

Saturday & Monday

- Mixed Nuts, no peanuts, 3lb. for \$1.00
- Christmas Mix Candy, 6lb. for 1.00
- Serv-us Marshmallows, 3lb. for 1.00
- Good Winesap Apples, per box 1.00
- Good Netted Gem Spuds, 100 lbs. 1.00
- SERV-US Sabdwich Pickles, 14 oz. .23
- SERV-US Grape Juice, 2 pints for .57
- SERV-US Coffe, 1 lb. for .47

BERT MASON

IONE, OREGON

Give Your Druggist a Square Deal

A NATION-WIDE investigation has revealed that neighborhood druggists are called upon for information on a wide variety of subjects—domestic, political, agricultural, postal, and hygienic, besides subjects connected with drugs. This practice—embarrassing as it often must be to druggists—would not have become so widespread if they in general had not merited the confidence reposed in them. The answer to many problems has come from the pharmacist's store of information. And he has led many a person in the early stages of a serious disorder to consult a physician trained to diagnose disease and to prescribe the remedy.

Numerous services are rendered by the druggist for no recompense other than good-will. Give him a square deal. He is a business as well as a professional man. Serve your own interests by remembering him when you are in need of any of the household conveniences which his store has for sale. For druggists with well equipped prescription departments would be few and far between if they had to depend alone on filling prescriptions and the sale of drugs and sick-room supplies.



For Prescriptions.—Physicians prescribe and Druggists dispense Merck's pure products. For generations prescription chemicals from Merck's Laboratories have had the confidence of those professional men.
For Your Medicine Cabinet.—Be as discriminating as your Doctor and Druggist. Select such pure products as:
Merck's Helogen Penicillin
Merck's Boric Acid
Merck's Sodium Bicarbonate
Merck's Sodium Phosphate

BULLARD'S PHARMACY

Wishing All Of Our

Friends a Very

Happy New Year

Bristow & Johnson