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Crop Conditions.

Mr. R. E. Harrison has made several trips through the wheat sections recently and finds that conditions have been quite well reported by previous observers. A field here and there will hardly worth harvesting and occasionally a field was found with thin spots that would be worth more for pasturage. But he states there will be a good deal of wheat. He estimated the yield on some places at six bushels per acre and others nearly twenty bushels. He thinks the average will run about midway between these two figures.

The Iode district was visited by a light rain Thursday of last week and by a good rain Saturday followed by showers through out the day Sunday. Haying operations on the Creek ranches have been held up by the rain, but even the alfalfa farmers who had hay cut were good sports and rejoiced with the wheat men.

Killing Noxious Weeds

S. B. Hall County Agent residing at Gresham, gives advice on controlling noxious weeds, the worst of which are Canada thistle, wild morning glory, and quack grass. He says to spray them at blossoming time with sodium chlorate, one pound to a gallon of water, or calcium chlorate, the same proportions. With a thorough spraying the plants will die.

Grange News

A good program has been arranged for Saturday night, June 22nd, at the Cecil Grange hall.

Mr. Snell of Arlington, a very pleasing speaker will address the grange. Other numbers include readings and solo numbers, a playlet entitled "A Day's Work", by seven girls and piano selections. All who are eligible should hear Mr. Snell. Those who have been invited by a granger will be welcomed.

A business meeting will follow the program.

Morrow County Pomona Grange will meet with the Rhea Creek Grange as host on Saturday, July 6th. Watch for a complete program in this paper.

Wheat Market Uncertain

Traders are awaiting the appointment of the new farm relief board and its interpretation of the law. Should the Board enter the market, and buy a large quantity of options on new wheat the market is expected to spring up five cents or more per bushel but it is not known what course the board will take.

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Local Happenings

Captain G. L. Hall of McMinnville, who was here some two or three years ago announces that he will hold religious services at Morgan, Sunday a. m., June 30, and in the Ione Baptist church in the evening of the same day. The Captain is accompanied by his two daughters, Frances and Phyllis and on Monday evening, July 1, in the Baptist church, the trio will present "An Evening With Riley."

Johnnie Eubanks, who has been quite ill with appendicitis, returned to his home this week apparently much improved. On Wednesday, however, he suffered a change for the worse and was taken to Portland for treatment.

The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular afternoon meeting last Wednesday at the Lee Beckner home. Those present Mesdames Corley, Sprey, Grimes, Blackwell, Hagewood, Ferris and the two hostesses, Mrs. Beckner and Mrs. Lieuallen. Licious refreshments were served and all report a very pleasant afternoon.

Bert Cork John Grimes and Lewis Pyle, who is a guest in the Grimes home, returned last week from a pleasant fishing trip.

Mrs. Albert Petteys who, on June 10, underwent a major operation in a Hood River hospital is making a satisfactory recovery. Many of our people motored to McKay lake, Sunday, to witness the American Legion regatta.

Mrs. Ralph Harris went to Portland, Friday, returning on Sunday, accompanied by Mr. Harris' who has been in a hospital for the last three months taking treatments for stomach trouble. Mr. Harris is much improved.

The Masons and Eastern Stars had their annual strawberry feed Wednesday evening, June 19, in Masonic hall.

Ernest Heiker and wife made a trip to Portland on Thursday of last week. They made the return trip by way of the Mount Hood loop road and stopped at Parkdale for a visit with Mrs. Maude Devins and Mr. and Mrs. George Hanel.

Miriam Hale is spending part of her vacation with Frances Jones on the Alfred Troedson ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ray and Claude and Gladys Brashears motored to Hood River to visit with Mrs. Ray's son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Brashears. They had a very pleasant visit and while there, Mrs. Ray crossed the river to Lyle, Wash. and visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lester Goodrich. Miss Gladys Brashears remained in Hood River. The rest of the party came home the first of the week.

Mrs. D. C. Brock, of Salem, has been here visiting with her brother, Frank Lindsay, her sister, Mrs. Crabtree, and other relatives. Mrs. Brock was accompanied by a friend, Mrs. Mary White.

Everette Hummel was a graduate, June 10, from Pacific Academy at Newberg, Ore. He is a former lone pupil, having been in school here during the time that his mother was employed as teacher in our grade school. Mrs. Hummel has not been in school work the past year, but next year will teach English in the Hillsborough school.

Marquis Greenwalt has received his eight grade diploma and plans on entering high school next fall.

Billie Brashears and Miss Dorothy Murphy, of Hood River, were married last month. Their wedding came as a surprise to relatives and friends here. Mr. Brashears is an lone boy. He is now driving a truck for Fred Ray at Hood River.

He spent the week end fishing in Crooked River.

Miss Arleta Farrens was one of a class of 200 to graduate, June 14, from Washington high school Portland. Miss Farrens is a former student of Ione school, having completed her first three years of high school work here.

Mrs. Helen Farrens went to Portland to attend the graduation of her daughter, Arleta. Miss Fern Engelman also went to the city to witness the graduation exercises of Washington High.

P. G. Balsiger, dealer in Harvester Supply Co. extras to fit Holt and Harris harvesters.

E. A. Lindekin and family made a business trip to LaGrande Wednesday of last week, returning Thursday. Mr. Lindekin reports that crops are late in that part of the country, with the wheat just heading.

A. A. McCabe and George Ely Peterson Brothers had a car of mixed stock on the Portland market, Monday.

Clarence Linn, who has been working some time at Vernonia came Thursday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Linn.

Edward Keller who has been a student at Whitman College for the past year arrived home, Thursday. This fall he plans on entering Still College of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Mo. He will accompany his brother, James, who has already had one year at Still College.

Hazel Feldman, who is a student at Oregon State College, and her sister, Katherine, who is a student at the State University of Oregon, returned home last week to spend the summer vacation with their parents.

On June 30th, the Sunday School will hold a picnic at some place yet to be selected.

J. E. Swanson
INSURANCE

Carlton Swanson went to Portland, Friday. He made the trip down with E. Sink, who was returning to his home after a visit to his ranch in this vicinity.

W. E. Bullard and family, left Sunday morning on a business and pleasure trip to Portland. During their absence, Miss Thelma Forbes has charge of the drug store.

Morgan News

Mrs. J. F. HARDESTY

Mr. Radcliff, of Coseburg, was in Morgan last Wednesday. He came to bring up a load of strawberries and apples from Hood River and to see about a job of wheat hauling for this year. He hauled wheat here last year.

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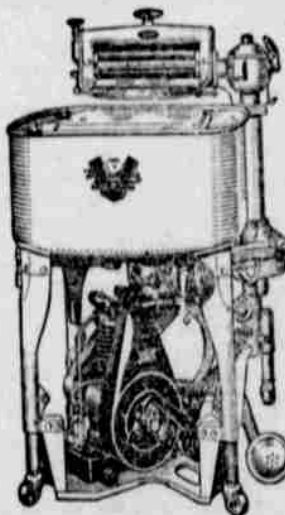
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