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Personal Mention

for the boys game 30-0.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger were dinner guests Friday evening at the Werner Rietmann home.
Mrs. Inez Freeland has purchased the Ernest Montandon property in upper Ione. This property was recently transferred to Louis Balsiger by the Montandon heirs.

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POMONA GRANGE PROGRAM

BOARDMAN, OREGON

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Instrumental Music.....Mrs. Spangle, Boardman
Mr. Packard Boardman

Song: "Too Many Green Apples", Helen Mead, " Mary Smith "

Reading.....Vida Heliker, Ione

Pianologue.....Mrs Martha Titus Boardman

Solo.....Dan Lindsey Alpine

Reading.....Miss Helen Wells Lexington

Neale quartett.....Boardman Grange

Address.....Ed Aldrich Pendleton

"Development of Umatilla Rapids"

Comic Song Sketch Donald Helicker

Ralph Gibson Willows Grange

Order of Stars in Flag

The stars in the national flag are numbered from left to right, beginning with the top row, and are assigned to states in the order that they entered the Union.

Another Use of Airplane

Lifeguards at Seaside, Ore., use an airplane in rescue work. The craft carries a torpedo to which is fastened a long rope attached to a life preserver. The crew drops the preserver to persons in distress, and the torpedo carries the line to shore, the method being quicker than boat rescue.

English Town Proud of Ancient Parish Church

The one hundredth anniversary of the Parish church of Manchester, England, was celebrated recently when the bishop of Coventry preached a special thanksgiving sermon. The church, which is one of the oldest in the country, stands on the same foundations of a Saxon church which was built in 930 A. D. Beautiful antique stained glass windows decorate the east wall. A peal of five bells, dating from 1350, still call the villagers to church. Five books, including Fox's "Book of Martyrs" are among the church's treasured possessions. Two of the more recent English martyrs, Robert Glover and Mrs. Joyce Lewis, worshipped at the shrine. Glover was burned at the stake at Coventry in 1555, and Mrs. Lewis met a similar fate at Lichfield two years later. The old church is in a wonderful state of preservation considering her ten centuries of life.

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SAYS WILL ROGERS

BEVERLY HILLS—Well all I know is just what I read in the papers, and all I have read in the last week is about the Democratic uprising of November 4th. It was my birthday and the boys of the party really did themselves proud in my honor. The Republicans were looking for a punch in the jaw, but not for a kick in the pants at the same time. Why, there was men beat at this wake that thought they had a dead to their seat. We will kinder start in alphabetically with the disasters and take 'em in that order, starting with Illinois.

An old Democratic friend of mine, J. Ham Lewis, who has red whiskers, and a green vest to match, used to be in the Senate away back during the days when we was fixing it so there would never be another war. If my Emily Post Etiquette book serves me right, I think he is about the only Democrat in some distance to get a red whisker in that stately hall, and after all these years he is going back. His facial adornment has shed from a Clara Low red to a kind of a Henna grey, and the old vest has got many an egg spot concealed behind its pearl buttons. But Ham can carry one and bathe the other and he will make a new entrance into the old "Arena Del Toros."

It wasent only that he got back in there, but it was the spectacular manner that he did it. The Republicans had their strongest Woman up against him, Ruth Hanna McCormack. She had spent a few hundred thousand in the Primaries, but evidently forgot to spend any on the race. That would be like spending all your money in taxi fare to go to the ball game, but none to spend to get in after you got there. But Ruth made a mighty fine race, and maby its just as well she is not in there. I dont think a woman belongs in there. Not a nice woman anyhow.

Its funny how a smart Political Woman like her couldnt have guessed right on the Prohibition thing. How anybody could go wrong on what Illinois would do is beyond me. Ham wont make em as good a Woman as Ruth would, but he will make em a good man.

Then continuing alphabetically we come to Oklahoma. Another old resident of the Senate got back after all these years. Our Blind man, Senator

Lexington News

MISS AMABELL ESTRODTMAN

The annual Christmas program of the Lexington School was presented in the auditorium on Friday evening.

Maurice Reany opened the program with a recitation which was followed by "The Happy Christmas Tree" under the supervision of Miss Pearl Vail. Members of the third and fourth grades brought forth a scene from Fairy land and pupils of Mrs. Clarence Howell presented, "The Trial of Santa Claus." Probably the most impressive of these was the Chimes Rang" which was made up of a selected cast. Miss Helen Falconer had charge of all the musical part of the program.

At the finish of the program, Santa Claus in the person of Clarence Howell appeared to treat all

Gore, He used to be a fixture in there from our Country. Then when he happened to be able to see further than the mob during the war why he lost out, now when the mob has caught up with him, and they can look back instead of having to look forward why they send him back in there. That gives Oklahoma two Democrats which is of course as it should be, for we are a liberty loving people.

You going to hear an awful lot in the next few years about a man from South Dakota named Beulow. He is a Democrat and from South Dakota. Now thats like a Zulu being discovered on the Behring sea. He is a comical old rascal, with a lot of humor and about twice as much common sense as humor so he will be out of place two ways in the senate. Watch him and remember the name, B-E-U-L-O-W, and if he is to speak anywhere near you dont miss him.

Course the old timers got back in without even opposition like Pat Harrison, and Joe Robinson of Arkansas. They will be in the Senate when the Farmers get relief. Joe Robinson is mighty liable to be the Democratic Nominee in '32. It will be between him and Franklyn D. Roosevelt, and they are both mighty fine men. Joe if they want a dry, and Roosevelt if they want a wet. But the wets seemed to kinder swamp everything at this meslee and are gaining strength every day, so in '32 it looks like the wet Candidate will have the edge at the Nomination.

Still the wet got a long way to go yet. You see those States that voted wet this time were ones that were known to be wet all the time, when you start voting on it all through the middle west and south you will find a different tale, so both Parties will be up against it as to just what to do in '32. They will want to be wet for the wet voters and dry for the dry voters, and they wont know which one has the most votes, and they will be busier than a Bird Dog trying to figure which way to jump.

That gives you a pretty good line on Politics; their personal feelings have nothing to do with it, its which way will the most votes be. I believe a Candidate would go over Niagara Falls if he was sure the wind was w/a him.

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of the kiddies.
Edward Burchell arrived home on Friday from Sheridan, Ore. where he has been visiting with relatives. Edward plans to return to Sheridan to take up his duties in a Service Station soon after the New Year.

Misses Erma Duvall and Helen Valentine arrived home on Saturday from Eugene, Ore. to spend

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the holidays with their parents. Both young ladies plan to leave here in time to be at the University of Oregon Jan. 5.

A number of Lexington people attended the annual banquet of the Masons at Heppner on the evening of December 20. Among those were Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Strodtman, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lucas and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Rice.

A regular meeting of the P. T. A. was held in the auditorium on Wednesday evening at which time the ladies filled stockings with nuts and candy that were given away by Santa Claus on the following Friday evening.

Lengthy Indictment

According to the estimate of modern orators, it required probably about one hour and a half for Cicero to deliver his first oration against Cataline.

Mrs. Alan Learned of Darington Wash, is here to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Christopherson will be hosts at a dinner on Christmas day for the Christopherson clan. If all come who are invited, there will be twenty-five present.

Miss Elizabeth Head departed Friday night for Cathlamet, Wash, to spend Christmas with her mother, Rev. W. W. Head plans on leaving Ione the last of this week to spend a few days with his family in the Washington city.

Women Against

The tired business man who complains that he wanted peace and quiet got a present of a radio set from his wife.—Woman's Home Companion.

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