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## EUREKA LODGE NO. 32, I. O. O. F., CELEBRATES.

Eureka Lodge No. 32 I. O. O. F. of Pendleton had a grand celebration on Feb 27 as that lodge is now the biggest in the State of Oregon and has the champion drill team of the state.

Interesting addresses were made by Grand Master Baker Past Grand Masters R. Alexander, Taylor and Bowman.

There was good music, good eats and good time for everybody. When the Pendleton Lodge does things they are well done.

Those in attendance from Ione Mr. and Mrs. Ted T. Hoge and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howell, John Louy, Miss Lucile Bristow, Miss Norma Swanson, Miss Fern Engelman, Garland Swanson and Richard Lundell.

### I. O. O. F. CONVENTION

Feb. 28, the Umatill-Morrow County I. O. O. F. Convention was held at Hermiston with a good attendance from most of the most of the lodges. The initiatory was exemplified by the Echo and Hermiston Lodges, Echo winning the cup though most of the individual prizes went to the Hermiston boys. The meeting was a very satisfactory affair all round with good music, a great feast and inspiring talks by the Grand Mas-

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## THE RED AND WHITE

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### H. S. ASSEMBLY

On Friday, February 27, a large number of students, together with the faculty, were gathered in the gym for the assembly. Mr. Riggs conducted the program and led in several songs. Seven members of the band, Ralph Gibson, Donald Heliker, Clara Nelson, and Raymond Lundell, played accompaniment to the songs.

The yell leader Elizabeth Head called each member of the basketball team who was going to Arlington to play in the tournament to the front of the gym and instructed them to give a brief talk. The boys who went forward were: Norman Swanson, Dorr Mason, Francis Ely, Earl McCabe, Barton Clark, and Norton Lundell. Hearty yells greeted each player. Mr. Tucker, coach, also received a yell and gave a short talk.

### Hebrew Money

The monetary system of the Hebrews was based upon the Babylonian system of weights. The ratio of the value of gold to silver was 1:13 1/3 and prevailed over all western Asia.

### Relics of Savage Chief

A buck saddle and saddle pouch used by the famous Apache chieftain, Geronimo, is in the National museum at Washington.

### BOARDMAN vs IONE

Playing on of the fastest games of the season, the Ione High quintet defeated the Boardman boys in their final conference basketball game of the season. Keeping the lead from the very first, the Ione boys scored 19 points to their opponents 3 by the end of the first half; attempting a comeback in the 2nd half, the Boardman boys tallied 7 more points but were closely checked by the Ione boys to be allowed any substantial gains. Three more points were scored for Ione which brought the final score of 22-21. One substitution was made for Ione, Lundell for Morgan late in the second half. Richard Lundell refereed the game.

As Boardman has no girls basketball team, the only single headed of the season was played.

Though Ione failed to get the district championship, she still has a chance of playing in the tournament held at Milon-Freewater; this of course depends on the results at the Arlington tournament held this week. The lineup for the season was: Francis Ely left guard; Earl McCabe right guard; Norman Swanson, right forward; Dorr Mason, left forward; and Barton Clark, center substitutes. Milon Morgan, Ordie Farrens, Norton Lundell, and Earl Akers Francis Ely was unable to play in the Boardman game due to injuries sustained in a recent auto mishap. He was however in a suit on the substitute bench and will be able to play in the tournament games.

### Large Newspaper Collection

What is said to be the largest collection of newspapers in the world has been opened to the public in a newspaper museum at Alts-Chapelle, Germany. Among its collection of 150,000 newspapers are curiosities from all over the world, including an Eskimo paper from the middle of last century.

### Unpleasantness Remembered

A psychologist sent a questionnaire to 750 students as to whether their memories were more pleasant or unpleasant, and reported that unpleasant memories loom up more in the mind of both men and women.

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### Social Events

The George Frank Family enjoyed a reunion, Sunday, at Hermiston. A picnic dinner was served at the noon hour at the Adventist school building. Those present were: Mr. and George Frank and daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and daughters, Iris and Loretta; Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Helms, Billy and Hazel May; Mrs. Dewey Gibbs and daughter, Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rowell, David and Edith May; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frank, Homer Jr. and Patty, of Kennewick. Following the reunion, Mrs. Dewey Gibbs and daughter returned to their home in Gresham.

Helen Blake was six years old, Friday and in celebration of this event she entertained a party of young friends during the afternoon. Those in attendance were Jimmie Barnett, Ernest McCabe, Maryanne Corley, Iris King, Alan Hawk, George Griffith, June Griffith, Dorothy Farrens, Charlotte Sperry, David Rietman, Wilma Dobyns. Children's games were played and refreshments of jello, chocolate and cake were served by Miss Helen's mother. The little girl received many presents.

Mrs. George Snider entertained a party of friends at her country home last Friday evening honoring Mrs. Noel Dobyns whose birthday anniversary was on that date. Mrs. Dobyns was given a handkerchief shower. Another honor guest was little Miss Joene Brown who was five years old on the same date. This little lady also received some birthday gifts. The evening was spent in playing 500, four tables being in play. High honors went to Mr. Lewis Batty; low to Mr. Harold Hender

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### WEDDING BELLS RING

KATHAN-BALSIGER

An out-of-town wedding of much interest in this community took place Sunday, March 1st, in Newberg where Miss Elva Balsiger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Balsiger of Ione, became the bride of Melvin Kathan of Medford, Rev. Mr. Gleiser of the Methodist Church officiating. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McNay at high noon. The home was beautifully decorated; the living room with dafodils and ferns and the living room with pink and lavender sweet peas. The marriage vows were exchanged under a beautiful arch and in the same house, under the same arch and wedding bell the bride's parents were united in marriage thirty years before. In this same place Mrs. Balsiger's three sisters were married and Mr. and Mrs. McNay renewed their marriage vows in celebration of their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Preceding the service Miss Cieta Stretch, cousin of the bride, sang "I Love You Truly". The wedding march was played by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Homer Paret. The bride wore a dress of new blue satin. Her veil was held by a tripple wreaths of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of roses, sweet peas and freesia. Miss Gladys Gregory of Los Angeles, a sorority sister, was the bride's only attendant. Miss Gregory wore a dress of lavender georgette crepe and carried a bouquet of lavender and pink sweet peas. Mr. Wendell Balsiger was best man. Both the bridegroom and best man were attired in blue serge.

A dainty three course luncheon was served following the wedding service. The ice cream was round white bricks with pink cupids in the center. The bride and groom each cut their own cakes. Mrs. Kathan's was a white bride's cake. Mr. Kathan's was a brown stone front. Mrs. Kathan's two

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