

Local Happenings

Mrs. Anna Keithley of Pendleton, accompanied by her nephew, Ralph Gilliam, drove over to Heppner yesterday for a visit with friends. Ralph was formerly a resident of Heppner and a student in the high school here at the time of the breaking out of the war. He enlisted in the aviation service and spent five years with the government, part of the time as an instructor. He had several tumbles out of the sky and as a result was quite severely injured. Flying a plane in the government mail service, Ralph met with an accident that came near putting him out. It was quite a while before he got over this and he concluded that he had had enough of it, so returned to civil life again. It had been eight years since Ralph was in Heppner last and he enjoyed meeting a number of old time friends and schoolmates.

Lewis King, brother of Mrs. Wm. Driscoll, was a visitor over Sunday with the Driscoll family here. Mr. King was formerly a resident of Heppner, being connected with the forest office here many years ago. He is still with the forest service and located at Washington, D. C., though his work is in the field much of the time. He has just recently been doing some field work over in Washington, and took advantage of the opportunity to visit his relatives at Heppner. Mr. King departed by train Sunday night.

At the Monday Luncheon club meeting Roger Morse discoursed upon the crop situation in the United States and Morrow county, and his talk proved interesting to the members present. He believes the present prospects in the country promise a better crop than the average for the past five years. At this same meeting D. T. Goodman reported on the baseball situation for the season.

According to Echo News, shearing in that vicinity will start about the first of April, with two crews in the field. The Jake Wattenburger crew of about 12 men will start on the Cunha sheep at the shearing plant west of town. Hat Pearson will have a crew of 15 to 18 men starting at the Kilkenny ranch. He will handle most of the Butter creek flocks and some at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Biddle of Pheo creek were visitors in the city on Monday. Mr. Biddle reports conditions of moisture good in his locality, and the outlook for crops the best for many seasons. A little warm weather now would help to get rid of cut worms, but these are not troubling a great deal—no worse, in fact, than usual in the spring.

D. T. Collier of Hardman, who has been ill for a short time at the Morrow General hospital in this city, suffering from heart trouble, was sent to Portland on Monday, it being thought best to get him in a lower altitude for a while, in hopes of bettering his condition.

Henry F. Buahm arrived here from Walla Walla on Saturday morning, and spent the day looking after business affairs. He is quite well pleased with the crop outlook in the Walla Walla section, and looks forward to a prosperous season in all lines.

James Bailey of Butter Creek underwent an operation at Morrow General hospital Saturday for acute appendicitis. The operation was done under spinal anesthesia by Dr. Johnston, who reports his patient as getting along well at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott of Blackhorse are the proud parents of an 8 pound girl, born Sunday, March 20th, at the Morrow General hospital in Heppner. Both mother and baby are reported to be doing nicely.

"The Fashion Show at Hardman," the play being sponsored by the P. T. A. at Hardman, will be presented Saturday, April 2nd. An attractive quilt will be sold and the ladies will serve luncheon.

Miss Evelyn Humphreys arrived from Eugene on Saturday to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Humphreys.

Vawter Parker got in from the U. of O. on Saturday afternoon and will spend the week of the Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Parker.

Miss Luola Bengt arrived home from Eugene on Friday and is spending the Easter vacation season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bengt in this city.

Mrs. W. O. Dix was taken ill Friday with ptomaine poisoning, and was very sick for a day or two but able to assume her duties at the school on Monday.

Mrs. O. T. Ferguson departed Tuesday morning by auto for Lakeview, Oregon, where she will visit for a short time at the home of her daughter.

Sheriff Logan of Gilliam county was in the city on Monday from Condon, looking after some matters of business pertaining to his office.

Mrs. L. W. Briggs was operated on Saturday by Dr. Johnston at the Morrow General hospital for the removal of her tonsils.

A free dance will be given by the L. O. O. F. of Hardman Saturday, April 2nd. Everybody come.

Pat Healy and family made a trip to Pendleton on Saturday, returning home Sunday.

Judge Bengt and family were visitors in Pendleton on Tuesday.

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BOARDMAN

MRS. A. T. HERRIM, Correspondent.

Knauffs were pleased to have Mr. and Mrs. Ross Spaulding of Goldendale with them on Sunday. Mr. Spaulding is a government trapper and was located at Boardman for several months last year. Since leaving here he was married. He is with the U. S. Department of Biological Survey at Goldendale. While located here Mr. Spaulding lived in R. Wasmers' house.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins motored to La Grande recently on business. Bessie Cruikshank left Thursday for Ellensburg to continue her school work at the Washington state normal.

Mrs. H. Cason came home Friday from Portland where she has been for the past three months. Casons have rented their ranch to W. H. Mefford and plan to leave. They have not definitely decided where they will locate.

Mr. Cruikshank and son Andrew left for La Grande and will also drive on to Boise. They are looking for a location.

Ray Brown was a Heppner visitor Thursday.

Ransier has a crew of men at work clearing the canal.

Mrs. Sylvester Attebury came home from Spokane last week. Her daughter, Mrs. Johnson, and grand daughter came home with her.

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Buster Rands and his mother came home Friday from Echo where Buster had an interesting sojourn with blood poisoning. His hand was scratched on Friday and Saturday blood poisoning set in. He was taken to Echo to be under a doctor's care and he suffered much pain for several days.

Mrs. Howard Edmundson and son and two grandchildren of Livingston, Cal., were house guests at the home of Mrs. Edmundson's brother, Ed Kunzie. While driving to Hermiston they lost their fine Collie dog who answers to the name of Ted. Anyone knowing of his whereabouts please call Mr. Kunzie.

Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Swogger and son Dallas were guests at the Boardman home for luncheon on Tuesday. A mass meeting was held Monday evening in town to discuss the lighting proposition. Some of the citizens favor keeping the plant and others are opposed. Service has been fairly satisfactory but there has been some trouble about the governor on the engine.

Chas. Goodwin and J. L. Jenkins motored to The Dalles Friday, planning to bring W. L. Goodwin home, but the doctor thought he was not yet strong enough to leave the hospital. Mr. Goodwin had a serious operation several weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goodwin of Weston went down to spend the week-end with Mr. Goodwin.

Jack Gorham and W. A. Price each had a big sign painted for their place of business by an itinerant sign painter.

Adolph Skonbo cut down all the large trees along the road at his ranch. He had made a marvelous growth in the years since they were planted and having served their purpose as wind breaks they were cut for fire wood.

A poultry meeting was held at the Walter Knauff ranch on Friday, March 25, in charge of H. E. Cosby, poultry specialist from O. A. C. The brooding and rearing of baby chicks was discussed.

Ladies Aid met Wednesday. The annual election of officers was held. Mrs. J. R. Johnson who has been the efficient secretary for several years was elected president. Mrs. Jess Allen is the retiring president. She has served four terms very ably and faithfully scarcely ever missing a meeting. Mrs. A. T. Hereim was re-elected vice president and Mrs. W. A. Price is the new secretary. The Aid which is the leading organization on the project has had only two presidents. Mrs. Boardman being

the first and Mrs. Allen the second. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, a 10 1-2 pound girl on Saturday at Hermiston.

Boardman is a mighty progressive little burg and now boasts a city library. It might be small but its a good beginning. A book case was built by Leo Root and placed in the lobby of the postoffice and the traveling library from Salem has been installed and the books from the school library which Miss Mary Jane Dustin sorted out as unsuitable for school children are also to be placed in the town library. Mrs. Root has charge of the library, giving her services gratis.

L. G. Smith who recently purchased the Harrison ranch has been mentioned for school director to succeed Leslie Packard whose term expires.

We were a bit hasty in making mention of the fact that King's were out of quarantine. They had expected to be but the day they started fumigating it was found that Ruth Eleanor had not passed the stage of desquamation so they were forced to remain in isolation for another week.

The candidacy of Mrs. S. H. Boardman as school director was advocated

in a recent issue of the Boardman paper but we are asked to say that she would not consider the position at all, so we make the suggestion that she be retained in the position she already holds, that of clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly motored to Pendleton Saturday.

The seventh and eighth grades under Mrs. Fees direction had a pleasant picnic Sunday at the green house on the river bank. A sumptuous picnic lunch was enjoyed followed by games of various sorts.

Friday, March 25, the first baseball game of the season is scheduled to be played by the local high school team with Umatilla. The Boardman lineup follows: catcher, Weldon Ayres; pitcher, Carl Ayers; first base, Noel Klitz; second, Eldon Wilson, short stop, Russell Mefford, third, Alex Ayres; left field, Hector Wicklander; center, Alvie Mefford; right, Ray Barlow; substitutes, Buster Rands, Kenneth Boardman and Robert Berger.

John and Hugo Koski came back from Spokane Monday and visited a few days at the Olson and Hango homes while enroute to their home at Mayger, Ore.

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