

BOARDMAN

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died on Thursday at Durkee, Ore.

R. Wasmer had a well drilled on his ranch and a splendid flow of water was struck at a depth of 74 feet. It seems that the Wasmer well tapped the same vein as that which supplied the Packard ranch, and the water which was piped to the house failed to flow. It is thought that when the Wasmer well is capped the Packard well will resume its normal flow.

Mr. Mefford moved Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilbanks back to their ranch on Sunday. The Wilbanks have been employed at the Porter ranch during the winter.

A number of Boardman folks attended the Columbia Union C. E. conference at Hermiston Saturday and Sunday and found the meeting profitable and pleasing. Mrs. E. T. Messenger attended both days and

Robert Berger went to Cascade Locks on Sunday where he will act as relief operator for a time.

was a speaker at the meeting Sunday afternoon. Alvin and Evelyn Mefford attended Saturday and Evelyn remained over as a guest at the Marvin Root home. Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Rachel and Delbert, and Ray Barlow attended some of the sessions.

L. V. Root and son Vernon motored to Condon on Saturday and visited over Sunday. Mrs. Root has been up there caring for Mrs. Albert Macomber and small son. Mrs. Ed Barlow, deputy, was in charge of the postoffice Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Waite came Monday from Tono, Wash., and Mr. Waite checked in as local agent for the O-W., taking the place made vacant by Ralph Davis' move to Portland.

Mrs. Chas. Goodwin spent the past week in Spokane where she visited Mrs. C. F. Johnson, a daughter of Mrs. Ves Attebury. Mrs. Goodwin left on Monday for Dakota and later Minnesota.

Elder G. F. Watson and wife of McMinnville were overnight guests Sunday at the Ves Attebury home. Adventist services were held Sunday evening at the Attebury's with 20 in attendance.

Frank and Earl Cramer left Monday for the Yakima valley for a few days, looking up some shear-

ing. "Uncle Hank" Cramer, a brother of Frank, was taken to the hospital at Heppner. "Uncle Hank" has been an invalid for years, being almost totally deaf and blind, and is helpless from years of rheumatism.

Mr. Mulligan is driving an Erskine sedan.

Harry Murchie left last week for his home in Seaside after a visit at the Ballenger home. While here he renovated and painted some of his property. He owns the store building opposite the postoffice and the house occupied by Ed Barlow.

We are informed that all delinquent water charges must be paid before water can be obtained. That means construction charges for 1926 and 1927. The overhead and maintenance charges have been paid of necessity the past two years before water could be obtained, but some have not paid their construction charges.

Mr. and Mrs. John Graves motored to Lexington Sunday and visited at the Wilcox home.

Mrs. Leslie Packard had a lovely Easter dinner with Clarence Berger and family and Mr. and Mrs. Royal Rands and family as guests. The Berger boys are staying at the Packard home at present.

Macambers spent the week-end at Pilot Rock. Mary Chaffee accompanied them.

Mrs. A. W. Porter is visiting in Portland with her daughter and family.

H. B. Tyler and Mr. Hall have rented the Grandma Miller place and are now located there. They came from Willow creek. Tylers have three children who entered school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Farley motored to Heppner Saturday, taking their son William to consult a physician. William received a bad fall when thrown from his horse a week ago, but is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carpenter were up from the Valley last week. Roscoe Broyles came with them and will remain at home. He has been at Eugene with his mother and sisters. Roscoe entered school here Monday.

Abe Hanson the well driller, spent the week-end at his home in Goldendale.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knauff and children left Thursday evening for their new home at La Grande.

Morrow County Pomona met in Boardman on Saturday with a very large attendance. Plans for the af-

ternoon program had to be changed because of the illness of J. D. Mickle, dairy and food commissioner, who was to have been the principal speaker. County agent C. W. Smith made an admirable substitute and spoke on farm relief, the McNary-Haugen bill now pending, and other questions of interest to the farmers. The Irrigon Club band was present and played. This band under the direction of Superintendent Maaske is making quite a name for itself. A reading by G. W. Wilkins of Willows, a duet by Mrs. Stephens and Mrs. Lundell of Willow creek, a reading by Mildred Morgan of Willows, one by George Wicklander of Boardman, a song by Mrs. Rands and a selection by the Famous Peck Family, a clever "take off," completed the afternoon program. Approximately 160 persons were served at a marvelous dinner at the noon hour. A fine supper was served in the evening and at night the fifth degree was put on by the Greenfield Grange of Boardman team and was exemplified in a most pleasing manner. Twenty-three candidates were given this degree, 10 of them from Boardman. After the evening meeting the crowd danced for a time. The next Pomona meeting will be held at Rhea creek. Pomona meets once a quarter and composes the various subordinate Granges of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Mathis and Mrs. Ed Kunze were Pendleton visitors Thursday.

W. H. Mefford loaded out a car of hay for J. C. Ballenger this week.

The preliminary declamatory contest was held Monday afternoon at the school house with a few parents present. The children all delivered well and brought an afternoon of

pleasure to those who attended. In the first divisions of non-humorous Echo Coats, A. T. Hereim, Francienne King and Catherine Mead competing. Catherine Mead was awarded first place. She spoke "Little Orphan Annie." Maxene Ballenger and Clara Moe were in the humorous section with Maxine receiving first. Wilma Myers and Mary Chaffee were in the non-humorous division of the upper grades and Mary won first.

Allan Chaffee and Gloria Wicklander were competitors in the humorous division with the former taking first. The high school division did not speak as there was no competition. Nellie Dillon will enter in the humorous, Norma Gibbons dramatic and Carl Wicklander oratorical. Judges for the program were Mesdames Price and Rands, Mr. Calkins, Miss Spike, Miss Chapman and Judge for the first division and Miss Falk for the second.

Chas. Wetherell who is the pump-er at Messner has moved his family up and they are now located in the first of the houses at Messner. Wetherells have eight children and some of them have entered the Boardman school.

Mrs. T. E. Broyles and daughter Grace arrived Saturday from Eugene where they have been during the winter. Roscoe came home the previous week.

Ed Kunze and Earl Baker were home Friday from Stanfield where they have been shearing. It has been too cold to do much shearing. Mr. Baker and Mr. Kunze have purchased a shearing plant of their own.

Mrs. M. J. Kelly left Monday on 18 for Omaha after spending a year with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Allen.

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