

BOARDMAN

The Mesdames Messenger, Warner, I. Skoubo, Ayers and Macomber were hostesses at the Silver Tea Wednesday at the Macomber home. Twenty-seven ladies were present. At the close of a short business meeting a social time was enjoyed. A dainty two-course luncheon was served.

Harley Miller of Myrtle Point was a recent visitor at the Dan Ransier home.

J. R. Johnson made another trip to The Dalles Saturday to consult the eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McReynolds, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gilbert and Chas. Matthews of Pilot Rock were guests Sunday at the Nate Macomber home. Mr. and Mrs. McReynolds are parents, and Mrs. Gilbert a sister, of Mrs. Macomber.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marschat were entertained at a lovely dinner Sunday at the C. S. Calkins home.

Prof. Earl Brown and wife and Miss Alice McNabb of Ione were dinner guests Sunday at the Ward Graves home. The Sunday previous Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graves, Mrs. Ashur Montague and Bernice and Dick of Arlington and Al Troedson and family of Morgan, were all guests at the Graves home.

Mrs. D. F. Ransier is pleased to have her mother, Mrs. J. H. Marlow of Pendleton with her for a week. On Sunday Frank Marlow and Miss Mary Lee Hartle were guests at the Ransier home.

The Home Economics club met Wednesday with Mrs. Ella Shell. A pleasant time was enjoyed and the usual delicious luncheon was had.

Elmer Doney is here from Frewater. He is a nephew of Mrs. Robert Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shane of Arlington were visitors on the project Monday.

Miss Alice Falk was pleased to have her friend, Miss Mabel Currie, of Salem with her for the week end. Miss Currie is employed as stenographer at the state house.

Jess Mathis and his crew have been shearing sheep on the Mike Marshall place. Over 10,000 head were sheared. Slevin, Mulligan, Martin, McNamee have the largest bands with a number of other small bands. The shearing crew was divided and six of the men went to Tub Springs to the Carty ranch to shear the first of the week.

Concrete was poured on Tuesday for the foundation of the new Catholic church. The Catholic ladies served a fine dinner for the workers at the noon hour at Root's hall. The cafeteria will close on Friday of this week. After that children must bring their lunches.

We as a community are prone to find fault with the school board, perhaps largely as a matter of habit, but we wonder if any of us realize the amount of work and effort expended on the part of the board members. Just for example, the task of electing three new teachers on the teaching staff for the coming year; there were about 85 applicants, each application was thoroughly examined and finally the three following were selected: Mrs. Jean Blake who has been grade principal at Yoncalla for the 7th and 8th grades. Mrs. Blake had her teacher's training at Lewiston, Montana, and later work in southern Oregon normal school. She has had 12 years experience, seven in Oregon. Special qualifications were her musical talents. Mrs. Blake

sings, plays the piano and has done glee club work. The past two years she organized and conducted a high school orchestra at Yoncalla. Mrs. Blake has two children aged 7 and 9 years.

Katherine Brown who is a local girl, a graduate of B. H. S., is to have the 5th and 6th grades. Katherine is a graduate of Washington State Normal at Ellensburg, Wash. She was a brilliant student in her school work. She taught one year in Washington.

Miss Falk's place will be taken by Miss Judith Pierson who received her education at the University of Montana and did special work after graduation at U. of Mont. and U. of California at Los Angeles.

Miss Pierson has had three years experience, one in Montana and two in Idaho. She also sings, plays the piano and is good at dramatics, glee club work and can teach public speaking. These three teachers with the following former teachers with the faculty comprise the staff for next year: Supt. L. E. Marschat, Mrs. Marschat, 1st and 2nd, Miss Ellen Henry, 3rd and 4th, W. O. King, athletics and manual training, Miss Frances Spike, home economics.

Harry Murchie is here from Seaside where he has lived the past several years and is living in his house. He will be here for some time.

Mrs. Nick Faler is here from Portland. Friends are indeed glad to welcome her again after several months absence in Portland.

Friends of Mrs. W. J. Thurman, sister of Mrs. D. F. Ransier will be interested to hear of their removal to Grandview, Wash.

C. S. Calkins has traded his 40-acre ranch here for 20 acres near Jefferson, Ore., and will move next week to his new location. Mr. and Mrs. Calkins and daughter Alice have lived here the past five years, coming from Lebanon. They have taken an active part in the community life, Mr. Calkins being a member of the school board, superintendent of the Sunday school and a church trustee. Mrs. Calkins, with her sweet, quiet, unassuming manner counts her friends by the score.

Friends will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Guy Lee of Pilot Rock is convalescing nicely from an operation for appendicitis on Saturday, May 4, at the hospital in Pendleton. Mrs. Lee has been ill for months and spent nine or ten weeks in bed previous to the operation. The Lees do not plan to return to Pilot Rock this fall. Mr. Lee has taught there the past five years. He taught two years in Boardman and they have many friends here.

Boardman farmers' wives are busy persons at present with young poultis, and turkey talk is the chief order of the day. Some have had difficulty with poor hatches. This week and next are momentous occasions in the lives of seven seniors who on Wednesday evening, May 15, make their debut into real life after four years of high school. Roy R. Hewitt, dean of the law school at Willamete university, will deliver the commencement address. Miss Henry will play a piano selection and Eldon Wilson a saxophone number, and Mrs. Rands will sing. Lillian Brice is the valedictorian and Sophia Barlow salutatorian. Mrs. Barlow is deserving of much praise for she did that which few girls do, returned to school after her marriage and a year's absence and is completing her high school work with honors.

The baccalaureate sermon will be given Sunday morning at the church by Dr. D. A. Thompson of Portland. The Barlow quartette will sing, "Whispering Hope." Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marschat will leave Thursday morning for Berkeley, Calif., where the former will reenter the university where he is working for his master's degree. Mrs. Marschat will probably take normal work at Frisco.

An operetta, "Snow White," will be given by the grade children on Friday night, May 10. A charge of 15 and 25 cents will be made, the money to be used for the purchase of music books. Some pretty costumes are being made, and there are several exceptionally good feature numbers, a Chinese dance being among them.

May 12. Rev. Guy L. Drill of Pendleton will deliver the sermon. Everybody is welcome. John Williams and Willie Ruddy finished plowing 250 acres of ground on the B. P. Doherty ranch last week. Mrs. Margaret Peddicord of Grass Valley visited her son Willard Hawley from Thursday until Sunday. J. T. Lambirth of Pendleton spent Wednesday at the home of his brother, George Lambirth. Mrs. Shirley Straight of West Camp accompanied by her sister, Mrs. E. P. Pearson and sons Don and Jack of Echo spent Sunday afternoon with the former's mother and father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Straight of Heppner. Mr. and Mrs. E. Parklow of Grass Valley, motored to eastern Oregon last week. They spent Saturday with friends in Boardman and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Lambirth and returned to Boardman Sunday evening. Frank Shively who has been plowing for some ranchers in this community with a Rumley tractor pulling a disc plow, just finished plowing a half section for B. P. Doherty and is now plowing a quarter section for Dan Doherty. Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bennett were Sunday guests of the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lambirth and family. Little Miss Edna Pearson of Echo was a week end guest of Miss Gertrude Tichenor of West Camp. G. L. Bennett was a business visitor in Heppner on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simonton and family were business visitors in Echo on Saturday. A number of our young people attended the dance in the Elks hall at Heppner on Friday evening. Miss Celatha Lambirth entertained on Saturday afternoon her cousins Miss Ruth Bennett and Mrs. Merle Bennett. Mrs. Anna Heiny, a grade school teacher at Alpine, spent the week end with relatives and friends at Rhea creek. Thursday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel of Rhea creek, the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Hayes and son Fay of Portland. Willard Hawley has finished plowing 200 acres of land on the Killenny ranch which is located two miles north of Alpine school house.

ALPINE.

Sheep shearing has come to an end on the Boylen ranch at Butter creek. The outfit left there on Sunday.

C. Melville, accompanied by his niece, Miss Gertrude Tichenor, spent Saturday in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lindsey and children Annie Ree and Bruce spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bowman at Pendleton.

A very large crowd attended the Farm Bureau meeting held at Alpine on Saturday night. Everyone enjoyed the interesting talks on farm relief by Roy Ritner of Pendleton, Geo. Peck of Lexington, and Chas. Smith, county agent of Heppner, also announcements by Dr. J. P. Conder, Judge Bengie and Geo. Bleakman. The members of the Alpine Farm Bureau take this method of thanking the students of Pine City for putting on the splendid program.

Dan Doherty has finished shearing among his flocks. He had one week of heavy work.

Alpine baseball team defeated the Eight Mile team in their first game of the season. The score was 14-2.

Mrs. Shirley Straight of West Camp spent the week end with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Pearson of Echo.

The Hat Pearson sheep shearing outfit is now busily engaged in shearing sheep on the B. P. Doherty ranch.

The baccalaureate sermon to the 1929 graduating classes of Alpine and Pine City high schools will be preached at Alpine, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Merle Bennett returned to her home here on Thursday after spending a week at the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDaniel of Rhea creek.

Roy W. Ritner of Pendleton was a Saturday evening dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lambirth.

W. A. Schoenfelt, from the bureau of economics, United States department of agriculture, who is making a tour of the state delivering talks on farm economic problems, will be at Cecil hall Saturday night to address farmers of Morrow county and others interested. Among other things Mr. Schoenfelt will explain the reporting system of the bureau used in making crop and market reports, and will explain the world grain situation as it now is. A periodical report on world conditions issued by the bureau is available to all farmers. This meeting will be well worth the time of all farmers to attend, declares Chas. W. Smith, county agent, who urges all who possibly can to attend.

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