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Friends here have received the announcement of the graduation, May 15, of Miss Dorice Eleanor Gunzel, from the McLaughlin Union high school, Freewater. Miss Gunzel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gunzel, former residents of Ione.

R. M. Akers was an outgoing passenger Tuesday for Portland. The object of his visit to the city was to have dental work done.

Mrs. Carl Leathers and Mrs. Owen Leathers, both of Hardman, were Sunday guests at the J. E. Grimes home. Mrs. Carl Leathers is Mrs. Grimes' daughter.

The interior of the Ione print shop is being cleaned and redecorated and some much needed cabinet work has been built in.

Bill Ahalt and Fred Buchanan left this week for Montana where they go to prepare the sheds, corals, etc., for the Krebs Bros. sheep which will be shipped soon. Forty-five carloads of sheep will be shipped to the Montana grazing lands from this locality. Krebs brothers, Ellis Minor and others are owners of the shipment.

Several of our teachers spent the week end out of town. Miss Irene Anders visited friends at Grangeville, Idaho. Mrs. Harriet Brown visited her daughter at The Dalles and Miss Hildegarde Williams spent the time in Goldendale, Wash. Mrs. Brown and Miss Williams motored together as far as Rufus, where Mrs. Williams crossed the river and Mrs. Brown was met by her daughter. All report an especially enjoyable week end.

Mildred Smith and Mary Healy were shopping in The Dalles Monday.

The grade school will have a picnic in the Ione park Tuesday, May 20. All parents and friends are invited to attend. Come with well filled baskets and enjoy a day out of doors with the children, and their teachers. There will be games, races and other forms of amusement. Please remember the date, and remember this is a community affair.

The new Stanford achievement tests were given in the grades the first of this week and on Wednesday and Thursday will be given the Eighth grade examinations. Fifteen seventh graders will take the state examination in geography at the same time. The closing days are busy days in school.

A seven pound baby son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Bristow of Baker, Friday, May 9. The baby has been given the name of Edmond Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bristow and Mrs. T. E. Grabil motored to Baker Friday to greet the new grandchild. Mr. Bristow and Mrs. Grabil returned home Sunday, but Mrs. Bristow remained in Baker for a few days.

We are glad to note the promotion of Charles Devin, a member of the state traffic squad, to the rank of sergeant. Mr. Devin has been a member of the squad for several years, being first located at Hood River, but at present being stationed at Bend. Mr. Devin was formerly an Ione rancher.

Friday evening at the school auditorium the grade band assisted by members of the high school will give its first public concert. An invitation is extended to all parents and friends.

The friends here have received the announcement of the marriage of Miss Thelma Florence Forbes and John Osteen, Sunday, May 11, at Heppner. Miss Forbes is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Forbes. She is a graduate of the Ione high school, and until a few months ago made her home in Ione. She has many friends here who wish her and her husband happiness and prosperity. The young couple will make their home on the

Osteen ranch two miles from Heppner.

Rev. W. W. Head returned on Wednesday of last week to his work at Ione, after spending a pleasant week end with his family at Cathlamet, Washington. On the return trip he and his son, John, journeyed together as far as Portland. There John Head took boat for Bristol Bay, Alaska, for three months' work as foreman of the cannery of the Alaska Packers association. Mr. Head held a similar position with the same company last year. Bristol bay is 2300 miles north from Portland and 200 miles south of Nome.

Milton Bower, pastor of the Church of Christ at Heppner, held services in the Ione church Sunday evening. His sermon topic was "Highways of the Heart." He was accompanied by members of his congregation from the neighboring town. This is their second visit to Ione this summer. Our people greatly appreciate their kind helpfulness. The Church of Christ of Ione is without a regular pastor.

Jack Frost was again in evidence Wednesday morning of last week. M. R. Morgan reports ice at his home and Mr. Miller who lives below town reports that his early potatoes were slightly nipped by the frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stiefel of Canby have leased the Earle A. Brown residence on Third street and will take possession between June first and fifteenth. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are already packing preparatory to moving. They hope to be in Pixley, California, by May 28.

Cleo Drake left Monday night for Portland to enter the veterans' hospital for treatment. During his absence Richard Lundell will look after the mail route.

Alice Katherine, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholson, is still very ill.

Many of our ball fans motored to Arlington Sunday to attend the game between Arlington and Ione. The home team was defeated 6-0. Next Sunday Wasco will play at Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howk were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Salling in Arlington Sunday.

Miss Clementine Groshens of Portland has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lynn Dempsey, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Dempsey of Rickreall visited recently at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dempsey. When they returned home they were accompanied as far as Portland by Mrs. Dempsey's father, V. Groshens, who had been visiting here for some time.

Miss Mabel Cool, a pupil in the Ione school and a member of the Morrow county 4-H club, is to be congratulated upon the winning of the scholarship provided by the Farmers and Stockgrowers National bank of Heppner, for calf club member. This gives Miss Cool the privilege of attending the annual 4-H club summer school at Oregon State college, Corvallis, June 9-21. Many Ionites attended the Elks meeting at Condon Saturday afternoon and evening. Eleven were initiated into the order. All report an enjoyable time.

A delegation of seven interested in the road north of Jordan Siding, attended county court when it met Wednesday of last week in Heppner. They asked that work be done on this road covering about one and one-half miles. The court promised to take care of this later on. Those who made up the delegation were Laxton McMurray, H. V. Smouse, Walter Rietmann, Mr. Fitzpatrick, Albert Nelson and Leo Gorger.

On Friday of last week Louis Balsiger, Emil Swanson and George Ely attended the grain grading school at Arlington, conducted by the state and federal department, each department having two instructors present and all being in charge of Mr. Wright, chief inspector.

On Saturday Mr. Balsiger and Mr. Swanson returned to the school accompanied by Blain Blackwell.

On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Grant Olden, Mr. and Mrs. George Snider and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howell and two daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barlow and son motored to Pendleton to spend a happy day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Barlow who are employed at the government experiment station.

The closing days of school are crowded full of social affairs among the young people. One evening the first of last week twenty members of the Social Civics club, accompanied by Miss Irene Anders, motored about nine miles up Rhea creek for a "wiener" roast. Although the eats were carefully guarded part of them miraculously disappeared. Later the lost food was recovered and no one knows just where to place the blame. The young folks had an evening of keen enjoyment, returning home about ten o'clock.

Very early Saturday morning—3 a. m. to be exact—the juniors and seniors started out for their annual picnic. They made the trip in Norman Swanson's truck, and were chaperoned by Mrs. Freida McMullan Slocum. They spent a happy day on Ditch creek, returning home at evening tired but well pleased with the day. Those who made the trip were Mildred Smith, Mary Healy, Kenneth Smouse, Margaret Crawford, Helen Smouse, Norman Nelson, Norman Swanson, Dorr Mason, Barton Clark, Milton Morgan, Ralph Mason, Louis Buschke, Ordie Farrans, Irvin Ritchie, Harold Kincaid and Mrs. Slocum. Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown meant to join the picnic crowd but failed to locate the merry-makers until on the return home.

The freshmen and sophomores, not to be outdone by the upperclassmen, went "a gypsying" to the coal mines above Heppner on Saturday. They did not get off quite so early as the others, but made a longer day of it, stopping in Heppner on the return trip to attend a show. This party was accompanied by Miss Lucile Rhoten, C. M. Daniels, Miss Maud Knight and Lonnie McCabe. The students making the trip were Clara Nelson, Josephine Healy, Ruth Keene, Charley Lundell, Charley O'Conner, Charles Carlson, Elwayne Lieuallen, Norman Everson, Francis Ely, Norton Lundell, Elba Akers, Ralph Gibson, Paul Smouse and Joel Engelman.

TESTS BEING GIVEN. Pupils from second to eighth grades, inclusive, of the Heppner grade school, will complete this week, the taking of the new Stanford achievement tests in arithmetic.

Who wants a good piano cheap? Have one in Heppner that must be sold at once. If interested will tell you where it can be seen. Address F. M. Read, 612 East Third St., The Dalles, Ore.

Oregon Pioneer, Former Heppner Resident, Dies

Mrs. William Collins, 85, mother of George Hayden of Hardman, died at the home of Oscar Hale at Spray, Sunday. At the time of her death she was 85 years, 9 months and 13 days of age. Services were held at the Spray community church with Mrs. Bobo, pastor of the Riverview chapel, near Spray, officiating. Interment was at the Haystack cemetery.

Mrs. Matilda Collins, nee Koontz, was born in Dahlonoga, Boone county, Iowa, July 28, 1844. She crossed the plains with her parents in 1852, being a child of eight years at that time.

They first settled at Vancouver, Wash., for a short time, later moving to Salem, then a mere village. She played as a child on the present state house grounds and related in later years of having romped on the pile of lumber of which the state capitol building was erected, when Oregon City was the territorial capitol.

She was married to De Marcus Hayden, Dec. 25, 1860. To this union four children were born, Mary E. Hale, deceased; William Edward of Klamath Falls, William Smith of Spray and George H. Hayden of Hardman. The three living were at her bedside when the angel of death appeared.

Beside these she leaves seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren and a host of friends

to mourn her loss.

The departed moved to the Haystack country in 1877 with her husband and children. She was a real Oregon pioneer as in those days neighbors were few and far apart, and brave was the heart of "The Little Mother" as she was lovingly called by those far and near, to withstand the dangers of the frontier with a family of small children.

In those days medical aid was not to be had, and the little mother was the country doctor for all in a radius of twenty miles and never were the roads too bad or the night too dark to this courageous little soul to give aid to some needy or distressed person. At one time after ministering to a dying mother, she carried twin babies home with her to mother them until such time as they were old enough for their father to care for. The two mentioned are Claud and Clyde Hughes, the latter residing at West Linn, near Oregon City. Claud has never been heard of since the World war.

She was indeed a "friend in need." She was again united in marriage with William Collins in 1891, and has lived in the Haystack community ever since, always rendering help and comfort wherever possible. It is indeed a loss to the community and the state at large when a pioneer like the "Little Mother" is called beyond.

Little Mother you are gone— How we miss your smiling face. Other friends may come and go; None can ever take your place. You have soothed the aching heart. You have dried the falling tears; Shame on him who could forget All you've done these many years! You have earned a rich reward: When we follow, one by one. May our hands, like yours, be filled With good deeds which we have done. All honor to The Pioneer Mothers.

The deceased spent several winters at Heppner with her son, Geo. Hayden, and leaves many friends in this vicinity, many of whom had known and loved her before moving to Heppner.—(Contributed.)

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