

BOARDMAN

MRS. A. T. HERREIM, Correspondent.

The home of Harry Murchie was badly damaged by fire Thursday morning. Mr. Murchie was getting breakfast and had lighted his oil stove and had gone into his dining room when he heard an explosion. When he reached the kitchen the room was full of flames. He went to the door and called his neighbors and got a few of his things, and in trying to hurry from the house he fell and hurt his leg. The news soon spread and the men attached hoses to the houses near by and the fire was soon under control. The fire was put out before it completely burned the house. The kitchen and bedrooms to the back of the house were the most damaged. The roof was cut through in many places to get the water to the flames. The house was insured. Mr. Murchie is now staying with Mr. Ballenger.

The annual school election was held Monday afternoon at the school house. Mrs. Mead was elected clerk, Jess Allen and Lee Mead, directors. Mrs. Mead and Mrs. Klitz were nominated for clerk, the former having 19 votes and the latter 14. Mr. Mead was reelected, receiving 27 votes and Mr. Dillon who had declined the nomination. Mr. Allen was elected to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Chas. Wicklander. He received 27 votes and George Wicklander 10. The minutes of the last meeting and the financial report was read and adopted.

Miss Nellie Dillon returned home from Portland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. McReynold of Port Orford are visiting at the N. A. Macomber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foley of Rock creek were guests at the Lee Mead home Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Foley and Mrs. Mead are sisters.

Mr. Dillon made a trip to Portland last week, taking down a load of lambs for Mr. Ayers.

Miss Bethmyri Miller returned home from La Grande Monday. Miss Miller plans to spend the summer in Boardman.

Maxine Ballenger is spending her vacation here with her father, J. C. Ballenger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Barlow motored to La Grande Sunday to spend the day with the T. E. Messenger family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Allen and family and Mrs. Blazur of La Grande visited at the Jess Allen home Sunday.

The Strobel crew bailed hay last week for I. Skoubo.

The Children's Day program at the community church will be given Sunday evening June 21, at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Marschall and baby left Monday for Berkeley, Calif., where Mr. Marschall will attend summer school.

Mr. Herheim and son A. T. were dinner guests at the Graves home Sunday.

Paul Hatch was a Boardman visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Guy Barlow and Mrs. Z. J. Gillespie motored to Pendleton Friday.

Glen Hadley is in South Dakota shearing sheep.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Healey, Mrs. M. K. Flickinger and Lois Messenger motored to Portland last week to attend the Rose festival. Mrs. Flickinger and Lois Messenger visited at the U. H. Messenger home while there.

Mrs. Buskirk's sisters, Aubrey and Iris Glibeth, of The Dalles are visiting at the Buskirk home at Castle Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen and daughter Mildred, and Jack Sayers were Heppner visitors Friday.

Paul Smith and family and Mrs. Ransier were in Hermiston Thursday.

Mrs. Viola Carrick left Sunday for Vernonia where she will stay several days and then return to Boardman the last of the week.

Darrel Farrrens are ill at their mountain home with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Johnson returned from Portland Sunday. They spent a few days visiting at the home of Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Silwell. They also attended the Rose Carnival and were present at the dedication of the new St. Johns bridge.

Mrs. J. B. Adams took her small son to Heppner Monday to consult a doctor. He is much improved at this writing.

Mrs. George Samuels and Nellie Bleakman have been on the sick list the last few days.

The annual school meeting of district No. 40 was largely attended by patrons and taxpayers. Wm. Greener was reelected director for three years and Fay Ashbaugh clerk for one year. The union high school will hold their annual meeting on June 22. There will be two directors elected at that time.

The dance given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Musgrave at the home of Wm. Greener was largely attended by Morrow county people. All report a good time.

Jim Knighten was transacting business in Heppner Tuesday.

Mrs. Strethur, mother of Mrs. Gene Lovgren, departed for Hillsboro Monday where she will visit her son for a few weeks before returning to her home in Portland.

Carey Hastings returned from California Saturday. He has been engaged in shearing sheep for the past two months. After a few days rest he will return to his work there.

LEXINGTON NEWS

By RUTH DINGES.

On Monday, June 15, the annual school meeting of district No. 12 was held. Robert Wilcox was reelected director, and Dona Barnett was re-elected clerk for the coming year.

Miss Helen Valentine who has been attending school at the University of Oregon at Eugene returned home Sunday morning. She will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Valentine. Miss Valentine spent Friday and Saturday in Portland where she enjoyed a visit with friends and took in the festivities of the Rose festival.

On Wednesday, June 10, Kenneth Warner and Garland Thompson left for a trip to Hermiston and Milton-Freewater. The boys have secured employment at the latter place.

W. J. Davis, Clark Davis and Clayton Davis are spending their vacation at Ritter.

Miss Edna Lindstrom of Cecil has been visiting with Miss Vera Breashears. She returned to her home on Sunday evening.

Buster Gentry, Carl Ayers and Lawrence Slocum spent Saturday and Sunday fishing in the mountains.

Mrs. L. A. Warner has been visiting at the home of her son, Earl Warner. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Earl Warner took her to Weston where she will visit with friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Warner returned home Sunday evening.

A very pleasant evening was spent on Saturday of last week when a number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gally Johnson called at their home to visit and play games. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dinges, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burchell, Mrs. A. Reaney, Mrs. Sarah Bocher, Paul Nichols, Edward Burchell Jr., Grace, Doris and Billy Burchell and Danny Dinges.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Rice had the misfortune to lose their car and garage by fire on last Saturday. The accident was caused by gasoline exploding. Volunteer fire fighters were called from Lexington as it was feared that the fire would spread into the wheat field, but owing to the efforts of the volunteers

CANADIAN MARIE DRESSLER AT CHAUTAUQUA

Jean Macdonald Coming.

Jean Macdonald, Scotch girl of Toronto, Canada, is one of the unique attractions at the coming Chautauqua. She has been called "the Marie Dressler of Canada," because she has the ability to make people forget their troubles with high grade nonsense.

Miss Macdonald has convulsed audiences from one end of America to the other, on both sides of the International boundary and in coming to Chautauqua on the third afternoon she is sure of sending away a pleased crowd of people who will have forgotten the poor prices for crops, bad business, high taxes and all the other things which plague America in this year of our Lord 1931.

Whatever else people may or may not like about the coming Chautauqua program, everybody will enjoy Jean Macdonald whom her friends have christened "Bonny Jean, the perfect scream."



NOTED RADIO ARTISTS FEATURE AT CHAUTAUQUA

Lombard Entertainers Present Radio Program



One of the most interesting features of this year's Chautauqua will be an outstanding radio entertainment team, Harry and Lela Lombard, who have been heard over the radio by hundreds of thousands from WGN, WEDH, WBBM, WMAQ, WCFL and WLS, in Chicago.

For the past two years they have been exclusive artists for WLS, most of the time in the WLS Showboat program.

They have appeared before hundreds of clubs and conventions as well as over the radio, and Mrs. Lombard was formerly with the Fairchild Ladies' Quartet, which was known from coast to coast as one of the great companies a few years ago. She is charming in

mannar, scintillating and earnest in her work and the audience follows her with the utmost satisfaction. She has exceptional dramatic ability, is a whistler and musician of unusual ability.

Harry Lombard, starred in the English Opera Company for eight seasons, was soloist Liberti's Italian Band, Ralph Dunbar's Bell Ringers, and a vaudeville headliner. He is particularly noted as a comedian.

The Lombards have extraordinary costumes, stage scenery and novelties that add a great deal to their program. They present a genuine radio broadcasting program from the platform, giving some of the numbers that have been popular with radio listeners all over the country.

Farm News & Trends

From State Market Agent.

Wheat Consolidation Plan

On July 1 the northwest division of the Farmers National Grain corporation will take over responsibility for receiving wheat direct from the 59 locals now operated under the North Pacific Grain Growers corporation and will market it direct to mills and exporters. Henry W. Collins of Pendleton will be in charge. The organization is new

Farmers Union Prospers

At the annual session of the state Farmers Union held in McMinnville

and will be under the support of the federal farm board. Under this new arrangement this will become one of the most important branches of the Farmers National which has a fine record of profit for its members. The second meeting of the North Pacific will be June 15.

Protective Association Formed

A state-wide dairy protective association was formed at Salem on Monday of last week. Its purpose is to conduct a campaign in the interest of the law taxing also which now threatens ruin to the dairy industry. G. H. Fullenweider, Carleton and G. P. Gillam, Amity are president and secretary.

Butter Grading Required

Under present law, containers of butter made in Oregon must be stamped with the grade of the contents.

The chief purposes of this requirement is to state the butter quality which the purchaser has a right to know and to stimulate a fair price for superior value of good cream used in the making of butter. The requirement rests most heavily upon the creamery operator. Its enforcement is under direction of the state dairy and food commissioner.

Cherries

On the whole the black cherry yield is estimated as fair for the northwest. A large volume of this fruit shipped in crates is sold at auctions in the market centers in and east of Chicago. Among the cooperative organizations now preparing for shipments is the Salem Cherry Growers association. The quality of the fruit under fair weather conditions will be excellent. The price is less promising than last year at this time.

Cooperatives Unite

Six northwest canning organizations with headquarters in Portland have united their sales efforts through the creation of a grower-owned regional cooperative under the name North Pacific Canners and Packers, Inc. It was established under Federal Farm Board authority.

The six organizations now operating under one head handled last year a \$3,000,000 business. Sixteen different varieties of fruits and vegetables were handled by these six organizations last year. In addition to canning and cold pack operations they shipped about 7,000,000 pounds of fresh berries. Efforts will be made to increase the use of North Pacific Canners and Packers brand and establish a trade demand for northwestern products.

Russia Samples American Market

Russia works the world for markets. Recently, reports our American attache in Bogota, she shipped free of charge to a large flour mill concern in Columbia 50 sacks of wheat for experimental milling purposes in competition with wheat grown in America. This wheat is similar in size, color and sample of kernel to that grown in Manitoba. The milling firm receiving this sample has been supplied heretofore with wheat from the United States.

At the annual session of the state Farmers Union held in McMinnville

recently it was decided to establish a livestock cooperative market at the Portland stockyards this year. Another forward step taken at the meeting was the decision to revive publication of the Farmers Union News to stimulate interest in organization insurance, collective farm buying and selling and other objects of the union.

The organization has more than doubled its membership during the past year. Officers elected were L. H. McBea, Dallas, president; Mrs. Betty Kappauf, Eugene, secretary; treasurer, and J. J. Sechust, Ballston, vice-president.

The next annual session will be held in Salem.

Ladino Clover

Four acres of Ladino clover harvested in Jackson county for seed, last year, brought the owner \$50—a much larger price than he would have received from a crop of grain.

U. S. Wheat Imports

Imports of wheat into the United States for consumption upon which duty was paid amounted to 27,000 bushels from July 1, 1930 to May 14 this year. Last year during the same period the amount imported was 17,000 bushels. Wheat imports from July 1, 1930 to May 16 this year to bonded mills for grinding into flour for export amounted to

17,378,000 bushels as compared to 10,906,000 bushels during the same period last year.

BUCK LOSES NINE POUNDS.

Back from a two weeks vacation on his ranch near Heppner, Captain Buck Lieuallen, state traffic officer, reported this morning that he had lost nine pounds of his usual 218 by pitching hay. "This is the first time I've ever felt like going back to work after a vacation," Captain Lieuallen said. "After pitching hay being a traffic officer is duck soup."

Mr. and Mrs. John Krebs and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Krebs were Cecil folk in the city Monday. Good showers over the Cecil country have freshened vegetation considerably, and will help grain and range to some extent.

Miss Verdie Leach and Mr. Earl Elliott Isom, both of Irrigon, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage in Heppner at 8 o'clock p. m., Saturday evening, Rev. Glen P. White officiating.



CHILDREN CRY FOR IT—

CHILDREN hate to take medicine as a rule, but every child loves the taste of Castoria. And this pure vegetable preparation is just as good as it tastes; just as bland and just as harmless as the recipe reads.

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SAFE

HARDMAN.
MRS. ELLA FARRRENS.

Carl Leathers was transacting business in Heppner Monday.

Delcie Bleakman is spending the week visiting with Arleta Ashbaugh. Morris McKittrick departed for Portland Monday where he has employment with the Federal Land bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bleakman and daughter Neta Ray spent Sunday visiting friends here.

It is reported that Mildred and