

Local Happenings

Fred Hoskins is summering his two bands of sheep in the mountains back of Meacham and reports that the feed is the best it has been in years. This holds good for the mountain ranges in the forest area, and is due in a doubt to the late rains. Mr. Hoskins also states that there are many more sheep in the mountains than usual, owing to the large holdover, and the abundant feed is proving a blessing to the flockmasters. Mr. Hoskins was in town from his Rhea creek ranch Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anglin and daughter Rachel motored to Yakima Saturday, returning home by way of Walla Walla and Pendleton Sunday. They had a rather unpleasant journey home as they traveled for about 200 miles in the dust storm what at times was very suffocating. Mrs. Henry Schwarz accompanied them as far as Wapato, and Mrs. Anglin's mother, Mrs. Sowers, returned to Heppner with them Tuesday.

John Harbke, president of Wells Springs Gas & Oil company, was in the city a short time Tuesday, having just arrived from his home in Portland. Mr. Harbke states that the harvest is now on at the big Wells Springs ranch, and he also expressed the hope that drilling will soon be under way at the gas field again, the idea of the company being to put down another and larger well on the higher ground.

John Anglin, manager of the local MacMarr store, informs this paper that he is the proud possessor of a \$25 cash prize, won last month in a selling contest. The contest was on Par, concentrated washing machine soap. Mr. Anglin is the more appreciative of this prize as it was won over a large field of contestants. This is the third prize captured by the Heppner store during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Mahoney departed on Tuesday afternoon for Portland, Mr. Mahoney being on his way to Salem to attend the tax committee meeting as one of the representatives from Morrow county, appointed by Governor Julius L. Meier. Chas. Wicklander of Boardman is the other representative from this county.

Howard Lane reports harvest quite general in the Lexington sector, and it will be on in full blast this week. Many fields are turning out much better yields than was expected, and 20 to 25 bushels to the acre is not uncommon, the grain having been much benefited by the cool June weather.

Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo and their two sons, Bernard and Scott, and Mrs. Osmun Hager and daughter, Harriet, departed Saturday for Portland. From there Dr. McMurdo was going on to Fort Lewis where he will spend a couple of weeks on military duty.

Emil Swanson, warehouseman of Ione, was a business visitor in this city Monday. He is authority for the information that W. W. Head, pastor-editor, is now taking his vacation, and that the Ione Independent has suspended publication for the time being.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hodecker and young daughter visited over the Fourth with Mrs. Hodecker's brother, Garnet Barratt and family. The Hodecker home is at Camas, Wash., where Mr. Hodecker is in the garage business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rogers and son and daughter, from Redmond, were over the Fourth visitors at the home of Mr. Roger's father, Chester Darbee, and enjoyed visiting old-time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse J. Wells returned Monday from their honeymoon and are now "at home" at the Wells farm just north of Heppner.

The croquet season is on again, Saturday, July 4th, being the official opening day on the Huston court and the first game was between W. O. Dix and T. J. Humphreys, the latter having been the challenger and he carried off the laurels for the initial contest—in fact his game was so hot that Dix has not yet figured out just what it was all about. Two games followed in the afternoon with Humphreys and Huston vs. Crawford and Dix, getting a game each. This put new courage in Dix, and he challenged Humphreys to play another two-handed game, and he received another beating. On Tuesday evening Crawford was matched against the champion and went down with a complete knockout, following which he and Dix proceeded to wallop Humphreys and Huston again, so to date it looks like honors are about even, with Humphreys strutting around like a bantam rooster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hiatt and daughter, Miss Doris Hiatt returned Tuesday from an outing and automobile trip that took them to points in Idaho and Eastern Oregon. They visited Mountain Home, Idaho, and Eagle Valley, Baker county, and a number of other places and Mr. Hiatt states that the farther east they were the hotter and drier it seemed to be. Crops where he was in Idaho were poor and there is a great shortage of water for irrigation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel R. Benton and their two sons, Ralph and Dick, returned home early Monday morning from Turner where they spent the most of the past week attending the annual convention of the Oregon Christian Missionary society. Mr. Benton was on the program for the opening sermon. He will be in his pulpit at the Heppner church both morning and evening the coming Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Chaffee were visitors at Pasco over the week end with the parents of Mrs. Chaffee, also taking in the celebration of the opening of the Pasco-Kenewick bridge as a toll-free institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shively, Merle and Billy Becket and Stacy Roberts motored to Portland for the Fourth and took in the picnic of former Morrow county residents at Laurelhurst park.

Mrs. Walter Crosby was brought to town from the farm home at the mouth of Skinner creek by the Phelps ambulance yesterday, suffering injuries received when she fell over a wagon tongue. She was placed in Morrow General hospital. Injuries included a broken rib and sprained ankle.

Dean T. Godoman and family departed the first of the week on their summer vacation. Mr. Godoman attended Elks grand lodge at Seattle as delegate from Heppner lodge.

DR. CLARKE, EYE SPECIALIST of Portland, will be in Heppner, Sunday, July 12th, on his regular monthly trip. Consult him about your eyes.

J. J. Nys and family returned Tuesday evening from a ten-day vacation visit at Salem, Corvallis and other Willamette valley points.

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J. W. Becket is up from Portland this week looking after his farming interests in Morrow county.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We extend our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all the friends and neighbors who were so helpful and sympathetic at the time of our recent bereavement. We especially appreciate the assistance given us by the Neighbors of Woodcraft. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunt, Mrs. Maggie Hunt.

EYE DOCTOR COMING.

DR. CLARKE of the Clarke Optical Co., Portland, Ore., EYE SIGHT SPECIALISTS, will be in Heppner all day and evening, Sunday, July 12th, at the Hotel Heppner. SEE HIM ABOUT YOUR EYES.

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Mrs. Ollie Neill and daughter Neva made a business trip to Echo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mitchell of Alpine made a business call at Lon Wattenburger's Sunday afternoon.

Most of the Pine City folks attended the Fourth of July celebration at Stanfield Saturday. The Pine City band led the parade down Main street to the camp grounds where the program was given. A basket dinner was enjoyed by all, with the people from the different communities located at separate tables. Free lemonade was served to everyone, and ice cream and pop were sold. Speeches and music were the main entertainment of the program.

Ernest and Glenn Rothwell of Pendleton are visiting at the home of their aunt, Mrs. J. S. Moore.

Bruce Lindsey is now staying at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Charley Morehead.

Band practice will be held once a week for the rest of the summer. Harvey Meyers of Echo is conducting the practice every Friday evening. Some band members of Hermiton and also some from Echo will attend these practices.

The Misses Lila Bartholomew, Jean Paine, Naomi Moore, Wilma McCarty, Ruth Thompson, Helen Jarmon and Alma Neill went for a horseback ride Tuesday. They took their lunch with them and spent the day riding.

The following persons were dinner guests at the Lon Wattenburger home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wattenburger and children, Junior and Lucile, Ralph Neill, Bruce Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Neill and Alma, Mrs. Charley Morehead and children Bobby and Delpha, and Lloyd Baldrige.

Roy Neill attended the woolgrow-

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ers' meeting at Heppner Monday

Mrs. Horace Strong and children Bobby and Betty Lou and Miss Helen Jarmon left Monday for Bakersfield, Calif. They have been visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jarmon of Butter creek.

Mrs. Charley Morehead and children made a business trip to Hermiton Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conrad, who have been working for W. D. Neill, are now at their home near Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Wattenburger and children, Mrs. Anna Schmidt and Alfred and Arthur Schmidt spent the Fourth of July at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Wigglesworth who live on the Lewis place.

Miss Shirley Jarmon and Roy Jarmon spent the Fourth at the home of their parents. They were accompanied from Portland by some friends. They returned Sunday night. Shirley is working in the library at Monmouth and Roy is working with the Bell Telephone company at Portland.

Lloyd Baldrige of Popular Bluff, Missouri, is now visiting at the homes of his step-sisters, Mrs. Lon Wattenburger and Mrs. Roy Neill, and also at the home of his half-brother, Charley Morehead. He ex-

pects to remain here some time before returning to Missouri.

Lon and Burl Wattenburger are beginning their summer work of extracting honey.

Mrs. Horace Strong and children and Lura and Lida Jarmon called at the Helms and Roy Neill homes Wednesday evening.

Johnny Brosnan called at the Charley Bartholomew home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Healy and children spent the Fourth at a camp near Ukiah.

ATTEND N. E. A. MEET.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Turner and the Misses Anabel Turner, Audrey Beymer and Helen Falconer returned Monday evening from Los Angeles where Mrs. Turner and the Misses Beymer and Falconer attended the meetings of the National Education association in convention there last week, and the entire party enjoyed the sights of the southern California metropolis and the trip going and coming. A visit was enjoyed with the family of Mr. Turner's brother, Loy M. Turner, at Long Beach, and among attractions seen was a Mission play staged in the Hollywood bowl. While Los Angeles and suburbs are very beautiful, Mr. Turner gained the impres-

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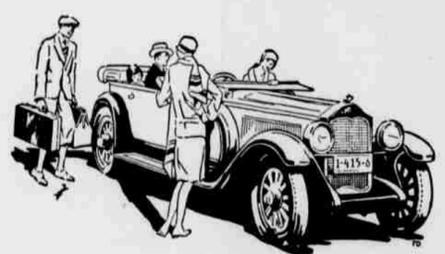
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