

Local Happenings

While rabbit shooting in Juniper canyon below the Jas. Cartz ranch recently, A. A. McCabe and George Ely of Ione ran onto a very large fossil in the shape of a bone from some prehistoric animal. The bone was slightly uncovered in the sand, so the gentlemen proceeded to dig it out. The specimen was 34 or 35 inches in length and measured 8 inches across the ball and socket end. However, it crumbled away badly as it was being handled, and they were not able to bring it in whole.

D. B. Stalter, president of Heppner Mining company, who has been spending a couple of months in Portland at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Van Valkenburg, returned to Heppner on Sunday. He expects to remain here until spring opens and then trek to the mining property in the Greenhorn mountains. With the present price of gold, Mr. Stalter thinks mining operations will be greatly stimulated in the Baker and Grant county fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Troedson were Morgan folks in Heppner on Saturday. Mr. Troedson is resting pretty easy now while the oncoming crop is progressing. For many years he has kept a record on the weather down his way, and this is not the first open winter to be noted, though perhaps just a little more mild all through to date than any he can recall.

About twenty were present at the meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Christian church held at the home of Mrs. Frank S. Parker Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. J. C. Harding was leader and the subject under consideration was "Missions in Africa." Mrs. Chas. Barlow was devotional leader. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

J. O. Kincaid, Willard Blake, Ernest Heliker, Harry Cool, Ross Perry and Ed Engelman were farmers in town Wednesday and appearing before the county court to discuss road matters. They are residents within Road Dist. No. 23, and interested in getting some work under way in that district.

R. H. Zinter, wheat raiser of the Gooseberry section, reports his grain doing well the mild weather bringing it along pretty fast. He hopes for a continuation of present conditions. Mr. Zinter was looking after business in Heppner Tuesday.

Paul Pettyjohn of Morgan who has been a patient for some two weeks at Heppner hospital while recovering from an operation for appendicitis, was discharged Saturday. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Pettyjohn, came after him.

Tom Craig was in town on Saturday from the wheat ranch north-west of Lexington, where he has been very busy of late getting the plowing done. Conditions of crops in his section are fair at this time, the grain making good growth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brock and their little granddaughter and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cooley were over from Pendleton on Sunday, the former visiting at the home of Mrs. Josie Jones and the latter with Mr. and Mrs. Vawter Crawford.

Kate J. Young lodge, Degree of Honor Protective Assn., meets on Tuesday, Feb. 13, at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall. Initiation and refreshments. Clara Beamer, sec.

Hal Ely, retired farmer, was here Tuesday from his home at Ione. Mr. Ely feels pretty good over the present crop outlook and has enjoyed the mild winter.

Will trade—160 A. dairy tract on coast for creek ranch in Morrow county, some wheat land in connection acceptable. Write W. L. Baker, Canary, Ore.

Mrs. John Brosnan of Lena was shopping in this city Saturday. She was accompanied by Miss Theresa Quigley, teacher of the Lena school.

Mrs. Carrie Vaughn went to Pendleton Wednesday afternoon and will visit for a while at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Keithley.

Lost—Lady's black purse short ways below Ione Tuesday eve. Finder take money and leave purse at Swanson's store. 1p

Hugh Grimm and Mack Watkins of Irrigon were in the city yesterday on business before the county court.

M. J. Fitzpatrick, north-end wheat raiser, was looking after business affairs here on Saturday.

When in town, look over the bargains at the new Variety Store, two doors west of telephone office. 44-7

A. A. McCabe was a Rhea creek farmer looking after business in Heppner on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wilcox of Rhea creek were Saturday visitors in this city.

Artistic hand-made articles for sale at Mahrt's Electric Shop.

For Sale—Poland China boar, wt. 150 lbs. Walter Jepson, Ione. 48-9

Wanted—Corn cultivator. Ward Graves, Boardman. 48-9p.

Bridge prizes at Mahrt's Electric Shop.

BOARDMAN

By RACHEL J. BARLOW

Pendleton visitors last Tuesday included Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ransler, Mrs. Nickerson, Mrs. Strobel and Mrs. Art Allen.

Mrs. L. W. Michael and Mrs. W. D. Lynch and daughter Frances of Portland were guests at the A. R. Barlow home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Courtright of Stayton have moved onto their place which has been rented for the past two years by Harlan Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carrick and Charles Hango motored to Hermiston Saturday.

The Thimble club met last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Floyd Surface.

Charles Chandler of Willow creek was a business visitor in town last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mefford, Mrs. J. E. Barlow and Mrs. John Copeland and son were guests at the Robert Wilson home last Thursday.

Mrs. Gladys Griffin and sons moved last week to near Portland where they will make their home.

Mrs. Clyde Carrick and Mrs. Sarah Wilbanks motored to Arlington Sunday.

Mrs. T. E. Hendricks and Mrs. Nick Faler returned home last week after spending a week in Portland visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ruby Knight of Umatilla was in Boardman Tuesday doing beauty work.

Harlan Jones has purchased the old Adolph Skoubo ranch. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Miller who have been renting it will move to their own place on the west end of the project.

Boardman folks who spent the week end in Portland were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles, Miss Elizabeth Marshall and Miss Thelma Brown.

Ruth King who had been seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia but was recuperating nicely was taken ill again Monday and has a high fever again. Dr. Grey of Heppner was called to the King home Thursday.

The Heppner high school basketball team won from the local team by a score of 18-17. The game was very close and exciting throughout the entire time.

Remember the Valentine dance on Saturday evening, February 10, in the school gymnasium. Music will be furnished by the Columbians. The dance is being given by the high school girls' athletic club. Admission is cents 40c and ladies 10c.

IRRIGON

MRS. W. C. ISOM

Mrs. Frank Fredrickson entertained the H. E. club ladies at her home Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. A. C. Houghton, Mrs. Frank Brace, Mrs. Clair Caldwell, Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Clara Smith, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. W. C. Isom, Mrs. Will Narcross, Mrs. Minnie MacFarland, Mrs. Don Kenney and Miss Ethel Bullock. A birthday shower was given Miss Bullock by the club members.

Don Rutledge and Frank Brace were Portland visitors Wednesday.

Geo. Hendrix who has spent the past several months in Portland is home again for the summer season.

Frank Fredrickson planted two acres of peas recently and reports the seed sprouted and coming along nicely.

A melon growers' meeting was held again Friday evening and R. V. Jones elected as a delegate to go to Portland Wednesday to attend the meeting of all the growers in the state.

Will Grabel and mother, Mrs. J. A. Grabel, were business visitors in Pendleton Saturday.

Lena Rose of Umatilla visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Minick Saturday and Sunday.

County Agent Chas. W. Smith of Heppner attended the melon growers' meeting Friday night.

Geo. Kandler of Umatilla spent Friday at the Earl Isom home as-

isting in laying a new floor in his home.

Jack White was a Portland visitor last week.

Miss Shellenberger left for Portland Friday evening for the week end.

Among Irrigon folks attending the creamery meeting at Hermiston Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reiks, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Jones, Frank Leicht, Fred Markham, Mr. Rutledge and son Don and Harvey Warner.

The discussion on things of interest to the members as well as the addresses in the afternoon were enjoyed by all and the Irrigon members wish to express their appreciation of the lovely dinner served by the ladies of the Union church.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Isom were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Isom and evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kandler at Umatilla Sunday.

A large crowd was again present at the dance Saturday evening. The next dance will be given in two weeks from this Saturday night.

Billy Markham and Ruth Leicht were guests of Vonna Jones Sunday night.

Revises are being held in the community church by the Pentecostal people.

Rev. Payne of Hermiston held services here Sunday afternoon.

PINE CITY

By OLETA NEILL

Miss Oleta Neill took care of Betty, Frances and Patricia Finch Wednesday evening, while Mr. and Mrs. Finch attended grange practice at Pleasant Point.

Mrs. Roy Omohundro and children were business visitors in Hermiston Saturday. Miss Frankie Neill returned home with them to spend the week end.

Several people in the community have had an attack of German measles recently. Some of them have been quite ill while others have not been ill with them at all.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ayers and children and Miss Oleta Neill were in Hermiston on business Saturday.

Mrs. O. F. Thomson, Mrs. E. P. Jarmon and Fred Lee motored to Pendleton Tuesday.

A large number of Pine City people attended the Farm Bureau meeting and program that was given by the Heppner Commercial club at Alpine Saturday night. Some of them also helped to charivari Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice after the program.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neill were business visitors in Echo Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Cox and children and Mr. and Mrs. Burt Wattenburger and children called on Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Young Sunday evening.

The Pine City school has started a school paper. Through a contest the name "Rim Rock" was decided on as the name for the paper. It will probably be published every Friday and it will contain all the school news.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Corrigan gave a dance at their home Saturday night. A large crowd attended and a very enjoyable time was had.

Mrs. L. D. Neill motored to Heppner Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ayers made a business trip to the lower part of Butter creek Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wattenburger and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger and Earl Wattenburger were in Pendleton on business Saturday.

Among those who are ill and out of school with measles are the Misses Marie Healy and Charlotte Helms, and Hugh, Ralph and Harold Neill.

People from Lexington, Hermiston, Echo, Pendleton, Alpine and Pine City attended the basket dinner and all day service at Pine City Sunday. Rev. Jones of Hermiston gave the sermon in the morning. Rev. Sias of Lexington gave the sermon in the afternoon. There were several special vocal selections by Miss Gertrude Tichenor, Dan Lindsay, both of Alpine; Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Hermiston and Mrs. Parker and Miss Barnett of Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Plourd and children of Pendleton attended the basket dinner at Pine City Sunday. Miss Alma Neill and Dreston Myers returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger were in Echo Tuesday morning.

From the Rim Rock

To Iris Omohundro goes the credit for naming our school paper. A vote by the students on several names was taken January 31 and the name "Rim Rock" won.

Ray Ayers of the primary room also submitted a similar name, that of "Pine City Rimrock."

No paper is ever edited without a name. At least Pine City people haven't heard of any. Naturally they wanted the best name for their paper so a contest was held. Af-

ter due consideration by a picked committee consisting of Mr. Smith, Miss Henderson and Dick Carlson, four names were chosen. After one popular vote on these names resulting in a tie, a second vote decided that "Rim Rock" was to be the name. And so it is.

Editorial staff: Editor-in-chief, Dick Carlson; general news editor, Lenna Neill; feature editor, Charlotte Helms; art and fun, Fred and August Rauch; make-up editor, Iris Omohundro; typist, Mary Cunha; proof reader, June Way; hectographer, Marie Healy; assistant, Isabella O'Brien; assemblyman, Raymond Lee; news boys, Darren and Delbert Vinson; reporters: high school, Bernice Neill; seventh and eighth grades, Jack Healy; primary room, Cecelia Healy; general, Floyd Conad, Tom Healy, Hugh Neill, Murray Potts and L. D. Vin-

son.

The high school boys and girls are now starting glee clubs. Mr. Smith is leader of the boys' and Miss Henderson is leading the girls' singing.

Some of the girls in the community are making plans to organize a Camp Fire group. Their plans will be announced later on.

Jimmie Meador, who has been attending the Echo school, enrolled as a third grader at Pine City on Monday.

Edwin Omohundro had the misfortune to get his arm broken at his home when trying to bridle a horse Monday evening, January 29. Several days later his parents took him to Heppner where a physician pronounced the arm broken and put it in a cast. Edwin is improving rapidly although (to his great joy) he cannot write yet.

O. S. C. MAN WRITES TEXT. Corvallis—A new textbook entitled "Principles of Genetics and Eugenics," written by Dr. Nathan Fasten, head of the department of zoology and physiology in the school of science at O. S. C., has been accepted for publication by Ginn and company of New York and London. Specialists in the field have pronounced Dr. Fasten's new book as exceptional in its freshness of presentation and modern scholarship in handling the subjects of heredity, variation and environment in easily understandable language. Dr. Fasten is author of a previous text entitled "Origin Through Evolution."

Tilman Hogue, in the city today from the Ione district, said wheat is growing well but the weed situation is none too good.

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