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By MARGARET BLAKE

W. F. Honey and son John of Gresham were business visitors in Ione over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Werner Rietmann accompanied by Mrs. Edward Rietmann were week-end visitors at The Dalles. Mrs. Edward Rietmann also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Van Vactor at Grand Dalles where they make their home on a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swanson motored to Salem on Friday, returning home Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Emil Swanson.

Mrs. Ruby O. Roberts, local postmistress, has received a communication from Representative Walter Pierce that she has been recommended for re-appointment to her position without examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ring and family have moved into the Dobyns house on Second street.

Mrs. Burgeon Ledbetter and family have moved from the Leona Withers ranch into the Kincaid house on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsay and family have moved from the Walter Rietmann ranch where they have been employed during the past two years to the Leora Withers ranch which they will operate.

Mrs. Lana Padberg was hostess to the Women's Topic club last Saturday afternoon at her home on Rice creek. Fourteen members and three visitors were present. The book, "God's Angry Man," by Ehrlich was reviewed by Mrs. Eppa Ward, Mrs. Ted Smith and Mrs. Louis Bergelin. It is a novel based on historical facts concerning the life of and the part played in events leading to the Civil War by John Brown and was very well reviewed by the three ladies. A number of interesting sidelights on the Civil War period were brought out in the discussion which followed.

Mrs. Harlan McCurdy gave a reading, "He Can't Read His Tombstone When He's Dead," which concluded the afternoon's program. Creamed chicken and coffee were served to the club by the hostess. Considerable interest was taken in the basketball game played last week at Legion hall. A team of single men played a team of married men and both teams were on roller skates. A large crowd was in attendance and judging from the laughter and applause considered time and money well spent for the amusement afforded. The final score was 31 to 21 in favor of the married men. The single men expect to turn tables in a return game this week.

It is reported that Clarence Nelson has rented the farm known as the Rulley place and will take possession at once.

The Odd Fellows will give one of their always popular Hard Times dances at the Legion hall next Saturday evening, Feb. 10.

The American Legion entertained the Auxiliary and ex-service men who are not members of the Legion and their families at a turkey dinner and party last Friday evening. About forty people enjoyed the feast and afterward skating and basketball were enjoyed by many with a table of cards for those who preferred less strenuous sport.

Seven tables of bridge and three tables of pinocle were at play at the benefit card party given by the O. E. S. Social club at Masonic hall last Saturday evening. High score at bridge was won by Louis Bergelin and high score for pinocle by J. W. Howk. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

Harlan McCurdy in company with Victor Peterson and Walter Moore of Heppner attended a school of instruction for Federal Land bank appraisers at the Washington State college at Pullman the latter part of last week.

The boys' basketball team of I. H. S. played the Heppner high school team at Heppner, winning the game by a score of 19-13. The local boys played a good game all the way through.

During the sale of Christmas seals the student body was divided into two teams to see who could sell the most seals. On last Thursday afternoon the winning team was entertained by the losing team at a party during the last period of the day. Fruit jello and cake were served.

LEXINGTON

By BEULAH B. NICHOLS

The smoker held last Friday night by the Lexington school was a success for action and entertainment. All the boxers and wrestlers were in good condition.

The matches were as follows: Ellis Peck, 120-lb. boxer, vs. Ash Shaw, 100-lb. wrestler. The result was a draw. All the skill possessed by the boys was demonstrated in their zeal to conquer.

Lee Shaw and Elmer Moyer put on a swift and vicious scrap that ended in a draw. It was the type of fight that would be good anywhere.

Virgil Smith and Don Jones boxed a three-round draw that kept the crowd in suspense. Both boys are good.

Another good scrap was put on by Albert Huff, boxer, and Francis Nickerson, wrestler. The boys backed nothing but strangle holds and teeth holds.

Harvey Bauman and George Gillis wrestled three five-minute rounds. One fall was taken by Gillis in the third round which seemed more luck than anything for the match was nip and tuck throughout.

The last event on the program was an exhibition of professional wrestling by Dan Gillis, 195 lbs., and Earl Gillis, 185 lbs., both of Portland. They came up to get on the card but found no opponents to meet them so decided to have a family scrap.

In the basketball game Saturday night the Lexington Independents won from the Heppner town team

with a score of 50-27.

A crowd of young people got together Saturday night and journeyed out to the Rice ranch for a charivari on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice.

A surprise towel shower was given for Mrs. J. G. Johnson on last Thursday afternoon. Those present besides Mrs. Johnson were Mesdames Sarah Booher, Edie Parkins, Edith Miller, Golda Leathers, Reita Cutler, Nellis Palmer, Edna Munkers, Laura Scott, Margaret Williams, Celeste Williams, Laura Rice, Sarah White, LaVerne Henderson, Clara Gillis, Mae Burchell, and Misses Grace and Doris Burchell. The afternoon was spent playing "bug" and delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles Martin and son Elroy are spending the week with relatives in Moro.

If this warm weather continues, farmers in this community will have their spring plowing completed by the time they usually begin. Several farmers have been busy during the past few weeks with tractors or teams, getting their fields plowed for summer fallow. The wheat is far more advanced than is usual at this time of year, due to the warm weather and an abundance of moisture in the ground.

Mr. Barnes, salesman for the General Grocery company, was here from The Dalles Tuesday, calling on local stores.

George McMillan of Cherryville is visiting relatives here this week. Miss June Anderson of Heppner was a week-end guest of Grace and Doris Burchell.

A large number of students are absent from school this week on account of measles. Especially is this noted in the fourth and fifth grade room, there being only five students in attendance in that room this week. This epidemic seems to be a different kind of measles than that which has been going around for the past several weeks and it is hoped that this epidemic will not spread to other communities.

A display of curios and antiques, with a program and social evening, under the head of "Old Curiosity Shop Number Two," will be held at Legh hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14. Everyone is invited to come and bring any old curio twenty-five or fifty years old or more. It is under the auspices of the ladies of the Christian church. The price of admission is five cents and a nominal price for any refreshments you choose.

Mrs. Mae Burchell and daughters entertained with a delightful turkey dinner at their home Sunday. The guests included Edna Jones, June Anderson, Claire Phelan, Gay Anderson, Jr., Don Jones, Billy Schwarz and Floyd Jones of Heppner and Erma Lane and Paul Nichols of Lexington.

Mrs. J. G. Johnson spent the week end in Portland. On her return Monday she was accompanied by Mrs. Estelle Inderbitzen who will spend the week at the Johnson home.

Lexington grange will meet Saturday evening, February 10, at the hall.

Mrs. John Miller entertained at a quilting and five hundred party on Thursday afternoon. The guests were Mrs. Anne Miller, Mrs. Nancy McWaters, Mrs. Pearl Gentry, Mrs. Alta Cutsforth, Mrs. Beulah Nichols, Mrs. Myrtle Schriever, Mrs. Clara Gillis, Mrs. Margaret Williams, Mrs. Emma Peck, Mrs. Cecile Jackson, Mrs. Mary Hunt and Mrs. J. B. Jackson. Delicious refreshments were served at the close of a pleasant afternoon.

W. E. Tucker and son Wilber were Portland visitors last week. Guests of the Marquardt brothers last week were their father, Carl Marquardt, and their brother, Harry Marquardt, both of Portland.

Dan Gillis, Earl Gillis and Ernest Tuller of Portland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gillis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibbs are the parents of an 11-lb. boy born on Saturday, Feb. 3, at the home of Mrs. George Allyn.

Lawrence Beach made a business trip to Lewiston, Idaho, the first of the week.

SCHOOL NOTES

The science club meeting and election of officers was held at 7:30 Wednesday, February 7th, in the science room.

The table tennis tournament finals were played Tuesday. Doris Burchell became girls' champion while Vivian White became champion of the boys, as well as grand champion of the school. Woodrow Tucker is runner-up, having defeated the girl champion, Rose Thornburg, who is runner-up for the girls. Other players who reached the semi-finals were Fred Ashin-hust, Edward Hunt, Lyle Allyn, Fern Luttrell and Bernice Martin.

The basketball game last Saturday between Lexington high school and Heppner high ended in a win for Lexington, 17-16. Like the first game between the two teams it was fast and hard fought all the way. This Friday Lexington will play Echo here at 7:30.

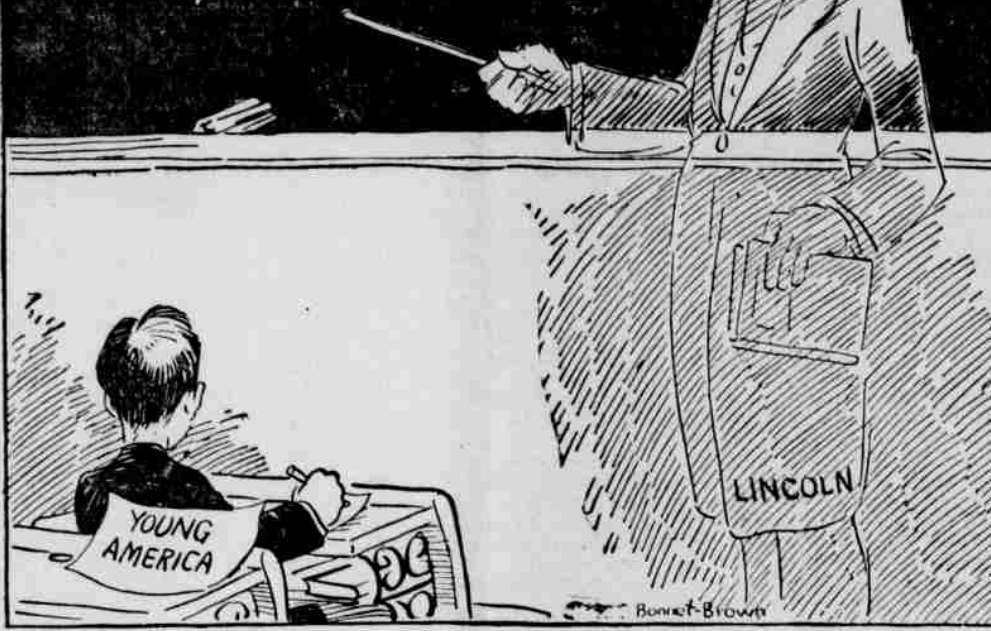
The student body play has been selected and the cast chosen. The play, "Laugh, Clown," is a three-act comedy with plenty of action and loads of laughs. The cast will consist of Faye Luttrell, Fern Luttrell, Erma Lane, Helen Breshears, Doris Burchell, Alma Van Winkle, Vester Thornburg, Kenneth Palmer, Edward Hunt and Lester Cox.

Watch for future announcements and the date. Laurel Beach will be the director.

On Wednesday evening last the faculty entertained the P. T. A. Supt. Williams gave a talk on "Child Education." Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Williams played a piano duet. The rest of the entertainment consisted of a skit called "Broadcast as it Might Be." Several clever numbers were presented. Mrs. Turner appeared as Sarah Sackem, "Kitchen Hints and Household Expert." Mr. Beach sang two very entertaining numbers; George Gillis, as Reginald Delphinium Weatherspoon, gave some expert advice

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At Heppner CHURCHES

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JOEL R. BENTON, Minister. Bible School 9:45 a. m. Morning services 11 a. m. C. E. Society 2:30 p. m. Evening services 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Midweek service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

You are invited to come and worship with us if you have not a Church home. There will be a meeting of the Columbia Christian Endeavor Union beginning on Saturday afternoon, February 10 and closing on Sunday afternoon, February 11. Young people from Milton-Freewater, Pendleton, Ione, Hardman and Lexington will be present and have a part in the various phases of the meeting. You are invited to come and watch the young folks at work.

For the coming Lord's Day the sermon topics will be: For the morning service, "Living Waters." And for the evening service, "The Love of Christ a Fact and a Force." Come, you are invited.

METHODIST CHURCH

JOSEPH POPE, Pastor. Morning services: Sunday School 9:45. Song leader, Mrs. Edward F. Bloom. Public worship 11:00. Anthem, "Create in Me a Clean Heart." Asher Sermon, "Filled With the Spirit." This is "National Scout Sunday." All Scouts, their parents and friends are hereby given a special invitation to attend this service.

Evening services: Epworth League 6:30. Evangelistic service 7:30. Choir practice Wednesday evening 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

The W. F. M. S. will meet Tuesday afternoon 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. L. Case. An interesting program has been arranged. Mrs. Case and Mrs. John Wigham are to be the hostesses.

A hearty welcome awaits you at all the services of our church.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Holy Communion will be held at 11 o'clock next Sunday morning with Rev. M. G. Tennyson in charge. Mr. Tennyson will hold services at Cecil at 3, and at Hardman at 7:30 o'clock the same day.

Legion and Auxiliary

Now in New Quarters

Heppner Post No. 87, American Legion, held its regular meeting Monday evening in the new quarters recently acquired in the I. O. O. F. building. Heppner unit, Legion Auxiliary, also met in the new quarters Tuesday evening. The rooms, which were formerly occupied by Dr. J. H. McCurdy and Dr. A. B. Gray, have been redecorated, drapes have been placed at the windows and the Auxiliary furniture and kitchen equipment moved in. Indicating a renewed interest in Legion activities was the large attendance at the Monday meeting.

ALL APPLICATIONS IN.

Formal charters for production credit associations were applied for, following all organization meetings conducted by the Production Credit Corporation of Spokane, according to John A. Schoonover, president. The schedule of over 30 meetings, systematically planned to cover Washington, Montana, Oregon, and Idaho, was concluded February 2. Official approval has been received for several associations, while the balance is expected soon.

AN APPRECIATION.

The Morrow County Chapter of the American Red Cross desires herewith to thank all those who had a part in making successful this year's membership and emergency drives; and especially to thank Mr. Frank Shively for the use of space in his building when we had no other place for the storage of Red Cross supplies; and also the trustees of the I. O. O. F. building for their generous donation of a room in their building for the present use of the Red Cross. JOEL R. BENTON, Chairman.

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Local MacMarr Store To Distribute Magazine

Housewives who visit the local MacMarr store on Friday of this week will have tucked among their purchases a copy of the sparkling national weekly, The Family Circle, edited by Harry Evans, former managing editor of Life, states J. A. Anglin, manager. The magazine has been exclusively purchased by MacMarrs and will be distributed free of charge to customers in appreciation of the friendly relationship existing between them. Mr. Anglin further states that the magazine is not a booster sheet or in any sense a house organ. The Family Circle is a smartly edited sheet and its contents are designed to appeal to the entire family, the various departments including fiction of the highest type, cinema reviews and interviews, radio, fashions, cosmetics, humor, foods and contests. There will be three contests in the issue of Feb. 9 and the prizes will total more than \$100 each week. Mr. Anglin says that this week, and each Friday thereafter, any person calling at the MacMarr store may receive a copy of The Family Circle whether they make a purchase or not.

U. O. Student Debaters Will Speak to Citizens

Eugene—An entirely new system of forensics, called the symposium plan, which abolishes altogether the old style debate where "judges" weighed the "arguments" and "methods of presentation" and then gave a decision for the "affirmative or negative" side, has been adopted at the University of Oregon. It was announced here recently by John L. Casteel and W. A. Dahlberg, forensics directors. Under the new system the teams will not just meet other schools, but will go from community to community over the state and will present their questions before audiences of citizens.

The season opened February 1, when the students journeyed to Westfir, near Eugene, and presented their views on the question, "Is there an inequitable tax distribution in the state of Oregon?" "The whole object behind the new plan is to train college men and women so that they can approach vital problems objectively and with a scientific mind," states Mr. Casteel.

"It is our conviction that those people who support our state institutions are interested in having their young men and women who are sent to college bring back to their communities solutions to problems that are current and vital."

Communities already on the schedule include Kerby, Glendale, Aurora, Duell, Sheridan, Wilkenzie, Portland, Westfir, and others.

A second question that will be taken up by the squad is "Is there a wasteful expenditure of the Oregon tax dollar with regard to our public elementary and secondary schools?"

This conference has become increasingly popular from year to year as an annual clearing house for plans and programs connected with home life and betterment through the state. Last year 301 persons attended, representing 52

types of organizations. The total cumulative session attendance was 2521.

An interesting feature will be the state finals in the community drama contests. Five counties will be entered in this this year compared with two last year. Winning groups from Clackamas, Columbia, Lane, Jackson and Josephine counties will produce one-act plays the afternoon and evening of March 2 for the championship of the state.

Leading topics for this year's conference include better housing, food and drug control, money making ideas for the homemaker, books for the home, and a panel discussion led by prominent state leaders on "How the American Home Contributes to Changing American Ideals."

National AAA Borrows

O.S.C. Man for Period

Corvallis—Roger Morse, extension dairyman at Oregon State college, has been called to Washington, D. C., for three months to serve as regional consultant in launching the plans for a dairy production control program. Morse has been given a leave of absence for that period from the extension service and will return there following his special work for the federal government.

Selection of an Oregon man to represent the Pacific northwest in the important developments under the AAA is considered a tribute to Morse's ability and standing in the dairy industry, while his experience and contacts gained in this special service will add to his usefulness to Oregon upon his return, say officials of the college.

January Peak Month For Land Bank Loans

January was a record-breaking month for the closing of loans by the Federal Land Bank of Spokane. A check on loans made by the bank on farm lands in Washington, Montana, Oregon and Idaho, showed that during this month \$3,597,050 was moved to hard-pressed farmers. \$3,495,524 loan figures in December, represented the high mark of 1933. This shows an increase of over \$100,000 in January over the peak reached in 1933.

This sum represents the closing of 1,713 loans. Of this number 518 were Land Bank loans and 1,195 were Commissioner's loans, all advanced for general farming purposes and in many cases to prevent foreclosure.

In the last week in January, 543 new applicants registered, and a total of 501 loans were closed, or an average of over 83 loans were closed in each working day.

STRAWBERRIES COMING ON.

George Schwarz has a patch of overbearing strawberries on his lot in town. While looking around on Monday he discovered blossoms coming out, and investigating a little further, a half matured berry as large as the end of his thumb hove in sight. Much more of the present warm weather will cause his berry patch to look like it should in the middle of April.

National Figures to be At Co-op Council Meet

Several representatives of national agencies affecting cooperative marketing will be on the program of the annual meeting of the Oregon Cooperative council in Portland Tuesday and Wednesday, February 13 and 14, announces George O. Gatlin, secretary of the council and marketing specialist at O. S. C. Gatlin has just issued a call for the meeting at the request of Glenn B. Marsh of Hood River, president of the organization.

The annual banquet of the council Tuesday night when the 40 member bodies make "roll-call" reports of the year's business, will be open to the general public, as will the entire second day's program when most of the outside speakers are to be heard. The sessions will be held at the Multnomah hotel.

Members of the council who have been in Washington, D. C., lately report that the Oregon body has become a strong influence in the national capital, Gatlin says, and that action taken by it will be close-watched. Most of the national movements in the agricultural "new deal" will be up for discussion at the session, together with the recent Oregon developments such as the state AAA law and the new milk control board.

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