

## SCHOOL CHILDREN CELEBRATE MAY

Lexington Spellers in  
Front; Heppner Leads  
in Field Events.

## MUSIC FETE LARGE

Winding of Maypole, Free Lunch-  
eon Features; City Lively With  
Jubilant Thrill of Kiddies.

A perfect May day and jubilant, exuberant youth filled Heppner with joyous life Friday when most of the school children, teachers and many parents assembled for the annual spelling contest, field day and music festival. The program was well arranged in advance, and all events went off in good order.

A packed house greeted the musical in the gym-auditorium in the evening, closing the day's events, and thrilled to the combined choruses, bands and special numbers which denoted further advancement of music appreciation in the county. Laurel Beach, Lexington, directed the choruses and Miss Juanita Leathers was piano accompanist. Directors Harold Buhman, Heppner, and Stan Atkin, Irrigon, each directed selections by the Heppner-Irrigon combined bands, one of the outstanding features.

Groups of choral numbers were sung by lower grade, upper grade, high school girls, high school boys, and high school mixed choruses. Special numbers included folk dances by Heppner fourth grade, Boardman school orchestra, selection, "The Highway," by Delsie Bleakman of Hardman, and voice selections by Eugene Normoyle of Ione. Combined festival chorus and community singing served as a grand finale.

Lexington took both trophies in the morning spelling contests with Joyce Biddle claiming the Lions trophy by placing first in the upper division, and Lavelle Pieper claiming the Phelps trophy by taking first in the lower division. Frances McCarty, Heppner, and Joan Wright, Rhea creek, placed second and third respectively in the upper division, and Betty Lou Lindsay, Ione, and Lavelle Markham, Irrigon, second and third respectively in the lower division.

Heppner was first in the afternoon track meet with 136 points; Ione second, 65; Irrigon third, 62; while Lexington registered 55, Pine City 32, Boardman 31, and Rocky Bluff 10. Athletes from nearly all schools of the county participated, while supervision was under the "H" club of the local high school and athletic instructors of the county. Winners of the various events who were awarded ribbons were: (Letters in parenthesis denote school.)

Boys 50 yd. dash: Division A—1 Irrigon, 2 Dillabough (B), 3 O'Donnell (H), B: Price (B), Holton (I), Everson (Ione), C: Healy (PC), O'Donnell (H), Shaw (L); D: Gentry (L), Acocik (I), Burchell (L). Girls 50 yd. dash: Division A—1 Gorgier (H), 2 Healy (PC), 3 Wilson (H); B: Vance (H), Rasmussen (H), McCarty (H); C: Bothwell (H), Rauch (L), Prock (H); D: Vaughn (H), Martin (H), Miller (I).

Boys High Jump: Aiken (H), Eubanks (Ione), Sundsten (B); B: Crawford (H), Price (B), Tyler (B); C: Moore (PC), Jackson (H), Adkins (H); D: Heppner (forfeited), Gentry (L), Irrigon.

Girls Baseball Throw: A: Farnes (Ione), Healy (PC), Hiatt (H); B: McCarty (H), Blake (Ione), Gorman (B); C: Rauche (L), Rauche (PC), Jones (I); D: Cool (Ione), Aiken (I), Martin (H).

Girls Sack Race: A: Miller (Ione), Beymer (H), Breshers (L); B: McCarty (H), Scott (L), Johnson (H); C: Rauch (L), Bothwell (H), Jones (I); D: Martin (H), Allen (I), Wilson (I).

Boys Sack Race: A: Doherty (Ione), Baldwin (Ione), Bothwell (H); B: Jackson (L), Baker (H), Christenson (H); C: Bennett (H), Merrill (H), Fredericksen (I); D: Gentry (L), Heppner (forfeited), Davidson (Ione).

Boys Broad Jump: A: Markham (I), Markham (I), Eubanks (Ione); B: Holton (I), Tyler (B), Crawford (H); C: Morgan (H), O'Donnell (H), Partlow (B); D: Heppner (forfeited), Acocik (I), Davidson (Ione).

Boys Baseball Throw: A: Markham (I), Doherty (Ione), Pettigrove (Ione); B: Price (B), Younger (B), Fagerstrom (I); C: Healy (PC), Gilman (H), Morgan (H); D: Campbell (L), Heppner (forfeited), Hayes (H).

Girls 75-yd. Dash: A: Gorgier (Ione), Ledbetter (Ione), Beymer (H); B: Rasmussen (H), McCarty (H), Vance (H); C: Bothwell (H), Rauch (L), Prock (H); D: Vaughn (H), Martin (H), Miller (I).

Shot Put: A: F. Markham (I), C. Marquardt (L), C. Markham (I); B: Baker (RB), Everson (Ione), Holton (I); C: Peterson (RB), Healy (PC), Shaw (L); D: Drake (H), Acocik (I), Gentry (L).

Boys 75-yd. Dash: A: Pettigrove (Ione), Davidson (Ione), Bothwell (H); B: Tyler (B), Ritchie (Ione), Vaughn (H); C: Healy (PC), Morgan (H), O'Donnell (H); D: Heppner (forfeited), Campbell (L), Acocik (I).

One of the enjoyable and colorful features of the day was the

## NEW GRANGE HALL RISING; PLAN TOLD

Commencement 16th; Shaw Home  
Burns in Clarks Canyon; Sur-  
prise Party Tendered.

By BEULAH NICHOLS

Lexington grange No. 726 believes that no grange can reach its highest development and usefulness unless it owns its hall, thus creating the feeling of ownership and stability which makes possible the attainment of the best grange ideas and practices. The advantages of building a grange home are many. The grange takes on new life and its standing is improved in the community; and above all, the membership has something for which to work.

To this end the members of Lexington grange have been striving diligently and earnestly and at last their hopes are about to be realized. Their new hall is rapidly nearing completion and when finished will be comfortable, convenient and attractive; suited to the needs of the immediate present, and capable of development, in taking care of the needs of the future.

The financing of the building has been taken care of largely through donations and contributions of the members of the grange, and the Home Economics club has been doing its bit by giving dances, etc. to help raise funds. All grange members have given freely in accordance with their means, in enthusiasm, in money and in time. There has been no charge for excavation, hauling and labor with the exception of N. D. Bailey, the carpenter, who has charge of construction. This has reduced the expenses greatly.

Work was started on April 17 and the excavation was nearly completed the first day by the crew of sixteen men who were on the job. After the forms were in the men mixed and poured the concrete for the walls of the basement in six hours. The main hall is to be 34 x 50 feet with full basement. There is to be an addition on the rear of the main hall for dressing rooms and a stage. The ceiling is to be of truss and exposed timber construction. The side walls will be finished with the popular Kinzua ponderosa pine ceiling which is noted for its beauty and the fine finish which it takes. The kitchen and dining room will be located in the basement of the building.

The building committee is composed of H. V. Smouse, A. H. Nelson, A. E. Kelly and C. J. D. Bauman. O. W. Cutsforth is master of the grange.

Commencement exercises for the class of '35, Lexington high school, will be held on Thursday evening, May sixteenth, at eight o'clock in the high school auditorium. A class of ten will be graduated at this time. They are Alfred Van Winkle, Lester Cox, Vivian White, Delpha Merritt, Rose Thornburg, Doris Klinger, Fern Luttrel, Helen Breshers, Edward Hunt and Jack McMillan.

The residence of Mrs. Cassa Shaw in Clark's canyon was completely destroyed by fire about three o'clock Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Shaw was at home at the time and was warned of the fire by her dog who kept barking repeatedly. Upon going outside to see what was troubling the dog she discovered the house in flames. Practically all of the contents of the house were destroyed also.

Misses Grace and Doris Burchell entertained on Tuesday afternoon with a surprise birthday party for their mother, Mrs. Mae Burchell, at their home in Heppner. After a pleasant afternoon of games and visiting, delicious refreshments were served. Those present from Lexington were Mrs. J. G. Johnson, Mrs. Harry Duval, Mrs. R. B. Rice, Mrs. Ernest Smith, Mrs. Merle Miller, Mrs. Karl Miller, Mrs. Harry Dinges, Mrs. Henry Rauch, Mrs. M. L. Haley, Mrs. Ted McMillan, Mrs. W. D. Campbell and Rose Thornburg. Heppner guests were Mrs. Vernon Munkers, Mrs. Kate Swendig, Mrs. Earl Eskelson, Mrs. C. H. Latourell, Beulah Eskelson and Kathryn Healy.

A meeting of farmers of the Lexington and North Heppner allotment districts was held at Leach hall on Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of explaining the new program of wheat control and to take a vote to determine if the wheat producers are in favor of continuing a wheat production adjustment program to follow the present one which expires with the 1935 crop year. The farmers of

winding of the Maypole shortly after noon on Main street to music by the Heppner band. Miss Juanita Leathers directed this event.

In the evening, Lions, American Legion and Women's club served free luncheon to more than 450 visiting pupils, parents and teachers at the Church of Christ basement. Serving on committees for this affair were Elbert L. Cox, commander, Paul Gemmell and Loyal Parker, Legion; Henry Aiken, F. B. Nickerson and Earl Eskelson, Lions, and Evelyn Humphreys and Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers, B. P. W. Mr. Cox contributed two sheep for the "feed," business houses contributed both food and cash, while each of the sponsoring organizations gave \$5 in cash besides their work. Appreciation was well shown by the shining faces of the guests, as well as by many kind words.

## Rapids Project Strikes Snag; People Should Act

Rejection of plans for a high dam at Umatilla Rapids by the army board of engineers was announced this week, and Senator Steiwer immediately asked for a rehearing by the board so arguments may be presented for construction of a low dam. Hearings on proposed canalization of Snake and Columbia rivers will be held at Lewiston on May 15.

S. E. Notson, local director of Inland Empire Waterways association, foresees in the situation elements that bode ill for the Umatilla Rapids project, and declares that people of this section must act quickly to forestall slighting of the important project. Everyone can help right now by paying his dollar membership in the waterways association, the only organization existing to present a united front of the people affected. Lawrence Beach at Lexington, C. J. D. Bauman and Mr. Notson at Heppner will receipt for memberships.

## Lions Discuss Luncheon Plans, Nominate Officers

Discussion of plans for staging the model luncheon at The Dalles state convention, June 2, and nomination of officers consumed the time of the Lions at their Monday luncheon. Next week's luncheon was postponed till Tuesday evening in order to greet Ted Ellenwaters, district governor, and Father Timothy Watson, deputy district governor, who will be in Heppner that evening on an airplane tour of the district.

The club greeted a large number of visitors who included Carl Carson, Pendleton; Leslie J. Duncan, Spokane; Tony Vey, Echo; William Tibbles of Montana; Mr. Leberger and F. A. McMahon of Arlington. Alternate delegates to The Dalles convention are J. D. Cash, Dr. L. D. Tibbles and Estes Morton. C. J. D. Bauman, S. E. Notson and Joe Belanger were elected delegates at the previous meeting.

## FACTS CONSIDERED IN WHEAT MEETING

Supply and Price Factors Given  
For Consideration of Contin-  
uing Adjustment Program.

In passing upon the advisability of continuing the wheat adjustment program, farmers of Morrow county are considering six important facts in the series of community meetings under way in this county.

The first fact is that the former large export market for American wheat is almost non-existent. Every effort is being made to increase the export markets, but this is a slow process in view of the large low-priced competing supplies and the trade restrictions that have been raised between countries since the high point of our world shipping.

Despite the unusually low crops of the last two years the northwest area is still on an export basis with burdensome surpluses that are causing a wide disparity in price between Portland and Chicago. It is pointed out that the relief afforded the Pacific northwest last year in this respect was an application of the wheat program under the agricultural act, and that if the program is allowed to expire with the end of the present contracts, there will be no means available for financing the continued subsidized exports of wheat which are being sought by grain producers and dealers in this territory.

The second fact is that world prices are not materially higher than they were before America's two short crops which have put this country on almost a domestic price basis.

Third, there is still enough wheat land available to produce bumper crops and surpluses. Drouth, while solving some of the immediate surplus problems, has not changed the fundamental acreage except to a relatively minor degree.

Fourth, domestic consumption of wheat remains relatively constant year after year. Use of wheat for livestock feed is ordinarily increased only when wheat is cheap in relation to other crops.

Fifth, Wheat growers are protected to a certain extent through the adjustment payments on their domestic allotments against low world export prices. In the past year this has had an estimated effect of 30 to 35 cents a bushel on the average price in this country.

Sixth, it is estimated that the United States on July 1 will carry over about 150 million bushels as compared with 393 million bushels in 1933. Although world stocks are down about 300 million bushels, they are still above average, which indicates no early return of world prices to what American farmers consider a fair level.

Governor Martin has no patience with appointees who are content to sit on the band wagon and ride while the other board or committee members do the work. In removing Mrs. Cornelia Marvin Pierce this week from the board of higher education for non-attendance at board meetings he announced that he stood ready to take similar action with other appointees who were not working at the job.

It is going to cost more than \$46,000 to wreck the capitol walls and cart the debris away.

## FOSSIL HOLDS TOP AS LOCALS DOWNED

Bad Second Inning Takes  
Heart From Robertson,  
Heartens Visitors.

## PROPHECIES HOMER

Ray Massey Robs Kelsay of Shut-  
Out in Ninth; Fisk Also  
Hits Home Run.

TEAM STANDINGS		
	Won	Lost
Fossil	4	0
Arlington	3	1
Condon	3	1
Heppner	1	3
Blalock	3	2
Ialock	0	4

Last Sunday's results: Fossil 12 at Heppner, 1, Ione 7 at Arlington 8, Blalock 0 at Condon 20.

Where the teams play next Sunday: Heppner at Blalock, Ione at Fossil, Condon at Arlington.

Heppner touched Iron Man Kelsay for only four hits while that worthy whiffed 12 of the batsmen to face him, which was a large factor in the league-leading Fossils tipping over the locals here Sunday, 12-1. It was Ray Massey who robbed Kelsay of a nicely-pitched shut-out.

Before stepping to bat as first up in the ninth, the indomitable Ray announced his feat, addressing his teammates, Ray Ferguson, thusly: "Say, Fergie, if I knock a home run this time will you give me five bucks?" "Yeah!" "And I'll add another buck," piped in John Anglin. "Well, it's a cinch," was the cocky rejoinder. Whereupon Mr. Massey's son Ray stepped to the platter and took hold of Kelsay's first delivery for a hot line drive clear over the right field fence, made the circuit, and collected six bucks.

Kelsay was about as downhearted as Johnny with a new pair of roller skates over the feat as he fanned the next two batsmen and the third went out on a high fly into center field.

Massey's was the second homer of the game. Just a moment before Pete Fisk lifted one high and far over the centerfield fence for his sole hit of the day, driving in George ahead of him. It so happened that was the only hit made off Lowell Turner who took over from the chugging in the sixth inning from Ray Massey who had relieved Hank Robertson in the fourth.

Hank started the game and was sailing along nicely with no hits and no runs and two laid away in the second inning. Then Winter mused up a grounder at second, Thomson dropped a pop fly in short, Hayes let one slip out of his mitt in centerfield, what with a couple of hits let in three tallies before Fossil was finally retired. It was enough to take the heart out of any pitcher, which appeared to be the case with Hank as the Fossil boys landed on him for four hits, a walk and four tallies the next time up. Then in the fourth he was found for two successive bingles before Massey held the invaders down, but not until the two runners had scored on errors. In the fifth a hit batsman, a fielder's choice and a two-bagger accounted for two more tallies, which with the two on Fisk's homer in the ninth completed the scoring.

Heppner journeys to Blalock next Sunday and returns in two weeks play Arlington.

BOX SCORE AND SUMMARY									
HEPPNER	AB	R	H	O	A	E			
Evans, I	4	0	0	0	0	0			
R. Massey, pp-1	4	0	1	1	1	1			
A. Massey, c-m	4	0	1	0	0	0			
Thomson, s	4	0	1	4	1	2			
Winter, 1-p	4	0	2	4	0	0			
Hayes, m	2	0	0	0	1	1			
Turnings	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Robertson, pp-r	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Ferguson, s	2	0	0	0	0	0			
McRoberts, 3	1	0	0	1	0	1			
TOTALS	32	1	4	27	11	5			

\*Batted for Hayes in 8th.

FOSSIL									
J. Van Horn, 3-s	6	0	2	0	1	0			
F. Van Horn, 2	4	1	3	3	2	0			
Boyle, 1-s	4	2	2	0	0	0			
George, s	4	2	2	0	0	0			
Hoover, 1-p	2	1	0	0	0	0			
Roberts, 1-p	4	1	1	0	0	0			
Schomp, 1-l	5	1	1	0	0	0			
Miller, m	4	2	1	0	0	0			
X. Turner, m	1	0	1	0	0	0			
Dutton, s	2	2	0	0	0	0			
Z. Misener, r	1	0	0	0	0	0			
Kelsay, p	4	0	0	1	4	0			
TOTALS	44	12	11	27	11	5			

Earned runs, Heppner 1, Fossil 4; hit by pitched ball, Kelsay by Massey; bases on balls, off Robertson 1, off Massey 1; off Turner 2; struck out by Robertson 3, by Massey 1; by Turner 3, by Kelsay 12; home runs, Fisk, R. Massey; three base hit, Boyle; two base hit, George. Heppner umpire, John Miller; scorer, Wm. McRoberts, Jr.

Visitors to Salem the next few weeks are not to be denied a close-up view of the capitol ruins. When residents of Salem protested against the erection of an eight-foot board fence around the capitol as an unsightly eye-sore the board of control compromised on a four-foot fence. Guards will remain on duty day and night to keep the public out of the danger zone while the work of razing the building is in progress.

## Coach Winter Accepts Vancouver, Wash., Job

Laurence E. Winter, athletic supervisor and coach for the local schools, this week resigned the place for next year to accept the position of head coach at Vancouver, Wash., Shumway junior high school. So far no election has been made to fill the vacancy here though the board has several applications under consideration.

Winter, graduate of University of Oregon, where he won letters in football in 1931 and 1932, came here last fall from Redmond where he had a fine record. His record here has been highly satisfactory to the board and to the community generally. The local school is just completing one of its most successful years in all lines of athletics under Winter's tutelage. His acceptance of the Vancouver position was influenced by an attractive salary increase as well as the opportunity to work in a larger system. In their year here Mr. and Mrs. Winter have made many friends in the community who will wish them godspeed while expressing regret at their leaving.

## George Fell, Early Settler Here, Passes in Pendleton

George D. Fell, who settled in Heppner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fell, in 1882, and long prominent as a Pendleton business man, died at his home in that city Sunday from a heart ailment. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon with interment at Pendleton. He is survived by two brothers, Dr. J. Harley Fell of Canyon City, and Walter Fell of Eugene.

Mr. Fell was born in Bloomington, Ill., December 3, 1870. He married Miss Ida Ayers in Heppner in 1891. They moved to Pendleton in 1895. Mr. Fell is credited with being the first to reach Heppner with supplies following the flood disaster here in 1903.

## Mothers and Daughters Dinner Set by B. P. W.

Business and Professional Women's club are sponsoring a mothers and daughters dinner at Hotel Heppner next Monday evening, beginning at 6:45 o'clock. There will be an interesting program of solo and chorus numbers, a tribute to mothers, clever speeches by mothers and daughters and group singing. Mrs. Lucy E. Rodgers will be toastmistress, Miss Juanita Leathers, song leader, and Miss Eula McMillan, piano accompanist.

This annual affair has been very popular in past years. Tickets may be obtained from B. P. W. members.

## Gwendolyn Wool Sale Brings High of 16 1/2c

The high price for the season was recorded in the wool market in this district Saturday when Brady and Hartin of Gwendolyn sold to Pendleton Woolen Mills for 16 1/2 cents. The sale was reported through the local branch First National Bank of Portland.

## GARAGE CHANGE MADE.

Three new families come to Heppner in the change of ownership of Latourell Auto company which was announced yesterday. They are the Walter Blackburn, R. E. Jones and Fred Parrish families, all of Ukiah. The Blackburn family has taken up residence in the Latourell house, the Parrish family in the Len Gillingham house on Church street, and the Jones family, who will arrive tomorrow, will live in the Jeff Jones apartments. Blackburn and Jones are the new proprietors while Parrish is mechanic. Mrs. Parrish, formerly Miss Sadie Huddleston, resided in Heppner for a time while attending high school and will be welcomed by many old-time friends. Blackburn formerly ran a service station at Ukiah, and Jones is principal of the Ukiah school. Both Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Jones have been teaching in the school there.

## TAKES OVER UKIAH SHOW.

Mrs. Ruth Peterson, formerly Miss Ruth Huddleston who attended high school in Heppner, has bought out the cowboy convention show staged annually on the fourth of July at Ukiah and will conduct the destinies of the show in the future. She is well known throughout local Rodeo and Pendleton Round-Up circles and has been given promise of support by both neighbor organizations. The show will be managed in addition to the large home ranch of Mrs. Peterson at Ukiah. Henry Aiken, Rodeo president, has assured her cooperation of the local show, and Mrs. Peterson's many Heppner friends will wish her success. She is not a stranger to the round-up "game," having assisted in staging the Ukiah show for many years.

## VOTED FOR LINCOLN.

H. V. Gates, president of the old Heppner Light and Water company, and son, O. B. Gates, were in the city Monday morning from Hillsboro, and enjoyed greeting old-time friends here. Mr. Gates senior, now 88 years old, is one of the fast-diminishing rank of Civil war veterans, and one of very few people now living who voted for Lincoln for president. It was his privilege to vote for Lincoln when 18 years of age, being at that time a soldier in the Union army with the right of suffrage. Hale and hearty for his years, Mr. Gates actively attends to business, and takes much interest in veterans' affairs.

## FORMER IONE MAN DIES AT GAVIN, WN.

Louis Balsiger Paralysis Victim;  
Rites Held at Newberg; Topic  
Club Studies Poems.

By MARGARET BLAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Balsiger were called to Galvin, a Wash., Friday by the death of Louis Balsiger, Mr. Balsiger's brother, who left Ione about a year ago to make his home in the Washington town. Mr. Balsiger who was 56 years old was a victim of a form of paralysis which has been rapidly growing worse the past few weeks. It is understood that interment was to be made at Newberg on Wednesday, May 8. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Lillian McNay Balsiger, a daughter, Mrs. Melvin Kathas of Ophir, Oregon, and a son Wendel Balsiger of Moro, three brothers, Dr. John and Fred Balsiger, both of White Salmon, Wash., and Paul Balsiger of Ione. Mr. Balsiger was a member of the Congregational church here for many years and was active in religious and community welfare.

The Women's Topic club held its May study meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Rietmann last Saturday afternoon. The subject of the study hour was "Oregon Authors." Mrs. Jennie McMurray read several of the poems of Mrs. Grace M. Turner, an Oregon poet whose home is in Ione. Several selections from "Sunset Trails," a book of poems by Oregon poets, were also read by Mrs. McMurray. Mrs. D. M. Ward reviewed the life and works of Eva Emery Dye. Mrs. Ted Smith gave a short talk on Althea Hargreaves, another Oregon author. Mrs. Edward Rietmann spoke of Ann Shannon Monroe and other authors who have made recent contributions to Oregon's ever growing list of good literary works. During the program Miss Lucy Spittle sang "A Cozy Little Cottage Close Beside the Western Sea," the words of which were written by Grace M. Turner. A short social time was enjoyed at the close of the meeting. Home-made ice cream, cake and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Ted Smith, Mrs. Jennie McMurray, Mrs. D. M. Ward and Mrs. Edward Rietmann. Guests other than members were Mesdames Frank Lundell, Cleo Drake, E. R. Lundell, Clell Rea, Carl Allyn, Doris Mason and Misses Emmet Maynard and Lucy Spittle.

Roy Brown of Hermiston spent Saturday and Sunday here.

The union Sunday school will observe Mother's Day next Sunday with the presentation of a program of appropriate numbers at the close of the Sunday school hour. The program is to be in charge of the Young People's class. Sunday school will meet at the Christian church at 10 a. m. and a cordial invitation to attend is extended to all by the officers and members.

Mrs. Carol Baldwin, teacher of the third and fourth grades, was taken to Heppner Tuesday morning for medical treatment for an attack of appendicitis. Her work at school is being cared for by Mrs. Dean Engelman. According to later report, she underwent an operation for the affliction and is making good progress.

County tests were given in the school on Monday.

Mrs. George Tucker and daughter Maxine were Saturday visitors from Echo.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Smith and children spent Monday in Walla Walla and Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lundell and Mrs. Cleo Drake and children went to Walla Walla Tuesday for a short visit with relatives.

Miss Eva Swanson drove to Salem the latter part of last week where she attended the May Day exercises of Willamette university as a guest of the Beta Chi sorority. She was accompanied to Salem by her mother, Mrs. J. E. Swanson, who spent the week end with the family of her daughter, Mrs. Elmo McMillan.

A MacLean, a brush salesman from Wallamette, Oregon, has been a guest at the Park hotel for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmott Botts have gone to the mountains for the summer where Mr. Botts will make wood.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Ione post, American Legion, is planning a program to be given at two thirty the afternoon of Memorial Day at Legion hall.

Omar Rietmann and Otto Rietmann drove to Newberg on Tuesday afternoon to be present there on Wednesday at the funeral of their cousin Louis Balsiger.

Iris King celebrated her tenth birthday with a party at her home on Tuesday afternoon. Games were played for an hour after which birthday cake and jello were served. Guests were Marianne Corley, Charlotte Sperry, Barbara Ledbetter, Helen Blake, Wilma Dobyns, Alice Nicholson, Amanda Brinkman and Patricia Emert.

Mrs. Peter Timm and Miss Opal Finn entertained the Baptist Ladies Aid on Wednesday at the Timm ranch. A lovely dinner was served at noon and the afternoon spent with needlework.

## NO RIDING ON WALKS.

Notice is hereby given that riding bicycles on sidewalks or any place after night without lights is prohibited by city ordinance, and violators will be prosecuted as therein provided.

W. W. SMEAD, Mayor.

## IRRIGATION HALT CALLED BY MAYOR

Extreme Water Shortage  
Faced With Reservoir  
at Half Way Mark.

## COUNTY WELL HELPS

Flow from Court House Turned In  
This Morning; Council to Act  
Tomorrow Evening.

Discontinuance of all irrigation in the city until further notice was ordered this morning by Mayor W. W. S