

IONE

By MARGARET BLAKE
A large group of friends and neighbors assembled at the Christian church last Saturday morning to pay their last respects to Frank E. Mason who died at Heppner last Thursday a short time after being kicked by a horse. Services were conducted by Alvin Kleinfeld of the Christian church of Heppner. Special music was sung by Mrs. Walter Roberts, Mrs. Ture Peterson, Paul G. Baisiger and E. J. Keller. Pallbearers who were all life-long friends of the deceased were John and Louis Padberg, H. M. and Grant Olden, R. L. Bengt and A. C. Petteys. Interment was made in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. Mr. Mason was survived by his son Frank, five sisters, Miss Ella Mason and Mrs. Nettie Lundy of Portland, Mrs. M. E. Cotter, Mrs. Ed Buschke and Mrs. J. O. Kincaid of Ione, and four brothers, Joe of Prineville, Jesse of The Dalles and Harold and Bert of Ione, all of whom were present at the funeral.

Bert Johnson and John Louy were visitors in Walla Walla on Saturday.

L. J. Gates of The Dalles visited his sister, Mrs. E. Spegal, for a short time one day last week.

Anton Lindstrom who was superintendent of the local school two years ago will teach science in Benson Polytechnic high school in Portland next year.

G. A. Yarnell of Bickleton, Wash., with his grandson, Willis, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yarnell the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sherwood of Tillamook were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corley. Mrs. Sherwood will be remembered by many as Mrs. Winifred Sperry.

Leon Turner of Boardman, a former resident of Ione, is in the Hermiton hospital with a case of blood poisoning.

J. E. Swanson with Harry Dinges of Lexington and Kenneth Blake of Heppner attended a school for grain grading held at Pendleton last Friday.

S. Hansen and F. Schreck of Spokane, Wash., auditors for the North Pacific Grain Growers, Inc., are making an audit of the books of the Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc.

Frank Sturdevant left on Wednesday morning for the beach where he will spend a few days, returning on Saturday.

W. J. Clarke, Jr. of Pendleton, a cousin of Mrs. Werner Rietmann, has given 76 volumes to the local library. A great many of the books are for juvenile readers. District No. 14 has loaned the library the books belonging to its school library, about thirty volumes.

Mrs. Carl Feldman, Mrs. Werner Rietmann and Mrs. Walter Corley were Pendleton visitors last Thursday, going over to consult with the librarian of the Umatilla county library regarding the books which it has so kindly given the Ione library the use of during the last six months.

Mrs. R. W. Lieuallen has returned from a two-weeks' visit in Portland.

Henry Peterson returned on Monday from Walla Walla where he has been under medical care in the veterans hospital.

The Women's Topic club will have an all-day picnic at French's in the mountains on the Heppner-Spray road. Members and their families are expected to attend. The picnic lunch will be pot luck. Hostess committee will be Mrs. Lax-McMurray, Mrs. Omar Rietmann and Mrs. Elmer Griffith.

Mrs. Henry Clark is assisting at the Mason ranch during holiday.

Miss Minnie Normoye is enroute to the east where she will visit relatives in West Virginia for a short time before entering a summer school in New York city for special work in music and art. Miss Normoye will teach in Athena again next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Smith and family who are vacationing near La Grande were home over the week end.

Chas. M. Cooke, manager of the North Pacific Grain Growers, Inc., of Spokane, was in Ione on Wednesday attending a meeting of the directors of the Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc.

Hans Timm of Pilot Rock with his sister, Mrs. Anna Piening, and her son Otto were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Timm on Sunday. Returning home that evening they were accompanied by Marie and Philip Piening who had spent a week at the Timm ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergevin drove to Portland on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rood Ekleberry and children of Dallas brought home Mrs. Roy Ekleberry who has been caring for her grand daughter, Anna May, at Salem. The little girl remained here while her parents returned to their home accompanied by Roy Ekleberry.

Willows grange will hold its monthly business meetings on the fourth Sunday afternoon of each month beginning next Sunday and continuing during the summer.

Mrs. Ruth Aiken who has been employed at the Mason ranch has returned to her home in Heppner.

Mrs. R. W. Brown with her daughter Mrs. A. C. S. Langhille of Portland is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. W. Lieuallen. Miss Genevieve Read who came up from Portland with them will spend the summer at the Lieuallen ranch.

Bunchgrass Rebekah lodge will give a benefit card party in the I. O. O. F. hall on Friday night, June 26. Bridge, pinocle and five hundred will be played. A charge of 25 cents for each person will be made.

The Past Noble Grand club will hold its next meeting in the I. O. O. F. hall next Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Ida Fletcher as hostess.

Mrs. Walter Roberts and Mrs. Victor Rietmann and son Billy were Pendleton visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blake and son Jim of Kinzua and Mr. and Mrs.

John Blake of Fossil visited friends and relatives here on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis of Kinzua and Mr. and Mrs. John Pruthier of Boardman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryson last Sunday.

The Townsend clubs of Ione and Heppner held a picnic in the city park last Sunday. A pot luck lunch was spread on the tables at noon. During the afternoon a program was enjoyed with Rev. Glenn Wade of Hermiston as speaker. Musical numbers were given by local people. Mrs. S. E. Moore and Mrs. Wrex Hiekok returned on Monday morning from Portland.

Miss Rae Cowins of Heppner is visiting at the Carl Allyn home.

Mrs. Harry Armitage of Yakima, Wash., arrived on Wednesday morning for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Tom Strabill. Mrs. Harry Bartlemay and sons are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Morgan.

LEXINGTON

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Ralph Phillips has been enjoying a few days vacation. Tom Barnett has been helping out at the pasture during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rauch and family have moved to the Cutsforth ranch.

Kenneth Smouse has gone to Silver Lake where he has a position with the state highway department.

Bert Johnson of Ione was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Lester Cox is driving a new Plymouth coupe which he purchased recently.

Mrs. Glenn Gale and son of Portland are visiting Mrs. Gale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Wright.

Earl Eskelson of Heppner was in this city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Portland. They came back in a new Plymouth sedan which they purchased while in the city.

Ernest Fredrickson and daughters Iris and Florence, of Salem spent last week with Lexington relatives.

T. W. Cutsforth of Salem is visiting at the home of his son, Orville Cutsforth.

Vernon Lucas, local station agent, has been transferred to Seattle and Mr. Quillon is replacing him here.

Mr. Daly of Walla Walla was a business visitor in Lexington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cutsforth motored to Pendleton Saturday.

Myles Martin spent the week in Moro with Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Martin.

Mrs. C. W. Valentine and daughter Helen are spending the week in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bauman and family spent Sunday at Canyon City.

Mrs. Margaret Suttle and children of San Francisco spent last week visiting Mrs. Suttle's brother, Ralph Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Scott and family spent Sunday in Hardman at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Knighten.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Scott have moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Helms of Pendleton and Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Helms of Bend were here for the funeral of J. H. Helms.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunt, Mrs. Maggie Hunt and Mrs. Casha Shaw of Heppner were in Lexington on Tuesday.

At Heppner CHURCHES

CHURCH OF CHRIST. ALVIN KLEINFELDT, Pastor. Bible School, 9:45 a. m. Morning services, 11 a. m. C. E. Society, 6:30 p. m. Evening services, 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Widewerk service, Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon, "Harmony." C. R. Moore, Christian minister from Hermiston, will preach the evening sermon. The public is invited to all of our services.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH. Ralph V. Hinkle, Archdeacon. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock. There will be reports from the summer school at Cove. The public is invited.

PINE CITY. By LENNA NEILL. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wattenburger who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Reid Buseick, at Long Creek, returned home Sunday.

Miss Bernice Neill and Floyd Mathers returned home the first of the week from Salem where they have been visiting friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Finch and Misses Marie and Cecelia Healy and Jack Healy attended the queen dance at the Lexington grange hall Saturday night.

E. B. Wattenburger motored to Mt. Vernon Monday to look after his bees.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lewis of Pendleton visited at the A. E. Wattenburger home Sunday.

Matt Kenny and Joe Farley visited at the John Healy home Friday.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to thank our many friends for their sympathy and help during the illness and death of our husband and father, and for the many beautiful floral offerings.

Mrs. Annis Helms, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Helms, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Helms.

CARD OF THANKS. We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks for the help and sympathy tendered us in our bereavement, and for the beautiful flowers.

Frank Mason, Jr., and the Mason Family.

THREE COUNTIANS RECEIVE DEGREES

Marjorie Ridings, John Parker and Edwin Ingles Complete Work at U. O.; Ceremonies Impressive.

University of Oregon, Eugene, June 23.—(Special)—Morrow county was represented by three students among the 467 seniors to receive various academic degrees at solemn impressive graduation ceremonies Monday night, June 1. The evening program, when graduating seniors filed into huge McArthur court behind hooded faculty members and friends of higher education, painted a colorful finish to a week end of graduation and alumni reunion services.

There is a real danger that America, losing faith in freedom is losing faith in the essence of our national and individual life. Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth, former professor of English at Princeton and now president of the University of Kansas City, warned the seniors in his speech on "Training for Freedom" at the 59th annual commencement exercises.

Dr. Spaeth praised the purpose and ultimate aims of the "New Deal" but expressed worry that liberal-minded Americans might interpret the phrase as an implication that life is but a gamble, where the best things go to those who are luckiest at the draw. In any society, the deserving ultimately come ahead, he declared.

Seniors were cautioned by Dr. C. Valentine Boyer, president of the university, that the world will henceforth judge them as adults, and will make no allowances for youth and inexperience in the future. In his parting talk, he also pleaded for a recognition of the values of knowledge, beauty, and love. These elements, he said, are the creative forces of the world, and the durable satisfactions of life. "It is through the pursuit of these values that man grows, develops his proper proportions, becomes what a human should become," he concluded.

East joined West in the world of learning as highest honors were paid to two outstanding scholars, Dr. Spaeth and Dr. Jiro Harada, commissioner of the Imperial Museum, Tokyo, Japan. Dr. Spaeth received the degree of doctor of law, and the degree of doctor of letters was conferred upon Dr. Harada. Dr. Harada, internationally known art authority, has been visiting professor of oriental art and culture at the university during the past year.

At baccalaureate service the day before, Rev. Edwin J. O'Hara, bishop of Great Falls, Montana, urged the seniors to be earnest in selecting their professions and avocations, keeping in mind the service they can do for society. Something more than efficiency in a profession is expected from a college graduate. They are expected to manifest in every personal relation the attributes of a cultivated mind and heart, Rev. O'Hara declared.

The three seniors of Morrow county who were graduated from the University of Oregon at the ceremonies are:

Marjorie Clark-Ridings majored in arts and letters, from which department she received the degree of bachelor of arts. Her home is in Heppner.

John G. Parker majored in business administration, from which department he received the degree of bachelor of arts. He is the son of F. S. Parker of Heppner, and is a graduate of Heppner high school. Edwin T. Ingles majored in education, from which department he received the degree of master of arts. His home is in Boardman.

Coordinator Recommends Low Prices, Better Service

"It is encouraging to find that our plea as to need of lower rail rates and our allegations that avoidable railroad wastes annually run into many millions of dollars, are being sustained," states Arthur M. Geary, attorney for the Farm Rate Council and Livestock Shippers Traffic League.

"News dispatches indicate that even Wall Street interests evince no enthusiasm over the Interstate Commerce commission's recent six months' extension of the emergency freight rate surcharges, or over the eastern railroads' opposition in court to reduced passenger fares. The hope of the railroads, one-third of which are now in bankruptcy, is 'through better service at lower prices,' according to Coordinator Eastman's statement at Boston last week. Mr. Eastman's view is in accordance with that of Commissioner Clyde B. Altchison, and is harmonious with the views expressed by farm leaders in current freight rate cases.

"Most farmers and stockmen agree with Coordinator Eastman that there should be such economies as unification of terminals, abandonment of unneeded railroad mileage, replacement of antiquated equipment, and helpful consolidations.

"They agree with Coordinator Eastman that railroads employees in their own interest should not continue to fight in the front-line trenches against all displacement of labor, temporary or otherwise; and should not regard their recent agreement with railroad employers as to retirement pay for displaced employees as merely a valuable Hindenburg line useful in case of retreat.

"On the other hand, farmers and stockmen agree with railroad employees that the economies resulting from coordination should not just provide 'milk for Wall Street to absorb' and that the financial structure of the railroad companies should be drastically reformed at this time."

OSC High in Farm Management. Oregon ranks high in number of courses in farm management at its state college in comparison with

other states, according to a study of catalogs made as a special student study by Albert Cook of Portland, who graduated in agriculture with this year's class. Cook was widely known outside of his class work as head of the Oregon State College Rowing club this year. Oregon State college and Cornell university were the first to offer definite farm management courses, starting in 1907-'08. Study of catalogs indicate that Oregon State was first to offer a four-year degree course in farm management. The field of farm management includes organization and operation efficiency of the farm, cost of production, and agricultural land economics.

48 DRIVERS LOSE LICENSES IN MAY

Driving while intoxicated brought 45 persons into the courts in Oregon in May and cost them their right to operate motor vehicles for a year. Reports from the office of Earl Snell, secretary of state, show that three other drivers lost their licenses for an additional year due to driving while their licenses were revoked.

In addition to the revocations there were 36 suspensions of licenses, of which 21 were on charges of reckless driving. Other causes for suspended licenses were: Failing to give right of way, 1; unsatisfactory judgment, 1; hit and run, 1; driving while license suspended, 1; adjudged as incompetent, 3; violating basic rule, 2; failure to appear, 3; and physical disability, 1.

Of the 45 revocations on drunken driving charges, three only were results of convictions in Portland courts, and of the 36 suspension orders, four only were based on recommendations from Portland courts.

Many infractions of the motor vehicle law are reported to the secretary of state, in addition to the convictions resulting in the revocation or suspension of the driver's license, and such offenses are noted on the license record of the operator involved. Including these convictions of a more minor nature, a total of 665 convictions were reported to the state department in May.

Basic Science Exam July 18

Corvallis—The next state examination in basic sciences for those planning to practice the healing arts in this state has been announced for July 18 at Oregon State college. Those planning to take this examination may obtain application blanks from C. D. Byrne, secretary of the state board of higher education at Eugene. These must be filed with him before July 1st.

AUTO DEATH RATE NEARLY DOUBLED

Motor vehicle deaths in May were nearly double the number in May, 1935, with 24 persons killed in Oregon as a result of automobile accidents. Thirteen fatalities from similar causes occurred in May of last year. Secretary of State Snell calls attention to this increase in car deaths, as well as to the 59 per cent step-up in the number of accidents, which jumped from 1,705 last May to 2,712 in May of this year.

"Greater travel on the highways is undoubtedly responsible for much of the appalling increase," states Mr. Snell, "but this greater use of the highways should be a challenge to all drivers to exercise greater caution, better judgment in car operation, increased courtesy, and to be continuously 'safety-conscious.' Only through constant careful attention to the rights of others and the rules of the road can we make any progress in improving present traffic trends."

GAS TAX PERMITS MUST BE RENEWED

Permits to obtain gas tax refunds must be renewed July 1, according to the law passed by the 1935 session of the state legislature. The law provides for annual permits, prescribes a 5-cent fee, and provides an expiration date of June 30 each year. New applications must be filed by claimants and blanks were mailed this week by the state department to all former permit holders.

Refunds of taxes paid on gasoline purchased prior to July 1, 1936, may be obtained under the current permit, but on gasoline purchased after July 1, of this year, it will be necessary to have the new permit.

Clark Memorial



VINCENNES, Ind., ... A general view of the George Rogers Clark Memorial here which was unveiled by President Roosevelt before a crowd of 30,000. The memorial stands upon the spot where Clark and his little band stood against the British.



Applications may be filed by mail or presented to the secretary of state's office. Nearly 14,000 claimants were licensed during the 1935-36 permit year. Increased activity in the gasoline refund division was due not

only to the permit requirements, but to the greater frequency with which claims were filed by the individual applicants and to the improved business conditions that brought greater use of motor vehicle fuels.

CARD OF THANKS. Our deep appreciation is extended all those who assisted us at the time of the bereavement of Mrs. Sadie Lewis, and for the kind expressions of sympathy and beautiful flowers. The Family.

Safeway's JUNE SALES DRIVE. SAVINGS FOR FRI.-SAT.-MON. Our June Sales Drive means dozens and dozens of SPECIAL PRICE REDUCTIONS. Food Buyers, take notice! — There's REAL SAVING to be had at Safeway this month!!! Another big drive this week-end! Remember this is Founder's month! — Our Celebration Prices are Knock-outs!!!

MILK, Per Case	\$3.35; Doz.	85c
TOMATO SAUCE	6 FOR	25c
SHREDDED WHEAT, Pkg.		12c
PEANUT BUTTER	2 LBS.	27c
APPLE BUTTER	5 LBS.	39c
PICKLES	QT. JAR	35c
SOAP FLAKES	PKG.	37c
WALNUTS	2 LBS.	39c
TEA, 16 oz O. P.	49c, Japan	29c
CRACKERS	2 LBS.	29c
CHOCOLATE	3 LB. TIN	65c
BAKING POWDER, 25 oz.		19c
FRESH PRODUCE		
Watermelons	3c Lb.	
Carrots	6 Bunches	19c
Bananas	4 Lbs.	29c
New Potatoes	10 Lbs.	49c
MEATS		
BACON	Per Lb.	34c
SALMON	4 tall tins	49c
SARDINES	3 for	25c
SHRIMP	2 for	25c