

LEXINGTON NEWS

Clyde Swift Dies At Lexington Home

By BEULAH NICHOLS

Clyde Swift died at his home here early Tuesday morning following a brief illness. He had apparently been in good health until he suffered a stroke Sunday.

John Clyde Swift was born at Heppner on February 7, 1892, and died at Lexington June 8, 1937, at the age of 45 years, 4 months and 1 day. The greater part of his life was spent in Morrow county where he was engaged in farming. About four years ago he moved from Heppner to Lexington and had since made his home on the farm just south of town. He was married to Margaret Sperry of Heppner on August 21, 1911.

Besides the widow, he is survived by two brothers, H. S. Swift of Chicago and J. B. Swift of Hood River, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services are being held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Elks hall in Heppner, with Alvin Kleinfeldt officiating minister, and rites by Heppner Lodge No. 358, B. P. O. E., of which he was a member. Interment will be in the Hardman I. O. O. F. cemetery.

The regular meeting of Lexington grange will be held at the hall Saturday evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

James Peck, Billy Biddle and Ellwynne Peck are in Corvallis where they are attending the 4-H summer school.

Clair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hunt, had his tonsils removed last week.

Among Lexington people who spent Sunday picnicking in the mountains were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smethurst and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Graves and children, Mrs. Orville Cutsforth and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bauman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Miller and children, Edna Rauch and George Lambirth.

Lester White, who has been working in California for the past few months, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Beach spent the week end in Walla Walla with Mrs. Beach's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Scott motored to Portland Wednesday to take in a few days of the Rose Festival.

Mrs. Etta Hunt who has been visiting relatives here for several weeks

returned to her home in Portland Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hunt took her as far as Arlington and from there she travelled by train.

Kenneth Smouse, Oregon State college student, has returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. D. Campbell returned from Boise the last of the week and have gone on to Eugene where Mr. Campbell expects to attend the summer session of the University of Oregon.

Miss Ann Holey was a recent guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. George Gillis.

Miss Sylvia Severance, who has spent several months with her sister, Mrs. Roy Campbell, has returned to her home at Banks.

Ellen and Fred Nelson who have been attending Oregon State college have returned to their home for the summer.

Miss Edith Tucker has returned home from La Grande where she graduated from Eastern Oregon normal school last week.

Mrs. Fred Fulghm spent last week visiting relatives in McMinnville and Banks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson are spending the week in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Peck spent last week end in Portland with their daughter. They returned to The Dalles Monday to attend the meeting of the Oregon State grange as delegates from Lexington grange. They expect to be home in time to attend the meeting of the local grange Saturday evening.

Mrs. Orville Cutsforth is spending the week in Portland.

BOARDMAN NEWS

Wind Topples Trees, Hurts Boardman Crops

By LA VERN BAKER

A very hard wind struck Boardman Monday evening. The damage it did to crops was worse on the east end of the project. Many trees were blown over and many were loosened from the ground.

Miss Francine King of Spokane spent the week end visiting at the Baker home. Miss King is going to her home in Portland and from there will go on to Seaside to work.

Miss Josephine McEntire of Pendleton is spending a two-weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McEntire. Miss McEntire is in training in the Pendleton hospital.

Miss Lois Messenger of La Grande is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

E. T. Messenger, this week end. Miss Messenger was graduated from the Eastern Oregon normal school this spring.

Silver tea was held at the home of Mrs. Tannehill Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nickerson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Nickerson and daughter from Idaho visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nickerson.

Miss Naomi Black, who has been employed in Umatilla returned home this week to spend the summer.

Otto Lubbes and John Partlow returned home from shearing Saturday evening.

Willard Baker, Mildred Allen and Mrs. Lulu Allen spent Monday in Portland. Mrs. Lulu Allen will go on to Los Angeles from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin La Londe

and child from California visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Ayers over the week end.

Mrs. Bickford from La Grande is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Hug.

Mrs. Bill Lilly and C. C. Kruse left for The Dalles Sunday, for state grange. Mr. Kruse went in place of Mrs. McFarland of Umatilla who is Pomona master.

Alvan Bears of Hood River is visiting at the S. C. Russell home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Moore and son Rollo were business visitors in Condon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cole are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. McCutcheon.

Glen Carpenter of Portland was a visitor on the project this week end.

Miss Margaret Fisher and Mr.

Bond of La Grande spent the week end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mefford of Gold Hill, Mr. and Mrs. George Mefford and son of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mefford and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mefford of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mefford and two children of Wapato, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Al Macomber and children of Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ide and three children of Portland, Vernon Root of Aberdeen, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pike and children and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Root and children of Umatilla, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Barlow of Boardman attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Root on Saturday evening. It was a surprise on Mr. and Mrs. Root and enjoyed by all.

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