

IONE NEWS

McMurrays Return From Arizona Sojourn

By MARGARET BLAKE
Mr. and Mrs. Laxton McMurray have returned home from Tucson, Ariz., where they spent the winter.

Mrs. A. Newlin is getting the house she recently purchased from A. E. Stefani ready to move into.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmott Botts have moved from the E. G. Franks home to the house on Second street belonging to Mrs. Visa Louy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Colvin have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Colvin's sister, Mrs. Dan Long, while looking over farm property with a view toward locating here.

The H. E. club of Willows grange will hold an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Ralph Ledbetter on Friday, March 18.

Arthur Reed who has spent the winter with his sister, Mrs. Della Corson, has returned to his home at The Dalles.

Members of the sophomore class gave a farewell party for their class sponsor, Alexander McDonald, at the I. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening.

Erling Thompson drove to Portland on Friday. He was accompanied by Alexander McDonald who went from there to Bellingham, Wn., to join the baseball club with which he has accepted a position.

Mrs. Henry Gorger was a Pendleton visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and nephews, Roderick and Gerald Phillips of Portland, arrived Saturday evening for a short visit with Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Dixon Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKinley of Eugene and H. C. Wood of Portland were overnight guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bryson last Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Botts and daughter, Mrs. Jane Brown, went to Yakima, Wn., last Friday where they were called by the illness of Mrs. Botts' daughter, Mrs. Jack Griffen, who is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McCabe are moving to Heppner where they will live on the Walter Rood farm owned by Dr. McMurdo.

Mrs. Margaret Rietmann has returned from Portland where she spent several days under medical observation. She is somewhat improved from her recent illness.

The Past Noble Grand club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. J. Bristow on Friday afternoon, March 25.

Charles Carlson, Joyce Carlson and Eva Swanson are home from college for the spring vacation.

BOARDMAN NEWS

Boardman People Petition for Road

By LA VERN BAKER
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Miller motored to Heppner Friday to take over a petition asking for the road by the canal to be made a county road.

Ted Wilson and Stanley Partlow spent Friday and Saturday in Arlington where they attended the tournament.

Home Economics club was held at the grange hall Wednesday afternoon, with Mrs. Ray Brown as hostess.

H. B. Thomas, Maritta Thomas, Janet Gorham and Vernon Hussell motored to Arlington Friday evening to see the tournament.

A basket social sponsored by the senior class was given on Wednesday evening. The evening started

out with games of Bug, after which the baskets were auctioned off. Free coffee was served in the cafeteria and then dancing was enjoyed.

Earl Blayden of Huntington visited at the J. F. Gorham home Wednesday evening. He was enroute to a basketball tournament where he was to play.

Miss Lois Messenger, Miss Eleanore Tildon, Mrs. Maude Kobow, Elmer Sullivan and J. Rothenberger motored to Portland over the week end. Miss Tildon's sister, Patty, returned with them and will attend school here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kahoun and daughter of Walla Walla visited at the Ray Brown home over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown remained here for a while.

Miss Wilma Myers of Pendleton spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kruse of Newberg are on the project visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Macomber of Heppner visited at the Nate Macomber home over the week end.

Mrs. Claude Coats and Echo spent Saturday shopping in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Corwin motored to the tournament in Arlington Friday evening.

Mrs. Lucy Rodgers of Heppner visited the school on Tuesday.

Eldon Shannon returned to his work on the highway Thursday, after having a short lay-off.

Mrs. O. B. Olsen, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hango and Mr. and Mrs. A. Simile motored to Spokane over the week end on business.

Mrs. Gladys Fortier, Miss Norma Gibbons and Earl Cramer, all of Springfield, are spending the week visiting at the Frank Cramer home. Miss Cecelia Brennon of Condon came over with them to visit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ingles of Forest Grove visited friends on the project Sunday.

Misses Mildred Ayers and Virginia Compton spent the week end in Arlington where they attended the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens have moved to Umatilla where they will make their home.

Mrs. Harry Ford returned home Friday evening from Walla Walla where she was called to help take care of her mother who is very ill.

Roy W. Lieualen of Heppner and Mrs. Betty Painter of Pendleton are on the project selling the Wearever aluminum products. They are giving lovely dinners in many homes.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie McCabe of Ione at Heppner hospital yesterday, a 7 3-4-pound son, Alvin Arthur.

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HEPPNER GAZETTE TIMES

LADDIE GALE CAN'T TRY LOCAL COURT; THERE ARE NO NO. 12 SHOES

By PAUL McCARTY

Tuesday morning before the final buzzer sounded in the big brick school building on the hill in north-east Heppner, indicating that the morning classes of the institution of knowledge were to formally open, all the students who follow basketball were found to be in an inquiring mood, each asking the other, "Did you see Laddie Gale?"

Someone will ask, "Who's Laddie Gale?" Well, anyone who possesses the least bit of knowledge on college basketball knows personally, or otherwise, Mr. Gale. He's none other than the famed University of Oregon basketball star, a junior, who scored 249 points in the northern division of the Pacific coast conference to establish a new record, and who just returned from the coast play-offs at Palo Alto and San Francisco, which Stanford took in two straight games.

The nature of Laddie Gale's visit in Heppner and at the Norman Florence farm on upper Willow creek is purely pleasure, he coming up here with a cousin of Norman Florence, with whom he stays in Eugene while attending college. It's the first trip for Gale to this country and he liked it immensely but can't get used to the rolling hills without trees, which offer such a decided

contrast to those of the valley.

Laddie is a strapping young lad of 19 who tips the scales at 195 and penetrates the upper strata at a height of 6 feet 4 inches. He left Palo Alto Sunday noon and reached Heppner Monday afternoon, coming via Portland. He's a fairly small fellow compared to Slim Wintermute, a 6 foot, eight inch giant, and Ray Jewell, 6 feet 7, both his team mates. He and his team partners have one thing in common, says Gale, and that is in their shoe size. Although he's far from having the biggest feet on the squad, he hoofs a number 12 shoe, while John Dick trods on the same size; Wintermute wears size 13 and Jewell, a large 14. Because of lankiness, both he and Wintermute, when traveling on road-trips by train, use three berths between them so they will have sufficient room for both head and feet.

He played against Hank Luisetti, the country's number one basketball star, at Stanford last week, and Gale says he's a real player, but without Hank, the Indians wouldn't get far. "He's weak on defense," said Gale when asked if Luisetti had any weaknesses. "He plays out where the guards usually play and that's why he never fouls."

Gale can't see much in the style of basketball they play down south, as fouls are not called very closely. This lanky Oregon boy who scored 30 points in the two Stanford games thinks the teams in the northern division are better than the ones in the southern division and that they play a lot better ball up here. "Too long, much too long," said Gale in reply to what he thought about the 20-game season that was inaugurated this year in the northern di-

vision after Montana was added to the conference.

When asked if he thought Oregon had good chances of winning the conference title next season, he answered, "Yeah, I think so." His statement was backed up by the fact that the only regular the Webfoots lose by graduation this June is Dave Silver, and one reserve, Ray Jewell. Speaking in modesty, Gale said the university had some men on the bench who were as good as the fellows playing and all but one will return next fall. Gale is looking forward to next season, for the powers in control at the Oregon institution have been talking some of a trip to Madison Square Garden in New York to show the eastern fans how basketball is played by the clubs from the northwest.

A Phi Delt at the university, Gale is taking business administration and physical education, the latter with the coaching field in mind. He would like to shoot baskets in the local gymnasium before he leaves Friday, but this will be out of the question unless someone shows up with a pair of number 12 basketball shoes, as he left his footwear in Eugene before starting for Heppner.

TEACHERS INVITED

Walla Walla, Mar. 10 (Special)—School officials and teachers of Heppner were invited yesterday to attend the Fourth Annual Conference of Secondary Education to be held at Whitman college Saturday, March 26.

The theme around which the all day conference is planned is "Developing Desirable Personality Traits." Glenn Todd, superintendent of schools at Lewiston, Idaho; Dean Lobaugh, principal of Walla Walla high school, and Dean W. R. Davis, head of the division of letters and arts at Whitman, will appear on the program.

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