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### Laxton McMurray **Meets War Buddies**

By MARGARET BLAKE

Mr. and Mrs. Laxton McMurray where they attended the national convention of the Spanish-American war veterans. Mr. McMurray saw many of his old buddies whom he will meet in the Rhea Creek grange had not seen for 40 years. In a battle hall on October 1. At the afternoon during his service in Cuba, Mr. Mc- program to which the public is in-Murray with the help of two other soldiers rescued a wounded com- in congress, of La Grande will be the rade and he met these two men at principal speaker. An agricultural the encampment last week. One of talk of general interest will be anthem is the caretaker of the battle- other feature of the program and the ship Oregon. A highlight of the McMurray served by the present 7th will confer the fifth degree on canwhich is stationed at Vancouver, Wash. Members of the old 7th and their ladies were invited to Vancouver Barracks for an afternoon and evening. They ate supper with the regulars in their mess halls.

E. J. Bristow is having a new roof attle. put on his store. Howard Keithley is in charge of the work. When the old shingles were removed two old signs painted on canvas holding here last year is teaching the third forth the merits and low prices of grade in Condon this year. goods of "Halvosen & Mason" were found under the rafters. These signs are as clear as when they were their home at White Salmon, Wash. painted forty years or so ago.

Mrs. Ella Davidson entertained with a bridge party at her home last Friday afternoon. Ladies present were Mesdames Milton Morgan, Jr., Garland Swanson, C. W. Swanson, E. J. Blake, W. J. Blake, Bert Mason, M. E. Cotter, Hugh Smith, Vic-Mrs. Clara Newlin. Delicious refreshments were served.

day or two before going on to Cor- her for a while. vallis to register as a freshman at O. S. C.

Pendleton and enrolled in the high to a pastorate in Salem. school here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zielke depart-Elgin, Mr. Zielke's place in the depot here is being filled by a relief agent, Mr. Berger, until a new agent is appointed.

Mrs. Lee Howell and Mrs. Mary Sowers of Heppner were visitors here Monday.

The Women's Topic club held its social meeting for September at the home of Mrs. L. E. Dick in Heppner last Saturday. Those who attended the meeting were Mesdames Omar Rietmann, Hugh Smith, E. M. Baker. E. R. Lundell, Cleo Drake, C. F. Feldman, C. W. McNamer, Agnes Wilcox, Clyde Denny, Bert Mason, Dorr Mason, M. E. Cotter, C. W. Swanson, Clel Rea. Bridge was played, prizes going to Mrs. M. E. Cotter and Mrs. E. R. Lundell. Delicious refreshments were served. Hostesses were Mrs. D. M. Ward, Mrs. L. E. Dick, Mrs. Ture Peterson and Mrs. Elmer Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson

spent the week end at the home of Roland Humphreys Mr. and Mrs. Victor Peterson at The Dalles.

Willows grange will hold its regular meeting in its hall at Cecil on Sunday, Sept. 25. On Saturday night, the 24th, it will put on the 3rd and returned last Friday from Portland 4th degrees at Lexington. This meeting was originally planned to be land Humphreys was announced by held at Cecil but circumstances made the change desirable.

Morrow County Pomona grange vited Walter Pierce, representative different granges will also do their

mother, Mrs. Clara Newlin.

Mrs. Ellen Rieth is visiting relatives in Harrington, Wash., and Se-

Miss Mary Alice Rulifson visited here Sunday. Miss Rulifson who taught the third and fourth grades

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Balsiger visited here Sunday and Monday from

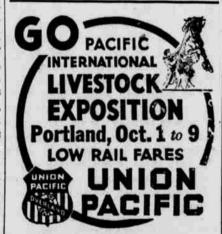
Mrs. E. R. Lundell has received word that her brother, Lester Baker, who has been confined in the veteans' hospital in Walla Walla has improved so that he could be moved to his home.

Mrs. Ida Grabill has returned from Baker where she has spent several tor Rietmann, Omar Rietmann and months with her daughters, Mrs. Clara Newlin. Prizes went to Mrs. Earl Wright and Mrs. Everett Keith-Hugh Smith, Mrs. W. J. Blake and ley. While away she underwent a major operation from which she is recovering satisfactorily. Her sister, Bert Mason, Jr., departed last Mrs. Cynthia Cochran of Yakima, week for Portland where he spent a Wash., arrived Thursday to be with

Rev. and Mrs. James Pointer who have held church services here dur-Jane Fitzpatrick has returned from ing the summer have been called

Irvin Ritchie returned last week from southern Oregon where he ed last Friday for their new home at has been employed with a state highway crew for the past several

Among the many hunters going to the mountains for the opening of the deer season were Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mankin, Jack Ferris, Harvey Smith and Clarence Warren.





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## **Engaged in East**

The engagement of Miss Edith Watson Ouzts, daughter of Mrs. Eva Watson Ouzts and the late Joseph Pinckney Ouzts, to Mr. Thomas Roher mother at their home in Edgeafternoon, September 6, at a family gathering of immediate relatives.

As the family arrived, Miss Ouzts greeted them on the front lawn social director in Willard Straight ton C. Gilliam of San Jose, Cal. His where they were refreshed by iced punch. While Mrs. Ouzts received in the living room she honored memthree sisters and brother and the two sisters and brother of her late hus-

coffee. The table centerpiece was of ware. crepe-myrtle and gardenias, bordered with magnolia leaves.

Miss Ouzts graduated from Furman gree from Cornell university and is and student at University of Califorfield, South Carolina, on Tuesday a candidate for the Ph. D. degree at nia, has taken a position as parthall, the student union.

Mr. Humphreys is the son of Mr. bers of the family, including her Lizzie Humphreys of Heppner. He cer Crawford and assistant to the week was the entertainment given bits to provide entertainment. Cold band, with white flowers, snapdrag- Oregon. He has also done graduate termined his identity and concluded the old 7th Infantry in which Mr. Springs grange of Umatilla county ons, concealing informal notes. Mrs. study at Stanford university and at the world is quite small, after all. Ouzts' note was to the effect that Columbia university, New York before the announcement appeared City. In the latter he is candidate Eugene F. Newlin has returned to in the next day's paper she wanted for the Ph. D. degree. Mr. Humph- at the Archie Ball and Earl Hunt Seattle after a short visit with his the family to know of Edith's en- reys has directed research and taught farms this week, for his third year. gagement to Roland Humphreys. | in public schools and colleges. Dur- | He also helped pick up straw and Miniature souvenir wedding bells ing the past year he was mathemat- haul wheat.

sounded from each plate as the ics master at the Rye Country Day guests seated at the long family din-school of Rye, New York. He has ing table were served bell-shaped ice recently accepted the principalship cream, old fashioned pound cake and of the schools of Rehoboth, Dela-

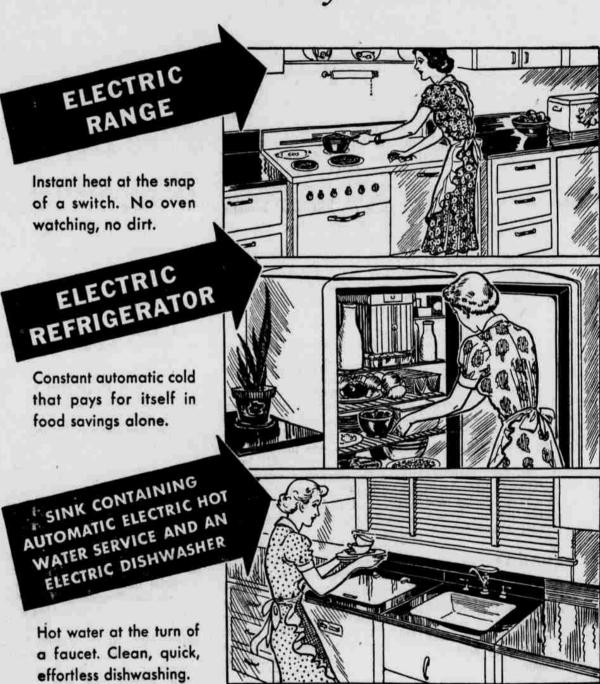
#### IS STUDENT ASSISTANT

Clinton C. Gilliam, Jr., grandson university, receiving her M. A. de- of Mrs. Frank Gilliam of this city Columbia university. Since 1932 she time assistant in the registrar's ofhas been officially associated with fice at that institution. The young Cornell university where she is now man is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinacceptance of this position is revealed in a letter from Hobart M. T. J. Humphreys and the late Mrs. Lovett, brother-in-law of Mrs. Spengraduated and later received his M. registrar of the university, who, on A. degree from the University of hearing the young man's name, de-

Max Schulz finished sewing sacks

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