

Local News

A. S. Akers was a passenger on Tuesday's train for Portland after spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Barlow. Mrs. Akers remained here to be with their granddaughter, Marie Barlow, who is suffering an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Her condition is reported slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Pearcey and daughter Pauline, and Ray Korche, all of The Dalles, were New Year day guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gilliam. Mr. Pearcey, now a conductor on the main line of the Union Pacific, was formerly employed on the Heppner branch as a brakeman.

Louis Gilliam left Tuesday morning for Corvallis to resume his studies at Oregon State college after spending the holidays with his father, L. L. Gilliam. Louis was accompanied by Misses Carolyn and Marian Moyer of Heppner and Bert Mason, Jr. of Ione, all students at the college.

"Just what we need," was the comment of Harley Anderson, Eight Mile farmer in town Tuesday, when asked if he liked the brand of weather. Lots of moisture falling out his way and lack of frost is helping the ground get the benefit of it.

Work on the Heppner forest camp site will be resumed in the next work period starting after January 5. Grading and graveling of driveways and seeding along the new retaining wall is contemplated in the improvement.

Dave Judkins and Edgar Parker, who cruised a large body of timber in the national forest recently acquired by the Kinzua Pine Mills company, have returned to their stations in Pendleton and Heppner, respectively.

Henry Krebs of Cecil is a patient at the U. S. Veterans hospital in Walla Walla. He entered the hospital Wednesday and was accompanied to the institution by C. J. D. Bauman and Loyal Parker of Heppner.

Clifford Carlson returned to Eugene Tuesday morning after spending the Christmas vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Carlson. He is a student at University of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Green, whose marriage was an event of December 25, have returned to Heppner and are now at home to their friends in the Case apartments.

Lewis Batty of Hardman was transacting business in Heppner Tuesday morning. He reports fine weather in the southern part of the county with a little less fog than has ruled in the lower sections.

Miss Helen Valentine spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Valentine, at the family home in Sourdough canyon. She returned to The Dalles Monday to resume her duties as teacher.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet on Tuesday, Jan. 9 at the home of Mrs. J. J. Wightman. The hour will be 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones were called to Seattle last week by the illness of their daughter, Phyllis Jane Pollock. They returned to Heppner Sunday.

Mrs. Blaine Chapel and Mrs. Lorena Isom were Hardman people transacting business in Heppner Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Pinckney have as their guest, Mrs. Pinckney's mother, Mrs. W. S. Bell of Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Van Schoiack left Sunday for Doren for a visit of a few days.

L. R. Stockman, engineer from Baker, was registered at the Hotel Heppner Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Lawrence returned Monday from California where they spent a week visiting relatives. They took a side trip to Reno and found the divorce capital an interesting place. While the town is run on a wide open schedule, good order is maintained and the Heppner people believe Reno is rightfully named "the Biggest Little City in the World."

Employees of the First National Bank of Portland, Heppner branch, enjoyed a party at the B. C. Pinckney home last week end. The party was preceded by a dinner at the Lucas Place. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Pinckney, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McNeill, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Redding, Howard Bryant, Miss Beth Vance, Miss Marjorie Parker and Harlan McCurdy.

Archdeacon Eric Robathan of Pendleton will be in Heppner Sunday to hold Holy Communion service at 11 o'clock . m. At 5 o'clock p. m. there will be the Service of Lights, commemorating the Epiphany. Archdeacon Robathan will hold services at Cecil at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Charles Thomson is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Beymer and her nephew, Orrin Bisbee, in San Francisco. She expects to return in the bay district two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith had as their guests over New Years, Mr. Smith's mother and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dyer, all of Naches, Wash.

James Furlong returned to Bremerton, Wash., the past week after visiting a short time in Heppner. He is a welder in the navy yard at Bremerton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burkenbine have as their house guests, Mrs. A. B. Gray and two daughters of Dorris, Cal.

Rain Slows Travel In Forest Areas

Heavy rains in the mountains have slowed travel over forest roads, forest officials report. Instead of snow in the higher stretches, rain in copious quantities has fallen with the result that most of the roads are bottomless.

Snow which fell in December has all but disappeared and lack of freezing weather has left the ground in condition to soak up the moisture.

Softening of the roads has likewise brought logging operations of the Kinzua mill company to a stop. Taking advantage of the open weather during the fall the company carried on logging operations intensively and has 12,000,000 feet of logs decked out at the mill. About 1,000,000 of this was logged since the last of November. The company is preparing to build a big pond near Wineland lake to hold logs for shipment to the mill at Kinzua.

The New Birth and Death Certificates

In order to meet the demands of the times the United States Census Bureau has made a number of changes in standard birth and death certificates. The Oregon State Board of health has approved of these changes and is now issuing the new standard forms which should be in use throughout the state after January 1st, 1940.

The new forms have not been radically changed, but have been considerably simplified. Unnecessary information has been eliminated and new questions have been added to meet the requirements of the changed conditions. The additional questions are planned to meet the requirements of the Social Security Act and other public health questions which are necessary for the better prevention of disease.

On the new birth certificate are a number of statements which are intended to improve the Maternal

Budget Balancer



SENATOR ROBERT A. TAFT

Interest of the nation will be focussed on Chicago tomorrow evening when Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio will address the Chicago Bar association. The title of his address will be, "Mr. President, Here's How to Balance the Budget."

During a recent trip through New England, the Ohio senator and potential candidate for president declared that deficit spending can and must be stopped, to which President Roosevelt stated to newsmen that he would like to be shown a way to balance the budget. He added that he would offer a "Very handsome prize" if the senator would tell him how.

Senator Taft's answer will come at a time when interest in federal spending plans will be keen, since the official budget estimate for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, will just be going to congress.

and Child Health service of the state.

The death certificate requires the following additional information: the Social Security number; if a veteran, of what war; age of husband or wife, if alive; the information must be over the signature of the informant. The medical certificate has been changed so that the immediate cause of death is stated. If there are a number of causes, the physician is requested to underline the one that is supposed to be charged statistically.

Certificates can be obtained from the local registrars and instructions for filling the mout are included with the certificates.

Training of Youth Minister's Subject

A look into the future of the youth of the community was the subject discussed by Rev. R. C. Young, pastor of the Methodist church, in a brief address to the Heppner Lions club, Monday. The speaker pointed out that inasmuch as the future of the country rests in the hands of the youth of today there should be nothing left undone to prepare them for their responsibility. He likened the building of character to the erection of a building. The only successful method of building is by properly planning and then adhering closely to the plan, he stated.

CHRISTMAS TREE REMOVED
Members of the Heppner fire department removed the Christmas tree from the McMurdo lot Wednesday evening. With holidays past and rain instead of snow the prevailing weather, the firemen thought it time to take down the decorations.

COUNCIL MEETS

The Heppner city council met in regular session Tuesday evening. No special business appeared and the usual routine was followed.

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