

LEXINGTON NEWS

Artesian Well at Boardman Drilled

By MARGARET SCOTT

A. M. Edwards recently completed an artesian well at Boardman for A. E. McFarland at a depth of 108 feet. This is the second artesian well he has drilled for Mr. McFarland. Mr. Edwards is now moving the machine to Hardman to drill a well for the union high school.

A group of local Rebekahs attended a meeting in Ione Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Miller entertained a group of friends with a party at her home Friday evening honoring Mr. Miller's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Steagall are the parents of a nine pound daughter born February first at the Corda Saling home in Hepner. She has been named Barbara Kay.

Dorothy Peck returned home Monday from the hospital in Portland.

Douglas Gibson is convalescing in a Pendleton hospital from an appendicitis operation.

A. M. Edwards and daughter Edith were visitors in Hardman Sunday.

The Christian Endeavor held their CE birthday party Friday evening at the Congregational church. Games were played under the direction of Louise Hunt, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Miller of Jefferson spent several days this week

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Ione Church By-Laws Receive Discussion

By MRS. ELMER GRIFFITH

The by-laws committee met and has made tentative by-laws for the cooperative church which it is planned to establish here. Various organized groups are discussing these by-laws and making suggestions. They will be voted on next Sunday, and all interested persons are asked to be present and cooperate in forming this church. The plan is to include members of all churches, and they and others interested are asked to attend Sunday's meeting.

A record crowd attended the basketball game Monday evening between the Morrow County All Stars and a team of colored women known as the Chicago Co-Eds. One hundred and sixty-one cars were parked around the schoolhouse, and the crowd numbered five hundred. The game resulted in a victory for the home boys, the score being 47-41 in their favor.

The All Star "B" team defeated the Hepner FFA team, 32-23, in a preliminary game.

Mrs. O. E. Peterson of Gooseberry is in Portland having dental work done.

E. E. Hummel was a visitor in Forest Grove this week end. He was accompanied by Gilbert Haller and Frank Janson. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burk also went with them as far as Portland, where they visited Mr. Burk's brother and wife, who are soon to move to Los Angeles.

The Union Missionary society will meet Thursday of this week. Mrs. J. E. Swanson is the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Padberg and Mrs. Terrel Bengel returned Saturday from Portland where they spent

at the Harry Dinges home.

Edith and Jerrine Edwards, Rae Cowins and George Tucker attended a Columbia Union C. E. banquet in Pendleton Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rice were Portland visitors last week.

Friends here learned Monday of the death of Mrs. Addie Copenhaver of Grants Pass. She was a former Lexington resident.

Mrs. Sarah Booher has gone to Hepner to visit her daughter, Mrs. Tom Beymer.

Mrs. Vera Berry left Sunday to work on the Wilkinson ranch near Hepner.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Munkers have moved to the Beach ranch to work. Mr. and Mrs. Ted McDaid are moving to the Valley to make their home.

Remember the cabaret to be presented Friday, Feb. 7, by the Three Links club in the Leach hall.

Lexington H. E. C. will meet at the home of Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth Thursday afternoon Feb. 13.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Barlow and Alvin returned the latter part of the week from Oregon City where they attended the funeral of Mr. Barlow's sister.

Mrs. Fred Misener from Fossil spent the week end at the Charles Becket home.

Anson Rugg and Clayton Wright are attending the mechanic's night school at Hepner.

A good many from the Eightmile community attended the President's Birthday ball at Hepner Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dobyns are visiting at Gresham and Olympia, Wn.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Redding had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Becket and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Worden.

A birthday dinner was given for Carl Bergstrom on Sunday at the home of Hilma Anderson.

February 14 is our next regular grange meeting and this will be our first birthday dinner to be held this year, honoring the months of January, February and March. This will be pot luck and served promptly at 6:30. The regular session of grange will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Parker took Mrs. Parker's mother, Mrs. Julia Cypert, to Wallula Monday to take the bus for Tacoma.

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a few days while Mr. Padberg received treatment for a refractory wisdom tooth.

Mrs. Minnie Farrens has gone to Oakland, Cal. She made the trip with her son, Guy Farrens.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lang and two children were recent visitors at the S. C. Salter home. They live in southern Oregon.

The Women's Topic club will meet Friday, February 7, at the home of Mrs. Clyde Denney.

Mrs. Eunice Keithley, a patient in the hospital at Hepner, is reported to be better, but she will have to remain in the hospital for some time.

Henry Clark is doing considerable repair work on the Congregational parsonage.

Wayne B. Allen of King Valley, guardian of the heirs of the Ralph Harris estate, spent the week end here. He appointed Howard Eubanks manager of the hotel and apartment house.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seehafer is critically ill at the Archie Ball home in Hepner. An oxygen tank has been used as she is suffering from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Blake and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith spent the week end at Hebo, fishing for steelheads.

Mrs. Ida Moore of Portland is spending a few days at the home of her brother, W. J. Blake. Mrs. Moore has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Padberg, since the middle of December, but plans to return home the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Ray drove to Hood River Sunday to visit Mr. Ray's brother, Roy Ray, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Alice Wiles went with them and went on to Tygh Valley to visit her daughters, Mrs. Lester Britten and Mrs. Ned Carr.

Dr. C. C. Chick and Miss Blanche Bristow of Hood Rier were visitors here Sunday.

The Rebekahs entertained Thursday evening for the Rebekahs and I. O. O. F. and their families with a get-together at the hall here. A program, consisting of two numbers by the sextet of the high school and

a skit by Rebekahs followed by group games and cards. Those taking part in the skit were George Ely, the parson; Eva Swanson, the bride, "just seenteen—three times"; John Clark, the ridegroom; Rich Lundell, the best man, and Bill Clark and Mrs. Della Corson, parents of the bride. Matthew Gordon was the bridesmaid. The ceremony was marked by considerably more hilat-

iry than solemnity. At a late hour a delicious supper was served cafeteria style. About sixty guests were present, a number of them from Lexington.

According to the weather observer at Morgan there were 1.57 inches of rain in January, making 8.32 inches since the first of Setember. This is more than the average yearly rainfall.



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