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IONE NEWS NOTES

By Mrs. Elmer Griffith

IONE, Sept. 10.—Miss Eulenna Seehafer was honored on her eighteenth birthday with a party given at the grange hall on Sunday evening by his mother, Mrs. W. G. Seehafer, and his sister, Gladys. About fifty young people enjoyed an evening of games and dancing. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Della Nance and two boys, Harold and George of McMinnville, arrived in Ione Sunday and will make their home at the Harvey Ring residence. Mrs. Nance will be the commercial teacher in the high school this year.

Mrs. Elmer Griffith departed on Sunday for Spokane and Post Falls, Idaho. At Post Falls she will visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Cunningham.

Mrs. E. G. Sperry and two daughters, Misses Eileen and Charlotte, left on Friday night's train for their new home at Asotin, Wash., where Mrs. Sperry will teach this coming year.

Mrs. Cynthia Cochran of Yakima is a guest of Mrs. Ida Grabill this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howk of Condon and their two children, Alan and Lois, were guests at the Elmer Griffith home on Sunday. Miss June Griffith who has been their guest for a week, returned home with them.

E. J. Bristow left for Nampa, Idaho on Sunday to visit his son, Edmond, and family. Miss Mary Jean and Donald Bristow returned home with him after spending the summer in Ione.

Norma Lou Lundell left for her

home in Portland on Tuesday after visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Omar Rietmann and son, Larry, left on Thursday's stage for a trip to Portland.

Miss Mary Barnett entertained friends with a luncheon on Sunday. Guests were: Misses Maxine Allyn, Evelyn Morris, Wilma Dobyns, Alice Nicholson and Jimmy Barnett, Billy Morris, Melvin Way, all of Ione, and Hubert Wilson, Robert and Ralph Taylor of Heppner.

Arthur Stefani went to The Dalles to seek medical attention.

Mrs. Alice Wiles had as her guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lester Britton and family of Tye valley and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Carr and children of Portland. Britton's son, Frances, is now with Uncle Sam's armed forces. The two ladies are daughters of Mrs. Wiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Botts and family of Portland are here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Baker and family departed on Thursday on a vacation trip.

Mrs. Harry Yarnell entertained her son, Alton, and his friends on his birthday Sunday. The following guests enjoyed the dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Yarnell and children of Lexington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor, Omar Rietmann, Paul and Gene Rietmann, Billy Gorger and Donald Ball.

According to word received by relatives here Mrs. John Voorhees (Ruth Crawford) will teach in the Sellwood school in Portland this year.

Miss Betty Lou Lindsay, who is employed in Portland, spent Labor day week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Errett Hummel and young son departed for their home in Portland on Saturday after spending the summer here, where Mr. Hummel has been employed. Mrs. Hummel spent the last week at Hunting visiting a sister.

Mrs. Brenner Reese and her nephew, Bob Cochran, of Yakima left on Thursday after visiting relatives here. Bob was a guest of Eric Bergstrom.

According to Friday's Oregonian Mrs. Sadie McNabb, 69, was found dead in the yard of her home late Wednesday. Burial services were held Friday and were in charge of Columbia grange. She is survived by two sons, Fey and Lyle McNabb, both of Lyle, Wash., where Mrs. McNabb also lived, and a sister in California and one sister in the east. Mrs. McNabb was a resident of this county about twenty years ago and will be remembered by many old friends.

Willows grange will have a Boost-er night September 19. There will be an interesting program followed by dancing. The public is invited and the program will begin at 8:00 o'clock.

H. E. C. will have an all day meeting with potluck dinner at noon on Friday, Sept. 18. Mrs. Marion Palmer and Mrs. Lewis Halvorsen will be hostesses for the afternoon.

The grange canning contest, open to all granges in the county, will be held at the Heppner hotel, October 19, at 2 in the afternoon. All entries must be in on or before that date. The five divisions of the contest are: Canned fruit, men's jelly, tomatoes, jam and jelly.

SOCIETY CHIT-CHAT

By JUNE SMITH

A number of people took advantage of Labor day, the last summer holiday, to take short trips. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hap-pold, who, accompanied by Mrs. Agnes Curran, drove to Portland Friday evening and returned on Monday. Mrs. Victor Johnson, who came up from Portland last Thursday with Patricia Lawrence, returned to her home there with them also. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tamblin and daughter Peggy, also drove to Portland on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Swenson spent Saturday and Sunday in The Dalles.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth House left Friday evening for Portland, where they visited Mrs. Arthur Dorothy, Jr., of that city; Mrs. Ed Sawyer of Camas, and Mrs. Frank Pomery of Milwaukie, all sisters of Mrs. House. On their return, they were accompanied by Mrs. House's sister, Mrs. George Davis, whose husband has enlisted in the navy, and who will make her home with them for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Howell went to Longview, where they visited their daughter and her husband, Al Huit, and their new baby.

Mrs. Richard Lawrence drove to Pendleton Sunday, where she placed daughter Patricia in the St. Joseph's academy, returning to Heppner Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halseth spent the week-end at Wenatchee, where they entered the Inland Empire archery competition. Mrs. Halseth, as always, carried away first honors, defeating both the women's champion of Washington, Dorothy Axette, and the Inland Empire champion, Kathleen Wheeler. Because it was ruled after the competition that Heppner was outside the boundary of the Inland Empire, Mrs. Halseth received no cup, but was declared shooting for honors. Mr. Halseth declined to say where he placed among the men shooters, but knowing his skill as an archer, friends declare he could not have made anything but a good showing.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson drove to Spokane Friday, where they spent the week-end with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buzzard spent Saturday in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stout and children spent Sunday in Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Corwin drove to Boardman on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald of Rawlins, Wyoming, cousins of Con-ley Lanham, arrived this week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lanham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stoars went to Portland this week-end to look for a house to live in. They are moving this week to the city, where Mr. Stoars has taken employment. Their home in Heppner, which is the property of Lester Doolittle, located on South Court street, has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Runyan.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Peavy and children, who spent the summer in the mountains, returned to Heppner last week. Mrs. Vawter Parker, who had been occupying their house, moved to the home formerly belonging to Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Crawford.

Mrs. E. Harvey Miller and family drove to Pendleton for the day on Wednesday.

Glenn Lockhard drove to Wapato last week and brought back his wife and new baby son.

Mrs. Sophie Barr and Mrs. A. Kuhn of Portland, sister and mother of Mrs. W. H. Cleveland, spent the week-end at the Cleveland home.

The first fall meeting of the Episcopal Auxiliary was held this afternoon at the Parish House, with Mrs. George Evans and Mrs. W. O. Bayless hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Jaross will leave some time this week for Corvallis, where Mr. Jaross will teach this coming year. Their apartment will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Swenson, whose apartment is being taken by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hap-pold. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tamblin will reside in the former Hap-pold apartment in the Jones Apartments, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Cummings will rent the home formerly occupied by the Tamblins.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buhman were in town last Thursday on their way to Lakeview, where Mr. Buhman is teaching this year.

An American Legion Auxiliary meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 14th, at the home of Mrs. W. O. Bayless.

Mrs. Anna Q. Thompson has gone to Oakland, California, where she will visit her son, Theodore.

The Whats Trumps Club met last Thursday at the Ladies Room of the Elks' Club, with Mrs. Raymond Ferguson hostess. High score for the evening's play was won by Mrs. Harold Cohn with Mrs. Garnet Barratt receiving consolation.

The first meeting of the Eastern Star Social Club was held last Saturday afternoon at the Masonic Hall. Two tables of bridge were in play with Mrs. Loyal Parker winning high score and Mrs. Gene Ferguson consolation. The affair was a dessert bridge with Mrs. W. O. Bayless and Mrs. W. O. Dix hostesses.

Miss Opal Briggs spent Tuesday in Pendleton, and on her return brought back with her Mr. and Mrs. Werner, who were returning from a visit with their son in Denver. Miss Marjorie Werner remained in Denver to work.

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Endeavors End Work

The Columbia Union of Christian Endeavors joined with the Grand Ronde Union last Sunday afternoon in a most impressive close to a busy summer's work. Some 110 young people from eastern Oregon were registered in the annual "mountain top" meeting of these two unions. There were thirteen delegates from Heppner who made the trip to Emigrant springs on top of the Blue mountains near Pendleton.

"Mountain top" is truly a typical name, and true to the suggestive service, Howard Cole, state field secretary for Christian Endeavor in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, brought a most challenging message on three questions the Bible asks young people, namely: "What Is That In Thy Hand?"; "What Do You Have In Your House?" and "What is In Your Heart?"



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From where I sit ...

by Joe Marsh

It's real puzzlin' when you stop to think about it ...

I mean the way the human race has worked out a whole lot of out-and-dried alibis for its misdeeds and shortcomings.

Some of them's harmless alibis—like the office boy's grandmother who always passes away just before the big baseball game.

Here's some others. "My alarm clock didn't go off." "I left my money in my other suit." "I was settin' up with a sick friend."

And then the one about the two beers. Now that one is downright exasperatin'.

Because there's not a shred of truth in it.

Every once in a while I read in the papers about some ornery cuss, who never did know the meanin' of moderation, gettin' himself into trouble—

—and then protestin' that all he had to drink was "a couple of beers."

He knows it isn't true. He's just sayin' that because he knows that

"a couple of beers" sounds moderate and sensible-like—and it is.

Personally, I don't ever remember seein' a couple of glasses of good beer, enjoyed among friends, hurt any normal, sensible person.

If you won't get in trouble without beer, you aren't going to get in trouble with it.

Matter of fact, it's been my observation right along that a friendly glass of beer in pleasant sociability leads to just the opposite of trouble.

It goes along, seems to me, with good companionship, and moderation, and tolerance for the other fellow.

Yes, sir, from where I sit, it looks like the fellow that goes and gets himself in trouble, and then blames it all on a "couple of beers" isn't really feelin' anybody.

But he is bein' mighty mean and unfair to the people that enjoy the right to a sensible moderate drink like beer—yes, includin' "a couple of beers."

Joe Marsh

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