

Lexington Feels Effects of Flood Earlier in Week

Lexington citizens were thoroughly aroused and many frightened by the floods on Monday and Tuesday. Many of the people had to abandon their homes. Those moving to safer localities included Mrs. Elsie Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Breeding and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hayes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Padberg, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Padberg, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Padberg, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Masjeske and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Winkle suffered the most damage, with the water from the Blackhorse canyon running over the bridge and flooding the Masjeskes' and other yards.

OBITUARY
Citizens of Lexington were deeply grieved Friday of last

week when they laid to rest one of their prominent citizens, Samuel G. McMillan. He was born September 1, 1876, in Mohawk, Tenn., and passed on in Portland, Oregon, February 15, 1949, aged 72 years, 5 months and 14 days. He came to Oregon with his parents in 1886 at the age of ten years, and settled five miles northwest of Lexington. On September 22, 1902, he was married to Frances Hechtner of Leland, Idaho. Survivors, besides his widow, Frances, are the following children: Robert of Chattanooga, Tenn.; Wayne (Pete) of Grande Ronde; Naomi Hill, of Portland; Sam of Lexington, and Jack of Portland. He was preceded in death by one son, Eldred, in 1928, at the age of 23. He is survived by 19 grandchildren as well as brothers and sisters, Mrs. Minnie Leonard of Spokane, Wash.; Cora Warner of Lexington; Lou Broadley of Kelso, Wash.; brothers Bill of Corvallis, and J. F. of Lexington, two brothers, George and Ed, having gone before, also one sister, Mrs. Pointer.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Lexington Christian church with the Rev. Palmer Sorlien of Heppner officiating. Interment was in the L. O. F. cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Frank Parker, Gene Gray, Charles Marquardt, Harry Dinges, George

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A very pretty bridal shower was held in the school auditorium honoring Betty Joan Cork on February 18. Miss Cork is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cork and is the bride-elect of Joe Simas, son of Daisy Simas. Their wedding will be an event of next week. Miss Cork was the recipient of many lovely and useful presents. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Harriet Batty, Twilla Cumings and Bessie Wyland. They were assisted by Dorothy Wyland, Bertine Leathers and Joan Rauch.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Moore were business visitors in Pendleton on Thursday. On account of the roads they were returned by way of Heppner.

The ice went out of the river on Friday without doing any great amount of damage. It was reported that some of the ice cakes measured 34 inches thick.

Monument grange held open house on their social night, February 18. Everyone enjoyed the old time dances until midnight when a potluck supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Batty went to Heppner last week. On their return they visited at the Kenneth Batty home in Hardman. Kenneth returned with them to get his truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gilman were called to Baker on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Pope. Stanley Boyer took them as far as John Day early Saturday morning so they could catch the bus.

There will be all-day meeting in Monument next Friday with a potluck dinner and moving pictures in the afternoon. Mr. Jackson, representative of the REA, in this district, and who has recently returned from Washington, D. C., will have an interesting message for the people.

The Bill Morgan family was called to Heppner on Monday to attend the funeral of Albert Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aubrey have returned from Klamath Falls where they spent the winter. They team to play in the district tournament starting tonight at Echo.

Ted McMillan, John Spence and Miss Joy Gerharz were Pendleton visitors one day last week.

Marvin Glasgow and Ralph Phillips of Astoria were in Lexington one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones returned home Wednesday after several days spent in Portland.

Bud Marshall who has served four years with the United States navy has returned to Lexington to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Breeding and son, George Ervin, were Pendleton visitors last Friday.

Z. Franklin Cantrell has been called to minister to the Christian church of Lexington and he and his wife and two children will move here this week. His late pastorate was at Stanfield.

The Amelitia club met at the home of Mrs. Gladys Van Winkle last Wednesday. Mrs. Jerry Doherty won high and Mrs. Jack Forsythe, low.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Warner and John Robert McMillan of Portland visited at the Earl Warner home last week. They came to attend the funeral of S. G. McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones motored to Pendleton Friday, taking their small daughter Charlene to a physician there.

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are now staying at the home of Mrs. Aubrey's sister, Mrs. Jessie Batty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Swick and Howard Swick were business visitors in John Day on Monday. Mrs. Ruth Swick kept the baby while they were gone.

Chris Hamilton and Theron King drove to John Day on Monday. Mrs. King and son, Earl Frank, spent the day with Mrs. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard. On account of the drifting snow they were forced to spend the night in Monument.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Settle and son Delmar from Rudio creek were doing some shopping in town on Tuesday.

Doc Hinton took Mrs. Iffe McKinny to John Day on Tuesday for a medical check-up.

Mrs. Ed Round and Daisy Simas were on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Doris Capon helped her mother, Delsie Sweek, serve the hot lunch at the school on Tuesday. Daisy Simas was sick with a cold and had to remain at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Elder from Vale are visiting at Mr. Elder's mother's, Mrs. Margaret Elder. They drove to Heppner on Thursday.

The M.M.M. club met in the church on Thursday for their regular meeting. A short business meeting was held. They decided to postpone their play until a later date. A delicious potluck lunch was served. Those present were May De Ett Hinton, president; Martha Matteson, secretary; Helen Brown, Ruth Swick, Margaret Elder, Ella Durst, Grace Stirrit, Maude Harris, Faye Sweek, Nora Boyer, Ann Johns, Mary Marcus and Millie Wilson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Nora Boyer on March 3.

A forest meeting for the stockmen of the Tamarack forest reserve was held at the town hall in Spray on February 17. Hugh Johnson was again hired as salter for the coming summer. Those present from the Monument community were Hugh Johnson, Chet Brown, Harold Cork, George Stirrit, Wayne Leathers, Zephyl Harrison, Ed Kelly, Roy Bowman, Roy Cork, Harry Capon, Henry Capper, Chance Wilson, George Capon, Earl Sweek and Howard Swick. Glenn Parsons, forest ranger, presided.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sweek and daughter Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowman and family were all having dental work done in John Day on Wednesday.

Joe Simas and his sister, Jean Devore, arrived late Wednesday night from Roseburg. Mrs. Devore will remain at the home of her mother, Daisy Simas, until after her brother's wedding on February 27.

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SCHOLARSHIP ACCEPTED
Virginia Smith, member of the class of 1949, Heppner high school, received word Wednesday morning that her application for admittance to the Colorado Woman's college, Denver, had been accepted.

The school limits entrance to 250 freshmen each year, drawing these from every state in the United States and from numerous foreign countries. Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Smith of Ione.

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COXEN GRADUATES
Pfc Glenn E. Coxen, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Coxen of 616 S.W. 5th St., Pendleton, has graduated from the draftsman course at the USAF technical school, Ft. Francis E. Warren, Wyoming, according to an announcement by Col. John C. B. Elliott, commanding officer.

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NOTICE
All persons who are using shallow wells which have been contaminated by the recent high water should boil the water before drinking it to prevent typhoid fever and other infections.

Those wishing to be immunized against typhoid fever may be immunized at the office of the county health officer free of charge.

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EXTENSION UNIT TO MEET
Mrs. Pat McIntyre will be hostess to the Heppner Extension unit Tuesday, March 1. Miss Mabel Wilson, county home demonstration agent, will discuss small electrical equipment in the home.

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TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS TAKE TWELVE LIVES IN JANUARY
Oregon's lowest monthly traffic death toll in six years was recorded in January when statewide accidents claimed 12 lives. Secretary of State Earl T. Newbry has reported.

The Wall Street Journal comes forth with this one: A story reaches us of a fellow who fell behind on his installments on a new television set. Every passing week brought a dunning letter—each more heated than the last. Finally in desperation came the coup de grace written to appeal to the man's sense of shame.

"What," said the letter, "would your neighbors think if we came and took away your television set?"

The response so far has stumped the finance experts. "I took this matter up with the neighbors," wrote the delinquent, "and they think it would be a very lousy trick."

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DISCHARGES FILED
Three Morrow county ex-GI's recorded their service discharges at the courthouse during the week. William A. Zinter, Ione, who received his release on March 28, 1946, James V. Doherty, Ione, released January 7, 1949, and Ralph E. Currin, released March 7, 1946 now have the evidence of their respective periods of service safely filed in the archives of the office of County Clerk C. W. Barlow.

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INCOME AGENT COMING
A state income tax agent will be at the courthouse in Heppner Thursday, March 3, from 8 a.m. to 12 noon to assist taxpayers. He will be at Kinzua Pine Mills office from 3 to 9 p.m., March 1; Condon court house, 1 to 12 a.m., March 2, and at Arlington from 2 to 4 p.m., March 2.

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ASSESSMENT BLANKS DUE
Assessor W. O. Dix wishes to remind property holders who have not turned in their assessment blanks that the deadline is March 2. After that date a penalty of five percent is automatically imposed. Only five days remain to get the blanks in and it is advisable to cooperate with the assessor's office in this important matter.

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earnestly requests the cooperation of the public IN NOT USING THE COUNTY ROADS any more than necessary while roads are in a thawing, soft condition.

LOADED VEHICLES OF OVER 3 TONS GROSS WEIGHT WILL BE PROHIBITED, unless under emergency circumstances... Certain roads will be posted and patrolled during this emergency.

Your cooperation will be appreciated.

By Order of MORROW COUNTY COURT.

(Authority—Vehicle code No. 115-394)

WATCH FOR Clearance Sale Week of March 1st

CASE FURNITURE CO.

STAR REPORTER

Admission prices afternoon and evening, unless specifically advertised to be otherwise: Children: Est. Price .15, Fed. Tax .05, Total .20; Grade and High School Students 12 years and over: Est. Price .40, Fed. Tax .10, Total .50; Adults: Est. Price .50, Fed. Tax .10, Total .60. Every child occupying a seat must have a ticket.

Sunday shows continuous starting at 1 p.m. All other shows start at 7:30 p.m. Boxoffice open evenings until 9 p.m.

OLYMPIC GAMES OF 1948
The sweep and spectacle, the impressiveness and beauty of the greatest sports event in the world, enhanced by Technicolor photography. Commentary by Ted Husing and Bill Stern.

THURS.-FRI.-SAT., MARCH 3-4-5
PANHANDLE
Rod Cameron, Cathy Downs, Anne Gwynn, Ned Hadley.
Top-bracket western of the rugged days when Texas was young. Photographed in sepia-tone.

PLUS
THUNDER IN THE PINES
Timber! The booming call of lumberjack adventure and action. Filmed in sepia. In the forests of Wisconsin. With George Reeves, Ralph Byrd, Michael Whelan, Lyle Talbot, Marian Martin.

Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Luncheon by the Women's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, Tuesday, March 1st, 11:30 to 1 o'clock.

"Many times a year the people turn to the RED CROSS... once a year the RED CROSS turns to the people." Harry S. Truman—MARCH IS RED CROSS MONTH!

REGULAR SALE

Thursday, March 3

More Stocker Cattle plus Miscellaneous Items

Bring in what you have We'll do our best to find a buyer.

SEE THE BRANDING AND DEHORNING CHUTE AT

Heppner Sales Yard

Harold Erwin, Operator
John Varner, Auctioneer Harry Dinges, Clerk

PENNEY'S SUPER DOLLAR DAYS

TOMORROW! HURRY! HURRY!

3 DAYS ONLY

FRIDAY - SATURDAY - MONDAY

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

RAYON KNIT SLIP \$1
Ladies! A big money saver! Four goes... tailored... wears and launders beautifully. Pink, white. 32-44.

RAYON JERSEY KNIT HALF SLIPS \$1
Sizes small, medium, and large. Elastic waistband.

Women's 75 Denier
RAYON JERSEY GOWNS \$2
Easy to wash, need no ironing. Lace rimmed styles in white, blue, pink and maize.

DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

WOMEN'S PANTIES \$1
Two bar tricot, non-run rayon... all around elastic waist, Hollywood or band leg briefs. Pink, white, blue. S, M, L. 2 for

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

51 GAUGE NYLONS \$1
Perfect 51 gauge 15 or 30 denier nylons—at wonderful low price! Blue and Caramel. 8 1/2 to 9 1/2.

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

PENNEY COTTONS \$2
Special 80 sq. percale and poplin frocks... priced low for this event! In many new styles, prints. 12-52.

Little Girls' **COTTON DRESSES** \$1
An outstanding value for this event. Sizes 4 to 6X.

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

TAILORED PANELS \$2 each
Fine rayon marquisette with Perm-ray finish to assure long wear. 44" x 81" overall. Hemmed. Eggshell.

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

MEN'S SHIRTS \$2
What a buy—fine quality shirts at this low price! Fine selection of superb combed woven fabrics. TOWNCRAFT QUALITY

MEN'S WORK GLOVES \$1
Horsehide face with elastic band back for snug fit.

A DOLLAR DAY VALUE!

Boys' Knit Briefs \$1 for 3
Fine quality, comfortable briefs with all around elastic waist. Save now!
*Shrinkage will not exceed 1 pct.

"Yours is the right to pick and choose."

DEMOCRACY WORKS HERE!

...without a free exchange of goods you cannot have a free people"

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