

Horse Dies, Auto Wrecked as Twain Meet on Highway

By MILLIE WILSON

Bucky Leathers had the misfortune to hit a horse on the highway near the Eldon Cumming's ranch, the first of the week. Bucky escaped with a few cuts and scratches but his car was badly wrecked and the horse is dead.

Bill Settle drove to Prairie City last Friday after his wife, who recently underwent surgery at the Blue Mountain hospital. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Moya Gilman. Mrs. Settle will stay at the home of her daughter while convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cox of Top are the owners of a new truck.

Doc Hinton moved Mrs. D. R. Baker's household furnishings to Tacoma, Wash. last Saturday.

Mrs. Louie Grant of Albany is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Sweek this week. Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Sweek are sisters.

Mrs. Mabel Janney and friends of John Day are visiting at the home of Mrs. Janney's brother, Clyde Jackson.

Barbara Wyland is helping Mrs. Bill Munday during haying.

Patsy Hicks, a niece of Mrs. Margery Round, is helping with the work at the Bob Holmes home.

Le Roy Roberts of The Dalles is staying at the Orval Wyland home.

Bud Engle of Courtrock was in town Friday evening to attend a school meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cutts drove to Hepner to see a show on Friday night. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Spurgeon.

Norris Stubbfield took Larry Greg's place working for Chet Brown during fire season.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Hynd and daughter, Mrs. Ida Bleakman and Miss Rhoebe Bleakman returned Saturday from a three-week vacation. Part of their time was spent in Canada visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Taylor and grandson of Springfield were week-end guests at the George Stritt home.

George Van of Clatskanie spent a few days at the L. S. ranch.

Iffie Bagley of John Day spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. George Stritt.

A very pretty bridal shower was given this week in honor of Miss Bertine Leathers. Miss Leathers received many beautiful and useful gifts. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses, Lois Bleakman and Ona

The Beginning of Grain Growers Plant

May Leathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Crum have sold their place on Cottonwood to the Blue Mountain Mills Company. Mr. and Mrs. Crum went to John Day on Friday to finish the transaction. They are at present working at the Monument lookout.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Gilman and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gilman are very enthusiastic over the road the County Court had built from Wall Creek to the Gilman Flats. It makes them happy indeed to be able to drive their car all the way home and they wish to express their appreciation to the county court.

Allen Lee from the state board of education in Salem, met with the school boards in a joint meeting on Friday night to discuss and work out plans for a G. I. school in Monument.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Beall of Portland spent a few days in Monument visiting and renewing acquaintances. They were with the Soil Conservation Service here some years ago.

Clarence Yoeman, Inspector, of John Day, was at the Monument guard station on business one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown left for Idaho after visiting at the home of their son, Chet Brown, since July 4.

Week-end guests over the 4th at the Chet Browns were his brother Ace and family of Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lundholm of Lebanon stopped in to see the Browns last week-end. Mrs. Lundholm is a sister of Chet's.

The maintenance crew from Sisters is here staying at the guard station and working on the different roads.

The Lookout at Rudio, Al Herwick, had to leave on account of poor health. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thomas of Prineville took over the station.

Mrs. Frank Tanner from The Dalles, arrived in Monument Saturday to visit her son, Orvil Wyland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Hinton and daughter, Mary Ella spent the week-end at Happy Jack visiting Hugh Johnson.

Mrs. Nona Healy and children drove up from Portland for a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Boyer, and her brother, Stanley Boyer.

Mrs. Lottie Foss from Boise is visiting her mother, Josie Round and her sister Mamie Ferguson, also her brother Ed Round and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bronson are here from Portland visiting his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Round.

Mr. and Mrs. Mead Gilman and son Dennis spent their two weeks vacation in traveling. They vis-



In the '20's the Farmers Warehouse company started construction of warehouse and elevator facilities on the opposite side of the track from the Hepner warehouse, then operated by the late Phil Cohn. The plant grew under the FWC and later, when purchased by the Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc. was expanded to a total elevator capacity of 277,000 bushels, including the 22,000 bushel addition made this spring.

Lone Folks Shower Lindstroms With Gifts Saturday

By ECHO PALMATEER

A miscellaneous shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindstrom at the Legion hall Saturday afternoon. They received many lovely and useful gifts. Cake and coffee were served from a table decorated with yellow and green crepe paper and green candles and flowers. Hostesses were Mrs. Franklin Lindstrom, Mrs. Clifford McCabe, Mrs. Mary Swanson, Mrs. Oscar Lundell, Mrs. E. R. Lundell, Mrs. Algott Lundell, Mrs. Ethel Stewart, Mrs. Garland Swanson, Mrs. Roy Lindstrom and Mrs. Berl Akers.

Mrs. Harry Cool and daughter Maud of Chelan, Wash. visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Donald Ball was called to Hebo Sunday on account of the death of her father, Cecil Sherman, who was killed Friday when a rock fell on him while working on a rock crusher. He will be buried in Baker Thursday. He is survived by his wife, a son, Dale, and daughter, Mrs. Ball.

Mrs. Robert Hodgins of La Grande arrived at the O. L. Lundell home Monday to visit her husband who is plasterer at the new Garland Swanson residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Sarver and son Billy of Kennewick, Wash. visited at the Echo Palmateer home Saturday.

Joe Gaarsland and Glenn Solomon of Battle Lake, Minn. are here during harvest.

Mrs. Hazel Beers of Eagle Creek arrived Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Echo Palmateer. She is helping cook at the Ted Palmateer ranch during harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Crawford Jr. and daughter Nancy Jean left for their home in Portland after spending two weeks here.

Gary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brenner, was ill with a throat infection and was treated at a hospital in The Dalles last week.

Word was received of the death of Mrs. C. W. (Della) Mobley Saturday at Bend. She is survived by her husband, and a brother, Charles Elgin of Mollala. Funeral services were Tuesday, Mrs. Mobley lived in Ione about 13 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bryson spent the week-end in the mountains. Delbert, Ernest and daughter Mary arrived from Oakland, Cal. last week by plane. Mrs. Emert is staying in California.

Mrs. Carl Tillman and daughter Ruth of Kansas City, Mo. are visiting her brother, Wate Crawford. They plan to visit here and in Portland most of the summer. Mrs. Tillman has not been west for 40 years.

Mrs. Warren Crutcher of Boring and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Van Borsted of Corvallis, spent the week-end here. Mrs. Crutcher is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindstrom.

The floors in the gymnasium and grade school are being sanded and the desks and walls are being refinished. Harkins of Walla Walla is doing the work.

Miss Ingrid Hermann, rodeo princess from Ione, accompanied Queen Shirley and other princesses to Elgin over the week-end.

The regular meeting of Willows grange was held Saturday evening. Little Linda Halvorsen recited several numbers. Lunch was served by Mrs. Addie Salter, Mrs. Vern Brown and Mrs. Sam Esteb.

The HEC of Willows grange met at the home of Mrs. Ernest Heliker Friday afternoon. After the business meeting a program was conducted by Mrs. O. L. Lundell, the theme being "Boston Tea Party." Article were read by Mrs. M. E. Cotter, Mrs. Heliker, Mrs. Echo Palmateer and Mrs. Lundell. Games were played, exhibits on China and Japan were on display. Refreshments of ice tea, punch and cookies were served by the hostesses, Mrs. John Bryson, Mrs. Lana Padberg and Mrs. Heliker.

The Maranathas met at the home of Mrs. Echo Palmateer Wednesday of last week. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Mrs. Sam McMillan and Mrs. Palmateer. Mrs. Alfred Shirley won the guest prize.

Frank Lundell and son Merle arrived from Portland Saturday and went on to La Grande. Merle will stay with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Clell Rea, at Stanfield.

Mike Cotter left for his home in Austin, Minn. after a visit of a week with his uncle, M. E. Cotter. He went by train.

Miss Eunice Peterson entertained the following guests at her home in honor of Miss Martha Hanson of Portland who is visiting at the Oscar Peterson home: Mr. and Mrs. Tad Miller, Bolo Crawford, Bobby and Billy Rietmann, Alton Yarnell, Rod Kvistad of Astoria, and Gerald Peterson who was home from Portland. Refreshments were served and croquet and other games were played. Miss Hanson and Donald Peterson will be married in August.

L. L. Pavid of Sacramento, Cal. is visiting at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Omar Rietmann. Mr. Pavid is French instructor at Sacramento Junior college. He and the Rietmann family spent Sunday at the McNary dam and visiting an uncle, H. G. Voruz, at Pendleton.

Expanding Lantern Burns Out Camp Of Umatilla Man

John Myers 72-year-old resident of Umatilla county, was burned painfully about his head and hands Monday night when a gasoline lantern exploded inside a small tent he had erected in the vacant lot behind the Morrow county creamery. The tent and virtually all of Myers' personal effects were destroyed by the resulting fire.

Myers, who was looking for work as a header tender, had been in Hepner for several days before the accident. He said the lantern exploded while he was attempting to fill it exactly as he had been doing for 10 years.

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DATES TO REMEMBER:

July 22—Three Linds club of Reekahs at hall in afternoon.

Movie each Wednesday evening on the Athletic field.

Gordon White has purchased a large school bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Palmateer were week-end visitors at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Healy, on Butter creek.

Rev. W. W. Head of Cathlamet, Wash. donated several books to the library.

Mrs. Harlan McCurdy Jr. and daughters visited at the Harlan McCurdy Sr. home last week while her husband attended the national Elks convention.

H. O. Ely, George Ely and Allen Ely spent a couple of days fishing at McKay dam last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Painter of Pendleton visited at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert DeSpain, recently.

Clifford Yarnell of Vancouver, Wash. visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yarnell Friday. He purchased the Klinger ranch near Lexington.

Miss Sandra McMillan of Hillsboro visited at the home of her uncle, Sam McMillan, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buschke and son of Los Angeles are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buschke, at Morgan. Henry is on the Los Angeles police force.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Heliker were Portland visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blann of Boardman were visitors at the Harry Yarnell home last week.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the friends and neighbors who undoubtedly prevented my home from burning during the warehouse fire.

MRS. MARY STOUT

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Queen And Court Participate In Elgin Rodeo

Shirley Wilkinson, queen of the forthcoming Morrow county rodeo, was accompanied to Elgin Saturday by Princesses Ingrid Hermann, Faye Cutsforth, Dorothy Wigglesworth, and Betty Walker. The queen and her court rode in the Elgin Stampede days parade on Sunday morning and again in the Grand Entry in the afternoon.

Chaperoned by Mrs. Esie Walker, the girls drove to Elgin Saturday. They saw the last half of the night show, then attended the rodeo dance. After taking part in the activities on Sunday, they returned home. Esie Walker and Harold Erwin drove the girls' horses to the show in a truck provided by Steve Thompson.

Dr. and Mrs. Bernard McMurdo and son Bryce of San Mateo, Calif. left today for their home after spending a few days with the doctor's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. McMurdo. Coming via Portland, the visitors were joined by Charles E. (Ted) McMurdo, who spent the week-end here with his parents.

MINNESOTANS TO PICNIC

The Minnesota State Society of Portland has chosen July 31 as the date and Jantzen Beach park as the local for the organization's annual picnic, according to announcement received from F. G. Quimby, president.

One of the greatest picnics of all times is being planned, it is stated, with Minnesotans from all parts of Oregon and Washington expected to attend.

They will be accompanied by their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mead Gilman Jr. and daughter in Laramie, Wyoming. On their way home they were sight seeing in Nebraska, South Dakota, Yellowstone Park and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sweek made a business trip to Portland last week. They returned on Tuesday.

Victor and Loren Wiese from Freewater are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fleming. They expect their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Wiese to come for them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Spike Miller were business visitors in Pendleton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Holmes took their infant son to Pendleton on Saturday for a medical checkup.

The Board of Directors and Stockholders

of

Morrow County Grain Growers, Inc.

Extend to Every Person

who in any way assisted in combatting the fire which destroyed the Hepner plant Monday evening.

We want especially to commend the Hepner Fire Department for not only fighting the fire through to the end but for keeping watch throughout the night; to thank Jack Loyd for his valuable aid in saving our records, and to express our deep appreciation to the neighboring communities who sent their fire fighting equipment to assist us in our hour of need.

It was a hopeless fight from the beginning to save the buildings, but the work of the departments and the people prevented a serious property loss to surrounding neighbors, and for this we are truly thankful.

We wish to assure the people of Hepner and vicinity that plans for a new elevator and feed plant are already under consideration and will be pushed as fast as possible when the rush of the harvest season is over. Temporary office quarters have been set up in the Farra building and our feed business will be re-established as soon as suitable quarters can be obtained. Our phone number is the same—

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