

Monument Men Urge Building of Wall Creek Hi'way

By MILLIE WILSON
A party of men from Monument are to meet with the county court in Canyon City on Monday in regard to building a road up the river from Monument to Wall creek. This road is badly needed and it is hoped the county will see its way toward building it.

Mrs. Irene Forrest has heard from her son Jack since his induction into the armed services. He was at Fort Lewis but said his destination was unknown to him at that time.

Mr. Beardsley of Salem visited

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his ranch on Sunday. He owns what is known as the Crouch ranch below Monument.

Mrs. Reta Cupper and Mrs. Bubbles Gates were business visitors in John Day last Saturday.

Monument Grange is sponsoring another of its home talent plays on February 24 in the gymnasium. Everyone who enjoys a good laugh should see this show by all means.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kimberling of Prairie City are the parents of a baby boy born February 1. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fleming of Monument are the maternal grandparents. Mr. Kimberling came for Mrs. Fleming on Saturday. Mrs. Fleming plans to be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lynch left Sunday for Bakersfield, Calif. Mrs. Lynch's father who resides there has been quite ill. Mrs. Lynch hopes to be able to bring him home with them. Mr. Lynch is employed at the Powell mill.

Mrs. Daisy Simas drove to John Day and Prairie City on Sunday.

One of the loveliest parties of the year was held at the home of Mrs. Edna Moore Sunday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Anita Powell with a stork shower. Those present were Mrs. Anita Powell, Mrs. Wm. Powell Sr., Miss Mary Elizabeth Powell, Mrs. Lee Roy Quinlan, Mrs. Ouida Cork, Mrs. Mattie Stubblefield, Mrs. Reta Cupper, Mrs. Lydia Capon, Mrs. Mabel Roach, Mrs. White, Mrs. Gladys Sewell, Mrs. Helen Brown, Mrs. Linnie Gilman, Mrs. Lula Settle, Mrs. Millie Wilson, Mrs. Anna Lesley, Mrs. Mary Lee Lesley, Mrs. Betty Simas, Mrs. Darlene Boyer, and Miss Anita Moore. Games were played and

those winning the awards were Reta Cupper, Gladys Jewell and Millie Wilson. Mrs. Powell was assisted in opening her gifts by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Powell Sr. and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lee Roy Quinlan. Mrs. Powell was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts. Dainty refreshments of sandwiches, salads and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Edna Moore, Miss Anita Moore, Mrs. Darlene Boyer and Mrs. Betty Simas.

D. Hickman took Mr. and Mrs. Everett Howell to Bend on Thursday to see Mrs. Howell's brother.

Larry Holmes was out of school last week on account of sickness. However he is again back in school. He went to John Day one day last week to register with the draft board as he is now 18 years of age. He was accompanied by Vernon Bell who went to report the accident he had with Mrs. Jessie Batty's car.

Correction to last week's items: All three boys that were in the wrecked car were injured and taken to Heppner for medical aid. They are all home now but Vernon Bell had to use crutches.

Mrs. Lois Bleakman was ill last week and her daughter, Rhoeane, had to be absent from school a few days to care for her.

The show "Fancy Pants" shown in the old town hall Sunday was well attended and everyone had a good laugh.

Word was received by Mrs. Ivy Barnard that her brother, Doc Hinton, went to the St. Vincent's Hospital last Wednesday and had his operation. At last reports he was doing as well as could be expected. Mr. Hinton has been staying with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. Hinton has been sick for William Kenton at Beaverton. Some time so his many friends will be glad to know he is well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Annabel Gasner had the misfortune to fall and hurt her ankle. She was taken to John Day last Saturday to consult her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Forrest and daughter, Patsy drove to Heppner on Thursday where Miss Patsy had some dental work done.

Monument high school student body officers for next year were elected at a recent student body meeting. Anita Moore was elected president, Don Gilman, vice president, Isobel Leathers, treasurer. The post of sergeant of arms fell to Douglas Caler. Plans for the school play and dance to be held March 17 were discussed and Mrs. McLaughlin announced play practice will start soon.

Monument was host to the teams from Mitchell high school Friday night in basket ball and volleyball ball. The visitors proved ungracious as they left victorious in both games by close scores.

Vernon Bell has been absent from school the last few days due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin had the misfortune to have their kitchen stove explode last week while dinner was being prepared. Due to the cold weather last week the coils in the stove had frozen, so when the fire became hot the stove exploded. Fortunately no one was in the kitchen at the time and only minor damage was done.

The basketball and volleyball teams from Ukiah high school will appear here Friday, February 9. This marks the first time

CHURCHES

ALL SAINTS MEMORIAL CHURCH—Episcopal

Holy Communion 8 a. m.
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11 o'clock.

Informal service and instruction 7:30 p. m.
Week day services: Holy Communion Wednesday at 10; Friday at 7:30 a. m. Choir practices: Wednesday afternoon — Boys from 2:30 to 4, girls from 4 to 5. Adult choir Thursday evening at 8.

Boy Scouts Wednesday evening, 7:30 to 9.

METHODIST CHURCH

J. Palmer Sorlien, Minister
Morning worship and sermon at 11 a. m. Special music by the choir. Oliver Creswick, director.

Sunday Church School at 9:45 a. m. We have a class for every age three years old and over. Also Youth Fellowship class and Adult Bible class.

Choir practice Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
Thursday mid-week prayer service at 7 p. m.
Youth for Christ with Joe Brill, a nationally known Youth for

this school has appeared locally and much interest is being evidenced.

Larry Holmes was absent from school Monday as he accompanied his father, Clarence Holmes to Portland on a business trip.

The high school paper has been accorded the honor of being invited to compete nationally with other school papers by the school of Journalism of Columbia University, New York. We feel sure Monument will make a creditable showing.

FORESTER CALLS ATTENTION

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sawdust is a good soil conditioner. (2) new sawdust can be used as a soil conditioner and fertilizer if a nitrogen supplement is added, and (3) new sawdust used in feed lots, impregnated with manure, makes a good soil conditioner and fertilizer.

Many tests have been conducted in the beet fields of western Montana. One rancher, Joe Canton, used 40-year-old softwood sawdust on a beet field using approximately 20 tons per acre. An adjacent check area was given the customary treatment of 10 or 12 ton barnyard manure per acre. A plentiful supply of water was available throughout the growing season on both areas.

Mr. Canton reported that the beets on the sawdust treated area grew better from the start

Christ speaker at 3 p. m. at the Methodist Church. Everyone welcome. Also Youth for Christ Monday 7:30 p. m. at the high school assembly with Joe Brill as speaker.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

R. J. McKowen, Pastor
Sunday services: 9:45 a. m. Bible school with classes for all; C. W. Barlow, superintendent. 11 a. m. morning worship and communion. Young people's fellowship 6 p. m. followed by devotional service at 6:30; Mrs. R. J. McKowen leader. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. with song service and evangelistic message. You will find a welcome at these services.

Thursday 7 p. m. choir practice, led by Mrs. Willard Warren. Bible study and prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. The study of the first epistle of Peter has just begun. Remember, God's Word is our Guide-book—a "lamp unto our feet" and a light unto our path." Let us spend more time in its study.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Pastor Shelby Graves
Most of our sorrows spring from our forgetfulness of God. The nationally known speaker for Youth for Christ organization will be bringing the message at 11 o'clock this Sunday.

7 p. m. Singing.
7:45 p. m. Evangelistic.
Tuesday 7:45 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting in Ione.
Thursday 7:45 p. m. Bible Study and prayer meeting.

ORGANIZE LADIES AID

The Lutheran ladies of the Heppner area have organized a Ladies Aid society which will meet the last Thursday of each month. Any ladies interested are cordially invited to attend and may contact Mrs. G. Hermann at Ione or Mrs. Orval Matheny at Heppner for further details.

Trees Just Won't Stay Typed—There are over 20,000 different species of trees in the world. No one knows just how many, since new ones are constantly being discovered in remote tropical regions.

Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kilkenny of Pendleton visited friends in Heppner Thursday and Friday of the past week.

Born Tuesday, February 6, at the Pioneer Memorial hospital, a 7-3-4 pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Palmateer of Ione. This is their second child, the first being a girl.

James Evans of Peace River, Alberta, Canada, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Kenneth Keeling and family.

Mrs. William Driscoll of Corvallis is visiting at the home of her son, James Driscoll and family.

and the soil retained moisture longer after each irrigation. There was evidence that the sawdust treated plot had substantially higher yield per acre. The beets analyzed by the American Crystal Sugar Company were slightly higher in sugar content and purity.

The American Crystal Sugar Company is constantly seeking ways to improve the till and yield of the western Montana beet fields. Large scale tests, using planer shavings, are now being conducted. Results of the tests showed that the ground treated with wood waste materially improved in till and moisture holding capacity.

Soil organic matter serves as food for various types of desirable micro-organisms, supplies essential elements for re-use by succeeding plants, improves the physical qualities of the soil, and its presence aids in controlling erosion by wind and water. In much form it increases water intake, reduces water loss, lowers soil temperature, insulates the soil against quick freezes, thus protecting the worm population, absorbs the energy of rain drop impact on the soil, and acts as a barrier to flowing surface waters.

Wood is a cheap organic matter. It differs from other organic substances only in degree of its physical and chemical structure, subject to the same decomposition forces as hay, straw and green manure crops. Farmers using wood as a soil conditioner have found that it does not make the soil sour and acid.

Exploitive agriculture is mining the humus from our fertile fields. As the soil organic content decreases, crop yields decrease and soil erosion increases.

Ample supplies of wood for agricultural use are available in the forests. There is nothing more important to our welfare as a nation than ample acres of fertile, productive, erosion-proofed farm land. Wood can contribute to this need.

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