

Boardman Home Destroyed By Fire

By MARY LEE MARLOW

BOARDMAN—A valuable coin collection, new furniture and all of the other belongings of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Noble went up in flames last Thursday afternoon as fire raced through the two-story cement block house the couple had lived in about two weeks.

The fire struck between 3 and 3:30. Noble, who was alone, had started to take a nap when he noticed smoke and some flames around the chimney where it went into the wall. Not having a phone he ran to the home of a neighbor to turn in the alarm, and by the time he got back the fire was so intense the windows were breaking and he was unable to enter the structure to save anything. A strong southwest wind fanned the blaze, and carried sparks about an eighth of a mile away setting two trees on fire at the next farm.

The fire department arrived and saved part of a pile of new lumber that was stored in an adjacent garage. The garage was destroyed.

The house, one of the oldest on the Boardman irrigation project west of town, was constructed about 45 years ago. In August, 1929, it was destroyed by fire, and several years later rebuilt. Owner Leo Barnett says he does not plan to rebuild. No insurance was carried on the house.

Mrs. Noble was not at home when the fire struck.

In the valuable coin collection that was burned was one piece that was 101 years old.

The community sponsored a kitchen and linen shower for the Nobles at the grange hall Tuesday night. Committee in charge was Mrs. Claud Coats, Kay Winkelman, Mrs. Arthur Allen, Mrs. Ronald Black, Mrs. Sid Ferguson and Carol Getz.

Mrs. Ronald Daniels was hostess for the Boardman Tillicum club at her home last week. Plans were made for some of the members to attend the 7th District winter board meeting in Stanfield on January 20.

Mrs. LaVern Partlow will be hostess for an arthritis benefit breakfast for club members at her home March 7 at 10 a.m.

The club voted to contact two Riverside high school seniors as possible entries in the Penny Art contest to be held in The Dalles March 14.

A contribution was made to the Sadie Orr Dunbar nursing fund.

A discussion was held in regard to participating in the state club honor roll.

Mrs. H. M. Walker reported that the community bulletin board was about ready for use.

Mrs. Zoe Billings reported on the result of an eye examination of a school child the club was sponsoring.

A discussion was held on having a safety check for all bicycles.

Tentative plans were made for the annual Sweetheart dinner to be held in February.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Don Downey January 28.

Mrs. Emery Lyons was elected president of the Ladies Aid Society of Boardman Community church at the meeting Wednesday of last week at the home of Mrs. Florence Root. Mrs. Lyons was co-hostess. Others elected were: Mrs. Louise Earwood, vice president; Mrs. Root, secretary; Mrs. Seth Russell, treasurer. Mrs. LeRoy Rounley was a guest at the meeting.

Mrs. Louise Earwood had surgery Thursday of last week at the Good Shepherd hospital in Hermiston. She was hospitalized about five days.

Zelma Cowan, village missionary from Farley, N. Mex., was an overnight guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Herman Burg last Friday. Miss Cowan was missionary pastor of the Boardman Community church for several years, leaving here about six years ago.

PFU George Blake from Camp Riley, Kans., visited Sunday and Monday at the home of his stepfather and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Matz. After a month's leave he will be stationed in Hawaii.

Mrs. Elvin Ely visited her daughter Eileen in Portland last week, and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zivney. She also went to Lebanon to visit at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Heseock and children Maria, Douglas and Melissa spent the week-end in Portland visiting at the home of Mrs. Heseock's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie

Fuss. They also went to Astoria. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sledge and children Donnie, Phil, Sherrie and Paula went to Condon Sunday to attend a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Sledge's mother, Mrs. John W. Anderson.

Mrs. Lafe Smith of Pendleton was a Sunday visitor at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marlow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Summers and sons Richard and Ronnie, who have lived here for the past four years, moved to Hinkle last week where Summers is employed with the U. P. Railroad.

Menus for Riverside High school and boardman Grade school for the week of January 27-31 are as follows: Monday—Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, vegetable sticks and fruit; Tuesday—Chili beans and crackers, cheese sticks, tossed salad and Apple Betty; Wednesday—Creamed turkey on toast, beefs, vegetable sticks and cherry crunch; Thursday—Hamburgers, buttered peas, pear and grated cheese salad and cookies; Friday—Tuna fish sandwiches, potato soup, vegetable sticks and pineapple upside down cake. Bread, butter and milk are served with all meals.

Jim Miller and Richard Watts, students at Blue Mountain Community College in Pendleton, spent the week-end here at the home of Miller's mother, Mrs. Russell Miller.

Frank Jones of Vancouver, Wn. was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allen. Other visitors at the Allen home recently included Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Wickman of The Dalles, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilkinson of Beaverton. Also Kate Hunt of La Grande, and Margaret Hewitt of Union Junction, former residents here.

Mrs. Rollo Moore is a patient in St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton where she had surgery last week.

Mrs. Joe Tatone was in Portland last week to attend the winter board meeting of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs.

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Miss Charlene Jones spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones, while finishing arrangements for her wedding held Saturday at the Christian church.

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Marriage Told Of Miss Wihlon To K. Sellards

By DELPHA JONES

LEXINGTON—Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Armin Wihlon of the marriage of Mr. Wihlon's daughter, Alice Marie, to Kenneth Sellards of Pasco, Wn. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Hermann Wallace of Pasco. The marriage was performed in Lewiston, Ida.

The young couple will make their home in Burbank Heights near Pasco where Mr. Sellards is employed as an electrician apprentice. Mr. and Mrs. Wihlon motored to Pasco Sunday to visit the young couple.

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Services for Mrs. Newby Held in Hood River Jan. 16

By VIRGINIA KELSO

KINZUA — Funeral services were held last Thursday, January 16, in Hood River for Mrs. Helen Davenport Newby, former resident of Kinzua for many years. Mrs. Newby was born December 16, 1875, in Utah and came to Oregon when 15 years of age. She was the oldest of eleven children, eight of whom are still living. She married Frederick E. Newby in Hood River in 1898 and had six children, four of whom died in infancy. Mr. Newby passed away in Kinzua, December 6, 1956.

Mrs. Newby was active in all civic things both in Hood River and in Kinzua, being president of the Women's Club in both places, also on the library board and was very active in the Eastern Star in Hood River. In her later years, she took a genuine interest in people, especially children and loved to work in her flowers. When she had flowers in bloom, there was always a bouquet for the church for Sunday services.

Mrs. Newby is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Winifred Bush of Portland and Mrs. Marjanna (Nan) Brown of Heppner, two grandchildren which she raised, Alan and Stuart Turner of Prineville, another grandchild, Charlotte Bush of Portland, and two great grandchildren, Terry and Trudy Turner of Prineville.

Doug Baer of Portland was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norris and son Ken. Doug, who formerly lived here and was a senior at Wheeler high, graduated from a Portland school at midterm, and is entering the U.S. Navy this Friday.

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Tree Halts Travelers
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Browning had the misfortune to run into a downed tree Sunday night on the Heppner-Spray highway near the Chapin Creek guard station. They were upon the tree before they could stop so their jeep had severe damage and they sustained bruises. They were taken back into Heppner and loaned a car to enable them to get home.

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School Officials Talk Tax Changes

Wayne Brubacher, county school superintendent, Mrs. Eddie Gunderson, district R-1 clerk, and Bob Abrams returned Saturday from Madras where they met Friday evening with David Potter, Deschutes county school superintendent, to discuss new tax changes as they apply to the schools in the State of Oregon.

Potter, whom the state commissioned chairman designated to interpret the new statutes of the budget as drawn up from the last state legislature, explained in detail the procedural changes in the new budget.

The meeting proved highly informative and worthwhile. Road conditions were very satisfactory.

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Monument

By MARTHA MATTESSON

MONUMENT—Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neal have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sherry Neal, to Johnny Nelson of Fossil.

Keith Cork was home on a 14-day leave from Whidby Island, Wn., where he is training in jet engine machine aviation. He has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cork, and two sisters.

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Extension Unit Considers Wills

Twelve women met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Frank Connor for the January Extension unit meeting entitled, "A Will of Your Own." This lesson was very educational and highlighted by a visit from Herman Winter, district attorney, who answered questions concerning wills and other legal matters. The project leaders were Mrs. Bill Heath and Mrs. Bud Peck.

A short business meeting followed a potluck luncheon. Mrs. Keithley Blake presided at the meeting in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. R. G. Watkins.

The February project lesson will be, "Facing Widowhood," to be held at the home of Mrs. Creston Robinson.

Saddle Club Meets

Our club enjoyed a potluck dinner December 8. We had a Christmas gift exchange after the dinner. County Agent Joe Hay showed an interesting 4-H film to the group of members and their parents. At the January 14 meeting we reviewed our "4-H Rider" requirements and discussed future activities.

President Sheila Luciani appointed Mitch Ashbeck to see about places to go for a club ride. Leader Charles Daly handed out 4-H calendars and noted that the Morrow County Grain Growers were to be thanked for the calendars. Jeannie Daly served refreshments of pop and cake.

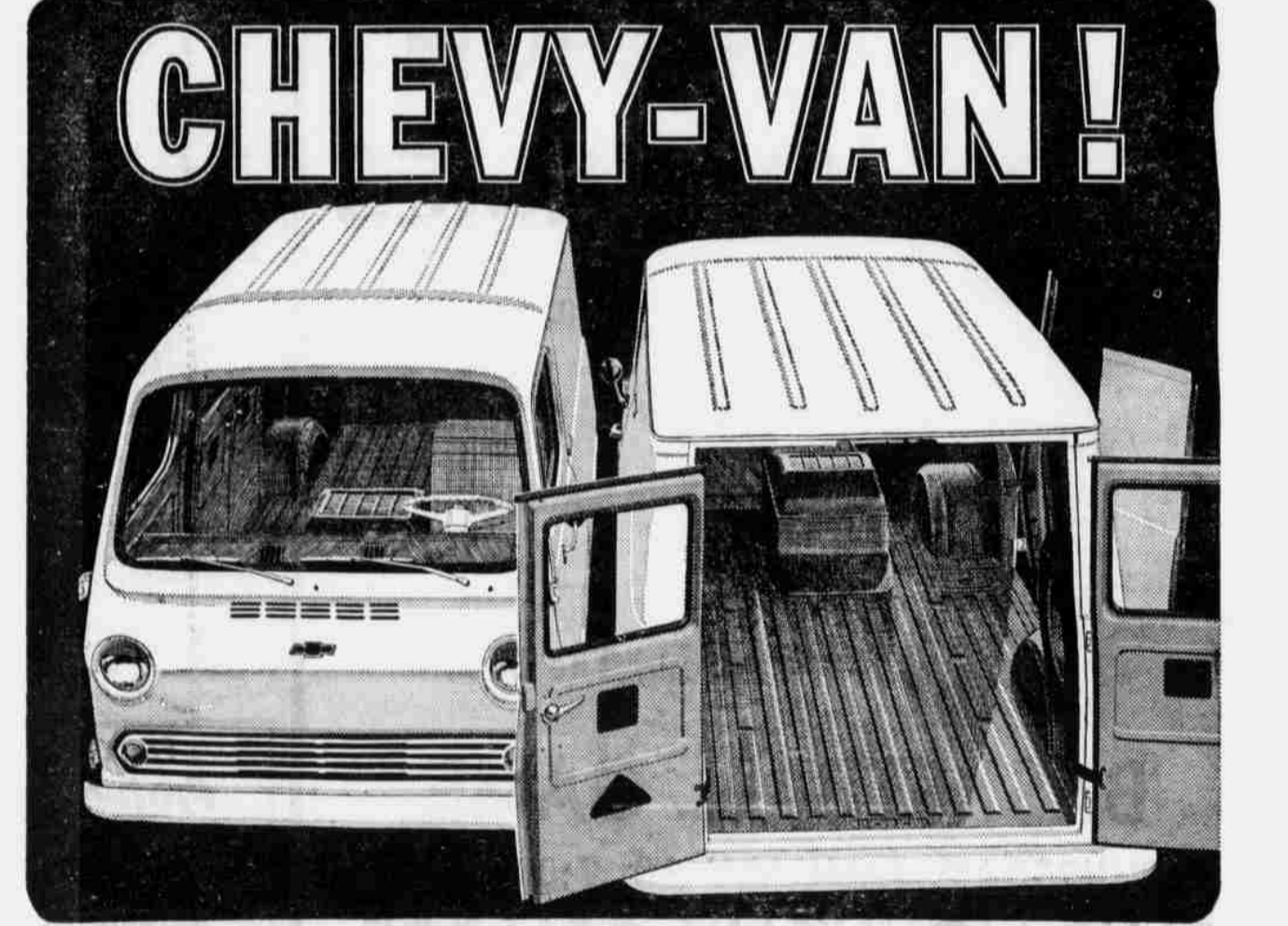
Gary Frederickson, reporter

Knitting Club Meets

At the January 8 meeting of the Busy Needles 4-H Knitting club held after school at Mrs. Spohn's home, we learned to bind off stitches for our potholders and we started on our caps. Our next meeting will be January 28.

Christine McCabe, reporter

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