

MONUMENT NEWS

Mrs. Bud Engle

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Watson, Vancouver, WA spent Saturday and Sunday at the Marvin Nichols home. Mrs. Nichols returned home with them and went up Quinault, WA where Mr. Nichols is employed.

Mrs. Allen Hatley went to John Day Monday to get her mother Mrs. Reta Hinton, who has been employed in John Day but has returned to her home here.

Vivian Post went to Pendleton Wednesday where she is employed and is staying with Janet Lewis.

Mrs. Stanley Musgrave is in the John Day Hospital after undergoing surgery on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Reynolds and daughters went to Portland Saturday and returned home Sunday. Mr. Reynolds returned home with her after recovering from surgery in the hospital.

Frank Elder returned home from Pendleton last week with a cast on his broken ankle. Joe Elder also returned home last week after having medical treatment at Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Irvin, Redmond, visited at the Jessie Emry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dahill went to Prineville Thursday and plan to return home Monday.

Vera Gardner, John Day is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mattie Stubblefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cavender returned home Monday from Bend where Mr. Cavender has been hospitalized.

Freda Tubbs and Ricky returned home Sunday evening from John Day where she had been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Boyer and daughter, John Day spent the weekend at the Stanley Boyer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tippet and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McDonald spent Sunday at Winlock.

Robert Scott, Roseburg spent Monday at the Sam Scott home.

Mrs. Bernard Fitze returned home Sunday after spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mike Mikache, Prineville.

Ben Spain, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Leathers, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Campbell left Thursday for Los Angeles to attend a National REA conference. Dick Graham of Kinzua and Bob Keyes of Mitchell also attended the meeting.

Janet Lewis, Pendleton and Mrs. Will Martin and Leslie, John Day visited Thursday and Friday at the Bud Engle home. Mrs. Martin and daughter returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neal and family visited Friday evening at the Gary Engle home.

Charles Roach, Pendleton, a former Monument resident is recovering in St. Anthony's Hospital, Pendleton.

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Mrs. Everett Wheeler, Kimberly, had as house guests for a few days, her sister, Mrs. Fraser and son of Springfield. For the third night in a row, the thermometers dropped to a minus below. Daytime temperatures remained low, never rising to 20 degrees.

First to announce her candidacy was Mrs. Fred (Sadie) Parrish, who declared her intention to file as county clerk. Mrs. Parrish is deputy in the office under Bruce Lindsay and has served there since 1948.

Heppner students attending the coast-to-coast press clinic include Karen Prock, Shirley Palmer, Virginia Anderson, Edith Morris, Dale Osmin, Skip Jay Sumner. The clinic will be held in Seattle.

Our small village is much concerned and saddened this week with an undue amount of illness, accidents and a death in our community.

Mrs. Frank Cain passed away at John Day Wednesday morning. The Cains moved here recently and have been employed on Don Johnson's 4-J Ranch.

News was received here Friday morning of the death of Mrs. Verne (Amy) Bratt at the family home in Pendleton following a long illness. The Bratts lived in Spray for many years and a host of friends here extend sympathy to Amy's family, the husband, Verne, two sons, Ross, of Provo, Utah, and Bud of Pendleton, two daughters, Mary Jane Hughes, San Jose, CA, and Amy Lou Wurst, Wallowa. Twenty-five grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held 9 a.m., Monday at Folsom Funeral home in Pendleton with interment at Wallowa.

Darrell Hoskins is in critical condition in a Hermiston hospital following a fall from a scaffolding Thursday morning near Stanfield. The Hoskins are former Spray residents. Darrell pastored the Assembly Church here and has many relatives and friends in this community.

Rebecca, daughter of Frank and Patricia Adams, Kennewick, WA and a granddaughter of Ruth Adams, sustained injuries when she fell from the gymnastic equipment during class early in the week.

Kirk Bell, a member of Spray's teaching faculty, who was hospitalized Wednesday at Heppner and went on to Walla Walla for further medical observance, has returned home and resumed charge of his classes at Spray High School.

Rick Pine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pine, suffered a slight concussion in a car truck collision on the Parish Creek road 1 1/2 miles out of Spray Thursday. He was taken to Fossil for treatment and is recovering satisfactorily. Concern and well wishes are extended to the many people touched by misfortune in our community this week.

A moving trend seems prevalent here, with many families changing residences within the town or leaving for new locations. And new families have come here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Rod Trask and daughters, Robin and Tammy arrived last week from Days Creek, out of Roseburg and will be employed with the Johnson ranching operations. They will live on the ranch across the river, vacated by the Osborns, who have moved to California's Imperial Valley.

The Trasks state the Jim Schultz family, formerly of Spray, were their neighbors at Roseburg and now operate the Alvord ranch at Princeton in southeast Oregon.

SPRAY NEWS

By MARY WILLIAMS

The Hundleys are here from Forest Grove and will be in the grocery business in Spray. They have purchased the Cooper house, being vacated by the Hosken family who are moving into the Bob Ashmeade property.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cody have moved to the Jack Jenkins property one mile out of Spray and the Jack Howells will live in one of the Asher mobile rentals.

Sherrill and Steve Cossett are remodeling the Ross Thomas house in preparation for occupancy soon.

Almost, this report is reaching the rhythmic proportion of "The House that Jack Built" and one only hopes they do not ultimately find themselves in the familiar surroundings that primarily triggered the whole idea.

(Ever try completely rearranging the furniture?)

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Palmer visited here last week from College Place WA, at the home of Dan's parents, Leonard and Iva.

Mrs. Sammy Samatore and son Matthew are spending a week in Eugene with Wendy's mother, Carol Dixon.

Juanita Fisher has made two recent trips to Boardman for the purchase of more young calves and the Bob Waldens have completed a calf shelter at their ranch for the winter's calving. Coyotes, most prevalent in this area, keep a watchful eye on the calf and lamb crop, right along with the farmers.

Mrs. George Nichols has recovered from a three-week illness due to the flu. A fire at the Nichols home last week caused extensive damage when fumes from an oil stove ignited and exploded live flames into the room. George sustained minor burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Conner returned recently from a Florida vacation. Ben comments that while visiting friends there he read the Spray news and was brought up to date on other and interesting happenings in his home state through the pages of the Heppner Gazette-Times.

The Connors, former Spray residents and former owners of Spray's Cafe and Rimrock Room, state their son Gregg is now a deputy sheriff at Vancouver, WA, and is studying police science at Clark Community College. Doug, the younger son, is manager at a Colonel Sanders restaurant at Richland, WA.

The Neil Bolin and Freddie Jenkins families were here last week from Prineville visiting their parents, Jack and Clara Jenkins.

Art Stevens, who spent last week in Dorris, CA, in the interest of Federal Crop Insurance, states harvest operations in full swing in that section of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Medlock have returned from a trip to Minnesota. The Medlocks have been living in Hood River, Milo with Watson Asphalt and Paving Construction Company there. They will spend the remaining winter months in Spray.

Grace Younce enjoyed a brief visit with her sister and brother when the Tex Iryzks, Moro and Mr. and Mrs. John Arne joined her for breakfast Friday morning. The travelers were enroute to Prairie City for a visit with other relatives and friends.

Glenna Bell, Joyce Gordanier, Naomi McGuire and Cheryl Hosken spent Thursday in Prineville for shopping and an F.W. Retreat. Enjoyable!

The Seventh-day Adventist Church held services here Saturday morning and evening. The former post office building which was purchased and remodeled, is in almost complete readiness for opening services Feb. 7. Rev. Robert Youngberg, Condon will officiate. A regular schedule will be published at a later date.

(Which brings to mind... some travelers recently passing through, commented a big disparagingly on the scarcity of churches in Spray. But we villagers took no offense. We do a flourishing thing in Christianity here.

Carol and Earl Norris went to Prineville Sunday.

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Typical Morrow County Sheep Ranch

A stock ranch, such as Hugh Fields Ranch run by Frank McKnight, on Hinton Creek 10,000 sheep are stripped of their fleeces each year. This is one of the largest stock ranches of the county. The ranch contains 11,000 acres. After shearing, the sheep are "run" in the mountains, being brought back to the ranch in the fall, to range in the winter. To care for the number of sheep kept on this ranch requires the careful attention of a number of men. The sheep must be guarded night and day against the ravages of coyotes and from straying away and getting lost. The herders who take care of the sheep are constantly with them, sometimes a month or even longer without a companion and only the bleating of the sheep to break the monotony of the mountain stillness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spivey and Jeannette went to The Dalles Tuesday for dental care. Sister Hallie Davis, The Dalles returned home with the Spiveys where she visited until Monday. Sister Hallie is Hallie Spivey's aunt.

Wednesday afternoon the Kinzua Community Church was the setting of a surprise birthday party honoring Mrs. Virginia Malloroy and her mother, Mrs. Elsie Reichel. The party was arranged by the Bible Study Class and Mrs. Carol Dyer. The group played some games before the honorees opened their gifts. The ladies were served ice cream and cake while they enjoyed renewing old friendships with several guests who are former Kinzua residents.

Attending the party were Kathryn Mai, Marion Tripp, Gladys Jewell, Hazel Jackson, Vera Dyer, Molly Day, Lynda Nyseth, Waneta Hubbell, Cindy Weaser, Gladys Muzzy and Carol Dyer all of Kinzua. Other guests were Irene Portner, White Salmon, WA, Lilly Mae Nistad, Heppner and Mary Woods, Fossil.

Les Malloroy and Bernard Dyer went to St. Maries, ID Saturday with a load of the Malloroys belongings. Accompanying the men was Jeremy Dyer. This was only one trip of several that will be necessary to complete the Malloroys move to their new home following Les' retirement, Feb. 1.

Mrs. Irene Portner was a house guest at the home of Mrs. Hazel Jackson for several days last week. The two friends enjoyed a wonderful visit together before Mrs. Portner returned to her home in White Salmon, WA.

Nancy Benson and Larry Christianson arrived Saturday from Oregon City to stay with Nancy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Benson until their wedding, Feb. 14.

Steve Bogart, son of the Wallace Bogarts returned home Wednesday. Steve has spent the last month touring Mexico. He enjoyed the trip very much and described it as "fantastic."

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Murdock went to Heppner Monday and to Hermiston on Tuesday for medical care.

Karen Cossett and son Gene went to Hermiston Tuesday to take Karen's brother, Earl Mortimer for dental care.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Jones and son Bobby were in Heppner Saturday to take care of business.

If you make butter the first ingredient on sandwiches, it will add to the moisture and flavor and help keep the filling from soaking into the bread.

KINZUA NEWS

By Barbara Pike

Visiting at the home of the Wally Bogarts this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tuning, Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bogart, Canyon City. Wally Bogart is Mrs. Tuning and Kenneth Bogart's brother.

Betty Murdock went to Mitchell Wednesday to attend a meeting of the Wheeler County Home Extension committee.

Kenneth Killingsworth will present a program of slides taken in New Zealand and Australia. The program will be held at the Camp Five Community Hall, 7 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 12. The public is invited to attend.

Mike and Becky Wright and children finished moving to Prineville Sunday. Mike has taken a job with Louisiana-Pacific in Prineville.

Prineville will soon be home to another Kinzua family when Mr. and Mrs. Omar Stubblefield move into their new home next month. Omar started work at the Louisiana-Pacific plant Monday.

Paul and Marvis Oyler and Don were here for the weekend. They visited with Mavis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Barzee and Paul's sisters Vi Slinkard and Naomi Rice. Saturday night they went to Fossil to see Mike Rice play in the basketball game.

Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jellick and Kathy went to Prineville.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Murdock on Monday were Senor and Senora Quintana and Ana Marie. The Quintanas are visiting at the home of the Jack Bells in Fossil. Ana Marie is an exchange student who has been living with the Bells. The Quintanas will soon return to their home in Mexico City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Benson, Kinzua, wish to announce the approaching marriage of their daughter Nancy to Larry Christianson, Oregon City. Mr. and Mrs. Benson wish to invite their friends to join them on Feb. 14 at 4:30 p.m. at the Kinzua Community Church when the two young people will be joined in marriage. There will be a reception after the ceremony at the Church Annex.

4-H BAKE SALE

The bake sale held Saturday morning at the Kinzua Mercantile was a huge success. The two 4-H cooking clubs under the leadership of Sharon Kendall and Waneta Hubbell supplied the baked goods. The proceeds from this sale will go to purchase food for their upcoming dinner, Feb. 25.

A big thank you to everyone for helping make our sale a success. We made \$66.50.

Jodi Mattison
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