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News of Jackson County

CHURCH PICNIC AT ROGUE RIVER IS A GREAT SUCCESS

ROGUE RIVER, Dec. 20.—On December 9th the Presbyterian church held its monthly 5:30 o'clock picnic luncheon service which is the second of these meetings to be held under the leadership of Rev. Wm. Lee Gray. This second gathering, from a local standpoint, was better patronized than the first and proved the popularity of these meetings. The subject discussed was "Fraternalism and Friendship." Mr. Burkhardt represented the Odd Fellows lodge and gave a very interesting, able and instructive talk as to what the lodge stood for, and explained that there was no antagonism between lodge and church, but that both worked together for the good of mankind. Mr. Albert Milton represented the city council and related what the city was doing and expected to do. He struck a popular chord when he said that he believed in churches but not too many churches; that he thought this town was able to support one good church and one church well supported would do more good than many poorly supported. Mrs. Brashear represented the Civic Improvement club and her talk was much appreciated. The musical end of the program was a piano duet by Mrs. Webb and Miss Margaret Gray, and selections by the church choir, all of which were well rendered and well received. The Camp Fire girls, in their usual efficient manner, handled the lunch end of the program. The Grinnitt home is under quarantine on account of Mrs. Grinnitt being ill with an attack of scarlet fever. She is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Edwin C. Browne of Yreka, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Clark, this week. Mrs. Browne will stay in this vicinity visiting relatives and friends until after the holidays, and will be joined by Mr. Browne as soon as his school is out for the Christmas vacation.

Professor Longworthy, wife and little girl, will leave Saturday morning for Newburg, where they will spend their Christmas vacation.

The community Christmas tree display will be staged at the Community Hall this Friday evening, and the school is preparing an elaborate program for the occasion. A big time is anticipated, and it is the intention that no child in the community shall be forgotten.

Miss Irene Anderson and Miss Inga Winters will spend their Christmas vacation at Newburg.

Mail carrier George Martin was compelled to lay off one trip this week on account of a severe cold.

The two games of basketball played Saturday night between the 1st and 2nd teams of the Epworth league of Grants Pass and the Rogue River high school resulted in a victory for the local first team of Rogue River and defeat for the second team, the score being respectively, 25 to 16 and 14 to 10. Both were good games. Ted Cramer refereed and handled the games in his usual efficient way.

The Odd Fellows will give a "Hard Time" dance at their hall December 26. An oyster supper will be served.

TIRED OF THE 'PEOPLE' CITY COUNCIL QUILTS

DEER PARK, Wash., Dec. 20.—Because, they declared, they are tired of the "defiant attitude," and the "poor civic spirit" shown by leading citizens of this town in the matter of law enforcement, Mayor A. M. Wood and all the active members of the city council have resigned. Traffic laws have suffered particularly, they stated. The only remaining councilman is Louis Olsen, who is absent in California.

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CHRISTMAS TREE AT WIMER GRANGE HALL ON SUNDAY

EVANS VALLEY, Dec. 20.—Walter Dennis was a Medford visitor Tuesday.

Sherman Esteel is carrying the mail this week on our route. Miss Alice Dennis is taking teachers examination at Jacksonville this week.

The Wimer Sunday school is preparing to give an entertainment at the Grange hall at Wimer Sunday night, Dec. 23d. There will be a program by the children and afterwards a Christmas tree. Last Sunday the attendance was 68, and was the largest attendance since the Sunday school was established a few weeks ago. The young people's class are especially interested and are making a very good showing. Mrs. Dennis is teaching this class, which probably accounts partially for their good work and enthusiasm.

The primary and intermediate grades at the Wimer school are preparing a short program to be given next Friday afternoon, followed by a Christmas tree for the pupils. All are looking forward to the short holiday vacation with much pleasure.

Mrs. Smith visited at Mrs. Richmond's last Sunday.

Mr. Chamberlain and family of Wilderville moved into the W. A. Skelton house one day last week.

The school truck on the Mays creek route slipped off the grade, which was very narrow and crooked, just below Mr. Carter's place last Wednesday night. Luckily there were but three pupils and the driver on the truck so it was not very heavily loaded and the stop of the truck caught on some bushes and held it from rolling over till all could get out, and some of the neighbors with a team helped the driver to pull the truck back into the road.

Miss York, Miss Wilkinson, Addie Oden, Grace Carter and Charlie Moore attended the dance at Rogue River last Friday night.

Ernest Oden is visiting home folks this week.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

By A. C. Howlett

Although this is the third letter that I have written for The Medford Mail Tribune since I reached home, I find that there are several changes in business affairs that have come to my notice that I have failed to chronicle and some of them may be considered of importance, while some would be considered simply items of news. Another change in real estate has taken place that I have heard of since my last is the sale of the lot where the Dahack garage was burned just before I went away up into Washington to Mrs. A. J. Florey and her husband A. J. Florey, although very reticent as to their plans, with regard to their move intimated very clearly that they were thinking quite seriously of building on it and opening a soft drink and candy shop, as it is situated very handy to the dance hall.

Another very important, and to some of us pioneer settlers very serious move, is the tearing down and removing of the old Eagle Hotel that has stood as an old landmark for many years, and I understand, although I have not seen the owner, or any of the family since I reached home, that the plan is to remove the old buildings and build a neat bungalow that will be an ornament to the place and greatly improve that part of the town.

I also see that Cliff Hickson has a neat looking barn under way of construction, but does not expect to finish it until next spring in time to put in his coming year's hay crop.

I understand that Mrs. F. G. Walton, the oldest daughter of Thomas E. Nichols, who came up from her home in San Francisco, to be at the bedside of her mother at the time of her death, is still with her father, but expects to start home in a short time.

Clarence Pruitt, who was one of the proprietors of the Eagle Point Pool room, has secured a position as salesman in the Nichols and Ashpole hardware store and is a regular boarder at the Sunnyside.

F. A. Whaley, formerly of Medford, has moved to Eagle Point and is living in the James Jordan house.

T. T. Taylor and family, who were on the George Nichols, Jr., stock farm on Lake Creek, are now residents of our town and are keeping house for Sam H. Harnish.

William Merritt, who is on the Frank Rhodes farm and is quite extensively engaged in the poultry business, was in town Wednesday on business.

Herman Meyer, Sr., and H. H. Fox, of Lake Creek were in town Wednesday. They had been in Medford and Mr. Meyer took in a lot of dressed hogs in his Ford for the Medford market.

Pete Betts and wife were here trading with our old and reliable merchants Wednesday.

Levi Phillips of Portland was here visiting his half-brother, George, and Thursday went up to Trail on the stage to visit other relatives.

Frank Gaster of Reese Creek was here Thursday buying supplies from our popular and successful merchant F. G. McPherson, and so was Joe Riley, one of our pioneer farmers.

Mrs. J. G. Thompson, the wife of the teacher of the high school department of our school and Mrs. Seamore, the wife of one of the civil engineers on the Big Butte-Eagle Point water canal, entertained the L. L. C.

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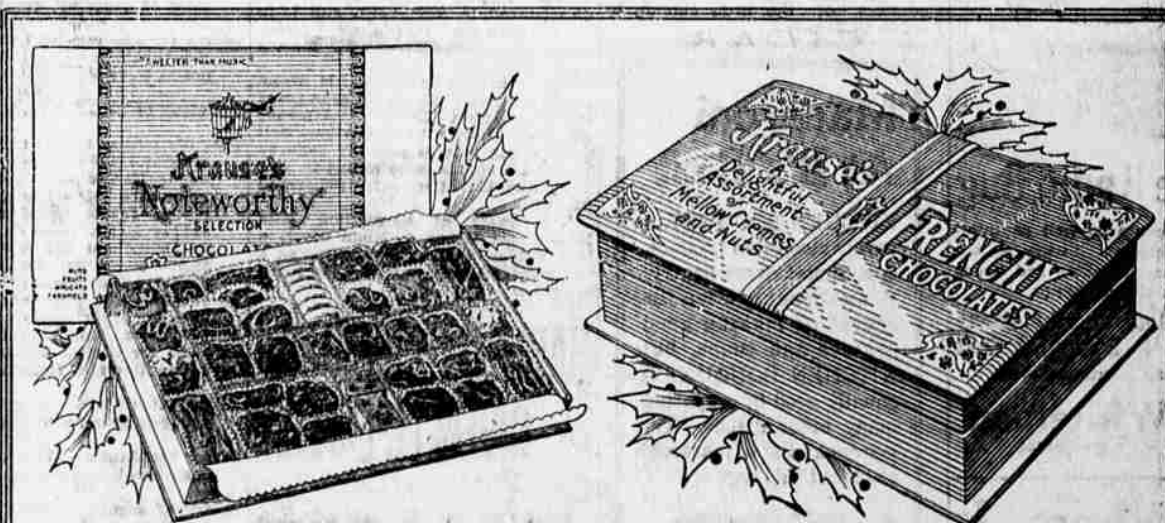
BUTTE FALLS

Nothing new happens in Butte Falls, so they used to say. But Mr. T. J. Owens, an old-time resident, has opened up a restaurant and rooming house and has named it Dew Drop Inn (Do drop in). He is well and favorably known by the old-timers of 15 years ago, before the advent of the P. & E. railroad. He is known to be a thoroughly reliable man in all his business transactions. Moreover, he is an ordained minister of the Baptist church and signaled his coming to us by a well-thought-out and well-worded sermon on the Divinity of Christ. He preaches to us again on Sunday, next, Dec. 23.

PROHIBITION BUREAU

FAVORED BY MELLON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Establishment of a bureau of prohibition in the treasury, thereby removing enforcement work from jurisdiction of the commissioner of internal revenue, will be proposed in congress soon with the approval of Secretary Mellon. The new bureau would be under personal direction of Mr. Mellon and would be presided over by a prohibition commissioner responsible to the secretary alone.



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