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MOSIER

Ray Bailey came home Thursday. He intends to stay till his wife is improved.

Harry and George Wilson and E. M. Strauss attended a Commercial club meeting in The Dalles Friday evening.

Robert Seavore spent the week end in Portland.

The Y. W. C. A. girls held their regular meeting Tuesday evening. Leta Blanchard and Evelyn Beldin served refreshments.

P. J. Wilson, C. J. Carlson and W. E. Clark were in Portland attending I. O. O. F. Sovereign Grand lodge.

Francis Neilson left for Corvallis Friday, where he will attend O. A. C.

J. O. Beldin motored to Jefferson county with a load of fruit Tuesday of last week.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Max Brown, Wednesday, September 23, a daughter.

Mrs. Annie Erhart, of Seattle, visited with her mother, Mrs. Dunsmore, Friday.

Lee Evans has left for Alsea on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Ruscher and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Allington motored to The Dalles to see Lauren Mathews, who is quite ill at the hospital.

Miss Gribskov, Miss McClure and Frank Proctor were in Portland Saturday.

Rev. Clark will preach at the Immanuel church Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Davall attended the rodeo in Heppner last week.

Geo. Davaport and family spent the week end with the Cherry family.

Those in Hood River Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilcox, Lee Evans, Alice Shogren, James Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Al Taggassell, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Allington, Mrs. C. Ruscher, Mr. and Mrs. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Camp and daughters, Mae and Neta.

Mrs. F. A. Shogren and daughter, Alice, were in The Dalles Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley and three children, from Compton, Calif., were over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conley one night last week.

Bessie Marsh left Thursday for Monmouth, where she will attend the normal school. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Marsh, accompanied her to Portland.

Mrs. Dunsmore and daughter, Lourene, were in The Dalles Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Conley, of White Salmon, were Sunday guests of Frank Conley.

Mrs. Elsie Marsh and daughter, Bessie, were shopping in The Dalles last Thursday.

The county health nurse, Miss Peterson, was in Mosier last week examining school children.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Shuveny, from the Imperial valley, California, visited

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conley Monday of last week.

What is Wrong?

Editor Glacier: In last week's issue of both local papers appeared the announcement that Mrs. Margaret Murphy, a teacher in the Park Street school, had been honored with a position in the Monmouth Normal and had left to assume her new duties. The writer not only commends the action of the teacher, who broke her contract with Hood River district, but compliments our school systems for producing such teachers. Is not this article a little surprising as well as misleading?

In the first place this district did not produce Mrs. Murphy. She had signed a contract to teach one year in our schools and after teaching one month asks to be released that she may accept a better position. Is such an act commendable in anyone, or would it not have been far more honorable if the young woman had adhered to the terms of her contract with Hood River? And would it not have been far more creditable to the school board if it had insisted upon her so doing? What if the case had been reversed and the school board, after contracting with a teacher for a year, should decide to cancel said contract in one month? It simply could not be done, as said teacher could hold the board for her salary for the full year even though they may have

wished to replace her with another teacher. Thus, we are told that a teacher's contract does not bind the teacher; it only binds the school district. Then why not do away with contracts?

No doubt it was an honor to Mrs. Murphy to be elected to a position in the Monmouth Normal. To accept that position is far from honorable to say the least. However, the writer is reminded of another Hood River teacher who was offered a position at the Monmouth Normal, but under vastly different circumstances. We refer to Mr. Barnett, principal of the junior high last year. Mr. Barnett, however, completed his contract with Hood River and only went as instructor to the normal school because of the financial advantage, as he preferred to stay in Hood River for another year. Mr. Barnett was undoubtedly one of the most respected and most capable principals Hood River has ever had. Patrons of the school were emphatic in their demand that he be retained. Then why did he go? Because the school board of Hood River refused to vote the increases in salary that would have decided Mr. Barnett's remaining in Hood River. It was "penny wise and pound foolish."

Such cases are all too common and the changes that are made in our teaching staff each year are indeed deplorable. Of the 10 teachers employed in our Park Street school, only one was with us last year. In other buildings much the same condition ex-

ists. Something is radically wrong that a district with as many advantages as Hood River presents does not attract and keep a better corps of teachers. Let us find out the cause and whether it be low salaries or other reasons, let us seek to find the remedy. Yours for better schools, A. Parent.

Runaway Truck Wrecks Cars

When the brakes on his motor truck, heavily loaded with sand, failed Saturday, Edgar Krussow, East Side orchardist, made a spectacular drive through heavy traffic down the steep grade of State street. The runaway truck collided with an automobile driven by George Null of Yakima, sideswiped two parked cars, bumped the rear of an apple truck and finally, leaping a ditch, came to a halt after climbing a steep bank.

Mr. Null, an apple picker, and four members of his family were knocked from their machine, the front of which was smashed to scrap iron, but no one was injured.

Traffic Officer Sloat, who was standing on the court house steps at the head of Third street and who witnessed the accident, declared that "Lady Luck" was with the participants.

Notice of Sale for Delinquent Assessment

Notice is hereby given that on the 31st day of August, 1925, a warrant was duly and regularly issued by the Recorder of the City of Hood River, Oregon, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to forthwith advertise the property mentioned and described therein against which the assessment for the cost of the construction of sewers assessed by Ordinance No. 518 of said City was made, and to sell said property or so much thereof as can be sold separately to advantage sufficient to pay said delinquent assessment, together with interest, costs and disbursements in the manner provided by law, and to return the proceeds of such sale to the City Treasurer of the City of Hood River, Oregon, and the following is a description of the property against which assessment was levied and which is delinquent, and gives the name of the person to whom it was assessed, and the amount of the assessment thereon now due, to-wit:

The North 115 feet of lot 20 in Block 9 of Hull's Sub-division to the City of Hood River, County of Hood River, State of Oregon; assessed to A. L. & Wm. Emmons; assessment due, \$82.22 with interest at the rate of 6% per annum since Dec. 8, 1921;

Now, therefore, in pursuance of said warrant and for the purpose of satisfying the delinquent assessment mentioned therein, I will on Saturday, the 3rd day of October, 1925, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the City Hall, in the City of Hood River, County of Hood River, State of Oregon, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the several tracts or parcels of land above mentioned, or so much thereof as can be sold separately to advantage sufficient to pay said delinquent assessment, together with the interest, costs and disbursements provided by law, and will continue said sale from day to day thereafter until said property is sold, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said assessment.

Dated at Hood River, Oregon, this 1st day of September, 1925.

W. E. Hart, Marshal of the City of Hood River, Oregon.

HOOD RIVER POWER LIGHT RATE LOWER

A recent survey made by the Hood River Chamber of Commerce showed that this city and rural community have low rates for power and light as compared with other municipalities of the state. Figures show the following rates in various Oregon towns per 100 kilowatt hours:

Marshfield, \$11.50; North Bend, \$11.50; La Grande, \$10; Baker, \$10; McMinnville, \$9; Albany, \$9; Roseburg, \$8.70; Bend, \$8.20; Hood River, \$6.85; Eugene, \$5; and Ashland, \$4.45. Both Ashland and Eugene have municipal plants.

Some different kinds of light and power, compared with Hood River, are as follows: Residence light, average \$8.52; Hood River, \$6.85; cooking and heat, \$3.70; industrial power, \$3.18, \$2.55.

Thunder Storm Proves Thriller

Harmony, Minn., Sept. 14, 1925. Editor Glacier: We have just returned from La Crosse, Wis., where we met several friends of early acquaintance and looked over the city, which has greatly improved since I first visited there in the fall of 1880.

Another place of interest which we visited was Decorah, Ia., where I attended a private institute in 1882 and 1883, and where I met Hon. Andrew Volstead, honored the world over for his stand on the liquor question. A good clean man he was and I only wish we had more like him.

We have experienced several electrical storms, which carried us back to the days when we were permanent citizens of this state. The fireworks were sure rapid and the claps of thunder would at times raise the most indifferent from their beds. We left Hood River with the intention of getting a few thrills and I am here to say we were not disappointed. No frost as yet has appeared and corn is very good with the exception of spots here and there dried out.

Most of the grain that is raised here is fed to hogs, dairy and beef cattle, which form the bulk of revenue here. Most of the farmers have a large flock of chickens, which net them quite a little sum of money. And one sees quite a sprinkling of sheep here and there, which are selling at very high prices.

This state is making rapid strides in road building, much to her credit, but it is hard to beat or even equal the roads of old Oregon, the pride of the west. We have kept in touch with the doings at Hood River through the receipt of your editions and other sources and am glad to know business is progressing. Unless all signs fall we will be with you again the first of October, bringing with us the best wishes of a large circle of friends and remembrances of a most enjoyable trip.

E. W. Gibbs.

K. P. Band Goes to Vancouver

The Hood River Pythian band, the members of which recently won honors playing at the annual provincial fair at New Westminster, B. C., will go to Vancouver, Wash., next Wednesday and play for a coronation of the Dramatic Order of Knights of Ebor-rasan to be held in the Clarke county capital. The band men will motor to Vancouver.

ELKS' PARTY CLOSERS GORGE FOR SEASON

The Columbia Gorge hotel closed the season last night with a dancing party given by the Elks' lodge. The party drew Elks from all the mid-Columbia.

Manager Tremblay says that the hotel has entertained far more guests this season than in former years. It has become a popular stopping place with motor parties, and tourists who come to the Pacific Northwest by train are brought here by the thousands during the warmer season. The hotel is a luncheon place for the white-collar tourists.

Scores of nationally known men have stopped at the hotel this season. Louis Hill, railway president, and Archie Roosevelt declared on leaving that they proposed to return for a longer vacation in the mid-Columbia.

Sheep Leave Dee

F. MacLennan, of Arlington, last week shipped the last of 6,000 sheep which he had been ranging the past summer over logged off land of the Oregon Lumber Co., southwest of Dee. Several small bands of the sheep, lost from the main herd, still roam the rough country. Mr. MacLennan suffered considerable loss of his flocks from cougars. Twenty sheep were killed in one night. A number were drowned in the irrigation canal of the Dee Irrigation district. Bears caught a number.

Because the sheep polluted the irrigation system and strayed bands caused them annoyance when they entered fruit tracts, orchardists welcomed the departure of the woolies.

Card of Thanks

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