

KLAMATH COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

MERRILL

Miss Beatrice Taylor surprised her many friends when she was quietly married to Mr. Stanley Anderson of Nevada Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor. The ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Varnes of Klamath Falls. Her attendant was her sister, Miss Mary Taylor and Raymond Taylor, brother of the bride, attended the groom. The bride was attractively gowned in turquoise blue dress. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. The invited guests, besides the family, were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hill and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jinnette. Mrs. Anderson has spent the most of her life in Merrill. She is a graduate of the Merrill high school and also attended the Normal at Monmouth. For the past three years she has been teaching. Last year she taught in Nevada where she became acquainted with Mr. Anderson, who has been associated with his father in stock raising at McGill, Nevada. They left at once for Kootenai, Idaho. A crowd of young people of the neighborhood gathered at the house following the wedding and started them off with all the old cans possible and also showered them with rice. They received a number of beautiful presents. They have the best wishes of a host of friends in Merrill.

Mrs. J. W. Scoggins has returned from a two months visit in California cities with relatives and friends. Thursday evening a masquerade dance was given by Sailings Orchestra. A good crowd was out and prizes were given to Miss Grace Elliott of Klamath Falls and Miss Helen Brown for the best dressed women and W. H. Anderson of Merrill for the best dressed man and to the Griffith twins. The judges were W. C. Bailey, Jos. Stukel and Mrs. F. N. Moyer. Supper was served by the senior class of the high school and they realized some seventy five dollars. This money will be used for graduating expenses.

Miss Virginia Tickle was the guest of Miss Edna Jones over New Years. She returned to her home in Klamath Falls Saturday. Miss Wyle Lee Walker was also the guest of Miss Jones over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Offield and daughter, Fannette, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fletcher for New Years dinner.

Miss Thirza Anderson was a visitor in Klamath Falls during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dalton and daughter, Louise, and Miss Helen Anderson spent the week-end at the Dalton ranch near Malin, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dalton.

Miss Ora Offield was the guest of Mrs. June Tallman at New Years dinner.

Misses Esther and Hallie Moore were the guests of Miss Miriam, Winnifred and Wilma Offield at dinner New Years.

Miss Mary Barry left for Monmouth to resume her work at the Normal.

Miss Anna Hill left Thursday for Klamath Falls where she was the guest over New Years of Mrs. Lester Offield. On Saturday in company with her sister, she left for school. Miss Anna goes to Springfield, where she is instructor in English, and Miss Olive to Monmouth where she is a student.

Dick Miller, Brooks Pringle and Will Hill left for their school at Talmplias, Calif., after spending the holidays in Merrill.

Mrs. Rose Davis and E. A. Davis were visitors in Klamath Falls Thursday.

F. L. Pope was a visitor in Klamath Falls Saturday. His daughter, Miss Wanda, left for Woodland, Wash., where she teaches home economics in the high school, and his son, Fred, who is a student at O. A. C. at Corvallis, has returned to that place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson were hosts at a family dinner New Years day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson and family of Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilsard and family of Klamath Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Anderson of Klamath Falls and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Brown and family from Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bailey entertained at dinner New Years day. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frazier, Donald and Laurence Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Carleton, Alfred Carleton, Mrs. Lee Brown from Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, Donald and Billy Bailey.

Miss Lee Brown of Lakeview was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Bailey this week. She left for a visit with relatives at Grants Pass.

The Forester team of the M. W. A. will give a dance at the Community hall Friday, January 8th. Music will be furnished by the Im-

perial Orchestra. Supper will be served by the members of the Royal Neighbors of America.

Funeral services were held for the late C. R. Stephenson from the Presbyterian church Sunday at 2 p. m. It was one of the largest funerals ever held in Merrill and showed the esteem by which he was held by all who knew him. Rev. Rittinghouse, pastor of the Seventh Day Advent church of Klamath Falls had charge of the service at the church. Music was furnished by the Presbyterian choir. The I. O. O. F. Lodge attended in a body. Many members of the Klamath Falls lodge were present. The services at the grave were in charge of the lodge. The floral tribute was beautiful. Pall bearers were Ben Fans, John Cox, Louis Kandra, Ed. C. Frazier, C. A. Brown, W. H. Anderson. The sympathy of the community goes to the bereaved family. Out of town relatives attending the funeral were Claude Stephenson of Eugene and F. R. Stephenson and family of Klamath Falls.

Miss Vera Offield spent the week-end in Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bowman and daughter, Marjorie were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bowman New Years day.

Mr. Arthur Frazier has installed a private electric plant in order to furnish light and power.

Taking advantage of the New Years vacation, the Merrill Library club has had the linoleum varnished and the library was also closed on Saturday.

Snow began falling late Saturday afternoon and many shook their heads and thought real winter was here. Some recalled times past but by Sunday afternoon the greater part of the snow had disappeared. So far we have had very little cold weather or snow.

C. G. Merrill has been confined to his home the past few days with a severe cold. Others reported ill with colds are Mrs. Beatty and Paul D. Lewis.

L. C. Cooley has rented the Whitlatch ranch near Olene and is preparing to move in the near future.

John Callahan of Klamath Falls was a visitor in Merrill last Wednesday.

Carl Wren, buyer for the Golden West Market, is in Merrill shipping lambs.

LORELLA

Oscar Stewart accompanied by his wife and baby daughter were Langell Valley visitors on Wednesday. Mr. Stewart is a resident of the Medford country.

Jim Grimes and wife of Williamson River are visiting at the R. C. Cowley home. Betty Jane Sanders accompanied the Grimes to Langell Valley.

John Miller was host to a Watch Party on Thursday evening when he entertained with a radio party. The following were present Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cowley, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bischoff and son Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grimes and niece Betty Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Keller and son Billy, and R. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Campbell and children John and Miriam were dinner guests at the A. Keller home New Year evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Ticknor enjoyed the visit of a number of neighbors at a Watch Party on Thursday, the following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown and children, A. Gale, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harris and son Edward.

Frank Dearborn and wife spent New Year's eve with the Monroe family.

J. Wilkerson went to K. Falls on Thursday and was accompanied home by his brother Kenneth who has been a patient at the Klamath Valley hospital suffering with pneumonia. The many friends of Kenneth will be pleased to learn that he is much improved in health although not able to be out of doors.

The citizens of Langell Valley were very much surprised to learn of the death of Marshall Orr on Friday evening at Klamath Falls. Mr. Orr had been living in Klamath county about forty years, for a number of years he resided in Pine Grove, but of recent years had made his home in Langell Valley. Mr. Orr had not been well for some time, but friends were not alarmed about his condition, however, about a week ago he suffered from what he thought indigestion, he was taken to Klamath Falls on Friday afternoon and passed away the same evening.

Marshall Orr was held in high esteem by his many friends and will be especially missed by the Community of Langell Valley as he was a member of the Langell Valley Community Club in which organization he took a very active part, always willing to lend what assistance he possibly could and always responded cheerfully. Mr. Orr was,

a man of sterling character, a good neighbor and good citizen, few men can boast of more friends than Marshall had in Klamath county. Langell Valley feels the loss of a man whose place can never be filled.

TENNAAT ITEMS

Dr. and Mrs. J. Sandie went to Weed, Tuesday, to attend the Masochic dance given there Tuesday night.

Carl Kurstin and Jim Morton left Saturday by auto for Marysville and San Francisco, Cal., to attend the Islam Shrine meetings at both places. While enroute they had the misfortune to be bumped into by another car, damaging their own so badly they had to leave it in a garage and proceed by rail for the rest of their journey.

C. W. Murphy and son, Robert, were Weed visitors Wednesday.

Tom O'Brien of Butte Falls, Oregon, was in Tennat a few days during the week.

The old year passed out and the new year came in very quietly in our little town, not a whistle blew or a bell rang to let the people know the old year was gone and January 1, 1926 was here.

Mrs. Hermie Foster and children Hermie Jr., and Frances Jean, of Klamath Falls, Ore., visited at the home of Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy Sunday.

Mrs. A. K. Morton has been quite ill the past week.

Jack Goddard of Weed was a visitor in camp the first of the week.

The many friends of Mrs. John Dollarhide will be sorry to know that she is still very poorly and confined to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Benson left Friday evening for Klamath Falls, Ore., to spend the week end with relatives.

The masquerade ball given Friday night at the auditorium was a most enjoyable affair. One of the largest and best crowds of the season attended. An orchestra from Klamath Falls furnished excellent music at midnight a nice luncheon was served and the dance continued till 2 o'clock in the morning.

U. of O. Hoopsters Face Hard Contest

EUGENE, Ore., Jan. 5. —(AP)—Back from a barnstorming trip in California, the University of Oregon basketball team was today turning its thoughts to the coming contest with the Multnomah Athletic club of Portland. The university players will leave here Friday for Portland.

A check up of the scholarship revealed that Jost, guard, will not be ineligible, as at first rumored, though Gillenwaters will in all probability be kept from participation this season because of his grades.

The team which will probably line up against Multnomah will be: Oberberg, center; Hobson and Powers, forwards; Jost and Westergren, guards.

COLD IN BAKER

BAKER, Ore., Jan. 5. —(AP)—Minimum temperature here this morning was 23 degrees above zero. This is the highest minimum since December 23, when the minimum was 29.

SEEKS MORE FUNDS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. —(AP)—President Coolidge today requested the house to increase by \$230,000 the funds recommended by the budget for the naval air reserve forces for the next fiscal year.

MORE MONEY NEEDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. —(AP)—A deficiency appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the current fiscal year for the government Muscle Shoals properties was requested today by President Coolidge in a message to the house.

PINEVILLE, Ky. —"Moonshiners" who bring their stills to the court house will not be prosecuted, county attorney Bingham, announced today. "If we have to go after them," he said, "they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law."

CANNERS MEET

SEATTLE, Jan. 5. —(AP)—More than 200 delegates from Oregon, Washington, California, Idaho and British Columbia were expected for the northwest cannery association's twelfth annual convention opening here today.

SPARTANBURG, S. C. —"Petting" when indulged in by persons not "in love," injures them physically, mentally and morally and may lead to insanity, Dr. T. B. Bailey, professor of psychology, university of the south, S. C., was authoritative for this statement.

HURRICANE IN SAMOA THROUGH

PAGA PAGO, Samoa, Jan. 5. —(AP)—The hurricane which struck American Samoa, is over, leaving destruction and wreckage. The thatched houses of the prosperous Samoan villages are strewn everywhere and many villages were completely wiped out, but without loss of life because of the light construction of the native houses.

Great trees loosened by the fury of the storm slid down steep mountain-sides and into the valley villages. Numerous landslides are blocking roads and cutting power lines.

It is impossible at the present time to reach the outlying villages on Tutuila island on account of the roads being blocked with landslides and fallen trees. Mountain trails were obliterated also. Native runners are endeavoring to get through to determine the amount of destruction. Bread, fruit, banana and taro plantations were almost completely destroyed and coconut crops were greatly damaged.

The U. S. S. Tanager was dispatched to the Manua islands immediately following the storm, when the radio was unable to make communication.

American Samoa is facing a greater food famine than in the hurricane of 1915. The present food supply on the islands, it is estimated, will last two weeks. The island government is taking steps to insure a food supply.

Chevrolet Expects To Win Big Event

The nationally famous Pike's Peak climb is to be rivalled by the Mt. Diablo stock car event according to men prominent in the motor car field of the Golden West.

Already the California mountain climbing contest has taken its place among the automotive classics of the country; and the run assumed national importance with the announcement that the challenge trophy offered by an Oakland newspaper for the fastest time up the slopes of Diablo under the rules governing the award, had been lifted by Chevrolet.

It is now claimed by men high in the industry that the Mt. Diablo dash will soon be as well known as the Pike's Peak race and that the California climb will rank with the great European mountain runs.

The driver of the first car to capture the Mt. Diablo trophy, Joe Mendonca, was an amateur. He is receiving congratulations from members of the vast Chevrolet organization of the Pacific coast which stretches from sun baked adobe of Mexico to the snow covered lands of British Columbia.

Mendonca covered the 11.6 miles of mountain highway in 24 minutes and 20 seconds; and this is considered excellent time when it is recalled that the average motorist is contented to make the climb in an hour.

When the Chevrolet made the Mt. Diablo run for the newspaper trophy, Mendonca was officially timed by representatives of the paper making the award and the run was officially observed in accordance with the rules governing this highland road classic.

The trophy will remain in the possession of the Chevrolet organization for a period of 60 days, during which time no competitor may compete for it. After that period has elapsed Mendonca will hold the trophy until some other fearless pilot puts a car up the slopes of the "Devil" mountain in better time under the rules as set down by the newspaper donating the challenge cup.

Until that time comes, the time of the Chevrolet will stand as official. This California automotive test is wide open to all dealers and manufacturers of cars of any class; but the car with which they compete for the trophy now held by the Chevrolet must be identical with one of their stock models, 100 of which have been delivered in California. Another requirement of the run is the standing of the driver.

He must be a local man. This eliminates the possibility of importing a professional or "stunt" artist and holds the Mt. Diablo climb within the class of amateur sports, although the driver may be an employee of the organization making the attempt to lift the Mt. Diablo stock car challenge trophy.

PEKING, Jan. 5. —(AP)—Marshal Feng Yu Hsiang, whose control of Peking and most of China province was established by his recent military victories, today issued a circular telegram announcing that he is giving up public life and going abroad shortly.

THE SEWING MACHINE was patented in 1790 and neighbors have dropped in to use it ever since.

O. A. C. Hoopsters Return, Successful

CORVALLIS, Ore., Jan. 5. —(AP)—Coach Bob Hager and his Oregon Aggie basketball team returned today from their successful barnstorming tour of California. The quintet played nine games on the trip, winning seven and dropping two.

Hager is optimistic about his team's chances in the coming conference schedule. The opener will be against Gonzaga, January 15.

BUSINESS GOOD

MEDFORD, Ore., Jan. 5. —(AP)—Court business in Jackson county for the final quarter of 1925 shows an increase of forty percent in volume.

Your luck may be bad. But it could be worse. Suppose you were a frying-sized chicken in Russia?

BLOOD MACHINE IS NOT PERFECT

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 5. —(AP)—Portland physicians who have assisted in various tests of a machine invented by Joe H. Pos, designed to control blood pressure, today asserted that, while the machine has apparent results in raising or lowering blood pressure in patients, they do not hold that Pos' theory is substantiated or that the experiments have shown that the machine will cure high or low blood pressure.

Representatives of the University of Oregon medical school, of the various hospital staffs and the state, city and county medical associations express their willingness to give the machine a further and

full test to determine whether it has merit in the treatment of blood pressure conditions; but they urge the public against forming too optimistic opinions as to the results that may be obtained and against any hasty acceptance of the theory or action upon the basis of the theory that the machine will be useful in treatment of blood cases.

DIRECT AID ASKED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. —(AP)—Direct credit aid from government banking agencies to farmers co-operative associations would be extended under a bill introduced today by Senator McKinley, republican, Illinois.

SLAYER MUST HANG

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. —(AP)—The supreme court today refused to review the case of William A. Lawrence, under sentence of death in Arizona. It directed that the governor be notified of its action.



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Perhaps your tire problem has to do with air pressures; perhaps you wonder whether you should equip with low-pressure tires of standard size, or balloons.

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New Equipment Is Coming With Fords

Windshield wings, gypay curtains, and top booth are being added to the items of special equipment added to the items of special equipment manufactured by the Ford Motor company. The first public display of this equipment will be during the Ford National Show week, January 9th to 16th.

These specialties are not "extras" but have been so designed by Ford engineers as to become actually part of the car. Stamped with the trade mark of the company in its familiar script, the equipment has the identity of genuine Ford parts and is held to the same standard of quality as the car itself. Behind them lies extensive experiment to deter-

mine the type and construction best adapted to Ford cars; experiment which was unhampered by any compromise necessary to permit adaptation to some other kind of car.

The introduction of these specialties in no way conflicts with the company's policy of refraining from dictating to a purchaser the amount of equipment he must buy with his car. Those to whom economy is the principal consideration will in the future, as in the past, be able to purchase Ford cars in which the standard equipment will include only those features essential to satisfactory operation. On the other hand, to those who are interested in the completely appointed car will be available specialties produced according to the same standards of quality which are incorporated in the car itself.

At The LIBERTY

A real treat is in store for the patrons of the Liberty theatre with "The Cub Reporter," which will be shown beginning today.

This production is a rapid-fire, thrilling comedy drama stunt picture that goes to make up good entertainment of suspense, comedy and action tainment.

MINISTER NAMED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5. —(AP)—Jefferson Caffrey of Louisiana was nominated today to be minister to Salvador.

William M. Hamilton was nominated for another term as customs collector at San Francisco, and John J. Deane for another term as customs comptroller at San Francisco.

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Assets—	
United States Bonds and Notes, State, Municipal and Other Bonds and Securities (total value \$31,687,738.66), standing on books at.....	\$28,858,649.92
Loans on Real Estate, secured by first mortgages.....	66,976,548.00
Loans on Bonds and Stocks and other Securities.....	1,490,108.77
Bank Buildings and Lots, main and branch offices (value over \$1,830,000.00), standing on books at.....	1.00
Other Real Estate (value over \$100,000.00), standing on books at.....	1.00
Employees' Pension Fund (value over \$525,000.00), standing on books at.....	1.00
Cash on hand and checks on Federal Reserve and other Banks.....	9,907,382.63
Total.....	\$107,232,689.22
Liabilities—	
Due Depositors.....	\$102,982,609.22
Capital Stock actually paid up.....	1,000,000.00
Reserve and Contingent Funds.....	3,250,000.00
Total.....	\$107,232,609.22

GEO. TOURNY, President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1925.
(SEAL) O. A. EGGERS, Notary Public.

A Dividend to Depositors of FOUR AND ONE-QUARTER (4 1/4) per cent per annum was declared, Interest COMPUTED MONTHLY and COMPOUNDED QUARTERLY.

AND WHICH MAY BE WITHDRAWN QUARTERLY

Deposits made on or before January 11th, 1926, will earn interest from January 1st, 1926.