

LAKEVIEW MAN RAIN HISTORY RECAPS COUNTY

LAKEVIEW—Howard M. Nolte, who served last year as president of the Lake county chamber of commerce, gave an interesting talk this week before the chamber on the study which he has made of the weather records of this region.

The summary of the weather records taken at Fort Bidwell in the northeast corner of Modoc county by the army from the year 1866 until the fort was abandoned in 1893 reveals that the annual average precipitation for this region during that period was 20.6 inches. The precipitation from September 1866 to August 31, 1867 was 37.29 inches which is the heaviest precipitation ever recorded in one year in this area. The heaviest precipitation for any one month was 12.71 inches in January of 1870.

Weather records were kept at Lakeview in a hit or miss fashion from the year 1884 down to and including the year 1912, thereby making it impossible to estimate the average precipitation for that period. The record shows 6.53 inches of rain in June 1884; 6.57 inches in November 1885 and 5.45 inches of moisture in February 1904.

Accurate records have been kept at Lakeview commencing with the year 1913. The average annual precipitation from 1913 to 1940 as computed by Mr. Nolte was 11.20 inches for the 27-year period. The heaviest precipitation for any one year was in 1937 with a record of 18.05 inches. January, 1936, was the wettest month of the 27-year period with a record of 4.30 inches.

The speaker stated it is apparent from the examination of the army records kept at Fort Bidwell as well as from the Lakeview weather records that during the past 30 years a greater percentage of the rain and snow which has fallen in the Goose lake valley basin has arrived in April, May and June. Prior to 1900 most of the annual snow and rainfall occurred in the months of December, January and February.

FT. KLAMATH

FORT KLAMATH—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Love of Medford visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denton and son Delbert. Love is Mrs. Denton's nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hackler left recently for California, where they will spend some time. Hackler is recuperating from a recent severe attack of pneumonia and it is thought the southern climate will benefit his health. During the Hackler's absence, the Wood River ranch is in charge of Dan McDonald.

T. J. Jackson has arrived in Fort Klamath after an absence of several years spent in California, and will make his home here permanently. He is staying with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jackson. Jackson was for many years in the grocery business here.

Mrs. Oris Moon and mother-in-law, Mrs. Edith Moon, were visiting here Wednesday from Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Joe Taylor left by stage Thursday evening for Long Beach, Calif., where she will visit for several weeks with relatives. Roy Deffenbacher, local barber,

is recovering from a siege of influenza. There has been an epidemic of colds and flu here during the past month.

Kenneth Banks was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Castel and son Junior, Thursday and Friday while on a vacation trip from his duties as switchman for the Northern Pacific railroad in Portland. Banks formerly worked here for Castel when the latter was in the grocery and meat business.

Harold Bevan was a business visitor in Klamath Falls Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Malmgren and children visited at the E. D. Briscoe ranch for several days last week. Mrs. Malmgren is the former Miss Winnie Briscoe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Briscoe.

BONANZA GROUPS HOLD MEETINGS

BONANZA—The Bonanza-Langell Valley Home Demonstration group will hold a meeting and demonstrate the making of winter salads next Tuesday, February 13, at the library building in Bonanza.

The meeting will start at 10 a. m. Everyone is welcome. Those who have been attending the meetings are asked to bring the usual paper sack lunch, a dime, and a friend. Those who have not been to any of the meetings are asked to come, especially the younger women who are just getting a start in establishing a home and raising a family. The information one can receive from these meetings should be of much benefit to the homemaker and the welfare of her family.



The Boy Scouts

By EARL WHITLOCK

If you have a youngster, there isn't anything which will so well insure for him a useful and well-balanced after life, as a BOY SCOUT. You know the Scout code, don't you? On my honor, I will do my best To do my duty To my God and my Country, To help other people At all times, To keep myself Physically strong, Mentally awake And morally sound.

Now if you will consider the current crop of radio serials, jangling and shocking young minds with horror tales, or the antics of synthetic cowboys and "killers" on the screen and in the comic strips, you will realize that youngsters need the peace and rest they find in the calm of the out doors, the touch of the soil, the companionship of a camp-fire, and, above all, need that code which emphasizes such seldom-heard things as "duty to God and Country," "help for others" and "moral soundness."



Get your boy in the Scouts! Next Monday Mr. Whitlock of the Earl Whitlock Funeral Home will comment on "Washington and Lincoln."

benefit to the homemaker and the welfare of her family. The Family Relationship group, which was recently organized in Bonanza, met at the home of Mrs. George Wilson last week and discussed character education. This group is being led by Mrs. Fred Rueck who has been attending the training school for the meet-

ing leaders in Klamath Falls. Mrs. Rueck will lead the group in the discussion on sex education for children. This meeting will be held at the Bonanza library on Wednesday afternoon, February 21. No one needs an invitation to attend these meetings, and they are especially important for the younger mother, if she has the

welfare of her growing family at heart. It's a regrettable fact that not more of the younger mothers are taking advantage of these meetings. There is no charge or obligations to attend any of the demonstration groups other than a few pennies to meet the expenses of a few materials.

DORRIS

Mrs. Bert Lang was brought home from the Yreka hospital Friday, after being taken there for treatments January 25. She is much improved but must re-

main quiet at her home for several weeks.

Jack Rose was brought back from the Yreka hospital on Wednesday.

Saturday a slight snow flurry started off what seemed to be an afternoon blizzard. But after a short windy spell the snow melted

as fast as it hit the ground and the sun again came out. Last year and two years ago there fell two inches of snow.

Miss Della Wals and Mrs. D. A. Ballard were Klamath Falls visitors Friday and enjoyed a show. Mr. and Mrs. John Rudy and Amos Rudy are enjoying a visit from George Gans of Adin.



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