



SHERIFF RED BRITTON introduces his daughter, 4-year-old Janice, to aviation with the aid of Pilot Betty Gant (left). Scene is Municipal Airport.

FORT KLAMATH

By MYRTLE WIMMER

Attending the Democratic meeting held at the Winema hotel in Klamath Falls on Wednesday evening, March 19, was the local Democratic committeewoman, Mrs. Jack B. Thomas.

Acting as mail carrier to Fort Klamath for the past week was Vernon Hengel of Chiloquin, who was pinch hitting for his brother-in-law, Donald Polter, also of Chiloquin, who with his wife enjoyed a vacation from his mail carrying duties by taking a trip south to California and Nevada points.

Mrs. Wesley Smith was ill at her home here last week with an attack of flu but is much better this time.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hacker returned Friday evening from a week's business trip to Sacramento, Calif. While in California, they saw five of Hacker's brothers and their families at Redding and vicinity, and while visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hacker they were stayed in for a time. The Hackers noted that they had hoped to find some sunshine in California, but were doomed to disappointment and had to return to Klamath to find the sun shining, as it did Friday and Saturday, following another of those late snowstorms.

Also returning from a trip Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strahan, who had been enjoying a week's vacation in Arizona, but were forced to cut short their stay when bad luck overtook them in the form of a minor car crash in Arizona. While both cars involved were somewhat damaged, none of the occupants of the vehicles was injured, and Mr. and Mrs. Strahan were able to drive their station wagon back home.

The roof of the dairy barn on the Stewart Nicholson ranch collapsed suddenly Thursday afternoon under its heavy weight of snow, but due to the strongly timbered construction of the haymow under the roof, the entire structure did not fall down, and other than the caved-in roof, no other damage was done.

Arriving for a week's spring vacation from Oregon State College at Corvallis on Saturday afternoon were Lena and "Socks" Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith, and Gillis Hennegan, who will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sisemore and daughter, JoAnn.

The spring vacation for students at Southern Oregon at Ashland end-

ed Sunday, and after spending the week here with his parents and brother, Donald Roderer, returned there Monday morning to resume his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Erickson of the Modoc Lumber Co. seven-mile camp spent the weekend in Klamath Falls at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Beem, and also visited friends while in town.

Omitted somehow from names of Lady Elks attending the crab feed in Klamath Falls at the Elks' temple last week was the name of Mrs. William A. Page, who was included in the group of Ft. Klamath women enjoying the affair.

Visiting old friends and relatives here on Saturday was Benjamin H. Briscoe of Williamson River, he and his family being former residents of many years' standing. He is the brother of Charles J. Briscoe of the Crater Lake Cafe, and the uncle of Mrs. Marvin Roderer of the Crater Lake Grocery here.

Making the trip to Eugene Saturday to see the Oregon Class A high school championship basketball game were Blaine Brattain, Gus A. Page and son, Gene A. Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren L. Miller Sr. came up Thursday from Klamath Falls, where they were spending a few days on a business trip from their winter home at the Miller ranch at Red Bluff, Calif. While here they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sisemore and Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Wright, and expressed great amazement at the unbelievable amount of snow on the ground here at this time of year (supposedly spring).

Pioneers of thirty-five years or so in this section, the Millers are no less surprised than some of the rest of us, including pioneers, old-timers, new and late comers, who have braved the continuous storms since early December, and have been constantly amazed that it could possibly snow so much and so often in one winter as it

has here during the past few months, when all previous snow depth records have been smashed.

Local people have a few things to be thankful for, two bright circumstances of the winter being first, that throughout the terrific windstorms and heavy snowfall, Copee has been unflinching, and at no time were residents here without electricity; second, in spite of the herculean task involved, both state and county roads were kept open at all times, crews working day and night to keep highways clear of snow. Also, people of the Klamath basin in general should be grateful that this region has not been visited by any serious calamities or misfortunes, such as those that have been suffered by residents of the southern states as well as other points throughout the nation—tornadoes and floods, leaving in their wake a terrible toll

of death, injury and property damage, as well as unseasonal blizzards.

Although it is true that the heavy snow has slowed up work, it will melt (it always does), snow will open up, tourist travel and business will start for the season, the cattle will again return to the fields of the Wood River Valley, and we will have just memories of one of the worst winters on record in point of snowfall, during which there were no catastrophes or misfortunes as a result of the severe winter. One wonders what the boys in Korea think of the weather over there???

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Westside

By MRS. MERLE O'NEIL. Friends were sorry to learn that Mrs. Lillian Pardue had the misfortune to slip on the icy snow near the back of her home last Tuesday and suffered a chest injury. She was x-rayed and the doctor reported no severe injuries although she will have to rest for several days. We all sincerely wish her a speedy recovery.

Several Westsiders motored to the stock sale at Alturas Saturday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stover, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Harms, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Warner, John Newman and Joe Martin Sr.

Joyce Fenimore, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fenimore, spent several days in the hospital last week as the result of pneumonia. She is reported to be much improved.

Bernard Busie and Bob Worstell of the Lakeview soil conservation service showed some very interesting films on irrigation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crowl on the evening of March 21. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Richardson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nelson and James, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wagers, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Busie and sons, Bob Worstell, the Harry Crowl family and J. W. Crowl.

Mrs. Harry Kolb has arrived home and is feeling much better. Their son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klob and baby, were visiting them from Klamath Falls over the weekend.

Mrs. Bob Peterson and her baby were moved from the hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson and sons called at the Lillian Pardue and Bill Sundet homes on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blackburn and family of Vale, Ore. arrived for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Woods were visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woods on the West Side Sunday. They also visited the Clyde Fenimores in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Thompson and the two youngest children, Mrs. Edith, accompanied Ken Wilson to Grants Pass for a several days visit with Mrs. Thompson's relatives. While they were gone Mrs. Marjorie Cox and Agnes Thompson stayed with Irene and Garry at their home.

Danny Stover accompanied a friend Bob Dunaway to Portland for a few days. They left Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cordill and family of Molalla spent several days last week visiting his sister, Mrs. Lynn Tomlin and family, The Raabe children, Barbara and Beverly Tomlin, accompanied them home for a week's visit. Mr. and Mrs. Raabe motored to Molalla over the weekend and planned to bring the children back.

The local farm bureau will meet at the Shults home the evening of April 1. Anyone who would care to attend and is interested in this project is invited to attend. Mrs. Dee Chandler will assist Mrs. Harold Shults as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle O'Neil and children visited relatives on the East Side on Saturday.

The Carl Peay family enjoyed a hamburger fry at the Lynn Tomlin home on Thursday evening.

There will be a film shown at the West Side Grange Hall by the West Side Community Sunday School on the evening of March 30 (Sunday). The name of the film is "Stephen, the First Christian Martyr." Everyone is welcome.

There was only a small attendance at the school last week as the dry creek bus was unable to make the rounds due to blizzards and bad roads. At last the snow is melting somewhat and the temperature is raising, maybe the ground will show up by the first of June.

Sunday dinner guests of the Carl Peay family were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Hanks and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blackburn and children, and the Carl Peay family.

Mother's Club will meet at the school on April 2. All who can are urged to attend.

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