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BY OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

Mrs. C. E. Hurd is visiting at Parma this week.

Miss Tenova Smith is visiting Anna Giesler this week.

Adelbert Baker was a Sunday visitor at the Tom Adams home.

Mrs. Cammon of Emmett is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Hurd.

Clara Royston went to Twin Falls Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Silket were Sunday visitors at the Ernest Silket home.

Mrs. Kate Shake and daughter Irene were Sunday visitors at the Tom Harris home.

Garret Heckus, Theo Smith and P. E. Martin were down from near Emmett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bate were Sunday visitors at the T. J. Wayne and J. H. Boor homes.

Miss Bessie Heap of Caldwell is visiting relatives and friends from Wednesday till Saturday.

Mrs. Exie Bend of Glenna Ferry visited C. E. Hurd and Tom Adams. Mrs. Bend is a cousin of Mrs. Hurd.

Mrs. Barnes is going to lecture at the Whitley Heights school house and give a musical entertainment June 4.

Miss Mamie Boor closed a successful term of school at Apple Valley, returned home Sunday for her summer vacation.

We are sorry to note the death of one of our former neighbors, Mrs. Kimes, who died in Payette of cancer. Mr. Kimes accompanied her remains back east for burial.

The Ladies of Whitley Bottom are piecing a Red Cross quilt, which will be sold to the highest bidder Tuesday, June 4, and after the sale refreshments and a musical program will be given. Everybody is invited.

The picnic in Hurd's grove was a grand success. Everybody had a fine time and after the picnic the crowd gathered at the school house and had

an old fashioned hop. The music was furnished by Adams and Hurd. Everybody had a nice time wishing Miss Fannie a joyous vacation and will be glad to have her back this fall again.

Mrs. H. E. Robinson, our efficient postmistress, after serving three years, has sent her resignation to the Department. The family will move soon to Caldwell, where Mr. Robinson will have employment and the Misses Marian and Mabel will have positions in the work in which they have been receiving training. Sidney will leave Saturday morning for Cascade, where he will work in the depot. The family will be greatly missed by the large circle of friends.

Gem State Lumber Co. for lath. no40 tf

A Word to Tobacco Users
In another column of this issue will be found an advertisement from Messrs. A. F. Hall & Company, chemists, 118 North LaSalle Street, Chicago, who are desirous of getting into communication with anyone who desires to get rid of the tobacco habit. Quit-Tobac is a nationally recognized and guaranteed cure for the tobacco, cigarette or snuff habit. Just write them for particulars and you will be interested. The most stubborn and confirmed tobacco users are absolutely freed from the habit in a few days. 41-x4

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Notice of Annual School Meeting

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 26, of Malheur County, State of Oregon, that the annual school meeting of said district will be held at the high school building, Nyssa; to begin at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. on the third Monday in June, being the 17th day of June, A. D. 1918.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing one director and a clerk and voting tax and such other business as may come up before the meeting.

Dated this 27th day of May, 1918.

Attest: P. TENSEN,
Chairman Board of Directors.
R. J. Davis, District Clerk.

Gem State Lumber Co. solicits your business. no40 tf

HOME OF CEREALS UNKNOWN

History Has No Record of Where Most Important Human Food Had Its Origin.

The origin of wheat is lost in hoary antiquity. Even the original home of the cereal plants of which bread is being made is not known, all the researches and hypotheses notwithstanding. Where wheat, spelt, rye, barley, oats, buckwheat, etc., first offered man their grainy ears for good is an unsolved problem. But that originally bread was not roasted or baked, but eaten as dough or paste, may be inferred from its relation with the word "broth," both of these words being derived from the root "broowan," "bru" to brew. In all probability it was originally the hotted course meal with nothing added to it but salt. The leavening and baking of the bread was a later development. The origin of these processes is a matter of speculation; but so much is certain that baking preceded the leavening of the bread that causes it to rise; also that the original form of the bread was not the loaf, but a kind of thin, flat cake like the matzoths, or unleavened bread of the Jews, or the tortillas of the Mexicans. Like these, it was probably roasted upon intensely heated flat stones.

With the discovery of the leaven the flat cake increased in height until it assumed the form of our loaf.

Proper Locomotive Signals.

Experiments conducted by the Southern Pacific railroad to find the most efficient means of handling the locomotive whistle show the average motorist or pedestrian is familiar with the standard crossing signal—two long and two short blasts—and that, unless the signal is given just so, he is apt to dispute priority right to a crossing. Superintendent T. Ahern, in a letter to engineers, says: "Extensive tests show that a whistle call for a station signal should never be less than five seconds, the long blasts of the crossing signal, two and a half seconds, and the short ones, one second. Particular care should be exercised to cut off the blasts sharply and not to slur them. It is of the utmost importance in causing sound to travel that these instructions be carried out."

Eastern Folklore Character.

A character in folklore with whom the Occidental world has only slightly familiarized itself is Nasr-ed-din-Hodja, the Turkish Till Eulenspiegel. Linedly the Hodja, holy man, as he is known, draws his descent from Aesop; but during the course of centuries his nature became somewhat changed. From the wise man he was transformed, gradually, into the simple bucolic fool, who, in spite of his folly, has certain very winning traits. As a rule, however, poor Nasr-ed-din gets the worst of every deal he is mixed up in, as has his unfortunate and muddling race. Only every now and then does tradition allow him to come off victor in an intellectual encounter.

Appreciated British Oysters.

As early as 50 B. C. the fame of the British oyster had extended as far as Rome, and Sallust seems to have been more impressed by the oyster than by any other feature of the country, for he wrote: "The poor Britons—there is some good in them, after all—they produce an oyster." In 83 A. D. oysters were exported from the Thames estuary to Rome, and ever since that time England has had an oyster industry of respectable proportions, although for many years the supply has been inadequate to fill London's gigantic demands, and importations from the United States, Holland and France have been necessary.

Gem State Lumber Co. for coal. no40 tf

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office at Boise, Ida.,
May 6, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Emma Garrigues, of Nyssa, Oregon, who, on December 20, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 013803, for N₁NE₁SE₁NE₁ Section 34 and NW₁ NW₁ Section 35, Township 7 North, Range 5 West, Boise Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at the United States Land Office at Boise, Idaho, on the 14th day of June, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Norman R. McFall of Boise, Idaho; Abbie P. McFall of Boise, Idaho; Myrtle Cowins of Nyssa, Oregon; C. Smith, of Parma, Idaho.

Frank S. Heer, Register.

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