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KINGMAN KOLONY

Mrs. Maxwell and Miss O'Connell Maxwell have spent the week in New Pulmough where they were called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tyler. Mr. Tyler was quite seriously injured in an accident last week.

Mrs. Conrad Martin returned Wednesday, after visiting in Moscow, Idaho, for the past month.

A. O. Holly is building a modern bungalow near the bridge west south of Adrian. The site commands a beautiful view of Snake river.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Pratt have returned to spend the winter. Louis Pratt is helping bring the cattle from inside.

Several children have been having what seems to be the whooping cough, but all are improving. Margaret Ann Morgan and little Billy Parsons do not enjoy this form of vacation.

Dan Holly and family were in Boise Wednesday.

Mr. Bain of Ontario was selling a peck in the Kolony this week.

Miss Bernice Martin spent the weekend at her home in the Kolony. She brought Miss Mitchell from Parma for her guest.

The Fullmer family and the Wallace family of Nyssa visited the Stowells Sunday.

Miss Agnes Nichols was a young hostess Sunday at a birthday dinner party for some of her little friends.

Mr. Overstreet has sold his Owyhee place to F. J. Long, Earl McGee and LaVerne McGee, who will take immediate possession.

Mr. Reed is here from Nevada looking for a location. He wants to buy an improved farm, and is so highly impressed with the Kolony that he hopes to buy near the school building.

John Vanderpool sold his hay Tuesday to Denny & Co., who expect to commence hauling it immediately.

Mr. MacLafferty has a crew of work haling Mr. Blodgett's hay.

Mr. Overstreet has sold his alfalfa pasture in the Kolony to Mr. Leo, a sheepman.

Stowe Bros. from Spokane, are open for business at the Adrian garage. They are building a residence just east of the garage.

Clarence Elliott is a new clerk at Holly Bros' store.

John Vanderpool made business trips to Payette and New Plymouth this week.

Eddie Powell sent some of his prize corn to the Corn Show in Portland this week.

A large crowd assembled at the school building for Community Day Saturday. Carpenters were busy remodeling buildings for the teachers' quarters; teams and men were preparing the large ball groups; and some work was done in the house.

The ladies served a very nice chicken-pie dinner, which seemed to be a very important part of the day.

Everyone in the Kolony will have an opportunity this week to pay their annual Red Cross membership fee of one dollar. A paragraph from the Independent shows clearly how money is spent, aside from local work accomplished. "Not only has the Red Cross done its share in the reconstruction of France, such as caring for the eleven million orphans of the continent and combating typhus epidemic, it has had its hands full of work in the United States. During the last year the American Red Cross was called on for rescue work in 77 public disasters: towns wrecked by tornadoes or devastated by storms and floods; communities visited by fire or earthquake; ships wrecked on the coast or train collisions. By these disasters 850 persons were killed, 1500 injured and 13,000 left homeless and destitute, and property destroyed to the value of \$85,000,000. In every case first aid came from the Red Cross, which is building up a special \$5,000,000 fund for preparedness against such emergencies."

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Summary for month ending November 5:
Total number pupils enrolled—Boys 143, girls 142; total 285.
Number of pupils remaining to date—Boys 139, girls 136; total 275.
Whole number days attendance, 5129.
Whole number days absence, 309 f.
Whole number times late, 119.
Pupils neither absent nor tardy, 111.
Average number pupils belonging, 271.9.

Average daily attendance, 256.4.
Per cent of attendance, 94.3.
Number visits by parents, 10.

The number of days absence for the different rooms: First grade, 43; second grade, 16; third grade, 32; fourth grade, 19; fifth grade, 49; sixth grade, 10; seventh grade, 23; eighth grade, 19; high school, 67.

96 per cent of attendance—First grade (Miss Thompson); fourth grade, sixth grade, seventh grade.

95.4 per cent of attendance—Eighth grade.

94 per cent of attendance—First grade (Miss Rose), second grade, third grade, high school.

92 per cent of attendance—Fifth grade.

High Grades for the High School.

1 A and 4 Bs—Lillie Hunt.
1 A and 3 Bs—Tessie Lackey.
5 Bs—Mary Matheny, Bonnie Matheny, Jennie Newby, Irene Closson, Dora Thompson, Paul Davis.

4 Bs—Annette Biedgette, Myrtle Fields, Robert Peck, William Klinkenberg, James Kakeheke, Thelma Leuck, Edna Dennis, Frank Sherwood, Wilson Dunn.

Best grade in the eighth grade—Gladys Garrison, 5 As and 1 B.

Best grade in the sixth grade—Verna Thompson.

Best grade in the 8 As—Wanda Young, 7 As and 1 B.

Best grade in the seventh grade—8 As and 1 B—Marjie Cowins, Boyd

Sheaffer, Abraham Vaughn, Mary Toombs.

Fourth Grade News Items.
Milton Sharp had a perfect spelling record for the month.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy—Reata Cunningham, Doris Green, Viola Hillman, Lela McMillan, Letha Stuart, Grace Walters, Oliver Frye, Harold Haxie, Donald Sherwood, Milton Sharp, Bryant Guffey.

In a contest between the eighth and the sixth grades for attendance and deportment, the sixth grade won and were entertained by the eighth grade at the home of Miss Meacham.

The Halloween entertainment given by the sixth and eighth grades to their parents and friends was highly successful. Twenty-one guests were present. A short program, followed by several unique contests and light refreshments, were the events of the day.

Of a case of books loaned to District 26 by the Oregon State Library a year ago, the following books are still missing:

Short Stories for Little Folks.
Loss of the Silver Sword.
How We Are Clothed.
Our Country's Flag.
Dawn of History.
Children's Crusade.
True Story of Benjamin Franklin.
Maid of '76.

Statement of a proper military policy for the United States.
Monroe Doctrine—From Debate Library.

If any of the readers of these notes know the whereabouts of some of these books please send them to Miss Kennedy. If they are not accounted for, the district must pay for them before any more books can be borrowed from the state library.

The High School boys won their first football game last Friday when they defeated Kuna, Idaho by a score of 26 to 0.

Thursday, November 11 (Armistice day), having been declared a legal holiday was observed as such and no school was held.

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