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Since the beginning of time there have been fads which hte majority have followed. These fads are started by the leaders of each generation and followed by the rest. Some fads are ridiculous, but others are adapted until the end of time.

There are fads in almost everything. The style of hates, clothing, jewelry, coiffures, and mannerisms varies each year. The styles of the "gay nineties," which seem so ridiculous now, were then worn by everyone and thought to be the very best. The mannerisms and styles of today will be a comedy to our grandchildren, but they will always bring back pleasant memories to us.

The fads in school life of today are different than those of the little red schoolhouse. Instead of sticking her pigtails in the ink well, the boy shoots spitwads at his girl friend. Cars stand in the driveways of the school in place of the patient horses, school romances flourish at lockers, now, while formerly, the large double desks served as the meeting places for those whom Cupid's arrow had pierced.

No matter what the fads of our school days are, those days are very dear to us and will always be remembered as the best of all.

—N. H. S.—

MOVING PICTRE

Another moving picture on both Browning and Molecular movements was shown in the science class on Tuesday. Mr. Bailey explained various points of interest at intervals throughout the picture. Students stated that they thought the picture both interesting and educational.

—N. H. S.—

SPORTS

Nyssa won its first conference baseball game from Vale on Friday, April 15, with a score of 7-2. Batteries for Nyssa were Graham and Holmes; for Vale, Carter and Walker.

—N. H. S.—

STUDENT CO-OPERATION

It is too bad that teachers do not get more wholehearted co-operation of the students in carrying out the laws of the school as well as of the state. As every one knows, it is through no ruling of the faculty that one is required to take physical education in order to graduate, yet any attempt to enforce this rule is met with antagonism. It is admitted that the need for smaller classes and more equipment makes the period less interesting; nevertheless, the blame should not be placed on any one person or persons. If, in the face of these difficulties, one tried to make the best of it and attempted to receive as much benefit as possible from the course, a better feeling between teacher and student would exist. It is an accepted fact that exercise in any form is beneficial to health; therefore why not devote those two hours a week to some form of physical exercise which will improve the body? Make up your mind to exact as much pleasure as possible from these physical ed. periods and before you realise it, you'll really be looking forward to those hours of mental relaxation. You gain nothing by dodging the course, so as long as it is your duty, resolve to make the most of your opportunity, for it is one, you know.

—N. H. S.—

ROUND SCHOOL

Ellen Mc and Alice N. looking so lonesome, sitting all by themselves in the far corners of the English room. Several seniors talking to Mr. C. A. Howard. The Mississippi Singers were quite popular, if the comment in the halls was sufficient evidence. Why the sob? Seniors with their pink envelopes. Some heated arguments developing in the American history class. Back of good Republicans in this same class, or are they just quiet? Sophomores riding stick horses. Penny suckers in style, where are the nickles? Here is some consolation for you girls with big feet, the stylish size is seven and a half. Mrs. Young and Miss Martin entertaining a little black and white dog. Horned toad attracting much attention.

—N. H. S.—

The cast for the student body play has been chosen by Miss Martin, the director. "Crashing Society," a three-act comedy to be given May 6, will provide a full evenings entertainment. Members of the cast are:

Elbe Dunigan, Luella Leuck; Adam Dunigan, John J. Smith; Christabel, their younger daughter, Bonnie Matlock; George, their son, Lester Reiner; Scrupules-Scruples, the butler, Dale Gerber; Mr. Van Witherspoon, Milton S.; Mrs. Van Witherspoon, Louise T; Cyril Van Witherspoon, son, Gene Gaston; Agatha Mulrooney, a virtuoso, Frances Foster; Miss Gadget, a tutor, Nancy Lankford; Louise Miler, a reporter, Flora Prosser.

George Hale is student director and Lavena Phillips stage manager.

—N. H. S.—

Mrs. Young has chosen the cast for the Senior play, "Cat-O-Nine Tail" scheduled for May 20. The characters are as follows:

Mr. Gordon, master of ceremonies, Gordon Lodge; Edward Boydell; Mrs. Gordon, his nervous wife, Marsene Hollenberg; Jimmie Gordon, their good looking boy, Jack McKee; Jacob Webber, the caretaker of Gordon Lodge, Bill Kurtz; Betty Webber, his lovable daughter, Viola Pullen; Theodora Maitland, a friend of the Gordons, Elein McConenll; Henry, the chore boy Miller Jensen.

Fox, a detective, Ted Morgan; Miss Smith, a female "Shirlock Holmes, "Irene Poage; Bridget, the cook, Ann Haroldsen; Peggy, her daughter, Dorothy Jensen.

The play chosen is a three-act mystery by Laurence G. Worcester.

—N. H. S.—

STUDENTBODY MEETING

The regular student body meeting was held Monday, April 18. Bill Kurtz, vice president, opened the meeting. Irene Poage, president of the Girls Leauge, officially presented to the student body the dishes purchased by the girls organization. The Mother's Tea, given by the Girls Leauge on Wednesday, April 20, was announced by Lucille Tharsher.

The sophomores had charge of the program, which included a song, "Any Old Lane is Lovers Lane," by small June Savage, a third grader, and a humorous skit, entitled "Wild Life in the West". June Marie Wilson, Harold Holmes, Gerald Warren, Maynard Franklin, Claude Patterson, Herbert Beren, Flora Prosser, Louise Tensen, George Eichner, Viola Carfield, Ruth Cooper, Jim Miler, Laura Savage, Elbert Fretwell, and Joe Copnell took part in the skit. Harold Holmes announced the progrem.

—N. H. S.—

Dr. C. A. Howard, president of Eastern Oregon Normal and former state superintendent of education, spoke to the senior class on Friday-April 15. Dr. Howard spodke of the five institutions of higher learning in Oregon, and especially of the Eastern Oregon Normal at La Grande. The seniors were interested in hearing of the social life of the campus, as well as of the scholastic opportunities offered there.

—N. H. S.—

The Mississippi Singers, from San Francisco entertained the student body, Thursday, April 14. The hour program consisted of plantation songs, negro spirituals, swing music, tap dancing, guitar selections and recitations. These singers are a regular feature over NBC in San Francisco.

—N. H. S.—

JOKES

Milton S. While in bed with a cold, was told that he had a temperature.

"How high is it, doctor?" he wanted to know.

Doctor: "A hundred and one."

Milton S: "What's the world record?"

—N. H. S.—

STORMY WEATHER

Miss Morris was giving a lesson on the weather idosyncrasies of March.

"What is it," she asked, "that comes in like a lion and goes out like a lamb?"

Marzene: (in the back row) "Father."

—N. H. S.—

HITCH HIKER

First Arab: "What's all that fur on the seat of your cape?"

Second Arab: "I just got a lift with a camel."

—N. H. S.—

FAKE

The circus was visiting a town in the hills. The folks there recognized all of the instruments in the band with the exception of the slide trombone.

One old settler watched the player a long time, then, turning to his son, said, "Don't let on that you're watching him. There's a trick to it; he ain't really swollering it."

—N. H. S.—

DETERMINATION

"Are you sure," an anxious patient once asked a physician," that I shall recover? I have heard that doctors sometime give wrong diagnoses and have treated for pneumonia patients who later died of typhoid fever."

"You have been misinformed," replied the doctor indignantly." If I treat a man for pneumonia, he dies of pneumonia."

—N. H. S.—

In a certain office, the following encouraging notice to ambitious young employees is in view: "Work hard for eight hours a day and don't worry; then in time you may become boss and work eighteen hours a day and have all the worry."

Mitchell Butte

BY LORETTA MITCHELL

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Smith and Charles Carter and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mettlen were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Chas Carter parent's in Parma.

Max, Huston and Mr. Dunaway spent their Easter Sunday with Jack, Carl, and Mrs. Dunaway in Boise.

Lotta Mitchell was a week end guest of Ione Bensen of Oregon Trail community.

Mrs. C. L. Mitchell is nursing Mrs. Jane McGinnis who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fivecoat were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Talbot and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don McGinnis Sunday afternoon.

Riverview News

BY MRS. GROVER VEST

and Mrs. Don McGinnis Sunday.

Betty Blackburn, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackburn, had the misfortune to fall and break her arm while playing, and has been unable to attend school the past week.

Ralph Jones finished shearing the balance of his sheep this week and has turned them out.

Mrs. H. R. Blackwell and Mrs. D. Hifsteer of Ontario, accompanied the Vest families to the dam on Sunday. If any of the new settlers have not taken the trip to the dam, this is an ideal time of year to go. The roads are good and it is an inspiring sight to see the land, that was formerly sagebrush country, now almost entirely under cultivation; there are many nice little homes on the land. At the foot of the dam is an unusually attractive picnic ground with outdoor ovens for cooking, if desired. It is interesting to see where we are getting all of our government water.

Carl Funk is grubbing the land recently purchased by Phillip and Allen Clowers and they will have part of it in crop this year.

Frank Sparks and family are newcomes from Lewiston, Idaho, and are farming the Chester Wojham place this season.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hunter of Little Valley were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blackburn on Tuesday.

George Clowers and sons have finished grubbing and clearing the balance of their land and will have it all in crop this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jamison of Buena Vista were callers Tuesday evening at the Vest home.

Mrs. Walter Thompson entered the Holy Rosary hospital on Friday for a major operation. She is under the care of Dr. G. G. van der Vlugt, and at this time is reported resting comfortably.

Arthur and Delbert Rouse have a very fine garden started and should be able to supply any of their neighbors who have been unable to put in early gardens, with nice vegetables this summer.

Ned Hibbert is recovering from a tonsil operation, but is still unable to attend school.

The Riverview district is looking especially attractive at this time, as nearly everyone is setting out trees and shrubs and making lawns.

SUNSET VALLEY

MRS. L. E. NEWGEN

The Worth While Sewing club met Thursday with Miss Cornelia Kollen. Nine ladies were present. While sewing for the hostess they discussed the possibilities of a community hall and decided to have a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Chas. Wilson on Friday, May 6, with the proceeds to go into a fund for community use. Cow Hollow, Mitchell Butte valely and Sunset Valley are invited to attend this tea and get acquainted as well as to help our cause.

The next club meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Rhoda Landreth on Thursday, April 28.

There are rumors abroad that Sunset Valley is to have a mail route in the near future. Nothing could be nicer and we surely hope it is not false rumor.

Neighbors are helping to put in the crop this week on the Oce Schweiser homestead.

We are happy to announce the return of Mrs. Vern Wilson who has been in the Mercy hospital in Nampa the past three weeks. Mrs. Wilson is able to be up though very weak. She called with her husband at the Terra home for a few minutes Sunday. Miss Dorothy Chamberlain is doing the house work for them.

John Reffett received nearly 5000 strawberry plants Saturday from Hood River. This will set about an acre of berries which Mr. Reffett intends to try out and if they are a success here he will raise berries for shipping. They are of the Atkins variety and a one crop berry which Mr. Reffett says produce as heavy as the everbearing varieties.

Kenneth Larson of Nebraska is digging a basement on his homestead suoth of Bill Bolitho. Mrs. Larson who is visiting in Burley, will join him here as soon as living quarters are arranged. Mr. Larson is a cousin of Mrs. Grover Cooper of Oregon Trail.

The music club will meet Sunday evening at the Newgen home for the purpose of arranging to raise funds for a community hall. We cordially invite every one in Cow Hollow, South Mitchell Butte and Sunset Valely who are interested in the music club or the hall to be present and help us all you can as we are going to need it.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wilson were quite sick with the flu last week.

George Wilson underwent a minor operation last week at the office of Dr. Mitchell of Parma. However, he is able to be up and around tho not feeling well.

Mr. and Mrs. Manon Hillis arrived here Sunday from Klamath Falls for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hills.

Mrs. Chas. Ditty is quite sick with the flu and a slight heart attack which followed the flu.

Mr. Morrison received word last week that is wife has been delayed after leaving Nebraska on account of a terrific snow storm and was still unable to travel when she wrote.

The Ralph Gee family of Apple Valley visited Sunday at the Kendall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson were in this district Sunday calling in the morning at the Terra home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schweizer called Sunday at the Tom Lowe home.

Leslie Ditty who has been ill for some time had five teeth pulled by Dr. Norcott Monday.

Mrs. W. R. Bolitho spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moffitt of Melba. She returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hintz spent Sunday at the Teuttle home in Apple Valley.

Miss Tressa Ditty was a guest last week at the home of Mrs. E. C. Knull of Nyssa.

Misses Bernice, Dorothy and Verla Mae Wolf were Sunday guests of Mrs. Geo. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Markham and small son of Ontario called at the Hillis home Sunday.

Mrs. Shirley Probst and baby daughter returned to the parental Foster home last week.

L. E. Newgen attended business in Parma Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Glenn spent Sunday at the parental Schweizer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Terra and daughter and son visited Sunday afternoon at the Cornell home.

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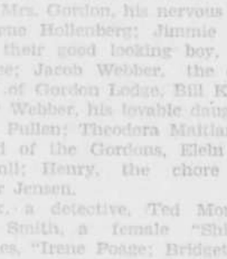

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