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## PORTLAND TOTS FROLIC IN ORCHARD

After a day of rollicking fun on the ranch place, Leslie Butler, 50 children from the home of the Boys and Girls Aid Society returned to Portland on the local Thursday afternoon. The youngsters, the youngest of whom was Clifford Hickson, aged three, were guests for the day of the Woman's club, who served a bountiful fried chicken dinner. They arrived here at 10.30 in the morning and were taken to the orchard place in a train of automobiles furnished by merchants and orchardists. Their special car on the return trip carried many boxes of Hood River fruit, which for a week to come will serve to recall the day of life in the country.

The children were accompanied by R. E. Arne, superintendent of the home and wife; Miss Edna Avery, matron of the home; Miss Lavonne Stanton, boys' superintendent; Miss Hattie Wand, girls' superintendent; and B. R. Chapman, boys' superintendent.

Happy shouts rent the air, when the children were given permission to wade in a brook on the Butler place. All shoes and stockings were soon off and the little fellows were soon splashing in the cool water. "We simply had to hang them out on the rocks," says Mrs. Arne, "when they had finished wading."

The following local automobile owners transported the children to and from the train: S. A. Mitchell, Dr. H. L. Dumble, Dr. E. L. Scobee, Leslie Butler, J. H. Heilbronner, E. A. Franz, A. D. Ramsey, William Stewart and Charles Rathbun.

## FLOYD F. GIBBS HAS UNIQUE MOTOR BIKE

Floyd F. Gibbs, of the Western Union office, has the most unique motor bike ever seen in Hood River. He calls it his "halfbreed." To the new bicycle, a machine with three speeds, making it possible to pull the local hills very easily with man power, he has attached a motor wheel.

The attachment runs along beside the rear wheel of the bike. It is only half the diameter of the large wheels, but its motor driven power is sufficient to take the owner of the machine "kiting" up any of Hood River's grades. Nor does the rider get the vibration, found objectionable in the usual motorcycle.

"I can travel for 120 miles with the gasoline I can carry in my tank," says the proud owner of the new "halfbreed."

## CLOUD CAP INN WILL CLOSE WEDNESDAY

Dorsey B. Smith, manager of the hostelry, who passed through the city Monday, announces that Cloud Cap Inn will close next Wednesday, September 1. Two weeks earlier than contemplated, Sunday will be the last excursion day to the noted resort.

"It being necessary that we do the work while we have help at the Inn," says Mr. Smith, "the road will be diked as we leave to protect it from winter torrents. Still, it will be possible to drive to the first turn around in the national forest and walk to the snowline, four miles distant. However, we urge that pedestrians be careful and step over the dikes, in order that they may not be trodden down."

## J. A. EPPING WILL LEAD CORNET BAND

The Hood River Cornet band has secured J. A. Epping as leader, and the musical organization, which has made such headway for the past several months under the direction of Thomas Hill, who has been successfully in charge of town bands in Goldendale and other northwestern cities, is now practicing twice weekly. Concerts are planned for this winter. A number of new members are in prospect, and Hood River's band is expected to become one of the best of the state.

**Mrs. Hansberry Passes**  
The body of Mrs. W. T. Hansberry, a former resident, who died Wednesday of last week at her home at Seaside, was interred last Friday morning at Idlewild cemetery, Rev. Alonzo Dix, pastor of the First Day Adventist church of Portland, conducting the services at the graveside.

Mrs. Hansberry was 67 years of age. She was a native of Ohio. She with her husband and children came to Hood River 25 years ago. Nine years ago the family removed to Cascade Locks, here they lived for three years before going to Seaside. Her husband, a veteran of the Civil war, preceded Mrs. Hansberry to the grave before the family left Hood River county. Mrs. Hansberry leaves surviving a son and two daughters—H. E. Hansberry, Mrs. Dorence Smith and Mrs. Ray Hansberry.

The members of Canby Woman's Relief Corps conducted a ritual service at the grave. Members of Canby Post, G. A. R., acted as pallbearers.

**Despondency Due to Indigestion**  
"About three months ago when I was suffering from indigestion which caused headache and dizzy spells and made me feel tired and despondent, I began taking Chamberlain's Tablets," writes Mrs. Geo. Hon, Macedon, N. Y. "This medicine proved to be the very thing I needed, as one day's treatment relieved me greatly. I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Tablets and they rid me of this trouble." Obtainable everywhere.

**Apple Tree Bears Fruit and Blossoms**  
A. J. Grow reports a freak of nature on the East Side place of William Goss. An apple tree bears ripening fruit and profuse clusters of blossoms. The foliage of the tree turned yellow this summer, and it was thought that it was dying. However, since the blossoms have appeared the tree has taken on a richer green, and the pink blossoms and red-tinged fruit in the foliage make a pleasing picture.

**Sickness Common in Summer**  
Hay fever is attributed to pollen floating in the air, while asthma is caused by dust and certain atmospheric conditions common in summer. Sufferers who can seek the mountains or sea. Hay fever and asthma victims compelled to remain at home will find relief in Foley's Honey and Tar Compound which allays the inflammation, soothes and heals raw and rasping bronchial tubes and helps to overcome difficulty in breathing, and makes sound, refreshing sleep possible. For sale by Chas. N. Clarke.

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## UNEXPECTED REUNION AT WOOD HOME

An unexpected family reunion was participated in at the home of J. M. Wood last Thursday night. Thursday afternoon a stranger, motoring with his wife through the city, was attracted by the name on Mr. Wood's grocery window and stopped in to purchase some supplies. The stranger was E. W. Wood, of Seattle, Wash. He called for the proprietor, and said as he gave his order, "My name's Wood, too. My home is in Seattle." As the conversation of the two continued, they recognized each other as first cousins. They had not seen or heard of each other for 12 years.

While the reunited cousins were talking over old times at the store, a sister of the guest accompanied by her husband and children, unexpectedly arrived by automobile from Vancouver, Wash., and drove up in front of the store.

Mrs. J. M. Wood commiserated some frying chickens, and the Wood home was the scene of a reunion feast that night.

The Seattle man and his wife had been on a motor trip through eastern Washington. They had gone from the Sound city by way of Snoqualmie Pass and Ellensburg. From Yakima they journeyed to Hood River through Goldendale and Camas Prairie.

## FIVE YOUNG MEN SWIM COLUMBIA

Five young men, William Chandler, Fred Coshov, Forrest L. Moe, Edwin Sonnichsen and William Hostetter, accompanied by a convoy of three rowing teams, swam the Columbia river from the new beach east of the city Sunday. The first of the swimmers to reach the Washington bank, a straight distance of a little more than a mile, made a record time of 25 minutes. The other boys followed him in quick succession.

Sunday was the hottest day of the year here. The government thermometer of E. W. Birge registered a temperature of 98 degrees. The cool beach was the most popular place in the county. Old and young enjoyed the water. An audience of more than 200 eagerly watched the slow progress of the swimmers.

## RESORTS

Children at the home of Mrs. Alma L. Howe's Cottage farm have had more fun this week than at any time this summer. During the warm days the little fellows have been permitted to engage in water fights on the back lawn. Mrs. Howe has a private water system, and after the warm sun's rays have shone for a while on the big tank, the water is just at the right temperature to feel pleasant to the youngsters as it strikes them.

New guests at Cottage farm the past week have been: Mrs. J. W. Griffith, Mrs. E. J. Robertson, Mrs. E. L. Moses and Mrs. Al W. Rabalais and little daughter, Nancy, all of Portland; Mrs. Austin Obsurn and children, Alice and John, of Astoria.

Because of the smoky haze on the horizon, due to the many forest fires, the greatest of the pleasures of an ascent of Mount Hood have been deprived guests of Cloud Cap Inn. However, a number of the hardier vacationists have made the summit, where they have been interested in watching the forest rangers stationed there trying to locate new fires from the eyrie lookout.

## Harry Bailey Victim of Beach Thieves

Harry Bailey, member of the city police force, was forced to return home sickle and penniless from the Columbia beach Wednesday afternoon of last week. Mr. Bailey was the victim of beach thieves, thought to be small boys, whom he himself had set himself to wattle. The officer, who is very fond of a swim, was disporting himself in the limpid depths of the Columbia cove, some one broke into a bath house and relieved Mr. Bailey of his pocket-book and socks. Fortunately, he had left his revolver at Frank Dayton's booth.

## Ashley Wilson Sees Beauty Spots

Mr. and Mrs. Ashley Wilson spent a portion of last week at Homer Rogers' Mount Hood Lodge. While at the Upper Valley resort they were taken by Mr. Rogers to Elk Meadows and shown the beauty spots of the mountains.

"Mr. Rogers certainly has a fine resort," says Mr. Wilson. "It is within reach of so many attractive points of scenic interest that it is drawing large crowds. We made the journey to Elk Meadows by horseback."

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