:-: BRIEF NEWS ITEMS OF THE CITY :-:

New Manager Arrives—

E. A. Petty, manager of the Roseburg Fruit Company about two years ago, arrived here last evening to return to his former position. Since leaving here he has been located with other branches of the Oregon Fruit Company at Portland and Salem. His transfer recently was made because of the resignation of A. F. Finger, who has been in charge here for the past year. The latter will go to Portland.

Return to Portland—

Mr. and Mrs. C. Peddicord, of Portland, who had been visiting here a few days, left for their home this morning. They had made their home with Robert Whittaker and family.

Ashland Secretary Here—

Word was received yesterday to the effect that H. O. Froback, secretary of the Ashland Commercial Club, would arrive in this city today to attend the remaining days of the carnival. Several others will also make the trip, one of the party being A. Austin Chrisholm. They will make their headquarters at the Umpqua Hotel.

Council Is Coming—

Word was received here today from Canyonville to the effect that the members of the council of that city had intended to enter a float in the parade here Saturday afternoon, but had abandoned the idea because of the rain. The float was all prepared for the occasion and an effort will be made to have the councilwomen change the plans and come here tomorrow regardless of the rain which fell in this vicinity.

Left For Portland—

F. L. Burkhalter, who spent yesterday here attending the flag raising ceremonies and the carnival festivities, left for Portland last night. Mr. Burkhalter expressed himself as agreeably surprised at the street decorations and the several events which marked Thursday's program.

Home From Portland—

R. C. Markee, commandant of the Oregon Soldiers' Home, returned here last night after a few days spent at Portland. He is now busy arranging the program for the Memorial Day exercises to be held in this city. The oration will be delivered probably by a Portland man, according to Mr. Markee.

Big Fish Exhibited—

The Salem Statesman in yesterday's issue had the following to say regarding F. H. and Steve Pearson of Winchester: "F. H. Pearson and his brother, Steve Pearson, who live at Winchester, made as fine a catch of Royal Chinook salmon Tuesday as has been seen for some time. Fishing with hook and line, on the north fork of the Umpqua about six miles from Roseburg, they landed 13 beauties weighing from 28 pounds to 65 pounds each. These fish are now on exhibit in the display window at Fitt's Market, 141 Court street.

Examinations Held Today—

Final examinations in the Bible study work of the high school students during the past few months were held this morning. The work covers the period of the New Testament and is the first term completed by the course. One credit is given to those successful in the examinations.

Eighth Grade Is Examined—

Pupils of the eighth grade at the Rose and Benson schools this morning took their final examinations in various subjects, in accordance with the rule followed for many years. The teachers were informed just preceding the opening hour this morning of the rooms where they would have charge of the work. It has been the custom for the teachers to conduct the examinations in other rooms than their own. The pupils were all dismissed this afternoon on account of the parade.

Nortons Man Here—

W. A. Taylor, formerly of this city, who had been located at Nortons, Lincoln County, for the past several months, arrived here yesterday to look after business matters. He returned home today.

Will Leave Saturday—

William Pollman, one of the owners of the Douglas County Light & Water Company, who arrived here yesterday from Baker, expects to leave for his home Saturday night. Mr. Pollman spent a part of yesterday at Winchester, where he inspected the company's plant. Mr. Pollman says the local water and light system is now in the best of condition and has a capacity sufficient to supply hubs for a town twice the size of Roseburg.

Left For Portland—

Warren P. Reed, the Gardiner capitalist, who spent yesterday in Roseburg, left last night for Portland, where he has business matters needing his attention. Mr. Reed spent yesterday afternoon at Sutherlin. He was accompanied there by Attorney J. O. Watson and other local people.

Former Resident Here—

Mrs. John Estabrook, who formerly resided on a ranch in the vicinity of Edenbower, arrived here last evening from Eugene to attend the Strawberry Carnival. Mrs. Estabrook has many friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Estabrook left here several months ago and are well pleased with their new location at Eugene.

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Officer in Roseburg—

Samuel Storey, an officer of the Oregon-Utah Sugar Company, arrived here last evening from Grants Pass and will spend the next few days conferring with Douglas County ranchers. Mr. Storey says more sugar beets will be grown in Douglas County this year than ever before and he believes the Grants Pass plant will be able to operate at full capacity for several months. Mr. Storey is making his headquarters at the Umpqua Hotel.

Scottsburg Man Here—

H. Burchard, one of the best known residents of northwestern Douglas County, arrived here last evening from Scottsburg and will spend the next two or three days here looking after business matters. Incidentally, he will attend the annual Strawberry Carnival which began here yesterday. Mr. Burchard says business conditions are quite prosperous in the vicinity of Scottsburg and the farmers anticipate higher prices for their products this year than ever before.

Drain People Here—

Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Canfield, of Drain, arrived here last evening to visit with friends and attend the carnival. They are registered at the Umpqua Hotel. Dr. Canfield is well known in Roseburg, where he has visited on several occasions during the past few years.

Will Sell Novelties —

The members of the Fourth Company, Coast Artillery, this morning entered upon the campaign of selling the carnival novelties for the committee in charge of the event. In reciprocation for the interest taken in the carnival by the soldiers, all surplus funds in the treasury at the close of the carnival will be donated to the local hospital corps.

Taken to Oakland—

Mrs. Scott Lander, who some time ago underwent an operation for appendicitis at Mercy Hospital, went to Oakland yesterday where she will spend some time at the home of her father. She is much improved in health and anticipates no further trouble. Drs. A. F. Sether and E. B. Stewart performed the operation.

Eugene Lady Here—

Mrs. George Lill, owner of the McClallen Hotel property here, arrived in Roseburg last evening to attend the Strawberry Carnival. Mrs. Lill very liberally donated the quarters in which the eugenics contest was held today.

Alligators On Exhibition—

Charles Lerry today placed on exhibition the three alligators which he purchased recently from the Wells Fargo Express Company. The alligators are quite a curiosity, and Mr. Lerry predicts that several hundred people will witness their maneuvers before the close of the carnival tomorrow night. A part of the proceeds realized from the alligators will be donated to the local Red Cross Society.

Marriage License Issued—

A marriage license was issued here this morning to William A. Morian and Mrs. Alyda Eckman, both residents of this city. Mr. Morian is a Southern Pacific brakeman and has many friends in this city. Mrs. Eckman was previously employed at the Rose confectionery store and is quite well known. It is understood that they will be married this evening.

Banker in Roseburg—

E. Schrepel, a Corvallis banker, arrived in Roseburg yesterday and spent today inspecting some property which he owns in this city. Mr. Schrepel says the people of Corvallis are much interested in the present war and many young men of that vicinity have already enlisted in the various branches of the military service.

Jury in Roseburg—

Alfred Jury, a well known banker of Cottage Grove, arrived in Roseburg early Thursday and spent the day at the courthouse consulting the records. Mr. Jury says business is improving in the vicinity of Cottage Grove, and the merchants and ranchers of that locality predict a very prosperous season.

Visited At Glendale—

W. H. Canon and wife, the former of whom is Register of the United States Land Office, stopped off at Glendale for a day while enroute from Roseburg to Grants Pass, where they are visiting with friends. While at Glendale Mr. Canon gave out considerable information regarding the O. & C. railroad grant lands, which are soon to be thrown open to entry.

Tobacco Dealers Warned—

Under a new law which becomes effective on May 21, tobacco dealers will be prohibited from selling or giving cigarettes to minors. The law is very rigid and the penalty for violation of the act is quite severe. District Attorney George Neuner says the law will be strictly enforced in Douglas County.

Mohair Still Soars—

Reports received here today from Cottage Grove were to the effect that mohair sold there a few days ago at 48 cents a pound. This is said to be the highest price paid for the product in Oregon since the close of the Civil War.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

The Denn Transfer and Storage Company has moved its office from Jackson street to 410 West Cass street. Phone 128.

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AUTO STAGE LINE DEPOT.

Daily stages and autos for Marshfield and all Coos Bay points, also for Peel and Millwood, leave O. W. Rapp's grocery store, 123 Sheridan street. Cash paid for produce along the line.

New Manager Is Busy—

O. B. Frank, new manager of the local light and water company, who will succeed Harry Gall after June 1, spent today with William Pollman, the general manager, making several trips of inspection to various parts of the system in order to familiarize himself with the details of the plant. Mr. Frank will probably leave tonight on his return to Chehalis, where he was formerly located, and will return soon after with his family. He is well pleased with his transfer to this city and anticipates a pleasant residence. He will probably return in time to more fully adjust himself to his new duties before actually taking charge.

Nichols in Roseburg—

County Commissioner B. F. Nichols, of Riddle, arrived here last evening and is registered at the Umpqua Hotel. He returned recently from a trip throughout the southern part of the county, where he inspected many of the roads to be improved there during the present year.

Herbert Nunn Here—

Herbert Nunn, state highway engineer, arrived in Roseburg late last night after several days spent at Medford, Ashland and other Southern Oregon towns. He will spend two or three days in this vicinity inspecting roads and conferring with the county officials.

League Session Opens—

Several Roseburg people left here last night for Ashland, where they will spend the next three days attending the district meeting of the Epworth League. Two or three Roseburg young ladies are scheduled to deliver talks before the convention.

Circulars Are Here—

Roseburg bankers today received circulars from the United States Treasury Department giving complete information on the war bonds which are to be issued by the Government to finance the present war between the United States and Germany. From a study of the instructions received here, local banks have concluded that subscriptions already made, although small in number and insignificant in amount, will have to be rewritten on the prescribed bonds since none will be acceptable unless made on this form and accompanied by at least two per cent of the amount of bonds proposed to be taken.

Carnival Is Praised—

The Cottage Grove Sentinel in its last issue spoke as follows regarding the Strawberry Carnival which is now in progress here: The annual Strawberry Carnival opened at Roseburg today. This is always a big event in the life of the city on the Umpqua and is the occasion of three days of hilarity. The luscious, red strawberries are served in profusion to visitors and everybody is shown a big time. The Eugene Radiators will be special guests at the carnival this year, and a large number will go from Portland. Several went from here.

Has Accepted Position—

Miss Florence Johnson, of Glendale, has accepted a position as teacher at Azalea during the coming year and will assume her duties in September. She is said to be a very popular instructor.

Was at Canyonville—

Word was received here this morning to the effect that Paul Bauer, recruiting officer at Grants Pass, spent yesterday at Canyonville where he secured several enlistments for the army.

Prominent Man Here—

G. L. Oman, northwest manager of the Pacific States Electric Company, arrived here on train No. 16 last night and spent today in the city attending the Strawberry Carnival. Mr. Oman is very much pleased with Roseburg and stated that it is his present intention to establish a home in this valley at some future date. He was accompanied here by H. B. Rogers, local representative of the company. Both Mr. Rogers and Mr. Oman are making their headquarters at the Umpqua Hotel. Mr. Rogers will leave soon for Spokane, where he will have charge of a branch house.

Community Sing Saturday—

It was announced here this morning that all arrangements had been completed for the community sing, which will be held in the court of the Elks' club at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Corvallis band will be in attendance at the concert to furnish the accompaniment for the singers. Daisy Beckett Middleton, who is connected with the musical department of the University of Oregon, will participate in the concert.

Many Books Donated—

Latest reports indicate that approximately 650 books are now on the shelves at the public library, which was established here a few days ago. Those who have books they wish to give to the library should notify Mrs. William Bell, by telephone or card, and she will promptly arrange to have an auto call for them.

Concerts Are Enjoyed—

The O. A. C. band, which is considered one of the best musical organizations in the state, this morning rendered a delightful concert in front of the Umpqua Hotel. The several numbers were much appreciated and the handsome were liberally applauded by the crowd that assembled.

Funeral Held Friday—

The funeral of the five-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hatfield who died at Green Lite Wednesday, was held at the Masonic cemetery here yesterday afternoon. The funeral was attended by quite a large crowd, with Rev. W. H. Eaton, pastor of the Baptist Church, officiating. Mr. Hatfield was at one time principal of the Rose school here and is well known in this vicinity.

Strawberries on Evergreens—

D. J. Jarvis, the Cass street merchant, originated a clever idea this morning, when he brought several ripe strawberries from his garden at his place on Flint street, and placed them on the branches of the evergreen tree in front of his establishment. They attracted much attention and a card attached to the tree announced: "Burbank special—not ripe yet, but will be in June."

Student at Harvard—

Lamar Tooze, brother of Miss Ethel Tooze, a teacher in the Roseburg schools, who is now attending college at Harvard, has been accepted by the officers' reserve corps and will soon go to the training camp at Plattsburg, New York. Tooze was a member of the Ford peace party, and is a newspaper writer of more than ordinary ability.

Delegates Go To Ashland—

Several delegates from this city left this morning for Ashland to attend the convention of the Epworth League, which takes place there tomorrow. Those going from here were Stella Krohn, Dot Grounds, Margeret Bremner and Clifton Zimmerman.

Rev. Douglas Returned—

Rev. S. A. Douglas returned to Grants Pass this morning, following a visit with friends in this city. Rev. Douglas was formerly minister here, where he has a large circle of acquaintances. Mrs. Douglas will remain here, where she will visit during the carnival.

Arrived From Portland—

Mrs. E. T. Morian and daughter, Gladys, arrived this morning from Portland, to be the guests of Mrs. Roy Catching. They were accompanied by Mrs. A. T. Morian, and will remain until after the carnival.

Entertains Classmate—

Miss Katherine DeVoe arrived last evening from Eugene, where she is attending the University of Oregon, to spend the week-end here. She was accompanied by Miss Margaret McKim, who will be her guest during the carnival.

Eugene Girl Here—

Miss Martha Estabrook, a former high school girl of this city, arrived last evening from Eugene, where she has been attending school, to visit with friends here for a few days. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. John Estabrook.

Visits Binger Hermann—

T. Mannell Hermann, of Coos County, arrived here last evening to spend several days visiting here with his brother, Hon. Binger Hermann, and other friends in the city.

DEBATE WAS HELD AT CAMAS VALLEY

THE DEBATE WAS HELD IN THE CAMAS VALLEY SCHOOL BUILDING AND WAS ATTENDED BY TEACHERS, PATRONS AND PUPILS.

BASKETBALL GAME WAS PLEASING

The Camas Valley Schools Are in Excellent Condition and Much Has Been Accomplished by the Students.

The patrons, teachers and pupils of the Camas Valley school witnessed a very interesting debate Friday afternoon, May 11th, when the winning teams of a series of debates met for the final debate. Each team had won two debates, and had not lost any. The subject for the final debate was selected a few minutes before the debate began, whereas in the other debates considerable material was secured from the state library, and several weeks devoted to preparation for the debates.

Early in the spring the eight pupils in the high school each chose a colleague from among the grade pupils, thereby making eight teams of two members each. It was planned that the first round of debates would eliminate four teams, the second round would eliminate two teams, and the final contest would decide the winner. The subject for the first debate was, "Resolved, that fishing is of more importance than grazing." The negative team, consisting of Edward Wilson and Annabelle Coon, was the winner. The subject for the second debate was, "Resolved, that the invention of the cotton gin did more for humanity than did the invention of the steamboat." The affirmative team, consisting of Paul Jones and Ercel Baker, won the decision. The subject for the third debate was, "Resolved, that on the whole the New England colonists treated the Indians fairly." The affirmative team, composed of Victor Denn and Beryl Meisinger, was successful. The subject for the fourth debate was, "Resolved, that Edison is a greater benefactor than Burbank." The decision was rendered in favor of the negative team, consisting of George Meisinger and Bernard Denn. The subject for the fifth debate was, "Resolved, that the U. S. should take possession of Mexico." The decision was rendered in favor of Paul Jones and Ercel Baker, who upheld the affirmative side of the question. The subject for the sixth debate was, "Resolved, that since we have the initiative and referendum there is no further need of the State Legislature." The negative team, composed of Victor Denn and Beryl Meisinger, was successful in obtaining the decision in their favor.

The subject for the final debate was, "Resolved, that country life is more desirable than city life." Victor Denn and Beryl Meisinger, who were upholding the affirmative side of the question, were successful in obtaining the decision, and therefore were declared winners of the series of debates. Mrs. Scranton, Miss Alice Scranton and Miss Bessie Brown acted as judges for the debates.

The boys of the Camas Valley school defeated the fast Looking Glass basketball team in a game on the home floor Saturday afternoon, May 12th. The game was rough at times, but was thoroughly enjoyed by the spectators. The locals were considerably outweighed by the visitors, yet they succeeded in winning the game by a score of 19 to 16. The boys are jubilant over their victory, and feel that they have, in a measure, evened up matters, since they suffered a defeat at the hands of the Looking Glass boys a short time ago.

The line-up was as follows:

Looking Glass		Camas Valley
Heard	F.	Baker
Jackson	F.	Hildebrand
Myers	C.	Meisinger
Crow	G.	Goodman
Crow	G.	Jones

Basketball season over, the boys are looking forward to a field meet which is to be held at Looking Glass on May 26th. The following schools will be represented in the meet: Melrose, Dillard, Looking Glass, Ten Mile and Camas Valley.

Meeting Here Saturday—

All arrangements have been completed for the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Umpqua Valley Fruit Union, which will be held at the local headquarters of the organization tomorrow. Probably the most important matter to be considered at the meeting will be the returns from the broccoli shipped from Roseburg and vicinity to the Chicago markets during the past season. Early returns indicated that growers will realize approximately $1.20 a crate for their product, which is one cent less than they received last season.

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