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

Birthday Party at M. E. Church—

One hundred guests responded to the unique invitations sent out by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church, for a birthday party in the parlors of the church Thursday evening. The rooms were profusely decorated with roses and centering the table was a huge birthday cake with 12 candles. J. E. McClintock, as master of ceremonies, asked the company to divide themselves into 12 groups, representing the months of the year. A captain from each group then came to the table, blew out one of the candles, made a dash and drew one of the ribbons, at the end of which was attached a card giving directions for the entertainment of his party. An evening of rare entertainment followed, with cartooning, a song reversed, an original poem, a tug-of-war and pantomimes. Late in the evening very delicious refreshments were served. The committee on arrangements was composed of Mrs. Orcutt, Mrs. Huey, Mrs. Downey, Mrs. McClintock and Mrs. A. C. Marsters.

Home Missionary Society—

Mrs. J. E. McClintock invited the ladies of the Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church to meet with her on Thursday afternoon. The usual business sessions were held, at which time the following officers were elected: Mrs. F. H. Churchill, president; Mrs. J. E. Lewis, vice president; Mrs. A. N. Orcutt, recording secretary; Mrs. J. W. Young, corresponding secretary and Mrs. A. S. Huey, treasurer. A short program was rendered, which marked the opening of contributions to the mite box, and this was followed by a congenial social hour. During the afternoon Mrs. A. N. Orcutt and Miss Sylvia Marsters delightfully entertained with vocal solos.

Baptist Ladies' Aid—

Mrs. A. H. Amadon and Mrs. T. A. Raffety very cordially entertained the ladies of the Baptist Aid Society on Thursday afternoon at the latter's home, which was arranged in pretty effect with red and white roses. The early part of the occasion was occupied with the regular business meeting, after which the ladies enjoyed a happy social hour. Late in the afternoon the hostess served the daintiest of refreshments to their guests.

Presbyterian Aid—

The usual business meeting was the occasion for the gathering of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid at the church Thursday afternoon. The next session, next week, will be a social occasion and will be held in the parlors of the church. It will mark the closing of the year for the society.

Musical Class Entertained—

Mrs. Chas. Stanton recently entertained the members of her musical class with an all-day picnic at Bellows Grove. The day was very pleasantly spent with various amusements beneath the trees and at noon a delightful picnic lunch was spread.

Attend Funeral Here—

Mrs. William Robertson, widow of the veteran who died at the Soldiers' Home last Tuesday, arrived here last evening from Klamath Falls. She was accompanied by their son, W. H. Robertson. The funeral was held at the Soldiers' Home at 10 o'clock this morning.

Architect Returns—

Lewis Irvin Thompson, of Portland, architect for the new Soldiers' Home hospital here, who had been touring California by automobile, arrived last evening on his return home. He expects to be back in a few days when he will make an inspection of the local building. He was accompanied on the trip by his wife.

Chautauqua Meeting—

An important meeting of the Chautauqua grantors will be held Friday, the 22nd, in the offices of McClintock & Geddes. It is absolutely necessary that all be there at 7:30 sharp, as questions concerning the Chautauqua must be determined at this meeting, so Secretary Heinline announces.

Chicago People Visit—

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hiner, who had been visiting their brother, J. M. Moore, on South Deer Creek, for several days, left Saturday afternoon enroute to their home in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Hiner arrived here from Chicago and are enjoying a pleasure trip of the coast.

Surprise Farewell Party—

Miss Lillian Kruger, who is to attend summer school at the Monmouth normal school, was very happily surprised at her home at Dixonville on Thursday evening, when about forty of her friends gathered there for a farewell party. The evening was spent with out-of-door games and dancing in the Dixonville auditorium. At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served.

Farewell Dinner Party—

Mrs. John Culver was hostess at dinner last Thursday evening, honoring Miss Neil Mullen, who was to leave on an extended Eastern trip. Seated at the prettily appointed table were: Miss Nell Mullen, Miss Esther Blakely, Geo. Culver, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. John Culver.

Left For Portland—

T. J. Brown, of Agness, Curry County, who had been attending to business matters for a week or two, left for Portland this morning. He will look after some business affairs in that city and then leave for his home. He is engaged in mining.

Leaves For Portland—

Mrs. J. E. Laing, of Portland, who had been to Ashland, Medford and other points, left for home this morning. She stopped over here a few days to visit with her husband.

Visited Mother Here—

Mrs. O. D. Jennings, a resident of Roseburg about three years ago and a daughter of Mrs. W. C. Anderson, left this morning after a few days' visit for Oakland. After spending a few days with friends there she will return to her home at Portland.

Seattle Man Returns—

Charles Van Ornum, of Seattle, who had been visiting for the past three months with his niece, Mrs. Terry Dunham and family, left on his return home this morning.

Sand Point Couple Here—

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney J. Smith, of Sand Point Idaho, left for home this morning after a few days spent with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kitchin. They were married recently and had been enjoying a honeymoon at Ashland.

Crop Looks Fine—

O. Martin came in from his Days Creek ranch yesterday and will spend several days on his place in West Roseburg. He says that 200 acres of his Days Creek ranch are planted to beans by himself and several Roseburg residents. Mr. Martin says the crop is looking fine at this time. Considerable acreage of the place is also planted to corn. He says that two tractors have been working on the place.

Passed Through Here—

Charles Sweet, of Jacksonville, who was arrested at Medford recently charged with loitering about the Federal building there, passed through Roseburg last night enroute to Salem, where he will be committed to the state insane asylum. He was examined by the sanity board Tuesday and was found to be unbalanced. He was accompanied to Salem by G. K. Harrington, an attendant at the Salem institution.

Special Agent Leaves—

E. J. Gallagher, special agent for the United States Government, left for Portland today after investigating the cases of Samuel Slide and George Collins, who are in jail here charged with the attempted robbery of the Riddle postoffice. Mr. Gallagher makes his headquarters at Spokane, Wash.

Banquet Being Plann'd—

Following the regular business meeting of the Moose lodge to be held here next Monday night the members of the order and their guests will enjoy a banquet. This will be followed by a dance.

Admitted to Hospital—

Barton Helliwell, popular deputy sheriff, was admitted to Mercy hospital last night, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis. Drs. Seiber and Stewart are in attendance.

Injured in Accident—

In yesterday's issue of the Review it was stated that Evelyn Quine was injured in an automobile accident on the previous evening. The item should have read that Mrs. Roy Catching was the injured person. Mrs. Catching is also a daughter of Sheriff and Mrs. George Quine, of this city.

New Truck is Built—

Ed. Cockleresse this morning began the construction of a truck body for the car owned by the Sunshine Ranch. The machine will be used this summer for carrying the loganberry crop to this city for shipment after being dried in the vicinty of the ranch. The design of the body is arranged so that as many as 40 crates may be handled at one time. It is a large car and will be one of the best converted trucks in the city when completed.

Assumed Duties Today—

Miss Agnes Pitchford, who was yesterday appointed juvenile officer for Douglas County, assumed her new duties today. Miss Pitchford is well liked here and it is predicted that she will make a very capable official.

Pictures Were Enjoyed—

Pictures depicting scenes of navy life at the Majestic Theater last night attracted a large crowd and were thoroughly enjoyed by all present. The films were brought here by A. B. Provost, of the United States Navy, and will be repeated tonight.

Meeting Here Friday—

The stockholders of the Douglas County Investment Company, which was organized here recently by Harry Pargeter, will meet at the offices of the Douglas County Abstract Company tomorrow evening. One matter to be considered at this meeting is that of changing the name of the organization to the Douglas County Home Builders' Association. This is said to be necessary because of the state laws governing the acts of these associations.

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PRUNE BUYERS OFFER EIGHT CENTS POUND FOR SEASON'S PRODUCT

Although it will be several weeks before the crop will be ready to harvest, prune buyers are already in the field and in a number of instances contracts have been made with the growers of Douglas County. It was reported here last night that the growers had been offered as high as eight cents a pound for their product, orchard run, but that a majority of them were holding out for nine cents. Because of the late cold rains, the prune crop will not be as heavy this season as previously, and the growers believe they will receive even higher prices than paid by the buyers last year. Although the export trade is not as heavy as before the war, the demand for the product in the United States is said to be more encouraging than ever before.

FORMER COUNTY JUDGE VISITS IN ROSEBURG; VACATION IS ENJOYED

G. W. Wonacott, former county judge here, and one of the best known men in this section of the state, arrived in Roseburg last night from Portland on his way to Riddle and other Southern Oregon cities, where he will spend the next few weeks enjoying his annual vacation. Mr. Wonacott was accompanied here by his son, R. y.

Judge Wonacott left Roseburg about three and a half years ago and has since made his home in Portland. He suffered from asthma during his residence in this section but is now enjoying the best of health. He says Mrs. Wonacott is also quite well and well satisfied with Portland. During his stay here today, Judge Wonacott met many of his old time friends. Judge Wonacott was one of the most capable officials who ever served the people of this county, and he was responsible for placing the county on a cash basis.

EASTERN STAR LODGE WILL HOLD BANQUET; HONOR WORTHY MATRON

Miss Margarite Page, Worthy Grand Matron of the local Eastern Star lodge, will be the guest of honor at a reception and banquet to be held under the auspices of that order here tonight. Miss Page will leave here tomorrow for the East, where she will spend the summer visiting with friends and relatives. The banquet will be a very elaborate affair, according to reports, and will be the last event of its kind to be held by the lodge for the season. Miss Page has been an active worker in the Eastern Star lodge here and is very popular.

Superintendent Visited Here—

J. Simmons, county superintendent of the Wheeler County schools, spent yesterday visiting with friends in this city. Mr. Simmons and party are making the trip by automobile and are on their return to Wheeler County, arriving here by way of Klamath. Mr. Wheeler is a native Douglas County boy and while here went out to Olalla, where he secured pictures of his birthplace in that vicinity. Mr. Wheeler and his companions left last evening.

Left For Portland—

Howard Chlig, of the Roseberg Electric Company, left for Portland on his motorcycle this morning, where he will meet his wife, who has been visiting with friends and relatives at Pendleton. He will probably return here Sunday.

Wilson In Roseburg—

Jack Wilson, of Canyonville, arrived here last evening to spend a couple of days. He says the crops are looking fine in the Canyonville section and the farmers anticipate a record yield this season.

Civil Action Filed—

The Douglas Creditors' Association yesterday filed a suit in the Circuit Court here to recover the sum of approximately $250 from C. W. Robinson and wife. The money is said to be due on assigned accounts. Attorney Carl E. Wisberly represents the plaintiffs.

Visit at Round Prairie—

Miss Eula Strange, of Portland, who had been the guest of Mrs. S. F. Strange for the past several days, left this morning for Round Prairie, where she will visit at the home of Flinn Cooper for a few days.

Real estate can readily be sold, bought or exchanged though the classified advertisements in The Review. A Want Adv. will bring you satisfactory results at small cost.

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AGED CITIZENS MAKING GARDENS

BINGER HERMANN AND HARDY STANTON ARE AMONG THE LOCAL PEOPLE WHO ARE ASSISTING IN THE FOOD PREPAREDNESS CAMPAIGN.

MANY PRODUCTS ARE RAISED

J. B. Horner Says the Example Set By Mr. Hermann and Mr. Stanton Should Be Followed by Younger Generation.

The Review today received the following letter from Prof. J. B. Horner, of Corvallis, in which he lauds Hon. Binger Hermann and Hardy Stanton, of Roseburg, for the active part they are taking in the food preparedness campaign:

Last Wednesday Roseburg was a vast flower garden in full bloom; and because I could not be present at the Portland Rose Festival, it occurred to me that the next best thing to do would be to take a choice rose to my old-time friend, Hardy C. Stanton, who has gracefully passed the ninety-year milestone. For this purpose a well known citizen tendered me the privilege of choosing from his entire garden. But when I plucked a bouquet, the proprietor said: "Here is a rose richer in color, velvet and fragrance, than any you have selected. Take this to Roseburg's oldest gentleman." This I gladly did, for "gentleman" means so much when applied to Hardy C. Stanton.

However, upon approaching Mr. Stanton's residence, his yard of La Frances and other roses clustering in banks that crowded above one another, seemed to suggest that "the landlord is already rich in roses." But mine were the tribute of friends, hence possessed a value other than those of his garden. Therefore, they were placed in the prettiest vase of the parlor, and in that way I was told that the little friendly offering was well received; and the day was made perfect, for a friendship established long ago was stronger than ever before.

Overlooking the home of Mr. Stanton there is a little dale, a portion of which has been set apart as a garden, where there are potatoes, radishes, cabbages, turnips, melons and other vegetables growing luxuriantly. And the conversation was turned to the "man with a hoe" in the midst of that garden; for the man was Binger Hermann, who long ago became a national figure as a representative of Oregon in the halls of Congress, and as U. S. Commissioner. After a very active public life, he chose simple but dignified retirement at the mansion which was his home before he went to Washington; and now like Thomas Jefferson, he amuses himself much of the time in his garden.

During the conversation it was suggested that Mr. Hermann's retirement is not wholly unlike that of the Emperor Diocletian, who, after performing a valuable service to Rome, resigned his throne that he might retire to his villa; and when he was asked to go back to his throne, he said: "Were you but to come to Salona and see the cabbages which I raise in my garden with my own hands, you would no longer talk to me of empire." Which is to say that emperors and others in high estate have from time immemorial envied the high, but too often unappreciated privileges and pleasures offered by the intelligent farmer and gardener.

Therefore, this retired Oregon statesman is not only a disciple of the Roman emperor, but, despite the fact that his garden is very small, he is a valuable exemplar in an effort to increase the food supply in the crisis of the present war. The fact that Mr. Hermann works in shirt sleeves and amuses himself with the hoe while in the midst of his growing shrubs and vines has a tendency to place the practice of gardening higher in the realm of dignified pursuits among his immediate associates; and in that way he literally recommends the laudable practice to them. And his example is very significant just at this time when it is quite possible that the present conflict may result in a long-continued war of starvation, the victory of which will come to the side with the best food supply. No one is more cognizant of this than the Federal Government, which has urged all land-grant colleges to encourage the people to increase the food supply of the nation.

Accordingly the example of the ex-Congressman in his retirement is to be commended, and it is devoutly to be hoped that the practice of home gardening will become more popular until Oregon will be the land of plenty under all circumstances—regardless of peace or war. Therefore, inasmuch as we have presented a bouquet to the venerable Hardy Stanton, let us hand the next rose to the Honorable Binger Hermann.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC ENTERS CREDIT FOR LARGE BLOCK OF WAR BONDS

J. H. Booth, president of the Douglas National Bank, has received a telegram from W. F. Ingram, treasurer for the Southern Pacific Company, to the effect that the company had entered credit to this community through the Northwestern National Bank, of Portland, and the Federal Reserve Bank, of San Francisco, for $17,250 on account of subscriptions made by employes of the Southern Pacific Company to Liberty bonds. This makes approximately $46,000 worth of Liberty bonds handled by the Douglas National Bank during the campaign.

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DONATE PROCEEDS.

The Bellows Store this morning announced that they would donate 10 per cent of their proceeds next Saturday to the Red Cross fund. Roy Bellows is a member of one of the soliciting committees now at work collecting Red Cross funds and he is much enthused over the work. Like the other members of the committee, he believes the Douglas County apportionment will be raised without serious difficulty.

TO DONATE RECEIPTS.

W. D. Hess, who conducts a barber shop on Sheridan street, announced this morning that he would donate Friday's receipts of his shop to the Red Cross movement. The liberality of Mr. Hess in this regard is much appreciated by the committees in charge of raising the funds.

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Dated at Roseburg, Oregon, April 20, 1917.

J. E. SAWYERS,
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