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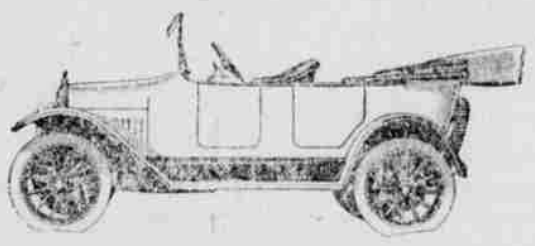

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SCAPPOOSE

Miss Bertha Uhlman is home for a short vacation.

Mrs. Tolly was a business visitor in Portland Monday.

Phil Cloninger has moved his family into one of H. West's cottages.

Mrs. Anna Uhlman was a Portland business visitor last Monday.

Roy Freeman has gone to Alberta, where he has found employment.

Miss Gypsy Johnston entered business college in Portland last Monday.

Miss Gertrude Uhlman opened her school in District No. 34, near Deer Island.

Dan Freeman has returned from a month's stay in Walla Walla, Wash.

D. W. Price and family have returned from Seaside after a two weeks vacation.

Mr. Nickerbocker and daughters Ruth and Edith are camping on their farm in the canyon.

Leland Lapham spent Monday in Portland. He is preparing to attend school there this year.

Miss Athline Tolly visited home over Sunday, then went to Quincy to open school on Tuesday.

Mrs. Gochnour is dangerously sick caused from dropsy, and has been taken to a Portland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper are cosily domiciled in their new cottage and are entertaining their daughter.

Scappoose Lumber Company is turning out lumber fast now, and many carloads are being shipped.

Miss Beatrice Hebert, of Portland, was the guest of Mrs. Dolly Anderson and Miss Rhoda West last week.

Grandma Barnett, Mrs. H. White and daughter Fern and Miss Esther Smith spent the week end in the Rose City.

Mr. Isinblatter delivers the mail on time now days. He has a smile for everyone as he speeds along in his new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Butler entertained Mr. Butler's sister, Mrs. Zona Beals, of Snohomish, Wash., two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Saucer, who have been visiting the Frank Piper family several weeks, have returned to their home in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stevens moved into the Blatchford cottage on the Monte Vista farm, and Mr. Stevens will be right hand man for athe doctor.

A brakeman on the logging train slipped and fell off the train a distance of 20 feet. He was taken to a Portland Hospital in a badly injured condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Milloy ordered a special car from Portland to take them into the metropolis one night last week. The car balked and they had to be towed home by one of our local cars. This item was handed in by a special reporter.

John Chalick, a navy boy, was home for five days. A party was given in his honor at the home of Mr. Havlak. Dancing and games were the pastime and a lovely lunch was served. John left again on Thursday evening.

Fred Wist and Herman Miller were the honor guests at the home of Fred's mother, Mrs. Caples, last Monday night. A large crowd of both old and young were present. Games were indulged in and a delicate lunch served. The boys left for American Lake cantonment Tuesday.

The grandchildren of Mrs. R. J. Frakes have returned to their respective homes—Lola, Verne and Dorothy Fay Dobbins to Portland, where they will enter Jefferson high, and Warren, Lucile and Jane Dobbins to Walla Walla, Wash. They also will begin the school year at that place.

You should hear Mr. Crowley crow during the past week. He is displaying an egg as big as a goose egg, and says he found it in his hen house. The egg is a fine specimen and weighs 4 ounces by tested scales at Watts & Price' store, and the egg is not for sale either. Mr. Crowley expects many orders for eggs when hatching time comes again.

DEER ISLAND

Wm. Seifert is visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. Will Clark.

Mrs. Mary Hammer spent the week end visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Myrtle Davis is spending the week down the river while waiting for school to begin.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. McConnell and family were in Portland last Friday and Saturday on pleasure bent.

Mrs. H. Brynjolfson, of Portland, who has been visiting Mrs. H. Freeman, left Tuesday for Warrenton.

Mrs. J. R. Thiehoff came down Sunday from Portland to help her brother, Chas. Brown, celebrate his birthday.

The Murphy Logging Company has purchased Sherman Bros.' mill and is installing it about six miles northwest of Deer Island.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Meahan will be interested in knowing that he passed the examination but was exempted for the present because he is farming. He is farming 160 acres near Yoncalla.

Mrs. Sawtell, of Portland, came down from Portland Monday to be with her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mercer and family arrived from Washington Sunday to visit Mr. Mercer's sister, Mrs. Homer Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dodson and daughter left Monday for the hop fields near Independence. They expect to be gone a month.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club has been postponed till Wednesday, September 12, at the home of Mrs. S. L. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Meaher, Jr., who have been living at Illwaco, is visiting his parents. Tom's number was drawn and he passed the examination but has not as yet been assigned to the service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Biltner came down from Portland this week. Mr. Giltner came to look after his real estate holdings in Columbia City, which he expects to have surveyed and platted, and put on the market in the near future.

Mrs. Frank McDonald and little daughter Bernece returned Saturday, after a pleasant month spent with relatives and friends in Portland, Vancouver, Yacolt and Amboy, Wash. Mrs. J. R. Smith, who accompanied her, will spend the winter in Amboy.

Mrs. Stanley and son Dean went to Portland Monday. Dean will enter Jefferson high school. He is an earnest student and his friends are glad of his opportunity for higher education. Mrs. Stanley expects to divide her time between the farm and Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Murphy and daughter Eilene went to Portland Monday. Eilene is under the care of a specialist and has to have an adjustment of the plaster cast about every six weeks. Although a mere child, Eilene is a real philosopher and is as cheerful and happy as possible.

The ladies of the American Red Cross have secured the upper room of the Grange hall and will establish a sewing room. Plans are under way to fit this room up comfortably for the winter meetings. The work will be in charge of a competent representative of the Portland chapter. These meetings will be held every Friday afternoon. Everyone is invited to attend.

Thre auto loads, to say nothing of a hayrack loaded to the outer edges and other conveyances, carried the Deer Island Sunday school and its friends to the Columbia river beach last Sunday. The tablecloths were spread upon the beach. The contents of many baskets provided a bountiful dinner, while hot coffee and cold lemonade were on tap all day. After dinner the children found pleasure digging and building in the sand or wading, while some of the picnickers enjoyed a swim in the river and others enjoyed watching them. The day was one of pleasure and the Sunday school wishes to thank its friends who so kindly helped to make the picnic a success.

By request of several patrons, the opening of school has been postponed until Sept. 10, in order that the children may help with the farm work. Other schools are doing the same thing, but it is surely establishing a dangerous precedent. Whatever the necessities of the nation, it has been proved by the other nations at war that nothing is to be gained by neglecting education or by removing any of the safeguards of the youth of the nation. War or no war, the schools should not be made to suffer. School work is too important to suffer neglect. It is to be sincerely hoped that the school year will not be shortened in the spring also, as the same plea that is being used now will be of equal force when springtime planting comes.

NEHALEM VALLEY

Mrs. E. B. North entertained company the last week.

Mr. Wildman and family visited with Mr. Mow and family Saturday.

Goldie Mow visited a couple of days last week with Lois Bergerson.

Weather very warm. We do not wish it to rain, however, until after threshing is over.

Sam Ray returned from the navy Friday, having been discharged because of rheumatism.

Dr. Via, of Buxton, was called to Vernonia Wednesday to attend Mrs. Mills. She was taken very sick Tuesday.

Mr. Westenhouse, of Timber, bought eight tons of hay of Mr. Wildman. Mr. Goodwin is hauling it for him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson were in Forest Grove last week doing their fall shopping and transacting business in general.

Have you heard the wedding bells? Listen! Franklin and his new bride came in on the stage Wednesday. Franklin is going to rebuild the house and stay on the place this winter.

Old Pioneer day was held at Vernonia on the old camp grounds, and was pretty well attended considering the very busy season. The program was very good and the dinner was "gooder" still.

Tom Throop and family were out visiting friends and relatives last Saturday and Sunday. On the return trip a tire bursted, causing the necessity of having Mr. Mills go as far as Timber to meet them.

Word came by telephone to Mrs. Bob Spencer of the sudden death of her father, Will Duggan, of California. We extend our deepest sympathies and regret very much that she could not have been with the home folks.

Dr. Wooden, of Clatskanie, was called over Wednesday to attend Grandma Mills. In consultation with Dr. Via, of Buxton, over the telephone, it was thought best to take her the same evening to the hospital at Hillsboro.

Mr. Berger, of Hillsboro, unfortunately broke the axle of his machine while going home from Rockaway beach with his family. Clifford Bergerson took Mr. Berger out in his machine to Hillsboro, where he purchased a new axle, returning the same evening.

Clifford Bergerson took his mother, sister Lois and aunt, Mrs. Mow, and two daughters, Myrtle and Leona, to Seaside Friday, returning Sunday. They report a grand time. Rather dangerous down there, so Clifford says, as strangers are sometimes taken for German spies.

The ladies of Nehalem are clubbing together and making a donation to the army boys of dish towels and pot holders, each lady contributing five cents towards paying the postage on same. Donations are to be left at Mrs. J. P. Sheeley's or Mrs. M. John's. We don't want the boys to burn their hands while lifting their pots from the stove, as we fear they will get burns enough without that.

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Wanted—To trade a team, 2400 pounds, for younger single mare. M. N. McWhinney, on Hanke place, Houlton, Oregon. 35-tf

For Sale—Modern 6-room house. All conveniences, bath, electric lights, sewer. Price reasonable. Only ten minutes walk to courthouse. Apply N. E. Walker, St. Helens, Ore. 34-t

Ten dollars reward for one three-year-old red and white cow with Ayrshire crop on ears, and young Holstein calf. Jack Appleton, Deer Island, Ore. 33-tf

I have 30 choice lots to sell. Will sell all to one person or one at a time. Harold P. Ross, Bank Bldg., St. Helens.

Wanted—People to know I am running a car for hire. My motto is safety first. Phone A-32 or 64. H. J. Southard. 14-tf

For Sale—A good horse and buggy at a reasonable price. Ed. Ketel, St. Helens, Oregon.

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For Sale—Young Jersey heifers, 10 to 16 months old. Cloverhill Farm, Deer Island, Ore. 30-tf

For Sale—Two Percheron mare colts, two and three year old—full sisters. Will make 1400 lbs. Inquire at Mist office. 28-tf

For Sale Cheap—A number of work horses and milk cows. Address Jack Appleton, Deer Island, Oregon. 29-tf

I have desirable lots for sale near the new Columbia City Hotel. Inquire of or address Willis Bumgartner, Columbia City, Ore. 30-tf

For Sale—Registered Jersey bull calf. G. W. Perry, Houlton, Oregon. 32-tf

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Wanted—By man and wife, position on dairy farm to work for shares or by the month. Address, A. F. Miller, Lebanon, Ore. Lacomb Star Route. 36-3x

For Sale or Exchange—Have young Holstein cow and heifer for sale, due to be fresh this winter; also Duroc-Jersey sow for sale. Want young Duroc-Jersey boar eligible to registration; young Holstein bull calf eligible registration. G. D. Richey, Ravenswood Ranch, Deer Island, Ore. 37-tf

Chester White Pigs For Sale—C. J. Larsen, Warren, Oregon. 37-tf

Telephone G. D. Richey, Deer Island, for prompt and reasonable auto service. 37-tf

For Sale, Cheap—A motorcycle. Standard make and in good running order. P. Felton, St. Helens. 38-1-x

For Rent—A comfortable, well furnished front room, with privilege of bath. Located near schoolhouse. Information at Mist office. 38-1

Dr. Emil Enna has resumed his classes in piano playing at the Guild Hall on Thursdays. 38-2

For Sale—Vetch, oats and wheat—ready mixed and ready to sow. Also recleaned vetch. J. M. Burkhead, Bachelor Flat. 38-4-x