

## OVER THE COUNTY

## SCAPPOOSE

SCAPPOOSE Ore., June 7.—(Special to The Mist.)—Mrs. Holland was a guest of Mrs. Scott part of this week.

Mrs. C. H. Johnston, Mrs. Watts and Mrs. Price motored to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. E. E. Wist entertained the choir Friday evening.

Dana Frame purchased two lots in the East Side addition adjoining Niblock's and plans building in the near future.

The Gerlach cottage is progressing and is being plastered this week.

E. E. Wist has a radio installed in his home. They enjoyed a fine concert Saturday evening.

Mrs. McManus surprised friends when she arrived in town Saturday evening. They have been in California for several years but are back to stay awhile. We welcome them.

Armand Duncan is home from Hoquiam, Washington, and is now employed in St. Helens.

The Scappoose planing mills have completed the erection of steam pipes and boiler for their dryer and are now busy filling orders.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eilers were guests of Mrs. Clougher last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter MacMartin are moving out near Oregon City this week.

The report of iron ore industry is very promising. They expect everything going in full blast in thirty days.

The Wholesome Thots club met Monday night dug the ditch and laid the pipe for water supply for the church and parsonage. They were afterwards treated to ice cream and cake by friends who appreciated their efforts.

The Parker-Schram company were inspecting the new water system on Tuesday preparatory to turning it over to the city.

At the council meeting Monday night Mr. Jaloit of the Columbia stages was present and made a personal plea for modification of his license fee. The sidewalk committee was urged to get people busy on their sidewalks. The water rate was set at \$2.00 per month and \$3.00 a year for sprinkling privileges.

The regular monthly meeting of the Commercial club was held last Thursday evening. A favorable report from Mr. Wist on the possibility of electricity also an interesting report from S. G. Smith on road improvement was given. All committees regular and special, gave favorable reports on the spring opening.

Many of our citizens are planning to attend the registered Holstein auction sale of Wist Bros. next Wednesday, June 14th. It promises to be interesting.

Mrs. P. A. Frakes has returned home after spending a week in Hillsboro and Tobias, visiting with her daughter, Lulu and her son, J. H. Dobbins and family. Mrs. Frakes returned feeling much improved in health.

Mrs. Lulu Lauchen attended the Shriner's banquet at the Multnomah hotel, Portland, Monday, June 5th. Children's Day exercises will be held Sunday morning. The program is in charge of Mrs. Boster and it promises to be good. C. E. at 7 p. m.

Mrs. Bushman reports her daughter, Lulu as slightly improved.

Thomas Collison, an employee on the J. D. Honeyman ranch was drowned Sunday while after cattle. Mr. Johnson was on horseback and shouted a warning to Mr. Collison and Allen Bacheider who were driving but the warning was evidently not heard. The body of the wagon swung off and Allen clung to it until he could be assisted. Collison who was driving went down and one of the horses. He was about 65 years of age. The body was recovered and a sister living in Portland notified. Just about two years ago a young man named Trachsel was drowned there.

The Abbie Upt. chapter of Westminster Guild of Rose City Park Presbyterian church, Portland, picked Decoration day on the George Frakes farm. A spot was chosen by Mrs. James Pomeroy. About seventy-five enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Frakes. After dinner a ball game was indulged in. This chapter of the guild is the largest in Portland and only one in the U. S. to have men as members. Mrs. J. W. McMichael is leader and Miss Isa Wasson, president. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pomeroy and Mrs. P. A. Frakes were guests of the guild.

After an illness of over two years Mrs. Harriet M. Wilson passed to her eternal home Thursday morning, June 8. Mrs. Wilson was the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Wikstrom, was born near St. Helens on September 14, 1891 and has spent most of her life in Columbia county. She leaves besides her parents, six sisters and two brothers. Funeral services will be held at the family home Friday, June 9 at 11 a. m., conducted by Rev. Bond of the local church. Interment will be in Fairview cemetery.

## WARREN

That Columbia county is deserving of the highest exploitation is assured. Warren district has beaten the famed Hood River district in early production of berries this season by 10 days. Nature has provided for this section some wonderful advantages. Practically free from early or late frosts which are prevalent in other sections it has a wonderful fruit producing future. Had any other section accomplished what Warren has in early berry production the publicity would be taken advantage of and broadcasted everywhere. If Hood River has any advantages they are exploited by the Chamber of Commerce. What is the matter with the St. Helens organization? Do they know that Warren

joins St. Helens? Let them investigate!

The vegetable growers of Warren met on Friday night at Erickson's hall. All were present except one member. Arrangements are completed to market the produce. About eighteen acres have been planted to all kinds of vegetables and will be marketed by F. H. Taylor. St. Helens will be supplied first after which the product will be shipped. The gardens are looking fine and green peas, radishes, lettuce and green onions are now ready for marketing. A very high class of early berries have been sent to the market since a week ago last Wednesday which puts Warren among the very early sections of berry producing in Oregon. The public market would be a valuable thing now.

O. E. Erickson spent Friday in Portland.

Leo Farr is home helping "dad," and in that way enjoying his summer vacation.

H. O. Morris spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland.

Mrs. John Geil, Mrs. Clint Miller, Mrs. E. Bisbee and Miss Bisbee of Portland were guests of Mrs. Porter Loomis on Thursday.

F. M. Bendure and Miss Zella Bendure were callers at Warren on Saturday. They have just returned from a winter's sojourn in California.

## DEER ISLAND

DEER ISLAND, Ore., June 7.—(Special to The Mist.)—The many friends of Mrs. May McBride Newton will be pleased to know that she is some improved but will have to undergo an operation later. She is at Salem at present and is under the care of a special nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. English visited with Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Perry Sunday.

Mrs. Adams and Florence were Portland visitors Monday.

Ida and Fern Leach are visiting with relatives in Kelso during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Judisch visited in Portland Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Kelley returned from Portland Saturday where she has been visiting the past ten days.

Miss Ruth Hunter and Ted Repeto were Portland visitors Tuesday.

The friends of Mrs. Jim Cox will be pleased to learn that she is able to leave the hospital where she underwent a serious operation about three weeks ago.

Mrs. L. C. Hall returned home on Saturday after a two months stay in Portland.

The water is rising rapidly and the most of Deer Island Live Stock company's land is under water. They have moved all their cattle from the island and are having to use boats as a way of getting off.

Mrs. Helen Shafer is at Seaside for the season and is operating a confectionery store and handling the certified milk from their ranch here. Mr. Shafer will go down later.

Mrs. R. H. Galtens was quite ill far several days this week but is much improved at this writing.

## VERNONIA

A delegation from the Vernonia Chamber of Commerce went to St.

Helena Wednesday to attend the meeting of the county court and bring to their attention the necessity of completing the St. Helens-Pittsburg road. The delegation was composed of B. F. Lane, J. P. McDonald, C. D. White, William Pringle and H. E. McGraw. The residents of this section hope the county court will take the necessary measure to complete the road work so that the road will be open for the entire year.

The Forest Grove baseball team defeated Vernonia on the local diamond Sunday afternoon. The score was 5 to 1 in favor of the visitors. Until the ninth inning the score was tied, 1 to 1, but several errors coupled with base hits enabled the Forest Grove boys to chalk up four victories.

The Twin Lumber company has started a night shift in order that they may promptly fill the orders on hand. In the near future the company expects to put in a dry kiln as an addition to their plant.

For the first time in several months County Commissioner Judson Weed attended the session of the county court. Mr. Weed doesn't feel like a young man, but it is evident he has many years of useful work in his system.

Mrs. E. S. Cleveland, whose home is in Cleveland, Ohio, but who has been visiting in Vernonia for the past several weeks, has finished the remodeling of her six-room residence on Maple avenue. Mrs. Cleveland was so impressed with the future possibilities of Vernonia that she has purchased several lots and it is her intention to build comfortable bungalows which will be rented to those who come to Vernonia seeking homes.

## CLATSKANIE

CLATSKANIE, Ore., June 8.—(Special to The Mist.)—Clatskanie businessmen and citizens will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Eagles hall to reorganize the Chamber of Commerce. Officers will be elected and important committees appointed. An effort will be made to take steps for the assuring of a cannery here another year.

Dean E. D. Kessler of O. A. C. delivered the commencement address to Clatskanie high school graduates last Friday evening. His topic was "What are Educational Requisites?" Those receiving diplomas are: Albert Canham, William Evenson, Burnett Haines, Alice Burke, Helen Burke, Eva Baylis, Malvina Lewis, Olga Rasmussen, Audrey Ferris, Lillian Fogel and Naomi Pierce.

Rev. John Ebert of the Methodist church was elected chairman of the local chautauqua committee at a meeting held last Tuesday night. The chautauqua which will be given by the Cadman Chautauqua service will begin July 2 and will run in connection with the Fourth of July celebration.

A Bake-Rite Oven bakery is practically assured for Clatskanie. It is thought that the plant will be installed in the near future.

A petition is being circulated in Clatskanie demanding the electric company to give all day and night service to fair and equitable rates. If the demands are not granted, it is understood that another company is ready to put their lines into Clatskanie. Practically every business man and user of electric power in Clatskanie has signed the petition.

Eight Clatskanie businessmen have offered to loan the local post of The American Legion \$25 each to build a dance pavilion in the city park. The money is loaned to the legion

without interest and will be paid back only as the floor pays for itself. When the floor is paid for it becomes the property of The American Legion.

The Columbia County Rose show to be held under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society of Clatskanie will be held here June 21. A queen to rule over Columbia county rose fans will be voted upon in the near future. It is hoped by the ladies here that St. Helens will enter a candidate. No Clatskanie girl will be allowed to enter the race for queen.

## BACHELOR FLAT

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saxton and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Saxton and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mohr in St. Helens on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Nagel and Miss Viola Soderberg visited friends in Portland Friday.

Mrs. Harold Beavers and children spent Thursday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Masten.

Guy Lillich has erected a fine new barn on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thorberg of Hillsboro visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Saxton one day last week.

Mrs. Berdahl entertained the girls sewing club with a picnic party on McNulty creek Friday. The girls all report a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson visited the metropolis Wednesday.

Miss Florence Larson was a guest of friends a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCully visited at the J. H. Anderson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sandberg were dinner guests at the Burkhead home Sunday.

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land. It was known as Van Amburg's "Golden Zoo," and old residents there are in every community who will recall it with pleasure.

With trained wild animals in new displays, with hippopotami, zebras, elephants, lions, tigers, leopards, pumas, camels, monkeys, kangaroos and polar bears performing in mixed groups, the Van Amburg educational animals will show that they have something new in wild beast exhibi-



London Circus and Van Amburg's Trained Wild Animals—is coming to town, coming to exhibit on Tuesday, June 26.

The Howe-Van Amburg combination is new this year, both shows, however, are old favorites in America, and the Howe's Great London Circus was an English favorite before our Civil War. The Van Amburg show is the oldest in America, and, in the days of wagon shows, carried the largest menagerie in the

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Pretzels, half lb. package 10c Proctor & Gamble Naptha Soap, 4 b's 25c Del Monte Yellow Free Peaches, heavy syrup, No. 2 cans 20c

Royal Baking Powder, 12 oz. can 40c Crystal White Soap 5 bars 23c Campbell's Beans can 11c

OLYMPIC FLOUR barrel \$8.35; 49-pound sack \$2.09 BLOOMER'S COCOA, It's the best, 15c and 30c

Spanish Olives Lg. ones, pt. jar 33c Pint Mazola Oil 25c Creme Oil Soap 2 bars 15c

Peanut Butter, fresh made, lb. 15c Franco-American Spaghetti 18-oz. can 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c Dill Pickles 3 small 5c

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