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Hops are now 85c. But then—who has any to sell?

Miss Florence Burton was a Portland visitor this week.

Mrs. Bramberg of Marshfield is the guest of Mrs. Keeland.

Mrs. J. W. Kirkland has returned from a short visit in Portland.

There is a photographer in this town and he's a good one.

I. M. Simpson is now living in Portland, his address being 605 E. 58th St.

Gale Prather has gone to California to enlist in the U. S. aerial service.

Mrs. Ed Owen has gone to Portland for a stay of a week or ten days.

A. C. Moore and M. H. Pengra transacted business in Portland this week.

Mrs. C. A. Lochridge left Thursday to spend two weeks visiting in Portland.

J. B. Hiltbrand is slinging an arm the result of blood poisoning in one of his hands.

M. W. Mix and family have moved to their residence property on Third and C streets.

Howard Foster Players at the Isis Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights in popular plays.

Heating stoves are once more fashionable and it is fashionable to buy them of Craven & Huff.

Mrs. Shoemaker is hostess to the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church on Thursday afternoon.

Pictures of Mr. and Mrs. Oren McElmurry appeared in the Portland Journal one day last week.

J. F. Currie was an arrival from California last Friday and is a welcome addition to The Post staff.

Mrs. O. A. Kreamer represented the Pythian Sisters of Independence at Grand Lodge in Portland this week.

Hugh Miller of the U. S. Navy is spending a few days' furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. F. O. Parker.

H. Hirschberg, Ira D. Mix and H. B. Wolfe of the Independence National Bank celebrated Columbus Day in Portland.

J. S. Cooper went after the again this week at Elk City and upon his return distributed a few samples among his friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lichty of Buena Vista and Miss Laura Pettit of Salem were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Chown.

Verd Hill and L. A. Barrick attended Knights of Pythias Grand Lodge in Portland this week. Julian A. Hurley was elected Grand Chancellor.

Mrs. James Martin (nee Frances Patterson) and young son Jones Allen Martin of Portland who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McIntosh returned home Sunday.

Louis Seigel, who purchased some land south of Independence and was going to engage in the berry industry, has been ordered to report at Camp Lewis. He enlisted in the regular army and has been unable to get his discharge.

Mesdames Cooper, Eldridge, Conkey and Ecker returned Thursday from Corvallis where they attended the meeting of the O. F. W. C. They report a splendid time and are full of inspiration and ideas which they will give to the Club later.

D. W. Nickell received a telegram Sunday evening that his mother was dying at McMinnville. He left at once by auto and arrived 29 minutes too late. She had passed away and was buried on Wednesday afternoon. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to Mr. Nickell and family. This is the 4th death in the same family this year. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lichty and Mrs. F. L. Chown attended the funeral.

Dallas Observer: C. T. Bascue, veteran of the war of 1862, was in Dallas during the county fair. Mr. Bascue entered the war before he was eighteen year of age and went through the civil war as a musician of the regimental band. Mr. Bascue was attired in the uniform of the civil war, with many decorations and badges. Saturday he favored a large audience with a number of old time regimental marching tunes which he played upon his snare drum. He was a member of the 101 Illinois regiment.

John Davies has rented the Rich building on C street and will install a plant for the distilling of peppermint oil.

WILSON WARNS OF ECONOMIC PERILS AHEAD

Predicts "National Disaster" If After-War Problems Not Solved Correctly

Washington, D. C.—Persistent industry and steady, conscientious saving must be depended upon to avert the "national disaster" which lurks in the cost of living issue, according to President Wilson. Only increased production and real thrift, he said, can be effective in reducing prices and bringing conditions back to a point where wages and the cost of necessities will be properly balanced. The President, outlining the economic policy upon which the government is basing its fight to reduce prices, made it clear that the principles underlying the campaign for thrift conducted by the Savings Division of the Treasury Department through the sale of War Savings Stamps and Treasury Savings Certificates are the principles which must rescue the nation from conditions more dangerous to the prosperity and life of the people than the war itself.

Increasing wages will not meet the situation, the President said. Wage increase in the great industries of the country under present conditions will only tend to push prices further and further out of reach, and the President asserted that wage readjustments must wait upon the outcome of the government's fight to pull down prices.

"Demands unwisely made and passionately insisted upon at this time menace the peace and prosperity of the country as nothing else could," said the President. "And this contributes to bring about the very results which such demands are intended to remedy."

The President, emphasizing the seriousness of the conditions which confront the country, said:

"We are face to face with a situation which is more likely to effect the happiness and prosperity, and even the life, of our people than the war itself. We have now got to do nothing less than bring our industries and our labor back to a normal basis after the greatest upheaval known to history, and the winter just ahead of us may bring suffering infinitely greater than the war brought upon us if we blunder or fail in the process. An admirable spirit of self-sacrifice, of patriotic devotion, and of communally action guided and inspired us while the fighting was on. We shall need all these now, and need them in a heightened degree if we are to accomplish the first tasks of peace. They are more difficult than the tasks of war—more complex, less easily understood and require more intelligence, patience and sobriety. We mobilized our man power for the fighting; let us now mobilize our brain power and our consciences for the reconstruction. If we fail it will mean national disaster. The primary first step is to increase production and facilitate transportation, so as to make up for the destruction wrought by the war, the terrible scarcities it created, and so as soon as possible relieve our people of the cruel burden of high prices."

Pointing out the thrift remedy for the situation now before the people, the President said:

"Only by keeping the cost of production on its present level, by increasing production and by rigid economy and saving on the part of the people can we hope for large decreases in the burdensome cost of living which now weighs us down."

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A correspondent asks this knotty problem: "A young gentleman becomes engaged to a beautiful young lady; some little time before their proposed wedding he learns she has a wooden leg. Should he break it off?"

Next Wednesday, Oct. 22, the first social meeting of the Civic Club will be held at the home of Mrs. K. C. Eldridge. The hostess will be assisted by the officers of the Club. Each Club member is requested to answer roll call briefly to "How I spent my vacation". Each member is also requested to bring written on a slip of paper some quotation which will be suitable for a Club motto. All non-Club members who are interested in the work are cordially invited to attend this meeting, and all Club members are urged to be present. Mrs. Frank Smith will present a paper on "The Origin of Halloween."

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AT THE ISIS NEXT WEEK

William S. Hart's new Arcraft picture, "The Money Corral," which comes Sunday night is one of the best photoplays in which Mr. Hart has been seen in many a day. It is announced that in the making of the big rodeo scenes for this film, all the cow girls, punchers, Indians and Mexicans within a hundred miles came in to take part in the episodes that required fast riding, shooting, roping, etc. Bill Hart is prominent in these scenes himself. Later the story takes the principal characters to Chicago and the western hero is introduced to the underworld of crooks. He bests them, saves a trust company, wins a charming girl for his wife and is presented with a ranch in Montana by his grateful employer, the president of a trust company. Mr. Hart collaborated with Lambert Hillyer in writing and directing this picture and this combination assures the acme of thrill and human interest for both men are famous for their capable work.

On Monday night, two episodes (4 and 5) of "The Lost Express" will be shown. In addition Edna Goodrich appears in "Treasure". There's a patriotic thrill—a good old George M. Cohan punch; there's a hard-working husband and a jealous wife; there's a stoic army intelligence officer, cool, persevering and silent; there's one of the ultra-house parties with pretty Jap dancers and everything. The picture calls for a wide range of acting on the part of Miss Goodrich. Throughout the production Miss Goodrich's work at all times is brilliant. It stands out as a clean cut performance of a most unusual play.

On Tuesday night, the Foster Players, a company of ten, who are absolutely guaranteed by the Isis management to be high class in every respect, begin a three nights' engagement in popular plays. They have been playing at Salem and Dallas now for seven weeks with great success. It is only because the Bligh at Salem has several big pictures booked for the same nights that the Isis was able to get this company. The movie for Tuesday night is Mary MacLaren in "A Modest Confession."

On Wednesday night, in addition to the Foster Players in their second big play, Ethel Clayton displays her unexampled versatility in her new picture "Vicky Van". Carolyn Wells wrote the book which has been one of the season's best sellers. It is, probably the best of the author's long series of detective novels dealing with the exploits of Stone, her own particular creation. The story concerns a girl who marries a man old enough to be her father. She is unhappy and when she inherits wealth in her own right, conceals the fact and secures an adjoining residence to which she arranges a secret entrance from her original home. She goes there whenever her husband is away and in disguise poses as Vicky Van, a delightful hostess to a gay bohemian set. Later her husband discovers the deception as does a young man who is interested in the unhappy young wife. The husband chokes her in his rage. Later he is found dead. Many are suspected, and then Stone enters and solves the mystery of the dual character and the mystery is solved. The two young people find their happiness together. The added attraction "Love's False Faces" a Mack Sennett comedy.

Bound by a promise made to his mother that he would never again use his revolver against a fellow-man, Cheyenne Harry fell back on Nature's weapons to avenge the outrage that his enemies committed when they put branding irons to his young brother. And Nature's weapons served, and served well. With bare fists he avenged the long series of insults that had been heaped on him as a result of his self-imposed helplessness. But then guile and deceit stepped in. A shot was fired. A man was killed. Beside the body was thrown a wicked looking derringer—a pistol that could be easily carried concealed. A witness appeared to accuse Harry of the murder, and the charge was made that he had never unarmad—that he carried the coward's weapon instead. A frontier jury convicted him. He was ordered hanged. Up to the very day of his execution, his fate seemed sealed. And then—to learn the finish of this thrilling picture, you must see "Bare Fists," Harry Carey's latest Thursday night. On the same evening the Foster Players make their third and last appearance.

The name of Dorothy Dalton's latest Paramount picture is "The Homebreaker." "The Homebreaker" comes Friday night and we warn you to watch out for her. She will teach you a few things. But Miss Dalton isn't the homebreaker. Gracious, no! She breaks up a couple of prospective homes, however. There was the artistic vampire who thought she had Dorothy's sweet-

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heart successfully stolen. She camped him while Dorothy, who plays a traveling saleswoman, was out on the road. When Dorothy gets through with the would-be Cleopatra said female wasn't any more dangerous than Bevo. There is also a he-va-up in the picture, who has an artistic soul and is looking for a mate for said soul—a second mate, nautically speaking. Dorothy reduces the skipper of said soul to a seaman—second-class. It's an awfully good picture, in our opinion. And we think you'll back us up.

The usual big show Saturday night. The leading attraction is Lucille Lee Stewart in "The Eleventh Commandment."

For Sunday night, Oct. 26, pretty and petite Marguerite Clark comes back again. A remarkable situation developed in society when Hilary Farrington, the well known author, on learning that his wife, Eloise Farrington, one of the most beautiful women of the smart set, was about to elope with Darrell McKnight, a society man, not only made no protest, but actually aided the project. situation referred to actually develops in Marguerite Clarke's new Paramount photo play, "Let's Elope." But Mr. Farrington, the husband in question, had a motive in aiding his neglected wife to elope with McKnight, and this was to prove to her that he loved her and that her faith in the man of her second choice was misplaced. Of course, the developments following this unique triangular love affair, tend in the end to bring husband and wife closer together than ever, but for a time, marital discord hung like a thunder cloud over the Farrington household. The developments were not without their humorous side and they will furnish admirers of Miss Clark an hour of delightful entertainment.

VALLEY & SILETZ TIME TABLE

Effective April 1, trains will run as follows:
No. 2 arrives from Hoskins 9:15 A. M. daily
No. 4 arrives from Camps 4:00 P. M. daily except Sunday
No. 1 departs for Camps 10:50 A. M. daily except Sunday
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