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CITY AND COUNTRY

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 Mrs. Hobart Dickson went to Seattle Tuesday to visit relatives and friends.
 Mrs. Rex Womer of Airlie was visiting Mrs. C. L. Irvine last week end.
 Miss Dougherty of Portland has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Helen Kirkland.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper and Mrs. Helen Kirkland visited in Aurora Tuesday.
 Miss Gladys Porter of Oakland, Wash., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. T. Cook.
 The great picture, "Soldiers of Fortune," Sunday afternoon and evening at the Isis.
 The Auto Utilities Co. has built a reservoir this week and will hereafter handle gasoline.
 Mrs. Nancy Whiteaker returned last week from Portland where she has been for some time.
 Do you live in Independence? Then why not patronize her industries. Eat Liberty bread.
 Miss Madaline Kreamer is home from Corvallis and is enjoying the blissful comforts of home life.
 Mrs. Dee Taylor of Klamath Falls is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. George Kutch, and other friends.
 It is reported that the Valley & Siletz will go back to burning wood because of the crude oil shortage.
 Mrs. Esher Morgan and daughter, Miss Lola, spent last week-end with relatives and friends in Vancouver.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. McLeod and Mrs. Nora Mattison were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. McElmurry

The Top of a Man....

The top of a man is the most important part of him. You may take away his limbs and feet and he will still live but if he loses any large amount of his top, he dies. Just as a man's top is so vital to his life and existence so is the "top" when it comes to being well dressed. The most expensive suit and shoes ever made will not make a man look dressed up if he wears an ill-fitting and unbecoming hat. Kreamer is a hatter as well as a clothier and he will show you a most excellent assortment of hats one of which will dress you up and make you look like a man.

O. A. Kreamer

parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hiltbrand.

The annual reunion of the Cooper clan will be celebrated in Albany tomorrow (Saturday). Several members of the gathering will spend Saturday night and Sunday in Independence.

Lost:—Saturday, June 5, between river and Methodist parsonage, leveler, gold chain, leaf shaped pendant set with amethyst. Finder please leave at office of The Polk County Post.

Independence friends will be interested in the news that Belden Owne and Marieta Schinn, formerly of this place but now of Portland are to be married in that city June 21, next Monday.

Mrs. George Parker arrived in New York last Sunday from the Canal Zone. She will visit in Tacoma, reaching Portland Tuesday. She will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper.

Miss Hazel Calbreath has returned from Marshfield where she has just completed a very successful year's school. She is so delighted with the place and the board so pleased with her, she will return next year.

Mrs. L. Damon, worthy matron of the O. E. S., went to Portland Wednesday to represent the local order at the session of the Grand Chapter Mrs. F. G. Hewett also a delegate-elect was unable to attend and her place was filled by Mrs. Carrie Clark, alternate.

At a meeting of the Rebekah lodge last Tuesday night Mrs. Geo. Conkey and Mrs. W. H. Walker gave reports of Grand Lodge meeting in Baker. Their talks were intensely interesting and thoroughly enjoyed. Strawberries, cream and cake topped off the other enjoyable features.

At a studio recital given by the pupils of Mrs. J. Mills-Wegel at her home on South Church street last Thursday, besides playing a group of piano numbers, "Miss Winifred Plant delighted her audience with a Swan dance and graciously responded to an encore," says the Capital Journal.

Mrs. T. A. Wagner, accompanied by her daughter, Helen, arrived Monday from San Francisco to visit her sister, Mrs. George Conkey. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelly from Corvallis were also here to join the family party. Mrs. Wagner is Mrs. Kelly's mother and incidentally 'twas the first time she had met her recently acquired son-in-law. The Wagners will also visit Dallas and Corvallis.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Proppe went to McMinnville last week Thursday to attend the three days' session of the West Willamette Baptist Association. Rev. Proppe was in charge of the music for the three days and addressed the young people on Saturday. The reports show that the Baptist church of this valley increased and far exceeded last year's report. Rev. and Mrs. Proppe were glad to get back to Independence.

Children's day exercises at the Methodist church last Sunday were largely attended. The church was beautifully decorated in an arrangement of peonies, roses and vine maple. The committee on decoration included Missdames Carrie Smiley, Mary Smiley, U. G. Heffley, F. G. Hewett, B. R. Wolfe, I. H. Ingram and Miss Boughey. A very attractive miscellaneous program of songs and readings was well rendered, each number being especially appropriate. An outstanding feature of the program was "The Meeting of the Flowers" presented by Miss Mabel Boughey's class.

A most pleasant social event recently was the surprise birthday party given by Mrs. Gaylord Godfrey and Mrs. Harry Iliif for their mother, Mrs. Robert McKee, at the home of Mrs. Godfrey. Spring flowers adorned the rooms and the several guests busied themselves with needlework, spicing the industry with gay social repartee. Besides a huge birthday cake, which centered the table, other delicacies were served. The invited guests were: Mrs. F. G. Hewett, Mrs. J. G. McIntosh, Mrs. Percy Dickinson, Mrs. V. A. Heath, "Auntie" Ingram, Mrs. Dave Stapleton, Mrs. Wm. Scott, Mrs. Sam McKee, Mrs. Gaylord Godfrey Mrs. McKee, Mrs. Harry Iliif. Other guests who shared afternoon attentions were little Miss Mary Barbary Godfrey and young Miss Betty McKee.

BUENA VISTA

The crops and gardens have been greatly benefited by the rain.

Frank Hall of Woodburn spent the week end with his brother, A. J. Hall.

Geneva Cryderman of Seaside is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Ed Lichty bought a cow from Mr. Butler across the river from Independence last Monday.

A hundred gallon tank of crude oil was found Monday in the river by Cleve and Harley Prather.

Ed Tyler and family of Woodburn were week end visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Tyler.

R. Peerson and Ed Lichty sold "Doc" Black some beef cattle last week for the Independence butcher.

Mrs. George Ground and baby of Medico, California, is visiting her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Ground.

Mrs. Addie Harmon and Mrs. N. C. Anderson assisted Mrs. Guy Hewitt with the lunch last Thursday at the sale.

Ted Steele, after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. N. C. Anderson, left Monday for Alpine to work in a sawmill.

The Farmers' Telephone Co. held a meeting last Saturday night and elected G. A. Wells chairman. They are going to erect new poles and get the line in good working order.

Those from here, that attended the Jersey cattle sale at Guy Hewitt's last Thursday were Ed Lichty and wife and Lloyd Duval, Ed Harmon and mother and daughter, Harley Prather and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb and daughter arrived here Saturday from Kensington, Kansas, and are with Mrs. Holcomb's mother, Mrs. A. J. Harmon. The Holcombs came by auto and made the trip in fourteen days. They expect to make Oregon their home.

Bill Nixon, formerly of this place but for the past few years a resident of Amity, dropped dead in the hay field at the farm of Charlie Kaw last week. He leaves a wife and son. They have the sympathy of their friends in this hour of sad bereavement.

Guy Prather and Alma Wells graduated from the high school in Salem last Thursday night. Those from here that attended the exercises were G. E. Harmon and wife and daughter, Blanche; Mesdames Emma and N. C. Anderson; Mrs. R. E. Prather and daughter, Ruth; G. A. Wells and family and Lloyd Duval. There were 118 in the class.

PARKER

Mr. Peterson, Mr. Lacy and Mr. Horton have been engaged in the wood sawing business.

Mrs. E. Chapin, with her friend Sybil Cline, spent Thursday with her folks in Independence, Mr. and Mrs. Carnack.

Oscar Peterson, who has been employed in the San Francisco lumber yards, has returned home for the summer months.

Mrs. Rebecca Howard of Seattle, mother of Mrs. W. T. House, died at her home last week. The funeral services were conducted from Independence on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Driscoll, Parker teacher, gave a very delightful program at the school house Wednesday evening. The stage was beautifully decorated with daisies and ferns and a large crowd was present.

Mrs. Wm. Sharp and son, Paul, of Portland motored to Parker last Wednesday where they were guests of Mrs. Sharp's daughter, Mrs. A. E. Horton. Mrs. Gaston, another daughter returned to Portland with her Friday morning.

Baptist Church Announcements

The Young People's Society's social which was held in the basement of the Baptist church was enjoyed by all present. A jolly time prevailed throughout the whole evening. There was no opportunity for anyone to be grouchy and pessimistic. Games and eats and business all played an important part in making the evening one worth while. If you were not there you missed a good time. So keep your eyes peeled and look for the announcement of our next party and good time.

Next Sunday there will be some very interesting meetings at the Baptist church which you will not want to miss. In the morning the Sunday school meets at 10 o'clock; at 11 o'clock the Rev. Proppe will

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preach on "What, Why and How of Missions." In the evening the Young People's Society meets at 7 o'clock. All young people are invited to come. An able leader and a timely subject. At 8 o'clock Rev. Proppe will preach the postponed sermon, on "The Remarkable Conversion of an Army Officer." Come and hear this. A hearty welcome awaits you at these services.

Christian Church

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DELEGATE ENJOYS CONVENTION TRIP

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 tion, a gentle rain began falling suggesting that nature was weeping with us that we must part. Mrs. Taylor started us to singing, "With someone like you, a pal good and true, I'd like to leave it all behind," etc. As the voices grew softer we departed with a yearning to return some time, and feeling that "good

citizens are the riches of the city." "The long, long road to Portland O'er hill and plain, by lakes and lanes,

Was the road that led us home."

As I reminisced over the convention, I heard Miss Bertha Davis (a cousin of Mrs. O. D. Butler) and a trio of "bridge sharks" talking about simple-honors and heard the Pullman porter calling for Mrs. "Skeleton," meaning Mrs. C. V. Skelton, our Corvallis hostess last year, I wondered if Mrs. Callahan and Mrs. Castner, who had presided with such dignity and the state officers—Mrs. C. W. Elkins, Mrs. Wm. Bell, Mrs. Chas. Hines, Mrs. Van Zante, Mrs. J. W. Sadler, Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Shilke and others who had graced the convention had ever "made mud-pies, been sent supperless to bed and bounced into a kitchen chair with emphasis that caused them to see stars" like the rest of us. Just then the voice of the porter, "Here we is nearly to Portland, and y'awl aint half ready to git off. Lawdy! me, you wimmin sho am some sights! Come on an' let me bresh yo' quick!"

MRS. CLYDE ECKER (Virginia Southern.)

P. S.—In my oral report at Club last Wednesday, I attempted to give the "meat" of the convention and the great lectures together with the progress and problems of "Women's Clubs". In this story I've intended to serve the "side-dishes." To give you an idea of the beauties of the country and the hospitality of its people. MRS. E.

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