

BUENA VISTA

G. E. Harmon and wife went to Netarts bay Sunday for a few days' outing.

M. N. Prather, Harvey Nash and Eph Young of Independence left Monday for a two weeks' fishing trip at Fish Lake.

E. M. Lichty and wife, Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Root of California were Salem visitors Sunday.

Ralph Lucas and wife of Portland are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lucas this week.

Guy and Ruth Prather spent the week end with their cousin, Addie Gobat, at Suver.

Mrs. G. A. Wells and son, Clifford, and Mesdames N. C. and Emma Anderson were shopping in Albany Saturday.

Mrs. Margaret McClain went to Corvallis Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. I. M. Prather.

J. A. VanNess and wife of Portland visited at the A. J. Hall home last week. Mrs. VanNess is a niece of Mrs. Hall.

Our school will close Friday with appropriate exercises.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Harrisburg visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Prather last Thursday.

Miss Edna Turnbull of Independence spent the week end at the Ed Lichty home.

Wilbur Devine and Mr. Romengar are running a meat wagon. It is quite a convenience to the farmers.

A. J. Hall, J. A. Reynolds and son, Harold, and Leland Prather

were Portland visitors last week. Gladys Reynolds, who has been teaching at Albany, is home for her summer vacation. She has been employed for another year.

Sam Irvine and Mr. Pincus have a fine prospect for a bumper hop crop.

Gilbert Loy of O. A. C. was a week end visitor at the parental home.

The Ladies Rural Club met at the home of Mrs. Morgan last Thursday. There were 12 members present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. F. P. Grounds acted as president. After the usual routine of business light refreshments were served by the hostess. Next meeting will be at the farm home of Mrs. Grounds.

THE OLD POWDER HOUSE



This reproduction of the old powder house on Burlal Hill, Plymouth, Mass., recently was presented to the city of Plymouth by the American Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. A tablet at the right of the door bears the inscription: "The old powder house was built here in 1770—This building, erected in 1920, is dedicated to those descendants of the Pilgrims by birth or of the spirit who helped establish American independence."

A drop of printer's ink will make a million think.

Baptist Church

Next Sunday Rev. H. L. Proppe will not occupy his pulpit as he leaves for Portland where he and Mrs. Proppe will spend a few days with her folks. While in Portland Rev. Proppe will preach at the Bethany Baptist church. However, there will be services both morning and evening at the church. Our fast growing Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. Mr. Justin is our Supt. At 11 a. m. Rev. David Braun, a former classmate of Rev. Proppe will preach. Our Young People's Society meets at 7 p. m. Mr. Lester Moore is the leader. At the hour of 8 p. m. Rev. Braun will preach again. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good."

EUROPE IS TAKING TO CORN

Famine Has Fostered a Better Opinion of Staple Crop of the United States.

Carl Vrooman, director of the Farmers' Gift-Corn Relief, says we have created a market in Europe for our corn products by our relief work during and since the war. Our gifts of corn to Ireland during a famine, developed a permanent market for corn in that country. The same thing on a large scale happened in Belgium where Hoover introduced corn as human food during the war. There are now two big mills in Belgium for turning out hominy and cornmeal. The corn we now are shipping into Poland, Austria, Hungary, Armenia and other European countries to feed the starving will ultimately establish markets for American corn in these countries. As the United States and the Argentine republic are virtually the only corn-producing countries in the world, the world's supply will have to come from the western hemisphere.

FIJI ISLANDERS PIOUS RACE

Former Fierce South Sea Cannibals Have Been Converted Into Almost Ideal Citizens.

The Fiji islands, to the occidental, call up gruesome feasts of "long pig," and tales of barbarous cruelty, a writer in Asia states. It is true that the Fijians were once among the fiercest of the islanders. They were the greediest of cannibals, and practiced cruelties that made cannibalism sink into insignificance. Yet cruelty for the Fijians was largely a matter of habit. Even in the days of savagery, they possessed the qualities that make them now model citizens.

Most of the Fijians are Wesleyan Methodists. Nearly every village has its meeting house to which the Fijians are called to worship by the big, musical drums that less than a century ago announced cannibal feasts. In connection with each church is a school. Suva, the capital—a thriving little metropolis with all the earmarks of civilization, including a town hall, a museum, a Carnegie library, a hospital, an insane asylum, a row of shops with plate glass windows, hotels and a jail—boasts several churches and a fine cathedral.

CLIENT APPARENTLY WAS 'ON'

Had the Situation of Affairs in Law Firm Sized Up Pretty Much as They Were.

Earlier in his career Speaker Gillett of the house of representatives was partner in a law firm in Springfield, Mass., which hung out its shingle as "Gillett & McClench."

As Mr. Gillett became more and more absorbed in his work in Washington he gave less and less attention to his practice at home. Mr. McClench had to do all the work.

But he got back at Mr. Gillett on an occasion when the home folks were giving a banquet to their representative and he was toastmaster. He said that he was coming to a place where he did not mind so much because people understood and gave him full credit.

"Only last week," he said, "I received a letter intended for the firm, but the client understood perfectly. He addressed it to 'Doolittle & McClench.'"

"You will understand, gentlemen," Mr. Gillett replied, "that no man, however great, is a hero to his own valet."—New York Sun.

JAP WOMEN SEEK RIGHTS.

The rapid strides which Japan is making toward adoption of Western civilization find expression in an agitation to let women have more to say about the selection of husbands. Today such matters are almost entirely in the hands of parents, who select husbands for their daughters, who obediently marry whomever they pick out. A recent article in a prominent Japanese magazine points out that while men never find any difficulty in getting mates, women must have money and training of one kind or another before they can find husbands.—New York Sun.

PLAN GIGANTIC MONUMENT.

A soldiers' memorial monument, to be placed in Military park, Newark, N. J., is planned to be the largest bronze group in the country. The subject chosen, "The Wars of America," treats in sculptural suggestions a review of epochal conflicts from the Revolution to the World war. The dimensions are 48 feet long, 18 feet wide and 17 feet from the base to the top of the highest figure. It will contain 42 human figures, each 7 feet 8 inches high, with horses added for the effect of spirited action.

HEAVY CONSUMER OF GASOLINE.

"Didn't your boy graduate from college last year?" "Yes, and he tells me he is still 'looking about him.'" "What kind of business do you think he will enter?" "I don't know, but if all the young women he hauls around in his motorcar paid him taxicab rates he would soon be a millionaire."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

PLACING THE BLAME.

Irate Mother—Daughter, I have told you many times before not to let me find you kissing a man. Dutiful Daughter—It's your own fault, mother, I told you not to wear rubber soles.

AN OILY SPOUTER.

"How about that oil company you invested in. Did they find a gusher?" "Only the one that wrote the prospectus."—Boston Transcript.

A Press Notice.

"Here, what do you mean by saying that the costumes of our chorus girls showed signs of wear?" "They were somewhat frayed." "Wear didn't do it. It's the numerous changes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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Josephine County Caves—Tickets now on sale.

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