

# Dayton Tribune

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## Main Street

Miss Lena Stillwell visited in Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Clifford Maynard of Tillamook is visiting in Dayton for a few days.

Mrs. Russell Newman of McMinnville and Mrs. J. R. Heidinger drove to Salem Monday on business.

Rodney Miller, of Sherwood, visited Tuesday in the home of his grandmother, Mrs. William Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hord of Portland visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nicols.

Ernest Duzan has moved into the Ponny property next to the telephone central office.

C. K. Spaulding of Unionvale returned Friday from a business trip into California.

Miss Lena Stillwell visited in Amity Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Randall.

Mrs. F. W. Hord and Frank and Ray Hord and B. Nelson of Portland were Sunday visitors in the Henry Chapman home.

The Grand Island Improvement club will meet at the Grand Island school house Saturday evening to perfect plans for Thanksgiving on the island.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Robinson are remodeling their property on Alder street, occupied by George Kadoma. The house will be quite modern when completed.

Mr. F. J. Peterson, Tartabull, Cienfuegos, Cuba, is making a trip in December and wants to rent a good farm in the Willamette Valley where he will be close to good schools.

James Leckerby and Lowell Hughes of Seattle visited at the A. C. Heston home in Unionvale Friday evening enroute to Corvallis to see the University of Oregon and Oregon State classics.

The Past Matrons club of Electa Chapter O. E. S. met at the home of Mrs. Andrina Matches Tuesday afternoon. A few guests were present. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Howard Caton arrived in Dayton Tuesday from Victoria, B. C., where they have taken up their residence. Mrs. Caton is endeavoring to dispose of her turkeys while here. She is visiting with friends.

J. S. Dellinger, publisher of the Morning Astorian, presented the Tribune with a box of fancy cranberries this week. The cranberries are of the Dunsmoor variety and are of exceptional quality.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morse and Mrs. M. S. Adams of Seattle, former Dayton people, visited at the home of Mrs. Mary Gilkey Friday. Mrs. Adams is remaining for a visit with Mrs. Gilkey. It has been twenty-two years since Mrs. Adams has visited here.

The chrysanthemum show given last week at the homes of Mrs. J. E. Proffitt and Mrs. W. S. Hibbert for a benefit fund for the Mary Gilkey library was well attended and many compliments were given the ladies for their beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lawrence of Grand Island and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Shelburne and Mrs. Elettie Stoutenburg of Unionvale are the first people in their districts to have their houses wired for the electric lights and power line being constructed into those districts.

From time to time the Tribune has included in the local column inquiries received by the Chamber of Commerce for property near Dayton. These inquiries are sent from the Portland office of the state chamber and Oregon people are urged to correspond with the parties when they feel that their property is what is desired.

The meeting at the school house Monday evening to pass on the budget and the special assessment was quite poorly attended. The budget and assessment were approved by the vote. The meeting was a considerable contrast from the meeting in the spring when the school bus and clerk's election was held, the attendance at that meeting was the largest in the history of the school district.

## Movie House Assured Dayton by Salem Man

A moving picture show house has been assured Dayton by C. Greene of Salem, who has taken a lease on the vacant room between the Dayton Pharmacy and Shipley & Filer's. Alterations on the building will be commenced immediately by the owners and include a sloping floor, new front and entrance.

It is the plan of Mr. Greene to have the show house open to the public some time during the fore part of December.

## "Richard Beware!" to be Senior Class Production

The Senior class of the Dayton high school has chosen the play "Richard Beware!" for production sometime before the Christmas holidays. The play is a popular comedy written by Walter Richardson and has proved very successful where ever produced.

Miss Marie Johnson, high school faculty member is coaching the play and tentative plans for production set the date in about three weeks.

The cast is as follows:

A dirt farmer.....Laurence Reichstein  
His wife.....Arlona Gubser  
His son Richard.....Norman Humphrey  
A country maiden Esther Stoutenburg  
A farm hand.....Orange Willard  
Richard's wife.....Cletus Johnson  
Her father.....Ivan Gubser  
A relic of the family.....Elwyn Dorsey  
The first broadcaster.....Lillian Keene  
The second broadcaster.....Hattie Deyoe  
The third broadcaster.....Alice Wagner  
Township constable.....John Newhouse  
U. S. gov't chemist.....William Magness

## Station KOAC Resumes Regular Broadcasting

Corvallis, Nov. 21.—Back on the air after a complete remodeling, radio station KOAC is now broadcasting its daily programs over a new modern 1000 watt set. Programs for the present will be broadcast during the noon hour, from 2:30 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 7 to 8 o'clock in the evening.

Markets, weather reports, brief timely farm topics and a few musical numbers make up the noon program. Afternoons, dedicated to the interests of the housewife, will include the popular Aunt Sammy's chats. Lectures and items of general interest, including some agricultural material, will be used in the evening hour.

Assigned a new high wave length of 534.4 meters, KOAC is now found at the extreme upper end of the dial.

## Coming Events

November 24. Grand Island Improvement Club at school house, evening.

November 28. Pleasantdale Improvement Club at school house, evening.

Thanksgiving Day. Union services 10 a. m. Baptist church.

December 11. Onewa teachers club meets at home of Mrs. Leta Cozel, evening.

December 15. Baptist bazaar, all day.

Mr. Otto A. Lee, Pine River, Minnesota, is planning to come to Oregon in December and wants from 80 to 160 acres of improved land in Central Oregon suitable for dairying. Prefers to be near good school in a protestant community. Has property, free from incumbrance in Minnesota that he would like to trade.

Merrill Hagen, University of Oregon football player, is expected to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hagan in Dayton soon. Merrill has been playing an excellent brand of football this fall and will close his college career at Christmas when the University team will play two games in Hawaii. This trip to Dayton will be his last opportunity to visit his parents before Christmas.

Upwards of a dozen football fans from Dayton attended the annual U. of O. and Oregon Aggie football game which was played in Corvallis last Saturday afternoon. The game was a decided victory for the University who emerged with the better end of a 12 to 0 score. The traffic on the West Side Pacific highway in the morning was described by many as the fastest that had ever been seen. Countless cars practically made the highway a one way south bound traffic of high speed.

## Proclamation

At all times and in all places, men have gathered together at the close of the harvest to give thanks to the Divine Power which has blessed their labors and made them to prosper. Deep rooted in the heart of mankind is the instinct to make grateful acknowledgement to a guiding providence which is above and beyond the work of human minds and human hands.

Our national observance of an annual day of Thanksgiving is a heritage from the Pilgrim Fathers, who assembled at the turn of the year to offer prayer and praise to Almighty God from whom came their strength to endure daily hardship and to face unknown danger. It is fitting that we should reverently continue in this day of prosperity and security the institution they founded amidst adversity and peril.

Now, therefore, in conformity with the proclamation of the President of the United States which come as a recurring reminder of our national unity in the perpetuation of this

American custom, I, I. L. Patterson, Governor of Oregon, do proclaim Thursday, November 29th, 1928, as Thanksgiving Day, and do hereby set it aside as a public holiday.

Let us on this day give thought to man's fellowship with nature in achieving the fruits of the harvest. Let us confirm and strengthen the ties of family life and renew the bond of hearth and home. Let us express our gratitude for peace by extending the spirit of good will to all the world and for prosperity by lending generous and kindly aid to those in sorrow or need. Let us give thanks for manifold material blessings by turning our minds and hearts to the things of the spirit.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the State of Oregon to be hereunto affixed this 19th day of November, A. D. 1928.

I. L. Patterson  
Governor.

By the Governor:  
Hal E. Hoss  
Secretary of State.

## Newsy Items Gathered at the Yamhill County Court House

**Estates Entered in Probate**  
The estates of George W. Keen and Edwes Cary were entered in probate court this week with Phoebe Robinson executrix of the Keen estate and Clara Cary executrix of the Cary estate. The estimated value of the estates are \$13,250 and \$8,000 respectively.

**Budget Committee Meets**  
A budget committee consisting of N. P. Nelson, Newberg auctioneer and farmer, Henry Smith, Sheridan banker and I. B. Shirley, McMinnville farmer, met Tuesday morning with the county court to prepare the budget for the county for the following year. Arrangement of the budget is expected to follow very closely the trend of the past few years.

**No Marriages; One Divorce**  
Not a single marriage license was issued by the county clerk's office between November 10 and November 20, according to court house records. One divorce case was filed on November 16 by Della Hodges versus Charles Mortimer Hodges. Vinton & Tooze are the attorneys for the plaintiff.

**State Paid \$57,427.99**  
Homer C. Parrett, county treasurer, reports payment of \$57,427.99 to the state of Oregon as the last half of the county assessment. The amount is exclusive of the school tax which has already been reverted to the county school fund. The school tax for the last half amounted to \$23,000.00.

**Notary Public**  
Paul Sayre, recent graduate of the University of Oregon and associated with B. A. Kliks, was granted a notary public license November 20.

## Dayton and Amity Play Scoreless Football Tie

Dayton and Amity high furnished the best football game to be seen in Dayton for many years Monday when they played a scoreless tie. The Friday before the Amity team had walloped the locals on the Amity gridiron to the tune of 27 to 0 but the locals made up their minds that what they needed was confidence and a little speed. Throughout the game the Dayton team which is playing its first year, broke up plays, passes and stopped many a desperate charge by the heavier Amity team. John Nichols and Larry Carson were the stars of the day when they smeared on several occasions the Amity ball carriers when they had broken through for a clean field.

**Miss Humphrey Operated Upon**  
Miss Lois Humphrey, of Webfoot, was taken to the McMinnville hospital Monday, where she was operated on for appendicitis. At this writing she was getting along as well as could be expected. Her many friends are hoping for her a speedy recovery.

**Report Being Prepared**  
The county agent's office is busy working on their annual report, which is a review of the agricultural situation in the county in detail. The report is the second to have been made in the county's history and has been found a source of valuable information to farmers and prospective settlers. Five copies of the report are made. One is submitted to the United States agricultural department, one to the O. A. C. extension department, one to the McMinnville library and one to the Yamhill county court.

**Turkeys Being Sold**  
The county agent, Solon T. White, reports considerable interest in the turkey market among the farmers and has been aiding in pooling some orders. Farmers desiring information on the market are invited by Mr. White to confer with him.

**Grand Jury Returns**  
The grand jury returned eleven secret indictments last week and two not true bills. One of the not true bills was the case of T. H. May, Leo May and John Downing, who were arrested for robbery in Newberg September 6.

**Complaints**  
November 14, W. F. Hardison vs. Ella Dorton and W. E. Dorton, mortgage foreclosure. M. H. Kendall, attorney for plaintiff.  
Pointer and Carrie Pointer, action for money. Eugene E. Marsh, attorney for plaintiff.

November 16, E. R. Cole vs. Stephen Schenk, action for money. Mautz, Mautz and Kearney of Portland, attorneys for plaintiff.  
November 17, H. B. Lichtenthaler vs. A. J. Mott, action for money.

## "The Seeing Heart" at Baptist Church Sunday

The Seeing Heart, a religious play given by the Faith Players of Linfield college will be presented for the second time in Dayton Sunday evening, when they will have charge of the evening service at the Baptist church.

The play was given here last winter and was regarded as one of the most worth while events of the winter. The players also give an excellent musical program in conjunction. No admittance charge.

## Aggies Leave Thursday

Oregon State College, Corvallis.—The Oregon State football squad leaves Corvallis Thursday night on the longest trip ever taken by an Oregon state team and one of the longest trips ever made by any football eleven in the United States. Their trip will take them to New York, where the Staters clash with New York University, Thanksgiving day, November 29.

## County Clerk Resigns W. W. Nickell Appointed

Elijah Corbett, for the past eight years county clerk, resigned Monday and the county court appointed W. W. Nickell, well known in county political circles, to fill out the unexpired term.

The resignation of Mr. Corbett has been expected for some time but was delayed until after election in order that the heavy work of the clerk's office during the election would not fall on the shoulders of a new office force. Since the first of July Mr. Corbett has been associated with the American Savings and Loan Association at its McMinnville headquarters. During this time Mr. Nickell has been acting as a deputy in the clerk's office.

Mr. Nickell is well known to Yamhill county residents, having been county judge in 1917 and 1918 and county assessor from 1921 to 1925. Since that time, until he assumed a deputy's position in the clerk's office in July, Mr. Nickell has been farming.

The resignation of Mr. Corbett is much regretted at the court house, where he has a host of friends and admirers, and his many friends are wishing him success in his new field.

## Ernest Duzan Opens Club Room for Winter

Ernest Duzan opened the old Commercial Club room last week to the public and a good number of Daytonites are enjoying billiards and cards in anticipation of the predicted "long hard winter."

## Basketball Season Opens Here Friday

The first basketball game of the season will be played here Friday night when Dayton meets Amity in a double header. Both teams are in good condition for a tussle and the Dayton teams hope to start the season off with victories. A special appeal is being made to all followers of the Dayton teams to attend the opening game and get the team off to a good start.

## Nelta Elizabeth Fell and W. A. Umbanhower Wed

Miss Nelta Elizabeth Fell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fell, of Hopeville, and Wilfred Albert Umbanhower, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Umbanhower, of Grand Island, were married at 11 o'clock Thursday, November 8 at the United Brethren parsonage in Salem, Oregon. Rev. William Blodgett officiated. The impressive ring ceremony was witnessed by the bride's mother and Mrs. Blodgett.

The bride wore a wedding gown of pink satin back crepe trimmed in ruffles of ecru lace. The happy couple are at home on the Miss Maud Williamson farm.

## Churches to Convene On Thanksgiving Day

Union Thanksgiving services will be held on Thanksgiving day in the Baptist church at ten a. m. with all the churches of the city cooperating. Reverend George Gordon, pastor of the Methodist church will deliver the sermon and will be assisted in the services by the cooperating pastors. Special music will be rendered.

## Bridal Shower Given

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Umbanhower were delightfully entertained with a bridal shower party at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Umbanhower, Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Badger, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rockhill, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Wiley, Mrs. Harvey Robertson, Miss Sarella Will, Roy Will and Donald Massey were present. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received and appreciated by the newly wedded couple. Light refreshments were served.

## U. S. Prosperity

So great has been our enterprise and industry that with only seven per cent of the land and six per cent of the population of the world, we produce over 50 per cent of the grains and basic raw materials.

## Yardstick for Towns Found in Churches

In a general way a community can be measured in a moral sense by the attitude it takes toward its churches.

The hallowing effect of the church in a community is marked. The big industries of America consider the church as one of the most important institutions of the day, and are always willing to promote an enterprise which has as its sole purpose the building of the mental, moral and physical. This is what the church aims to do. The church does not claim to be a perfect institution for indeed how can it be with mortals in it; it is evident however that the fact that there are so many people in the churches today indicates that the mass are in search of truth and desire to do right.

The world sometimes criticizes severely the wrongdoing of the church man because it overlooks the fact that the wrongdoer did wrong in spite of his environment in the church. Perhaps the influence of the church has kept that same individual free from wrong action for years. The church tries to teach mastery of self through the aid of a higher power and no man yet has attained greatness who only looked to himself for an ideal. The bible tells us that if there be any good things such as love, virtue, truth, we ought to think of these things. In a sense the church is in the mercantile business and her stock in trade is ideals, and our purpose is to convey to humanity these ideals backed up by honest endeavor to reach out and come in contact with a power sufficient to make man victorious. If we can do this we are of inestimable value.

Personally I have no pet notions to ride to death and try to force others to accept. I have as an aim the advancement of society as a whole by the elevation of the individual. To my way of thinking there is but one lasting way this can be done and that is by awakening the possibilities of the individual to great efficiency in a moral, mental and physical development. This is a program certainly that will challenge any church or individual who care to do something in this world worth while.

We invite the public to attend our services. Church school at ten o'clock. Morning worship at eleven. Young People's meeting at six thirty in the Christian church during this month. Evening service at seven thirty.

George F. Gordon, Pastor  
Methodist church.

## New Electric Line Expected by Christmas

The Yamhill Electric Co. of Newberg announce through their local representative that the unavoidable delays in beginning construction work on the proposed Dayton-Wheatland electric line is at an end and that surveying and setting poles and placing wires to these localities will be commenced at once and rushed rapidly. The company expects to have the current turned on for use before Christmas.

## Reforestation Tract Given College

Corvallis, Nov. 21.—A large tract of logged off land in Columbia county near Kerry, totalling 2400 acres, has just been deeded to Oregon State college to be used by the forestry school in experiments with reforestation. The tract was given by John W. Blodgett of Grand Rapids, Mich., who has long been a prominent lumberman both in his own state and this.

The tract will be divided up by the college with part of it to be used as a field of study of natural reforestation while other parts will be used for planting trees of various species known to do well in this country. Comparison will be made of various treatments and resulting speed of reforestation in order that most information may be gained to guide the state in arriving at a permanent reforestation policy on the 10 million acres in this state useful only for growing trees.

## Annual Sunday School Convention

The all-county Sunday school convention will be held at Newberg Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 23, 24, 25, 1928.

A blanket was stolen from the bed of Mrs. H. A. Gunn of Grand Rapids, while she was sleeping.