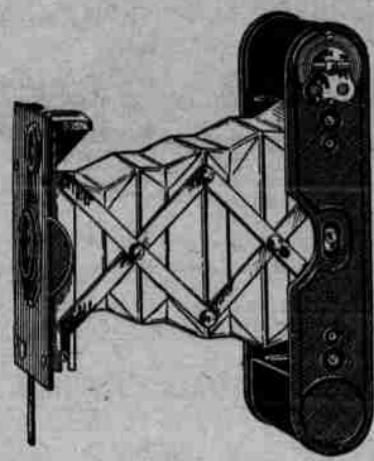


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COUNTY AND CITY LOCALS

Optometry means eye service. John Weismandel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Weismandel, of this city, who has been with Lewis and Staver, of Portland, for eight years, was here this week visiting his parents. Miss Jessie Paddock, who has been ill at her home in Gladstone for several days this week, resumed her position in the tax department of the sheriff's office Tuesday. Mrs. Samuel Roake, of Clackamas, was here Tuesday after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Gardner, of Meddum. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cooper, who visited in McMinnville this week, returned to their home here yesterday. Mrs. Cooper is rapidly recovering her health. Paul Schroener, well known farmer of this county, was in Oregon City on business Tuesday. Ed Olds, of Oak Grove, was in Oregon City Tuesday. R. E. Webb, of Oak Grove, was here on business Tuesday. C. Dybdahl, former employe of the Oregon City Manufacturing company, who has lived at the Electric hotel for the past 15 years, was suddenly stricken with a heart attack Monday evening and taken to the Oregon City hospital, where he was sufficiently revived to leave his room Tuesday. He is 84 years of age. John McMaugh, of Oswego, is at the Oregon City hospital for treatment and expects to remain there for some time.

Miss Leola Fisher, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Hartke, of Mount Pleasant, has been reelected teacher at Burns. She will spend the vacation with her uncle and aunt.

Mrs. S. W. Moody and daughter, Roberta, of Eugene, who were at Maple Lane visiting Mrs. Moody's mother, Mrs. G. H. Mighells, returned to this city yesterday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Stafford and Mrs. Moody.

Mrs. Edward Rayburn, teacher of the Gladstone school, will spend the summer with her parents in the east. Mr. Rayburn will accompany his wife east, but will remain only a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Brandt, of Oak Grove, became the parents of a nine-pound girl Saturday morning.

"Results First" is the motto of Miss Gertrude Wilson and Miss Virginia Shaw, deputies in the office of the county assessor. Several weeks ago, W. B. Cook, deputy assessor, received some prize bean seeds from his farm and left them in the office. The girls purloined some of the seed and planted them in window boxes and tin cans, with a view to experimenting before venturing into the open fields in conquest of the high cost of living. Their experiments give every indication of being successful and they now plan an extensive and intensive farming campaign.

Walter Grossenbacher, who spent a month in California, has returned to his home in Canemah. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Olson while in Los Angeles and met several of the Oregon City young men who are stationed at the officers' reserve camp at the Presidio.

Mrs. Caleb Cross, of Prineville, who visited relatives here and her sister, Mrs. Sarah Boring, at Boring, went to Beaverton, where she was the guest of Mrs. David Vincent this week. Mr. Cross is ill at the home of his brother, Frank Cross, of Greenpoint, and Mrs. Cross has returned here.

George Von Jenison, of Twilight Community, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Von Jenison is a leader in his community and says the spirit shown among its people to cooperate in every worthy cause is excellent. The Twilight Dancing club, of which Mr. Von Jenison is the manager, is going to give a big dance Saturday evening, June 2. The Literary club of the community is thriving and much interest is shown in its activities. The club will meet tomorrow night, Saturday, May 26.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pierson, of Seattle, and their six-week-old son, Frederick John Pierson, are here for several weeks' visit with Mrs. Pierson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erickson, of Seventh and Jackson streets. Mrs. Erickson will accompany them to Seattle when they leave and will remain in the Sound city for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Burns, of Salem, were here this week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Kelly, the former being Mrs. Burns' brother. Mr. and Mrs. Burns are former residents of Oregon City and say they are delighted with their new home in Salem.

James Earl, Jr., arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Morgan at nine o'clock Sunday morning. He is a lusty young man who weighed nine pounds and, being the first son, he caused J. E. to buy the smokes in his honor.

Mrs. Lionel Gordon, of Marshfield, formerly Miss Madge Brightbill, of this city, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brightbill, while her husband has gone to Powell River, B. C., to visit his brother, Emil Gordon.

G. A. Martin, of Molalla, was in Oregon City on business Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ruth Johnson, of Astoria, was the guest of Miss Genevieve Jones Sunday.

A nine pound girl put in an appearance at the home of Judge and Mrs. John N. Sievers Sunday evening.

C. S. Herman, Molalla business man, was in Oregon City Monday.

Mrs. Leigh Huggins and daughter, Alice, of Portland, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Larsen, of 14th and Main streets, parents of Mrs. Huggins.

Mrs. Joseph Nissen, of the juvenile court of Portland, former resident of Oregon City, was here Sunday as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Norris.

Colonel Clenard McLaughlin has been assigned as one of the instructors at the officers' reserve camp at Fort Logan H. Root, Arkansas. Col. McLaughlin commanded the Third Oregon regiment on the Mexican border and holds the rank of captain in the Seventh United States Infantry.

Miss Daisy Larsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Larsen, of this city, has been reelected a teacher in the Portland schools for her 11th year.

The excursion of the junior class of the Oregon City high school Friday afternoon aboard the steamer Georgiana, proved a delightful trip.

Members of the Women's Relief corps and G. A. R. who accepted invitations to accompany the students enjoyed the trip to the Columbia above Vancouver.

Optometry means eye service. Hunters and fishermen who did not take out licenses before Monday will need to pay \$1.50 for them instead of the usual dollar, as Iva M. Harrington, county clerk, started charging the increased rate on that day.

Truman Cross, who is employed in eastern Oregon, was here this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cross, making the trip by motorcycle.

Rev. J. W. MacCallum, of the Congregational church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Oregon City high school graduating class in the church Sunday night. The commencement exercises will take place June 8th.

R. I. Pasco, employe of the Hult Lumber company, was here Friday to receive medical treatment for a badly lacerated hand which he cut by coming into contact with one of the saws at the mill.

A telegram to Frank Dowling of this city, announced the death of Mr. Dowling's daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Huff, of Casey, Iowa. Mr. Dowling intended leaving for Iowa to attend the funeral but was advised that the body could not be held until his arrival.

WANT WILLAMETTE DEEPENED
Petition Circulated by Philip Steib, of Milwaukie

A petition was circulated here Monday by Phillip Steib, president of the First State bank of Milwaukie, and former mayor of that city, asking the Port of Portland commission to investigate the depth of the Willamette river from the Madison street bridge south to Milwaukie and learn if it is possible to make the river 15 feet deep for that distance, so that newly built boats might ply from Milwaukie south.

Mr. Steib claims some big contractors are to be let for steel and wooden ship construction at Milwaukie if it is possible to get the depth required to let the vessels pass. About 100 names were signed to the petition by prominent businessmen and manufacturers here.

Courier and Daily Journal—\$4.75.

WILL INVESTIGATE MILLS
Constable D. E. Frost Takes Frank Martinyak from Work

After taking Frank Martinyak, 13 years old, out of the mills of the Oregon City Manufacturing company yesterday, and ordering him to return to school, Constable D. E. Frost reports that he will make a full investigation of the condition of the mills today to determine how many are employed there under 16 years of age. The mill management, in an effort to comply with the law, requires each employe to sign a statement that he is above the age limit allowed by law, but hereafter the management announces that they will demand a sworn statement from the parents of the applicant in cases where the age of the employe is in doubt.

HAROLD A. RANDS IS OUT
New Law Cutting School Directors' Terms Takes Effect

The new law cutting the terms of school directors in districts of the first class from five to three years, will automatically throw out of office Harold A. Rands, who was originally elected to fill a vacancy caused by a resignation, and George A. Harding, chairman of the board. Efforts are being made to induce Mr. Rands to become a candidate for re-election. Mr. Harding has indicated that he will not become a candidate.

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In every army of the world the foot soldiers, or infantry, form the main fighting force. All other branches of the service are organized in ratio to the strength of the infantry. Thus the number of cavalrymen enlisted depends upon the numerical strength of the infantry organization. For this reason let us consider the numerical units by which infantry strength is estimated.

First there is the squad made up of eight men under the command of a corporal. A platoon made up of five squads and comprising from forty to fifty men is under the command of a sergeant or lieutenant. A company comprising two, three or four platoons is under the control of a captain. A company's roll contains from 80 to 200 men. Four companies make up a battalion under the command of a major, while three battalions form a regiment led by a colonel. Three regiments form a brigade under the command of a brigadier general, and three brigades make a division. Three divisions, if they represent various branches of the service, are grouped into a corps or field army. The division is commanded by a major general, as is also the field army.

"The army" in its entirety consists of as many field armies as a country is able to muster, plus the entire military organization and its accessories. There are a few slight differences between the cavalry and infantry organizations, for the infantry company in cavalry terms becomes a troop and the battalion becomes a squadron.

In the artillery branch of the service there are several subdivisions. At the present time we hear much about the coast artillery, which is made up of fixed or stationary cannon, set in batteries made up of two or more guns within proper fortifications at various strategic points where they may effectively oppose naval attacks. Artillery for fortifications is of a character similar to coast artillery. Siege guns are of as heavy caliber or power as the guns used in fortifications, but are mounted so that they may be moved by motor power or train from one point to another. Field, horse and mountain artillery are exactly what their names imply—the mobile adaptable guns of an army.

Such are the three main "arms" of the army. The smallest unit in which any two of these arms are joined is the cavalry brigade, which sometimes contains light artillery. Thus we may call the brigade the largest "unmixed" unit, while the division is the smallest "mixed" unit—that is, the smallest unit made up of infantry, cavalry and artillery.

The average strength of a field army or corps throughout the world is between 20,000 and 40,000 men. The field army is supposed to contain representation from every branch of the army organization and to be able to act as a complete and independent unit. Virtually every activity of civil life is represented in the army organization, either on its technical or administrative side. The more one delves into army organization the keener becomes the appreciation of the necessity of properly classifying every civilian of military age, that in emergency he may be called forth to serve his country in that capacity in which he is best fitted to give the highest results.

Every tradesman, mechanic, laborer, professional man, artist or poet can be fitted into the vast organization wheel in such a way that his vocation or avocation will be turned to his country's advantage. Wars are no longer entirely decided on the firing line. They are, rather, struggles between the resources of nations, and that country possessing the greatest industrial stamina is almost certain to win, provided it has a reasonable representation of arms in the field.

The private soldier, standing at the bottom of the army stairs, has nine steps to climb before he arrives at the top—a general. His first promotion is to corporal and the next to sergeant. He is elevated to these grades by his regimental commander. The next step to a commission bearing the president's name was formerly the most difficult to negotiate, but it is now fairly easy to take for men who honestly possess the qualities necessary to make the right kind of officers. After he becomes a second lieutenant time and opportunity will give the soldier his first lieutenantcy and later a captaincy. Next he becomes a major. Directly above the major stands the lieutenant colonel, who is one grade below a colonel. At the top, for final reward, is a general's star.

Easy as the ascent seems to the layman, a superficial examination of the facts will prove it a difficult climb, but by no means a forlorn hope.—Richard Smith in Leslie's Weekly.

Cross Purposes.
Miss—What is your name? Cook—Mrs. Jenkins, ma'am. Miss—Do you expect to be called Mrs. Jenkins? Cook—Oh, no, ma'am; not if you have an alarm clock.—Boston Transcript.

Ignorance of one's misfortunes is clear gain.—Enripides.

SERVICES FOR MRS. GRIFFIN
Beautiful Floral Offerings Cover Grave Saturday Morning

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Susie Griffin, wife of D. T. Griffin, were held in the Damascus church last Saturday morning. Rev. W. T. Milliken, pastor of the Baptist church, conducted the services. Many Oregon City folks attended. Funeral arrangements were directed by Myers & Brady, of this city. Beautiful floral offerings covered the grave after the ceremonies.

Painters Organize Union
Temporary officers were elected Monday night for a local painters' union which was organized under the direction of Otto Hartwig, state president of the Oregon Federation of Labor. Clarence Osborne and C. J. Green were elected temporary chairman and secretary, respectively. The charter for the union will be here in a few days, says President Hartwig. The first meeting of the union will be held tomorrow night.

This Convict a Brave Soldier
In the June Woman's Home Companion is the story of a convict who distinguished himself on the Western front. In a letter to a woman who befriended him after his imprisonment he speaks of having been in charge of some German prisoners.

"Friend or enemy," he said, "a prisoner is a man whose mind I understand."

SEEK RAFTING FRANCHISE

Clackamas County Driving and Rafting Company Organized

Application has been made for a franchise for the Clackamas County Driving and Rafting company, which has been organized with James Adkins as president and William M. Smith, secretary.

Logs, lumber and timber products will be transported on Butte and Coal creeks, where it is estimated 500,000,000 feet of timber are available for transportation.

The company plans to build a sawmill three miles above Monitor or to construct a spur on the Willamette Valley Southern from Monitor to where the Mortison mill was formerly located. Operations will commence as soon as the franchise is granted.

FIRE THREATENS HOTEL

Match Carelessly Thrown in Clothing Pile Causes Alarm

Smoke, emitting from the Albee house in Milwaukie, caused C. A. Lakin, Jr., to turn in the fire alarm at seven o'clock Monday morning. Members of the Milwaukie Volunteer fire department who responded to the call discovered the fire in a pile of clothing behind a trunk where a match carelessly thrown by one of the guests had ignited the wearing apparel. A pair of shoes and some of the clothing were burned and the trunk slightly damaged.

BARNETT IS PRINCIPAL

Miss Coralie Amrine Goes to Clackamas Next Year

Robert Barnett has been elected principal of the Parkplace school, and will act as instructor of the seventh and eighth grades, succeeding Miss Coralie Amrine, who has been elected principal of the Clackamas school. Mr. Barnett is a graduate of the 1917 class of the Oregon City high school. Other teachers chosen for the Parkplace school are: Amy Peckover, fifth and sixth grades; Ozella Anderson, third and fourth grades; Marie Holmes, primary.

BOOSTS NEW PENITENTIARY

Lecture and Election at Woman's Club Meeting Today

"Why Oregon Needs a New Penitentiary" will be the subject of a lecture to be given by George Thatcher, president of the Oregon Prisoners' Aid society, in Willamette hall here this afternoon. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Woman's club and will be free to the public. Election of officers of the club will take place an hour before Mr. Thatcher's lecture, which is to commence at three o'clock.

G. A. R. VISITS SCHOOL

Royal Reception Given Veterans at Gladstone School

Members of Meade Post, G. A. R. and W. R. C., were royally received when they visited the Gladstone schoolhouse Tuesday morning. W. T. McNulty, superintendent of city schools, made the address of welcome, to which several of the veterans responded. Following the program of the Parent-Teachers' association, of Gladstone, served lunch to about 50 guests.

CHIEF NOT MUSICIAN

So He Has Leader of Oregon City Band Censor Ragtime

When Chief of Police French received a complaint by telephone Saturday afternoon that a colored band was playing national anthems in ragtime he decided to get a musical censor for he lays no claim to be a musician. So he rounded up A. Kohler, leader of the Oregon City band, who pronounced the music as being properly played. The matter was dropped.

Kenneth Hendricks Ordained

Kenneth Hendricks, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hendricks, of this city, who has been studying at the Bible University of Eugene, was ordained for the ministry last Sunday among a class of twenty. He expects to return to Oregon City about June eighth to visit with his parents and spend his vacation, after which he will return to Eugene to finish his studies, graduating next year. He is also taking a medical course in addition at the U. of O.

Masons Confer Degree

Over 200 visiting Masons attended the Master Mason degree conferred here Saturday night by George Washington Lodge No. 46, A. F. and A. M., of Portland, at Multnomah Lodge No. 1. Every lodge in Clackamas county was represented. C. E. Niles was conferred with the degree. After the ceremonies, a Royal Chinook salmon bake was served to the visitors, under the direction of H. A. Swafford, Tom Berg, Harold Rands and W. Tipton, the committee in charge.

Honor Girls' Patriotic Dance
The Oregon City Girls' Honor Guard will give a patriotic dance at Busch's hall next Tuesday evening, May 29. The proceeds will be used for patriotic purposes. The committee in charge is composed of the following named ladies: Mesdames Agnes Silver, Clifford Ball, L. Blanchard, and Misses Verne Curl, Bunny Owenby, Cis Pratt, Mildred Bowman, Patricia Draper and Martina Flanigan.

Apply for Enrollment
Charles Graham, salesman for the Huntley Drug company, has made application to be enrolled in the ambulance corps being recruited for service with General Pershing's division in France.

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derstand. In the second letter he told of the death of a young German lieutenant. "He was horribly shot up, but he lived through the night. If my German never serves me again it has stood me in good stead, for I was able to take down messages and a letter for that dying chap—dead game he was. As the delirium set in, he thought I was his brother and he died quite happy, talking of our home and our old hunting dog, and a few words from me every now and then served to keep up the delusion. Game little kid—he did his bit gallantly. With better men mowed down around me, I haven't lost so much as a pinfeather. Hardly such luck as to get on the old regiment's list of "killed in action"—but to have the chance at instead of rotting away in prison! These are the richest days of my life!"

"Afterward we had a few lines from his mother, written with the quiet heroism of English women. She enclosed a copy of a letter from an officer in Todd's regiment, in which he said that her son had seemed to bear a charmed life, escaping unhurt through acts of reckless daring.

"The morning on which he was killed, he went out under a heavy shell, rifle and machine-gun fire and succeeded in bringing to safety a wounded man who had been lying in the open. As he was handing the man over the parapet, he himself was struck down. A sergeant told me he saw your son smile as he was struck. When later his body was brought to a place of safety, there was an extraordinary look of exaltation on his face. You gave a brave soldier to England, and the regiment mourns his loss."

GIRLS TO PLANT SPUDS

Work Will Begin on Tract at 15th and Main Friday Evening

The Girls' Honor Guard, at a meeting Tuesday night, decided that the planting of potatoes would begin Friday evening on the tract of land placed at their disposal at Fifteenth and Main streets, in this city. The girls will do all the actual planting themselves. Next week they will begin planting beans in their tract at Gladstone. The regular drill held at the meeting was in charge of Sergeant Olson, who acted as drill master.

Committee Closes Campaign

The committee of twelve, appointed by the Oregon City Commercial club to work in the interest of the \$6,000,000 road bond issue in Clackamas county, will close their campaign this week. They have held meetings in practically every part of the county during the past two months, and report a successful campaign.

The Courier and the Daily Journal \$4.75.

To Build Estacada School

The Estacada Feed & Lumber company was awarded the contract of supplying all of the lumber and other building materials to be used in the building of the high school. This contract calls for about \$5,000. Snook & Travers, Salem, general contractors; Chas. Burgraf, architect.

Trades Ranch for Farm

A. T. Cutting, breeder of pure bred Shorthorns, has traded an 800-acre stock ranch near Durkee to G. W. Donnelly for 42 acres near Molalla and a farm at Battle Ground, Wash. The consideration was \$15,000. Mr. Cutting expects to devote most of his time to developing his valuable herd.

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STOMACH TORN UP

Indiana Lady Describes Condition, Which She Says Was Due To Constipation and Tells of Relief Obtained From Black-Draught.

Scottsburg, Ind.—Mrs. Annie Johnson, of this place, writes: "I well remember I suffered for a long time with constipation, which would get me down. I took doctors' medicines and any number of purgatives. They would leave me in a worse condition than I was before taking, and my stomach so upset... I know once I suffered... from constipation, I was so ill I had to have the doctor, just so nervous and feverish. The doctor said I would have to quit medicines, my stomach was so bad..."

My husband was reading and found something about Theford's Black-Draught and brought me a package to try. I used it regularly at first until I began to feel better, then I used just a dose occasionally. I was cured of this constipation and am sure the Black-Draught did it."

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