

OUR NEAR NEIGHBORS

GLADSTONE

The Missionary Society of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. R. Freytag, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Alex Patterson had charge of the program which opened with the hymn, "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Prayer was offered by Rev. B. F. Clay. The resignation of Mrs. F. A. Burdon president, was read and accepted. Mrs. Burdon resigned on account of ill health. Mrs. F. P. Nelson was elected president. Mrs. B. F. Clay vice-president, also resigned as she will leave in the near future to take up her residence at Cornelius. Mrs. T. E. Gault was elected vice-president. Mrs. Nelson and Rev. Clay told of the life and work of the late Dr. Shelton, who was a Christian Missionary in Tibet. The lesson in the "World Call" was studied. The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. R. McGetchie and Mrs. J. M. Hollowell. Present were Mrs. A. Patterson, Mrs. J. Laidlaw, Mrs. J. V. Odell, Mrs. J. M. Hollowell, Mrs. J. H. Prater, Mrs. W. E. Rauch, Mrs. R. McGetchie, Mrs. K. E. Bauerfeld, Mrs. B. F. Clay, Mrs. T. E. Gault, Mrs. F. P. Nelson, Mrs. G. Olds, Mrs. F. B. Hayward, Mrs. A. M. Carothers, Mrs. J. N. Kyler, Rev. B. F. Clay.

The members of the Euterpean club are the guests of Mrs. Eugene Noon Good at luncheon today.

Ernest Freytag, who underwent an operation on his hand at the Oregon City hospital last week, will return to his home the latter part of this week.

S. P. Hayward is quite ill at the Oregon City hospital.

Mrs. C. A. Frost, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Miss Iva Harrington is seriously ill at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Knight, of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rauch were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peckover Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Benawa are remodeling their home on Dartmouth street. E. W. Eby has charge of the work.

Mrs. Chas. Toozé has returned to Oregon City after spending four months in California with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Rice. Mrs. Toozé formerly resided here.

The meetings which are being held at Parkplace are interesting and well attended. Rev. Duff, of East Gladstone has charge Sunday and Thursday evenings. Rev. Kay, of Hillsboro, preaches Tuesday evenings. Miss Duff is choir leader.

Mrs. A. B. Todd, of Forest Grove, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. E. Turner.

Mrs. Chas. Gallogly and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Geary have returned from a month's motor trip through California. On the trip south the coast route was followed as far as Tia Juana, Mexico. Many places of interest were visited including the Orange show at San Bernardino, Catalina Island. The inland route was followed on the return trip. Miss Maude Gallogly joined the party at San Diego, where she has been spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Clay, of Forest Grove have purchased the Burns property in West Gladstone. Mr. Clay has accepted the position of secretary of the Oregon City Commercial Club. Rev. B. F. Clay has resigned the pastorate of the Christian church and will leave shortly for Cornelius.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Eby and son, Glenard, were the guests of relatives in Vancouver, Wash., Saturday.

Lloyd Brown, who has been visiting relatives here and in North Plains, returned to his home in Troutlake, Wash., Tuesday.

Mrs. Rosa Schmid, wife of Ernest Schmid, died at the Good Samaritan hospital Thursday morning following an acute attack of appendicitis. Mrs. Schmid was 53 years of age, a native of Switzerland, coming to the United States thirty years ago. She is survived by her husband, Ernest Schmid, two sons, Ernest, Jr., and Otto, of Gladstone; one daughter, Mrs. Ray Brandis of Portland. The funeral services were held at the Finley undertaking parlors.

The funeral services of Mrs. Inez Naomi Ryan, wife of Senator Thomas F. Ryan, were held at the Masonic Temple Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The state grand chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star had charge of the services. The honorary pallbearers were the past grand patrons of the grand chapter of Order of Eastern Star.

Mrs. Ellen E. Burnett died Thursday afternoon at 1:20 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. L. Pope. Mrs. Burnett was stricken with paralysis Tuesday morning and failed to rally from the stroke. Funeral services were held at the Holman and Pace chapel Saturday at 2 o'clock. Interment was made in Mt. Scott Park.

JENNINGS LODGE

The Parent-Teachers association took up the matter of serving warm lunches at a nominal cost to the pupils of the public schools. The idea

being to charge only enough to defray the expenses. During the two months a surplus of \$900 was accumulated which will be added to the Parent-Teachers fund. For the present no more lunches will be served.

At the silver tea given by the committee in charge of Grace Guild, at the church last Wednesday a neat sum was netted which by vote of the members was to send to the W. C. T. U. organization to help swell the fund to be used as a payment on the site for the W. C. T. U. home at Corvallis.

The Clackamas County Sunday school convention will be held in the Jennings Lodge Community church, March 31st, April 1st and 2nd. Friday evening, March 31, the convention will open with a banquet to be served by the members of Grace Guild.

The social meeting of the Jennings Lodge Community club held Wednesday evening was featured by a basket social. The proceeds will form the nucleus of a fund to be used to purchase a site for the proposed community house.

The epidemic of influenza which has been quite prevalent in Jennings Lodge is gradually subsiding.

Miss Elva Eads of Meldrum will return from Forest Grove tomorrow and will spend the Easter vacation with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Eads.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Emmons were entertained at dinner at the Portland hotel recently by Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Emmons who reside at that hotel.

Miss Francis Woods, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Woods, who has been a patient at the Good Samaritan hospital for several weeks returned to her home Friday somewhat improved but not fully recovered.

Mrs. Bert Robbins returned from Wisconsin, Saturday, where she went to accompany the remains of her uncle, who died in Portland. She was accompanied by her mother, who resides in Chicago and will spend the summer here.

The Jennings Lodge branch of the Whitney Boys chorus will be discontinued. This action was taken by the mothers of the members at a recent meeting of the Parent-Teachers association.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Emmons of Portland and George A. Morse were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Emmons.

Mrs. W. I. Ellinstone entertained the members of the Luncheon club Wednesday.

The Freytag-Meeds company have purchased a five acre tract from the Portland Seed Company. The tract is located between Hull and Jennings Ave. directly west of the line of the P. R. L. & P. company. It will be subdivided into half acre lots and sold for residence purposes.

A. L. Woodcock is preparing the tract recently purchased from William Betz and getting same in readiness to set to fruit trees.

OAK GROVE

A get-together meeting of parent-teachers and friends was an enjoyable affair last Wednesday night at Oak Grove school. A short literary program followed by an old fashioned spelling match were pleasing features of the evening's entertainment. Refreshments were served.

The helpers club met Tuesday at home of Mrs. V. G. Benvie. Regular business and a social time was the order of the meeting.

Miss E. K. Matthews was a guest of Mrs. E. Pettinger of Oswego at a luncheon one day last week.

Valeria G. Benvie spoke on Americanization before Oswego grange last Saturday and Mrs. E. B. Andrews of Oregon City explained the home for children now in progress by the W. C. T. U.

The dance given Saturday night last by community club netted the largest returns of any previous given this season. Good people and a good time.

G. K. Hall has added a porch to

his residence and otherwise improved it.

The solicitors for members to public health association is meeting with a fair response. The possibilities are that the county nurse will be retained this year through funds derived through this association.

Mrs. B. E. Phillips was indisposed last week and she will therefore be delayed in starting on her journey to her old home in Florida.

Geo. Dabrot has disposed of his dairy and in the near future will take some other vocation.

H. Kleatch of Portland, was a caller in Oak Grove last Friday while on his way to Oregon City to pay taxes on property he holds here.

Mrs. R. Withrow is able to be out after several days' confinement with the gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Leonard are both up and around after a siege of the gripe. Mrs. Leonard became ill while caring for her husband.

Word has been received from H. W. Stevens that Mrs. Stevens was quite ill in Los Angeles and that their return home would be delayed.

OSWEGO

The Community club of Oswego will give a big dance and card party at the Grange hall on Saturday of this week. Tickets are for sale by Mrs. Lewis Smith, Dr. Warren Cameron and Mrs. O. C. Merrick.

Mrs. J. W. Bickner was the guest of Mrs. William Weightman for luncheon on the afternoon of last Tuesday.

On Sunday of last week a group of friends dropped in on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bickner. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rosentreter, Mrs. W. G. Weightman, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Merrick and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Bickner and Mr. Zellar.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fulton were dinner guests at the home of Ernest Zellar last Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Puybroeck, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Puybroeck was married to Leslie Savage last Monday afternoon. After spending

a few days in Portland, they have returned to their new home in Oswego.

Mrs. H. W. Scott was surprised last Thursday afternoon when her children and a number of friends honored her with a birthday luncheon. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by all and when dinner time came, places were set for a hungry group which consisted of: Misses Bertha Scott, Lucille Praff, Della Davis, Mrs. Cynthia Harnick, Mrs. William J. Weightman, Mrs. J. B. Bickner, Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. Albert Rosentreter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scott of Gaston, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Ravin and Mrs. Lulu Scott Pfaff.

The "500" club met at the Odd Fellows' hall last week. The forepart of the afternoon was spent at cards as usual, after which Mrs. Albert Rosentreter was honored with a birthday dinner. Mrs. Rosentreter received many beautiful gifts and a huge cake decorated with candles adorned the table. Besides the hostess, those present were: Mesdames J. M. Bickner and mother, Henry Borghorst, Fred Steffins, John Davis, Walter Wessling, Fred Normand, Paul Harbaugh, George Thomas, Robert Fulton, and William Weightman; also Carl Bethke, George Griffey, George Purdy, I. Ford, Sumption, O. C. Merrick, and Niji Merrick. First prize was awarded to Mrs. Ford; second prize, Mrs. Fulton, and the booby prize to Mrs. Bickner.

The Camp Fire girls planned a little party on Mrs. Lester Savage last Thursday evening. Those present had a good time.

WILLAMETTE

Mrs. L. Draper and son, Billy, and Mrs. Harold Leighton spent Sunday afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McDonald of Bolton.

Mr. C. Davis has purchased two lots from John Moehne and is planning to build soon.

Miss Violet Wing is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Casey and Mrs. Ewald Leisman.

Electric lights were installed this week in the houses of people, who have been waiting long and patiently "to see the light." Those who are enjoying this new brilliancy are Mr. Forsythe, Mrs. Criteser, Mrs. Mootry, and Mrs. Woods.

Miss Lola Hyzel is visiting her

mother, Mrs. Hyzel of Jule, Ore.

Among the students who will come home this week-end for the Easter vacation is Waldron Hyatt, who completed his college course and graduated from O. A. C. this week.

The cast for the play, "The Arrival of Kitty," which is to be given by the juniors of the high school, has been picked. Several of the students from Willamette are in the cast, which is as follows:

Jane—Mildred McKillean.
Bob—Elmer Simpson.
Kitty—Ruth Miller.
Suzette—Alta Worden.
Aunt Jane—Beulah Snidow.
Ting—Walter Brady.
More—John Michels.
Winkler—Gordon Hammerie.
Sam—Lester Pettit.

Mr. Olaf Larson is having an addition built to his house. Mr. W. L. Snidow is doing the work.

Mrs. J. L. Gary entertained Miss Doris Mace, Miss Vesta Lamb, Miss Leathers at dinner at her home Monday evening.

The Epworth league has set the date of their program for March 22. It was originally planned for February 26, but due to so much illness it was postponed.

The Woodmen of the World met at the Fire hall Thursday, March 9, to make further plans for the organization of the lodge at Willamette. Mr. M. R. Sniow presided as temporary chairman. It was given the name of West Linn camp No. 111. Plans were made for the initiation

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