

Local, Social, Personal

Derthick Club Entertainment.

An intensely interesting meeting lasting until late in the afternoon was the program of the Derthick club Friday at the home of Mrs. John W. Loder. Miss Mary S. Barlow spoke to the club along musical lines illustrated by a large collection of poems, facts gleaned from her recent European trip. At a meeting with Mrs. William A. Huntley two weeks from Friday, Miss Eva Benson has kindly consented to present a musical program. The Derthick club is also looking forward to a pleasurable treat when Miss Addie Clark, only recently home from a visit to Honolulu will address them. Those to enjoy Friday's meeting were Mesdames C. H. Caulfield, C. O. T. Williams, C. G. Miller, E. A. Chapman, L. A. Adams, Gilbert Hedges, L. L. Pickens, Samuel Dillman, Walter Dimick, John Clark, W. A. Huntley, W. S. O'Brien, Eugene Hedges, John W. Loder and the Misses Muriel Stevens, Mary S. Barlow and Gertrude Fairclough.

Captain and Mrs. Graham Entertain.

A delightful affair was a reception and dinner given Captain and Mrs. J. M. Graham at their home 616 Water street Thursday. It was somewhat a surprise to the genial captain and his wife when the house began to fill with old time friends although their children were up from Portland. A most bounteous dinner was served and a day of decided pleasure enjoyed by all in this hospitable home. Among the guests were Mrs. Annie Merrill, Mrs. Jessie Fuchs, Mrs. J. N. Graham, Mrs. A. B. Graham, Mrs. A. W. Graham, Mrs. Glassford, Miss Alice Glassford, Mrs. Haskell, all of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson of Oregon City. Captain Graham is an old steam boat captain and is now dock manager for the Oregon City transportation company. He has three sons who are captains of steam boats.

P. T. Davis of Milwaukie, was in Oregon City, Saturday afternoon.

A. B. Zweifel of Molalla was in the city, Sunday.

W. E. Bonney of Colton was a visitor in the city Sunday.

Dr. Rhoe Norris is confined to his home with a severe cold.

C. E. Spence of Carus was in Sunday to attend the Charman funeral.

Miss Ethel Green has been visiting friends in Canby.

John Mays of Stafford was a visitor in the city Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. R. Cummings of Canby is reported to be very ill in Portland.

Mrs. John Tracy of Estacada has been seriously ill.

Robert Hughes was in from his farm, Saturday.

L. H. Kirchem of Logan was in Oregon City, Saturday.

E. E. Judd a prominent Molalla farmer was in the city, Friday afternoon.

W. M. Morey the Molalla veterinary surgeon was in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Ethel Ferguson of Fruitvale, Calif., is visiting her sister, Miss Ida Cantwell at Canby.

Charles F. Clark, a prominent resident of Clackamas Station was in Oregon City Friday afternoon.

E. C. Chapman of Clackamas Station was in Oregon City Friday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Fields of Oswego is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Evans at Canby.

Calvin Kocher of Canby has gone to Sacramento, Calif., where he will engage in the butchering business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bard have moved to their farm at Springwater from Estacada.

M. Hulras one of the best known New Era farmers was in town Friday afternoon.

Charles L. Bates a well known Canby farmer was in Oregon City Friday afternoon.

James Carleo returned to Portland yesterday evening after spending a few days with his folks here.

Pierce Miller of Molalla was in Oregon City Friday and reports conditions prosperous in his neighborhood.

Frank Jackson a well known Molalla resident was in town Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. E. Bissell of Canby was a guest of Mrs. W. M. Shank of this city, Saturday.

W. H. Mattoon, who conducts a successful creamery at Viola, was in Oregon City, Saturday.

Israel Putnam came in Sunday from his Washington farm, but will return Monday night.

O. H. Robbins of Portland, architect, was in the city yesterday visiting his old home.

J. P. Keating of the Spaulding Logging company of Newberg, spent Sunday here with his family.

Mrs. Antone Natterlin of Kansas City addition, is confined to her home with a gripple.

Oudin Roberts, who is attending the Salem high school, visited home folks, Saturday and Sunday.

Hardy Dimick of Hubbard, visited his brother, Judge G. B. Dimick, Sunday. Mr. Dimick says Hubbard is bound to grow.

Miss Gustina Randall, principal of the Barlow school, came down Friday evening to remain over Sunday at her home here.

E. Ridgway living near Estacada has killed a fat hog that dressed 452 pounds. A few days previous he killed a fat pig that dressed 326 pounds.

Ruel Nims formerly of Oregon City, has been heard from through friends, stating that he is at present ill in Centralia, Wash.

There is still a fairly good run of Chinook salmon. The big chinooks are retelling in the local markets for 15 cents per pound.

C. F. Jackson of Glad Tidings was a visitor in Oregon City Saturday, calling on County School Superintendent J. C. Zinser.

Gilbert Ward, a former Oregon City resident, but now a prominent St. Johns merchant, visited friends and relatives here yesterday.

R. Bagby of Greenpoint went to Portland, Saturday, where he will have a surgical operation performed on his neck.

Glen Hurst, a popular lineman for the Pacific States Telephone company returned Sunday from a brief visit to Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen of Portland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hornshuh at 75 Madison street, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Albright of Eagle Creek are visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Albright and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hosey.

Eugene D. White, an old time resident of Oregon City, was among the Portland people who attended the Charman funeral, Sunday.

Anthony Noltner, one of the pioneer publishers of the Enterprise, was here yesterday at attend the funeral of Major Charman.

The taxpayers of Firwood recently held a road meeting, which evidently means that there will be some thoroughfare improvements soon.

Gilbert L. Hedges the newly appointed district attorney went to Portland Friday night to confer with Governor Chamberlain, and it is expected that he will begin his duties at once. Mr. Hedges stated that he would make

an effort to secure Mr. Allen's assistance in some criminal cases now before the Astoria circuit court as the latter had secured the indictments.

Williamette Council Knights and Ladies of Security, are preparing for a social and entertainment to be held in W. O. W. hall on the evening of March 18.

Mrs. T. A. McBride is visiting her son, George M. McBride, at Toledo, Lincoln county. He is connected with the Fir and Spruce Lumber company.

I. S. Miller of Needy was in town Saturday afternoon on his way home from Yamhill county where he had purchased a farm to be occupied by his son-in-law.

Mrs. A. W. Cheney and son Orrin are expected to reach here from Los Angeles Saturday. Orrin's condition is much improved and he is now able to walk without the aid of crutches.

Miss Esther Deveraux of Eugene called to see her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Nash, Wednesday, on her way to Minnesota for a two months' visit to the old home.

Ex-county Clerk Elmer Dixon is going into strawberry culture on an extensive scale on his ranch near Elyville, and received a choice lot of new plants Saturday.

Herman A. Webster of Clackamas, a prominent candidate for state fish warden, was in the city Saturday. He still holds down the position of deputy fish warden.

Walter Burcs has a crew of men at work clearing off several acres of land on the W. M. Robinson place on the West Side, and has already completed the contract of slashing.

Two parties of railroad surveyors are working in the vicinity of Cherryville and Salmon river. They are evidently in the employ of the proposed railway system.

Caleb Cross is repairing the store-room adjoining Pope & Company's hardware store. A new floor is being placed in position and other improvements are being made.

George H. Himes of Portland, secretary of the Oregon Historical society, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of the late Major Thomas Charman.

W. J. Sheasgreen and sister Miss Adelaide Sheasgreen of Portland, spent Sunday here renewing old acquaintances. Mr. Sheasgreen was formerly operator for the Western Union Telegraph company in this city.

G. C. Etchison, who is assisting F. S. Baker in the removal of some government buildings at Vancouver, Wash., came over to spend Sunday at home.

Important business will come up before the meeting of the Oak Grove Improvement association to be held next Thursday evening. Electric lights and telephone service are special matters to be considered.

Mrs. Nina McFadden, formerly Miss Nina Risdon, came up from Portland Friday and spent the day with her aunt Mrs. Chas. Catta. Her little son who has been with his uncle and aunt for some time past, accompanied his mother to Portland.

St. John Catholic church is making arrangements for two socials in the near future. One in commemoration of St. Patrick's day March 17 and the other on the Monday succeeding Easter Sunday.

It is stated that the Bank of Estacada will put in a new glass front, a tile floor, and will reorganize with \$25,000 capital. It is the announced intention to make a National bank out of the institution later.

O. P. Miller, formerly an Oregon City boy for several years, an attache of the city treasurer's office in Portland, was here yesterday. He will be a Republican candidate for auditor of the city of Portland at the forthcoming election.

An appreciative audience greeted the play "Lost in New York" at Shively's opera house last night. It is one of the best attractions that has been placed on the stage here for many days, and the striking incidents were forcibly presented. It was exactly the same great play that has been presented in all the big play houses of the country.

W. H. Bonney, the Redland sawmill man was in Oregon City, Saturday afternoon. Messrs. Bonney and Baker have installed a new Russell automatic engine and a gang saw. The mill has been entirely remodeled and enlarged, and it is the intention to start it up by March 15.

SECTION HAS GREATER POSSIBILITIES OF GROWTH

RUCONICH ELECTED FIRE CHIEF.

Lawrence Ruconich was elected fire chief by a large majority at the election held yesterday. C. Bruner was chosen for assistant chief, having no opposition. E. A. Leighton, Max Bollack and W. Peters were elected fire commissioners.

MELDRUM AT HERMANN TRIAL

GIVES IMPORTANT TESTIMONY IN REFERENCE TO SCHOOL LAND STEALS.

Washington, March 4.—The trial of Binger Hermann was resumed in the District Superior Court today. The hearing was marked by the introduction of evidence tending to prove an alleged conspiracy to defraud the government of land upon which the prosecution relies to show a motive for the destruction by Hermann's order of letterpress copybooks used by him while Commissioner. The testimony which the Government contends, shows conspiracy, was given by Henry Meldrum, former Surveyor-general, who was convicted of complicity in land frauds in Oregon. Meldrum was on the stand when the court adjourned for the day and his testimony will be resumed in the morning.

Meldrum testified that he was dismissed in April, 1903. He said he had received many letters from Hermann. Those of an official character are among the records of the Surveyor-general's office. Others of a private nature, he said, were in a drawer in his desk in the office at Portland. When he vacated the office he explained, he placed in a satchel and carried away with him what he supposed to be all his private letters, but discovered later that the Hermann letters were missing. He has never found a trace of them since and he expressed the opinion that they had been taken by A. R. Greene, special private inspector for Secretary Hitchcock. These letters, Meldrum said, related to public land.

In response to questions by District Attorney Baker, Meldrum admitted that in the private correspondence mentioned, Hermann had requested him to provide a place in his office for a Miss Silverstein and when informed that this could not be done, had suggested that it be arranged so that her name could be used in taking up public lands. The plan, as explained by the witness, would provide a way for Miss Silverstein to be paid \$300 or \$400 for the use of her name.

MRS. BRAMHALL WANTS DIVORCE

Mrs. Bramhall, wife of J. N. Bramhall, former representative from Clackamas county, and a sawmill man at Aims, has filed a suit in the circuit court of Multnomah county for a divorce. She complains that her husband compels her to do manual labor. Just what kind of manual labor she was compelled to perform Mrs. Bramhall fails to state in her complaint, which she filed in the state circuit court Monday. During the last two years Bramhall has been cruel and inhuman in his treatment of her, she says. They have already divided up their property, and Mrs. Bramhall is willing that the husband be awarded their children, provided she gets the divorce and the privilege of visiting them.

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Edwin Bates, Sr., prominent resident of Estacada, was in town Tuesday.

SANDY RIVER COUNTRY IS REMARKABLE FOR IMPROVED CONDITIONS.

SAIL, WATER, POWER AND SCENERY

New Settlers Buying Small Tracts for Homes and Tie and Lumber Mills Running on Full Time.

Nowhere in Clackamas county is the country settling up with a better class of new people than in that section drained by the Sandy river. People from there report that acreage land is changing hands at a rapid rate at increased figures, and a spirit of improvement and progress pervades the air. The operation of a dozen saw mills, large and small, for the last ten years, has left a lot of stump lands that make desirable farms, and as a rule can be purchased at reasonable prices. Much of the land that is being sold is unimproved property, and many of the old-timers are selling off small tracts from their holdings that will soon be made into homes for new settlers.

Past experience has demonstrated the fact that the soil along the Sandy river and its tributaries possesses wonderful fertility, and is well adapted to the production of fruits as well as other crops.

Property has more than doubled in value in that section within the last two or three years, the sawmills are all busy cutting lumber and railroad ties, and many new houses are going up. The probable construction of an electric railway to Mount Hood has had something to do with giving this country a new growth and the progressive movement is intensified by the fact that parties of railroad surveyors are running lines of survey all through that part of the county.

The Sandy country affords a more magnificent view of Mount Hood than does the Hood River country, and it is claimed that the Sandy apples will equal those grown in the latter country in the matter of quality and size.

This section has not only the advantage of being sheltered by the high mountains of the Cascade range, is convenient to that great national park, the Cascade forest reserve, but has soil wealth that cannot be surpassed in Western Oregon, and there is the advantage of climate and scenery with an early probability of electric railway connection with Portland.

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Franklin T. Griffith went to Albany on a short business trip, Tuesday.

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

Jonathan Stoker, Plaintiff, vs. Sadie Stoker, Defendant.

To Sadie Stoker, Defendant. In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 20th day of April, 1907, said date being more than six weeks after the date of the first publication of this summons; and if you fail to so appear and answer, plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and you, and for the cost and disbursements of this suit.

Pursuant to an order made and entered March 5, 1907, by Hon. G. B. Dimick, County Judge of Clackamas County, Oregon, this summons is served on you by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Oregon City Enterprise. The date of the first publication being March 8, 1907, and of the last being April 12, 1907.

Dated March 5, 1907.
J. U. CAMPBELL,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

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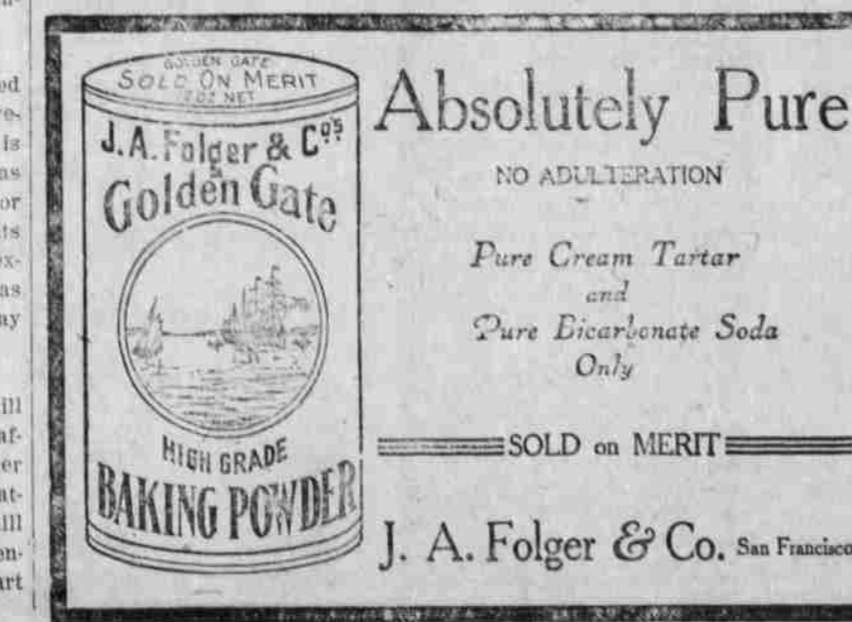
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