

Canby and North Clackamas

CANBY
Mr. and Mrs. Batty, of California, are visiting Mrs. Batty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Waite.

Charles Moshberger, of Woodburn, was in Canby Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Mrs. C. C. Hutchinson was on Portland Monday shopping.

John Wells and family moved this week to Adkins' Mill, where he recently completed a new house on his farm.

Mr. Eckerson returned from Portland Monday night, where he had been visiting his daughter, who has been on the sick list. He says she is recovering nicely.

Ruby Smith, who has been suffering from a severe attack of mumps, and who is in the hospital at Portland, is improving and will be home before long.

Raymond Pfister had the misfortune to cut the fleshy part of his thumb while cutting wood.

The sixth and seventh grades have a vacation Thursday and Friday on account of the eighth grade examinations.

Carl Smith has the mumps this week.

The livery stable has changed hands again. Mr. James has purchased Mr. String's interest and has leased the building for a year.

Mrs. Ranch went to Portland Tuesday.

Will Lucke and wife, Henry Yergen and wife and Grant White were out motoring this week in Mr. Lucke's new automobile.

Mrs. Mary Hougham is having a Leader water system installed. The workmen have the tank house about completed. Mrs. Hougham is going to irrigate her place this summer.

The Cannery Company had a meeting Saturday. It is the intention of the company to run the cannery this summer or lease it. They have a list of printed prices on fruits and vegetables they intend to can. Farmers or any one having anything to dispose of would do well to get a list.

The Masonic Lodge has purchased fifty feet on Front st. This includes the drug store and the vacant ground by the pool hall. They intend to erect a large cement building in the near future.

O. A. Stillman, of Salem, prohibition candidate for congress will speak at Canby town hall Friday, May 10th at 8 p. m. subject, Uncle Sam and Doctors. Everybody cordially invited.

"Doc" Porter has sold his place northwest of town, and has purchased Warren Kendall's place, consideration \$1200.

Will Lucke has purchased a lot from Mrs. George Ogle, consideration \$400.

H. E. Palmer of Portland was calling on his brother Charles Palmer between trains Monday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker, a son.

Baschell, St. Paul vs Canby at Canby, May 12.

Mrs. Howe, who was taken to the hospital at Portland last week, was brought home last night very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Adams are the proud parents of a fine baby girl, born Tuesday morning. Mrs. Adams was formerly Miss Florence Wang.

The latest mumps victims are Elroy Bates, Fred Hampton, Norman Saltmarsh.

Mrs. Andy Jeffries, of Prineaville, arrived in Canby for a visit with her mother, Mrs. E. Mathieu.

TWILIGHT.

Miss Bertha Bullard is visiting with relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lazelle attended the banquet given by the Oregon City Woman's Club Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Johnson, of Caneman, were Sunday guests of Thomas Kelland.

Mr. Harry Faulk was calling on old friends one day last week. He formerly lived in this community.

Henry Schier is still on the sick list.

Geo. Schreiner was visiting relatives in Clackamas Heights Sunday.

Prof. Geo. Warner has just closed a very successful term of school.

The Community Club has postponed their regular meeting one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Black, who were recently married in Mount Pleasant, have many friends here who wish to extend their congratulations.

Those wishing to pick strawberries call on George Lazelle, phone No. 22-XII.

THE OPTIMIST

By MARY PARKER DEANE

Mr. Plum was a pessimist, his wife an optimist. Many were the arguments they had over something Mrs. Plum averred would happen some day or other to lift them out of poverty, enable them to live more comfortably, clothe the children better and make them generally happy.

"In the first place, Maria," Mr. Plum would say, "nothing ever comes from rain-bow chasing. In the second place, a hundred thousand dollars were suddenly dumped upon us and we wouldn't be any happier than we are now."

"Wouldn't we? I'd just like to try it once!"

"You can bet your bottom dollar that unless I work hard and you run us sheeply we won't even keep up to what we're doing now, let alone putting on us."

"Do you mean to tell me there's nothing in luck?"

"Mighty little. At any rate, no great piece of luck like an unexpected windfall ever happened to more than one person in a million."

"But haven't we got just as good a chance to be that one person as all the rest?"

Dan Plum shrugged his shoulders, but did not reply to this argument. He went to his work every day, as usual, and his wife plucked and saved. One day when he came home in the evening he found her in a wild state of optimism.

"Oh, Dan," she cried, "did you ever have a grandmother by the name of Prudegast?"

"Not to my knowledge," was the sober sided reply. "Why do you ask?"

"Because there was a man here this morning who asked me if you had."

"What did you tell him?"

"That I didn't know."

"Did he say why he wished to know?"

"No, but I'm sure your grandmother is dead and has left us a lot of money."

"Oh, Maria, you make me tired! I couldn't have a grandmother much less than a hundred years old, and women of that age don't often have fortunes. If they have their descendants are spread out like a fan and none of 'em gets more than a few dollars."

"I don't care. I believe we are on the verge of some great blessing."

"I'll tell you what I'll do, Marie. I'll make a bargain with you. Whatever this blessing is, I'll turn it all over to you on condition that you never say the word 'windfall' to me again."

"Done."

"Remember, I give you all that comes in this case, and if nothing comes you are still bound by your side of the agreement."

"That's right."

They had scarcely struck this bargain when there was a ring at the bell. Mrs. Plum went to the door and ushered a man into the sitting room.

"This is the gentleman who called this morning," said Mrs. Plum.

"Your wife," said the visitor, "couldn't answer the questions I asked her, so I concluded to come back when you were at home. Did you have a grandmother named Prudegast?"

"Not that I know of. And I didn't have a grandmother by the name of Foote or Stedman or Williams or Hunkins either."

"Did you ever hear of any of your progenitors named McDermott?"

"McDermott? Why, yes! My grandmother on my father's side was named McDermott."

"Her name was Sarah. She married Enoch Prudegast. They had one daughter who married Thomas Follansbee, and they had a daughter who married Daniel Spooner Plum."

Mr. Plum's eyes were growing large. "I've got this by searching the records of some property owned by a Mr. Prudegast, who had recently died in the John Brown hospital, aged ninety-two years. I figure it that she was your grandmother."

"If I've had a grandmother living I didn't know it."

"Nor she. She came to the hospital before you were born to be treated for some disease. When she got well her memory had left her. She didn't know who she was or where she came from. She was allowed to stay there and lived more than fifty years there and in that condition. Just before she died her memory came back to her. She said she was Sarah McDermott Prudegast. Deeds to property were found where she had kept them in a trunk. The hospital put them into the hands of a lawyer, who says they belong to Daniel Plum through Ellen Follansbee and Jolla Plum."

"How much is it?" gasped Mrs. Plum.

"It's a house and lot that fifty years ago was on the outskirts of the town. It is now on the biggest shopping street and is worth a million!"

"You, Dan," cried Mrs. Plum—"you make a deed of that property to me!"

And within six months he did. But he says they must have dreamed it all. Thus far the optimist has the better of the argument. A hundred thousand dollars was dumped down upon the couple, but it remained to be seen how much happiness was to be added to the Plum family.

Milwaukee and Northwestern Clackamas

MILWAUKIE

August Dippel of Island station is building a new house on four lots he purchased through the Milwaukee bank.

Mrs. J. M. Lytle, of Fairbanks, Alaska, spent Wednesday with Mrs. C. C. Peery.

A social under the auspices of the ladies auxiliary will be given at the City hall Saturday May 11th, a short program will be rendered and refreshments will be served, music by Hosley's orchestra after which dancing will be indulged in.

The Misses Dore Kolhose and Gertrude Thomas, graduate nurses from The Dalles Hospital, accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. Mary Gaird, of Milwaukee will leave in a few days for an extended trip over the Northern Pacific and Great Northern and Denver & Rio Grande via Salt Lake City to Saint Paul, Minn. Dora Kolhose will remain at her home at Bertha, Minn., for a while at least. Mrs. Gaird and Miss Thomas will return via Winnipeg and the Canadian Pacific some time before October 31.

Their relatives live in Bertha and will enjoy seeing them as Miss Kolhose has been absent two years from her home and Mrs. Gaird has not been east since the Columbia Exposition.

The Evangelical church will not have any preaching Sunday owing to the absence of their pastor, Rev. E. Radebaugh, other services will be held as usual.

The mothers and teachers club will meet Thursday, May 16, at three p. m. in the assembly hall of the school house. Rabble Wise of Portland will speak. The club extends an invitation to everyone to attend the meeting.

The new Catholic church will be dedicated June 23. Arch Bishop Christy, of Portland will have charge of the services.

The women's work club of the Grange met Wednesday afternoon at the Grange hall and sewed.

The Alter society of the Catholic church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Shindler and sew for the new altar.

Marcus Mayle, who has been quite sick is improving slowly.

The regular Grange meeting was held Friday evening. A very good attendance and the usual business was transacted.

The dance given by the Grange Saturday evening was well attended.

The pupils of the 5th grade are taking the State Examination this week.

Rev. E. Radebaugh left Wednesday morning for Tacoma, Washington, to attend the annual Oregon Conference of the Evangelical church.

W. M. S. Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Lowe in Minthorn, the report of Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Emil, delegates to the convention will be read.

A. J. Harmon's brother was injured in Portland and Mrs. Harmon went to see him Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Conner of Portland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Elmer.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blakeley are being congratulated on the birth of a son, born April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Mullen are the proud parents of a pair of twins, a son and a daughter, born Friday, May 3, at the hospital in Sellwood, mother and babies doing nicely.

Mrs. W. A. Doyle, and son, Richard and daughter Florence, of Sawtelle, California are the guests of Mrs. DoYLES, brother, R. W. Gaird.

A. J. Harmon has purchased a soda fountain and will have it in the bakery in working order in a few days.

A. J. Harmon morning on business. Judge Kelso will go to Salem Friday to see Mrs. Kelso, who is reported as not so well.

Remember the social Saturday evening given by the Women's auxiliary in the city hall.

Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Salve is guaranteed for tetter, ringworm, eczema, chapped hands and lips, running sores, ulcers and in fact all skin diseases. Good to use after shaving, 25c a box. For sale by Harding's Drug Store.

OAK GROVE

A very delightful party was given by Miss George Lewis at her home last Saturday evening. The guests were all dressed like little girls and many amusing games were played.

Miss Nora True was awarded the prize for the most appropriate costume. Delicious refreshments were served. The following guests were present: Mrs. Otto Naef, Misses Beatrice Sherk, Lillian Pininger, Nora True, Irene Ray, Louis Kennedy, Lila Brown, Cora Blosser, Mable Blosser, Sylvia Rickson and two children.

Mrs. Roy Blackberry and Eva Felix, dined Friday morning for a three days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Able at Baker, Oregon.

Virgil Clark left Tuesday for a two week's business trip to San Francisco and Harris, California.

E. C. Bannard of Portland has purchased an acre in the Kuehl track and is building a fine residence and will occupy the same when finished.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cone, of McMinnville, formerly of Oak Grove, spent Sunday with the George Hanson family, and Wednesday called on Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rupert and Mrs. Cone lived here ten years ago and built the house now owned by Miss F. Kligrove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sampson of St. Johns were here Monday morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Suter and family are moving to Spokane, Wash., where Mr. Suter has rented a five acre place. We regret losing the family and especially the three children from our school.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimm have rented the Suter place and will move there in a few days.

Prof. J. Dean Butler was vaccinated last Friday and his arm is so bad he has to carry it in a sling, causing him much pain.

Mrs. H. E. Werner was an Oregon City visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Koenig of Montavilla, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Armstrong and Mrs. Payne Wednesday morning. John Risley went to Seaside Friday returning home Monday to look after his cottage.

JENNINGS LODGE.

Many improvements are being made on homes at this place.

Howard Smith is remodeling the cottage recently purchased from Geo. A. Shaver, and Mr. Rosenberry is making his home attractive.

The pretty bungalow of Mrs. Mable Pierce is rapidly being completed by Wilcox & Russell.

The MacFarlane home is well under way and when completed will be the finest home at this place.

Work commenced Monday on the house of Mrs. Bess Bruchert. It will be a four-room cottage with built-in conveniences.

The contract has been let to a Portland firm for the beautiful new home of Judge and Mrs. Bronaugh. The grounds have been in the hands of landscape gardeners for some time, and with the beautiful driveways leading to the home, which overlooks the Willamette will make an ideal home.

Milton and Warren Potter have commenced their building on Addie St. The cottage of Mr. Kern is well under way and the work on the A. C. MacFarlane home is progressing rapidly.

About thirty of the members of the Community Club went to Oregon City Friday night to confer with the officials of the P. E. & L. Co. in regard to a reduction of fares. Our men-folks came home rather disappointed. Another meeting is being planned for Friday evening, May 10th.

The President of the Community Club of this place, Mr. John Jennings, attended the dinner given for the officials.

A special meeting, called at 8 P. M., May 9th, to be held at the club rooms in Oregon City will be of great benefit to all concerned, and it is hoped a good delegation from the Community Club will attend.

The eighth grade examinations of the Jennings Lodge school will be held May 9 and 10, at the school house, under the able direction of Mrs. Bertha M. Hart.

Aileen Warner, Fern and Ethel Hart and Arthur Roberts are to take the examinations. This is the first class to complete the eighth grade at this place.

Mrs. Wiewersick and daughters were callers at the Wilcox home Monday, over Sunday visitors at the above home were Mrs. Harold Wilcox and children, of Oak Grove.

Mr. August Warner, of Portland, was a business caller at this place Monday.

Mr. McGovern, a former resident of Gladstone, will make his home at this place for a while. Mr. McGovern is interested in the real estate business.

Wm. R. Davidson, of Omaha, Nebraska, and Mr. Bert Greenback, of Olympia, Wash., were over-Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Oster.

Mrs. J. B. Mason and daughter, Miss Nancy, of Omaha, Nebraska, are also visiting Mrs. Geo. A. Nebram.

Grandma Newell is on the sick list she will be greatly missed, as she was always calling about, doing much good.

Edwin Newell and wife visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Newell.

Charles Huddell, of Elk City, has returned to this place and will work the coming summer for Mrs. DeForest.

Mrs. Harold Wilcox and children, of Oak Grove, were Sunday callers at the L. Wilcox home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Robinson, of this place, attended the Marshall, May wedding in Canemah on the evening of May 1st. Mrs. Robinson assisted by rendering Logenhrin's Wedding March.

Mr. C. Truscott, son of Mrs. Edith Truscott, of this place, was one of the lucky fishermen at the beginning of the season. Mr. Truscott and partner catching a ton of fish the first night, making a neat sum for each of them.

Mr. Kern moved into his new little cottage Monday.

Mrs. Fisher departed last week for a month's visit in Indiana.

Ed. Webb left Monday night for a visit with his folks in Redding, California. Mr. Webb expects to remain a month and will also visit in Los Angeles.

Rev. Goode, of Lentz, and secretary of the Evangelical Campground Association, was out looking over their interests at this place Tuesday, May 9th, Rev. Goode leaves for Tacoma to attend the conference of the Oregon branch. Owing to the absence of Rev. Calvin Beigstrewer, who is also at Tacoma, no preaching will be held on the afternoon of May 12th. The Sunday school at the usual time and place.

Mrs. A. C. MacFarlane will be the hostess of the Circle May 15th. Mothers' Day will be observed.

Mrs. Olin Ford and little son, of Portland, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newell.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Alexander & Blackberry, of Oak Grove, has settled all accounts to date and have dissolved partnership by mutual agreement.

April 13, 1912.

T. R. BLACKBERRY.

SNAPSHOTS OF LA MODE.

Eastern Hip Drapery in First Style. Millinery Matters.

Among the many original features that have been retained in the fashions is the one of folding cloth around the hips in a snug manner. For awhile the fashion went out, but now it has increased in favor. Tunes of all kinds are wrapped about the waist and hips and crossed in front, where they are stitched down or tied into a knot according to their fabric.

Both the large collar and the big revers have dwindled somewhat in size, though still fashionable.

Flehu blouses and scalloped edges make two of the newest and most important features of the spring season, and this gown shows them both. The blouse is exceedingly smart and attractive made with the new postillon back. The skirt is of the two piece style.

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Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE

LOVE'S COUNTERFEITS.

Another barebrained youth, smitten by a girl who rejects him, follows the girl, nags her, makes her life a torment, then kills her.

It is called a "love tragedy."

A weak souled woman whose vanity is played upon or whose trivial grievance is fostered by an affinity is persuaded to leave her husband and child and run away.

It is called a "love story."

Or a man of family deserts a good wife and children, leaving a heritage of shame, and goes philandering with some foolish miss who has infatuated him.

He is "blinded by love."

To paraphrase the utterance of Mme Roland, "O love, what crimes are committed in thy name!" Many so called love affairs are libels on love.

Love is more than infatuation. Love is more than passion or desire. Love is, first of all, clean. And love will protect its own and not kill it. Love will die to save the loved one. Love puts above all else the happiness of the loved at the sacrifice of self. It is the divinest thing known to humans.

Love seeks not its own. It fleches nothing from honor. It rejoices in purity. It endures forever.

Love is more than sentimentality. Its language is not the speech of the silly, so called "love letters" read for the decoration of the mantelpiece in the divorce courts.

The speech of genuine affection may sometimes be betrayed into the word of extravagance or impulsive expression, but it is never the language of insincerity. The stuff of which many love speeches are made is the veriest froth on the cup of affection.

Love must keep its own forever and a day. It is stronger and sweeter when the wrinkles mar the face of the loved one, when the hair is silvered and the frame is bent, than in the younger days of the cheeks' rounded contour and the body's stately carriage.

Love seeketh not its own. Unselfishness is its essence. Love sacrifices, denies itself. It is long suffering and kind.

Call you that love which deceives, which lures for its own desire, which brings dishonor, which turns its back upon those who should be dear, which brings humiliation and shame and remorse?

That sort comes down from the depths. True love comes down from above.

Mutual Regrets.

"Does your wife regret that she married a poor man?"

"Not as much as I do."—Judge.

VALLEY SPUDS GO TO SAN FRANCISCO

Potato market is so quiet for outside demand that many consignments are being made by Willamette growers to the San Francisco market.

During the past few days a very heavy amount of stock has been going in that direction on commission and has had the effect of defeating the very purpose that the growers sought—the obtaining of better values.

It is quite natural that potato dealers who are "long" on supplies of their own purchase, are not going to sell the other fellow's stock first when the outlook is poor. On the other hand consignments to houses that are not "long" means that many will take advantage of the situation and break prices to punish speculators—but all at the expense of those who consign.

Offerings of potatoes are very liberal locally.

CATTLE MARKET IS STRONG AND STEADY

The Portland Union Stock Yards Company reports as follows: Receipts for the week for cattle on 1573; calves 82; hogs 1540, sheep 485; horses 25.

The cattle market has been steady to strong at a very high range of prices throughout the week. Sellers have been predicting a higher market, but the larger handlers of cattle in the Northwest as a matter of production have contracted enough supplies to guarantee them against famine until mid-summer, and in some instances later. When beef reaches a certain altitude consumers take the matter in hand and buying falls off. Paying present prices for cattle on a speculative basis is not considered safe. Leading packers are of the opinion, except in rare instances, that the market will not go higher.

The hog market advanced a dime during the week. There was only a medium supply