

LOCALS

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Charles Hisey, of Hisey station, was in this city on business Wednesday.

Oliver Robbins, of Molalla, who has been in this city, leaves for his home this morning.

Born, Tuesday, May 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank William Turney, of Rotho station, a son.

Joseph Gerber, of Logan, one of the farmers of that section, was in this city on Saturday.

Reed Graham, of Wilsonville, is one of the latest motor enthusiasts of Clackamas county.

Fred Mender, of Logan, has purchased one of the touring cars from the Pacific Highway garage.

L. B. Gorham, of Canby, was in Oregon City on business Wednesday.

Professor T. J. Gary, of Portland, but a former resident of Oregon City, was in this city on Saturday.

William Schatz, of Stafford, prominent farmer of that place, was in Oregon City on business Monday.

Theodore Steinhilber, well known farmer of Clackamas county, has purchased an Overland touring car.

Mrs. C. B. Wilson, of Willamette, who has been the guest of Mrs. Luther Moore, of Vancouver, Wash., has returned home.

Robert Schuebel, of Shubel, was in this city on Wednesday, and while here visited with friends, and also his brother, C. Schuebel.

Mrs. J. O. Staats and son, Ben, of Clarkes, were in this city Tuesday, and transacted business. They formerly resided in Oregon City.

Born, Saturday, May 6th, to the wife of E. S. Holmes, of Highland, a daughter. Mrs. J. B. Calavan, if this city is grandmother of the young miss.

C. R. Austin, of Molalla, was in Oregon City during the past week, and while here called at the Pacific Highway garage, and purchased an automobile.

Mrs. W. T. McNulty and two children, of Gladstone, left on Sunday evening for Vermont, where they will spend the summer with the former's relatives.

John Bohlander, one of the well known farmers of Clackamas county, whose farm is located at Beaver Creek, was in this city on business Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Colton, of Portland, nee Miss Floetta Straight, of Parkville, was visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul Praeger, of Parkville, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant White and Mrs. Grace Saylor, of Canby, motored through this city Wednesday on their way to Oswego, where they visited relatives of Mrs. White.

Born, at the Oregon City hospital on Sunday, May 6th, to the wife of Albert Datt, a son. Mrs. Datt was formerly Miss Conrad, and is now a resident of Ostrander, Wash.

Judge W. A. Beck, one of the prominent residents of Molalla, was in this city on business Tuesday. Mr. Beck transacted business in Portland before returning to his home.

Born, May 1st, to the wife of Clifford Crawford, of Maple Lane, a daughter. The little one has been given the name of Vivian Dolores, and her weight is eight pounds.

F. W. Wanker, one of the well-known residents of Clackamas county, whose farm is located near Oswego, purchased a five-passenger Ford from the Pacific Highway garage during the past week.

Robert Schuebel, one of the prominent farmers of Clackamas county, whose farm is located at Carus, was in this city on Tuesday on his way to Portland, where he transacted business.

George Saldow, of Willamette, left Tuesday evening for California, where he will enter the marine service. Many of his friends were at the train to bid him farewell. He is one of the well known young men of that place.

F. V. Pymbrook, one of the prominent farmers of Oswego, was among those purchasing automobiles at the Miller-Parker establishment during the past week. Mr. Pymbrook purchased a Model 85 known as the Big Four.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bruening and daughter, Miss Ella Bruening, accompanied by Mrs. Bowman, of Portland, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bruening and family at Mount Pleasant. Miss Ella Bruening will remain for a few days longer as the guest of her cousin, Miss Margaret Bruening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fleagle, of Woodburn, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kent at Parkplace Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fleagle were on their way home from Portland, and made the trip in their automobile. Mr. Fleagle stated while in this city that the roads are in excellent condition for motoring.

Earle C. Brownlee, city editor of the Oregon City Courier, left for Salem on Wednesday afternoon, where he visited friends until Thursday evening, when he left for the south to report at the training camp of the officers' reserve corps. Many friends of Mr. Brownlee were at the depot to bid him farewell.

Oliver Marshall, of Clarkes, engaged in cutting wood on Saturday afternoon, accidentally struck his left wrist severing the artery and tendons. He was rushed to Oregon City, and the wound was dressed by Drs. Mount. The young man lost considerable blood while on his way to Oregon City, but was able to return to his home Saturday evening.

Mrs. David Caulfield, who has been in this city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lily Stipp, will leave for Beaver Creek this morning, where she has been spending the winter with her brother, Robert L. Heatie. Mr. Caulfield is also at the Heatie farm and is assisting in making the improvements in the way of painting the silo and buildings on the farm.

Kenneth Robinson, of Portland, passed through this city on Wednesday afternoon on his way to the Presidio, where he has been ordered to the training camp of the officers' reserve corps. Mr. Robinson is a nephew of the Misses Cochran, of this city. He will visit for one day at Chico, California, his former home, where his mother, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, of Portland, is visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bollock and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stanton, of Portland, motored to this city on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Stanton bring guests at the home of Mrs. Kate Rhamon, mother of Mrs. Stanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Bollock visited Mrs. Bollock's mother, Mrs. A. Goldsmith.

The independent garage at Twelfth and Main streets sold three automobiles during the past week, with several prospects in view. Among those purchasing automobiles from this establishment during the past few days were John D. Marshall, well known farmer of Highland, who purchased a five passenger car, Frank Hopp, the harnessmaker of this city, also purchased one of the new Chevrolet cars.

Mayor H. W. Blair, of Canby, was in this city on business Friday. Mr. Blair is one of the well known commission merchants of Clackamas county, having shipped over 150 carloads of potatoes to California points. The highest price paid by Mr. Blair for potatoes was \$4.10 per 100 pounds, for fancy grade. He is now paying three cents per pound. Mr. Blair says that at the present time the market for old potatoes is weak, and there is not the demand for the old ones as there were several weeks ago. The price of the new potatoes is also to drop, as these will soon take the place of the old potatoes.

WOMEN RUSH TO HEAR EXPERTS TELL WAYS TO ECONOMIZE FOOD

Women of Clackamas county crowded the demonstration train of the Oregon Agricultural college here Monday, and listened to instructive talks by members of the college faculty on poultry raising, home canning, food preparedness and vegetable growing. Close interest was given to the lectures.

Miss Turley talked on food preparedness, emphasizing food values, and laid particular stress on the value of milk, eggs, nuts and cheese as substitutes for meat. She said that one pound of cheese is equal in nutritive value to two pounds of beefsteak, and that the per capita consumption of meat in the United States last year was 172 pounds, while the per capita consumption of milk, which has a higher food value, was only half a glass a day. She talked against the purchase of package food in preference to buying in bulk, arguing that the labor used in making the packages should be conserved.

In discussing home canning, Miss Helen Cowgill, assistant state leader of boys' and girls' work, urged the honor guard girls to organize home canning teams. She recommended the cold pack for vegetables and fruit, both for better flavor and the comfort of the cook. She said blanching improves the flavor and in the case of very acid fruits, less sugar is required. "The three great letters that are interesting to us now," said Miss Cowgill, "are W-A-I, and this should mean to the women of the country, WE ARE READY."

Professor C. C. Lamb talked on poultry raising, and W. S. Brown on vegetable growing. Pictures of the subjects discussed and the special bulletins prepared by the college were placed on the walls of the cars to illustrate the lectures. Miss Cowgill gave a lecture and demonstration on canning at the Commercial club rooms Monday night.

Representatives from the Agricultural college were speakers at the high school Monday morning. Professor Lamb began his talk by telling about the conditions in Europe at the present time on poultry breeding. He stated that there are about 100 breeds of chickens, the general purpose chicken being the better for most persons to raise. He recommended in this condition the Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Red, and Wyandott, which while good layers are of sufficient size to be valuable for table purposes.

He gave instruction in feeding fowls, stating that green foods are necessary and that 30 kale plants furnish green food for an ordinary flock for one year. He said:

"There should be two lots in connection with poultry raising, one for gardening, the other for chickens, alternating these lots every year. The average hen lays about 30 eggs a year, but should lay more than 100 in order to be profitable, as the cost is approximately \$2 per year per hen. Trap nests are of value in finding out which hens lay the most eggs. In addition to green foods, it is necessary for the best results to feed some meat, buttermilk, or sour milk."

He recommended the preservation of eggs in "water glass" for winter use. This preservation may be purchased at any drug store. The preservation of eggs should begin at once.

Professor Brown in his address on gardening said one should have: (1) A good plan; (2) good seed; (3) good fertilizer; (4) good care. Space should not be wasted in planting. Berries and permanent crops should be planted on the side of the garden. Crops should be rotated. The garden for home use should grow vegetables which cost the most, but for market only staple vegetables. Seed should always be tested before planting, using care to select seeds acclimated to Oregon. He spoke of diseases and suggested a solution in which to soak seed.

Miss Brown, head of the domestic science department, introduced to the girls and visitors present, Miss Turley from the college, who gave a very instructive talk on food conservation. As the meat supply for the ensuing year may be small she urged the substitution of milk, cheese, eggs and nuts, which have practically the same food value, for meat.

She also pointed out the many ways of food waste in the home, and urged each one to do her share in economizing.

Then Miss Cowgill, also from the college, demonstrated the various steps in the cold pack method of canning. She also suggested that the school girls and Honor Guard girls can enough fruit and vegetables to furnish the community's needs.

In concluding she announced that the college would gladly send any information on the food question which is desired.

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NO MAIL TO CENTRAL POWERS. Because of the disruption of mail service to the central powers, not only can no mail be dispatched from the United States to those countries, including Germany, Austria, Luxembourg, Bulgaria and Turkey, but inquiries concerning mail dispatched prior to April 7, the date of the original order of mail discontinuance, cannot be made.

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SAYS, PAY UP! Judge Campbell, of the circuit court, Monday ordered the payment of \$225, which E. W. Smith sued Mrs. Minnie P. Smith and W. F. R. Smith to collect. He note is secured by a mortgage on three lots in Heckart's addition to Oregon City.

MARRIAGE LICENSE. Marriage licenses were granted on Saturday to Miss Vera Ewing and Bob Moore, of Dallas, Oregon; Lulu Hornshub and William Larson, of Aurora, Routt.

FILES SUIT TO CLEAR TITLE TO RIVER PROPERTY

The Clackamas Abstract & Trust company is the plaintiff in a suit filed in the circuit court Saturday. The defendants are Henry Bussierre, the unknown heir of Polly Bussierre, deceased, Linda Dorsey, Ben Holladay, unknown heir of Ben Holladay, Jr., deceased.

The suit is brought to quiet the title of a tract of land bounded by the river, Water street, Fourth street and Eighth street. E. C. Latourette is representing the plaintiff in the case.

CONNUBIAL INFELICITY ON JOB; THREE FILE FOR DIVORCE IN DAY

Inhuman and cruel treatment are the charges forming the basis of three divorce suits filed in the Clackamas county circuit court Friday.

Mrs. Marie Trachsel, of Estacada, alleges in her complaint that a long series of cruelties culminating in a charge by her husband that she had been illicitly intimate with her own son by a former marriage lead her to file for divorce.

She asserts that Trachsel called her vile names, accused her of stealing \$10 at one time and some cream and butter at another, and on one occasion flourished a revolver in her face.

She says that he often came to the table after she had prepared a meal, only to get up in apparent disgust and sweep dishes and all from the board. Once he had her goods packed up and sent to the station at Estacada, she says, intending to send her from his home.

Wants Home. A one third interest in 170 acres of land and part of a \$1000 equity in a herd of cattle is asked for in settlement of the property claims.

Ernest W. Bally alleges in his petition that he and his wife never did agree and that he is losing his health worrying about it. He agrees to allow Mrs. Bally take their one child and offers to pay \$10 a month toward its support. The pair were married in La Grande in 1910.

Kicked Him. His wife kicked him. R. C. Brown charges against Frieda Brown. His story of abuse outlines a period of unhappiness during which Mrs. Brown made him miserable by calling him a lazy fool, which came to a head last April when his wife left him. In November, he says, she came home again and he took her back on her promise to be good, but after three days she commenced nagging him again.

DIDN'T KNOW HE WAS DIVORCED; IS PINCHED FOR BACK ALIMONY

Thomas Kelly was arrested Friday afternoon near Barlow by Deputy Sheriff Jack Frost on a charge of failing to pay alimony. The charge was placed by Clatsop county officials.

Kelly expressed surprise at the time of his arrest. He said he did not know the case had come up for trial. The whole matter was left to his attorney, he said, and the lawyer had not notified him. The divorce was granted in April.

Kelly was working for his father, clearing land. He will be held here over night. His attorney has announced that he will begin habeas corpus proceedings in the morning.

DESERTED HUSBAND WOULD FREE HIMSELF OF CONNUBIAL TIES

Charges that his wife had deserted him more than a year ago were contained in a complaint filed during divorce proceedings brought Thursday by M. L. Morris against Mrs. Ella P. Morris.

The couple was married in Portland in 1907 and lived together until April 1916, when the wife is alleged to have permanently left her home.

There are no children involved in the suit, but Morris asks for an equitable division of property rights.

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STUDENT OFFICERS ARE BEGINNING EXODUS TO PRESIDIO ENCAMPMENT

Lloyd C. Harding, first of the Oregon City contingent ordered to the training camp for student officers of the officers' reserve corps, left Monday night by train for San Francisco. Many of his friends were at the depot to wish him Godspeed.

Earl C. Brownlee, associate editor of the Oregon City Courier will be the next man to depart. He expects to leave Wednesday.

Harry Williams and Hugh D. Broomfield were other Oregon City men who received notification to report Monday. Williams has seen service in the Philippines and was formerly a captain in the militia.

Broomfield is a student in Reed College and the son of the Rev. Thomas Broomfield, of Gladstone.

ASKS COURT TO RETURN LAND ILLEGALLY HELD

Freta Callahan Stultz filed suit against Ellen Fleming in the circuit court of Clackamas county Saturday for the recovery of tract of land that Freta Stultz claims Ellen Fleming is wrongfully holding, the land being located in section 10, township 5 south, range 3 east, and consists of ten acres. The plaintiff also asks for \$500 damages and for costs and disbursements.

HUBBY WAS TOO JEALOUS, SO SHE ASKS A DIVORCE

Asking the custody of nine-year-old son, Mrs. Lydia McGill brought suit for divorce against Frank McGill in the circuit court here Tuesday.

The pair was married at Bremerton in 1907. Mrs. McGill alleges that her husband has made married life unpleasant with constant accusations of association with other men which he has made against her.

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He Has Four Sons For Nation

William Beard, a former resident of Oregon City but now of Sellwood, was in this city on Tuesday, and visited relatives and among his many friends. Mr. Beard has four sons, who have been members of the Oregon National Guard, and who may all be called by Uncle Sam. These young men are of excellent build, and just the kind that Uncle Sam desires. Lambert A. Beard, of Sellwood, who has had five years of training with the Oregon National Guard, will leave for San Francisco, where he is to report in the officers' reserve corps. Benjamin Beard, who has had 11 years' training, will no doubt be among those to report.

Mr. Beard's son, Lambert, when ordered to report at San Francisco, exclaimed to his father: "Father, I am sorry for you, as you were too young to enlist during the Civil war, and now you are too old to enlist."

Mr. Beard believes differently, and stated while here that he has already offered his services to the war census marshal, and if it was necessary he would go to the front with the rest of the boys. Mr. Beard had planned to spend the summer at his summer home in the Tillamook country, but his plans have been somewhat changed.

PROBATION OFFICER TELLS PARENTS THEY OVER-ENTERTAIN KIDS

"We entertain our children too much," Mrs. June Nison, probation officer of Multnomah county told the members of the Molalla Parent-Teacher association Saturday.

Mrs. Nison gave the principal speech of the day. Other numbers on the program included a discussion of picture study by Lorena Burkholder and Gladys Dunton; a talk on technical grammar by Lena Ulen, a talk on the coming convention of the National Educational association by F. J. Toose, an address on good roads by H. G. Starkweather, a speech on the benefits of professional reading by C. F. Romig, and a solo by Grace Dunton.

County Superintendent of Schools Calavan attended the meeting.

SAYS HUSBAND DROVE HER FROM HOME; ASKS COURT FOR A DIVORCE

Pari M. Day is the plaintiff in a divorce suit filed in the circuit court of Clackamas county Saturday, and the defendant in the case is Edwin C. Day.

Mrs. Day states in her complaint that they were married at Portland, May 17, 1916, and that soon after their marriage, Day commenced to treat her cruelly, and used abusive and profane language toward her.

She claims that he has ridiculed her of her ways of doing things and saying things, and that soon after the marriage that he has refused to support her, although he was able to do so.

She claims that she has been compelled to make her own living since July 1916, and she was obliged to leave him March 1917.

THE FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MARTIN VERWEYST ARE CONDUCTED HERE

The funeral services of the late Martin Verweyst, who died at the Oregon City hospital on Saturday night, were conducted this afternoon at the Holman undertaking parlors, with Rev. J. R. Landsborough, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

The services were largely attended, and the interment took place in the family lot in Mountain View cemetery.

Mr. Verweyst was about 48 years of age, and survived by two daughters, of Clackamas county and one son, of Washington county, Oregon.

SOME GUYS HAVE ALL LUCK; FRED SMITH IS ONE

Fred Smith, of Gladstone, has the honor of catching the largest number of salmon this season with hook and line.

On Friday morning he started from his home at an early hour and by evening had landed eleven fine Chinook salmon, the aggregate weight being about 256 pounds.

Eight of the fish weighed over twenty-five pounds, and all were caught with a light tackle.

COSTS MORE TO GO EAST. Trips east this year will cost \$7.50 more than in previous years.

This advance in the round trip rate to eastern points from Portland and other cities of the Pacific northwest has been agreed upon by the transcontinental roads.

Rate clerks of the several systems have been in conference for more than a week discussing schedules and sale dates.

The \$7.50 advance is for chief centers in the middle west and far east. Proportionate increases are planned for intermediate points.

It is expected that the results of the conference's deliberations will be made public in a few days.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Marriage licenses were granted by County Clerk Harrington on Tuesday to Elmer Poole, of 2080 Occident street, Portland, and Miss Ellen Venable, also of Portland; Sigrid Steinle and Clarence Brunner, of Parkville.

CLACKAMAS SCHOOL TEACHERS MEET AT THE EASTHAM SCHOOL

The Clackamas County Teachers' Association will meet in the Eastham school building on May 12, when the following program will be given under the direction of Robert Goetz, president, and J. R. Bowland, secretary-treasurer.

High school quartet; "The Teachers and the Coming Citizen," Rev. E. E. Gilbert; "Elective Subjects in High School," Miss Gertrude Dillon; Discussion, Miss Evelyn Todd; Query Box; high school quartet; "The Cause and Cure of the Mischief Maker," Harvey E. Tobie; Discussion; "The N. E. A.," O. M. Plummer, of Portland; reports of committees.

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