

Newsy Briefs From All Over the County

Wilsonville

WILSONVILLE, Oct. 24.—Leah Wagner's parents had a telegram from Eugene, on Saturday stating that she was ill with the common cold.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stangel are the proud parents of a little baby boy, who arrived on Thursday, October 10th.

Mrs. J. Butson received word recently that her son John Butson, had been wounded in action in France.

A son was born to Mrs. George Boeckman, on Thursday, October 10.

The school clerks have been placed at the head of the drive for the seven different charities, and the quotas for the districts are in the hands of the clerks, and the drive will begin on November 11. It is to be hoped that our village and districts in this vicinity, will keep up the good record of the past and put this "over the top," in record time.

James Say has been on the sick list at the University of Oregon.

The Loyalty league held a meeting on Friday evening and business of organization was completed. Mrs. Wood, Jessie Angus and Mrs. Joe Thornton were appointed on social committee and Mrs. J. Chalupsky on the Red Cross work. The meetings will be held on Friday evening of each week at 8 o'clock.

The local unit of Red Cross members have been doing quite a lot of sewing lately, and at present are making dresses for the children of Belgium. All who wish to assist in this work are cordially invited to be present at the Red Cross rooms on Wednesday afternoon.

Meadowbrook

MEADOWBROOK, Oct. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gerber, of Viola, spent the week-end with their cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mattoon.

Rose Ten Eyck, Myrtle and Allen Larkins attended a farwell party on Mr. and Mrs. Pickens, of Liberal, Wednesday evening.

Warren Baty had his sale Monday and expects to leave as soon as he gets things settled up.

Miss Ten Eyck spent the week-end at her home near Sandy.

Mr. Demour, of Molalla, has been sawing wood for Mr. Boffo, with his gasoline wood saw.

Rev. Gus Schiwe, of Harrisburg, Idaho and Chris Hoarck, of South Dakota, are visiting at P. O. Schiwe's this week.

Glen Larkins, who has been attending an auto school at Spokane, Wash., has been sent to Fort Warden.

Mrs. Milton Chindgren made a business trip to Oregon City Tuesday.

Myrtle, Nettie and Ruth Larkins visited at P. O. Schiwe's Sunday.

P. O. Chindgren took several school teachers from the adjoining districts to the institute at Molalla Saturday.

Clackamas

CLACKAMAS, Oct. 24.—The Loyalty league and literary combined promises an interesting patriotic program for Wednesday evening, November 6.

Mrs. Charles Street and Mrs. Peters, who were quite sick last week, are much better and about their work again.

R. B. Holcomb was elected school director, at the special meeting Saturday evening.

Private Carl Jones, Med. Rep. Unit No. 28, American E. F. via New York, under date of September 24, writes his mother, Mrs. L. D. Jones, "Well here I am away over here. Land is in sight and it sure looks good. We will be in port in an hour and will be glad to get on land again. I wasn't a bit sick on the trip. Some of the boys were very sick. I am fine and dandy, myself, only a little tired after so long a journey. I have not got time to write now will write again as soon as we get settled. How is everything at home? Did you get the package I sent you from Camp Dix?"

Arthur Mather, who was seriously ill of pneumonia at Camp Dix, Maryland, was reported on Saturday as improving.

John L. Mooney, of Camp Fremont, California, who was ill but a few days of pneumonia passed away at that camp October 23. His remains are to be brought home for burial. He was well known here.

Hans Wytemberg writes he is again on the battle front.

Eagle Creek

EAGLE CREEK, Oct. 24.—The Upper Eagle Creek Red Cross auxiliary met at its new headquarters in the James Gibson house and did some sewing for the Red Cross last Thursday.

Ernest Hoffmeister is on the sick list. He has the pneumonia.

Eagle Creek grange met at the Grange hall Saturday and held its regular meeting. Only eleven patrons were present owing to the busy times. Those present enjoyed a pleasant time together.

Mrs. Viola Douglas entertained at her home last week, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Douglas, of The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. George Douglas, of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Douglas of Currinville.

Carl Douglas was a Portland visitor on Monday.

Miss Frances Degerstedt went to Portland on Friday and spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Degerstedt.

Mrs. J. G. DeShazer and Mrs. Will Updegrave were the dinner guests of Mrs. Viola Douglas on Sunday.

Carl and Roy Douglass butchered some hogs the first of the week and sent them to the Portland market.

B. F. Cogswell is on the sick list.

Mrs. Murphy and son, Perry, were Etacada visitors last Saturday.

H. H. Hoffmeister attended Pomona grange at Logan recently.

The farmers are busy plowing, seeding and digging potatoes these days.

Estacada

ESTACADA, Oct. 24.—Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Hewitt, of Portland, visited her sister, Mrs. S. E. Wooster, in Estacada Sunday, later motoring to their ranch in Garfield, where they spent the day.

Mrs. Owen Smith, who moved to Tacoma recently, is with her mother, Mrs. William Dale, recovering from Spanish influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wooster and daughter, Helen spent the week-end in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mattoon of Oregon City, visited their son, Milton and family of Garfield Sunday.

Ray Drill, who has been working in Portland during the summer, has returned to his home in Faraday and will attend school here this winter.

The sophomore and junior girls had a picnic on the bank of the Clackamas river last Tuesday evening.

Oak Grove

OAK GROVE, Oct. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. John Waldron are being felicitated on the arrival of a little daughter, born Monday at Portland.

Mrs. D. O. Worthington and daughter, Lavelle, of Wheeler, arrived Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. George Bigham, for several weeks.

Mrs. Mae Speck is sick with pneumonia at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Speck.

Mrs. Gladys Wilson Harpole, of Mable, Oregon, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Roy Allen, and other relatives. Mrs. Harpole has been quite sick with a cold she took while on the train coming here.

Forest Speck passed away Friday at St. Vincent's hospital in Portland of pneumonia, aged 21 years. Besides his widow, he leaves a father, mother, two sisters, one brother and an aged grandmother.

Edward Neckel and wife, of Omaha, are visiting his aunt, Mrs. F. H. Youngs, and will remain here permanently.

Mrs. Edward Oland and children have moved to their new home in Portland.

John Hausel and parents have moved into the Oland property which he purchased a few weeks ago.

F. B. Allen and wife purchased the Wines property on Risley avenue, formerly the Backus property, and have taken possession.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wines have moved to Seattle, where Mr. Wines is government inspector for the letter department.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Toomey have moved in to their Irvington home and rented their property here to Mr. McEntyre, of California.

C. N. White, of Portland, returned home Tuesday, as he had completed the repair work on his property.

Mrs. George Bigham received a letter from her son Clair Harpole. He has recovered from a gas attack and is on duty again.

E. D. Olds received a telegram Thursday that his son, Orval, was very low with pneumonia in the naval hospital at Key West, Florida. Mr. Olds left Friday morning for Florida. Later a telegram was received saying Orval out of danger and this was wired to Mr. Olds at San Francisco.

Mrs. F. H. Harris received a letter from her son Ernest dated September 12. He states they are in the woods building a saw mill and fixing a permanent camp for the winter and he is well and working hard.

Mrs. Jenny Fahy and son were Portland visitors Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Mary E. Guthrie spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mattoon and daughter Edith left for Hood River with E. C. Warren's truck to work on the state highway.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wood and family have moved back to their home here from Vancouver.

Stafford

STAFFORD, Oct. 23.—The following are extracts from a letter received by Mrs. M. A. Gage from her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Sweek, formerly of Burns, Harney county, who is at present at Corvallis for the purpose of sending her two younger children to the school and college. You can see she is an enthusiastic worker for the Red Cross home Red Cross work to keep our boys in health, looking forward to the time when strong healthy young men may be called to help finish this war for the right.

Corvallis, Ore., Oct. 23, 1918.

The boys here are under army regulations and rules, cannot go more than two miles from the campus, and those quartered at the barracks cannot leave the campus without permission. The college could not accommodate them all yet, so three or four hundred are at present in private houses. I have my house full of Harney county boys. They have to be at the armory to form ranks for mess at 6 a. m. promptly. Even a few moments late puts them on the kitchen police.

Now here is the trouble. The boys are dressed for in-door school, and the heavy fog and rains we have had here and will continue to have from now on goes right through their shoes

Hazelia

HAZELIA, Oct. 23.—Clifford Vaughn, who was a student at the Hazelia school six years ago, was in his neighborhood last week, renewing old acquaintances. He has been taking the officers' training course at Corvallis until a few weeks ago, when he returned to his home in Portland and enlisted in the marines.

Miss Marion Eastman entertained several of her Oswego friends at her home at Maple Knoll Farm, Sunday.

The Hazelia Sewing Circle met at the school house last Saturday. Only a small percentage of the members was present. Mrs. Neilson was instructed to purchase more yarn, which will be knitted for three or four more Hazelia boys, who expect to be in the service soon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hunter, of Portland, were visiting their mother, Mrs. Scott, in Sunday.

Wood Young returned to his work Monday after a week's lay off on account of a bad cold.

Henry Ziegler is "courting" in Oregon City, while his potatoes are being dug. Henry is on the jury and is quite worried over his potato crop of 35 acres.

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NEW PAVED ROAD WILL SOON BE COMPLETED

Within a few days, possibly by the end of the present week, the Canby-New Era-Oregon City paved road on the Pacific Highway will be finished and traffic permitted to go over it. The crew started the first of this week to complete the short unfinished stretch at New Era, and since then no traffic has been allowed north through New Era, although by taking the old road up the hill from New Era, and through the woods on the hill one can again touch the paved road and ride on into Oregon City. The stretch of 400 feet on the south side of the hill just out of Canamah has been rock and graded and rolled, but will not be paved until next year, as the fill, being a heavy one, must be given time to settle.

CITIZENS' CAUCUS IS CALLED FOR OCT. 31

Signed by three prominent citizens, a call has been issued for a Citizens' Caucus to be held in the city hall on Thursday night, Oct. 31, for the purpose of nominating a mayor for a term of two years; four councilmen for a term of four years; four councilmen for a term of two years. A special election is to be held on Oct. 31

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Food Administration Price Report

The following are the prices given out by the Food Administration for the week. Following the name of the article are given the price paid by the retailer and the consumer respectively:

Wheat flour, 49 lbs.	\$2.75-3.00
Wheat flour, 24 1/2 lbs.	\$1.40-1.55
Barley flour, 10 lbs.	.85-.90
Barley flour, per lb.	.06-.07 1/2
Rye flour, 10 lbs.	.65-.80
Corn flour, per lb.	.06-.07 1/2
Rice flour	.09-.12
Corn meal, per lb.	.06-.07 1/2
Corn meal, 10 lbs.	.65-.75
Victory bread	.05 1/2-.10
Victory bread, 24 oz.	.12 1/2-.15
Oat meal, rolled oats, per lb.	.06 1/2-.08
Oat meal, rolled oats 10 lbs.	.65 1/2-.80
Rice, unbroken	.11-.14
Hominy, 10 lbs.	.70-.85
Sugar, granulated.	.09-.11
Beans, white, not lima	.16-.12 1/2
Beans, colored	.10-.12 1/2
Potatoes	\$2.00-2.50
Onions	.02 1/2-.02 1/2
Raisins, seeded	.11-.15
Prunes, medium size	.10-.12 1/2
Evaporated milk	.15-.18
Milk, bottled	.16 1/2-.15 1/2
Butter, creamery	.65-.72
Eggs, fresh	.40-.65
Cheese, American cream	.35-.40
Lard, pure leaf	.29-.35
Lard, pure leaf, 5 lb.	\$1.45-\$1.60
Lard substitute	.25-.30
Bacon, breakfast sliced	.47 1/2-.55

Macksburg

MACKSBURG, Oct. 23.—Potatoes have turned out well, and being dug before the soil is saturated with the fall rains, they are in fine condition for keeping.

The Red Cross Auxiliary was thinly attended in the past week on account of the rain, but the attendance will not be affected by weather. The demand for workers is especially urgent now. Hospital supplies are called for, appliances for wounded soldiers are needed. We can not be too earnest in the work. Let no one think that because the end of the struggle seems near, she may relax her energies in Red Cross work. The nearer the finish the hotter the fight and the more wounded will there be to care for. Besides, let each member feel that there is something in example. Steadfast perseverance in one other, and vice versa.

The usual meeting will be held in the present week at the Red Cross rooms, where the work for the Belgians will be completed and the Auxiliary will be ready to work on hospital supplies.

The most of the Camp Lewis boys from our place have visited their homes lately and all have seemed in excellent spirits and health.

The influenza, we are happy to say, seems to be passing us by.

Mrs. J. Gibson has brought her mother, Mrs. Therese Klar, home to remain with her permanently.

Mrs. Nettie Vogel, who, with her three small children, have been spending the summer months with her mother, has returned to her home in Portland.

Elmer White, we are happy to write, has so far recovered from the very serious injury, which was mentioned at the time of the occurrence in the papers, seems out of danger now.

Husband Has Temper Is Very Quarrelsome Wife Wants Divorce

Charging that for the last two and one half years it has been impossible for them to agree upon practically any subject whatsoever, and stating that an utter incompatibility of temper exists, Mrs. Lulu P. Eastman has filed a divorce suit against M. T. Eastman, to whom she was married June 10, 1914. She says her husband has a violent temper and on the least provocation he becomes enraged and continues a prolonged quarrel, during which time they do not converse. Eastman packed his belongings a few days ago and left their home, charged his wife. The defendant came to Oregon City Wednesday and accepted service of the complaint and appears to be perfectly willing for his wife to secure a divorce decree.

Small Child Victim Of Pneumonia Home Was In Portland

Elden John Keen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Keen, of 883 Killingsworth Street, Portland, died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bolles, about a mile from Oregon City yesterday morning. His death was due to bronchial pneumonia, and had been ill but a few days. The little fellow's age was two years, six months and five days.

The lad's mother, who is very ill in Portland, had sent the child for safe care at the Bolles home when he was taken ill.

The remains are at the funeral parlors of E. A. Brady in this city, and are to be shipped to Lebanon for burial in the family lot.


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and coats, as they have to march and stand at attention by the hour of course when drilling, and some days during the rainy weather they were damped all over all day. I had those quartered with me come to the fire hang up their coats to dry, put on dry shoes and have their wet ones dry by morning.

The uniforms will be issued as soon as they are mustered in, but they are of cotton. O. D. boys must furnish their underwear, socks and outside shirts.

Now you people I hope will start a movement right now, and get these boys two pair wool sox and sleeveless sweaters. The sox can not get here too soon and the sweaters must hurry. These youngsters are just our big, overgrown, soft kids, and must be cared for now, to guard them against this dreaded influenza. I think every county should look out for their own boys, who are here. To my mind it is the greatest Red Cross work there is.

I have written to Harney county and intend to stir others up, having confidence that if they just knew all would help.

Now get the names of all Clackamas county boys, who are here, and knit, old and young, big and little, knit, knit, knit, as you never knit before, for it is really a life and death affair that these boys have dry backs and feet.

They must have all the encouragement and thought for them possible, as this is their first going home, and when they are so uncomfortable, one would not wonder if they looked longingly back to the flesh pots of Egypt as exemplified in Mothers' home kitchen, but a stiff upper lip is the rule, and no word reaches the home folks, thinking that might seem like com-

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