

CHARLES W. NELSON DIES THURSDAY IN PORTLAND HOSPITAL

Charles W. Nelson, one of the well known residents of Oregon City, died at Good Samaritan hospital, Portland, Thursday morning, after undergoing several operations for abscess of the stomach. Mr. Nelson underwent an operation several weeks ago, and was improving from the effects of the same, and on Wednesday it was necessary to perform the second operation, from which he failed to rally.

Charles W. Nelson was born in Illinois, and had reached his 34th birthday anniversary May 11, 1918. He came to Oregon City a number of years ago, and was connected for two years with the Jones Drug company, and was the representative of the Brunswick, Balke Collander company. He later accepted the position as a traveling salesman for this company, his territory being in Washington and Oregon. He was with the company when he was taken suddenly ill in Portland, December 23.

Mr. Nelson was a member of the Moose lodge, and was a well known musician, for some time being a member of the Moose band, and was also a member of the Bunch orchestra for several years.

Mr. Nelson is survived by his widow, Ida Nelson, three little children, William Luens Nelson, aged 11 years, Kenneth Charles, aged nine years, who is in the Oregon City hospital suffering from two broken legs, the injury having been sustained some time ago when he met with an accident, and a little daughter, Lucille Evelyn, aged three years, all of this city; his mother, Mrs. Nelson, who left this evening from Grand Forks, North Dakota, for Oregon City, and a sister, of Grand Forks; four brothers, one of whom resides at Oshkosh, Wisconsin; one at Devil's Lake, North Dakota, and two at Arbuckle, the elder, residing at Arbuckle, is also on his way to Oregon City. His father died a number of years ago.

FORMER RESIDENT OF CANEMAH DIES IN SEATTLE SATURDAY

News of the death of Amos Smith, a former resident of Canemah, but now of Seattle, was received Saturday night by his brother, Oscar Smith. He had been ill but a few days of influenza.

Amos Smith spent the most of his life at Canemah until about two years ago when he went to Seattle to make his home. He was married there some time ago. While here he was employed at the local paper mills for some time. He was 23 years of age at the time of his death.

He leaves to mourn his loss his father, Oscar Smith, Sr., of this city; three brothers, George, of Seattle, and Andrew, who lives on the coast and Oscar of Oregon City; and a sister, Mrs. Grace Driscoll of Canemah.

EVELYN IVY BURNES DIES THURSDAY OF SPANISH INFLUENZA

Evelyn Ivy Burnes, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. William Burnes, died at the family home in Sullowood, Thursday. She was ill only a week before she succumbed to influenza.

Evelyn was born in Oregon City in March, 1916, and has lived here ever since, until four weeks ago, when her parents moved to Portland. She is survived by her parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Manley of Portland; three aunts, Mrs. O. E. Howe, Mrs. S. W. Hair and Mrs. Knopp, all of Oregon City; five uncles, Samuel Maddux, with Battery E, 39th Field Artillery, in France; Henry Maddux, Battery F, 2nd Field Artillery, now in New York, and Willie, Louie and Jay Maddux, all of Oregon City. Henry Maddux arrived in New York from France Thursday.

Woodburn

WOODBURN, Jan. 30.—Gladys Irene Seely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Seely, of Woodburn, died at the family home, January 16, after a weeks illness of pneumonia, following influenza. The little girl was ten years of age and the idol of her parents. All who knew her loved her so sweet a disposition did she possess. Mr. and Mrs. Seely who have the sympathy of the community with the rest of the family, have been confined with influenza. The funeral of Gladys was held Friday at 1 o'clock, interment being at Belle Passi cemetery, where Rev. C. L. Dark held services. She leaves to mourn her loss besides her parents, four brothers. She was a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ellingsen of Stafford and also Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Seely, of Wilsonville.

CAPTAIN PEASE BURIED HERE LAST THURSDAY

The remains of the late Captain George Pease, a well known Oregon pioneer, and a former resident of Oregon City, were brought to this city Thursday and interred in the family lot in Mountain View cemetery.

Captain Pease was well known by many old time residents of Oregon City. He was 88 years of age, and passed away after a few weeks' illness.

Captain Pease was a relative of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pope and Charles W. Pope of this city.

FORMER RESIDENT OF OREGON CITY LOSES LIFE IN IDAHO LAKE

Lawrence Martin Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Ford, residing near Oregon City, who left Clackamas county in 1915, lost his life in Pen D'Oreille Lake, Idaho, by drowning while he was engaged in fishing, January 15. The accident happened near Bay View, Idaho.

Lawrence Ford was born in Clackamas county October 16, 1884. The young man spent most of his life in Oregon until 1915, when he left for Idaho, and where he married Miss Josephine Boyd, of Kellogg. The marriage occurred April, 1915.

From the latest reports the young man's body had not been recovered from the lake.

Lawrence Ford is survived by his widow of Idaho; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Ford, a sister, Miss Mabel Ford, two brothers, Eugene and Elmer Ford, all of Oregon City.

WORD RECEIVED OF DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT IN FRANCE

From the casualty list of Sunday morning the name of Rexford E. Barto appeared. This young man is reported to have been killed in action, and this was the first intimation the mother, Mrs. Myrtle Barto of 685 Tacoma street, Portland, had received of the son's sacrifice.

The last letter received from the young man was dated September 22, and this mentioned the probability of the 38th infantry going into battle soon.

Private Barto was a former resident of Oregon City, where he lived for a number of years. While here he was employed in the Oregon City woolen mills, and served in the National Guard, but his term of service expired before the Third Oregon went to the Mexican border. While in Michigan last spring the young man entered the service, and was sent to Camp Custer, and on July 11, 1918, sailed for France.

PARKPLACE BOY IS DROWNED IN EAST RIVER, NEW YORK

A telegram was received Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. John Kent of Park place, informing them of the death of their son, Lowell Kent, Wednesday.

The young man was in the navy and his death resulted from drowning in the East River, New York. The telegram was brief and was from the commanding officer, who stated that a letter would follow with the particulars.

Lowell Kent was born at Mount Angel, but had spent most of his life in Parkplace, where he attended the schools. He enlisted in the navy over a year ago and was 24 years of age at the time of his death. The body had not been recovered when the telegram was sent.

The young man leaves to mourn his loss the father and mother of Parkplace, and a sister, Mrs. Fred Steiner, of Gladstone.

He was well and favorably known here where he had many friends.

PROMINENT NEWSPAPER MAN DIES TUESDAY AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

H. L. Pittock, editor and publisher of the Oregonian, passed away Tuesday night at 11:10 after an illness of about ten days.

Mr. Pittock was one of the best known newspaper men of the Pacific Coast and had been connected with the Oregonian for many years.

Early Tuesday evening his condition was very critical and hopes were given up for his surviving the night.

LAND IS PURCHASED BY PORTLAND WOMAN FOR PUBLIC PARK

Mrs. D. P. Thompson of Portland, has purchased from Georgia P. and John W. Meldrum at Meldrum station, a tract of land consisting of 39.91 acres, located in the Peter M. Rinearson D. L. C. township 2 south, range 2 east. This is one of the most attractive tracts of land along the line of the Portland Railway, Light & Power company. It lies south of Glen Echo and north of Fern Ridges station, with the railway line extending along the east side, with the county road along the west side.

It has been the intention of Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum for many years to erect a home on this land, and many have tried to purchase it but the owners have refused each time. Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum have, according to the internal revenue stamps, used on the deed, received from Mrs. Thompson \$20,000 for the tract of land.

Mrs. Thompson is to allow the property to remain in the present state, except that all underbrush will be removed, and the place beautified, and it will be dedicated in the near future to the public as a park. As there is an excellent spring of water on the land, this will be beautified, and there will be a children's playground and picnic ground established as well.

The beautiful fir trees that have always been admired by Mr. Meldrum, one of the early Oregon pioneers, are to remain in their places, from which swings will hang.

Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum have retained 60 acres and their home, a large part of this lies along the Willamette river, and where the Meldrum family has resided for many years.

W. C. GOODWIN MAY RETURN TO OREGON CITY

Word has been received by friends of Will C. Goodwin, formerly of Gladstone, and manager of the shoe department of the L. Adams store while making his home at the former place. Mr. Goodwin and family are at Jonesboro, but are homesick for Oregon from the tone of his letter and says he expects to again make his home in Oregon City before many years.

He says his work has been 96 per cent government contract, and that he has increased the output more than 20 per cent, and says he now feels that he has done more to help lick the Kaiser than he could have done at fitting shoes. In his letter Mr. Goodwin says that Neal did not have a chance to go across much to his sorrow. He is a sergeant and stationed at the power house at the Presidio, San Francisco, and was recently married.

When writing Mr. Goodwin and wife were just recovering from the influenza. He reports that Jonesboro has had the finest winter this year, and it has been cold but for four days, and with no snow so far.

In closing his letter, Mr. Goodwin says "as a remedy or otherwise for homesickness, would like to have you enter my subscription for the Morning Enterprise."

OBJECTIONS TO BOLSHEVIKI AT PEACE MEETING

PARIS, Jan. 25.—The council of the national and democratic bloc of Russian political organizations abroad has sent a strongly worded protest to Premier Clemenceau against the decision of the supreme council to call a conference of the Russian factions.

"We would be men without honor and courage if we accepted for a single moment a truce such as proposed to us while all that are dear are in danger of death—violent death by execution or assassination or slow death through hunger," the protest says in part.

"The interest of humanity in general and democracy in particular," the protest adds, "requires the establishment in Russia of a regime based on the sovereignty of the people freely expressed. An improvised meeting at the Princes Islands cannot be an expression of this sort. Russia has long clamored for the free election of a constituent assembly. The attempt was stifled by the Bolsheviki by force of arms, and they are today asked to make the voice of Russia heard."

PLANS OF DISBANDING ARMY IS DEFENDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Republican Leader Mann read to the House today a letter from General March explaining why the War Department adopted the plan of demobilizing by disbanding units instead of by discharging soldiers in accordance with the need of men in industries. The chief of staff said the latter plan had been discarded as impracticable after consideration because it would have involved the task of appraising the case of each individual soldier.

"On the other hand," he said, "disbandment of the complete military units could be and was immediately begun. In this way the military situation was safeguarded and at the same time demobilization was accelerated."

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Election was held Friday morning, January 17, for members of the Hesperian staff. The following is the result of the election:

Editor-in-Chief—Gordon Ramstead; Associate Editor—Laura Bruner; Literary Editor—Margaret Clark; Assistant Literary Editor—Florence McGeehan; Business Manager—Robert Meyers; Assistant Business Manager—Gordon Wilson; Alumnae—Marie Andersen; Jokes—Samuel McLarty; Athletics—Lillian Harris; Locals—Fern Yexley; Staff Artist—Florence Andrews; Subscription Manager—Lawrence Hull; Assistants—Helen Ann Jones, Freida Hicks, and John Bennett. Class Editors—Senior, Fayne Burdon; Junior, Bertha Hartke; Sophomore, William Rutherford; Freshmen, Elizabeth Krause.

The students have promised the best paper that was ever put out of the Oregon City high school, and we hope they live up to their promise.

A meeting was held Monday noon to elect a captain and manager for the base ball team of the ensuing year, the vacancies being caused by the resignation of Robert Meyers, the manager, and vacancies left by Leonard Cannon, who is not attending school this semester. Lawrence Hull was elected to fill the office of manager and Raymond Calliff, the office of captain.

THOUSANDS SUFFER FROM STARVATION IN THE NEAR EAST

Telegrams of encouragement are being sent to Dr. Roy Prudden, chairman of the Clackamas county relief drive for the Near East. These telegrams are sent by some of the most prominent men of the country and they urge the county to make its quota as soon as possible for the need is urgent.

Conditions in the Near East are critical. It is estimated that 10,000 destitute women and children are suffering in one part alone. Their condition is pitiable. Ten thousand Kurds are starving at Khoy. There are 30,000 destitute at Tabriz and the conditions are getting worse every day.

The quota of Clackamas county is only \$5500 and it is thought that this will be raised without any trouble. The committees intend to make an effort to go over the top the first day. The drive starts February 17 and ends February 24.

VETERAN PUBLISHER HELPED TO ORGANIZE LOCAL PAPER MILLS

Henry L. Pittock, publisher of the Oregonian, who passed away in Portland Tuesday night from an illness of influenza and bronchitis, was one of the best known newspaper men of the Northwest.

Mr. Pittock was active in many business ventures in Oregon, among these being the Crown Willamette paper company of this city, of which he was one of the founders. He also helped to organize the company's mills at Camas, Wash. He had been president of the Northwestern National bank of Portland, and was recently reelected to that position. Mr. Pittock was also interested in several small railroads of the state.

He would have celebrated his 84th birthday March 1 of this year.

LOCAL OFFICERS STOP WOMAN SATURDAY FOR POSSESSING LIQUOR

As Mrs. Katherine Brown of Portland, stopped off the north-bound train Saturday she was arrested by Sheriff Wilson and Chief of Police Woodward for having liquor in her possession.

She carried a suit case and when this was opened it was found to contain two quarts and three pints of Old Crow whiskey. This was wrapped in a San Francisco paper with a big headline "Dry's Win Victory." The woman said she had come from Hornbrook and had purchased the liquor for her own use to warm off "Fru" and did not intend to sell it.

She was taken to the office of the district attorney and Justice Seivers was called and after they heard her story she was released with a warning. There was another woman with Mrs. Brown but she claimed to have nothing to do with the liquor and she was not detained.

QUIET TITLE GRANTED

C. S. Jackson was given quiet title to property in Clackamas county Friday in the circuit court. An interest in this land was claimed by Marie Underwood et al.

Huntley's Cold Tablets Will Cure Your Cold. DRUG STORE SERVICE. These have been strenuous days for the doctor, the drug store and the manufacturer of drug store supplies. The enormous demand for influenza medicines and preventives has swept clean the shelves of all dealers and wholesalers on the coast. How has this store met the emergency? We have given a daytime service from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m.; and we have given a night time service for prescriptions from 10 p. m. till morning. There has been a registered drug clerk at your service for prescriptions, 24 hours of every day including Sundays. When supplies were no longer attainable in Portland or Seattle or San Francisco, we wired direct to the manufacturers in the East for goods by mail or express, sparing no expense. Today our stocks are practically complete and you can depend on finding here what your doctor orders. Please remember that we fill prescriptions from all doctors, either Portland or Oregon City—that all compounding is done by registered pharmacists and that every prescription is double checked to prevent errors. Every person subject to exposure to influenza should use automizers with Dobbels solution. Syrup Hypophosphites Best Tonic After Sickness. Use Forma Germ-Kill Fumigator After Influenza. HUNTLEY DRUG CO. The Rexall Store.

SEDITIONARY TALK OF H. ALBERS TOLD AT TRIAL

PORTLAND, Jan. 29.—Charges that L. A. Gamaunt, witness for the prosecution in the espionage case against Henry Albers, former head of Albers Brothers' Milling company, had attempted to "sell out" to the defense following his testimony before the Federal grand jury, were launched yesterday afternoon in Federal court. Witnesses for the prosecution testified that the defendant had openly declared his pro-Germanism, expressed a desire to "slack" or utterly obliterate America, had applied a vile term to Secretary McAdoo, had expressed the conviction that America could not whip Germany and that no Yank could whip a German, had declared that he would willingly spend his fortune to defeat the United States, and had otherwise talked seditious. All agreed that the defendant was drinking heavily, but that he appeared rational.

EFFORTS NEEDED TO ENCOURAGE TOURIST TRADE

"I refer to the importance of preparations for post-war conditions as a general proposition, and more particularly to the fact that it is up to the states to advertise themselves as never before to take the place of former railroad promotion of tourist, agricultural and industrial regions. The Northwest has been the beneficiary of hundreds of thousands of dollars of railroad promotion. Since this is withdrawn, no stone should be left unturned to provide funds to sustain the travel which these roads have featured."

The above is an extract from a letter by Mr. Howard H. Hays, of the U. S. Railroad Administration, Bureau of Service, as to the necessity of such work as has been carried on by the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association.

The association has recently issued its annual report, which shows that it has been financed for the past biennial by the governments of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, with a joint fund of \$112,500, of which Oregon contributed \$45,000, Washington \$45,000, and the province of British Columbia \$22,500.

The report quotes Mr. Hays, who is one of the best authorities in the United States on all that pertains to



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to travel and development through travel to show that the three governments were well advised in making provision for the advertising of this great territory.

Widespread attention has been given all over the United States to this report and the statements made therein—that advertising is the greatest business getter and the best salesman in the world today; that the tourist business in the United States amounts to seven hundred million dollars a year, which is mainly developed through publicity.

The State of Maine derives fifty millions a year from its travel, the New England states one hundred million, it is second only to the tobacco industry in Cuba, and in California it amounts to more than all the citrus crops combined, in fact, in California the tourist crop is the greatest asset.

To advertise Oregon is good business and it is patriotic. The right kind of advertising will bring a floating population that will vastly increase the business of the stores, the hotels and the producers. The money left here is new money and stays here. It helps to develop business and pay taxes. Every Oregonian desires to see his own state exploited in advertisements and in news items because he is proud of his state and longs to see others make their homes here.

It is admitted that in Oregon, Washington and British Columbia we have more attractions than any other resort region in the world and yet we derive less revenue from them than any other region. It is the aim of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association to make our scenery and climate bring into this state an ever increasing number of millions of dollars, and at the same time to bring in new settlers, investors, and manufacturers that will help to populate and develop the state of Oregon and the whole Pacific Northwest.

The state revenues are used to develop every other asset, either by maintaining departments, enforcement of laws, maintaining institutions, and the building of roads and bridges, but with the exception of the very small appropriation made by them during the past biennial, this, one of the greatest cash assets, most easily made an immense revenue producer with the least trouble and expense, has been overlooked.

Every time a good road is built past a farmer's home and a visitor is brought by publicity along that road, it enhances the value of the property. Every tourist or visitor is a possible buyer if it is for sale. A tourist campaign encourages and demands a comprehensive highway program and makes the investment of capital in highways and good roads a profitable investment even in actual dollars and cents.

A good tourist season in any one city doubles the amount of foodstuffs consumed in the hotels and boarding houses. The hotels of Portland use no less than one hundred thousand dollars worth of farm products every year. In a good tourist season it amounts to two hundred thousand dollars.

The report of the association further points out that in the opinion of persons of authority, like Mr. Hays, and of the press, that it has commenced a work which on no consideration should be allowed to lapse. Even California, the home of expert tourist advertising, has pointed to the activities of the association as an example of the finest kind of publicity and well worthy of emulation, even by California.

In a four-column editorial under the caption: "A Lesson in Community Advertising that Southern California Ought to Heed," the Los Angeles Examiner of June 8, 1918, says in part: "An example of intelligent community advertising is being furnished by the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association of which Herbert Cuthbert, with headquarters in Seattle, is secretary. "The advertising is tactful and certain to be result producing." "Let Southern California from San Diego north take prayerful heed of

ALTA MAUDE HOWELL UNITED IN MARRIAGE TO J. ALBERT ROAKE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Howell of 902 Fifth street, when their daughter, Miss Alta Maude Howell, was united in marriage to J. Albert Roake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roake of this city. The impressive ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Herbert G. Crocker, pastor of the Congregational church, in the presence of about 60 friends of the contracting parties.

Preceding the marriage ceremony, Mrs. Joan Crawford, aunt of the bridegroom, sang impressively "Oh, Promise Me", and at the conclusion strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March played forth, with Miss Bernice Johnson presiding at the piano. As the bridal party entered the living room, where the ceremony was performed, the little ring bearer, Margaret Swanson, cousin of the bride, and the little flower girls, Glenis Pearson, cousin of the bride, and Mary Roake, cousin of the bridegroom, preceded the bride, accompanied her father, and the bridesmaid, Miss Mildred Tschirg. Beneath the large wedding bell formed of fresh, the bridal party was met by the bridegroom and his best man, Richard Howell, brother of the bride.

Following the impressive ceremony refreshments were served, Mrs. Howell, mother of the bride, being assisted in serving by Miss Geneva Young, Miss Florence White, Miss Esther Harris and Miss Agnes Hester.

The bride was beautifully gowned in white satin and Georgette crepe. Her long tulle veil was held gracefully in place by a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of Bride's roses.

The rooms of the Howell home were artistically decorated. The living room was in white and green, when calla lilies were arranged in vases and baskets, while the dining room was in pink and green. LaFrance roses and ferns were used among these decorations.

After a brief honeymoon the young couple are to return to this city, where they are to make their home in the Roake cottage on Ninth and Madison streets.

The bride is one of the well-known young women of this city. She attended the Oregon City high school, and later took a course at a business college in Portland, and for some time has been stenographer for Good Samaritan hospital, Portland, recently resigning this position.

The bridegroom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roake. He attended and graduated from the Oregon City high school, and later took a course at the Oregon Agricultural college. Mr. Roake is now connected with the Oregon City Foundry, of which his father is manager.

necessity of advertising and of the press on the efficiency of the advertising that has already been done should be object lessons to the people of the entire Pacific Northwest.

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WE BUY FARM PRODUCE YOUR COW OR YOUR PIG AND PAY CASH SEE F. T. BARLOW AT

LAST MINE SWEEP UP WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The last mine laid by the German U-boats during their visits to the Atlantic coast last summer has been reported swept up by navy

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