

CANBY AND SOUTHERN CLACKAMAS

GERMAN WAR RELICS IN COLLECTION SENT BY ERNEST FULLER

One of the finest collections of relics from the battle fields of France in Canby were those sent by Ernest Fuller...

HAMILTON INTERESTS AUDIENCE

One of the most interesting lectures on the European war was given in the band hall Friday evening by Major Jack Hamilton...

LIVE WIRES AT CANBY

The Live Wires of the Oregon City Commercial Club will be entertained by the members of the Canby Commercial Club...

CANBY STUDENTS RECEIVE DIPLOMAS

The following students of the Canby schools successfully passed the eighth grade examination...

MANY ATTEND ROSE SHOW

Many Canby people are attending the Rose show in Portland, and those not having automobiles are taking advantage of the stage...

LODGE NEWS

The encampment of the I. O. O. F. Lodge met Friday evening. Four candidates were initiated.

CANBY BOY RETURNS

Arthur Seaton, who has seen action in some of the big battles of France and Belgium, who recently returned to the United States...

DAILY AUTO STAGE WEEK DAYS

Table with columns for Leave CANBY and Leave OREGON CITY, listing times from 6:45 a.m. to 4:50 p.m.

EXTRA TRIPS Saturday and Sunday

Table with columns for Leave CANBY and Leave OREGON CITY, listing times for Saturday and Sunday trips.

IF IN NEED OF Drugless Treatments CONSULT DR. FULLER

At the Cottage Hotel, Canby, Oregon. Specialist in Chronic Cases.

CANBY SCHOOL LOOKS FOR AUDITORIUM AT EXPENSE OF \$4,000

CANBY, June 6.—The voters of the Canby school district meet Tuesday evening to vote on a proposal to authorize the school board to issue warrants in the sum of \$4,000 for the purchase of the Canby band auditorium...

CANBY LOCALS

J. S. Dick was among the visitors at the Rose show in Portland Wednesday.

Arthur and Clyde Lowry, of Portland, accompanied by their sister, Miss Gladys, spent Sunday in Canby...

Earl and Alan Hutchinson, of Portland, spent Sunday at their home in this city.

The dance held at Hubbard Friday evening was largely attended by the young people of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bair were among those to attend the Rose show in Portland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hendershott and family, Edgar and Delbert Hutchinson, of Molalla, spent Sunday in this city...

George Catley left for San Francisco Tuesday, and was accompanied as far as Portland by his wife, who will visit in that city for a few days before returning to her home here.

Mr. Cratley is making the trip to California on the steamer Rose City, and expects to be gone for about a month.

Mrs. Anderson, formerly Mrs. Ogle, of this city, who has been absent in Twin Falls, Idaho, for the past three years, has returned to Canby...

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gribble, of Portland, were in Canby Sunday, where they visited Mr. Gribble's grandparents...

Mr. Gribble is one of Clackamas county's heroes. He was in some of the thickest fights in France, and has wounds to show he has gone through.

He was shot in the nose, wrist and one finger taken off. One of the peculiar injuries is where the knuckle bone of his left wrist was shot away.

Mr. Gribble speaks highly of the way the government treated him, and other young men in the service.

There was much complaint heard from a number of the soldiers stationed at Brest and the condition of that place, he says he was among those stationed there...

and one of the first to be brought there after being injured and among the last to be taken away, but they had dry places to sleep and also good things to eat.

In some parts of the course the mud was somewhat deep in places, but men were given as good care as possible.

While in the hospital suffering from his wounds he was also given every attention possible.

Mr. Gribble has resumed his position as mailcarrier in Portland, and was informed by the government if this was too strenuous owing to his injuries, he

WEEKLY SOLDIER LETTER

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Taber are in receipt of the following letter from their son, Asel J. Taber, telling of some of his experience and trips in France, since entering the service:

My Trip to Reims, France. (The Battle Front)

Three of us—all poor Army Field Clerks—left Chaumont at 5:21 P. M. the evening of May the 3rd for Paris.

"Arrived in Paris at 9:40 P. M., and left again at 9:46 P. M. We had to go thru the formality of registering in and out at the station. This trip was the worst trip ever.

We couldn't get seats in either first or second class coaches and had to get into a third-class one and stand or sit in the corridor of the car.

(The compartments open from a corridor in most of the French coaches.) We weren't the only ones in this corridor either. It was filled with peasants returning to their homes—even chickens with us (some old lady was bringing them along with her).

"Arriving in Reims we had a cup of coffee at a French Red Cross, near the station and then started to find something to eat if possible. A person in the 'States' can't begin to realize what a deserted place Reims is. Every house in town except six, they tell us, has been struck by a bomb or gun, and for the life of us we couldn't find any of the six. The town (which before the war had a population, I believe, of something like 190,000) is only a mass of ruins, and is one of the saddest sights I have ever witnessed.

We hiked over to the Cathedral and saw that first. This wonderful structure is a mass of ruins—only the outside standing, and in some parts that is obliterated.

"It being about 6:40 we began to think about something to eat. We asked several Frenchmen we met where we could get a 'petit dejuner' and begin to think we were S. O. L., but finally found one that directed us to a small cafe where we succeeded in appeasing our appetites on 'pomme de terre' (potatoes) French fried, steak and coffee.

"After this repast, we started again toward the center of the town and visited the ruins of the opera house. What a looking place! It was a complete ruin, but we were able to discern the promenade, where once must have been hung expensive paintings and where stood, in past years, fine statues which now lay in heaps of broken marble, only one remaining here and there.

"From here we went back to the street and started up the road where once had run a trolley car and started for the battle fields, but of course, on our way, taking in the most interesting ruins, different large churches, Palais de Justice, etc.

"Well, we hiked and hiked, came to a dugout and thought we would explore it. Down and down and down we went. It was dark as a dungeon down there, and running out of matches we had to feel our way along, and finally we came to another stairway and started up and finally landed—where do you think—in a cemetery. The hallway must have been at least 50 feet under the surface. We finally struck the battle area, that is, the trenches. First it was the French ones, built apparently very hurriedly, for the city's defense. They all ran in zig-zag style for a protection from bursting shells. They were very narrow and very muddy. Miles and miles of barbed wire entanglements were strung everywhere. 'No-man's' land the space between here and the Germans' first line trenches was nothing but a field of shell holes.

"We passed a small railroad, where the tracks had been blown up, the gate tender's house being nothing but a heap of stone. Up the road, near the first line trenches of Von Hindenburg's we saw a Frenchman working, piling up stones. Upon questioning him we found that it had been his home before the war, and that he had just been discharged and had come back to it.

"We soon started our exploration of the 'Von Hindenburg Line' trenches. They are very wide and deep. Lined in most places with cement, and on the bottom were regular walks. We visited a sniper's nest, found how he lived in it, a regular room with a cot bed. The roof of the nest was just far enough above the ground to give him a view of the French trenches. We also visited the quarters of the Germans' prisoners. We found an

PEOPLE AUTHORIZE PURCHASE OF HALL BY SCHOOL BOARD

The special school election held at Canby high school building Tuesday evening for the purpose of purchasing the band hall to be used as a gymnasium and for entertainments to be given by the school, was one of the most important elections held in Canby.

During the evening Rev. Joselyn made an eloquent address in favor of purchasing the property. There were 54 voting for and 27 against securing the property.

A building of this kind has long been needed by the high school.

would be given another position with the office. Mrs. Gribble did her part as well while her husband was in the service. She secured employment in a dry goods store.

Frank Gribble, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gribble, who is still in the service, was stationed at Manila, P. I. when last heard from, and does not know when he will receive his discharge from the service.

Mrs. Harry Douglass and daughter, Cora, left Sunday morning for the East, to make an extended visit with relatives.

Clarence Haines, of Oswego, was in Canby Wednesday, and while here visited his sister, Mrs. Grant White.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham, of Oak Grove, were in Canby Saturday and Sunday, guests of their son Arthur Graham and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler, of Portland, were in Canby Sunday, guests of Mrs. Wheeler's mother, Mrs. Ruth White.

M. L. Hamer, M. E. Renfro and Mr. and Mrs. H. Hamer, of Centralia, formed a motoring party visiting Canby Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. They made their headquarters at the Cottage.

Mr. R. Soper left last Friday morning, where she is visiting relatives for several weeks.

Ralph Thompson, of Salem, was registered at the Cottage Saturday and Sunday.

George Wait, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wait, who won a record for himself as a high jumper at the Oregon Agricultural College, will arrive in Canby Saturday, where he will spend the week-end with his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Fuller motored to Jefferson Sunday, where they looked after their property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Wait went to Albany Sunday, where they visited Mrs. John Cochran, an aunt of Mr. Wait, who is one of the early Oregon City pioneers, and who is critically ill at the home of her brother, Henry B. Springer.

Mrs. Cochran is the wife of the late Captain Cochran, who had the record of taking the first steamer up the Willamette river as far as Eugene, this having been done at the request of a number of prominent residents of purchased the steamer Relief, which was built at Oregon City, and this was informed over the falls into the upper river, where it was operated for many years.

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Cable dispatches state that Mrs. Ava Willing Astor, first wife of Colonel John Jacob Astor and for many years leader in American society, was married quietly in London to Lord Ribblesdale, famous as a sportsman.

ammunition dugout which went down about 75 feet underground and it appeared the ammunition had been hauled to the surface via a shaft which contained a track, we also found another shaft into the same dugout by which soldiers entered.

"On our way back we stopped at a little store (recently rebuilt, with the aid of tar-paper and oiled paper for window-panes) and purchased some bread, sweetened to taste like that we have at home. It went very good after our long hike thru the mud.

"We left for Paris again on the express thru Chateau-Thierry, and arrived in Paris about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. We stayed there the rest of the evening, leaving for Chaumont at 9:00 in the evening.

"We reached the Y. M. C. A. hotel in time for dinner. We bought, wrote and mailed some cards here and rested there until it was time to catch our train. We arrived here at Chaumont at 2:30 in the morning. So ended our visit to the battle-fields of France.

"The Germans surely cannot be given too hard a term, say we, after seeing the damage they have done by wrecking peaceful homes and beautiful cathedrals and churches of France.

ASEL J. TABER, Army Field Clerk, A. P. O. 706, G. H. Q., A. E. F.

FLYER BURNED TO DEATH

ST. JOUIS, June 11.—Oscar Brickner, 30 years of age, of Wabash, Ind., a civilian flyer, was burned to death at Hannibal, Mo., this morning, when his airplane fell out of control and crashed in a street, bursting into flames.

Braved Hail of Machine Gun Bullets to Rescue Fallen French Flyer

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Farm Bureau Notes of Interest

Edited by R. G. Scott, County Agent.

New Law on Canada Thistles.

The last legislature had a care for the future welfare of the farming lands when they passed a strict law against Canada thistles. Under the old law it was the duty of the road supervisor to exterminate these weeds, but it was very hard to get a road supervisor who would build roads and clean out thistles.

The new law provides that the county court may appoint a man whose duty it will be to see that Canada thistles are controlled. Whenever the majority of the people of a district petition the county court, this man will be empowered to serve notice upon owners of Canada thistles, and if the thistles are not destroyed within ten days, he can go upon the land and have them destroyed at the owners expense.

The cost for this is assessed against the land. Another section of the law provides that anyone who allows the thistles to make seed shall be liable to a fine of \$25 for the first offense, and a justice court to have jurisdiction.

An organized effort is being made to enforce this law. The executive committee of the farm bureau voted to ask the county court to make appropriation for this work next year. Meanwhile in every locality where the thistles are abundant there is a farm bureau committee who will report the existence of thistles and any man who allows them to go to seed will be fined.

A Dairy Survey. In the interests of bettering dairying, the farm bureau is going to take a dairy survey. This was voted by the executive committee at its last meeting. There are undoubtedly many scrub bulls in Clackamas County, and it is desirable to find where they are, and whom owns them.

At the picnic of Jersey breeders at the N. H. Smith farm last Saturday it was voted to form a Jersey Breeders Association in Clackamas county.

Some of the things which an association can do are as follows:

- 1. Help every man who has Jersey cows to get a registered Jersey bull. 2. Keep track of the value of the bulls in the county by encouraging farmers to test their herds. 3. Arrange for an annual sale of the surplus stock. 4. Make Clackamas county noted for its Jersey cows and put the dairy business on a better paying basis. 5. Get the boys and girls interested in owning good stock.

There are probably more than fifty farmers owning registered Jersey cattle in this county. United action will accomplish wonders. A committee of three consisting of Ed. Hart, N. H. Smith and Elmer Gribble was named to confer with the county agent and formulate a constitution and by laws. It is expected that every dairyman who is in sympathy with the Jersey cow will join this association.

Certification of Seed Potatoes.

Does it pay to grow seed potatoes? The prices quoted in the daily market reports say that it does. Seed potatoes usually bring 25c per hundred pounds more than ordinary table stock. This county has a reputation for producing more seed potatoes than any other county. There is always a good demand for certified seed. It is not every potato grower that can produce certified seed. The spud must be true to type, and free from disease and to be sure of this, three inspections will be made at O. A. C. The cost of this work is \$3. per acre for fields up to 10 acres, \$2.50 per acre for fields between 10 and 25 acres, and \$2 per acre for fields over 25 acres.

This is a good thing is evidenced by the fact that George Brown is planning to certify 30 acres of his Southern California White Rose.

County and State Fair.

Already there is a considerable interest in the county fair being manifested. From all indications the space in the exhibit building will be fully occupied. Now is the time to get samples of clover and vetch and field peas. There are good premiums offered for individual and community exhibits. It is expected that a number of the granges will compete for the liberal prizes offered for their exhibits. They are to be a large number of concessions and the races will attract good crowds. Any one who gets a blue

ribbon this year will know he has the best in the county.

BIG COMMUNITY PICNIC.

At the Harding Grange Park a big picnic will be held June 21. Beginning at 11 o'clock a big field meet will be held. The events are as follows: 50 yd. dash, boys 15 and under, prize baseball mitt. 50 yd. dash, girls 15 and under, prize, 1 lb. box of candy. 100 yd. dash open to all men, prize, knife. Three legged race, boys 15 and over, prize, 1 doz. bananas. Potato race, open to all girls and women, prize, box of stationery. Fat man's race, 200 lbs. and over, prize, 1 qt. of ice cream. Fat woman's race 175 lbs. and over, prize, 1 qt. of ice cream. Shoe race, open to all, prize, 1 doz. oranges. Sock race open to all boys, prize, mole trap. Horseshoe pitching contest all day. The prize for winning team is tickets for the dance.

After the races a big picnic dinner will be served with coffee furnished by the Harding grange. At 2 P. M. a snappy program will be given with music and speeches. At 8 o'clock a big dance will be pulled off in the grange hall. There will be lots of "Jazz" music and a good time guaranteed. Come early in the morning and have a good time all day.

CLOTHING WEEK.

The week of June 16 marks the time for a clothing specialist from the Oregon Agriculture College for Clackamas County. The home demonstration agent is arranging meetings and demonstrations in the communities where the project is adopted. Several women have expressed their desire to make dress forms just to their own measurements. Knowing this it is planned to make these forms in their communities. The altering of patterns, combination of colors and materials and all short cuts and suggestions along the sewing line will be brought up. The communities who are fortunate enough to obtain the services of this clothing specialist are indeed lucky. Any one is invited to attend who lives in the community where the clothing meeting are held.

SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED FOUR COUNTY GIRLS

Four young women, members of the Oregon City high school graduating class, were taken by surprise at the commencement exercises of the high school Tuesday evening, when they were presented with scholarships. It was quite a coincidence that two of the young women are named Florence and two Margaret, there being Florence Kerr, Florence McGeehan, Margaret Clark and Margaret Toedtemier.

Margaret Toedtemier received a scholarship at the Willamette University, and Margaret Clark one at Whitman College. The two scholarships offered by the Oregon Conference of Colleges went to Florence Kerr and Florence McGeehan. This conference includes Pacific College, McMinnville College, Pacific University, Philomath College and Albany College.

The following were Honor Students of the Oregon City high school for the year: Dorothy Blake, Margaret Beattie, Margaret Clark, Anna Johnson, Leona Kellogg, Florence Kerr, Althea Kidby, Florence McGeehan, Robert Myers, Alta Meredith, Thelma Selb, Margaret Toedtemier and Emma Wentrom.

Back From "Over There" and Waiting to Get Into Brooklyn Baseball Togs

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SANDY DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Blanche R. Shelley Representative.

GRADE SCHOOL GRADUATES ONE PUPIL.

Miss Pearl Dixon was the lone member of the 8th grade graduating class this year, but she carried off the honors very well indeed, receiving 100 per cent in history and a general average of 93 per cent. Miss Pearl will enter the Sandy union high school next year where two of her sisters will be Juniors.

ENTERTAINMENT SUCCESS.

Bull Run School closed a very successful term June 7, graduating two pupils from the eighth grade. The program consisted of the following: Star Spangled Banner. Play—Persephone. Act 1. Persephone is stolen from the earth. Recitation—Wesley Cunningham. Act 2.—Pulto's home in the underworld. Recitation—Melvin Hansburg. Act 3. Persephone returns to the earth.

Cast of Characters.

Ceres—Jennie De Shazer. Persephone—Katherine McCredie. Pluto—Leonard Haneburg. Imp—Melvin Haneburg. Mercury—Clarence McCredie. People of the earth. Recitation—Louis Haneburg. Recitation—Doris Martin. Song, Solomon Levi—Four Boys. Song—Miss Minnie Senses and Mr. Mark Senaki. Recitation—Mrs. Penn. Presentation of diplomas—Mr. Vedder.

The pupils that graduated were, Jennie De Shazer, Katherine McCredie and Leonard Haneburg of Bull Run; Lena Helms and Christine Ogden of Marmot.

The honors with which these pupils graduated were due to the efforts of their efficient teacher, Miss Verrett, and the willing efforts of the pupils. Lunch was served after the program.

LOCALS.

Mrs. Alice Scates was pleasantly surprised with a birthday dinner at her home in Sandy. The table was tastefully decorated in pink roses, the color scheme being pink and white. The guests from Sandy were: Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reed, Mrs. R. E. Esson and family, Miss Carrie De Shazer. The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reed and two children of Corbett, Miss Blackhall of Corbett, Mr. Thomas Scates of St. St. John.

Miss Beatrice Beers, of Gresham, was a house guest at the Geo. Beers home last week.

Mrs. Shelley and daughter, Jennie, left Saturday for Hood River, where they expect to remain most of the summer.

Mrs. J. W. Dixon and daughters are spending their summer at the Dixon and Howitt mill, at Bull Run.

Gertrude and Frances Meinig were Portland visitors Friday.

Cecil Duke spent Thursday in Sandy. Those attending the dance at Welch's June 1, from Sandy were: Kate Junker, Frances and Gertrude Meinig, Hazel Beers, Dorothy De Shazer, Margaret Louie, Frank Smith, Glen Loundree, Robert Call, Albert Bell, Robert Strebin, George Beers, Al Edwards and son Lennis, Cyril Gray, Al-

fred Meinig, Fred Junker, Ed. Schmits, Ted Gray.

Splendid music was furnished by Gertrude Meinig, Ted Gray and George Beers.

Mrs. Helt and three daughters are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lyons.

Mrs. C. L. Henson of Zig Zag was in Sandy Friday.

J. Scales went to town Monday and returned Tuesday.

Mr. Martin was seriously injured by a horse last Friday morning. He was hitting the horse up when it turned and bit him, also throwing him against a post and tearing the side of his head. He was taken to Gresham where ten stitches were taken in one side of his head and three in the other.

Al Edwards went to Portland Thursday and returned Friday.

Kate Junker spent three days in Portland last week.

Robert Smith sold three Fords and one Brisco last week.

Mr. Howitt and daughter, Edna, visited the Dixon and Howitt Mill Monday.

Mrs. Revenne visited her daughter, Mrs. Reed, Saturday and Sunday.