

MILWAUKIE AND NORTHERN CLACKAMAS

Quarters for Road Workers to be Built

OSWEGO, Jan. 12.—Glen Zimmerman purchased the Kennedy place in South Oswego during the last week.

Trill Zimmerman's father-in-law, a recent arrival from the East, is also looking for a place.

The regular monthly luncheon which the Methodist Ladies' Aid society serves for the grammar school children took place on Thursday. The proceeds were a little over eight dollars for the day.

Mrs. Thomas Fox has been ill for the past week, but is reported better at present.

In the next few weeks it is the talk of the people of Oswego that a large hotel or boarding house for the road gang which will be employed on the Pacific highway between Oregon City and Oswego will be erected on property at the foot of Oswego Lake.

Superintendent Simonton of the Oregon Iron and Steel Co. while coming from the Ladd farm jumped from a truck and hurt his knee badly and was laid up for a few days.

The Oswego grammar school has a new domestic science teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Worthington and son, Claud, have been visiting J. W. Worthington at Hadlock, Washington for the past two weeks.

Vernon Davidson, who underwent an operation at St. Vincent's hospital on Thursday is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Mary Moseley was a visitor at the Yates home the latter part of the week.

From the remarks of the Oregon City motorists, who broke down their cars while coming from Oregon City to Portland via the west side while the east side highway was under water last week, the annexation sentiment is growing if it can be guaranteed that Multnomah will furnish better roads.

Dizdun's garage men were kept very busy as at one time there were nine machines lined up in front of the garage waiting their turn to be fixed. The high water did them some good that time.

The Oswegoans will hold a meeting Monday night for the purpose of talking over the annexation to Multnomah county.

Mrs. Grant White, of Canby, was in Oswego on Saturday visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart who have been away for nearly a year were home a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pope, of Oregon City, were visiting Henry Gans, father of Mrs. Pope, on Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Blackwell, minister of the M. E. church, has resigned on account of his wife's poor health he has to move her to a different climate. A new minister is expected next Sunday when it is hoped to see as many attend church as can possibly come.

Otto Larson, who has been home during the holidays, has returned to Altona, where he works.

Mrs. J. C. Haines, who has been spending Xmas and New Year's week with her son, Charles Haines, of Port Townsend, Washington, is home again.

He Austin has returned from visiting his daughter, Mrs. Dan Prevo, at Everett, Washington. Mrs. Prevo resided in Oswego a number of years before her marriage.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend to the many friends and neighbors our sincere thanks for the kindness shown us at the time of the death of our dear beloved mother.

MR. J. R. WELLS,
MR. AND MRS. GEO. WILLETT,
MR. AND MRS. R. D. JOHNSON.

Oak Grove Wants New School Unit

OAK GROVE, Jan. 11.—Mrs. C. V. Flink and baby returned from the hospital Sunday.

The older pupils of Mrs. Matthew's development school visited the custom house Tuesday to familiarize themselves with the work they are studying.

F. A. Smith was a Portland visitor Thursday.

Dellon Olds is not improving as well and as rapidly as was hoped

since the second operation. He is in the Good Samaritan hospital.

At the meeting of tax payers held last Wednesday evening for the purpose of issuing warrants to build two portable rooms the opposing side won and later a mass meeting of tax payers by regular vote requested the school board to take a vote relative to purchasing land and making a new school unit.

The home economic department of the social service club met with Mrs. F. A. Smith Thursday of last week at which time a paper on interior decoration by Mrs. L. Marx was most interesting and instructions in sewing by Mrs. M. Butler was very helpful to the housewife.

The helper's club held their regular meeting Tuesday at which time they elected Kathryn Olson, president; Edith Norberg, vice-president; Carrol Phillips, secretary and Daisy Hubbert, treasurer. Refreshments were served by Miss Jean White, one of the ladies who direct the club.

J. Felix of Indiana was a guest last Sunday of his niece, Mrs. J. L. Robin, etc.

WOMAN KILLED AS ELEVATOR CONTROL SLIPS

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 12.—Mrs. Sadie F. Darlington, a widow living with her two sons at 606 South avenue, was killed almost instantly this evening when she lost control of an elevator in the Swedman building, Fifth and Washington streets, and in some manner fell out of the car and into the shaft at the third floor landing. She was dead when witnesses reached her side, according to a physician of the city emergency hospital who responded to the call. She was employed as a janitress in the building.

Dr. John Gartner, who was waiting at the elevator doors on the third floor, said that Mrs. Darlington stepped inside as though to start the elevator, but remembered a bucket which was standing on the floor near by. Stepping outside to pick it up, in some manner her skirts shifted the control lever and it started up. She attempted to step inside, Dr. Gartner said, to get at the lever, but either could not reach it or turned it the wrong way.

Walls Writes on Clearing Stump Land

SHERWOOD, Oregon, Jan. 10.—(To the Editor)—Almost every paper we pick up has an article on the subject of irrigation.

This subject is of great importance to our state.

But is it any more so than the clearing up of stump land.

There is many small farms in the Oregon country that are vacant, but cause there is not cleared land enough to make them practical homes. Many farms that are occupied would be enlarged. Many men would be given work if the price of stump powder was not prohibitive.

R. H. WALLS.

Catarrah Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrah deafness and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrah Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be restored and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrah, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrh Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists, 75c.

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O. A. C., HAS INCREASE IN ATTENDANCE

CORVALLIS, Jan. 7.—A total of 2784 students had completed their registration in regular long courses at the college up to the close of the third day of registration. This indicates an enrollment equal to, if not greater than, that of last term, when there were 2677 regular students. Many who were delayed by weather conditions and other causes are arriving daily.

Students numbering 317 have registered for their first time this term, making a total of 3394 long-course registrants for this school year. Fifty-five new students are registered in the various short courses, as compared with 57 for last term. While these and the 489 summer-school students are counted the grand total compiled by the registrar for the year reaches 3995 students.

Housing conditions are being met by a committee headed by Professor H. T. Vance of the school of commerce.

HARDING DOES NOT APPROVE OF INAUGURAL FETE

MARION, O., Jan. 10.—In the interest of national thrift, President-elect Harding tonight requested officials arranging for his inauguration to abandon all plans for an inaugural ceremony.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Abandonment immediately of all plans for a celebration in connection with the inauguration of President-elect Harding was announced tonight by E. B. McLean, chairman of the Washington inaugural committee, in accordance with the desire of Mr. Harding.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Five members of the house, one from Ohio and the others from the south, voted today to cut the \$50,000 appropriation for erection of a grandstand at the capitol from which congress braves the bleak March weather during the inaugural ceremony.

Against this handful, 285 members voted for the fund, so that the long-established custom might prevail. The snow was clinging to the first pile of lumber, stacked outside when debate started, coincident with another flurry of talk in the senate on a proposal to eliminate all extensive and ostentatious inaugural show while so many people in Europe are starving.

By its action the house made possible the carrying out of the part of congress in the celebration. It has nothing to do with any pageant down town or an inaugural ball, against which there has been protest on the ground that the pension building, desired for the night festivities, is needed for the conduct of the government's pension business.

NON-PARTISAN LEAGUE SCORED BY GOVERNOR

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 8.—The campaign being made in Kansas by A. C. Townley and non-partisan leaguers from North Dakota, was assailed by Governor Allen in a statement tonight when he approved steps taken by executive men to oppose the campaign.

"Townley has been able to present to North Dakota a lot of dreams which seemed real," said the statement. "The non-partisan league has lost control of the state government. The weakness and costs of his scheme have finally been exposed and Townley is hunting new fields."

CENTRALIA, Wash., Jan. 6.—At a meeting held Tuesday by the women's legislative council of Lewis county the council endorsed a bill to be submitted to the state legislature by Judge Reynolds of the Lewis county superior court, providing for the establishment of parental schools throughout the state.



OPEN DOORS IN BUSINESS

There are many college students who "cavass" for one thing or another during the summer, as well as many older men who turn to this work when they have finished their regular life vocation. These are not regular expert traveling salespeople, but use this work merely as a filler-in between or after their real work.

To date there are few successful traveling salesmen, but their might well be more. It is a business which demands ability and skill and will pay a good salary to one capable in it. Weekly expenses are always paid by the house, which besides the salary, often allows commissions. Salesmanship pays talented persons excellently, but is uncertain ordinarily.

The woman who is to enter this field must have good health to be able to endure the travelling and must also know how to take care of her health under rather trying conditions and much irregularity.

The saleswoman must have a pleasant and graceful manner to win the attention of prospective buyers. She must understand people and have wide experience in approaching all kinds of people and judging their likes and dislikes knowing how to address them and what to avoid. She must understand thoroughly her line of goods and appreciate them herself else she cannot recommend them convincingly. She must have great self-control and good nature to adapt herself to the many trifling disappointments and annoyances which will arise. She must be a good talker, able to induce patrons to buy.

This business enables one to see much of the country as she is traveling about most of the time. She meets many interesting people and has many pleasant experiences, and may find the work very interesting. The instinct for an abiding place and home life must be sacrificed during the period of performing this occupation, but the expert at it learns an adaptability which can make the best of any place and any companions and feel an at-homeness wherever she stays temporarily.

In some larger places there may be saleswomen who go out to their work near by, but are able to be at home nearly every night.

THE HOUSEHOLD BUDGET

Did you ever buy a piece of cloth to make a garment, feeling perfectly sure that you had enough, and start cutting the garment out collars, cuffs, pockets, front back, one sleeve and half of another—but only half—when the goods ran out? A trip back to the store showed you that the rest of the piece was gone and it couldn't be matched in town. Well, that is the way many homes manage their finances. They do not "cut the garment according to the cloth."

To make a budget is like spreading out the goods and laying the pattern on piece by piece. If you find it lacking, you plan where you may save by making smaller collars or cuffs or pockets or skimping here and there where it will be noticed least.

It is not the formidable thing it is often thought to be to make a household budget and the housewife who is businesslike and scientific about managing her home does not have to run and put it down everytime any member of the family spends a penny or rack her brains to remember just how much she paid for the cabbage and how much for the vanilla.

One needs to have kept account of the expenditures one year in order to know how to estimate what they will be for the coming year; but it has to be started sometime and it will prove very interesting the first year to make a guess at it and to see how nearly your guess comes to the actual figures.

Your budget and account system will show you where the leaks in your finances are, where you have been extravagant in some particulars and spent too little on other features. It will help you discover where you can be more economical another year, if each member of the family is getting a fair share of the expenditures, if luxuries are running too high, and where you can make cuts with least sacrifice.

It will give you immense satisfaction to know your financial status. No business man would consider for a moment doing away with the book-keeper which informs him at any moment just what his income and outgo are, and for what. It is estimated that three-quarters of the incomes of America are spent by women. It is really a matter of national, as well as private, importance that our women be trained in business-like management of finance. Heretofore we have placed too much consideration on the earning of money and too little on the disposal of it. There is an old saying, "A woman can dip out with a spoon faster than a man can bring it with a shovel." This but expresses picturesquely the fact that a man cannot hope to become prosperous in business unless his wife joins in the thrifty management of their means. This household budget will help to do this without working undue hardship on any member of the family at any time.

The household budget should be an all-family affair and the result of a "round table" discussion and mutual

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agreement. The whole family should come to a definite understanding about what are their ideals and stand-very economically, or with nominal comforts? What shall be their pleasures, their educational advancement, and what shall be a just share allotter to each?

The next step is the preparation of a chart for the keeping of accounts.

RECIPES.

Cocoa Nut Drop Cookies
Cream one-fourth cup fat, add cup of brown sugar and one-fourth cup of sour milk. Sift together cup and a half of flour, one-third teaspoon salt, teaspoon baking powder, one-fourth teaspoon soda, and add this to liquid. Add one-third cup cocoa nut, and teaspoon vanilla. Let the mixture stand to thicken twenty minutes before baking, then drop by spoonfuls on a greased tin. Bake in a quick oven until light brown. These cookies taste somewhat like macaroons.

Fairy Cakes.
Mix three unbeaten eggs with one pound sugar and add one-quarter teaspoon of almond or anise oil. Stir (do not beat) half an hour or until very light. Add flour enough to make a stiff mixture. Drop from spoon on buttered cake tins and let stand overnight in cool place. In the morning bake in medium oven. Sugar should come out and look like frosting which is said to be the work of fairies. Remove from pans while hot.

Peanut Brittle.
Cook cup sugar, tablespoon vinegar, and pinch of salt until soft ball stage. Add cup of freshly roasted peanuts and stir over fire until syrup is golden brown. Add teaspoon vanilla and pour in thin sheet in buttered pan. When cool crack into pieces.

Pop Corn Balls.
To two or three quarts of popcorn add syrup made as follows and press into balls. Syrup—Cup of sugar, tablespoon vinegar (or flavor with chocolate and vanilla, or with maple, or use pink fruit coloring). Cook until it forms hard ball in cold water; add to corn.

Carmels.
Mix two cups syrup or sugar, one and a half squares of unsweetened chocolate, half cup cream or condensed milk, two tablespoons vinegar. Stir constantly and cook until it forms a firm ball in cold water. Pour in luted pan. When cool cut in squares and wrap in oiled paper.

Sea Foam.
Add one cup of boiling water to three cups of brown sugar and boil to the soft ball stage, then pour slowly into the stiffly beaten white of two eggs; beat constantly until stiff. Add nuts and vanilla and drop by spoonfuls on buttered plates.

Fondant.
Put five cups sugar, cup and a half water, and quarter teaspoon cream of tartar into a sauce pan and stir until sugar dissolves. Heat gradually to boiling, then boil without stirring until soft ball stage. Wash off crystals which form on side of kettle with a piece of wet cheese cloth wrapped around a fork. Pour on greased platter. When slightly cool beat until creamy. When it lumps knead with hands until smooth. Cover with oiled paper and let stand twenty-four hours.

Use as a basis for chocolate creams, nut creams, stuffed dates, Flavor with vanilla, fruit juice or extract, peppermint, wintergreen, coconut, or any desired variety.

HOW TO KEEP HOUSEHOLD ACCOUNTS

To prepare a table for keeping household accounts, rule up twelve good sized sheets of paper with lines straight across the paper and fourteen for fifteen lines from the top to the bottom of the sheet, allowing a two inch space at the left of the sheet in which to write the items bought. At the top of the sheet in the different columns write the various subdivisions of your expenses perhaps as follows: Food, Clothing, Shelter, Operating Expense, Furnishings, Health, Gifts, Recreation, Advancement, Miscellaneous.

Tack these twelve sheets so labeled and named for each month in some convenient place in the kitchen, perhaps on the end of the cupboard. Tie a lead pencil with a string where it will be always ready to put down the day's expenditures.

Not every article bought will need to be mentioned, but lumped into the above subdivisions. Most people pay for their groceries not oftener than once a week and this can be put down under food. When husband brings home an armful of supplies he can give you the total to go in its appropriate column. All bills should be kept on a bill file and these will serve as memory joggers. Either the money must be expended largely by one member of the family who keeps the accounts or else all the members of the household must be very particular to report or put down what each has spent. The greatest surprise in this account system will be the comparatively few entries you will make when you had thought you were continually opening your pocketbook to hand out something.

Under the item Shelter would be put taxes, repairs, insurance, rent on the property. Operating expenses would include labor, laundry, light, heat, toilet articles, stamps, stationery, water rent, etc. Furnishings would include household furniture, rugs, bedding, linen, towels, curtains, or any equipment or utensils. Health covers, doctor, dentist, drugs, oculist,

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Political leaders, who have been a little leery of the non-partisanship of the League, did not believe they could so successfully maintain through the heat of the campaign their natural poise and pose. This has been the more remarkable as many of the leaders in the league were also leaders in a political party as individuals; but the non-partisanship of the League of Women Voters has remained unscathed in spite of this; and prospects now point to a tremendous period of usefulness and popularity for this organization.

Its program is precisely in accord with the spirit of the times. Women are now citizens; the next step is to become thoroughly and broadly educated and trained in citizenship. This the League undertakes to look after, as well as to support such legislation as makes especial appeal to and concerns women.

As to segregating the women voter from the man, it no more approves of separating the sexes in politics than in the meeting house, nor does it advise women to stay outside the political parties. On the contrary it wants them active and influential in the parties.

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OPEN DOORS IN BUSINESS

The Theatre Usher
The job of Usher in a Theatre is one which is rapidly falling to the lot of women. They can do it as well as men and, since it pays little and is very easy to do, it seems more appropriate for women than for men. It is not a good work for a girl to make permanent as the pay will remain small as the requirements are small. For a girl who must remain at home during the day, but wishes to pick up a little money in the evening, this will serve.

The wages are only about \$8 or \$9 a week, besides gratuities. Vaudeville houses may more but the hours are longer. The uniforms are furnished by the theatre.

The Usher must arrive at the theatre an hour before the performance and are permitted to leave after

ter the last intermission, only a few remaining until the close. This they allot among themselves in turn. When there are matinees the girls are required to be present. In vaudeville where there is continuous performance the hours are arranged to accord with the law. It is very easy to qualify, about the only requirement being to know the position of seats in the theatre.

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BURGLAR HAS HOLES IN BACK OF HIS HEAD

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Examination of McWhorter McGrath, youthful burglar, who confessed to stealing \$50,000 worth of valuables from 200 north side residences, shows in Justice Olson of municipal court today holes in the back of his head "in which one's fist could be put."

"If I happened to pass a dark house," McGrath confessed to police, "it worried me so when I got home that I couldn't sleep. Ofttimes I would get out of bed and go back and rob it."