

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

R. L. Simpson of Portland was in town on business Monday.

Mrs. Nettie Linton Marshall of near Witch Hazel was in Hillsboro Monday.

H. H. Carey of North Plains transacted business in Hillsboro last Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. W. Himes of Tacoma, Wash., was a guest Friday of Mrs. F. G. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Wilcox of Forest Grove were in Hillsboro Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. O. Thomas of Vernonia visited in Hillsboro the first of the week.

John Loftis and Mrs. Russell Loftis of the Arcade community were in Hillsboro Monday morning.

William Oelrich of Orenco transacted business in Hillsboro Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Petrequin who live on route 4, were Hillsboro business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. William Fugy of Rock Creek was in Hillsboro Thursday afternoon, transacting business.

Miss Barbara Reisen of the Miller Mercantile has been ill at her home for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Meltebecke and little daughter who live on the George Harrow place near Cornelius were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Ray McDaniel and little daughter of Portland visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Carter.

Guests at the S. W. Bentley home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Arbuthnot and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Batcher of Portland.

Miss Eva Sorenson spent the week-end at The Dalles visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sorenson and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Estep.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson and William Nelson of Portland spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Dora Nelson.

H. V. Gates left Monday for a trip to the East. He will probably be gone about two months and will visit the principal eastern cities.

Floyd E. Bentley of Hillsboro is in San Bernardino, Calif., and is handling the advertising for a large amusement company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heston and Fred Hodecker of Portland were guests Sunday at the McKinney home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Spath of Sherwood stopped in Hillsboro a short time Thursday afternoon on their way home from Portland.

The quota of 10,000 members for the State of Oregon by January 1 was reached, according to word from the Grand Lodge of Oregon, Knights of Pythias.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morgan visited Mr. Morgan's father, James R. Morgan, at St. Vincent's hospital Sunday. Mr. Morgan underwent an operation there recently.

Jack Abel has taken charge of the clothing department at Well's Department store. Mr. Abel was formerly with the J. J. Padden Clothing company of Vancouver.

Mrs. H. B. Haves and Mrs. Mollie Hughes of Portland were Hillsboro visitors Friday, guests of Mrs. Haves' sister, Mrs. Clara Garrett, and other friends.

The story hour which is being conducted by the Girl Reserves every Saturday afternoon opens at 2:30 o'clock for all children ten years of age or younger.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smith of Portland visited with Hillsboro friends this week. The Smiths were formerly in the moving picture business in this city.

City Manager C. G. Reiter is preparing data for drawing up a building code for Hillsboro. He is studying codes of other cities and will submit a tentative plan at the next meeting of the council.

The Girl Reserves of the seventh grade were entertained with a Valentine dinner last week at the home of their leader, Mrs. Harry Morgan. Places were laid for twenty. Decorations used for the table and about the rooms were suggestive of Valentine day. Those present were Lucille Rood, Alena Brook, Ruth Havens, Grace Gifford, Irene Cooper, Rosemary Hornby, Kathleen Hornby, Floy Taggart, Gloria Coulter, Lucille Harty, Ruby Williams, Minerva Epler, Ruth Garwood, Jean Blades, Josephine Hill, Gladys Kuratli and Miss Martha Owsley, their teacher. Mrs. L. T. McPheeters assisted Mrs. Morgan.

Charles W. Pierce and H. H. Beaumont of Portland were in town a few hours Friday on their way to Forest Grove to visit the former's sister, Mrs. John Ireland. Mr. Pierce is well known around here, having been with his father, J. F. Pierce, in the Greenville store for 17 years. J. F. Pierce was also postmaster at Greenville for many years, being appointed by President Grant. C. W. Pierce left here in 1891 and has since been with the Portland Fire Department, both he and Mr. Beaumont being recently pensioned from the service.

The Junior Bible class of the M. E. church, of which George L. Woodworth is teacher, held a business meeting and social in the league room of the church Monday evening, twenty-five being present. A short program of the following numbers was given: Talk on the life of Washington, Rev. Poor; talk on the life of Lincoln, Mr. Woodworth; reading, Miss Cook; vocal solo, Mrs. Poor. A number of games were played after which a short business meeting was held and refreshments were served.

A number of Hillsboro people attended the Admission Day banquet which was held at the Oregon building in Portland last Saturday evening. The banquet is an annual event sponsored by the association of Sons and Daughters of Oregon Pioneers. Those going in from here were L. E. and Tom Wilkes, Mrs. George Schulmerich, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bryant, Mrs. Eliza Hanson and daughters, the Misses Mabel, Ethel and Madeline Hanson.

The Parent-Teacher association of Rock Creek is helping to improve the community two-room school house, according to Mrs. Fred Weldon, head of the county P. T. A. council, who visited in Hillsboro the last of the week. Enough money has been raised by the organization to dig a basement to the school and install a furnace, and the club is now planning to finance the laying of walks around the school yard.

Dr. W. J. Milliken of Portland will lecture on Wednesday evenings for the next five weeks at the Baptist church, according to Rev. S. McMinis. Miss Hunderup of Portland will also be present and speak on Sunday school work. Dr. Milliken will lecture on various Bible subjects. Meetings start at 7:30. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

The Native Sons and Daughters' meeting last Friday evening was well attended. R. Frank Peters was the main speaker and short sketches of pioneer life were given by J. B. Trullinger, Tom Wilkes and William Masters. Two readings were given by Mrs. Clara Cox and Stephen Cox. Several vocal numbers were furnished by Tom Wilkes of Corvallis and Mrs. George Schulmerich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Shears and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hande drove to Camas Sunday where they visited Mrs. and Mrs. D. O. Herington, who recently moved there from Hillsboro.

C. Allenbach and children, Martha, Alfred and Walter, of the Bethany community were in town Monday afternoon. Miss Mary Allenbach, sister of C. Allenbach, was also in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Kramer, who live near Cornelius, were in Hillsboro Wednesday morning.

A. H. Meyer of Connell station was a county seat business visitor Tuesday.

L. F. Neukirch of near Blooming was in the county the first of the week on business.

O. Westcott of Reedville was a transacting business in Hillsboro on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goodman of Forest Grove were in Hillsboro last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. P. R. Lingman and Mrs. C. E. Johnson of Tobias were Hillsboro callers Tuesday afternoon.

Chris Lueth of near Linnton was a business visitor in Hillsboro Tuesday.

R. T. Morgan of the Farmington district transacted business in Hillsboro Tuesday afternoon.

Robert Jones, student at O. A. C., spent the week-end at his home in Hillsboro.

Miss Lena Taylor of Banks was in Hillsboro the first of the week visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Melissa Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williams of Iron River, Wis., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirkwood at Reedville.

Miss Catherine Stangel attended a Valentine party Saturday evening at the home of Miss Margaret Hines at Forest Grove.

Mrs. J. E. Jacobsen of Cushman, who has been visiting at Timber recently, was in Hillsboro Wednesday morning on business.

Ralph L. Rogers and Edith R. Brown of Portland were married at the home of Rev. Mr. Lowell A. Young February 8. Rev. Young officiated.

R. H. Sullivan, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Sullivan at Orenco for some time, has returned to his home at Chehalis, Wash.

Mrs. T. E. Cornelius of near Reedville was in Portland Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. John Miller, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Miller lived in Hillsboro years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Wright of Molalla were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ball Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Hawke of Newberg were also here to visit Mrs. Hawke's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Soehren of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilkes last week, coming down to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Coleman at Banks. Mr. Soehren is a brother of Mrs. Wilkes, and formerly resided in this county.

Ralph L. Wann, well known all over the county, is in the Good Samaritan hospital with a broken leg as the result of a fall last Saturday. Mr. Wann is head bookkeeper for the Portland Gas & Coke company at Linnton.

The Forest Grove, North Plains and Cornelius lodges of Knights of Pythias have been invited to attend the next meeting of the Phoenix Lodge next Monday. A joint social meeting with the Pythian Sisters will be held March 5. Fred Sewell is chairman of the program committee.

Leonard Deman, father of Mrs. Arthur Tack and Michael Deman of Forest Grove, died Sunday at his home in Portland, aged 64 years. He is also survived by two other daughters, Miss Julia Reman of San Francisco and Mrs. H. Krimbel of Portland.

Mrs. Emma Bryant, county school superintendent and candidate for state superintendent of public instruction, will speak before the State Editorial association at Eugene Saturday. She will also speak at Corvallis and Newport in the interest of her campaign.

The national union prayer service of missionary societies will be observed by Hillsboro churches Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Christian church. A program is being arranged and the ladies of the Christian church will serve refreshments. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. James Sewell gave a tea at her home near Hillsboro last Thursday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. T. P. Goodin, Mrs. John Bose, Mrs. William Meierjurgon, Mrs. John Reilly, Mrs. Joseph Cousins, Mrs. Dion, Mrs. E. C. Hills, Mrs. Groff, Mrs. Jurgensen, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Nadrow, Miss Anna Reilly and Mrs. James Sewell.

John R. Bailey, old resident of Buxton, was in the county seat the first of the week. He says they have stumped out about 12 acres on their property at Buxton. The fruit trees are budding out very fast, according to Mr. Bailey, who says that the buds are bigger than he has ever seen them at this time of year.

Mrs. George Schulmerich and her brother, T. S. Wilkes, of Corvallis were Hillsboro visitors the last of the week. Mrs. Schulmerich attended the Native Sons and Daughters' meeting, the Pythian Sisters, here, and the celebration of the 67th birth anniversary of the State of Oregon in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Weil left Wednesday for San Francisco, combining business with pleasure. Mr. Weil will visit the San Francisco and southern markets and from Los Angeles will take the boat for New York by way of the Panama Canal. Mr. Weil expects to make some large

purchases for Well's Department store.

The Reedville Parent-Teacher association met Friday afternoon at the school house, Mrs. C. E. Johnson presiding. The following program was given: Story of Lincoln's life, Richard Wilcox; a recitation, Marion Wilcox; exercise, Barbara McGreen, Mildred Hickenlooper, Donald York, Cora Etta Adams and Marjorie Redding; reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg address, Ernest Schilling; recitations by John York, Floyd Bergman, Wesley Perry and Ruth Holcomb. This also being Arbor day, an address on "Trees," was given by Rev. J. A. Smith of Portland, who is conducting meetings at the church this week. Mrs. Walter Hickenlooper brought in a birthday cake lighted with many candles in memory of Mrs. Alice Bunnery, the first president of the mother's congress. Everybody had a piece of the birthday cake, after which all assisted in cleaning up the school yard. Plants and shrubs were planted under the supervision of M. F. Murf and the teachers, Mrs. Holtz and Miss Berger.

The Pythian Sisters meeting Friday night was well attended and a very successful session was held. Mrs. Helen Wrigman of Silverton, Grand Chief of Oregon, was present for her official visit. Other grand officers visiting were Mrs. Rose Farrington of Portland, G. M. of R. & C., and Mrs. Mabel Williams of Yamhill, past Grand Chief. Members of the order were present from Yamhill, Gaston, Forest Grove, North Plains and Portland. Four candidates were initiated and a short program was given, consisting of a duet by Mrs. Harry Morgan and J. W. Brown, and solos by Mr. Brown. The hall was beautifully decorated with Oregon Grape and pussy willows. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served on small tables.

A large number of people attended the debate between the Hillsboro and Tillamook high school debate teams Thursday evening at the high school auditorium. While Hill's affirmative team was debating here, it's negative team was debating at Tillamook. Affirmative teams each won by a 2 to 1 decision in the dual debate. Emmer Cox and Edward Olson were members of the winning team for Hillsboro, Ruth McGrath and Walter Freeman going to Tillamook. Judges at Hillsboro were Professor Patton and Professor Hopkins of Pacific University and Superintendent Grisson of the Orenco school. The next debate will be with McMinnville February 25, when the affirmative teams travel and negative teams debate at home. Len B. Fishback is coach of the Hillsboro teams.

The Measuring social given by the Champion class of the M. E. church last Saturday evening was well attended. The admission fee was determined by one's height, five cents being charged for each foot and one cent for each inch in addition. A Lincoln program was given, among the numbers being an original essay on the life of Lincoln by Clarence Poor; reading by Duane Pinkerton. An amusing intelligence contest was held during the evening. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. A. Pinkerton, Mrs. Harvey and Mrs. L. C. Poor. A part of the proceeds will be used for the class, the remainder going to the Sunday school.

Mrs. Rose Potter returned Thursday from a trip to Los Angeles and Long Beach, Calif., where she visited relatives and friends. Mrs. Potter and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dahl, who had been visiting here, made the trip by auto, leaving here the middle of January. Mr. and Mrs. Dahl have returned to their home at Wolf Point, Mont. Mrs. Potter has recently purchased the Rood house on First street, coming here from Forest Grove where the family lived for many years.

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Lincoln day was observed by appropriate exercises in the Hillsboro public school last Friday. Frank Peters gave a character analysis of the martyred president and spoke on some of the outstanding qualities of his personality. The pupils were especially interested in the description of how Lincoln's birthday was celebrated when Mr. Peters was a student in the Hillsboro school.

The various Rebekah lodges of the county will hold a convention here Saturday, February 20. This will be an all day meeting with dinner at noon and special work in the evening. Miss Myrta James of Newport, president of the Rebekah Assembly, will be a special guest. The committee in charge wishes all members to have their baskets at the hall early so as to give ample time to prepare for the noon meal.

The Epworth Leagues of the Methodist churches of Hillsboro and Newberg have arranged for a debate to be held here Friday evening, February 26. The subject is, "Resolved: That the Jewish Tithes Should be Obligatory Upon the Christians Today." Miss Margaret Harte and Miss Sarah Poor will represent the Hillsboro league. The debate will be at 7:30 at the M. E. church and the public is invited.

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