

Helvetia Girl Sprains Ankle; Plan Meeting

(By Mrs. J. M. Davidson) HELVETIA—Annie Mercep fell and sprained her ankle while walking home from school January 6. She will be absent from school for some time as the sprain is severe.

Meeting Sunday Annual meeting will be held at the Reform church at Phillips after the service January 17.

Fire Smoulders A fire smouldered all night in an out-building on the Tschabold farm Monday night. A heavy snow on the roof and no wind kept the fire from spreading. The building was used for butchering the hog that day. Early next morning the fire was discovered.

Dance Called Off Regular dance at Helvetia hall was called off Saturday night when only a few couples and the orchestra showed up. The snow was blowing and many of the side roads were blocked. The milk trucks were able to get through Sunday morning.

Coyotes Howl The coyotes are getting bad on the logged off timber near the Washington-Multnomah county northeast corner. They are to be heard howling at night and several have been seen lately. A family gathering was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Keffer over the New Year's weekend. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keffer and daughter Katherine, Mrs. F. F. Williams of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Williams of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Keffer of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Mack McDougall and sons Andy and Harold of Myrtle Creek.

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Seven hundred and seventy-six cows were tested in the Washington County Herd Improvement association during November. Total average for all cows tested in the association during the month was 605 pounds milk, each containing 27.96 pounds fat. Two hundred and eighty cows each produced over 40 pounds fat and 28 herds were tested during the month.

Table with columns: Owner, Breed, No. cows, Average lbs. milk, Average lbs. fat. Lists various farms and their cow performance.

High Herds—Including Dry Cows Over 20 cows— David Hagg & Sons, P. B. & G. J., 21, 631, 35.9, 38.9. Under 12 cows— C. H. Bamford, P. B. & G. J., 19, 782, 51.68.

High Herds to Date—Dry Cows Included For the 11 months since the beginning of the testing year Two high herds—over 20 cows— David Hagg & Sons, P. B. & G. J., 57, 425.59, 45.5. C. B. Buchanan Jr., P. B. & G. J., 35, 7653, 39.5.

Roll of Honor Cows The following are the records of the high producing cows for the month of November, 1936. Cows producing more than 70 pounds fat—7 highest—

Table with columns: Owner, Name, Breed, Lbs. milk, Lbs. fat. Lists top performing cows and their owners.

Reformed Churches Plan Joint Meet (By Mrs. Frank Pezoldt) ROCK CREEK—Annual business meeting of the members of the Helvetia and Reformed churches will be held after the church services at the Reformed church here Sunday.

Scheidt Superintendent Edward L. Scheidt of this section was elected superintendent of the Helvetia Reformed church Sunday school at their annual election Sunday. Others elected were Abe Yungen, assistant superintendent; Helen Yungen secretary; Elaine Yungen, treasurer; and Clara Tschabold, organist. The Sunday school has had an eight per cent increase in enrollment over 1935.

Couple Wed Miss Virginia Folkenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Folkenberg of Cornelius on Cornelius Pass road and Knute Hill, legislator of Prosser, Wash., were married at Pendleton December 24.

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Beaverton O. E. S. Chapter Installs

BEAVERTON—Installation ceremonies were conducted December 27 for the 1937 officers of Beaverton chapter, O. E. S., in the Beaverton Masonic hall. Mrs. Dora Stipe was installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Emma Gerish, marshal; Mrs. Ruby Janssen, chaplain; and Mrs. Myrtle Felsher, organist, who also installed her husband as worthy patron of the chapter. Officers installed were Mrs. Bertha Williams, worthy patron; John F. Felsher, worthy patron; Mrs. Best Lacey, associate patron; Mrs. Margaret Denney, secretary; Mrs. Ella Marsh, treasurer; Mrs. Mildred Rosebrough, conductress; Mrs. Madge Ellender, associate conductress; Mrs. Eunice Murray, chaplain; Miss Evelyn Alexander, marshal; Mrs. Irene Barnes, organist; Mrs. Mabel Goyt, Ada; Mrs. Stella Ellis, Ruth; Mrs. Alice Scott, Esther; Mrs. Minnie Schoene, Martha; Ethel Phelps, Electa; Mrs. Veda Schott, warder; Sam Foster, sentinel; Miss Evelyn Williams, daughter of the worthy patron, and Miss Ida Felsher, daughter of worthy patron, acted as flower girls. Mrs. Iva Summers was in charge of flowers and gifts.

Handle Services Beaverton Masonic lodge and Beaver chapter, O. E. S., will have charge of the religious services at the Masonic home Sunday.

Samuel B. Lawrence received severe burns on the face Thursday morning while on his way to Portland. The radiator of his car seemed to be boiling, and when he took off the cap the anti-freeze shot up in his face.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sprague of Seattle, formerly of Beaverton, spent Christmas with relatives in Portland, and visited friends in Beaverton.

Mr. A. E. Olson of Seattle, formerly of Beaverton, visited two days here recently with her sister and friends.

Social Planned by West Union Unit West Union local of the Farmers' Union met at the K. P. hall, North Plains, Thursday night. Mrs. Ardis Yunker was appointed leader of the Farmers' Union junior group. Juniors are to take part at regular meetings and help with programs. Crop insurance was the topic for round table discussions.

Annual Birthday Luncheon Planned (By Mrs. Gail Karns) ORENCIO—Annual birthday luncheon given by the Missionary society will be held Wednesday at 1 p. m. A special program will follow.

Little Betty Perry, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is much improved. Glen Robson returned home Wednesday from Bonneville, where he has been working. Everything has been closed down until the weather is more favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. John McEntyre of Gresham visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meihoff Sunday. John, who has been ill, is able to go back to work.

Miss Viola Bouck of Seattle, Wash., visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Serjant, last week. Miss Susan Rutschman spent the week-end with her parents at Silverton.

Mrs. Richard McGuire is visiting her parents at Salem this week. Kiepkop Buy Property Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kiepkop of Shermans will have purchased the Young property and plan on moving here with their family as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay can vacate.

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Laurel-Scholls Farmers' Union Supper, Program Friday Night

(By Mrs. F. L. Brown) LAUREL—The pot luck supper sponsored by the local Farmers' Union will be served promptly at 7:30 at the community hall Friday evening. A three-act play will be given by folks from Blooming. A short business session will be held. There will be no meeting Thursday evening, the regular business night. All union members and their friends are cordially invited to bring their supper and enjoy the evening.

Revival Meeting Planned at Kinton (By Mrs. E. L. Cox) KINTON—Revival meetings at the church will begin January 24 and continue until February 7, under the leadership of the pastor, Rev. Virgil Speece.

Record Low Temperature Cold! Cold! Cold! is the report from all sections of the community. Four above zero is the coldest report so far, ranging to 11 above. Farmers are very thankful for the snow which is five inches on the hills in the valley, the hills having a little more. Skiing and coasting are being enjoyed by quite a number of folks. Several hunters have been out rabbit and coon hunting. Only a few rabbits have been reported shot so far.

Prayer meeting and Bible study at the church this Friday at 8. The 36th chapter of Genesis will be studied. The pastor will lead the meeting.

Miss Mary Kershaw of Portland returned to her home last Thursday, after spending a few days with her old neighbors and friends around town.

Miss Bertha Geriz of Salem arrived here last Monday and is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. August H. Dallmann, and other relatives in town.

Group to Elect Broadford class of the Sunday school will hold a business and social meeting at the Leon Davis home January 22. Election of officers will take place. All young people of the community are cordially invited to attend.

Families Move J. C. Rogers has moved to the Kenton district in Portland and J. Calloway and family have moved into the vacated place. James Will of Valdez, a former resident here, was in the St. Vincent hospital in Portland several days last week under medical observation following a severe attack of abdominal trouble. He is still under the doctor's care at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Will of Beaverton.

A break in the steering apparatus of their car while Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Twigg accompanied by their son, Kenneth and Mrs. Twigg's sister, Mrs. Lee Brown, were en-

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Weather Causes Postponement Meet

(By Miss Margaret Mathiesen) MOUNTAINDALE—P. T. A. program, which was to be given at Meacham school house last Friday evening, was postponed until a later date due to the bad weather.

James Brennan returned Sunday from the Good Samaritan hospital in Portland, where he had been ill for quite some time.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker last week were his sisters, Antonia and Mary Baker of Mt. Angel.

Mrs. Jack Haneford and children of Portland spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Elsie Weaver. Dick Haneford remained to spend this week also with his grandmother.

Miss Bernice Dillon of Hillsboro was a week-end guest at the James Mathiesen home.

Ed Keenon and Gene Mast returned Sunday from a three weeks trip to Southern Oregon.

Les Johnson and L. P. Harrison families joined them on Tuesday night for a pre New Year's party.

Mrs. Charles Wood enjoyed a visit from her sister and niece, Mrs. Bertha Swager and Miss Grace Brown, of Portland New Year's and Saturday.

New Year's dinner party guests at the W. S. French home included Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Waldorf, Mrs. Ida Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. John Pavelcik, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gonvov, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, Betty Johnson, Hallie Isaacs, Frances Harrison.

Born, January 7, at Jones hospital, in Hillsboro, to Mr. and Mrs. John Pavelcik, a girl.

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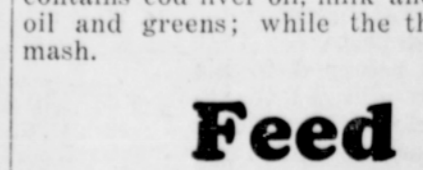
(Too late for last week) The Milton Nogle family moved last week to Portland, where he has secured employment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cannon of Portland were Tuesday and Wednesday visitors at the C. H. Gonvov home. The W. S. French, Char-

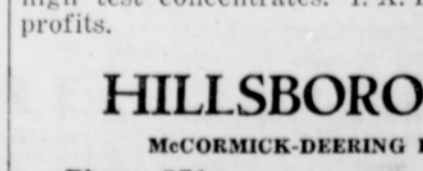
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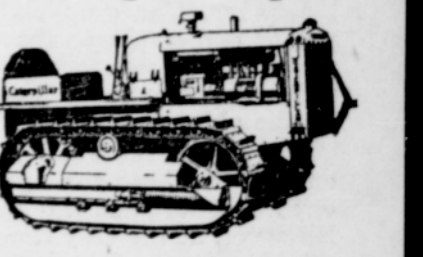
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