

Laurel Dairy Co-op Group Hears of Plans

(By Mrs. F. L. Brown)

LAUREL—Fred Klaus and Joseph Kendrick of Portland, members of the staff of workers of the Dairy-men's Co-operative association, were speakers at the meeting of the Laurel unit held here in the Community hall Tuesday evening. A two-acre tract of land has been purchased by the association for the enlargement of the feed department and housing of the trucks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis, his sister, Miss Laura Davis, Mrs. Leon Davis and Mrs. D. Buedefeldt visited Saturday in Camas with friends, who were neighbors when all resided in South Dakota.

Lightning Interrupts

The electric storm Saturday evening was the worst to hit here for several years. Electricity was cut off on all lines in this vicinity for several hours and some until Sunday morning before repairs could get around. Dairymen with milking machines fell sorry for themselves when they had to milk by hand, according to the reports of several of them.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maffitt of Chehalis, Wash., were callers at the F. L. Brown and Mrs. Flora Baker homes. Mr. Maffitt was reared in this community, having made his home with an uncle, the late Marshall Baker.

Mrs. Davis Hostess

Ladies' Social club will be entertained by Mrs. S. H. Davis next Wednesday in the club room at the hall.

George Schmidt of CCC Camp Agness near Gold Beach is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schmidt, for a few days. He just finished a short session of summer school at Corvallis for teachers and officers of CCC.

Hay baling has been in progress in this vicinity for several days. J. E. Russell of the Scholls district doing the work with his outfit.

Mrs. M. B. Back of Caldwell, Idaho, was a guest at the L. A. White home Thursday and Friday. She is a former neighbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Schmidt joined relatives at a pot luck dinner at the Charles Tatum home Sunday, celebrating the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Tatum, who is Mrs. Schmidt's sister.

George Rosevear joined his son, Alden and his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Coolidge of Portland on an auto trip to Lodi, Cal. Little Dale Coolidge is with his grandmother, Mrs. George Rosevear, during his parents' absence.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Davis, his sister, Miss Laura Davis, of Lodi, Cal., and Howard Davis visited friends at Silverton Sunday. Miss Davis, who came in May to visit her brother, recently spent two weeks with a sister in Helena, Mont. She departed Monday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schmidt and daughter, Mrs. Leonard Louheud, with Mr. Louheud and their son Alvin, all of Mountzema, Wash., were at Tuesday and Wednesday guests at the Fred Schmidt home. The John Schmidts are former residents here.

Mrs. B. A. Cramer of Snohomish, Wash., who with her two children had been visiting the past two weeks at the home of her brother, H. M. Whissand, returned to her home Sunday.

Kansas City

(By Mrs. J. A. McCoy)

KANSAS CITY—Harmony club met with Mrs. Warner Cropp Wednesday afternoon. Club will hold its annual picnic Sunday at Shute park of Hillsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Pleasant Stark have had as a guest a sister of Mr. Stark of near Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Creps and baby Neah Bay, Wash., spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

Ira Brown, and also her sister, Mrs. Charles Waddie, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Franzman and sons, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Brady and family, left Wednesday afternoon for their home in Los Angeles.

Arthur Smith and son Rudall and Harold, and Maity went to Amity Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. W. H. Whitner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Duyck, and family of Vernonia.

Bert Dyke of Roy is working for J. P. Vanderzanden. Mr. Vanderzanden has been ill for some time.

Bakers Move

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Baker and family have moved from Longview, Wash., to Wapato where they have bought a filling station and beer parlor.

Mary Smith and her grandfather, Mr. Montgomery, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Montgomery of Forest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Zelbert Baker and little daughter Corinne Ann and Blaine Albrecht took Miss Audrey Johnson and brother Irvin, who have been visiting them for some time, to their home in Corvallis Sunday.

Richard Hood of Vernonia spent the week-end at the J. A. McCoy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and son Rudall and daughters Mildred and Mary and Mr. Montgomery and Gladys and Ethel McCoy enjoyed a picnic dinner Sunday at Washington park in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Strommayer and Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield and little son were Sunday dinner party guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderzanden of Roy.

Verboort Pastor Back from Trip

VERBOORT—Rev. M. Jonas, who left June 30 to visit relatives in Iowa, returned Saturday evening reporting an enjoyable but tiresome trip. He left by train from Portland to Alton, Iowa. He visited three brothers and their families, whom he had not seen for 17 years, and some of his nieces and nephews met him for the first time. Rev. Jonas reports the crops in general are good but the temperature is rising. He also ventured into Minnesota, where the crops are also good, but the animals are in poor condition because of poor crops the previous year.

On the way back Rev. Jonas was accompanied by his two sisters: Mrs. A. Forester, Mrs. Arthur Nettleship, an opera singer, and son Robert Nettleship and Bob Edwards. They all visited Yellowstone National park. From the park they drove direct to Portland. The two sisters and party from Los Angeles, Cal., are staying with another sister, Mrs. Al Reichon of Portland. Mrs. A. Forester, Mrs. Arthur Nettleship and Robert and Bob Edwards, Los Angeles, Cal., visited Verboort parish Sunday to hear the sermon preached by All in all, Rev. Jonas had a good time but is glad to get back to good old Oregon. It is the best state in the Union after all, he says.

Gervase Jansen is substituting on milk route for M. J. Herrmans, who has an injured back.

Mrs. W. P. Vanderzanden and son Philip spent the week-end at Seaside visiting another son, Henry.

Mrs. Ben Heesacker is seriously ill with erysipelas. She was taken to the old Veterans' hospital in Portland Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vanderzanden, a 5-pound girl, Saturday at Forest Grove General hospital.

Sunday evening the Verboort ball team and about 25 of their young friends had a wiener roast out at Gales Creek on the Kalsch place.

Nebraskans to Picnic

Eleventh annual Nebraska picnic will be held at the Corvallis city park Sunday, August 1, according to Mrs. Donald McMorris, secretary. Coffee is free. A program has been arranged.

Say you saw it in the Argus.

Home Burns at North Plains, Loss Complete

(By Shirley Kelley)

NORTH PLAINS—Fire destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith Sunday afternoon. No one was at home and nothing was saved. The origin of the fire is thought to have been from a hole in the kitchen range.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Davis spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanna at Portland.

Plans are being made by the Church of Christ for a vacation Bible school starting August 2. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hornecker, Charles and Sally, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Loftis picnicked Sunday at Balm Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Erickson and daughter Dolores left Thursday for their ranch at Claskanie to spend a week.

Mrs. Fred Beach, who has been in the hospital, returned home Sunday. Her sister, Mrs. Bowman of Hillsboro, is staying with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and family of Sylvan moved into the Charles Hess home Tuesday.

Loss to All-Stars

North Plains baseball team lost 25-2 to Nippon All-Stars of Portland on the home diamond Sunday. Battery for the locals was Grogan, Davison and Sorenson.

Sunday dinner party guests at the Gus Carels home were: Mrs. Gus Meltebeck and James of Forest Grove, Wayne Lytle and son Johnny, Margaret and Raymond Lytle.

Miss Hazel Buck of Roseburg, who has been staying at Decker's mill, visited Friday and Saturday with Shirley Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Alice Rice of Eureka, Cal., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Thompson.

Move from Banks

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Baker of Banks have moved to North Plains. Charles Hess is staying with his son George Hess and family.

Jake E. Wilson, who has been working in Missoula, Mont., returned home Thursday evening.

Remodel House

A. L. Troutman is remodeling the house on Commercial avenue, which he recently purchased from Mr. Green. Mr. and Mrs. Green and family have moved to California.

Mrs. Sadie Loftis and Wilmer Loftis went to Metzger Sunday and visited Mrs. Henry Jones, who accompanied them to Portland, where they visited Mr. Jones. Mr. Jones has been in the Veterans' hospital for the past four months but is improving.

Robert Johnston and Miss Virginia La Fevre of Corvallis were Sunday guests at the Henry Cypber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nussbaumer and family of Vancouver, Wash., visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Christener Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Phillips and son Billy of El Monte, Cal., and Mrs. Andrew G. Horn of Beverly Hills, Cal., visited Mrs. Mary Froeschel and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kelly Monday.

Lightning Hits Telephone Line

(By Mrs. J. M. Davidson)

HELVETIA—Lightning struck the telephone line near Guerber's corner Saturday night and there is no telephone service on line six at this writing.

Many from this vicinity attended the "Sangerfest" at Crystal Lake park July 17 and 18. Swiss choral societies and yodeling groups from the Pacific northwest took part. There were over 200 singers. Portland United Swiss societies and the Helvetia male chorus were hosts for the groups.

Mrs. Ida Jossi, who was ill last week is better and able to attend to household duties.

Moves to Willamina

Johnny F. Davidson, who has been living at Rocky Point for some time, moved his family to Willamina, where he is employed.

Mountain Home

(By Mrs. Mable Allison)

Chehalis Mountain Potato club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ego Friday evening. Members studied grains and how to judge them.

Mrs. Ruth Gangwer has been moved from the Pod Samarin home to the St. Vincent's hospital. She is recuperating from a major operation, and it is expected that she will be able to return to her home here by the first of next week.

Plans are being made for a meeting of the Mountain Home Woman's Missionary society to be held with Cora Joyce in August. Mrs. Roy Jaquith will report on the first three chapters of the book, "Congo Crosses," a graphic story of a missionary's experiences in Africa.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hamilton entertained with a dinner party last Sunday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Mayes, Mrs. Lloyd Davenport of Silverton, B. J. Wood, J. C. J. and Jessie and Billy Wood, Mrs. Amy Anderson of Portland, Earl Kivett, Mrs. A. M. Kivett and Mrs. Ernest Pearson of Newberg, and Mrs. Alex Bruce.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton were Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Middleton and son Bobby of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Body, who have sold their farm to Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Lekas, are making plans to build on the Aubrey Taylor place here, which they are buying. Mr. and Mrs. Body had considered moving away from this community, but have changed their minds.

Timber

(By Miss M. Tallman)

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ebbert and baby son, Gordon Jr., of West Salem visited at the B. Tallman home Saturday en route to Trishane, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Seaborn Sunday.

J. B. Marchel, daughter Cecelia, and Mildred Markee spent the week-end at Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Chantler of Hillsboro visited friends here Thursday.

Mary Walker of Los Angeles, Cal., and Ida Page of Portland visited this week with Ida Kilburg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kilburg of Seattle, Wash., visited relatives here Sunday. Their daughter, Maxine, returned home with them for a week's visit.

Mrs. Edith Riggle of Buxton returned to her home Friday after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Drury, and two children, who also have been visiting at the B. Tallman home. They went to Buxton for a week's visit before returning to their home in Vancouver, Wash.

Maverene Tallman is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Pierre LeBlanc in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilmore and daughters Claudette and Shirley Mae returned to their home in Seattle last Tuesday after a short visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilmore. Claudette had been visiting

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her grandparents for several weeks.

A. Faulbin went to Portland Sunday to meet his wife and son Albert, who for several days had been visiting at their home in Grants Pass. Mr. Faulbin is hostler on the S. P. here.

Charles Duskin left for his home in California Saturday after a visit of several weeks with his sister, Mrs. Harry McLachlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Root and two children Milton and Carolyn arrived Sunday from Hood River for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Castle McLachlan.

Mrs. Ed Hallam visited her mother in Portland from Monday to Wednesday last week.

Mrs. Harry McLachlan and daughter Mary Ellen and Charles Duskin spent Thursday at Seaside.

Mrs. Robert Henney returned to her home here Saturday after a three-day stay with Mr. Henney's mother, Mrs. John Squire, at McMinnville.

Mr. Chase and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Perrin of Brookfield, Wash., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilmore. Mr. Chase and Mr. Gilmore were schoolmates.

Marjorie Sigler returned to her home in Hillsboro Saturday after a week's visit at the C. J. Crittenden home.

A large group from here made up the Portland Saturday night. After watching the searchlights from the fleet they danced at the Lanesome Club.

Farmington Club to Meet Friday

(By Mrs. Edger Rehse)

FARMINGTON—Community Welfare club will meet with Mrs. H. H. Boge Friday. The meeting which was scheduled for last week was postponed on account of the illness of Miss Esther Boge.

Mrs. Berdorf of Des Moines, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. William Pearson and daughter Elsie of Weiser, Idaho, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weston.

Joe Robinson and Tony Penar made a trip to Pendleton last week.

Bill Putman III is spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. Gordon Sainow, in Hillsboro, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Putman Jr. and daughter Margaret and Maurice are vacationing at Oceanside.

Sunday dinner party guests at the D. L. Weston home were Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes of Corvallis, Mrs. John Erickson of Denver, Colo., Miss Mildred Weston and Ross Miller of Portland.

Mrs. Elmer McKee and daughter Charlotte of Salem were among visitors at the H. H. Boge home Sunday.

Estelle Ferguson, who has been spending her vacation at the home of her uncle, Edger Rehse, and with relatives in Hillsboro left Saturday night for Oakland, Cal. Miss Ferguson has been with the Western Union Telegraph company in Oakland the last two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peiron and son Carl Jr. and Alfred Peiron of St. Louis, Mo., are spending the week at the home of Mrs. Margaret home. The Mr. Peirons are brothers of Mrs. Burkhalter.

Gloria and Sannie O'Dell, children of Rev. and Mrs. O'Dell of Portland, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Weston last week.

Nels Larson, whose hobby is gardening, had some fine ripe tomatoes in his garden by the middle of July. Mr. Larson is building an addition to their home. William Kimmel of Hillsboro is doing the work.

Miss Voget Weds Rev. S. Cornils

BETHANY-CEDAR MILL—The venerable vows of the 17th century were taken, July 12, by Stanley Cornils, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Cornils of Bethany, and Miss Norene Voget of Portland, at the First Friends' church in Portland. As ancient as these vows are they still ring true in the curious Quaker marriage ceremony as solemn as any ceremony of added pomp. The old custom is very rare now according to Rev. Chester A. Hadley, superintendent of the Friends' Church of Oregon. Most ceremonies are shorter and more modern in preachment than the solemn ceremony of the then old starched and stern fathers of long ago.

The vows that were taken by the bride and bridegroom were, "I do take thee, Norene Voget to be my true and lawful wife and God helping me I will love thee, honor thee, and to keep thee in all events and changes of life and forsaking all others will keep myself only unto thee through all the days which our

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The bride wore conventional white with tulle veil and carried a bouquet of roses. Seigerd Wallin of Portland was the best man, maid of honor was Doris Voget, Carl Eggman, Mrs. Theo Rich, Mrs. Pearson of Cherry Grove, and Rev. Reese of Portland sang. Carl Cornils, brother of the groom, played the wedding march on the pipe organ.

The couple went to the beaches and Crater Lake for their honeymoon. Stanley Cornils is the pastor of the Baptist church at Cherry Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacobson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Yunker, Robert Yunker, A. Silver, and the Handy family of Portland went to Silver Creek falls Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schulz and Jeanette spent the week-end at Cannon Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Anderson went to Silver Creek falls last Sunday.

Mrs. Louisa May and Hazel May of Vancouver visited Mr. and Mrs. Chris Schindler and family last week.

Hill, Dale Club Plans for Picnic

(By Mrs. John Haase)

FIRDALE-IOWA HILL—The Hill and Dale club met at the home of Mrs. Will Reddig last Wednesday. They received three new members in their club, Mrs. John Marcom, Mrs. Walter Austin and Miss Louise Peters. The members and families of the club are planning their annual picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ficken of Sherwood (formerly of Firdale) on Sunday, August 1, together with the celebration of Mrs. H. Ficken's birthday with a pot luck dinner. Anyone who wants to go to this picnic and has no way of going please get in touch with Mrs. John Haase and she will make arrangements.

Mrs. Walter Austin and Miss Louise Peters attended the wedding ceremony last Wednesday of Betty and Loretta Vandomelen of Roy, and Loretta Vandomelen of Roy.

Miss Lydia Thurner of Corvallis visited her mother and brothers of Iowa Hill the past two weeks.

Henry Peters and Herman Koch of Firdale and Will Haase of Hillsboro are spending a week at the beach.

Estate Probated

Estate of Nathan Weil, founder of Weil's Department store, has been admitted to probate and R. W. and Morris Weil have been named administrators. Heirs listed are R. W. Morris and Jacob Weil of Hillsboro, Samuel Weil of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Julius Cohen of Spokane, Wash.

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