

# The New Oregon Statesman's Valley News and Correspondents Page

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### Monmouth Creamery Association Re-Elects Frank Laughary President

MONMOUTH, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Officers and directors of the Monmouth Creamery and Warehouse association Saturday entertained patrons an stockholders at the second annual get-together meeting in the Odd Fellows hall. Nearly 200 persons, representative of every section of Polk county attended. G. G. Hewitt, Rickreall, presided at the business meeting.

Manager F. E. Murdock submitted his annual report, which was accepted. It showed for the creamery department a decrease of production for 1928. The price of butterfat had been increased two and one-half cents per pound over the preceding year. In the warehouse department an increase of grain handling occurred in 1928, creating a need of greater storage space.

**Laughary Re-elected**  
Frank Laughary was re-elected president and directors elected were: Ed Rogers, C. G. Hewitt and Claude Hoising. A "winter-time" picnic dinner was served at one o'clock. Thomas H. Gentile, former director of training schools at Monmouth normal, now a member of the University of Oregon's extension service, spoke briefly at the dinner and acted as master of ceremonies at the afternoon program.

Addresses were given by the state deputy of the food and dairy commission, F. E. Tully; James Gilbert, dean of economic education of Oregon; and N. C. University of Oregon State college extension service. A humorous one act play by members of the dramatics class of Oregon Normal school; two numbers by a quartet composed of Claude Larkin, Myrtle Mulkey, I. J. Goodell and Ernest Willson; and two solos by Merle Wilson with Mrs. Grace Calbreath at the piano.

## ROBERTS FOLK SEE PICTURES OF FLAX

ROBERTS, Jan. 30.—(Special)—The moving pictures on the flax industry given by Dr. David Hill Saturday night at the community club were interesting and instructive. Dr. Hill also showed pictures "Lindbergh" and gave a fifteen minute comedy at the close.

After the pictures George Veoll, president of the club, auctioned the baskets brought by the women. The proceeds amounted to \$27.16. Mrs. Alice Coolidge and Mrs. S. C. Davenport were appointed as program committee for next meeting which will be held the second Saturday evening in February.

The Roberts Community club which was organized a year and a half ago with George Veoll as president has met a long felt need in the neighborhood for providing instructive entertainment, the development of local talent and the fostering of community spirit. Each meeting has been well attended and there is a fine cooperative spirit and growing interest shown in those who come.

## Sacred Music By Male Quartet Is Pleasant Affair

INDEPENDENCE, Jan. 30.—The main auditorium of the M. E. church was filled Sunday night with appreciative listeners at the sacred concert given by the Monmouth male quartet, composed of the Rev. L. Willard, Evangelical minister of Monmouth, E. N. Lindquist, A. Anderson and the Rev. E. G. Ranton of Independence. There were several quartet numbers, duets, and solos. Mr. Willard preached on the topic, "What Think Ye of Christ?"

The Busy Bees of the Boosters club are serving a 30 cent dinner in the basement of the M. E. church Wednesday evening, beginning at 5 o'clock. The menu is as follows: mashed potatoes, Spanish meat balls, hot rolls, salad, pie and coffee.

## Lake Labish Head Lettuce Men Plan For Spring Needs

LAKE LABISH, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Greenhouse men are this week planting seed of head lettuce here. The earth in these Lake Labish greenhouses was put in place three weeks ago, thus permitting the soil to become thoroughly warm, and ready for the seed, to induce high germination.

A series of later plantings will furnish plants for the many acres of beaverdam land annually set to head lettuce. New York lettuce and Boston head lettuce seem to vie in popularity at this time. The out-put of head lettuce here nets market gardeners thousands of dollars annually on Lake Labish black loam gardens.

## BUENA VISTA SOCIETY PRESENTS 3-ACT PLAY

HOPMERE, Jan. 30.—(Special)—The dramatic cast of the Buena Vista Literary society will give a three act comedy "An Innocent Desperado" at the Woodman hall at Chemawa on Friday evening.

## May Be Hoover Aides



Two Ohio Men, Walter F. Brown, assistant secretary of commerce, top, and R. W. Dunlap, assistant secretary of labor, below, are being mentioned for posts in Hoover's cabinet.

## ICE-CLAD STREETS OFFER HANDICAPS

SILVERTON, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Icy pavement on both the East hill and Liberty hill in Silvertown, since the recent snow storm, has made auto travel quite hazardous. Although there have been no serious accidents, the five inches of snow has packed and frozen in the auto tracks, making it quite impossible to make the steep grades in a car. Downtown districts are fairly well cleared of snow, making travel on the level streets less dangerous. No telephone lines have been reported injured during the storm.

## Report Visitors At Various Homes In Lincoln Area

LINCOLN, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Miss Jeanne Smith of Lincoln was a recent visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Bain of Salem.

Mrs. James Mott and two little daughters, Frances and Dorothy, are house guests for a short visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walling, Mrs. Mott recently moved from Astoria to Salem where the family will reside.

## Snow Is Welcomed On Labish Farms As Aid To Wheat

LAKE LABISH, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Plenty of snow and plenty of wood, farmers here are congratulating themselves on the big snow. The many acres of young wheat needed this white blanket and it means money in the farmers' pockets.

## Hansens Move To Broadmead Sector

ZENA, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hansen and family, who have been renters on the R. H. Looney farm for the past three years, have moved to a farm a half mile west of Broadmead. Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Looney of Salem are owners of the dairy farm and lived here many years before buying property in Salem.

## Sleighting a Lure For Hubbard Folk

HUBBARD, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Students and teachers of the Hubbard high school enjoyed a sleighing party Monday evening. Sleds drawn by horses, others drawn by autos, and a few hand sleds were sources of much merriment. A cool north wind and fluffy snowflakes brought red cheeks and noses.

## Funeral Services For Mary Purvine

ZENA, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Friday Mrs. Mary Virginia Purvine was buried in the Zena cemetery beside her husband Joshua Purvine and her parents, Major and Mrs. Walker. Mrs. Purvine had attended the Zena church and Sunday school when a girl, and many old friends and acquaintances assembled at the funeral services in Salem and at the Zena cemetery later to pay her a tribute of respect.

## BROOKS ACTIVITY IN BRIEF REVIEW

BROOKS, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Francis Sturgis, a student at the University of Oregon, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sturgis.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gay of Vancouver, Wash., were week-end guests of Mr. Gay's sister, Mrs. Willard Ramp and family.

Mrs. Mary McLeod Ashbaugh of Brooks attended the meeting of the 18th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, Scotland's beloved poet, in Salem at the Elk's club on Friday evening.

Mrs. Mary Ashbaugh and Mrs. Dollie Ramp were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Evans, recently, on the occasion of the 20th wedding anniversary of the Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Scheuerman of Portland were recent guests at the home of their brother and sister, Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Scheuerman. Little Miss Opal Scheuerman who has been visiting them accompanied them home. Other recent guests at the Scheuerman home were Mrs. W. A. Starke and Mrs. W. Daugherty, of Labish Center.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan were the Rev. D. George Cole, pastor of the Methodist church at Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Harris and children, Miss Lavin and Albert Harris. Other guests present were Grant Buchanan, Donovan Buchanan, Miss Constance Buchanan, Miss Deloris Buchanan and Kenneth Buchanan and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammock and son Robert of South Bottom, and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jones and daughter, Lois Jean, of Pringle, were recent guests of Mrs. Hammock's and Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Aspinwall.

Miss Beulah Aspinwall, Miss Lena Rigal and Miss Lela Aspinwall and Emil Wolfe were guests of Miss Marie Dunlavy on Monday evening. The evening was spent with saxophone and piano music and harmonica music and singing.

Mrs. George Harding who was struck and seriously injured by a motorcycle in Salem last Thursday afternoon, is recovering nicely. A few weeks ago Harding was hit by a passing auto at the corner of Main and near the Pacific highway at Brooks and seriously injured.

## JEFFERSON MAN IN CAR HIT BY TRAIN

JEFFERSON, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Ray Reeves narrowly escaped serious, if not fatal injuries Monday afternoon when his automobile was struck by an S. P. passenger train. His car was considerably damaged. Reeves was driving through a blinding snow storm and did not hear the approaching train in time to avoid being hit.

## Sows Take Heavy Toll by Lack of Mother Instincts

LAKE LABISH, Jan. 30.—(Special)—While unusual weather conditions in the Willamette valley have worked no hardship upon the sheep industry, the same cannot be said of the swine industry here.

One breeder of fine swine, in this vicinity, provided himself with extensive shelters, but finding the young litters suffering from cold, the farmer installed a heating plant for the swine houses, and then the great sows being warm and comfortable, crushed their young offspring by rolling upon the young during the night.

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## Install Officers Of Dallas Girls' Rainbow Chapter

DALLAS, Jan. 30.—(Special)—The order of Rainbow for girls Naomi chapter No. 17, met in the Masonic temple Saturday night. The regular business session was held and an open installation service.

New officers installed were: worthy advisor, Margaret Ellis; associate advisor, Mary Hines; Charly, Betty Jellinek; Hope, Cathryn Sibley; Faith, Dorothy; drill leader, Muriel Kelly; treasurer, Virginia Letch; secretary, Ethelyn Eberling; organist, Rachel Uglow; choir leader, Mary Starbuck; confidential observer, Irene Soehren; outer observer, Louise Fletcher; love observer, Crystal Hadley; religion, Hazel B. Clark, formerly of Albany.

## DEAKINS' SELL FARM HOME TO ROSS CLARK

AUBURN, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Deakins have sold their ranch here to Ross Clark, formerly of Albany.

## Friends Surprise Sutter Family On Anniversary Day

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Among those present were their sons, C. Sutter and wife, Leo and wife and son Jimmie, and their daughters, Mrs. Leo N. Childs and daughter, and Mr. Childs, Miss Etta Sutter, also Mrs. Sutter's sisters, Mrs. Ross Amstense and son Elton of Silvertown, and Mrs. Lester Conrad, three sons and Mr. Conrad, of Needy, Mrs. Aellen Gohale of Spokane, Fanny Hofstetter of Silvertown, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dorsler and daughter Delora, of Silvertown, Mrs. Elizabeth Conrad and daughter of Hubbard, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leighman of Clackamas, and Mrs. Martha Littlefield of Salem.

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## HUBBARD MAN MOVED TO McMinnville Job

HUBBARD, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Fred Parson, who has been employed by the Hubbard Lumber Co., was recently transferred to the McMinnville branch and left Monday for his new field of work.

## DAUGHTER CALLED BY ILLNESS OF MOTHER

AUBURN, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Mrs. Ernest Sloan has been called to Salem to be with her mother, who is to undergo a very critical operation.

## Fat Hogs Yield a Profit To Grower

ZENA, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Farmers in this community have been turning off fat hogs and stock hogs this month. Guy Taylor sold four hogs to S. H. Barker and son recently. W. Frank Crawford delivered a truck load of fat hogs and a beef at the Salem market Monday. J. Hatt butchered a hog and a beef Friday.

## CALLED TO SOUTH BY DEATH OF SON-IN-LAW

HUBBARD, Jan. 30.—(Special)—Mrs. Lucy Thompson, who, with her son, Frank, owns the White Front hotel of Hubbard, left Tuesday morning for Sacramento, Calif. She was called to California because of the death of her son-in-law, D. G. Hues.

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