

### TURNER TO HAVE COMMUNITY CLUB

#### C. A. Sprague, E. J. Gilstrap Speakers at Organization Meeting

TURNER, November 18.—A public meeting was called to meet Friday evening at the high school auditorium preparatory to organizing a community club. If the people so desired.

Charles A. Sprague, editor-manager of The Oregon Statesman, was the speaker of the evening. He cited many benefits arising from community organization not the least of which is the social contacts which make for better living.

Rev. E. J. Gilstrap spoke of the natural advantages of Turner and made suggestions as to needed improvements and hinted at the many possibilities of its future. He also spoke of the gatherings numbering into the hundreds coming from over the state each year, and Turner is glad to be the host to all.

T. P. Pooley was elected chairman for the evening. A committee was named to nominate officers to the community meetings Friday evening, November 22. It is hoped that all communities in the vicinity of Turner will take notice and be well represented.

Dr. H. C. Epley of Salem and Dr. P. O. Riley of Hubbard will help present a special program.

### MANY GUESTS IN JEFFERSON HOMES

JEFFERSON, November 18.—Eckles McCaw and family arrived Friday evening from eastern Washington for a visit with Mr. McCaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McCaw.

Mrs. A. C. Miller underwent an operation for removal of tonsils at Salem last Tuesday. She remained at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Slegmund for a few days before returning to her home Saturday. Mrs. Miller is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. White received an announcement of the birth of a 5 1/2 pound daughter, born November 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor at Visalia, Cal. Mrs. Taylor is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. White and recently moved to California.

Mrs. K. S. Thurston went to Portland Friday morning for a short visit and also to see "The Passion Play" at the auditorium. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Denson of Dayton were callers at the Terminal Saturday. They were en route to the football game at Eugene.

Mrs. Fred Farlow of Albany was the guest of her brother Jesse Parrish and family Wednesday and Thursday. While in town, Mrs. Farlow attended the past noble grand club, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Belle Hunt, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Josephine

Looney the past two weeks, left Thursday morning for her home at Centralia, Wash.

Mrs. E. L. Tolman left for her home at Winchester Bay Thursday after a ten days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Overholser. Mr. and Mrs. Tolman are proprietors of an auto camp at Winchester Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. White left for Portland Sunday morning to attend the assembly of the Church of God. From there they will go to LaCenter, Wn., for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Haskins and family. On their return from Washington they plan to go to Visalia, Calif., to spend the winter with their daughter and family.

### POLK COUNTY HAS ENDEAVOR MEETINGS

INDEPENDENCE, November 18.—Rev. R. F. Genter, Rev. A. B. Van Zante and Rev. E. G. Ranton and Mrs. Ranton, Mrs. Hugh Hannah, her son Hugh and daughter Lida and Mary Louise Horton, all of Independence, attended the County Christian Endeavor banquet which was held in the Monmouth Evangelical church Saturday evening.

After several peppy songs and some interesting speeches from various members of the group, the company went upstairs to the main auditorium where the business of the county organization was carried on.

After the business session Rev. L. A. Meade who is holding a series of revival meetings in the church preached an evangelistic sermon using for his text "The Sword of the Lord and of Gideon."

Mr. Hendricks, a former resident of Independence, now living in Morton, Wash., was a visitor at the Chas. Smiley home Sunday.

Rev. E. G. Ranton, Mrs. Will Ham Campbell and Mrs. Carrie Smiley left for Portland Monday morning with the intention of attending the three-day convention of the Women's Foreign Missionary board of the Methodist church.

**N. O. Tokstad Rites Today at Silverton Church**

SILVERTON, Nov. 18.—Funeral services for Nils O. Tokstad who died at his home Saturday evening will be held from Immanuel church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. J. M. Jensen officiating. Interment will be made in the Silverton cemetery.

Mr. Tokstad was born in Norway on April 20, 1863. He came to the United States 41 years ago and to Silverton 36 years ago. For the past few years he has lived on his small farm just west of Silverton. He is survived by his widow and eight children. The children are Olaf, Sophus, Sam, Adne of Silverton and Martin, Nestor and Mrs. Marie Canouy of Valselt, and Mrs. Gida Bauer of Molalla. He also leaves one brother, Helmer of Silverton, and one sister, Mrs. Sabina Lerfeld of Needy.

### PRICE OF HAY NOT TO GO VERY HIGH

By MADALENE L. CALLIN  
That a cold hard winter will bring up the price of hay is unquestionably true but there is no reason to fear that the price will be prohibitive, according to experts and buyers interviewed today.

No dairy or stockman can afford to pay \$40 per ton for hay. To do so would mean a tremendous loss and most of them would not do it. The hay crop this year is average and there is no reason to fear any great shortage.

The present price is averaging \$8 per ton, but judging from past years it will no doubt go higher but probably not over \$25 per ton at most. Of course any prediction as to market prices is in the nature of a gamble but judging from present conditions there is no reason for great fear on the part of the farmer who will have to buy hay. However, the one who has hay to sell can expect a good price but no gold mine.

The clover seed situation is difficult because there was an unusually heavy crop in the east so that the market is loaded. Fourteen cents seems to be the top price in Salem.

According to dealers the farmers of the vicinity are doing well this year since the sale of farm machinery has been the greatest in history. This indicates prosperity in the rural districts. Much of this prosperity may be attributed to the use of power machinery and improved farming methods.

**Health Group Has Annual Meet at Stayton**

STAYTON, Nov. 18.—The meeting of the Marion County Health association held here Thursday was well attended, nearly all districts in the county being represented.

Following the luncheon the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Brazier Small of Salem. Mrs. J. W. Mayo, of Stayton, secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting which was at Silverton.

Dr. Estella Ford Warner made a few remarks of interest to the association and then the meeting was turned over to Miss Mary Falke, of Salem, who has charge of the tuberculosis seal sale for Marion county. Different methods of handling the seal sale were discussed.

The Camp Fire Girls and Boy Scouts will have charge of the seal sale here.

**Woodburn High Has Pep Rally**

WOODBURN, November 18.—Woodburn high school students gathered at the West Side school house at 7:30 Thursday night and held a riotous pep rally, parading through the streets to create enthusiasm for the Newberg game. They paraded through the streets chanting and gathering in

### ZENA HAS MANY WEEK-END GUESTS

ZENA, November 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling enjoyed the day Sunday with their family who all gathered at the Walling home at Lincoln.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Lester W. Walling of Woodburn, who were married in Salem Friday, which was also the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling; Miss Fay Walling, August Walling, Clifford Walling and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling. Miss Fay returned to Woodburn with the newlyweds for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Hunt and children, Helen and Kenneth were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Spoutenburg of Unionvale. Mrs. Spoutenburg is Mrs. Hunt's sister.

George Boyd, of McCredie Springs, was a visitor with his family during the week-end. Mr. Boyd is a contractor and has his crew busy getting out cedar piling.

Slight snow, high winds and frosty weather are hindering the work. Mr. Boyd states. For the last three weeks he and his crew have been fighting fire, which has gotten into rotten logs buried beneath debris and after being controlled at one place breaks out at another in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higgins had as their guests Saturday Mrs. E. J. Giffen and daughter and granddaughter, Miss Doris Giffen and Lucille Turner all of Woodburn, and Mr. and Mrs. McNally of Montana, who are visiting Mrs. Giffen. Mr. and Mrs. McNally who had never seen holly growing, visited the McKinley holly grove while at Zena. They admired the lovely foliage and berries and purchased some to take with them on their

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### Falls City Hotel Now Managed by Mr. and Mrs. Rice

FALLS CITY, November 18.—Mr. and Mrs. John Rice of Portland have taken over the Falls City hotel and are now giving it a general overhauling, including painting, papering and improvement of the grounds.

Mrs. Thomas Smith, mother of Mrs. Rice, is doing the cooking. The management intends to make a specialty of dinners for clubs and parties. With the spacious dining room the hotel is well fitted for such affairs.

**SILVERTON PARTY**  
SILVERTON, November 18.—Mrs. Martin Hattberg was hostess to a group of friends at her Mill street home Thursday afternoon. Present were Mrs. Samuel Torrend, Mrs. Silas Torrend, Mrs. Henry Torrend, Mrs. Louis Hall, Mrs. Andrew Hall, Mrs. George Elton, Mrs. Carl Schmiedicke, Mrs. Oscar Sater, Mrs. Harry Benton and Mrs. O. J. Moe and Mrs. John Moe.

return to Montana. Lester W. Walling, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Walling of Lincoln was married to Tressa Armstrong, daughter of Mrs. Mary Armstrong of Woodburn, Friday morning at the courthouse at Salem. The mothers of the young couple and his sister, Miss Fay Walling, were present at the wedding.

Following the ceremony, Mrs. Harry Walling, aunt of the groom, served a wedding dinner at her Salem home. The young couple will make their home in Woodburn where Lester Walling has been a city mail carrier for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Niles R. Holland entertained as their guests Sunday Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Beals of Independence and their son Dr. Maurice Beals of McMinnville.

### Rebekahs Will Stage Reunion

SILVERTON, November 18.—The Rebecca lodge at Silverton will hold its annual homecoming evening here Thursday on November 21. Frank Wrichman of Salem will be the principal speaker. A number of former members who are now living elsewhere are expected to be here Thursday evening.

Those in charge of the entertainment arrangement are Sybil Wells, Mrs. Ira Stewart, Mrs. Alice Thornburn, Mrs. Mary Skaffe and Miss Catherine Gaylord of Salem. In charge of the refreshments will be Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald, Mrs. Fred Baker, Mrs. Charles Meyer, Mrs. Wynola Ottoway, and Mrs. Howman.

### JEFFERSON LIBRARY PROFITS BIG SHOW

JEFFERSON, November 18.—The greatest show on earth, "Seeing the Elephant," given under the direction of James W. Evans, for the benefit of the Jefferson library, was well attended both Wednesday and Thursday nights. It was a costume affair, carrying one back to days of yore, when long skirts, basques and bustles were so fashionable.

The program consisted largely of old time music interspersed with dancing and witty remarks. W. F. Gatchell as circus manager with Chester Miller, his colored helper, were the life of the show. In fact, all of the characters comprising 40 members, acted their parts well.

The net proceeds to the Jefferson Woman's club for the library benefit amounted to \$63.17.

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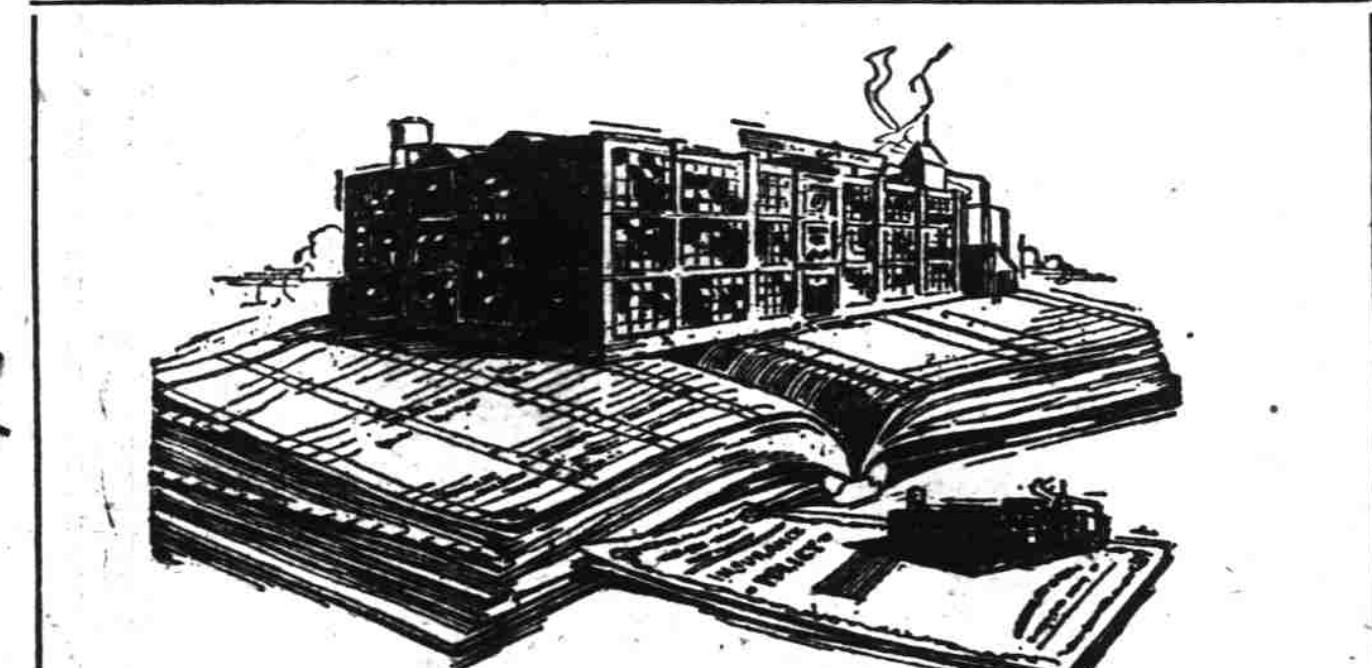
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