Silverton Hills Betterment Groups Active in Community

SPECIFIC IDEAS THRESHED OUT

Markets for Dairy Products In Town, Better Roads, **Phones Wanted**

SILVERTON, Feb. 25. - The Silverton Hills community spent a busy weekend and a very interesting one as well. Friday evening the Silverton grange held its regular February meeting with a good number of members present. C. C. Hughlett, a deputy granger from Myrtle Point, was present, and discussed various legislative measures. These were also discussed by club members.

Saturday a group of grangers from this district attended a meeting of Grange No. 17 held at Saiem. Among those going over this meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Parish, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Beugli, Mr. and Mrs. L.O. Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. John Tschantz, Virgil Tschantz and Lucile Tschantz. Saturday evening the Silverton Hills Community club held a very enthusiastic meeting at the club hall. At this time E. A. Banks and Elmer Olsen represented the Silverton chamber of commerce and brought the best wishes of Silverton to the agricultural community club. It was also the wish of these men to find out in what way the Silverton chamber could cooperate with the farming community to benefit the latter.

Three forms of improvement for the Silverton Hills community were particularly discussed at this meeting. These were road improvement, the extension of telephone lines to Silver creek falls, and the furnishing a market at Silverton for dairy products so that the farmers surrounding Silveton would not have to seek markets elsewhere. It was brought out that if these farmers had to market their produce in other cities naturally these cities would also secure much of their business. Lawson Hadley, who had been

a guest of the Silverton chamber of commerce at its February meeting, gave a very interesting re-Poprt from this meeting. Following the even s busi-mess, dancing was enjoyed for a

Waconda Man on Church Program Ardis Egan Is

WACONDA, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Nusom and daughter, Rosemary, accompanied by Mr. otor to Portland Friday, where hurch program. They will be the tuests of Mrs. F. R. Nusom's par- Francis Colgan and Mabel Alrick lin; recitation-Pauline Batchelnts, Mr. and Mrs. M. Flier. Miss Constance Goffin spent the eekend with her parents, Mr. and

Two-Night Entertainment Draws Crowd at Central

The two one-act plays were well received by the audience and them exceptionally well player. directed by Mrs. R. C. Ramsden and had the following persons in Salem. the cast: Clarence Simmons, Mrs. Andrew Hall, John Lauderback, Mrs. Lester Leighty, Mrs. F. E. Way and Grover Lichty.

SUMMIT HILL MEN

GOING SOUTH SOON

Bert Whipper and Louise

Hermise to Use Machine

In California

SUMMIT HILL, Feb. 25 -Ben

Whipper and Louis Hennise ex-

pect to leave for California March

14 where they will remain during

or until, the season for sheep

shearing is over when they expect

to return with their machine and

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Booth at-

ended the Friday dancing club.

of which they are members, held

at Castillion hall in Salem Febru-

Miss Shifferer Visits

Emma Shifferer, who is a stu-

dent at a Salem business college.

came out and spent the week end

at her home; her father, John

Shifferer, Sr., has been ill during

the past week but is better at

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Booth were

dinner guests at the Farris home

in Turner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs.

Carl Booth spent the day with

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Edwards, Mrs.

Booth and Mr. and Mrs. Edwards

WALDO HILLS. Feb. 25 - Ar-

dis Egan was host at a bridge par-

of Salem, Cora Severson of Silver-

ton and the host Ardis Egan, Mrs.

freshments late in the evening.

the time of this writing.

be ready for the season here.

ary 21st.

CENTRAL HOWELL, Feb. 25. ence Simmons and was played by -The entertainment given at the following: Mrs. Glenn Par-Central Howell February 20 and rish, A. A. Hall, Mabel Werner, 21 was well attended. Although F. E. Way, Mrs. R. J. Janz, R. H. the admission fee charged was Bye Sr., Myrene Lichty, Mrs. small \$61 was taken in at the Milo Wilcox, Glenn Parrish, Russell Lichty and Edgar Tweed.

Steelhammer Orchestra Plays Additional numbers Thursday many persons present declared svaning were, selections by the Steelhammer orchestra, solos by The first play on the program, Mrs. Glenn Parrish, a comic act by 'Squaring it with the Boss' was Robert Newberg of Salem and vocal solos by H. A. Gwynn of

Additional numbers on Friday evening were, instrumental numbers by Ruth Hubbs, violin and Edward Lois, piano; vocal solos The other play, "Mix Well and by Mrs. Glen Parrish, readings by Stir" was casched by Mrs. Clar- Glenn Parrish.

100 Acre Farm Owned By Roy Jones Traded For Monmouth Dorm

WALDO HILLS, Feb. 25. -A land deal of considerable interest has just been completed whereby Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones traded their 100 acre farm, ¼ mile west of Victor Point for the Normal student dormitory at Monmouth, known as the Arnold Arms, Mr. and Mrs. Jones are moving this week to Monmouth to assume act-

ive charge. The Waldo Hills people greatly regret the loss of Mr. and Mrs. Jones, who have always made their home here and have been active in community life. Norman has been popular in the Silverton high school where he is

WALDO HILLS, Feb. 25. green district held its regular Higgins, Mrs. W. C. Pettyjohn, meeting last Friday night. In spite of the rain, about 75 people gath- john and George Veall in a very ered at the schoolhouse to listen to the following program:

Playlet - Edith and Ithel Knight, Ida Lund, Maxine Har- ence sang "The Star Spangled Bridge Hostess Knight, Ida Lund, Maxine Har-man; song-Dorothy Neuswanger, Margaret Shockley, Pauline Batchellor, Jane Ogden, with Maxine -Edith Knight and Maxine Harty Friday evening at his home. mon, Ethel Knight at the piano; Those enjoying the evening were skit by four boys from McLaugh-

lor; song-school, The ladies served sandwiches, Frank Egan served lovely re- cookies and coffee after an hour of games and visiting.

ROBERTS CLUB POWELL SPENT

Retired Physician at Mon-Extended Program Interests mouth Takes Part in Music Mixed With Different Numbers Worthy Activities

ROBERTS, Feb. 25 - Another intensely interesting program was given by the community club Saturday night.

ler. gave an evening of very entertaining variations. Over forty ant, in Monmouth, after several persons took part in the program which was as follows:

Music by Roberts orchestra, George Veall, George Higgins, W. C. Pettyjohn and Raymond Hig-

"The Poter's family," a skit, including two musical numbers, "Honey, You Stay in Your Own Back Yard" and "Go to Sleep, My Pretty Baby." by the Beckett family in negro make up. Reading, "Lasca" by Mrs. Hel-

en Larson.

Orchestra Enjoyed Several selections by the Oak Grove orchestra, Miss Louise Bigelow, Ed Harnsberger, Buster Kleen, Oscar La Blue and Albert Schlag. Reading, "A Kentucky Water-

million" by Mrs. Harry Shuebel. the following songs, Mrs. W. C. theria. Pettyjohn singing with orchestra accompaniment and Mrs. B. D. Fidler reading introductions; "School Days," "Old Black Joe," "Loves Old Sweet Song," 'Mother Machree," "Silver Threads Among the Gold," "Spanish Cavalier," "When Johnny Comes Marching Home.

"Talking Pictures," a humorous stunt with sixteen women talking all at once through empty picture frames. "Reverside Telephone" showing Harry Shubel trying to get

central with a dozen women with receivers down. "The Vagabond Pal," another entertaining play written by W. C. Pettyjohn won great applause from the audience. The characters, two tramps, an old sweetheart and the rejected lover were The Happy hour club of the Ever- taken by W. C. Pettyjohn. George

> Tableau Beautiful Closing the program the audi-Banner." while a beautiful tableau of patriotic characters was

The stage was attractively dec-

George Higgins, Mrs. W. C. Petty-

realistic manner.

large framed picture of George Washington hung in the center. Following the program came the social hour and a pot luck held Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 ter Nita and Bob Webster of Portsupper which was thoroughly en-

MONMOUTH, Feb. 25 .- Dr. J. M. Powell, 77, a retired physician, and member of a prominent ploneer family of Oregon, Division two, led by B. D. Fid- died Sunday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Marintha Armonths of failing health. He was born at Albany, Oregon, April 3, 1852, in a log house where his parents Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Powell first resided on their dona-

tion land claim taken in 1851.

The family removed to Monmouth later to make their home and he was graduated with high honors from Christian college at the age of 21. In 1876 he was graduated from the medical department of the University of California, and began practicing medicine at Lebanon, Oregon, in partnership with Dr. Ballard. Dr. Powell was married to Miss Green, Mirs Frances Kleen, Mrs. Ada Cheadle, daughter of Mr. Gladys Harnsberger, La Vaughn and Mrs. Richard Cheadle, pioneers of Linn county, at Lebanon, Aug. 28, 1881. They moved to Spokane, Wash., in 1887, where he organized the Spokane Medical society; and introduced Pantomimes and tableaux of the use of anti-toxin for diph-

> Complete Family History Several years of his life were spent in compilation of the Powell family history, published in book form, which contains much authentic history of early Oregon. Last summer he completed a revision of the book, and brought its context up to date.

Well known as a pioneer filbert grower of the Willamette valley, he has been latterly engaged in filbert and walnut production on a large scale at his orchard home near Monmouth. He was first to inaugurate a process of washing walnuts in this section. He served as director of the Polk county Nut Growers' association; was a member of the North Pacific Co-operative Nut Growers; was a member of Monmouth grange; member of the Woodmen of the World; and a member of the Christian church. Of a friendly social nature, he was ever ready and willing to dispense from his wide range of knowledge anything that might be of benefit to friends and

Surviving are one daughter, Cora Lee Powell, Spokane; and a son, Richard C. Powell, of Oakorated with large American flags land, Cal.; also three brothers, and other patriotic emblems. A Ira C. Powell, Monmouth; P. O. Powell and J. F. Powell, Dallas; and Mrs. Marintha Arant, Monmouth. Funeral services were tian church under direction of of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Campbell. business visitors Monday

SILVERTON GRADS WIN CANNERY ACTIVE YEARS Freshmen at State College Leaders in State HAS GOOD TIME ACTIVE YEARS TESTS A R E IMPROVED

SILVERTON, Feb. 24 .-Silverton is very proud of the showing which her high school graduates have been making in university and college circles this past autumn. Reports which are now being announced are very satisfactory to Silver-

Oregon State college made a tabulation of all the grades made by the freshmen who entered this past autumn. From the tabulation thus obtained the college ranked all the high schools that had five or

mith Funeral chapel, with Rev. Victor P. Morris, officiating. Burial will be in the Knights of Pythias cemetery south of Monmouth.

Many Visitors Come and Go In Rural Community To the West

HOPEWELL, Feb. 25-A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Parven Sunday evening. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. George Polvi, Mr. and Mrs. John Byman, Mrs. Kiminki. Henry and Frits Kiminki, Mayme Kangas, Mrs. Gus Setlla and daughters, Elna and Viola and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sipola. Miss Genevieve La Beck of As-

Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe and Howard Branson were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. How-

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charley

ard Stephens, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kennedy of Portland spent the week end at the home near Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Enio Pisiho of organization of the association, Stomach Sufferers Oakland, Calif., have been visit- and after discussion, the tempor- If many foods do not agree ing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. ary president appointed the fol- with you, and you suffer from Andrew Sipola.

of Mr. and Mrs. John Byman,

Reatha Nash of Salem, Dan worth, Mrs. A. DeJardin and Mrs. Fletcher and Neva Fletcher were C. W. Cutsforth. visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Campbell, Sunday. Mrs. H. Freidenthal and daugh-

more freshmen in the college during the fall term. The ranking was from three to zero and only the schools having the highest rank in average scholarship was announced. Silverton had nine freshment in this year's class and led all the high schools sending five or more first year students to the college with an average scholarship rank of 1.78. This gives Silverton high school the honor of having the first place in scholarship for freshmen during the fall term.

24 Graduates Go Higher In the uniform placement test in English, given to all students entering higher educational institutions of Oregon, there were 98 high schools that had five or more students who took this test. There was a comparative rating made of all the schools on the number of errors made by their graduates taking the test. Bilverton had 24 graduates that entered Oregon colleges, universities, or normal school last autumn and the average of these 24 was such as to place Silverton in 31st place. This is not a remarkable showing except for the fact that Silverton gained 54 places over the posi-

GERVAIS P. T. A. Peat Used as

tion it held the year before.

GERVAIS, Feb. 25 - Patrons and teachers of the Gervais union toria was a week end visitor at high school met in the auditorium of the school building Monday night and started the organization of a Parent-Teacher association, which will comprise the Union high school district. About 25 better than straw as it does not were present, despite the rainy get damp. Many of the poultry evening. G. J. Moisan was elect- men are using it. ed temporary president and Miss Thelma Vernon, secretary.

lowing committee to secure a gas, heartburn, bloating, sour Mr. and Mrs. Peter Parven speaker and arrange a program stomach, and dyspepsia, why not gere dinner guests at the home for another meeting to be held make the Diotey 15 minute test? Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell, ner Stevens. Mrs. G. T. Wads- gredient has the power to digest

BUSINESS VISITORS Paul McKee, Mrs. Charles McKee, o'clock at the Monmouth Chris- land spent Saturday at the home and Miss Rose Green were Salem

Silverton Visitors at Community Club at Bethany **Bring Greetings**

SILVERTON, Feb. 24.-The Bethany community club held a delightful meeting Friday evening at Bethany school at which time Dr. A. J. McCannell and M. C. Storruste, representatives from the Silverton chamber of commerce, brought greetings. Mr. Storruste spoke on the cannery situation and Dr. McCannell spoke on the activities of the local chamber.

The club held a short business meeting at which it arranged for its March meeting. Mary Stalker, Opal Grinde, Helen Elton and Louise Schmedicke were appointed to take charge of the program, while Mrs. W. Gatchet, Mrs. James Henjum, Mrs. Conrad Henjum, Mrs. Noah Holman, Mrs. Luther Hatteberg, Mrs. Willis English, Mrs. Peter Helgerson, Mrs. H. Jorgenson and Mrs. Hans Johnson will serve as a refreshment committee.

The following program was given at the close of the business meeting: songs by the community: piano solos by Agnes Torvend and Oliver Carpenter; talks by M. C. Storruste, Dr. McCannel, and Mr. Rostvald of Monitor; reading by Mabel Towe and songs by the school.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program, Mrs. George Elton, Mrs. Electson, Mrs. Otto Dahl and Mrs. Albert Grind acting as refreshment committee.

Chicks' Litter

WALDO HILLS. Feb. 25 James Fry is using peat moss instead of straw as litter for his chicks. This moss is shipped in bales from Europe and is much

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