

HUBBARD LADIES AT MCMINNVILLE

Greetings From Marion County Extended to Yamhill

HUBBARD, May 13.—Mrs. Walter Brown and Mrs. C. E. Leasing attended the meeting of the Yamhill county federation of women's clubs at McMinnville Saturday. Greetings from Marion county were extended by Mrs. Brown, past president of the Marion county Federation of Women's clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Calvert and small daughter returned to their home at Walla Walla, Wash. Sunday after a short visit with Mr. Calvert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Calvert. Mrs. Lucy Sewell, aunt of Percy Calvert, accompanied her nephew and family and will visit two weeks at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Stevens left Sunday afternoon for Eugene where they will be guests at the home of Mrs. Stevens' sister, Mrs. J. A. Merriman.

Clark Will of Salem and Miss Henrietta Wolfer, critic teacher of the Oregon State Normal school, spent the week end with their father, George Wolfer at the home of their sister, Mrs. L. M. Scholl.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Watson, former managers of the Hubbard Mineral Springs, were Hubbard visitors Saturday.

"Hy" Everding returned to his home at Portland Friday. Mr. Everding made many friends while at Hubbard.

The senior class of the Hubbard high school were guests of their teachers, Mrs. Richard Field and Mrs. Nellie Cornell at a show in Portland Saturday and also at a dinner at the Field's apartments in Portland.

Orlie Boje spent the week end with his family at the Midway berry farm on the Pacific highway about a mile south of Hubbard. Mr. Boje is working for the highway commission at Grants Pass.

J. R. Bidgood and family spent Mother's day with Mrs. Bidgood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cox at Independence.

The band members honored Alvin Perdue and his bride, the former Miss Bessie Wymore of Colorado Springs at a party Friday night at the band hall.

Mr. Perdue, who has been a member of the Hubbard community band since its organization, and Miss Wymore were married May 6.

Mrs. Blanche Smith was taken to a hospital at Portland Sunday. Mrs. Smith has been in poor health the greater part of the winter.

MARION HAS MANY WEEK-END GUESTS

MARION, May 13.—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barber had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Max Robbins and children of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Boise, and children, Miss Marion Barber, Mrs. Beadle, Mrs. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yukum and daughters Ruth and Rachel of Salem.

Hershel Davidson who is working with the state highway gang near Junction City, was down for the week end visiting at home with his family.

Mother's day was observed at the Friends church with services and program quite appropriate to the occasion. During the program messages to mothers whose children could not be present were read.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gentry of Albany spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hobbs.

Here From North Dakota, George Nicourt of Golden Valley, North Dakota, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Balliff the past week left Sunday for Seattle where he will make a short visit before returning to his home in North Dakota.

St. Balliff will leave for South Dakota Thursday where he will make his future home.

Rev. and Mrs. Rob Smith and son George were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Carl Miller in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Danfield of Eugene are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Pickar.

Wayne Barber came over from Tigard where he is now located, for a visit over Sunday with his family.

Archie Rankin came over from Tat Saturday for a visit with his father W. A. Rankin.

Albert Mitzner of Detroit and Rudolph Mitzner of McMinnville were visitors at home over the week end. Rudolph and Archie Rankin are playing ball with the Turner Ball club of the Cascade League.

Rythm Band to Represent Liberty

LIBERTY, May 13.—The children's Rhythm Band will represent the Liberty Community club in the talent contest to be staged at the Elsinore on Friday, May 16.

All members of the club who have so loyally supported the entertainments this winter and all others who are interested in the children's work are urged to be present and ready to "back up" the hard work these little tots are put into their part of the program on Friday.

SERVICES HELD AT BROOKS

BROOKS, May 13.—Evangelist services are being conducted in the Brooks Methodist church by Rev. Robert Bryner of Yamhill, Ore. Meetings will continue all week, beginning each evening at 8 o'clock. Special music has been arranged for each evening. Rev. Bryner has just finished a series of successful meetings at Donald.

PROMOTES



R. G. Dinwiddie, one of the promoters of the new insurance company which, it is stated, would insure only total abstainers from drink and would automatically cancel the policies of all those who subsequently fell from grace and violate the prohibition law.

WELLS CANNERY MAY BE REBUILT, REPORT

Directors of McMinnville Plant Consider New Plant For Season

MCMINNVILLE, May 13.—The Wells Packing company plant which was completely destroyed by fire early last Friday morning, may be rebuilt in time for the coming packing season providing book audits and insurance adjustments show satisfactory results. This was the indication made by the board of directors of the cannery at a meeting held Saturday afternoon.

The board members took no definite action Saturday, but if the book audit and insurance report show that the move would be practical the plans for reconstruction will probably go ahead. A general stockholders' meeting will be held as soon as that is determined and plans will be presented. It is hoped to get the work under way so that it will be completed by the beginning of canning season.

The fire brought an estimated loss to the company of \$70,000. The building and equipment was valued at \$42,000, which is covered by insurance amounting to \$20,000. The warehouse, valued at \$25,000, was completely covered.

The cannery blaze was one of the most spectacular ever seen in McMinnville, and although it occurred at 2 o'clock Friday morning, a good portion of the city's population was out to see the scene. Origin of the blaze cannot be determined. Several theories have been advanced but they have been discounted by Fire Chief Ivan Pearson, who said he could determine no cause for the conflagration. Investigation will be continued, it is understood.

Liberty

LIBERTY, May 13.—Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Judd and Miss Dorothy Judd spent Sunday with Mrs. Judd's mother, Mrs. Phoebe Williams of Monmouth.

Mrs. Ed Hamel has returned to her home here after spending the winter at Newport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Zosel and daughter Mildred spent Sunday as the guests of their children in Portland.

Miss Florian Hrubetz, a student of the O. S. C. at Covallis, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hrubetz.

Miss Winona Williams of Salem was a Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams.

Mrs. DeMarce of Corvallis spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Leek and family.

Mrs. Nellie Gannell, Miss Katherine Gannell and Merlyn spent Sunday at Champeog.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jory and son, Roger Lewis, and some friends motored to the fish hatchery near Scio, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Eastman and niece, Shirley Stowe, spent Sunday at Silver Creek Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bellamy and daughter, Dora, and Mr. Bellamy's parents, spent Sunday at Suver.

Mrs. Lyle Rains, Mrs. J. R. Rains, and son, Merle, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. H. E. King near Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and Joe, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rich and daughter, Constance, Ralph Hall, and Palmer Williams motored to Sublimity Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fair and Alice Cunningham visited in Corvallis last Sunday.

Frank Houser had the misfortune to break his arm last Friday.

The Brundage family are moving away. Lucille, Margaret and Lyle attended school for the last time Monday.

Mrs. Hermann Stankey of Middle Grove spent the weekend with Mrs. R. L. Forster.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dencer are moving on a farm near Sweet Home some time this week. They have sold their property here. Mr. and Mrs. Dencer have been residents of Liberty for many years.

Several children of the Liberty school have been absent a few days because of sickness. Robert and Charles Cunningham, Merlyn Gannell and Catherine Dallas have been on the sick list.

Joe Williams is making several improvements on his farm, among them being a new fence and lily pool.

NORTH HOWELL GRANGE MEETS

Many Visitors as Well as Members Enjoy Program

NORTH HOWELL, May 13.—The regular meeting of North Howell Grange was held Friday evening in the Grange hall with 25 visitors present and 51 home members. Six new members were voted in. These were Sam Brown, Jr., Maurice Hynes, Donald and Stanley Vinton, Harley Oddie and Delroy Fitzke.

Among the visitors were Edith Toller Weathered from Oswego, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew and Mrs. Campbell from Butteville, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Lambert from Stayton, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Tekenburg of Macleay, Mr. and Mrs. Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. Overlund, Mr. Stalker, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Bowen, and Gilbert Lowe from Silverton Grange, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Darby of Union Hill, Mr. Pomroy from Monitor, Mr. and Mrs. A. Collins from Fairfield.

After the business meeting and during the lecture hour, James Mott of Salem addressed the assembly in the interest of his candidacy for state representative and a short program followed, also talks from the visiting members. Lunch was served by the birthday committee and a social hour enjoyed.

The next meeting was called for June 6 and Mrs. Al Cline was elected alternate delegate to the state grange.

AUMSVILLE P. T. A. TO MEET THURSDAY

AUMSVILLE.—The P. T. A. will hold their 15th regular meeting on Thursday, May 15 instead of Friday because of the primary election.

This being the last meeting for the year there will be a reception for teachers, a potluck dinner beginning at 6:30 p. m. There will be no charge. A state educational program will follow. Each adult will register his name and native state, then each will be given a few minutes to tell of the most outstanding things of their state. Songs pertaining to these states will be sung. If there are any request songs please notify Mrs. M. McCollough, president.

This will be followed by election of officers for the coming year. In the meantime the 4-H cooking club will have their achievement day for which \$10 in prizes will be awarded. \$5 is given by E. T. Pierce, local banker, \$2.50 by the community club and \$2.50 by the P. T. A.

This is the largest 4-H club in the state. 4-H members finished 100 per cent and have received certificates. The cooking will be on display for the P. T. A. meeting.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PRESENTS PROGRAM

WOODBURN, May 13.—Mrs. Albert Garrison's Sunday school class of the Methodist Episcopal church presented a splendid program at the church Sunday evening honoring their mothers.

The leader of the program was Rex Garrison and the opening number was an instrumental number by Wilma Morrison on the piano and S. E. Brune on the organ which was followed by a hymn by the congregation, "Mother's Inspiration."

"The scripture lesson, Proverbs 31: 10-31 was read by Elmer Klamp after which was a vocal duet by Helen and Joyce Woodfin. Joyce Woodfin also played piano numbers.

William Elkins read, and the congregation joined in singing. The offertory was by Miss Morrison and Mr. Brune and the class sang.

Fred Rogers gave a talk on "Mothers of Great Men" and Mrs. Edith Love sang. Kathleen Garrison read and Rex Garrison sang. William Elkins talked on "Mother" followed by a vocal duet by Ruth Geer and Kathleen Garrison.

Following a talk on "Mother Love" by Charles Huddleston the congregation sang two more numbers and Rev. G. S. Hartong made a few remarks.

Mrs. S. C. Quant Is Recovering

WACONDA, May 13.—Mrs. S. C. Quant who has been very ill at her home is now reported recovering.

Mr. Emil Cramer and Mr. George Fickel attended the session of the Odd Fellows lodge in Salem Saturday night.

W. R. Palmer of Linton spent the week end at the Palmer home. Guests at the A. W. Nusom home for the week end were Mr. Major Towne, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Nusom and daughter Sheryl of Forest Grove.

Hopewell

HOPWELL, May 13.—A field meet picnic will be held at Unionvale, Friday, May 16. Fairview, Hopewell, Unionvale, Grand Island and Wheatland schools will all be present. Everybody is invited to come and bring their dinner and enjoy the day.

The Mother's day program held at the U. B. church was much enjoyed by those present Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bosshardt and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Jacobson were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold

Hickerson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. Moe and Howard Branson were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stephens Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Youngen of Spring Valley were also callers.

The Fairview school baseball team won from Grand Island Friday afternoon 7 to 16.

L. H. Dowd of Weston, Ore. was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dissmore.

Rev. S. E. Long of Salem was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riechen Sunday.

Pratum Girls Have Organized New Sheep Club

PRATUM, May 13.—Under the direction of their local leader, Mrs. G. H. Thompson, the following girls organized a Shropshire sheep club, Helen Mae Thompson, president; Hilda Brahansen, vice president; Dorothy Bowen, secretary; Alice Marie Thompson, reporter; Helen Shultz, pianist.

The club is to be known as "the Shepherdesses of the Hills." They will have a judging team and carry on other 4-H club activities.

JEFFERSON HAS VISITORS

JEFFERSON, May 13.—Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mason Sunday were Mrs. Riley Gilbert of Chicago, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mason and three sons and Mrs. Combs of Salem, D. P. Mason of Albany, Virginia, Mason of Woodburn and John Doyle of Oregon City.

Aumsville Has Numerous Guests

AUMSVILLE, May 13.—Cleave Ray of Portland spent the week here at the J. L. Saxe home. John Crum and son Holly of Salem were Aumsville callers Sunday.

Mr. Ambrose of Salem gave a lecture on Bio-Chemistry at the school house Monday evening which was enjoyed by all present.

Most of the children who have been having measles came back to school Monday. There are just a few cases in this vicinity at present. Strawberries are beginning to ripen in this district.

GUESTS IN JEFFERSON
JEFFERSON, May 13.—Mrs. Arthur Schultz and daughter Jeanette of Portland, arrived Friday for a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. George Vail, who is ill.

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