

GAS COMPANY ENTERING CITY

Lines Being Laid in Independence; Double Shift is Now on Job

INDEPENDENCE, July 12.—The Portland Gas and Coke company pipe line is nearing Independence now. Men are working near the McLaughlin hop ranch. Using a double shift this line will soon be completed. The lines in town are being laid, and the line to Monmouth has been finished, and gas will soon be in use here.

The line will continue south over the new stretch of road by the Alexander ranch, and Albany will get their gas, leading from this line.

Holts Get Mail Contract

Holt Bros. have the contract for hauling the mail between here and Monmouth. They expect to establish a stage line later.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carbray had as their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McVeigh of San Francisco, who were returning from a trip to Victoria, B. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robbie and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson and sons of Corvallis spent several days at Woods on the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Huntley have returned to Corvallis, after spending some time at their ranch between here and Monmouth.

FARMER BUSY WITH BIG HAY HARVEST

Mary Berndt and Her Brother Back to Liberty Area After Vacation

LIBERTY, July 12.—Farmers of this vicinity are busy cutting and putting in their hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dencer spent Sunday at Breitenbush springs. Mary Berndt and her brother have returned from an automobile sight-seeing trip. They went to Bend by the McKenzie pass and on their return went around the Mount Hood loop.

Miss Peters of Cherokee, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Farley Abshire of Long Beach, Calif., were guests at the Bruce Cunningham home this week.

Guests from Sweet Home Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dencer of Sweet Home were guests of Phil Dencer's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson of Portland visited at the O. E. Brooks home this week. Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Brooks are cousins.

HUBBARD MATRON ON PORTLAND HIGH LIST

HUBBARD, July 12.—Mrs. Phyllis Finnigan of Portland, former high school teacher in the Hubbard school, visited Miss Ruth Crittenden, Miss Ruth Calvert and other friends in Hubbard Wednesday.

Mrs. Finnigan was kept busy substituting in the Portland school during the school year. She expects to fill a permanent place on the high school faculty there next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart attended the wedding of Harold Robinson and Miss Anne Kell at Portland Tuesday. Mr. Robinson and Mr. Stewart are fraternal brothers of the Oregon State college.

John Claypool and son Roy left for eastern Oregon Thursday morning to work in the harvest fields. Ben Miller and Carl Ott are also in eastern Oregon.

Octave Vogel has finished his silo at his dairy farm east of Hubbard.

ROGERS TO BUILD AGAIN AFTER FIRE

SALEM HEIGHTS, July 12.—It is reported that E. G. Rogers whose home was burned the night of July 4th, due to a fire cracker which lodged in the wood pile next to the house, is contemplating the erection of a new home as an insurance matter.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER



Otto Sanhuber, "phantom of the Attie," collapsed when a Los Angeles jury returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter. Sanhuber, was tried on charge of slaying Fred Oesterreich, retired manufacturer eight years ago. His trial revealed that he had lived "like a bat" in the attic of the Oesterreich mansion in order to be near the object of his affections, Mrs. Oesterreich.

LAKE GETS MANY TROUT

South Salemite Creating Beautiful Home Site FIVE ACRES IN TRACT

SOLEM HEIGHTS, July 12.—Dr. Fred Burger is expecting to receive most any day a shipment of 15,000 eastern speckled brook trout to stock his lake on his tract here in the Heights. Dr. Burger purchased this property a year ago from the school district and is known as the "quarry site," the basin being formed by the removal of rock, and is about a quarter of a mile in circumference, being fed by two springs and a creek the year around.

FRIENDS PACK HALL FOR KECKER RITES

Middle-Aged Man Born at Aurora and Spent Most of Life on Farm

HUBBARD, July 12.—The Hubbard city hall was packed to capacity by friends and relatives of the late Earl Kecker at the funeral services held for him Thursday morning. Rev. S. E. Long of Salem officiated. The front of the hall was banked with flowers.

A quartet composed of Mrs. Ella Stuffer, Mrs. Sadie Scholl, John Moomaw and Avon Jesse sang two selections and Avon Jesse sang a solo accompanied by Miss Anita Bevens.

Interment followed in the Hubbard cemetery where Knights of Pythias rites were held.

Mr. Kecker was a member of Arion lodge No. 57 Knights of Pythias and members of the lodge attended the funeral in a body.

Mr. Kecker, who was 33 years of age at the time of his death, was born at Aurora and spent the greater part of his life there and on his farm east of Hubbard. He is survived by Mrs. Kecker and children, Leland and Vera, and his mother, brothers, and sisters.

HUBBARD MAN STILL IN BED AFTER WRECK

HUBBARD, July 12.—L. Dreher was removed from the Salem General hospital to his home here Wednesday. Mr. Dreher is confined to his bed and is still very weak from injuries received when struck by an automobile as he was crossing the highway.

Mrs. Alice English of White Bluffs, Wash., left for Colvins' camp ground on the Pudding river west of Barlow Wednesday. Mrs. English was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Colvin. She will visit relatives at Colvins' park.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Painter left for Hebo Wednesday for an extended visit at the home of Mrs. Painter's brother, P. D. Ott. Mr. Ott was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Painter as he returned home from Portland.

EX-ILLINOIS FOLK TO ENJOY PICNIC

GERVAIS, July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krause of Aberdeen; Miss Theresa Hovis and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rondeau of Kalama and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Rondeau of Portland, Washington, have returned to their several homes after spending a pleasant time over the Fourth at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Rondeau.

August 10th at the Woodburn Auto park is the time and place set for the north Marion county Illinois picnic. All former residents of Illinois are invited to attend. Sacred Heart parish will hold their annual chicken dinner and carnival on the church grounds next Wednesday evening, July 15.

NEW MEMBERS JOIN GRANGE

Macleay Leader Talks of Fall Election; Varied Program Given

MACLEAY, July 12.—Three new members, Madeline L. Callin, Beattie Hiel and D. Baker, and Adela Baker by remitt from Morning Star grange were received into the Macleay grange at the meeting held Friday evening at the Macleay hall.

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LOS ANGELES FOLK GUESTS AURORA, July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Long and daughter, Dorothy, of Glendale, Cal., renewed old friendships with the Chester Glibbreath family this week. Mr. Long represents the Investors' syndicate of Los Angeles.

Light to Go In The grange voted favorably on the motion to install electric lights when the extension of the line is made by the Portland Electric Power Co.

Announcement was made by the secretary of a donation toward the hall purchase fund, by Mrs. J. F. Anderson. By request Margaret Masee gave an exhibition of the work she had done in the supervision of the art instructor Miss Sarah Atwood while in Parrish Junior high school and the work done under the supervision of Miss Ruth Marie Brauti, art instructor at the Salem high school.

Farmers' Roll Prominent At the lecture hour Madeline Callin gave a talk on farm conditions and the prominent part the farmer plays in all civic affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jones reported on the state grange convention held at Redmond. Mrs. Adela Baker told of the work being done by the Morning Star grange where she formerly held her membership and Mrs. Milton Kephart spoke briefly on California compared with Oregon. Mr. and Mrs. Kephart have recently returned from a trip to California and Mexico.

After the meeting lunch was served and a social time enjoyed.

MRS. M'KENZIE NEW LEADER OF GUILD

HUBBARD, July 12.—The Community guild of the Federated churches of Hubbard met at the Methodist church building Wednesday afternoon for a regular bi-monthly meeting.

Neve McKenzie, the new president, presided. It was decided to discontinue the meetings for six weeks because of the busy season.

Rev. Glenn Hartong will be back as pastor of the Federated churches of Hubbard for next year. In addition to his work here Rev. Hartong will have the pastorate of the Methodist church at Woodburn.

The Hubbard community band took part in the northwest amateur band contest held at Jantzen beach Thursday afternoon.

Banner Peach Crop Seen at Aurora Ranch

AURORA, July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendrix, co-owners of the Aurora Observer, and their daughter, Norma, were guests of the Charles Eller home Friday evening. The Eller place is known both as the Holly farm and the Eller peach orchard. They report a banner peach crop this year.

Hip Broken by Girl in Fall From Big Trees

AURORA, July 12.—Mrs. J. W. Ratshy has just returned from Chemawa where she was called to be with her daughter who met with a very serious accident when she fell from a tree. She broke her hip and received other internal injuries.

VISIT FROM TILLAMOOK

PERRYDALE, July 12.—Mrs. George Crimmins and son Albert of Tillamook were callers at the Robert Mitchell home Friday. They were on their way to Salem. Mrs. Crimmins operates the Tourist Cafe in Tillamook.

Beck Sends Warning Of New Disease to All Fruit Growers

DALLAS, July 12.—J. E. Beck, county agent, who is also fruit inspector, has been sending out notices to the non-resident pear and apple growers, calling attention to the appearance of anthracnose, one of the most dreaded of fruit diseases.

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Turner Man Has Sinhles Attack

TURNER, July 12.—I. E. Robertson who is one of the older residents of Turner, has not had the best of health for some time. This week found him broken out

with the shingles. He was driven to Salem for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Briggs and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Briggs, all of Portland, spent the week-end in Turner with relatives.

GERVAIS, July 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Randall and Miss Daisy Buckner of Monmouth

stopped in Gervais Monday afternoon as they were passing through and made a call on Mr. and Mrs. I. V. McAdoo. They are former residents of Scio, where Miss Buckner was postmistress for eight years under the Wilson administration. She is now employed in the postoffice at Monmouth.

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Turner Woman Loses Purse

TURNER, July 12.—Mrs. Donald E. Fehelen who was returning to Corvallis Sunday afternoon, from her parents' home, lost her purse, just before taking the stage at Hillsboro. As the purse contained quite a sum of money the loss is felt all the more keenly.

Leo Dymett of the state flax plant was visiting flax fields the last of the week, grading flax.