

18 Families, Descendants of Dr. Ridings, Stage Reunion

RIDINGS ONCE HAD WOOL MILL

Mrs. Cusiter of Silverton New Head of Clan; Miss Ridings, Secretary

By LILLIE L. MADSEN SILVERTON, August 4—American descendants of Dr. Peter Joseph Ridings met at the Coolidge and McClaine park at Silverton Sunday for a picnic. Eighteen families of descendants and a number of old-time friends were in the gathering.

The origin of the Ridings family, was in Holland in 1535. Members immigrated to England and Bolton Lancashire, England, is the early home of the branch of the family who met Sunday.

Dr. Peter Ridings and his wife came to America and settled in Virginia in 1798 where he operated woolen mills. It was his grandchildren that came on to Oregon. The first of these was Peter J. Ridings who came to Portland in 1860. For seven years he mined and worked in the wood business both at Pierce City, eastern Oregon and at Portland. Then he settled at Glad Tidings three and a half miles from Marquam. For 20 years he was postmaster of Glad Tidings. In 1886 he started a general merchandise store at Marquam and during ten years controlled the Grange store before he bought it himself.

Mrs. Ridings Mother of 10 In 1865 Mr. Ridings was married to Caroline Jones who was born near St. Louis, Mo., in 1841, and who is the mother of ten children.

George Ridings and his sister Margaret came to Oregon in 1868 and purchased a farm near Marquam.

At the Sunday picnic Mrs. Nettie Ridings Cusiter of Silverton was elected president; Mrs. G. E. Daugherty of Molalla, vice president; Dorothy Del Ridings of Molalla, secretary; Miss Marie Ridings of Eugene, historian. The theory of Silverton was given a rising vote of thanks for the use of its lovely park.

Bagpipe on Program The afternoon program consisted of songs by Eleanor Ridings, and the William Tomison children; and bagpipe selections by William Tomison; talks by C. B. Andrews of Portland, G. E. Noe of Molalla, George Cusiter of Silverton, Mart Leabo of Aurora, Mrs. E. M. Adams of Gresham, Mrs. Fannie Drake of Silverton, F. J. Ridings of Eugene, and Mrs. Ed Seaman of Marquam.

Many Guests Present Descendants present included Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Ridings, Mrs. Reta Ridings, Gordon Ridings of Eugene; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ridings, Kenneth Ridings, Mrs. G. O. Ridings, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ridings, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaver, James Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shaver, Virginia Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shaver, Iris Bona Shaver, Phyllis Ann Shaver, Wava Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shaver, Arnold Shaver, Norma Shaver, Ivan Shaver, Dawn Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Daugherty, Daughters, Blanche Daugherty, Bethel Daugherty, all of Molalla; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Marquam of Portland; Mrs. and Mrs. Mayne Wright, June Wright of Stayton; Mr. and Mrs. George Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. R. Ridings, Richard Ridings, Morris Ridings, Eleanor Ridings, Duane Ridings all of Marquam; Mr. and Mrs. George Cusiter of Silverton; Mrs. Lulu Scott and Weston Scott of Scotts Mills; Fannie Drake, June Drake, Mr. and Mrs. William Tomison, Katherine Tomison, Jean Tomison, Betty Tomison, Ira Harold, Laverne Herrick, and Mrs. Roy Morley of Silverton; Mrs. E. M. Adams of Gresham; Mrs. Ed Seaman of Marquam; and Mrs. C. B. Andrews of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Noe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dicken, Ronald Dicken, Betty Jean Iken, Mrs. G. V. Adams of Molalla, Genevieve Shaver, and Mrs. M. J. Minneapolis, Minn.; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe VanCleave of Mount Angel.

HERALD OFFICES FIRST TO USE GAS

MONMOUTH, August 4—The Herald office is the first use of gas in Monmouth. A gas burner is being used for melting lead in a casting machine in making cuts.

Buddy Jones of Independence was run over while riding his bicycle, by Howard Rogers in a Ford coupe. An accident occurred on the Independence-Monmouth highway.

Miss Butler, critic teacher in the normal training school, is on her way to Kansas, going by the way of California and the Grand Canyon.

Miss Judd and Miss Kerps left this week for their vacation trip which takes them into the Alaska territory.

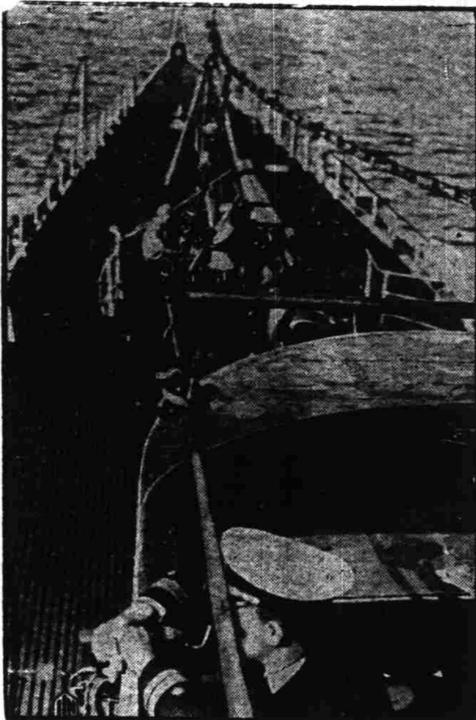
Salem Girl on Mill City Visit

MILL CITY, August 4—Miss Jane Robinson of Salem has been visiting in Mill City at the home of her father, W. J. Robinson for the past several days. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are leaving on a vacation trip to eastern Washington points the first of the week.

Miss Helen Morrow and Robert Cunningham of Portland arrived in Mill City Saturday evening on the stage and were the house guests of Miss Mary Holt-house here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Allen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haseman and son, Mr. and Mrs. W. Chestnut and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cooper of Mill City composed a picnic party who spent Sunday at Brettenbush Springs.

U. S. UNDERSEA CRAFT IN TEST



Striking view of the forward deck and prow of the U. S. Navy's new submarine V-5 which received its preliminary test off Provincetown, Mass. The 571-foot craft is hailed as the safest afloat and is equipped with the latest style of escape hatches. In the foreground is Lieut. Commander J. H. Brown, Jr., skipper of the V-5.

GRANGE DEDICATES Bonlea Farm Home Site for Delightful Time

TURNER, August 4—Members of Surprise grange and friends assembled at the J. M. Bones home Friday evening by invitation to give the grange "home dedication" ceremony.

BONES FAMILY IS FETED

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards, as a gift from their home grange. Grange Gives Bouquet Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Lambert of Stayton were present. They presented the host and hostess with a huge bouquet of 25 dahlias, each of a distinct variety. This gift was given by the Pomona grange of which L. S. Lambert is the master.

MONMOUTH PEOPLE HAVE MANY VISITS

MONMOUTH, August 4—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vest of Portland, were Sunday guests at the Oscar Moore home. Mr. Vest is a brother of Mrs. Moore, and is leaving soon for a several weeks trip into Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Jacobson and daughter Mable of Salem, spent the day Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. White.

Mrs. Nellie Damon had as her dinner guests Sunday, Mrs. William M. Wood and Capt. Sam Damon of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lock and Dorothy Damon of Salem.

Mrs. Elmer Addison and two children returned Sunday from Cascadia where they had been spending their vacation.

Mrs. Orpha Daves of this city submitted to a major operation on Thursday at the Willamette sanatorium, Salem, and is reported as getting on nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George Conkey of Roseburg are spending some time as guests of old friends here. Mr. Conkey was at one time in business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Craven are spending their vacation at Cloverdale. Mr. Craven is in the confectionery business with his son here.

ZENA FAMILY AT M'CURDY FUNERAL

ZENA, Aug. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry of Zena, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Crawford of Spring Valley and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Crawford and daughters, Alice and Wilma of Zena attended the funeral of Mrs. George McCurdy at Mill City Sunday afternoon.

The deceased was the sister of Mrs. E. C. Crawford of Salem, Lawrence Marsh of McMinnville and Willard Marsh, of Seattle, all of whom were well known here.

Good Old Days Are Here Again

INDEPENDENCE, August 4.—The aid society of the Baptist church met Thursday for an all-day session. A good attendance was present. The day was spent in quilting. At noon those present enjoyed a pot luck dinner.

Keizer Scouts Hiking Soon to Snow Peak Lake

KEIZER, August 4—(Special)—The Boy Scouts held their monthly meeting at the school house Friday evening. There were eight members and two visitors present. Their scoutmasters, Ray Betzer, gave them instructions in signalling.

The troop is planning an overnight trip to Snow Peak Lake in the near future.

JONES FAMILY HAVE REUNION

William A. Jones of Macleay Named President; Salem Woman Secretary

SILVERTON, August 4—Descendants of Lewis Jones and Mary McAlpin Jones met for their second clan reunion Sunday at the Coolidge and McClaine park. At the business meeting, William A. Jones of Macleay was elected president, and Mrs. Kreta Bondell of Salem, secretary.

Two old letters, one dated February, 1856 and one August 1858, written by Henry and Elizabeth McAlpin in Iowa to their children here, were read. The letters stated that conditions were very good in Iowa that year, that monthly labor was bringing \$20 a month, and day labor 75 cents a day.

Lewis Jones came to the Waldo Hills country in 1848, and purchased a farm on a portion of which the Union Hill school now stands. Those attending the Sunday reunion were:

Miss Sally Jones, Paul Johnson, Julia G. Johnson, Leona G. Johnson, Verda Johnson, Carlton Smith, G. W. Johnson, Jr., Lotta C. Smith, Mrs. Kreta Bondell, Walter Bondell, Eva B. Mitchell, A. G. Algo, Edith Algo, Helen Jones, Clifford T. Jones, Wilma Jones, Margaret Jones, Allen Jones, Mary Alice Jones, Mrs. H. A. Johnson, Myrtle Hawers, Claude A. Johnson, Edwin Johnson, all of Salem; T. M. Jones, Carrie Jones of Lebanon; Thomas Jones, Digle Jones of W. A. Jones, John C. Jones, Mabel Jones, Macleay, Roy Morley, Gertrude Morley, Mrs. Effie Hicks, Mrs. Mary Warnock, Eugene Hobart, Carl Haberly, Alta Morley Haberly, George Haberly, Phyllis Jean Haberly, John Morley, Mrs. John Morley, Mrs. John Thurman, Mrs. Miles Adamson, Elizabeth Thurman, Gertrude Thurman, Katherine Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ray McKee, Mrs. Sarah Adamson, Janice and Harold Ray, all of Silverton, Mrs. Olivia Craig of Castle Rock, Washington; S. J. Jones, Allen Jones, Monte Jones, June Lee, Clay Williams, of Portland.

VISIT ALSEA COUNTRY

INDEPENDENCE, August 4—Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Humberger and Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Hedges left early Saturday morning for Alsea where they spent the day fishing. The Humbergers have built a cabin at Alsea and spent most of the week ends at this place.

Flax Crop Heavy for Silverton

SILVERTON, August 4.—Harvesting of flax is very nearly completed in the Silverton farming community. Although flax has been grown in this community for the past four or five years the acreage has been considerable larger this year than in former years and has attracted a great deal of attention.

ZENA PEOPLE AT LINCOLN BEACHES

ZENA, Aug. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Higgins of Zena, accompanied Mrs. Lorena Thompson and daughter, Helen May, and her mother, Mrs. Susan Smith of Pratum when they went to Nelscott Saturday to spend the day with Mrs. Nellie Antrim.

The latter with her children, Mark, Mary and Corrine, are spending their summer vacation at this delightful beach resort.

Mr. and Mrs. George Antrim and daughter, Ila, were also visited there. Mrs. Higgins, Helen May Thompson and Mary Antrim visited Tait and Cutler City.

In describing their trip, Mrs. Higgins said, "we traveled through a mile and a half of wonderful spruce and hemlock forests on the cutoff road."

Being Busy Is Forte of 'Our' Mrs. Korinek

By MADELINE CALLIN Proof of the old saying that if you want anything done ask a busy person to do it is found in Mrs. G. F. Korinek.

Mrs. Korinek is city treasurer of Stayton, helps out in the local newspaper office, took the census, attends numerous parties, is a first-class

finds time to keep her home attractive and to care for her small daughter, Betty.

Dr. Korinek is of the well known Korinek family of veterinarians and has an extensive practice in the rural districts around Stayton and Mrs. Korinek accompanies him on many of his trips. In this way, and because she is deeply interested she learns much about farming conditions.

Miss Betty Korinek goes to school and studies music and dancing, in all of which her mother helps and encourages her. Mrs. Korinek is indeed busy but when one sees her ready smile and shining eyes one is quite sure that she likes to be at work and thus, happy.

Iowa Minister Returning After Visit in Oregon

KEIZER, August 4—(Special)—Rev. and Mrs. G. Edwin Ellis of University Park, Iowa, and their children, Paul, Lois, Helen, Phillip and Leola, left the early part of the week for their Iowa home after a visit at the Ray Betzer home. Mrs. Ellis is a sister of Mr. Betzer.

They motored west, enjoying the trip and the ideal climate of Oregon.

MRS. M'CURDY DIES OF HEART ATTACK

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MILL CITY, Aug. 4.—Funeral services for Mrs. George McCurdy were held at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Rev. Clyde Thomas, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Large of Eugene were in charge of the services. Burial was in Fairview cemetery.

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Kibbie Family Of Brooks Now At Hazel Green

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HAY GOOD, REPORT AT SCOTTS MILLS

SCOTTS MILLS, August 4—Quite a few farmers are busy with their hay now. The hay crop is very good this year. Many will begin cutting grain next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chapman of Oswego are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter born Tuesday morning, July 29, at the home of Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Coulson and family, Mrs. Ethel Cox, Miss Mary Meyers and Ira Brougher attended the Friends' convention at Twin Rocks the first of the week. Little Reuben Miller of Mt. Angel is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben De Jardin.

HARTONG LEADS MEET

HUBBARD, August 4—Rev. Glen Hartong, pastor of the Federated churches of Hubbard, had charge of a meeting of the young people of the church at the Methodist church building Friday evening. Plans were made for the Young People's meetings which will be organized soon.

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