

CECELIA E. WATSON DIES; WAS PIONEER

Crossed Plains in 1849 and Knew Many of Leading Oregon Citizens

Important persons and events of American history are recalled by the passing on Sunday, January 24, of Miss Cecelia Elizabeth Watson, aged 82, at the Applegate home, 1523 Chemsoketa street where she lived with her niece, Miss Lillian and Miss Pearl Applegate. There are two other nieces, Mrs. Cyrus B. Woodworth of Portland and Mrs. Halle Watson Millsap of Mill City, and four granddaughters, Miss Lillian and Miss Pearl Applegate, Miss Helen Richardson, Miss Betty Elolosen, Miss Ruth Waterman and Miss Mildred Wynkoop.

The funeral is to be Wednesday, Jan. 27, at the Rigdon parlors, Rev. D. J. Howe of the First Christian church officiating. Miss Watson was a member of that church.

Miss Watson, daughter of Sanford and Mary Elder Watson, was born in Springfield, Ill. Nov. 25, 1848, and crossed the plains to Oregon with her parents in 1849, spending her early youth on the old donation land homestead in Spring Valley, Polk county. Since 1881 her home has been in Salem. The historic Logan, Baker and Lincoln families were close friends and neighbors in Springfield, Ill. Samuel Baker, brother of Col. E. D. Baker, married Cecelia Elder, sister of Mrs. Watson, the mother of the deceased.

Miss Watson remembered well visiting in the family of Col. E. D. Baker when they lived in Salem at the old "Beehive," that stood at Capitol and Court streets where the Shell service station is now, at the time when Col. Baker was making his famous campaign in Oregon, that resulted in the first republican party victories, in 1860 and his election to the U. S. senate.

David Logan came to Oregon in the same wagon train with the Watsons. Abraham Lincoln was buried on the Watson estate in Illinois. So was the great American poet, Vachel Lindsay, who died December 5, 1931, at his home in Springfield. Vachel Lindsay, great grandfather of Vachel Lindsay, the poet, was a brother of Rachel Lindsay, great grandmother of Lillian and Pearl Applegate of Salem. Their father was Jesse A., son of Lindsay Applegate, one of the three Applegate brothers of the famous 1843 Applegate covered wagon train.

Miss Watson was the last remaining member of her family who crossed the plains in 1849. There were four children of Sanford and Mariah Watson: Virginia (Applegate), Henry Harrison Watson, father of Ralph Watson, Sanford Jr., and Cecelia E. Sanford, Jr., was for long years a prominent citizen of Salem.

EXAMINATIONS AT WILLAMETTE OPEN

Examinations for over 600 students of Willamette university were stated Monday morning at 7:45 and will continue each day until Friday noon. Chapel has been suspended during this week and the students are giving all their attention to the tests. Registration for the next semester has also started this week and must be completed by Saturday.

Already 18 applications for entrance next semester have been accepted and several more are expected to come from Salem high as soon as the mid-year semester grades are tabulated there. About half of the entering students are men, states Registrar Tennent.

No checkup has been made as to the number of students who will not return next semester, but some will be forced to drop out because of financial reasons, it is understood.

Society News and Club Affairs

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State Convention Dates Are Set For May

May 25 to 28 inclusive are the dates set for the state Federation of Women's clubs of Oregon convention to be held this year in Portland, according to the announcement made by Mrs. Charles N. Bilyeu, state president, Monday.

Mrs. W. R. Minsinger, Portland, is program chairman; Mrs. W. W. Gabriel, president of the Portland city federation, is general chairman.

From now on headquarters of the state organization will be in the Hotel Multnomah where committee meetings and meetings with the president, will be in session until the convention dates.

Mrs. Bilyeu also announces that the April number of the Oregon clubwomen will be an "all-Oregon" number and that it is hoped that all club women will see that they go to many in order to attract them to Oregon when they come to Seattle this June as delegates to the national convention which is being held there June 9-18.

A delightful party was given recently by Mrs. Louise Burgess in honor of the fourth birthday of her daughter, Rose Marie. Games were enjoyed during the afternoon, after which dainty refreshments were served. Guests bidden for Rose Marie were Clea Mae Edwards, Genevieve Adams, Jimmie Apple, Jerry Apple, Junior Hillpot, Mrs. E. Apple and small daughter, Elizabeth Ann. Mrs. Gene Kennedy and small son, Gerald, Rose Marie and Frank Burgess and the hostess, Mrs. Burgess.

A union temperance meeting was held at the Friends church in Marion Sunday. Mrs. Neelia E. Buck of Salem was speaker and a W. C. T. U. was organized. Officers elected were Mrs. Ethel Barber, president; Mrs. Cora Smith, secretary; Miss Mary Miller, treasurer. Their first meeting will be held Thursday, Feb. 4, at the home of the president.

The First Congregational church will have a pot-lock dinner at 6:30 o'clock Wednesday night at the church and at this time all members of the church and parish are urged to be present, for there will be important reports to be made from the finance and parish committees. The latter has an interesting play to submit to the meeting.

Mrs. Charles N. Bilyeu, state president of the Oregon State Federation of Women's clubs, will be a speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Newberg Civic club February 5, and will again address the Forest Grove Woman's club February 22 at which time it is observing its tree planting program in honor of the Washington bi-centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rhoten will entertain with Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Knapp for members of the Friday Dinner club at the Rhoten home this Friday night.

Penney Company Managers Claim Business Better

An optimistic note was seen in business reports at the northwest convention in Portland last week of managers of over 200 J. C. Penney stores of the northwest, J. N. Chambers, local manager, says. During the first 10 days of January the national company's sales increased 7 per cent over those of the same period in 1931.

Attending the convention, in addition to managers from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana, were E. C. Sams, national president; Lou V. Day, first vice-president, in charge of personnel, and W. A. Reynolds, second vice-president, in charge of sales.

Hollywood — Members of the "Same Over Here" club held their regular meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fisher. Honor awards were retained by O. A. Forgard and Mrs. J. J. Kleeman. Consolation awards went to J. J. Kleeman and Mrs. Forgard.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Forgard, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kleeman, Mrs. C. S. Thomas, Miss Florence Kleeman, and Earl Thomas.

Mrs. George Moorhead entertained for members of her bridge club at her home Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Max Rogers will be hostess in three weeks.

Miss Ruth Marr to Wed Wednesday

Miss Ruth Marr will leave Wednesday in company of Miss Mabel Porter and Paul Fibby, for Medford where she will meet Edison Burgess. Wednesday evening Miss Marr will become the bride of Mr. Burgess.

Friday the four young people will return to Salem, where the newlywed couple will make their home at 885 Saginaw street. Several pre-nuptial parties have been given for Miss Marr and there are several that are planned for her following her marriage.

Aumsville — Mrs. Kittle Towle entertained members of the Aumsville Women's club at her

country home north of town Thursday afternoon. Time was spent in embroidering flower quilt blocks and conversation. A short business meeting was held.

Mrs. Beas Ransom and Mrs. Gladys Claxton assisted Mrs. Towle during the luncheon hour. Mrs. Neal Wolf was a special guest for the afternoon. Club members present were Mrs. Kittle Towle, Mrs. Irma Speer, Mrs. Beas Ransom, Mrs. Ursula Pierce, Mrs. T. C. Mountain, Mrs. Jennie McClellan, Mrs. Margaret Martin, Mrs. Millie Martin, Mrs. Mary Higberger and small daughter, Virgear, Mrs. Mary Helm, Mrs. Little Fusom and grandson Doyle, and Mrs. Gladys Claxton.

Word has come from Dr. and Mrs. R. E. A. Pomeroy that the lace Brown.

doctor has been commissioned lieutenant-commander in the navy. He previously held the commission of lieutenant. Dr. and Mrs. Pomeroy, nee Leone Griffin, are stationed at Portsmouth, Va. He is the son of C. T. Pomeroy.

Tea is Brilliant Affair

The Encinitis club was a charming tea hostess to members of the women's service clubs of Salem and to members of the Y. W. C. A. executive staff members at the home of Mrs. C. S. Hamilton Sunday afternoon.

Green and silver, Encinitis club colors, were used effectively through such attractive mediums as green tapers, silver candle sticks, and a large centerpiece on the tea table made up in exquisite spring flowers in which was used soft pastel shades to harmonize with the silver and green color scheme.

Soft lights from many floor lamps and lighted candles gave an added beauty to the guest rooms. Miss Mildred Judson received and Miss Alice Falk introduced to the line, in which stood Miss Gertrude Chamberlain, Mrs. Helen Hamilton, Miss Bessie Tucker, Miss Anna Welch and Miss Lulu East-ridge.

were Mrs. Elizabeth Marcus, Mrs. William McGilchrist, Jr., Mrs. Herbert Harland and Mrs. L. O. Clement.

Assisting about the rooms were Mrs. C. S. Hamilton, Dr. Mary Purvine, Miss Hazel Cook, Miss Irene deListe, Miss Dorothy Franks, Miss Mabel Currie, Miss Betty Elolosen, Miss Ruth Waterman and Miss Mildred Wynkoop. Assisting in serving were Miss Jane Harland, Miss Muriel Rowe, Miss Marie Eggstaff, Miss Marguerite Farmer, Miss Anna Peters, Miss Helen Richardson, Miss Esther Hilmer, Miss Esther Richey and Miss Ruth Stover. Musical numbers were given by Katherine Scharf, Helen Purvine, Margaret Purvine, Gwenn Gallahee and Marie Lippard.

Solo — The Bridge club was entertained with a 1 o'clock luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. F. H. MacDonald. Daffodils and roses were used about the rooms. High score went to Mrs. Percy Shunk and second to Mrs. Esther Holland.

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