

### LIVELY MEETING IS ENJOYED, CHAMBER

Woman Presides; Speaker's Topic "Selling Oregon to Ourselves"

SILVERTON, Dec. 20. — Silvertown chamber of commerce members had the unique experience of being directed by a woman Wednesday night at the December meeting, when their president, W. P. Scarth, could not appear, and Mrs. J. Calvin Schlador, vice-president, was in the chair. Mrs. Schlador, following the close of the meeting, received a great many compliments upon the enthusiastic manner in which the meeting was carried on.

A large group of visitors and members were out and a splendid program under the direction of Guy DeLay, member of the program committee, was also enjoyed. Several groups of numbers were given by a quartet from the Grieg Monitor chorus composed of Ted Rostvold, Perry Larson, Ralph Rogan and Chester Berg. Anna Dreier, local talented musician, gave a group of her own compositions, playing her own accompaniment.

Guy Rogers, representative from the Oregon Manufacturers' association, was the guest speaker, having for his subject, "Let's Sell Oregon to Ourselves." Mr. Rogers gave a resume of the history of the Oregon Manufacturers' association and the work it has done in boosting Oregon products. He criticized those who claimed that "Oregon was dead and asleep." He was of the opinion that Oregon had done more with itself in its 52 years than any other state in the union.

Mr. Rogers also spoke of the cheap power that Bonneville would later furnish and of what this would do for Oregon in the way of bringing industries here. He urged purchasers to patronize home industries, to ask their merchants, when purchasing articles, if they were made in Oregon and then, if quality and price were equal, to purchase the Oregon-made goods in preference to those made elsewhere. He didn't want, he continued, to shut out products from other states, citrus fruits, and all other products which can not be produced in

### 31st Anniversary of Air Flight Recalls Memories Of Wright Boys' Father

By MRS. G. F. KORINEK STAYTON, Dec. 20.—The 31st birthday of the flight of heavier than air machine, Monday, no doubt brought to the minds of Wright old timers in this section, the thought that it was the father of the famous Wright brothers, inventor of the first flying machine, who was the first president of the old Sublimity college.

That was in 1857. J. B. Grier, who has been justice of the peace here for more than 25 years, attended this old college; Tom H. Crawford, father of Henry Crawford of Salem, ran the college for a time. Mrs. Sarah Davis, who died last week, was also a student there. W. H. Hobson, deceased, was another of the students.

It is a little known fact, that Sublimity is one of the oldest towns in Oregon. There was a postoffice there in the early 50's, mail coming by pony express from Oregon City. Prof. William Wright was about 29 or 30 years of age when the college was organized. He had been sent west as a United Brethren missionary in 1856. He not only served as president of the Sublimity college, but as a minister of that faith at Sublimity. Later he went east and became a professor of theology at Hartsville college and still later became a bishop in the United Brethren church. He is said to have been a very capable and likeable man, not only popular with the prunes and Yamhill walnuts of the community. For many years after leaving Oregon, he lived at Dayton, Ohio, and it was here that his sons, Orville and Gilbur invented the first successful "flying machine."

The college at Sublimity, while not the largest in the state, was well and favorably known. It was situated on the property where the Catholic church and school now are. There were six or more

Oregon, should come in by the carload, said Mr. Rogers, but these cars should be loaded with Silvertown strawberries, Oregon prunes and Yamhill walnuts when they returned from Oregon.

At the business meeting which preceded the program Wednesday night, the report was made that the membership fee was reduced to \$5 and that rural memberships could be had for \$1. It was also announced that several excellent speakers had been secured for the next three months of the chamber of commerce.

### VETERAN OF INDIAN SKIRMISHES CALLED

WOODBURN, Dec. 20.—Robert A. Masterson, 83, died at his home mile southeast of Woodburn, about 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. He was born in Missouri in 1851 and lived near Woodburn the past six years. He served in the Indian wars of Walla Walla county in 1877-78 under General Booth and later acted as scout in an expedition under Captain John Cullen.

He is survived by his widow, Maria Masterson, two sons, Jesse of Joseph, Oregon, and Earl of Woodburn; three daughters, Mrs. Edna Ritch of Baker, Mrs. Lillie Gillette of Halfway and Mrs. Sadie Gordon of Richland; three brothers, William of Hillsboro, Ed of Baker and Calvin of Rupert, Idaho; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Dunn of Eugene, Mrs. Eliza Helm of Athena and Mrs. Betty Parsons of Walla Walla.

Funeral arrangements will be announced later from the Ringo chapel.

### ROY MARTIN FOUND DEAD AT HIS HOME

DAYTON, Dec. 20.—Roy Martin, 58, was found dead at his home in the Lafayette district Wednesday morning. The body, clutched a broom, was discovered by Charles Hamilton, who

had been living with Martin. The county coroner held death was due to natural causes.

Martin, a native of Dayton, was a retired Portland contractor. His grandfather, General Joe Palmer, donated the site of Dayton.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 10:30 a. m., at the Macy chapel in McMinnville. Martin was to have been one of the state's witnesses in the Lafayette riot case, to come up for trial January 28.

### CHILDREN HONORED AT HOLIDAY PARTY

JEFFERSON, Dec. 20.—Mrs. J. M. Hill, Mrs. Ernest Powell, Mrs. Robert Terhune, Mrs. Leta Thomas and Mrs. M. A. Hutchings, teachers in the Christian Sunday school, entertained pupils in their classes with a

Christmas party in the church parlors Saturday afternoon.

Jackie Grenz, small son of Mr. and Mrs. William Grenz of Scovelville district, injured his right hand recently, when a piece of timber rolled on his hand and crushed it. An x-ray showed a broken bone.

Mrs. Sallie G. Tandy will arrive in Jefferson Sunday night from Louisville, Ky., and will make her home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hutchings. Mrs. Tandy is a former resident.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rowe are the parents of a 7 1/2 pound daughter born December 15, at their home. The baby has six sisters and one brother.

MAY LOCATE HERE BETHEL, Dec. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. George Sundie and son Alden, of Morehead, Minn., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bucurencu. They will spend the winter with relatives in and around Salem and may locate here. The women are sisters.

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