

Valued Farm Tracts Must Be Split Up

MONMOUTH — Mr. and Mrs. Mark R. Walton of Live Oak, Calif., visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sacre. The women are sisters. The Waltons were returning south from Grand Coulee area where they own about 1,000 acres of farming land purchased many years ago for \$11 per acre. The land is now in line for water rights from the big reservoir, and it has all been found to be high test soil. Because of certain water right restrictions and limitations, no one owner is permitted to retain such large land holdings, but can give it, in allotted amounts, to his immediate relatives or sell it for less money than Walton paid.

Members of Monmouth's I.O.-O.F. have elected Gordon Nelson noble grand; Melvin Elkins, vice grand; Arthur Stump, treasurer; Everett Evans, secretary; Gene Grice, financial secretary. All of homecoming will be held December 16. Officers of this lodge plan to attend a mass installation of Willamette valley officers in McArthur court, Eugene, in January, when grand officers of the state organization will preside.

Guest Speaker
The Rev. Earl Cochran of McMinville will be guest speaker at morning and evening services Sunday of the Monmouth Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Penn and family who formerly resided here, have come from Springfield, Ill., to attend to business interests. The Penns, who left Monmouth to seek specialized medical care for their young son, report that he is now improved.

Mrs. Hattie Winegar entertained at her home here for Mr. and Mrs. Clair Winegar and family of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Harding and children of Corvallis, Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Cody and sons of Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winegar and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Winegar and children of Monmouth.

Entertains Sons
Mrs. L. E. Forbes entertained her sons, Dean and Lucius, from the University of Oregon, at Thanksgiving vacation.

Local folk who enjoyed a Thanksgiving dinner at the coast were U. G. Heffly and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riley. Joining them were Miss Jo and Miss Florence Heffly, Portland teachers, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. De Boer of Salem, all going to Nelscott to be guests of Mrs. Miles Hendricks and her daughter, Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Russell and Miss Blanche Russell were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yung and family in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Craven spent Thanksgiving day with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beach in Salem. Other guests included Elmer Beach and Mrs. Addie Beach of Longview, Wash., and Mrs. George Wallace and daughter, Sidney June, of Salem.

Thanksgiving Hosts
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Price were Thanksgiving day hosts for Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Huber, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Wallace and son, all of Monmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hill and David of Salem.

Mrs. R. E. Emerson joined a party of family members Thanksgiving day in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson entertained for members of the Nelson family from Albany and Eugene, Thanksgiving night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sacre and granddaughter, Junia, spent the Thanksgiving weekend at Reedsport with their daughter and son-in-law and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Stone and children are here from Montana, where the Stones are teaching, as guests of her father, L. A. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Elliott and Betty Lou spent Thanksgiving with their son, Warren Elliott, and family at Vancouver, Wash. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reynolds of Grass Valley, and Gene Reynolds who is attending Oregon State college.

Turkey Dinner Enjoyed
Monmouth grange members enjoyed a turkey dinner at the

grange hall Thanksgiving day, with about 20 present.

Mrs. Reubena Aynes and daughters were Thanksgiving day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Skeen at Lebanon.

Mrs. Ethel Moreland entertained during the weekend for her son, Herbert, who is employed at Bremerton, Wash.

A son, Chris Wayne, weighing 8 pounds and 14 ounces, was born Nov. 22 at Corvallis General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Anthol Riney, their first child. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John B. Riney, Monmouth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Christensen of Warrenton.

Mrs. Lester Colgan, Monmouth seal sale chairman, has mailed letters containing seals to all local residents. Mrs. Colgan succeeded Miss Clara Trotter, chairman for the last two years.

Valley Obituaries

STAYTON — Funeral services were held Monday morning at the Keeney Funeral home in Corvallis for Mrs. D. M. John, formerly of Stayton, who died Friday, November 22, at Oakland, Calif. Born in Paducah, Ky., May 28, 1868 as Nora Lee Lengston, she grew to womanhood in Harwood, Mo. In 1890 she was married to Davis Morris John who died in Corvallis in 1931.

She was a member of the Methodist church and had been affiliated with the Nakama club. She is survived by a son, Dave Morris John; a daughter, Mrs. H. Gilman Smith; and a grandson, Lawrence Langston John, all of Oakland, Calif. She also leaves a sister, Mrs. Lucy Hannaman, of Butte, Mont., and a brother, Charles Langston, Joplin, Mo.

Dr. Daniel W. Stevens of the Methodist church officiated at the funeral service. Interment was in Masonic cemetery at Albany, beside the grave of her husband.

ATTEND MEETING

STAYTON — L. E. Spraker, director, Lindsay H. Wright, alternate, and Harry J. Rowe attended the board of directors' meeting of Cascade Highway association in Brownsville Monday. The January meeting will be held in Stayton and members of county courts are invited.



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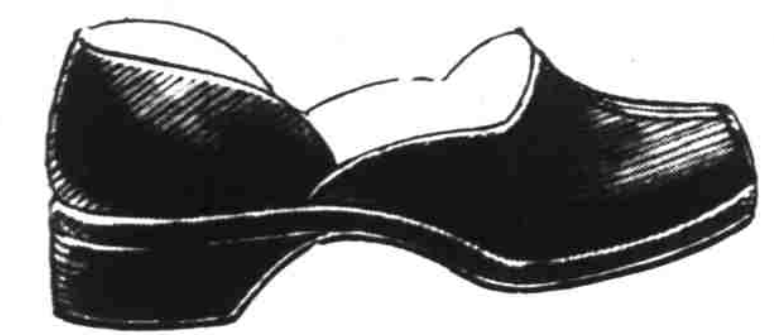
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