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# NEWS FROM NEARBY VALLEY POINTS

By Capital Journal's Special Correspondents

## WOODBURN CLUB FARM INSTITUTE PLANS COMPLETE

Woodburn, Nov. 21.—The Woodburn Community club met Wednesday evening, the 19th. The usual banquet was held at the new eating place just opened by Mrs. Jack Clark. It was a real "feed."

The annual election of officers was held and resulted in the election of president, Jno. Hunt; vice president, Ivan Beers; secretary-treasurer, A. J. Beck; directors, R. A. Glatt, E. J. Allen.

About \$100 surplus from the chautauqua was set aside for some special community work. Eugene Courtney, chairman of the committee in charge of the farmers' institute, reported arrangements completed. The program as planned is:

Thursday, Dec. 11.—Poultry and dairying, 10 to 11 a. m., H. E. Croebly, poultry specialist on breeding for egg production; 11 to 12 a. m., Prof. P. M. Brandt, feeding and management of the dairy herd; 1:30 to 2:30 p. m., Fred Cochell, field man for veterans' bureau on cost of raising poultry; 2:30 to 4 p. m., Prof. P. M. Brandt, "Dairying and Its Place in Oregon Agricultural Home Economics Division;" 2 to 3 p. m., upstairs, Mrs. Jessie D. McComb, state leader of home demonstration agents, on "Tons of Effort;" 3 to 4 p. m., upstairs, Miss Lucy A. Case, nutrition specialist on foods for health.

Friday, Dec. 12.—Horticulture, canning and vegetable growing, 10 to 11 a. m., C. L. Long on "Economics of Small Industry;" 11 to 12 a. m., Prof. A. G. Bouquet on variety choosing and seed strains and profitable farm vegetable gardens; 1 to 2 p. m., C. L. Long on small fruit cultural practices; 2 to 3 p. m., Prof. E. H. Wiegand on canning fruits and vegetables; 3 to 4 p. m., A. G. Bouquet on a program of planting vegetables; home economics division, 1 to 2:30 p. m., Miss Lucy A. Case on "Faith, Hope and Charity in Foods;" 2:30 to 4 p. m., Mrs. Jessie D. McComb on "Come Out of the Kitchen."

Saturday, Dec. 13.—Farm crops and soils, 10 to 11 a. m., Prof. G. R. Hyslop on "Growing Alfalfa;" 11 to 12 a. m., C. E. Price, soils specialist, on "Drainage, Costs and Benefits;" 1 to 2 p. m., Paul V. Maris, extension director, on "Marion County Agriculture;" 2 to 3 p. m., Prof. G. R. Hyslop on "Growing Potatoes or Clover and the Place on Marion County Farms;" 3 to 4 p. m., C. E. Price on "Save Your Soil Fertility."

The W. H. M. of the M. E. church met at the home of the president, Mrs. W. D. Simmons, on Thursday afternoon, the 20th. There was a good attendance and much interest was shown. After the devotional opening the president called for the reports of the officers and arrangements were made for the annual thank-offering service.

Mrs. E. N. Hall gave the lesson from the regular study course. Miss Julia Bell Austin played and sang a musical version of the 23d psalm. The hostess treated the members and visitors to a most appetizing luncheon, during which a social chat was enjoyed.

Dr. and Mrs. Camar K. Wolf entertained Wednesday with a 500 party. The guests played in rooms beautifully decorated with autumn flowers and at a late hour were treated to a delectable luncheon by the hostess, with the assistance of Meodanus Emmott, Settlement, Poorman and Beckman.

Those present were: Major and Mrs. F. W. Settlement, Mr. and Mrs. L. Blinney, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Emmott, Colonel and Mrs. J. M. Poorman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott, Dr. and Mrs. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller, Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hayman, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Heckman of Hubbard.

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## SILVERTON HIGH MAKES READY TO PLAY WOODBURN

Silverton, Nov. 21.—Live wires are dead compared to the life and high excitement among the Silverton high school students and their supporters this week in preparation for the annual football clash with their old enemy from Woodburn. Assembly each morning has been given over to pep rally and special features. Monday morning singing and yells were held; Tuesday morning the faculty gave an amusing debate on the important question of whether Silverton would out do Woodburn in noise at the coming game. Wednesday the football boys put on a skit supposed to represent an old maid's convention of which Dwight Kleber was chairman. Ronald Hubbs as Miss Perkins gave his reasons for "Hating Men." Milton Bristol, as Miss Sara Toga Chijs spoke on the question "What is the World Coming to?" Paul Blazer as Miss Eliza Jane gave the "Evils of Bobbed Hair." Thursday morning assembly was devoted to singing and high school yells. Thursday noon the student body financed a luncheon at the Cozy for the football boys.

Lions Banquet Wives Fifty Lions from Silverton and Salem attended the "Ladies' Night" banquet at the Cozy Wednesday night for which the Silverton club members were hosts. Rev. Martin Pereshottin, who had for his subject "Stepping from the Fifth to the Twentieth Century," was the speaker of the evening. Other members of the special program consisted of a vocal duet by Marie Corhouse and Tom Kaarhuus, accompanied by Mrs. A. O. Nelson; violin solo by Miss Bettie Sidall, vocal solo by Corporal Nowall Williams, accompanied by Bettie Bedford; violin solo by Francis Coberly, accompanied by Francis Dickerson; remarks by Frank Neer, president of the Salem Lions club.

Veterans to Initiate 25 Johnnie Walker, state commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the VFW drill team of Portland, will be in Salem Saturday night for the ceremonial of the local organization at the IOOF hall here. At this ceremonial a class of nearly 75 will be received into the local unit. Nearly 100 of the Portland veterans are expected to be present. At the same meeting 14 charter members of the VFW auxiliary will be initiated into the order by a drill team led by Mrs. W. H. Walker.

Entertainment following the ceremonials and refreshments also occupy a place on the program. POLK TEACHERS TO MEET Dallas, Or., Nov. 21.—The first local institute of the year will be held in the junior high school building in Dallas on December 2, according to Josiah Wills, county school superintendent. It is expected that practically every teacher in the county will be present. Three such institutes will be held during the school year.

SPEEDER FINED AT DALLAS Dallas, Or., Nov. 21.—A Hansen, a Portland telephone man, was fined \$15 this week by Justice of the Peace Coad on a charge of speeding. Hansen was apprehended by Traffic Officer Nichols of the state department who said he was make 40 miles an hour over a distance of four miles.

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## HEIRESS TO HUNT AFRICAN LIONS.



Miss Margaret "Peggy" Thayer, daughter of a vice-president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and socially prominent in Philadelphia, has sailed for Mombasa, British East Africa, to hunt lions, tigers and other big game through the forests in which Colonel Theodore Roosevelt hunted. Roosevelt's guide, Tarleton, will act in the same capacity for Miss Thayer. Her trophies are to be presented to the Academy of Natural Science in Philadelphia.

POOR FARM MANAGER QUILTS AFTER 27 YEARS Dallas, Or., Nov. 21.—After 27 years of faithful service, C. E. Huntley is preparing to resign charge of the Polk county poor farm and will go to Corvallis to reside temporarily and take a well earned rest. During his 27 years of service Mr. Huntley has cared for 64 old people—three women and 61 men. Of this number he has found homes for 21 among relatives and children and figures that it has meant a saving of \$22,800 to the county. During his term of service he has received \$23,300 from the county for the care of the poor. He figures he has saved another \$1000 by doing the barber work during the entire 27 years.

Mr. Huntley has lived 45 years in Polk county and will retain his farm here with the expectation of returning to make it his home. He writes that after all these years of service he feels that he is entitled to a rest and is going to sit by his fire-side and read the papers and that his friends will always find the interesting out.



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## BROOKS

Brooks, Or., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Mary Martin, who has been visiting with relatives at Tillamook for some time, has returned to her home in Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Horn of Portland were week-end guests at the home of E. Harris here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Copeland and little daughter left by auto last Thursday to make their home in Marshfield. Mr. Copeland will work at the carpenter trade with his father, who located in Marshfield last spring.

Mrs. J. B. Pershweiler of St. Paul was happily surprised last Sunday when her children and grandchildren gathered at her home to celebrate her 72nd birthday. There were quite a company of them as there are four sons and five daughters with their families. The dinner table was loaded with a bounteous dinner and in the center was the large birthday cake with 72 candles on it. Mrs. Robert Munson of Brooks is one of the daughters.

H. O. Hansen of Los Angeles has purchased the corner fronting on the Pacific highway of Robert Munson and is erecting a good-sized store building and will put in a good grocery store and filling station and will build a dwelling, a garage and fix up an auto park for spring. Mr. Hansen appears to be a very fine gentleman and we believe he will do a good business.

Lee Smith of Dallas was a pleasant caller at the Gilbert home Thursday.

Louis Miesler of Salem was in Brooks, Thursday morning, on business. Mrs. Ashbaugh has a lame wrist from an auto accident when a Pickwick stage drove on the wrong side of the road and hit her car as she was turning north onto the highway at the Brooks intersection. There will certainly have to be something done about drivers not slowing down for the crossing. There are signs up on both sides of the crossing and they pay no attention to them. There is no more important crossing on the white highway than the Brooks crossing. There are often five carloads of celery a day and eight to ten carloads of onions loaded at the Southern Pacific station and it all have to cross the highway.

Babe Lewis and family of Mill City visited his parents here last Sunday.

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## Lyons News

Lyons, Nov. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vaughn and little daughter have returned home from Klamath Falls.

L. O. Waterman of Salem was doing carpenter work on his farm in Lyons last week. A very pleasant time was reported by those who attended the reception party given in honor of Earl Allen and his bride at the Allen home last Saturday evening. Earl Allen and Miss Bertha Bassetie were married in Salem last Wednesday.

Grandma Shelton is reported as on the sick list. Mrs. Caddie Marten returned home after spending some time with her son in Salem. Mrs. Alta Bodiker carried the route mail during Mr. Allen's absence.

Geo. Balsiger was a business caller in Portland last week. The "Community Sing" was held at the S. B. Brown home last Thursday evening with about twenty five present.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Monroe have returned home from Mill City. Their daughter, Mrs. Phil Brandt, who underwent an operation last Monday is reported as much improved.

## Fairfield News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sego of Arlington spent last week with Mrs. Sego's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Marthaler.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. DuRette are quite ill with influenza. Frank Parker who has been employed at Keasy Milling company is spending a two weeks vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Stewart and little son were week end visitors at the DuRette ranch. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mahoney, Kenneth and Miss Celestine of Portland were visiting with the Mahoney families in this section Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cutsforth were guests at John Imiah's Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Mabel Colver and little son of Mill City who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Du Rette the past month spent last week with Mrs. Dittmar. There will be a program and has let social given at the Mahoney school November 26 at 8 o'clock. John Imiah and son, Richard, are building a new launch 24 feet long and 6 feet beam, with cabin,

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