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News from Nearby Valley Points

By Capital Journal's Special Correspondents

TWENTY HOUSES TO BE BUILT IN NEW ADDITION

Application for the addition of a new tract to the city of Salem will be made by John Williamson, who will plat the nine acres known as the Emmons place, near the intersection of Capitol street and Fairgrounds road. Nearly 20 modern homes, costing from \$2000 to \$4500 will be erected by Mr. Williamson this summer on the property.

A new street will be cut through the plot of land, from Fairgrounds road to Highland avenue, intersecting Myrtle street.

This addition will make a total of 153 additions to the city of Salem since the Salem addition in 1850, beginning with the North Salem addition in 1850. The J. M. McClain addition, in 1857, was next. Four additions were made in 1865, two in 1866, 1868 and 1869. In 1870 one one addition was made to the city.

The banner year of additions to Salem was 1889, when 25 plots of ground were dedicated to this purpose. The next two years, with 18 additions each, are the next highest years. Eleven were made in 1892, four in 1893, and then a clear jump to 1903 when the Mia-adition was dedicated, with the exception of the postoffice block, which was added in 1899.

Additions took a jump again in 1909, with 45 for that year, 12 for 1910, five for 1911, 14 for 1912 and 11 for 1913. Four additions were made to the city last year and four in 1923.

Confesses Poisoning Eleven



ALSA THOMPSON

Authorities are investigating the strange story of Alsa Thompson, seven-year-old Los Angeles girl, who confessed to the poisoning of eight persons and the killing of three others. Her twin sisters were victims of the alleged poisoning. She said she killed them because "she liked to see them die."

\$21,000 SALE DALLAS REALTY

Dallas, Or., Feb. 14.—Two trades of some size were announced this week by McBee & Burk, Dallas real estate firm. The largest, involving about \$21,000, was between William Miller of Dallas and Sam Burk in which Mr. Miller is trading a Tillamook dairy ranch for 11 acres of cherries and prunes adjoining Dallas. The other involves a rooming house and residence in Dallas, owned by Lot Brown and a 100-acre Yamhill county farm owned by Joe Stowe of McMinnville.

Morris Hughes, who lives about 3 miles southwest of Dallas, disposed of two pruned tracts totalling about 30 acres to a Portland man. The total consideration was about \$10,000.

FOUR MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dallas, Or., Feb. 14.—Four marriage licenses were issued the past week by County Clerk Hugh G. Black. They were to Arlington Ernest Broadwell, 25, Amity, and Ida Ruth White, 22, McCoy; Albert B. Dilley and Ida M. Manson, both of Dallas; Lyall Keith, 21, Willamina, and Wilma Pearl Turridge, 17, Willamina; Claude See, 21, Falls City, and Nina Westbrook, 16.

DALLAS GROCERY STORE SOLD

The People's Cash store, a grocery store operated by L. Judkins of Dallas, was purchased Thursday by Floyd E. Miller of McMinnville. Mr. Miller is a son of LeRoy A. Miller of McMinnville, Mason, Ehrman & company representative in the valley counties.

Tillamook Bay Annotated

Washington, Feb. 14.—The senate commerce department Friday approved these projects: Oakland harbor, California; Tillamook bay entrance, Oregon, and Wrangell narrows, Alaska.

er, Mrs. D. K. Engelhorn

Quite a few attended the home talent play at Eola on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wurm

and daughter were Sunday dinner guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. William McCollum, of Salem.

Mrs. Frohmader and Miss Bohannon

of Salem Heights visited last week with their old neighbor, Mrs. Ralph Sebern. Mrs. Sebern, who has been ailing, is convalescing nicely.

The Epworth league of the Thomas Burgess Memorial church

will give a musicale in the basement of the church on Friday evening, February 20.

Mrs. Miles of Lacombe, Or., is sojourning

with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur was a Portland business visitor last week.

Anna Engelhorn of Portland

spent the week-end with her mother.

TURNER NEWS

Turner, Or., Feb. 14.—Dr. J. L. Work, who is practicing in Tillamook county, was a visitor in Turner last week, calling on E. Prater and family and evidently looking over the community as a location.

Spring is not quite here yet but wallpaper flowers are already out according to our local druggist.

Judge R. W. Marsters and Attorney Carl Pope were in Turner on legal business Saturday.

Mrs. Frances Dezell was taken seriously sick last Tuesday and by Thursday it was pronounced pneumonia, but good work by the doctor waylaid the fever and saved an operation. A few days more will complete the attack and all will be well.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Miller and Miss Lucile Ritches were Salem visitors Tuesday.

C. Zimmerman and Martin F. Flet from road district No. 45 were in Turner on business Tuesday.

Meadames E. C. Baker, J. F. Lyle and Fred Mitchell were Salem visitors Thursday night.

Allen Hunt of St. Louis, Mo., visited with F. P. Rowley, Sunday night.

Ralph (Soggy) Hussey was seen on the streets of Turner, Tuesday, after an absence of a few weeks.

F. P. Rowley, editor of the Turner Tribune, was an Amity visitor Sunday, stopping in Salem in the evening to attend services at the armory, where the Rev. Peterson is preaching on the prophecies of the Bible. Rev. Peterson is a clear, plain and convincing speaker.

Dr. J. W. Ransom left Sunday for Sheburn to see his son, Harvey, who is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Smith spent a few days last week visiting friends in Salem.

What might have been a serious accident took place on the Salem road near the tuberculosis hospital Monday when a large oil truck belonging to the Associated Oil company left the pavement and skidded into the ditch. It took the assistance of two large trucks to get the oil truck back into the road. Outside of slight interruption to traffic no serious troubles resulted.

White in the Bones Bros. garage Saturday night, the writer picked up a musical number that was relayed through station CFON Calgary, Canada, from New Zealand, 7000 miles.

The cool weather of the past few days brought the snow down into the hills again and gave us some cooler weather.

Next Friday night, February 20, Charles Heble and his Cherry Bud band will give a concert at the auditorium of the high school.

Archie Long and brother-in-law of Cloverdale, Tillamook county, called on friends in Turner, Tuesday, on his way home from Seio, where he purchased a carload of cows which he shipped to Cloverdale.

Dr. W. A. Paist of Portland was in Turner, Tuesday, looking

the place over with a view to locating.
J. F. Thomason had the misfortune last week to fall and injure his shoulder quite severely. Ed Alexander is doing his chores for him.
J. E. Barber was a Salem visitor Tuesday night.
A. L. Bones was a Portland visitor one day this week.

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STAYTON NEWS

Stayton, Or., Feb. 14.—The Santiam woolen mills of this city is fast becoming noted and the products are receiving well deserved attention. With its entry into the women's and children's cloak manufacture it will be the only firm on the Pacific coast that will work its product from the raw wool on the sheep's back to the finished apparel for women and children. The line in known as the "Dolly Varden" brand. It was in November, 1924, that the firm first commenced to manufacture garments. The new Santiam lines of "Dolly Varden" have made their appearance here the last day or two, several different models being on display at the A. P. Spear & company store here and in the show room at the mill. They are the last word in snappy style and tailoring. The retail show room is at 105 Union avenue.

W. W. Elder of this city, and a veteran of the Civil war, is quite familiar with the country about Cave City, Kentucky, where the young man named Collins has been entombed in a cave for the past week or more. Mr. Elder said that while his company was about to embark on a tow at this place they were attacked by the Confederates and he was hit in the foot by a bullet which helped to remind him of this section of the country.

An enjoyable 500 party was held at the William Cladek home on Wednesday evening. The affair was in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. H. A. Beauchamp and Mrs. Grant Murphy and was planned as a surprise for them by the hostesses, Mrs. Cladek and Mrs. Frank Stupka. Festoons of red, tiny red hearts and Valentines were effectively used about the rooms. Cuddling Valentines were used as placecards and a huge bowl of violets centered the table. There was a handsome birthday cake for each honor guest. After the excellent repast all gathered about the piano and sang until a late hour. Those enjoying the evening were: Dr. and Mrs. Beauchamp, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loose, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tate, Dr. and Mrs. F. Korinek, Mrs. Mattie Ficklin, Guy Sloper, Mr. and Mrs. Stupka and Mr. and Mrs. Cladek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mielke and daughter, Miss Cecelia, left Wednesday for southern California. They planned to visit Wednesday with their son, James, at the Oregon Agricultural college, Thursday they were to visit with friends at Eugene, later going on to Ashland, where they would spend the week-end with Miss Minto Foley and her mother. The Mielkes plan to look up the various Stayton people who are in California and will no doubt have a most enjoyable trip. Mrs. Mattie Bruce is staying with Misses Helen and Isabel Mielke, who remained at home to continue their school work.

G. L. Brown has gone to Klamath Falls, where he will manage a stinger mill. Mrs. Brown and sons will probably join him there at the close of school.

There was a good attendance at the regular parent-teacher meeting. The chief attraction was the band from the boys' training school, which was warmly received.

C. H. Baldwin and family expect to leave soon to make their home at Grants Pass, where Mr. Baldwin will have charge of a clothing store. He was formerly in this business in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Alexander went down to Portland, Friday, for a few days' visit with their daughters, Mrs. Oscar Haggen and Mrs. Frances Pary.

E. W. Swallow is now employed at the Kay wooden mills in Salem. He goes to work each day from here in his car.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kirsch are the parents of a son, Miss Agnes Kirsch, a nurse from Astoria, is assisting in the care of mother and

hand badly cut on a barbed wire fence and was threatened with blood poison, is still under the doctor's care but getting along as well as can be expected.

Bertha Engelhorn of Monmouth normal spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Engelhorn.

The parent-teacher's association of the Popcorn school will give a play entitled "Always in Trouble" at the Weta Salem Methodist church Tuesday evening, February 17. Parts of the proceeds for the new church fund.

Mrs. Buchein of Amity was a recent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson.

Mr. Simpson has moved from the Leach property on Franklin line party Friday night.

Fred Rock has been quite seriously ill.

Mrs. J. W. Mayo returned Wednesday from Portland, where she has been under the care of a specialist.

Mrs. E. D. Crabtree entertained with a dinner party Thursday in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mrs. Emma Sloper is in Salem at the Jim Thomas home assisting in the care of her sister, Mrs. Thomas, and her new baby.

The regular meeting of the Women's Community club will be held on Tuesday, the 17th, at Forester hall.

V. Dare Sloper was among the Staytonites who took in the auto show in Portland.

Stayton friends of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Murphy of Albany will be interested in knowing they are the parents of a little daughter who has been named Patricia Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan went down to Portland, Friday, to bring back some new Chevrolet cars. Oliver Baker and family are now residents of Portland. Baker & Ryan are the local Buick and Chevrolet dealers.

Samuel Aplet, an aged resident of Stayton, who has been ill for several months, is in a critical condition. His wife is also ill and they have an invalid son in the home. Friends and neighbors are assisting Ray Aplet and wife in the care of the unfortunate family.

Algie Murphy has greatly improved the appearance of his home by the addition of a fireplace on the west side. An attractive new French door and entrance has also been added on the south side.

Lester McDonald of Silverton has purchased the flatta pool hall and he and his family now occupy the Elder house on Third street.

Lester Smith is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith. This is the first time in a good many years he has been able to spend much time with home folks as he has been in business at Cosmopolis, Wash. He recently sold his drug store there.

A very bad accident happened to the little son of Rev. and Mrs. Hay. He was playing with other children when one of them flipped a nail file and it struck the little fellow in the eye. It is feared that he will lose the sight of this eye. It is indeed unfortunate.

West Salem

West Salem, Or., Feb. 14.—A very merry time was enjoyed by the young folks of the town on Friday evening in the basement of the new church when a large number turned out to give a surprise party in honor of Roy Morris. The time was very quickly passed away with music and games. And at an early hour refreshments were served.

Mrs. Marrow of Dundee was a dinner guest at the W. W. Meaus home Friday.

J. J. Arnold, who has been quite ill with la grippe, is getting better.

Roy Morris, son of Captain Morris and wife of Salem, formerly of Kinross, who has been in the navy for over a year, is enjoying a furlough with his parents.

Mr. Sherman has gone back to his work at Washington after a few days' visit at his home in Kingwood.

Vance Richardson, who had his

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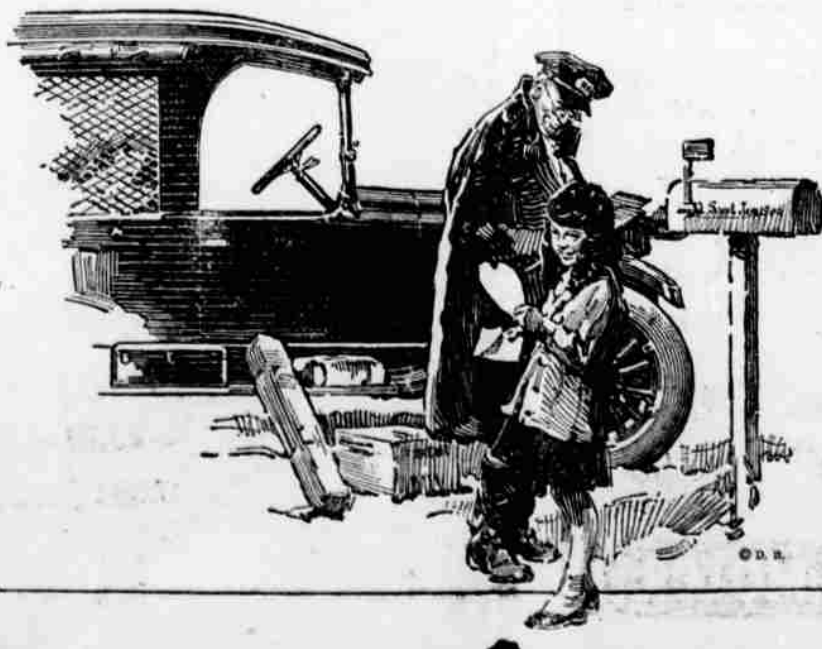
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