

From the Richest and
Best Part of the StateCOUNTY FAIR
OPENS AT DALLAS
ON SEPTEMBER 10

Dallas, Or., Sept. 4.—The 1925 Polk county fair opens Thursday, September 10, at 7:30 p. m. The fair is the best showing of agricultural products ever displayed in the county. This feature will be especially representative of the various districts of the county as all communities will enter community exhibits.

The members of boys and girls clubs of the county will also feature a strong exhibit. For the County School Superintendent Wills estimates that 150 members throughout the county will show their calves, sheep, hogs, garden products, poultry, or sewing at the fair.

The fair this year is operating with a free gate, making no charge for admission to the grounds or exhibition. It opens Thursday, September 10, and runs Friday and Saturday. Entertainment

ment will be offered from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. each evening with the Grange, Farmers Union and chamber of commerce providing the program on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights respectively. The programs are included in the free features.

Entries for exhibits should be made Wednesday, September 9, and no entries will be accepted after 10 o'clock Thursday morning, according to Mrs. Winifred Braden, secretary of the fair. The six community organizations which will vie for honors in their display of products are Brush College, Falls City, Mt. Pleasant, Liberty Bell (joint exhibit) Farmers Union locals, Williamina Grange, Monmouth Grange and Suver Grange. A cash prize of \$70 is offered for the best display in this class with substantial cash prizes for each of the six places.

The active interest being taken in the fair by these organizations is taken to insure the presence of a large crowd from all sections of the county for the fair.

The Grange entertainment on program for Thursday night will be under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Martin of Oak Grove, Pomona Grange lecturer, and a specialist in entertainments. The program has not yet been filed with Mrs. Braden.

The Farmers Union has secured

Governor Pierce as its chief speaker on Friday night and W. L. Teetsch, Oregon Agricultural College, extensive service field man. There will also be a community sing led by Ben J. Kimball of the Y. M. C. A.

Fred A. Williams of Salem will be the speaker on chamber of commerce night, Saturday, September 12. Mrs. A. M. Utley of Brush College, Mrs. Lora Butler of Monmouth and Mrs. W. L. Teetsch will be whistling solos by Mrs. Florence Grow of Independence.

Judges for the fair are N. C. Jamison, dairy cattle; H. Hartman, horticulture; L. J. Allen, livestock; and Esther B. Cooley, home economics. All are from the Oregon Agricultural college.

It is hoped to secure an excellent showing of Polk county products for the county booth at the Oregon state fair. Mrs. Braden already has an exhibit of grain and grasses collected which will form the basis for the county showing at both the state fair and the land products show in Portland.

Portland, Or.—Resolutions in support of Bert E. Haney, member of the United States shipping board, who has been requested by President Coolidge to resign, were adopted by the Portland chamber of commerce.

OIL COMPANY PLANT AT
INDEPENDENCE ROBBED

Independence, Or., Sept. 4.—(Special.)—The plant of the Standard Oil company here was broken into last night, burglars going in through a window and turning the contents of the office topsy turvy. While \$7 worth of stamps were taken, \$9 in money in the same drawer was overlooked.

The only clue left by the burglars were well defined fingerprints on a can of hard grease.

Members of the board held a meeting in the office last night and when they left, the office was tightly locked, they reported, and everything in its proper place.

Marriage Licenses.

Dallas, Or., Sept. 4.—Four marriage licenses were issued during the past week to Polk county couples by County Clerk Hugh Black. Those were to Harold A. Haley, 28, and Natalie C. Odense, 22, Monmouth; Fairfax M. Parilla, 33, and Florence M. Hubbard, 25, Dallas; Austin Ricketts, 18, Falls City; and Katherine Peters, 22, Monmouth; Oliver Trueax, 19, Pedee; and Ruth Peebles, 21, Pedee.

entertainment consisted of music and games and at a late hour refreshments were served. Miss Bedford is a graduate of Williamette university and is well known in Salem as well as Portland as a talented and accomplished musician, and has been an instructor in music during the past season. She will leave the first of the week for Chicago, where she will continue her study at the Bush Conservatory. Ruth's sunny smile will be missed by her host of friends.

Charles Robertson of France has been visiting old acquaintances and looking after his business interests in Kingswood. He has improved his property on Front street by letting a contract for a \$3000 bungalow. He will also build several smaller houses in Kingswood. Mr. Robertson was accompanied by Mr. Bruce of New York. Mr. Bruce thinks Kingswood is going to be a fine residence town in the future and has purchased quite a few lots. Mr. Robertson and his friend have left, leaving their business interests in the hands of Frank Lamb, who is running the service station at present and will occupy the new bungalow when completed. Mr. Robertson is interested in the automobile business in France, where he makes his home with his mother.

A very merry time was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thurman on Thursday evening when Reba Thurman was hostess at a birthday party, honoring her little sister, Dorris. The little folks spent a very happy evening playing a game of which a dainty lunch was served. The little guests were Jean and Della Smith, Lilly and Margaret Shipley, Betty Williams, Shirley Dickson, Estelle Riemann, Jessie and Gertrude Cannel and Opal and Dorris Thurman.

Work has been resumed on the new church, and quite a few men are very kindly donating their labor.

The fourth quarterly conference of the Summit and West Salem churches convened at the Methodist church in West Salem on Sunday evening. A large congregation attended and enjoyed a very spiritual message given by Dr. Leese. After the service the quarterly conference was held and both West Salem and Summit gave very favorable and interesting reports.

Rev. H. M. Branham and wife of Marshfield are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Andrews of Kingswood avenue. Rev. Mr. Branham was formerly a pastor of the Myrtle Creek South Methodist church, where Mrs. Andrews attended.

Gladys Clark has left the W. W. Bates home where she has been making her home and is now staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bentley of Dundee.

Mrs. Clare has returned home from Lacombe, where she was called on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Miles. Mrs. Miles is better at this time.

Mrs. Ruth Leach and Rowen Leach of near Dayton made a fly-

ing call on friends in town Saturday. Miss Mary Brannon has left her old home near Kingswood and will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Squires of Portland. Mrs. Brannon has been a resident of this locality for many years and will be much missed by her many friends.

Mrs. A. White, who has been very ill, is convalescing nicely. Mrs. Horace Wooley and little daughter, Janice, have left for an extended visit with relatives in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose of Madras, Or., were recent dinner guests at the Richardson home.

Quite a few folks attended the circus in Salem, Saturday.

Kenneth Squire is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hunt.

Mrs. Edwards of Portland was a recent guest at the home of Mr. Mann.

Mr. Jones has moved from near Portland to his new home on Fourth street.

Mr. Mayes and Mr. and Mrs. Fullerton of Aumsville were recent guests at the home of their old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson. They have just returned from a visit to Tennessee, where Mr. Mayes' old homestead is located.

John Carlick motored to Portland the first of the week on a pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Swigart have moved from the Oiler property on Fifth street to Front street.

The hop yards in this locality have begun to pick their hops and quite a few folks are helping to harvest them.

Mrs. Brock and Mrs. Brannon were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Mary Billings last week.

LYONS

Lyons, Or., Sept. 4.—Mrs. Lawrence Trask and little son returned home from Salem, Sunday, where she has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ransom are the proud parents of a 9-pound boy, born at a Portland hospital August 30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trask of Stayton were Lyons visitors last week.

Marion Forest is motoring around in a new Chevrolet, purchased from Baker & Ryan last week.

Mrs. Clyde Lewis was a Salem shopper last Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Johnston and daughter, Hilda, started for the hop

yard Monday morning. Mrs. Warren Yunker of Mill City visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Colby, Sunday.

FALLS CITY

Falls City, Sept. 4.—Dell Ward left Wednesday for Valets where he has the contract to erect twenty-eight buildings in a camp near Valets. Twenty-three of which are bunk houses and five are living quarters.

Andrew Black and George Wagner were Salem visitors Sunday.

The janitors of the grade and high schools have begun their fall house cleaning prior to the opening of school work Monday.

Mrs. J. J. Kerating of Falls City was a Salem shopper Tuesday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kemmel and two daughters of Salem visited with Mrs. Kemmel's sister, Mrs. Toller, Saturday.

Don't forget to attend the home exhibits at the Victory hall Tuesday, September 8th.

Rhododendron Chapter No. 152 O. E. S., resumed their meetings again Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Allie Burbank turned home from Brownsville Saturday, after an absence of three months visiting with relatives.

Wm. Estell and his brother Burn Estell are building a new sawmill in the Peedee district close to the Van Den Bosch mill where Mr. Estell has acquired the timber which will furnish the mill for seven or eight years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Buell and family left Wednesday for Moro where Mr. Buell is superintendent of city schools for the coming year. This school begins September 14.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farrier, son and daughter Merle and Eloise and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farrier all of Haley, visited at the Walter Black home Saturday. The two men are brothers of Mrs. Black.

The Falls City Lumber company is loading a car of sized lumber at their docks here which they will ship to Chicago.

Sam Meyers and son, Robert, were down from Corvallis Saturday and visited with their host of friends here.

Mrs. M. L. Thompson, Mildred Thompson and Mrs. F. E. Briggs were Dallas shoppers Wednesday.

Wm. Bancroft left for Valets Thursday where he has a contract for the moving of a barn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Elle and family have moved to Dallas this week. The Elles have lived in Falls City for a number of years and will be missed from the community. Mr.

Elle is the inspector for the Southern Pacific company. Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Briggs visited in Corvallis Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Meyers. Mr. L. Thompson went to Portland Wednesday afternoon returning today.

The Chamberlain bridge gang of Corvallis are building the new railroad bridge at Black Rock which was recently destroyed by fire.

Falls City is a very active place now about 7 a. m. each morning when the hop pickers of the Foster Williams yard and the Smith Bros. yard begin to collect for the trucks which carry them to and fro. Also the men for the trucks that take the woodmen of the Griswold Grier Lumber company to the woods and the cannery workers to their scene of activity, as well as the various other workers.

GERVAIS

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Byrd and daughter of Salem were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Moisan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Nutting motored to Portland on Wednesday. Mrs. E. Maio returning home with them, who has been visiting here the past ten days.

Mrs. M. D. Henning and Miss Any Harding were Portland visitors on Tuesday.

Mrs. G. T. Wadsworth made a business trip to Woodburn on Thursday.

Lee Cutsforth of Portland and Rodney Cutsforth of Riddle spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting with relatives here.

James Clark and children made a business trip to Salem on Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cutsforth and children made a business trip to Portland on Thursday.

Miss Margaret and Louis DeJardin are spending a week at Newport.

Several of the young folks from here are picking hops at Romeo Goulet's yard this week.

Miss Zoe Cutsforth who has been visiting Miss Margery Vincent the past week returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. L. C. Garrett who has been visiting her husband of Portland the last few days returned home Thursday.

Prof. and Mrs. G. W. Delay have returned home the past week from their vacation and are now getting ready for the opening of school.

Rev. Seroski was a Portland visitor on Tuesday.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS ITEMS

TURNER

Turner, Sept. 4.—Mrs. L. D. Roberts and children of Marcola, arrived in Turner last week for a visit with Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Small. Mr. Roberts came up for the week end. Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols came up from Portland Saturday evening and spent the week end with Mrs. Nichols' parents, E. C. Baker and wife.

Charley Brown of St. Helens, came up for a few days visit with his friend, P. P. Rowley. He went to the Horst hop yard Monday where his mother and sister are camped for the hop picking season.

Robert and Richard Gale were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gunning Sunday.

E. C. Baker and P. P. Rowley made a trip to the LaFollette orchard for peaches Friday afternoon. Ray Baker, wife and son of Portland, were Sunday visitors at the E. C. Baker home.

Jim Kelly and son had a minor accident to their car last week when the steering rod came loose causing the car to run in the ditch. No damage was done to car or passengers.

A letter from Mrs. M. T. Miller, who is at Gold Beach, reports that they are having a fine time. Mrs. Miller reports landing a 30 pound salmon. Some catch.

Dr. Ransom says he is waiting for the hunting season to open when he is going to get a deer this year. We hope he is successful.

Miss Agnes Kelly, who is employed in the Horst restaurant in Salem, spent Sunday at home.

Kenneth Gray and Orin Walker man of Marion, were Turner visitors Friday night.

Miss Ethel Given has returned from her vacation trip and was back at her old place as pianist at Sunday school at the M. E. church Sunday.

Carl Duncan recently hauled shingles and is repairing the roof of his home in Turner.

E. C. Baker and son Ray were Salem visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Baker have returned from Brownsville and have taken up their abode with the J. F. Lyle family.

Mrs. Pearl Kelly of Salem was a visitor with home folks Sunday.

Several from Turner attended the big circus in Salem Saturday. Some took advantage of the time and attended both the circus and the "Ten Commandments" which was showing at the Grand theater.

Prune picking will be in full swing around Turner by the first of next week.

John Duncan and wife of Salem were Turner visitors Saturday.

H. S. Bond was taken quite sick last Sunday with acute indigestion. His place is being filled by M. P. Hardesty, formerly of Long Beach, Cal. Mr. Hardesty formerly worked for the S. P. on the Los Angeles division.

An enjoyable time was reported at the all day meeting and basket dinner of the ladies aid of the Methodist church at the farm home of Mrs. Mullinix. Chicken dinner was served to 25.

Mrs. E. E. Prather's brother, Max Hutchens and cousin Elton Painter were callers at the drug store Thursday, bringing with them some fine home grown peaches.

A number of visitors are in town this week attending the Oregon Christian Endeavor conference at the tabernacle.

M. O. Pearson and L. C. Hall returned this week from a few days at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Prather and son were McMinnville visitors Sunday calling on their parents, also Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Michaux and Mr. and Mrs. H. Bundy. Mrs. Prather was formerly employed two years in the Hat shop, conducted by Mrs. Bundy.

A. L. Hones was a business visitor in Salem Monday.

Mrs. C. M. Lewis, a former resident of Turner, is now at Watertown, S. D.

P. P. Rowley made the trip to the Horst Bros. hop yard Monday, accompanied by Charley Brown, of St. Helens, who spent the week end in Turner, to join his mother and sister who are camped at the yard.

R. C. Barber and son are busy in town with their wood saw this week.

Ivan Hadley reports a good crop of peaches and that picking will

HAZEL GREEN

Hazel Green, Or., Sept. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mampier are the proud parents of a girl, arriving at the Heacens hospital August 27.

Billy Pete Williamson and Kenney Hainsworth spent last week at the coast.

Mrs. Tom Van Cleave and Mrs. Alvin Van Cleave and son, Martin, are moving out to the hop yard this week.

Miss Anna Hazelbacher is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Brunke, at North Camas.

Homer Davis has rented a farm east of Silverton.

Miss Theresa Zielinski of Portland spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Max Woods.

G. Hazelbacher fell from a barn he was working on, breaking his hip.

Mrs. Bessie Van Cleave visited with Mrs. Peta Weelke last Thursday afternoon.

The W. M. A. meets at the parsonage next Thursday, September 10. Mrs. Iris Van Cleave leader.

HALLS FERRY

Halls Ferry, Or., Sept. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. John Lankford returned Sunday to Portland.

Mrs. Lillie Colby arrived from Medford, Saturday. She expects to make her home here.

Roland Ebelton has returned to his work at Turner after spending a month at home helping his father.

A. H. Barks and some friends went for a drive and picnic on the Columbia highway. They also met other friends and relatives en route.

L. M. Stout and family were Sunday visitors at the W. A. Shelton home.

Sherman Brown and son, Ben, are cutting wood for Fred Christy, Bora, to Mr. and Mrs. Baumgardner, an 8-pound son Tuesday, September 1, at the Salem hospital. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Mrs. Laura Macklin spent Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Schwab.

W. A. Shelton and family are picking hops at Lively's yard. They drive morning and evening so as to be able to do their chores.

Wood haulers are working early and late in attempting to get their wood all out before the fall rains set in.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Townsend were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Floyd Robinson of Independence.

MONITOR

Monitor, Or., Sept. 3.—The Monitor school will open Tuesday, September 8, with Miss Lily Njunt and Miss Grace Dunigan as teachers. All children are requested by the teachers to be present Tuesday morning and register. A number of children who are picking cucumbers, berries and hops will not be able to attend school for the first week or two, but it will be a great convenience to the teachers if they are present Tuesday morning and register anyway.

Miss Margaret Brantner left Tuesday for Hood River, where she will spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brantner.

C. W. Coyne and son, Warren, were Portland visitors Tuesday.

Miss Edna Readen left Sunday for Olympia, Wash., where she will teach for the ensuing year.

Mrs. Omer Hastie and Miss Leota Brantner are attending the teachers' training course in Woodburn this week.

L. O. Lenon was a business visitor in Portland, Tuesday.

Harold Readen, who has been recuperating at Wilhoit Springs for the past month, returned home last week and Sunday left for Portland, where he has accepted

SCOTTS MILLS

Scotts Mills, Or., Sept. 3.—Miss Glovenia Davidson of Milwaukee arrived here Sunday for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

A jolly farewell party was given at the E. Lindberg home Tuesday evening when a crowd of young folks walked in on Miss Edna Lindberg and surprised her. Miss Lindberg is leaving today for Los Angeles, where she will attend the University of Southern California this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Luthie and son, Raymond, drove to Portland, Sunday, in their new Chrysler car.

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Axel Larson during the illness of Mrs. Larson's mother, Mrs. Ingrid Goplerud who died Tuesday evening.

will return to her home the latter part of this week. Mrs. Buness makes her home with her mother, Mrs. Anna K. Jensen, in the Brush Creek district.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Palmer and Miss Winona Palmer who have been spending the week at Portland are expected home today.

Miss Lillian Block who has been with the Silverton hospital for some time has resigned and will go to her home in North Dakota for a time. Miss Block says she will probably return to Silverton at the end of the year.

All Silverton business houses were closed Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 3 o'clock to pay the last respects to Miss Florence McClaine whose funeral was held at that time from the McClaine family home on West Main street. Pall bearers were Charles Reynolds, Dr. R. E. Kleinsorge, C. Schlador, Custer Ross, George Stedhammer of Silverton and Leon N. Lefebvre of Portland. Interment was made in the Silverton cemetery. Rev. S. Hall officiated.

WEST SALEM

West Salem, Or., Sept. 4.—A farewell party was given in the West Salem church on Monday evening in honor of Miss Ruth Bedford. Quite a few attended but others were unable to on account of the busy season. The

Mrs. Marie Phillips of Barview arrived here Saturday to attend the golden wedding anniversary of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Maria, who live east of town. She returned to Barview, Monday.

SILVERTON

Silverton, Sept. 4.—Rev. George Henriksen performed the marriage ceremony for Miss Irene Chandler and Paul Buchanan at the Trinity parsonage Wednesday evening. Witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan. The group was from Salem.

Silverton Business streets are quiet during the day this week as everyone who possibly could do so has gone hop-picking. Pickers complain that it is impossible to make as much picking hops as they formerly could.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henriksen Jr., Miss Louise Henriksen and Mr. and Mrs. Gutru are camping at the John Mos hop yard. Mr. Henriksen is drying hops while the others are tending the hand at picking. Mrs. Henriksen and Mr. and Mrs. Gutru are but recently from the east and this is their first experience in a hop yard.

Mr. and Mrs. Gutru have rented apartments at the home of Mrs. E. J. Brown on West Main street and will spend the winter here. Mr. and Mrs. Henriksen will leave in a short time for Oregon City where Mr. Henriksen will teach mathematics in the Oregon City high school.

Paradise Road residents were surprised Wednesday morning to find campers had been spending the night along the road. As Paradise Road is off from a main highway and over a mile from an inter-city highway campers here are unusual. Paradise Road connects the Waldo Hills and Brush Creek roads.

Victor Madsen and Harold Larson who recently purchased the Riveness grocery have redecorated and re-arranged the fixtures. The counters and shelving have been re-done in white and black. The name of the store has been changed from Riveness grocery to the L. & M. Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Riveness who motored to California last week, have returned to Silverton. Mr. Riveness reports that they did not get very far south but they were far enough to know that they didn't like it.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Moe who were at Silverton the first part of the week to attend the funeral of Mr. Moe's father have returned to their home at Eugene.

Mrs. Marie Buness who has been

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FRUIT AND
VEGETABLES
Fancy Bananas
3 Pounds

25c

Home Grown
Melons
Guaranteed ripe, Per lb.

2c

Celery Hearts
Fresh Crisp Bunches

5c

Potatoes
Guaranteed Quality
10 Pounds

25c

Sweet Spuds
3 Pounds

23c

Onions
8 Pounds

25c

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If unable to call at our store, phone 1371 or 1372 for prompt delivery without extra charge

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10 Bars Armour's Soap

39c