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NEWS FROM NEARBY VALLEY POINTS

By Capital Journal's Special Correspondents

SCHOOLS OPEN AT FALLS CITY ENROLLMENT SHY

Falls City, Or., Sept. 15.—The grade and high schools opened Monday morning with an enrollment of about two-thirds of the children of school age, owing to the fact that pruning and hop picking will not be finished until the middle of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Munyon, were in Dallas, Friday evening visiting the Polk county fair.

Miss Eva Chappell left Sunday for Yocovina, where she will teach school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. George March and daughter, Louise, were out from Vaisets, Saturday and Sunday, visiting Mrs. March's mother, Mrs. Louise Chappell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richardson and daughter were in Dallas, Saturday evening, attending the county fair.

Mrs. J. D. Moyer, Mrs. J. D. Grant, Mrs. Frank Mack and Paul Starr were Dallas shoppers Thursday.

Miss Clara Rhoades and Robert Rnagin were married in Dallas, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mack, Mrs. Frank Mack and daughter, Lucille, were visiting in Salem, Sunday afternoon.

Ira Mount and son, Elwood, spent Saturday on his farm near Salem.

Karl Pugh was over from Salem and spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. M. A. Pugh.

Leslie Flett of Portland has been visiting with his mother, Mrs. Edith Flett, and sister, Mrs. J. A. Reiber, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stelzer came over from Vaisets, Tuesday, to attend the community fair. Mr. and Mrs. Stelzer are running the Cobb & Mitchell ranch near Vaisets.

Mrs. Harry Dempsey and two sons were in from Rlekreal, Sunday, and spent the day with Mrs. Dempsey's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. O. Aurland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Roshuck and son, Morie, of Forest Grove, were in Falls City, Monday and Tuesday, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strauss and E. P. Brown and son, Frank, were in Salem, Monday, attending the

90,000 MEN IN TIMBER CAMPS

Portland, Sept. 14.—Headquarters of the Loyal Legion of Loggers and Lumbermen here today reported that a survey shows that a total of 95,000 men are at present employed in the logging camps and sawmills of Oregon, Washington and Idaho, compared with 91,700 on May 1 of this year, and 97,000 one year ago. The number is expected to be increased during the next month, when more logging operations are started. This condition will prevail, however, only until the first heavy fall of snow closes the high altitude camps on the coast, and cold weather prevents lumber cutting at sawmills east of the Cascades.

Current employment conditions are very good in all parts of the Pacific northwest, the Four-L labor report says. Skilled sawmill men held in well employed the demand for loggers is heavy, hop picking is at peak activity and the early apple harvest has started. Out door building and construction work is still active.

MONMOUTH TO HOLD ANNUAL FLORAL EXHIBIT

Monmouth, Or., Sept. 15.—The ladies of the Evangelical church of Monmouth have held a floral exhibit for some years past. This is in the interest of more beautiful lawns and gardens in the growing city of Monmouth where hundreds of our teachers spend several months every year.

This year two exhibits will be held. A number of people take pride in growing the finest flowers of the season. Beginning on Thursday morning, September 17, display of dahlias and asters will be shown in a building on Main street just across from the telephone office. A large number of exhibitors will compete for the prizes that are to be awarded. The exhibit is open for two days and evenings and free to the public. Flower lovers of Salem and other places are cordially invited to enjoy this display of flowers and to visit Monmouth at the same time. Lunches and chicken and waffles will be served.

CHINESE TONGS SIGN PEACE PACT

New York, Sept. 15.—(A. P.)—Despite the signing of a peace pact by leaders of the On Leong and Hip Sing tong to end the Chinese gun and hatchet war which in recent weeks has killed off a dozen tongmen, federal agents and police early today rounded up more than 500 Chinese suspected of violating the exclusion act.


Rushed pell-mell to the federal building for hearing, 105 were ordered deported, 150 were released and the remainder were held for investigation. Twelve Chinese were armed. United States District Attorney Buckley said the roundups would continue until every Chinese who has no business in this city or county is deported.

Symbolical of a lasting peace, a chicken was killed with a hatchet in Chinatown. The truce was signed at midnight by national leaders of the tong, meeting in the office of Sing Ling Chang, Chinese consul general, with police and officials of the Chinese Benevolent association, a merchants organization.

MACCABEES ORGANIZE LADIES BAND, MILL CITY

Mill City, Or., Sept. 15.—Santiam lodge No. 90 of the Maccabees here organized a 21-piece band and have elected Valde Dvorak as band leader and Oscar Farmer as bandmaster. They are also forming an orchestra which they will use to furnish music for their various social affairs. Mr. Fry, supreme commander of the Macca-

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS ITEMS

SILVERTON

Silverton, Or., Sept. 15.—(Special.)—Silverton schools will open next Monday. High school students have been required to register on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Mrs. N. W. Hjorth, Gordon McCarty, Clifford McCarty, Roy McCarty, Victor Hjorth, Lois May Hjorth, Mrs. F. Chapman, Arthur Chapman and Sidney Chapman were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Madson. The party was enroute from Victoria, B. C., their former home, to Hollywood, Cal., where they now live.

Ernest Wiberg has gone to Portland, where he is with the Meier & Frank company.

Cora Satern, who has been spending the past few days at her Silverton home, has returned to her brother's home near Mt. Angel where she is picking hops.

"The Iron Horse" and the "Ten Commandments" which have been showing at Silverton theaters over the week-end have drawn exceptionally large crowds.

Trinity Young People's society met at the Trinity social rooms Sunday afternoon. A short program was given.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Edison have received the announcement of the marriage of their granddaughter, Miss Maile Elyett, to Harold Tucker of Cleveland, Ohio. The wedding took place on September 1 at Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker will make their home at Cleveland. Mrs. Tucker spent the summer at Silverton.

Miss Mildred Thomas of Portland was a guest of Miss Dorothy Hubbs during fair week.

John Maulding and L. O. Hadley have been busy clearing land during the past few days and have succeeded in burning 70 acres of brush in the Maulding canyon in the Silverton hills. The acreage will be seeded with grass seed for pasture.

Miss Rose Specht, a sister of Mrs. E. Lytle and Carl Specht, has rented the J. Smith house on Pink street and will open a rooming and boarding house at Silverton. The place will be open for business today.

Dr. and Mrs. Earl Harlan of Colusa, Cal., are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Murray.

Mrs. C. Lorenson is assisting in the Variety store.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Jarvis have returned from a two weeks' vacation at the coast.

Miss Nettie Hattberg, Miss Agnes Hattberg, Edwina Hattberg, of Pratum, spent Sunday at Silverton.

L. A. Toft reports that in a recent letter from his son, Harold, the latter writes that he will probably realize two bushels of wheat per acre. Young Mr. Toft is farming in Montana.

Mrs. Eva Lash of Portland has been a guest of her father, I. W. Miller, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bray of Albany were callers at Silverton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robenolt and daughter, Miss Nina Robenolt, have returned from a summer spent in the east. They visited in twenty-two different states.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jacobson are at Silverton packing their household goods to move to Cottage Grove. Here they have been for some time. While they made their home at Silverton, Mr. Jacobson was with the Silver Falls Timber company. He is now mill foreman at the Walter Woodard Lumber mill at Cottage Grove.

Miss Mable Opsund of Portland spent a few days at Silverton during the Silverton fair.

Ross Warrenford is now employed at Portland. Mr. Warrenford recently visited at Silverton. He is a former student of the Silverton high school where he was popular in the musical and dramatic set.

Arthur Hudson of Brooks motored to Silverton, Friday, to visit his father, M. J. Madson, who is ill.

M. G. Gunderson has been named executor for the Ole J. Moe estate and Victor, Heiga, Heiga Rue and Hans Hansen have been appointed appraisers. A. O. Nelson is attorney.

A. G. Townley, who has been driving the Southern Pacific stage between Silverton and Woodburn for the past two years, has resigned. Mr. and Mrs. Townley will go to the Pendleton Roundup, aft-

er which they will go to Arizona and California for a visit. Their home on South Water street has been rented to Mr. and Mrs. H. Kaufman recently from Dupree, S. D. Oscar Bentson will take the place vacated by Mr. Townley.

Miss Wilma Sprague, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sprague, former Silverton residents, was married Saturday to Fred Standing of Portland. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Maurine Moore, also formerly of Silverton, sang at the wedding while Miss Louise Olmstead of Silverton played the wedding music.

The Silverton Appeal feature edition will be out on September 25.

A special business meeting will be held at St. John's church Wednesday evening.

GERVAIS

A. R. Malo of Portland and Harry Hener of Strassel, Or., and Carroll D. Buggner of Salem, who have been at Summit all summer working for the S. P. company, stopped off at Gervais Saturday. Mr. Malo visited with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Cateforth, for a short time. They were moving the outfit to Cocharan. Mr. Malo has been the foreman of this gang for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allsup motored to Brooks Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Farrell and also Grandma Farrell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Nichols of Portland were week end guests of Mrs. B. W. Snyder. Mrs. Nichols is a sister of Mrs. Snyder.

Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Mathews motored to Salem on Monday.

A. DeJardin and children motored to Portland Sunday to visit his son Lester, who is quite ill at St. Vincent's hospital. Mrs. DeJardin is staying at his bedside since he was operated on.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schwab and family were guests of Henry Seguin and family of Salem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clark motored to Woodburn Sunday to visit relatives of Mr. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Copeland and family of Marshfield has been visiting with L. V. Grassman and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Copeland were formerly of Brooks and Mrs. Copeland is a sister of Mrs. Grassman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Henning were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kellerman of Portland on Sunday.

Miss Lilly Boyle was a Woodburn visitor Sunday evening.

Miss Emma Wangerin of Woodburn is back with A. DeJardin and family for the winter.

MILL CITY

Mill City, Or., Sept. 15.—Mrs. A. E. Abelson and daughter are spending the week-end in Portland visiting friends and relatives.

The Mill City Women's Bridge club was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. A. E. Hoehn, Mrs. A. L. Baker and Mrs. A. A. Holthouse winning the prizes of the evening.

Mrs. A. L. Itanew is spending several weeks visiting friends in Portland.

Miss Zenith Perdue left several days ago for Portland, where she will attend high school this winter.

Mrs. W. W. Mason and Mrs. C. M. Clow spent Thursday in Albany on a shopping tour.

Mrs. L. E. Dike and daughter, Gweneth, returned to the city Thursday from Detroit, where they have been living for several months. Miss Dike will attend high school here this winter.

Fred Hesse, of the Hoess Erated Iron Works of Portland, was a business visitor here Thursday.

Eugene L. Mann, who has been working as clerk in the local Southern Pacific office for several months, left Friday morning for Portland to work in the superintendent's office, being relieved here by John L. Clark.

E. C. Gordon and family returned to the city Friday from Vancouver and other Canadian points where they have been visiting friends and relatives for the past week.

The Hammond Lumber company has a crew of men putting in a new dike to prevent the Santiam river from undermining their planer shed and boiler room during high water.

DOE COMMITS SUICIDE JUMPING BEFORE AUTO

Medford, Or., Sept. 15.—Raymond Crump of Dorris, Cal., killed a deer last night but not with his gun. Returning over the Green Springs road about 8 o'clock last night, a dog jumped from the high embankment on the side of the road directly in front of the car and before Crump could put on his brakes, it was crushed beneath the wheels. The animal was brought to Medford and presented to the county poor farm.


Engineers in Session

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 15.—Problems of engineering education, electrical transmission and distribution were before three hundred delegates to the Pacific coast convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers here today. National authorities in the electrical field were listed as speakers.

Seattle—E. A. Wakefield, American consul at Prince Rupert, B. C. reported the discovery of a new halibut bank off Sannak island south of the Ulmalk island of the Aleutian archipelago in the north Pacific.

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