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# NEWS FROM NEARBY VALLEY POINTS

By Capital Journal's Special Correspondents

## WEEK DAY SCHOOL FOR RELIGIOUS STUDY IS OPENED

Silverton, Or., Dec. 3.—(Special.)—The religious week-day school opened at Trinity church Wednesday morning with a registration of 181 pupils from the first to the eighth grades inclusive. This school is sponsored by St. John's and Trinity Lutheran churches. The Rev. George Hendricks and the Rev. S. Lindseth are the instructors. Rev. Mr. Hendricks has the four upper grades, while Rev. Mr. Lindseth has the four lower grades. Although the school is Lutheran everyone whether they have other affiliations or not are welcome.

Another week-day religious school will open for classes next Wednesday morning at the Christian church. This is under the leadership of the Christian, Congregational and Methodist congregations. The Rev. Mr. J. A. Bennett and Rev. Clayton Judy will teach. A registration of 400 is expected. According to the pastors in charge non-denominational teachings will be stressed. Only the religious course outlined by the state will be used.

## FALLS CITY QUOTA OF CHRISTMAS SEALS SOLD

Falls City, Dec. 3.—The Art club met at the home of Mrs. Roy McDonald Tuesday afternoon, December 1. No special business was taken up other than planning for their Christmas party. The stamp committee reports the sale of all their Christmas seals, the ladies being out two afternoons. The amount of \$25.63 was sent to the headquarters. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses to the following members: Mesdames E. G. White, D. J. Grant, I. C. Merching, M. A. Pugh, F. E. DeLuga, R. Criswell, C. P. Horn, M. D. Hammel, Albert Teal, and George Love.

## FORMER MT. ANGEL FARMER IS KILLED

Woodburn, Dec. 3.—Paul Komp formerly a well known farmer of Mount Angel and Woodburn districts, was killed in a brickyard at Moscow, Idaho, November 27, in an explosion. At the time his wife was in Portland attending the funeral of her father, George Woodcock. Besides his widow, he leaves five children and a number of relatives in Mount Angel.

## AUBURN

Auburn, Or., Dec. 3.—Asa Tyndall is able to be out again after a long siege of grippe. W. G. Walling has been seriously ill with intestinal flu. He is slightly improved. There were several family religious Thanksgiving day. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Armstrong and family, with about 25 other relatives were guests of Mr. Armstrong's sister, Mrs. Bessie Marshall, in Salem.

## ENDEAVOR SOCIETY MEETS

Falls City, Dec. 3.—The Endeavor society of the Christian church held their regular business meeting Friday evening in the church parlors. After all work was taken care of the social part of the evening was turned over to the entertainment committee who had a delightful time prepared for them. At 10 o'clock sandwiches, cake, coffee and cocoa were served. There were nineteen members present.

## HAZEL GREEN

Hazel Green, Or., Dec. 2.—Mrs. Kittleson entertained at dinner recently the Rev. and Mrs. Hall of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. Prindle and two children. Mrs. Prindle is a cousin of Mrs. Kittleson. He and his wife have both been teachers in China for many years. They are expecting to return to their work there in January.

## WILLIAM HAYNES

William Haynes has had the misfortune of losing a valuable horse. A. L. Lindbeck has installed a radio. The many friends and neighbors of W. G. Walling are sorry to learn of the death of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Walling, who with her husband, G. A. Walling, had been making their home with him for some time. At the time of her death she was with her son, Ray Walling of North Sumner street, Salem, where she was making a short visit, being taken suddenly ill, though she had been in very poor health for the past year or so. She leaves also two other sons, Chester Walling of Silverton and Ralph Walling of Jefferson, and one daughter, Mrs. Vera Sutherland. The funeral services were held at the St. Paul Episcopal church in Oregon City and interment was in Mt. Scott cemetery. There was an abundance of flowers and a large attendance at the funeral.

## DEMONSTRATION MEAL GIVEN BY STUDENTS

Chemawa, Or., Dec. 3.—The second of a series of demonstration dinners to be given by the girls of the domestic science department was given in the new "wigwam" at the Indian school this noon. Each girl is required to give a demonstration dinner during the year. Two dinners are to be given this week. Guests for the dinner this noon were Mr. and Mrs. Harwood Hall, Miss White, Mr. and Mrs. James and Mrs. A. F. Brickett, principal of home economics. Misses Elsie Adams and Agnes Orr gave the dinner.

## DALLAS TO PLAY MONMOUTH FIVE

Dallas, Or., Dec. 3.—The Dallas town basketball team will open the 1925-26 season Friday night in Dallas against the Monmouth All-Stars. The Monmouth team is made up of former college basketball players and is expected to prove a good fast organization. The Dallas team has been practicing for the past month and are getting in fair shape. A number of new men have been out trying for the team and it is hoped to develop a fast squad. Games will be played throughout the remainder of the winter with town teams up and down the valley. The games this year will be played in the Dallas armory, famed as the home of some noted basketball teams in the past.

## INDOOR GOLF PLAYED BY WOODBURN BANKER

Woodburn, Dec. 3.—Members of the Woodburn Golf club need not offer stiff joints and lack of practice as alibis for poor scores on the links as Keith Powell has equipped a special room over the Bank of Woodburn that enables members to practice many difficult shots and has facilities for improving putts up to 18 feet. The Woodburn Golf club now boasts of 54 members and a 9-hole course at West Woodburn. Until the recent wet weather the outdoor course was proving very popular but at present there is little interest being shown in golf outside of the bank building.

## FALLS CITY WOMEN TO DIVIDE ESTATE

Falls City, Dec. 3.—The estate of Albert Hoppe, former resident of Falls City who died in San Francisco last July, is to be divided between his widow, Mrs. Albert Hoppe, and two daughters, Mrs. E. B. Freer and Mrs. B. E. Freer, who reside here. In July, 1923, Mr. Hoppe deserted his family here and went to California, taking with him all of the property of the family. Attempts made by Mrs. Hoppe to find him in San Francisco were unavailing until February 17, of this year. Mr. Hoppe was taken to the hospital in San Francisco June 29, and died July 25. Mrs. Hoppe and her daughters have been notified that his estate is being administered in their behalf.

## CONDUCTS REVIVAL

Jefferson, Dec. 3.—Rev. B. F. Culver, now of Portland but formerly pastor of the local church several years ago, is conducting revival services at the Evangelical church this week.

## QUARANTINE IS LIFTED

Falls City, Dec. 3.—The quarantine for scarlet fever has been lifted from the Hodgson home and the two boys are back in school. There are no contagious diseases at present among the school children.

## TESTS BEING GIVEN

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## STEAL THANKSGIVING DINNER

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## TRUST COMPANY CALLS EAKIN TO PORTLAND POST

Dallas, Or., Dec. 3.—John D. Eakin of Dallas, who is now working out of the office of the state corporation commissioner, has been honored with the offer of the position of vice-president of the Northwest Trust company of Portland. Mr. Eakin will resign his state position and take up his duties with the trust company on January 1. Mr. Eakin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Eakin of Dallas. He is an Oregon Agricultural college man and an ex-service man. He served for some time as a state traffic officer with headquarters at Oregon City but was later transferred to the corporation department. He is now on a trip to eastern Oregon and will continue on to Salt Lake City to investigate building and loan associations there before returning home.

## WOMEN AUTO DRIVERS VICTIMIZE GARAGEMEN

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 3.—When a woman drives up, says the gasoline tank of her automobile is so dry that she can hear it rattle instead of gurgle, and then offers a check in payment, what is a fellow to do? Three times in the past month a woman, not the same one twice, has stopped at the Maple Park garage and service station on the highway near the turnout to Woodburn and offered a personal check in payment for gasoline. And three times the checks have been returned to the garage by the bank.

## POULTRY SHOW NOW OPEN

Hubbard, Or., Dec. 3.—Judging of entries in the fourth annual Marion, Clatsop county poultry exhibition was begun today and all awards are expected to be completed by Friday. More than 400 birds have been entered by raisers in the two counties. In addition to the poultry show a corn exhibition is being held. A. E. Hughes of Woodburn is the principal exhibitor at the corn show. The exhibition closes Saturday night.

## MAILBOX BIDS RECEIVED

Woodburn, Or., Dec. 3.—Friday is the final day for receiving bids for setting fourteen mail boxes throughout the city, according to L. H. Shorey, postmaster. All bids will be forwarded to Washington, D. C., for approval and no contract will be let pending word from the east. It is expected that several weeks will lapse before action can be taken.

## BOXING BOUTS POSTPONED

The boxing show which was originally scheduled for December 9, has been postponed, according to Harry Plant, matchmaker. Frankie Lewis and George Ingersoll have been rematched in Silverton, December 11. The two dates were too close together to be practical said Plant. On December 16, however, Phil Bayes of Salem is expected to meet Harry Harris of Pendleton, who put on a good fight last week with Cracker Warren of Oregon City. Warren fought here last boxing season. He has been meeting some of the toughest of them and is in fine condition.

## MONMOUTH RAISES DANCE LICENSE TAX

Monmouth, Or., Dec. 3.—Tuesday night the city council held its regular meeting amending the dance tax law to \$50 per year for any hall where dances are held regularly, and \$5 per night on all transient dances. The old ordinance called for \$5 per night for all public dances held in Monmouth but this excessive rate has caused much unfavorable comment. Other business transacted included additional street lights being ordered in and one street drained.

## LINFIELD OPENS \$500,000 DRIVE

McMinnville, Or., Dec. 3.—Linfield college Tuesday opened its campaign for a \$500,000 building fund. The remainder of the week is being devoted to organizing the students. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week will be devoted to a campaign among the student body for pledges toward the fund. The city of McMinnville will be asked to complete its plans to raise the \$50,000 which the chamber of commerce pledged. The campaign then will be extended to the Baptist constituency of the northwest. The students have been told that donations were not compulsory, but that their pledges would be used to show how the students are supporting the building fund. The class presidents and six representatives of the student body met today to outline a plan of procedure.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL HOMECOMING IS SET FOR SUNDAY

The third annual homecoming of the Kelsar Sunday school will be held on Sunday at the Kelsar school. This affair has come to be one of the outstanding events of the year in the community with many families now living in other districts coming back to take part in the days' festivities. The regular Sunday school will open at ten in the morning, the preaching service will follow and a basket lunch will be served at noon. In the afternoon a program of recitations and music will be given both before and after an address, which will be made by Prof. Chas. E. Gatto, of the history department of the Willamette University, on the old mission near Wheatland ferry. Gilbert Wrenn, student pastor, will preside during the program. Members of the committee in charge of the affair on Sunday are Mrs. Arthur Beardsley, Arthur Cummings, and Ernest Savage. Joe Bartruff is head of the Kelsar Sunday school.

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