

POLK COUNTY NEWS FROM OBSERVER WRITERS

FALLS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. N. Selig were Capital City visitors Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Servey was a passenger to Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. W. F. Nichols spent Thursday visiting friends in Dallas.

Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw was a Dallas shopper Thursday.

Mrs. William Heydon, after spending a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Heydon, left for Portland Thursday, where she will join her husband on a trip to Traverse City, Michigan. Mrs. F. P. Heydon accompanied her to Portland.

I. A. Johnstone transacted business in Dallas Thursday.

W. F. Nichols drove to Dallas Thursday.

Harley Kerr, Richard Van Den Bosch, W. D. Bancroft and L. L. Brooks returned Thursday from a two weeks' hunting trip on the Rieckreall.

George Viek, a realty dealer of Salem, visited old friends in this city on Friday.

N. Selig returned Wednesday from a business trip to Salem.

Oliver Rowe was in Dallas Wednesday.

Mrs. A. K. Hill after spending a few days visiting Miss Bertha Frink returned to her home in Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. J. P. Starr and Miss Mae Childers, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Starr, returned to Salem Wednesday.

Robert Wolfenbarger returned Wednesday from Toppenish, Washington, and is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Elkins.

Mrs. I. G. Singleton returned from a trip to Dallas Wednesday.

Miss Fae Shipley of Monmouth, is visiting friends in this city.

Loring Frink returned Wednesday from a trip to Dallas and Monmouth.

Mrs. C. T. West returned Wednesday from a short visit with relatives in Salem.

Mrs. Eleanor Butler was a county seat caller Wednesday.

Mrs. Jesse Moore and children are visiting relatives at Brooks.

E. M. Mackner transacted business in Salem Wednesday.

Jack Page left on Wednesday for Salem where he has a position in a barber shop.

Mrs. G. Erickson of Black Rock, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw Wednesday.

Mrs. L. B. Masters of Black Rock, was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Colonel C. W. Matthews went to Dallas Wednesday.

J. W. Sweeney of the Dallas Flouring Mills, made a commercial visit to this city on Wednesday.

J. H. McMillan, a Siletz homesteader, passed through this city Wednesday enroute to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moyer left Wednesday for an extended visit with relatives in Salem, Oregon City and Portland.

Mrs. W. A. Cobb returned Wednesday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hatch, in Lafayette.

F. H. Morrison of Dallas, was in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. G. D. Treat and daughter, Genevieve, returned Wednesday from a visit with friends and relatives in Monmouth.

Leonard Frink was in Dallas on business Wednesday.

J. F. Walker visited in Dallas Wednesday.

Professor and Mrs. F. S. Crowley of Independence, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw in this city.

A. F. Courter drove over in his automobile from Salem Friday, and visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Courter.

Mrs. J. P. DeWitt after visiting Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Singleton, left Friday for her home in Monmouth.

The Free Methodist Church building is being improved by the addition of a new roof.

The Falls City School Library has been greatly augmented by the addition of several new volumes. The school has one of the best libraries in the county.

O. M. Mater has returned from a two weeks' trip to Texarkana, Texas, where he made arrangements for the removal of his household goods. He was accompanied to this city by his son.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Church met in weekly session at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bitner. Important business was attended to, after which light refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. L. M. Travis, Mrs. J. H. Flower, Mrs. Joseph Wankey, Mrs. V. Quiek, Mrs. O. Amland, Mrs. F. M. Hellwarth, Mrs. Ira Mehtling, Mrs. S. H. Tetherow, Mrs. Jerry Snyder, Mrs. F. K. Hubbard, Mrs. J. D. Moyer, and Mrs. C. L. Barnhart.

Miss Ruth Nunn spent the week with her parents in Dallas.

J. H. Paul and John Paul returned Friday from the Siletz Basin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. McMurphy and son Hallet, have gone on an outing to the Siletz Basin.

Miss Jane Sampson returned from Dallas Wednesday where she has been working for Mr. and Mrs. J. Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mehtling were Dallas visitors Wednesday.

Chester McSherry has moved his

household goods to Airline.

Mrs. Florence Sicafoose, who has been ill, is now reported convalescent.

Mrs. C. J. Moyer visited friends in Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. Ruth Blake is visiting her father, J. I. Montgomery, in Portland.

Mrs. Ross Flower has joined her husband in Kelso, Washington.

Glenn Siefarth, who is employed in Portland, visited friends in this city over Sunday.

W. D. Ellis returned Sunday from a business visit in Dallas.

Robert Farley who has been visiting relatives in Dallas for the last two weeks, has returned to this city.

Jack Page was over from Salem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Grier, entertained a number of friends at a dancing party in the Falls City Lumber Company's club house Saturday evening. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gerlinger, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. George Gerlinger, of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Belcher, of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Cobb, of Traverse City, Michigan; Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Hellwarth, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Toozee, Miss Margaret Taylor, of Los Angeles, and Miss Edna Simon-ton, of Salem.

Mrs. Paul J. Sheppard returned Saturday from a week's visit with her mother in Portland.

At the last session of the City Council it was unanimously decided to purchase the property of L. Pfandoeper, located on the corner of Main and Dayton streets, for a city hall site. The consideration was \$1065. The selection was a good one as the property is located in the business section of the city. Construction will begin at once on the building, which will be large enough to accommodate the needs of the city. The offices of the mayor, water superintendent and auditor and police judge will be located in it.

Clay Miller is ill at his home in East Falls City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meyer have returned from the Siletz Basin.

I. A. Johnstone has bought the city road roller from Dallas.

E. B. Hubbard has gone to Wasco where he will visit relatives.

Till Bell has moved into the J. S. Courter property recently vacated by A. H. Dodd.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Thompson and C. J. Pugh motored to Salem Wednesday in Mr. Thompson's automobile.

M. A. McLaughlin has resigned his position as foreman of the Spaulding Logging Company at Black Rock and has gone East.

E. M. Young of Independence, was in this city recently and awarded the contract to S. Ouderkirk for making 20,000 hop stakes.

D. C. Mitchell and family have moved to Amity where Mr. Mitchell will conduct the Charles Tice farm.

J. H. Rehmel is making preparations for the planting of 400 pear trees.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Thompson and Miss Bertha Frinke formed an automobile party to Portland Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Halsey was a Salem shopper Monday.

J. S. Courter of Portland, is transacting business in this city.

Charles Boydston of Dallas, came up from Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Toozee, Jr., of Dallas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Toozee over Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. Pfandoeper and daughter Violet, were Monday visitors in Salem.

Mrs. N. Selig and daughter, Vola, visited friends in Salem Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mackner, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis for the past two months, have moved to Salem.

Fred Talbott was a county seat visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lowe have moved to Portland. Mr. Lowe recently sold his barber shop to A. Moser and S. L. Gates.

Mrs. William Bolton and Mrs. B. Melbourn have opened a laundry in the Tavern hotel.

Miss Edna Barnhart returned Tuesday from an extended visit with relatives in Nebraska.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Mrs. Edwards has been visiting Mrs. M. C. Wilson for several days.

Mrs. Lynch has been quite ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Chapman.

J. W. Norwood has been sawing wood for himself and Mr. Adams.

Mr. Irving Grice has gone on a hunting trip to the coast with his cousin, I. L. Canney, of Monmouth.

Miss Bertha Canney is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nannie Canney, of Monmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Riser are building a kithben onto their house.

Mrs. Johnson visited Mrs. St. Pierre and Mrs. Beaver Sunday afternoon.

Mr. O. E. Fry is quite sick with nervous prostration.

Ora and Ollie Porter spent the week-end at their home while the High school was dismissed during the institute.

Harry and John Lynch and George Adams are picking apples for Mr.

Verder.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have been visiting friends near Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. St. Pierre spent Sunday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Grice.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patrick have returned from a trip to the coast.

Dr. Starbuck and sister, Edith, of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Patrick Sunday.

Mrs. Edwards visited Mrs. L. Grice Monday afternoon.

Mr. L. Grice visited his daughter, Mrs. Canney, of Monmouth, Sunday.

BETHEL

Henry Christensen spent Sunday afternoon in Amity.

Ralph Derrick is working for S. L. Stewart.

Clinton Surry is working for Jim Booth.

Miss Martha Christensen is visiting in Daytha.

Mr. Derrick has moved his family

to Salem.

J. D. Kelty made a recent trip to Portland.

Ernest Rutledge is working with the wood saw this week.

I. N. Mulkey made a business trip to Amity Saturday.

Miss Darr spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Independence.

Mrs. Romig, Maurice and Edith Romig were in Salem Saturday.

Charles Mulkey is visiting his brother, J. E. Mulkey on Rock Creek, Gilliam county.

Miss Donahoe spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Loony, in Spring Valley.

Mrs. Denny and daughter of Lafayette, made a recent visit at the home of J. D. Kelty.

School is growing larger in attendance. There are over 50 pupils enrolled.

The high school singing class was held in the school house Friday evening and will be continued each suc-

ceeding Friday during the year. Anybody who wishes can join the class.

MONMOUTH

T. F. Churchill and family, of Crook county, have rented C. Lee's property and will make this their home.

The Baptists will hold their fifth Sunday school meeting here, beginning Friday evening and continuing over Sunday. A large number of visiting ministers are expected.

"Grandpa" Matoon, an old pioneer Baptist, is in town and is the guest of Joseph Craven.

Mr. Beezley and family, of Falls City, were the guests of Misses Maggie and Allie Butler over Sunday. Mr. Beezley was formerly assistant cashier in the Polk County Bank.

D. M. Hampton and his wife's mother, "Grandma" Chaney, left for Pendleton Tuesday.

Next Saturday the seats and other

furniture will be placed in the school house, which is a building of the kind as can be seen in the state.

Mrs. J. Hawley's condition is apparently not improving.

Mrs. A. Walter is quite well.

A. N. Poole has three horses headway, one at Parker and one at Monmouth.

Mrs. W. N. O'Kelly, of H. was the guest of her parents and Mrs. H. Robertson Tuesday.

The sale at Mr. Cotter's, attended last week, and sold at a good price.

G. T. Boothby has made improvements in his place and now in fine shape.

PERRYDALE

Frank Lyun went to the last week in his auto, Monday.

Mrs. H. J. Elliott is spending the week at the home of her parents.

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