

POLK COUNTY NEWS FROM OBSERVER WRITERS

FALLS CITY

Arthur R. Allen, of Rickreall, one of the candidates for the Republican nomination for county assessor, was in town Saturday in the interest of his campaign.

Miss Minnie Spencer, of Salem, visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Spencer a few days last week.

Mrs. Golda Hooker and son Ralph, left Sunday for their home in Portland, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Nichols in this city.

Charles A. Hinshaw, of the Siletz Basin, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stewart one day last week.

Frank P. Heydon has been attending business interests in the Siletz Basin.

Mrs. W. R. Hinshaw was the hostess at an afternoon tea given at her home Saturday in honor of the Pythian Sisters' lodge. The afternoon was enjoyably passed in different forms of amusement. Refreshments were served to the guests. The following were present: Mrs. Frank P. Heydon, Mrs. J. H. Flower, Mrs. John D. Moyer, Mrs. I. G. Singleton, Mrs. A. B. Servye, Mrs. J. Wagner, Mrs. G. L. McMurphy, Mrs. John Walker, Mrs. A. E. Myer, Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mrs. W. T. Brown, Mrs. Harry Krebs and Mrs. Thomas B. Hooker.

Mrs. Walter L. Tooze made a business trip to Salem Saturday.

Mrs. William Bolton left Saturday for a few days visit in Portland.

Miss Clara Montgomery, who is teaching school at Salt Creek, visited her mother in Falls City Saturday and Sunday.

Dewey Inman, of Dallas, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Inman.

John McCoy, of Marcola, was in town Saturday.

Edward Inman is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Inman, of Falls City.

Miss Loretta West visited relatives at Black Rock Sunday.

Mrs. C. A. Cochrane spent the week end in Black Rock.

Mrs. Esther Clarke, of Black Rock, was a Falls City shopper Saturday.

Mrs. Hazel Flower visited relatives in this city Saturday.

Mrs. Zimri Hinshaw, of the Siletz Basin, passed through Falls City Saturday enroute to Dallas.

S. Bleiweiss spent the fore part of the week with his family in Portland.

Wilbur P. Lewis was a passenger to Dallas Saturday.

Miss Violet Pfandhoefer, who is attending business college in Salem, spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. Pfandhoefer.

Professor J. E. Dunton was in Dallas on business Saturday.

Professor L. E. Mills, of Black Rock, passed through this city Friday enroute to Dallas.

Mrs. M. G. Ellis and Mrs. J. D. Moyer gave a party at the latter's home on Washington's birthday in honor of their mother, Mrs. Susan C. Bryant, of Portland. The Moyer home was tastefully and artistically decorated in the national colors and presented a very patriotic appearance.

A general social time was enjoyed by the guests. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The following were present: Mrs. F. K. Hubbard, Mrs. George M. Tice, Mrs. William Ellis, Mrs. Charles Frink, Mrs. Ira Mehrling, Mrs. C. M. Travis, Mrs. S. Montgomery, Mrs. Eleanor Butler, Mrs. S. H. Tetherow, Mrs. J. R. Moyer, Mrs. Viola Quick, Mrs. H. P. Bogert, Mrs. C. H. Vick, Mrs. O. Amlund, Mrs. C. L. Hopkins, Mrs. Mary Thorne, Mrs. Jonah Lowe, Mrs. David F. Courter, Mrs. J. Waukey, Mrs. L. Pfandhoefer, Mrs. C. L. Barnhart, Mrs. William Ford, Mrs. Alex Courter, Mrs. L. Frink, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. H. L. Calkins, Mrs. J. M. Davis, Mrs. L. H. Weikel, Mrs. P. Wonderly, Mrs. John Waters, Mrs. D. E. Beecy, Mrs. R. I. Harrington and Miss Carolyn Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Selig and daughter Helen, spent three days last week in Portland.

William T. Grier made a business trip to the Cherry City last Friday.

Jack Page, of Salem, visited with friends in Falls City several days last week.

C. H. Vick has just completed the construction of an incubator house on his property in East Falls City. Mr. Vick intends to raise poultry on an extensive scale.

Mayor E. K. Hubbard made a trip to Dallas Friday on business.

O. A. Spinney was a Dallas visitor one day last week.

M. L. Thompson was a passenger to the county seat Friday.

M. L. Thompson returned Sunday from a two days' trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Perkins, of St. Johns, visited friends in this city last week.

Doctor L. Van Zandt, of Vancouver, Washington, spent a few days this week with his son, J. H. Van Zandt.

Falls City has won the civil suit from Polk county whereby \$100,000 road taxes are recovered by the city.

Arthur W. Porter visited friends in Dallas Saturday, returning Sunday.

Miss Violet Pfandhoefer of this city bears the distinction of having received the highest average in her class at the recent examination at the business college in Salem.

S. Bleiweiss entertained a number of friends at the home of Mr. and

Mrs. W. F. Nichols last Thursday in honor of Washington's birthday. Five hundred was played after which refreshments were served. The following were the invited guests: Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Helwarth, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dennis, Mrs. Golda Hooker, of Portland, Mrs. Walter L. Tooze, Mr. Leslie Tooze, Mr. Lamar Tooze and Master Ralph J. Hooker.

Mayor and Mrs. F. K. Hubbard have been visiting relatives in Yamhill county.

Mrs. B. M. Guy and Mrs. R. Guy, of Dallas, are visiting at the home of William Ellis.

Miss Ermon Wheelock visited at St. Johns last week with her parents. County Clerk E. M. Smith made a trip to this city one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Thomas, of Portland, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mehrling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reynolds were Dallas visitors recently.

Professor Elmer Barnhart returned Saturday from a trip to Salem.

Harlie E. Starr visited friends and relatives in Salem, Saturday.

Mrs. O. A. Spinney was a Salem shopper Saturday.

Walter L. Tooze returned Saturday from a three days' visit in Salem.

Wilson A. Ayres, of Dallas, was in Falls City last week.

Mrs. W. O. Cobb went to Lafayette Sunday where she will visit Professor and Mrs. J. B. Hatch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cameron and children were passengers to Dallas Sunday.

Professor L. E. Mills, of Black Rock, visited Saunzio R. Skceles, Sunday.

Samuel Schlappl returned Monday from a week's visit in Portland.

A very enjoyable dancing party was given at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Teal last Saturday evening. A very pleasant evening was passed. Light refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Teal, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Krebs, Mr. and Mrs. John Sumpter, Misses Lela Reese, Marie Reese, Pearl Teal, Susan Bennett, Alpha Powell, Francis Harris, Eva Harris, Messrs. Lee Teal, George McCormick, Robert Bennett, David Martin, William Martin, Uda Stone, Edward Morris, Eugene Burns, Otho Bell, Harry Yetter, Alton Yetter, Joseph Florida, Arthur Teal, Otto Teal, Frank Martin, Richard Gage, Floyd Harris, and Randolph Butler.

Mrs. F. P. Ellis, of Black Rock, was in Falls City Tuesday on business.

U. S. Loughary, of Dallas, was in Falls City Saturday, renewing old acquaintances.

George Dabritz has greatly improved the interior of the pool room and bowling alley by many improvements.

Miss Mae Lynch spent the week-end with her parents near Salem.

Walter L. Tooze made a trip to Salem Monday, on business returning Tuesday.

Zimri Hinshaw visited relatives in Dallas the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stewart and children visited friends and relatives in Dallas this week.

Mrs. J. Montgomery was a passenger to Dallas Monday.

MONMOUTH

W. Haines, of Eugene, was the guest of his twin brother, J. A. Haines, last week. They are the oldest twins on the Pacific Coast.

Hub Staats, of Airlie, was in town Friday.

L. Simpson, one of Polk county's leading farmers, was in town Monday.

February 24 being the twenty-fifth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. C. Newman's wedding, about 40 of the friends gathered at their new house and gave them a good surprise. They played games, then at a late hour a bountiful lunch was served.

Lawrence Grant, of Lewisville, was in town on business Friday.

T. Williams, of Talmage, was in town Friday, enroute to Dallas.

Uncle Dave Guthrie, of Dallas, was in town last week visiting relatives. He looks well and is quite spry for one of his age.

Miss Esther Fisher, teacher in the McMinnville schools, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here.

Judge and Mrs. Hewitt, of Albany, were the guests of his brother's family, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hewitt, Sunday.

Joseph Edmiston, of Airlie, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Sunday.

The water question does not seem to be settled yet.

It seems that there is quite a number that are dissatisfied about the location of the dormitory, but we think the Regents knew what was best and there is plenty of room on the college campus for all the buildings that are needed.

'C. C. Lee went to Dallas Tuesday to see his daughter that is sick.

Mr. Churchill is moving to his place he bought at Highland.

Grandma Classa is improving nicely and it is thought she will get up again.

J. Housman and D. Egteston made a business trip to Salem Tuesday.

Carl and Ben Polan are plowing for J. B. Stump.

James Goodman sold a fine span of horses Tuesday for \$450.

There are new people coming in all the time. Last week two families came with all their household goods and seven head of horses and several head of cattle from Oklahoma, with the intention of staying.

Fred Pyles is running the delivery wagon for the Monmouth Mercantile company.

Howard Chaney left for Eastern Oregon Saturday.

There have been 141 voters registered in Monmouth up to date.

will work in a hop ranch this summer.

PEDEE

Rex Womer and Ren went to Dallas Tuesday.

Mr. McCormack went over to George McCormack's on the Luckiamute Monday.

George Yost and Maud Yost went to Airlie Monday, with their cream.

M. E. Pruitt went to Airlie after a load of goods for the Pedee store recently.

Alva Womer and wife visited at Ira Hooker's Sunday.

Bluford Bush lost one of his horses last week.

Miss Fern Adsit visited Miss Eva Womer Sunday.

There was a dance at Pedee last Thursday night. Everybody had a good time.

Mrs. Sarah Price has been having some friends visiting her.

Miss Lydia Bissell is visiting at Oleman's for a few days.

Miss Stella McGee and Miss Gladys Sturtevant went to Independence Saturday on business.

Mr. Harry Lacey killed hogs Monday.

day. Mr. Womer and Mr. Newton helped him.

Mr. Newton and his brother were callers at Mr. Elliott's Sunday.

Mr. Newton and family have moved up on his place in Pedee.

Eldred Pruitt visited Willie Bush Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Pruitt stayed all night with Fern Adsit Sunday night.

SUNNY SLOPE

James Goodman went to Salem Thursday.

Joe Swearingen's hip is improving fast.

Noah Heffy went to Monmouth Friday for peach trees for himself and A. J. Shipley.

A. J. Shipley and son went to Monmouth Thursday.

Fred Cox, of Independence, spent Friday at Dave Olin's.

John Stump is having fine luck with his lambs.

Chahrie Holman went to Independence Saturday.

R. M. Ramsay spent Saturday in Monmouth.

George Swearingen is cutting wood

on the land he bought of Grant Heffy.

Mrs. John Walker came from her daughter's Saturday.

H. Wunder went to Independence Saturday.

A. J. Shipley is getting ready to spray his orchard.

Mrs. Joe Howsmon is staying at the home of Mr. R. M. Bosley this week.

George Sullivan, of Monmouth, made a business trip to Sunny Slope Monday.

Jess Johnson is working for Olin Hewitt.

Ralph Barber is sick with the grip.

RICKREALL

John Koser came up from Portland Tuesday for a short stay.

William Clark, of Portland, came in Monday.

Mrs. L. C. Koser is somewhat improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Eurch spent Saturday and Monday in Salem.

W. E. Clark doesn't seem to improve.

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Mrs. Leslie Carter who appears at Grand Opera House, Salem, on Wednesday, March 8, in Robert Hughes' great play, "Two Women."