

Terse Tales of the Town

Miss Ethel Van Ortwick returned to her home in Dallas last Wednesday, from an extended visit to Portland. Mrs. Emma Coad went to McMinnville last Wednesday to visit friends and to attend the Rebecca grand lodge. Dr. Hellworth of Falls City paid Dallas a business visit last Wednesday. Mr. Al. Longnecker who went to Dryad, Washington, to run a trimmer saw, has returned to Dallas and accepted the job of running the trimmer saw at the Willamette Valley Lumber company's mill. Mrs. Frankie Patterson of Astoria is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Hayter. Mr. Frank Fawk of Salt Creek was in Dallas last Wednesday. Mr. Ralph Morrison, Boots Kersey and David Grant left last Wednesday for Salmon river, where they went on a fishing trip. Mr. Krebs of Portland was in Dallas the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Banta have moved from Kansas to Dallas, arriving last Tuesday. They expect to make their future home here. Miss Hallie Gibson of Salem is spending this week with friends in Dallas. Miss Mattie Koser of Perrydale was in Dallas last Tuesday. Mrs. Claude Smith left Wednesday for her new home in Corvallis. Mrs. Claude Smith and little son of Corvallis spent the past week-end with relatives and friends in Dallas. Miss Grace Brown of the Monmouth Normal was a recent visitor with friends in Dallas. Miss Echo Baldersee returned home last Sunday, after spending several days in Black Rock. Mrs. Jefferson of Perrydale was in Dallas last week visiting friends. Miss Martin of Portland spent the past week-end with friends in Dallas. Miss Sadie Lynn, a former Dallas school teacher, now of Portland, spent the past week-end with relatives and friends in Dallas. Mrs. Fred Koser of Rieckreall was calling on old friends in Dallas last Saturday. Mr. Johnnie Bureh of Rieckreall was in town on business the last of the past week. Mr. Jack Goodell of Rieckreall motored to Dallas last Sunday to see the ball game. Mr. S. W. Whitehead went to Polk Station last Saturday on business. Mr. V. E. Gosso had the misfortune to lose a fine mule last week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison and daughters motored to Portland last Saturday. Mr. Roy Whittington left last Saturday for Kalama, Wash., where he has accepted a position in a mill. Word was received in Dallas last Saturday of the serious illness of Dean Collins, a former Dallas boy, now of Portland. Mrs. T. A. Jones and son spent the past week-end with friends in Salem. Mr. Clamfield has purchased a fine new automobile for his daughter, Leona. Mr. Frink and son Arthur of Salt Creek motored to Dallas last Monday. Miss Annie Agee of McMinnville is visiting her cousin, Miss Leona Stowe. Ralph Williams of Portland was calling on friends and relatives in Dallas last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown went to Salem yesterday to visit friends. Miss Virginia Magness of Salem is visiting his sister, Miss Nettie Magness. Mr. M. McKimm of Baker City is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. D. Brown. Mrs. Stimpson of Buell was in Dallas last Friday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Meyers and son, Paul of Smithfield spent the past week-end with relatives in Dallas. Fred Suver recently paid Corvallis a business visit. Dr. Starbuck went to Portland last Friday, where he went to see his uncle, Frank E. Starbuck, who was run over by an Oregon Electric car. J. H. Brown of Upper Salt Creek was a Dallas business visitor on Wednesday. He reports prunes in that locality as having been badly damaged. Mr. Brown has some fine eighteen-year-old English walnut trees. Farmers are busy cutting their first crop of clover. Mrs. V. P. Fiske returned home Wednesday evening, after spending several days in McMinnville. Mrs. J. Sibley, who has been attending Rebecca grand lodge at McMinnville returned home Wednesday evening. Mr. Harry H. Belt was a Whiteson visitor last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartley were Portland visitors the middle of this week. Mrs. Hattie Rhodes of Seattle is spending a few weeks with her brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Otha Williams. Mrs. G. L. Harder and little son of Salt Creek are spending a few days with friends in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Remington went to Salem the middle of the week to visit friends. Mrs. McCallon entertained the Home Missionary society of the M.

place to a wedding march played by Mrs. McIntosh. Lieutenant Genser acted as groomsman and Miss Frances Cooper as bride's maid. Masters Billie and Jim Mooreland were ushers. The bride wore a beautiful crepe de chine gown with pearl trimmings, and carried bride's buds; while her sister, maid of honor, wore blue crepe de chine and carried pink roses. The groom wore the regulation army uniform, as did also the best man. The young couple have a large number of personal friends in Polk county, all of whom extend congratulations and extend the Mr. and Mrs. Cooper their best wishes for a long life of happiness and prosperity. Those present were: Lieut. and Mrs. Hartz, Lieut. and Mrs. Taylor, Lieut. and Mrs. Riley and Mrs. Saunders, of Vancouver Barracks; Mr. and Mrs. Webber, Miss Katherine Therkelsen, Dr. Belle Ferguson, Miss Ruth Ferguson, Miss Arietta Kraus, Miss Dorelle Shives and R. D. Cooper of Portland; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cooper of Albany; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Veness of Winlock, Wash., Mrs. Anna Coad and Miss Mabel Smith of Dallas; Miss Constance Cartwright of Salem; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ireland of Nimrod; Mrs. W. D. Morel and sons of Tacoma; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Jr., Miss Genevieve Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. L. Damon, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. W. Porterfield, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paddock, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Irvine, Mrs. Sarah Young, Miss Irene Williams, Miss Nola Owen, Mrs. Ray Walker, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Walker, and Mrs. H. H. Hirschberg of Independence.

SOCIETY

Hobson-Howe. At the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Robert Howe, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Miss Olive Francis Howe was married to Mr. Frank Hobson of Portland, the Rev. James Moore of Salem officiating. Mrs. C. L. Starr of Portland sang beautifully, "To Have, To Hold, to Love You," accompanied by Mr. Wm. Caldwell. The bridal party entered the room preceded by Master Wallace Howe, carrying the ring in a lovely Calla Lily, and Nelson Soehren, Cleo Guy and Virginia Ellis, acted as flower girls, and Miss Effa Brown as bride's maid. The bride, on the arm of her brother, Mr. C. L. Howe, followed, and was met by the groom and Mr. C. S. Kennedy, best man. The bride's gown was a beautiful creation of white crepe de chine entrap, with a long veil made with mob cap and wreathed with orange blossoms. She carried white roses. Miss Brown, in a dress of crepe de chine, carried pink roses, and the dainty little girls, in white dresses with blue sashes, gave beautiful effect to the decorated bay-window where the bridal party stood. The rooms were decorated tastily with roses and ferns, the parlors in white and green, and the dining room in pink. A two course luncheon was served following the ceremony. Miss Effa Brown caught the bride's bouquet. A unique feature was the melodeon used to play the wedding march. It was the first musical instrument brought to Dallas, Mr. Wm. Caldwell played. Miss Howe is a Dallas girl and has many friends here. Mr. Hobson is mail agent between Portland and Bend. The newly married couple will make their home in Portland. Those present: Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Greer, of Dundee; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Howe, Master Wallace Howe, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Starr and Mr. C. S. Kennedy, of Portland; Mrs. Agnes Weger of Spokane; Mr. and Mrs. Embert Shoemaker of Newberg; Rev. and Mrs. James Moore and Mr. and Mrs. L. Hobson of Salem; Mr. Clinton Chorpene of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Soehren, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Howe, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Guy, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keath, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Ford, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Maunston, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Coad, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Metzger, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Layther, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Hunterberger, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Hunter, Madames Robert Howe, Margaret James, N. C. Brown, Jennie Williams, J. C. Gaynor, Mary Savage, M. G. Guy, Mabel Guy, Misses Effa Brown, Cleo Guy, Alta Savage, Virginia Ellis, Marie Shelton, Helen Soehren, Nora Robertson, Francis Dempsey, Messrs. Fred West, Wm. Caldwell, Nevin Palmer, Ralph Howe and Robert Howe of Dallas. Parker-Cooper Nuptials. The social event of the week at Independence was the wedding of Lieutenant George M. Parker, of the United States Regular Army, and Miss Dorothy Cooper, both prominent society favorites at that place, which was solemnized at high noon on Saturday last, Professor Bell of Corvallis performing the ceremony that united the happy pair in the holy bonds of wedlock. Immediately prior to the entrance of the bridal party Miss Wilson sang "I Love You," and the contracting parties proceeded to their

LOCAL CHURCHES

During the winter the Baptist Young People's Union inaugurated a novel contest between the two evenly divided divisions of the society. At the suggestion of Mr. Owen Day a chart of two transcontinental railroads was prepared and sketched, of the two Baptist chapel cars, "Immanuel" and "Good Will," were arranged on the chart in such a way that they could be moved. The contest was for members, attendance, and active service in the meetings. The rivalry was keen and the spirit of competition ran high throughout the contest. Many members were added and the spirit of helpfulness was manifest by all. The contest closed the first of May, and on Friday last, the defeated side, whose car arrived at St. Paul only fifty points behind the winners, entertained the victors to a hayrack ride and open air social. A huge bonfire furnished the light. Around this games were played and refreshments served. An informal program revealed some native talent and ingenuity. After the singing of several hymns around the bonfire the pastor led in prayer and the severing links that made two sides in the contest were united and the society as one member is undertaking larger work. They have raised money for a new organ for the church, and voted to support a native foreign missionary in China. Next Thursday the society will send a dozen delegates to the B. Y. P. U. convention at Amity. The Young People are expecting to do some practical work during the summer and more will undoubtedly be heard of them in the coming months.

Entertainers Pioneers.

Mrs. M. E. Collins entertained the Pioneer Club last afternoon at her home on Court street. The ladies spent the afternoon in talking of olden times and in doing embroidery, after which Mrs. Toner and Mrs. Fenton served a most delightful lunch. The rooms were decorated with beautiful roses. Those present were: Mrs. N. Dornstife, Mrs. Margaret James, Mrs. Kersey, Mrs. Hardy Holman, Mrs. Bronson, Mrs. S. P. Riggs, Mrs. Morgan Ellis, Mrs. Thomas Hayter, Mrs. Alice Dempsey, Mrs. Savery, Mrs. J. L. Collins and Mrs. M. E. Collins.

Entertains Her Class.

Miss Ethel Van Ortwick entertained her Sunday school class at the park last Saturday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in playing games, after which an appetizing lunch was served by the teacher. Those present were: Zelma Fulgham, Lenora Preston, Beth Minton, Myrel Van Ortwick, Mattie Morrison, Elma Hayse, Cora Ramsey, Annie Haraber, May McDonald, Lena Fuller, Myrtle Chase, Florence Garbut, Oca Gosso, Emice Martin, Lauda Pityer, Frankie Crider, Viola Ash, Anna Hogue, Hazle Gardner.

Entertainment Is a Success.

The entertainment at the Star theater Wednesday evening, given by the Camp Fire Girls, was pleasing to those who witnessed the performance. The stage was handsomely and realistically set with a garden scene, a trellis and a fence being covered profusely with roses and vines. The program itself met with expectations. Owing to the large attendance it was found necessary to give two performances, the second following immediately upon the conclusion of the first. Each participant acquitted herself very creditably.

Informal Dinner.

At the home of Mrs. Ralph Morrison of Clay street on Wednesday afternoon was given an informal dinner to a small party of lady friends, Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. J. Sibley being the hostesses. Those honored were Mrs. C. L. Starr, Mrs. J. R. Allgood, Mrs. H. Patterson, Mrs. Jack Stanley, Misses Edna Morrison, Iva Stanley, Naida Scott and Frances Dempsey.

Invitations Issued.

Mrs. J. Riley Craven and Mrs. Ulysses S. Longhary have issued invitations for an "At Home" for next Wednesday afternoon at 518 Hayter.

FIVE HELD PRISONERS.

More Independence Men Added to Jail Inmates. Nute Hunnicutt, who operates the ferry, and a fellow by the name of Hockman, one of Governor West's honor men are in the Polk county jail awaiting a hearing before the grand jury on the charge of having been implicated with Harry, Guy and Emzie Hunnicutt in robberies at Independence. The latter three were given a preliminary hearing at Independence the first of the week. The former two were brought here yesterday, after having had their hearing at the same place.

The Fly Campaign.

The committee appointed to carry on a fly extermination campaign in Dallas has sent 300 circular letters to housewives throughout the city, in which co-operation is asked. A considerable number of traps are in use.

Band Benefit.

The Dallas band has completed arrangements with the Foley & Burk Amusement company of California to play here sometime in July, for its benefit. Get your butter wrappers at the Observer office.

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that is, only those members are permitted to work who are compelled to do so by reason of their position. Father's day was observed at the Independence Methodist church last Sunday. The Christian church of Independence has retained Minister Crow for another year. The ladies of the Methodist church at Independence will serve a cafeteria dinner on June 4. The new parsonage of the Evangelical church at Monmouth is complete. Rev. W. A. Gweiloy has just rounded out his year as pastor. The church raised \$1800 during the year. Tillamook Catholics dedicated a \$10,000 church last Sunday. Rev. H. E. Marshall, pastor of the First Baptist church of Salem, who is suing Kittie M. Marshall for divorce, has been upheld in the action by the board of deacons of the congregation. Mr. Marshall charges his wife with cruel and inhuman treatment and personal indignities. The Home Missionary society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. McCallon on Wednesday afternoon. "Making Your Religion Count for Something" will be Rev. C. P. Gates' morning topic at the Evangelical church. The evening service will be under the auspices of the Woman's Missionary society. A musical and literary program will be rendered. G. E. Williams of Milwaukie, State Evangelist of the Christian church has begun a series of revival meetings at Monmouth. In addition to the regular services, stereopticon views are shown.

SPIN IN POLK COUNTY.

Traveler Writes of His Observations While Autoing Here.

A Statesman representative took a spin over Polk county Tuesday afternoon. The roads are smooth, and in and around Dallas are being treated to a heavy coat of oil that does away with the dust. The main roads through the county north and south are to be treated in the same manner. This will save them from having the surface torn away by the heavy traffic of autos and motor trucks. The oil keeps the binder that holds the rock and gravel in place and also makes a cushion to keep machines from being torn to pieces. Crops never looked better in Polk county. Prunes and cherries will be a light crop. But the hops are coming on up to standard bumper crop dimensions. Dallas has developed into an enormous orchard section. The city under the hills shows signs of business and all the industries are starting up. A Portland firm has purchased the dormant handle factory and expects to operate it at once. Over at Independence there is life and activity on account of the overflow of wet traffic from Salem. Extra police have had to be put on, and it may take a regiment of national guard to keep order during hop picking time. New buildings are going up and there is an air of business life and activity. Dallas newspaper men and commercial club are making plans to entertain the Willamette Valley Press association some time during the last week in July.—Salem Statesman.

VETERANS TO WORSHIP.

Post Commander Issues First Order to Comrades. Head Quarters U. S. Grant Post, G. A. R., Dallas, Oregon. General Order No. 1.—In obedience to orders by the Department Commander, U. S. Grant Post, No. 17, Grand Army of the Republic, is hereby ordered to assemble at the Armory at 7 p. m., May 24, for the purpose of attending divine service at the Christian church. Conveyances will be provided for those unable to walk. Comrades will wear badges and gloves. P. S. GREENWOOD, Commander.

OAK GROVE.

Miss Lillie Dady, who will graduate in music at Dallas college this year, spent several days at home. Mr. Ackley was a Salem visitor this week. E. Harris' family will spend the summer camping here. Benton Smith lost a valuable horse a week ago.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

As our government has set aside the 30th day of May of each year as a national holiday to show respect for the living as well as the dead soldiers of the civil as well as the Spanish-American wars and those of our loved ones who have passed to the great beyond, now, therefore, as Mayor of the City of Dallas, I hereby kindly request all citizens of our City to suspend all business from the hours of 10 to 12 a. m. of said day and take part in the exercises to be held at the Armory. I also kindly request that the teachers of the public schools have their scholars in the parade, that it may create in them a patriotic spirit and love of country. (Signed.) J. G. VAN ORSDEL, Mayor of Dallas, Oregon.

Death of Former Resident.

The death of Harry Inlah at Fairfield last Saturday is chronicled by the Statesman. Deceased was 78 years old, and was a former resident of Polk county. He settled at Broad-

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank those friends who so liberally supported me for the nomination for county surveyor in the primary election and assure all that if elected in November I will exert every effort to conduct the office in a manner that will meet with their approval. 23-1t. SANDFORD B. TAYLOR.

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