

TERSE TALES OF TOWN

LOCAL NEWS OF DALLAS AND THIS NEIGHBORHOOD.

Personal Paragraphs Pertaining to People and Their Movements, Gleaned by Observer.

The Newport correspondent of The Statesman sends the following about Polk county people to that paper: Nathan Selig, a prominent business man of Falls City, and family, will arrive shortly from the Polk city in an automobile, coming by way of the new automobile road through the Siletz basin. This road, recently completed, promises to be very popular with tourists as it extends through some of the most scenic country in the entire state. The Seligs plan to stay several days. . . . Walter L. Tooze, Jr., an attorney of Dallas, accompanied by Mrs. Tooze and their three-year-old son, Walter L. Tooze, III, will arrive in Newport shortly in Mr. Tooze's Stoddard-Dayton for a brief outing at the beach. . . . Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hinshaw of Falls City, will arrive in a few days to pass a vacation at the beach. Mr. and Mrs. Hinshaw are well-known residents of Polk county, where Mr. Hinshaw has been engaged in business for many years. . . . Carl Fenton, the well-known athlete of the University of Oregon, will arrive in a few days to pass a week at the beach. . . . E. B. Miller and William Elting of Dallas, were recent arrivals. They are registered at the Copeland house. . . . Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Huff and Mrs. Wayfield Huff of Independence are among cottagers at Sea Crest.

C. D. Chorpining, a former Dallas boy, now living at Klamath Falls, has been visiting old friends here. Miss B. F. Barrett has returned from an outing at the Tillamook county beaches, and is taking Miss Owing's place as stenographer in Oscar Hayter's office during the latter's absence at Belknap springs. Dr. R. E. L. Steiner and Judge Benson of Salem were recent guests at the home of Mayor and Mrs. E. C. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Shriver have returned from a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hamilton at Hubbard.

Mrs. Edward De Pue and daughter, Miss May, who have been the guests of her sister, Mrs. George Swinderman, for the past several weeks, returned to their home in Seattle last week.

Mrs. George Conkey of Independence has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDevitt.

Mrs. C. S. Chapin of Ellensburg, Washington, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Miller. Miss Lillie Boman of Salem was recently visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Boman.

Miss Edna Holmes, operator at the office of the Dallas Telephone company, left Thursday for a month's visit at Corvallis and Newport.

Mrs. Charles Lane is visiting relatives and friends in Portland for a few days.

Mrs. H. A. Boyd and daughter, Miss Frances, left Saturday morning for their home in Duval, Washington, after an extended visit with friends here.

Mrs. D. P. Patterson and daughters departed yesterday for a month's stay at Newport.

Mrs. Chas. Gregory is spending her vacation away from business cares at the Newport beach.

Miss Winnie Launer has returned from a month's outing at Newport. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Chapin and family of Salem were in the city last week visiting at the home of Mrs. Chapin's mother, Mrs. Henry Muscott.

Fred Suver of the Dallas Steam laundry spent last week at the home of his parents near Suver.

Miss Winnie Hargrove, stenographer for Attorney John R. Sibley, has returned from a month's vacation at Shepherd Springs, Washington.

Mrs. F. E. Davis and children have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Eliza Loughary of Monmouth is in the city this week a guest at the home of her son, U. S. Loughary.

Miss Nola Coad visited at the home of relatives in Portland last week. Miss Lucy Kopan and Miss Gertrude Pollow are in the city and will remain a short time. The former will teach in Eastern Oregon and the latter in Salem.

Miss Ruth Barrett spent the week-end in Portland visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Fenton and Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Grant attended the baseball game at McMinnville Sunday.

Miss Jennie Muscott left Monday for the coast, for an indefinite stay. Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Yoakum and Misses Hallie Smith and Maud Barnes left yesterday for Newport.

Mr. Fred Stinnett visited Otho C. Hart at Corvallis the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Flake and family left Monday for their summer cottage at Newport.

Miss Lena Meyers of Salem visited Miss Winnie Launer Sunday.

Miss Charlotte Vaughn entertained a number of her little friends at her home Saturday afternoon, the event being her seventh birthday.

Mr. Herman Jennings of Perrydale was in Dallas Saturday evening.

Evelyn Fatland of Falls City and Vida Fatland of Monmouth have been graduated from Reed college, and appointed to teach.

No less than six separate and distinct investigations of the Eastland disaster are now under way. And with so many problems at work they certainly should be able to get at the bottom of the trouble.

Mrs. Glenn of Seattle is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Venzle. Mrs. Harry Cosper was called to Salem to the home of her sister, who is very ill.

Miss Edna Townsend of Salem visited at the home of Mrs. Maurice Dalton Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Tate is visiting in Oregon City.

berg, Mrs. Harry Price, Mrs. E. A. Adams and Mrs. E. K. Piasecki.

Judge J. A. Van Orsdel of Washington, D. C., accompanied by Mrs. Van Orsdel, arrived in Dallas yesterday, and are guests of his brother, Hon. J. G. Van Orsdel and family. Judge Van Orsdel is one of the three justices of the United States court of appeals, and was assistant attorney general under the Roosevelt administration, succeeding to his present position through appointment by Theodore Roosevelt. Judge Van Orsdel was formerly attorney general of Wyoming, and afterwards a member of the supreme court of that state. They will remain in Dallas several days, after which they will proceed to Canada where the judge is interested in wheat lands.

Autoists who travel the valley to any great extent come back in droves complimenting the dustless joys of riding over the Polk county roads, and the joys of driving on a dustless road are even more pronounced to the farmer in his wagon, according to those who have lived through miles of dust storms in Marion county behind strings of automobiles. Road users throughout the county are wondering why the county court doesn't fall in line with the oiling plan, which has made Polk county roads so popular. —Salem Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. James Robble and Mr. and Mrs. Harris are at the coast this week.

Judge John F. Hall of Marshfield, recently elected noble grand of the I. O. O. F. grand lodge, will visit Dallas in the near future.

Mrs. Lomenacker's Sunday school class enjoyed a chicken dinner at the Methodist church yesterday afternoon. The young ladies, numbering about a dozen, assisted in preparing the meal, which made it all the more enjoyable.

Mr. W. A. Graham of Falls City was a Dallas visitor yesterday. In another column of The Observer he offers four grade Jerseys for sale.

The soldier boys went to the rifle range on Sunday for practice, and made fairly good scores. The marksmen are getting ready for the annual shoot, to be held later in the season. The county court went to Spring Valley yesterday, there to inspect road work.

The Ford automobile is now selling for \$440, announcement of which is made in another column by Mr. Shreeve, the local agent. Mr. Shreeve also has the agency for the Dodge, which is now being shown to many admirers. The Dodge car is considered the best low priced article on the market.

Mrs. B. F. Butler and daughter left yesterday for Newport, where they will spend a month.

E. E. Tripp of Independence was a Dallas visitor on Sunday.

D. C. Walker, the Buell merchant, was taken violently sick late last week, but is improving.

Don't forget that Al. Snyder will write hop insurance this year.

Dr. Turner of the firm of Lowe & Turner, eye specialists of Portland, will be in Dallas again Friday and Saturday, August 20-21. At Falls City Thursday, August 19th.

Mr. E. Field Knight of Corvallis was in Dallas Sunday.

Miss Ruby Ann Lawrence of Monmouth was in Dallas Sunday, visiting Miss Elva Lucas.

Mr. Ira Mix of Independence was operated on at the Dallas hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Wayne and son, Alfred, of Jordon, Oregon is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Starbuck.

Mr. Monte Wax visited friends in Dallas the week-end.

Wins Puppy as Prize.

Some time ago C. D. Naiton, who lives in the vicinity of Ballston and who has been known all over the country for the past thirty years as a breeder of Scotch collie dogs, offered through the Pacific Homestead a prize of a dog for the best written article on the subjects of dogs sent in by boys and girls. Geraldine, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Rundell entered the contest by writing an essay and sending it in, and a few days ago she was informed that she had been awarded the prize. On Saturday the puppy arrived and is now getting acquainted with its new owner and the new surroundings. —Newberg Graphic.

The Friends' Club.

Mrs. Harriett Venzle delightfully entertained the members of the Friends' club at her summer home. The dining room was tastefully decorated with pink geraniums. Late in the afternoon a delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Glenn and Mrs. Bryson. The invited guests were: Meadames T. J. Hayter, Alice Demsey, Frank Collins, Beatrice Grant, Riggs, Hardy Holman, Wm. Kersey, Anne Embrose, Martha Burns, Rhoda Ellis, D. Bronson, Mrs. Boyd of Seattle, Hulda Savery, Mrs. Venzle. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Wm. Kersey.

George Winters Elected.

George Winters of Corvallis, a graduate of the state normal school at Monmouth, has been elected principal of the schools at Ballston, Polk county, for next year. H. H. Parsons of McMinnville had previously been elected to the position, but recently resigned to take up another line of school work.

Now Drawing to Close.

The tent meetings which have been in progress during the past month under the auspices of the Seventh Day Adventists, will come to an end with the present week. Prof. Johnson will go to Portland for a time, but Prof. Emerson will remain in Dallas for several weeks.

Organizing Beginners' Band.

Mr. Marsh, leader of the Dallas band, is organizing a beginners' band and already has a number of members. The first meeting will be held next Tuesday evening, and Mr. Marsh requests all who wish to join to notify him without delay, as the number of members will be limited to fifteen.

Makes Long Auto Trip.

Mr. J. C. Penny, owner of seventy-seven stores throughout the country, was in Dallas this morning, having motored from New York city. He will visit his several stores on this coast.

PRICE STORE ENDANGERED.

Clothes Presser Leaves Hot Iron, Which Sets Fire.

Price Brothers, who have a store in Dallas, also have one at Oregon City. The other day they came near having a fire at the latter place, and according to the Oregonian, it happened in this way:

The story of how a perspective bridegroom forgot himself, and almost set fire to Price Brothers store, is being whispered around Oregon City. Helen Smith and Arthur Soesbe took a trip to Portland and obtained a marriage license. Soesbe is employed by Price Brothers as tailor and presser, and late yesterday went to the store to put the finishing touches on some work. When he left the building, he left the electric iron on and at 10:15 o'clock last night Patrolman Woodward noticed that the store was filled with smoke. Assisted by Hub Thomas, operator in the Grand theater, Woodward climbed through the window to find that an electric iron was burning into the table. There was no damage to either the building or the stock.

Camp Fire Girls Will Hike.

The Camp Fire girls held their final meeting before leaving for the coast, at the home of Mrs. H. A. Woods, Monday evening. Plans were laid for the outing supplies. All were in favor of taking a wagon load of eats. The girls will leave Saturday morning at 4:00 a. m., and they expect to make a camp in the woods one night while on their route to Slab Creek. There will be only six members of the Camp Fire girls going to the beach this summer. The party will be composed of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Loughary, Misses Helen Loughary, Muriel Grant, Nina Farley, Marie Griffin, Gladys Loughary and Marjorie Holman.

Hung Up at Rose Lodge.

Paul Hunter, Horace Webster, Ralph Bennett and Lou Muscott went to the Rose Lodge neighborhood, there to fish, but have failed to return at this writing. Cause: Striped gear. A new thingabob was ordered from Portland, to go thither by parcels post, and after it arrives, and the old one replaced, the party will wend its homeward way.

Stuck in Siletz Basin.

County School Superintendent Seymour and party of campers are still in the Siletz basin. The heavy rains in that locality have rendered the roads impassable, and Mr. Seymour is unable to make it out. In the meantime he is studiously praying for sunshine.

Sells Interest in Laundry.

Mr. Hughes has sold his interest in the City Steam laundry to his partner, Mr. G. L. Guy, who recently came here to enter business, and who is a thorough laundryman. Mr. Hughes will go to the coast for a few weeks.

Small Farm Sold.

William Kiehl this morning sold his place of five acres in Salt Creek to William Villwoed, who will take possession at once.

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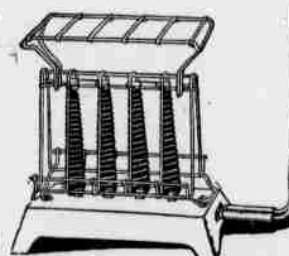
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