

HIGH SCHOOL VISITS O. A. C.

Monmouth Students and Friends

Spent Tuesday, May 4,

At Corvallis

Forty-nine pupils of the Monmouth High School and friends are visiting the Oregon Agricultural College today. Chaperoned by Prof. E. L. Keezel, principal, and Miss Florence Rees, one of the high school teachers, they came to Corvallis this morning by automobile, nine autos being required to accommodate the contingent. The young people left the Normal school city at 8 o'clock this morning, arriving here about nine-thirty, and after parking the cars among the trees that grace the driveway between the administration building and mechanical hall, the party started on a sight-seeing program that consumed the entire day. They visited many of the buildings during the forenoon periods, watched the drilling of the cadets at the noon hour, and at 1 o'clock were divided into two groups and taken to Waldo and Cauthorn Halls for dinner. This afternoon they are busy seeing the shops and laboratories, barns and poultry department. Prof. G. V. Skelton and Darwin G. Thayer are conducting the party on their visit here.

The party, other than Prof. Keezel and Miss Rees, are C. B. Bowman, Gladys Putnam, Harry McCoy, D. B. Parkes, Earl McNeill, C. C. Powell, Mr. Rogers, Velma Smith, Mrs. Heffley, Mari McDonald, Grace Parker, Mabel Smith, Wilda Fuller, Gertrude Rogers, Joe Staats, Helen Moore, Laurel Canning, Belle Steinberg, Guy Saere, Birchard Van Loan, Neta Harvey, Alton McClellan, Ibbey Green, Stanley Evans, Perry Powell, Gaynelle Shore, Grace Williams, Irene Hagenbush, Elsie Jones, Ruth Wilson, Mr. Smith, H. Gentle, Burton Bell, Gail Hildebrand, Josephine C. Heffley, J. B. V. Butler, Ermine Gentle, Marie Morlan, Gertrude Heffley, Harvey, Harold Haley, Stanton Ogbury, Donald Portwood and Edna Parkes.—Corvallis Gazette-Times.

C. A. Wolfe Suicides

On Monday, near the hour of noon, C. A. Wolfe, who has been a resident of Monmouth for the past eighteen or twenty months, was found in his barn where he had hanged himself. His wife discovered him but by the time aid was secured to cut him down life was extinct although a physician was called.

Mr. Wolfe had been around town that morning as usual and seemed in his usual spirits. He had purchased some tomato plants and sets them out and is reported to have set some plants out for Mrs. C. W. Stengel a short time before committing the deed. He ate an early dinner and went to his barn, fastened the rope to a beam and stepped off the hay with the above result.

C. A. Wolfe was a native of Germany and was about 57 years old. After serving his time in the German Army he migrated to the United States and lived for a while in Iowa, and then came to Oregon and worked for a time near Jefferson after which he went to the Alsea country where he took up a homestead which he disposed of about the time he came to Monmouth. He was married a few years ago. So far as we are informed he had no relatives in this country except his wife.

F. M. Fisher had charge of the

funeral services which were held at the home and the body was laid to rest Tuesday afternoon in the cemetery south of Monmouth.

Circulating Library

Below we give a list of new books received from the State this week for circulation.

The local library carries three sets of books from the State, one set of fifty being returned each sixty days and another set received. Besides these the library has about one hundred books which have been donated, also a number of magazines that aid in the variety of circulation. The library is free and open to all persons.

Old Stories of the East, by Baldwin. Prisoners of Conscience, by Barr. American Boys' Handy Book, by Beard.

Short Stories from American History, by Blaisdell & Ball.

Wild Wheat, by Blundell (Francis.) Poor Boys Who Became Famous, by Bolton.

Life of Chaplain McCabe, by Bristol. True Story of Lafayette, by Brooks.

The Petrie Estate, by Brown. Stories of Brave Dogs, by Carter.

Richard Carvel, by Churchill. Success in Letter Writing, by Cody.

Letters from China, by Conger. The Deerslayer, by Cooper.

Dombey & Son, by Dickens. Treasury of Verse for Little Children, by Edgar.

Girls' Book of Famous Queens, by Farmer.

Twilight Stories, by Folke. The Missionary Sheriff, by French (Thane.)

The Turn of the Road, by Frothingham.

Scientific Ideas of Today, by Gibson. With Spurs of Gold, by Green & Kirk.

Art Literature Primer, by Grover. Rupert of Hentzau, by Hawkins (Hope.)

Dutch Life in Town and Country, by Hough.

Insect Book, by Howard. Rise of Silas Lapham, by Howells.

Betty Leicester, by Jewett. Egypt, by Kelly.

Mexican Trails, by Kirkham. Katrine, by Lane.

Cinderella, by Lang. Bimbi, by La Ramée (Ouida.)

Household of Glen Holly, by Lillie. The Columbia River, by Lyman.

Judith of the Cumberlands, by MacGowan.

Stories of Robin Hood, by McSpadden.

Our Little French Cousin, by Mansfield (McManus.)

First Book of Birds, by Miller. Jessamy Bride, by Moore.

Red Saunders' Pets, by Phillips. American Poultry Culture, by Sando.

Midshipman Paulding, by Seawell. Chris, the Modelmaker, by Stoddard.

Gold Seeking on the Dalton Trail, by Thompson.

Guarding the Border, by Tomlinson. Captain of the Kittiwink, by Ward.

War in the Air, by Wells. Polly Oliver's Problem, by Wiggin.

What Katy Did at School, by Woolsey (Coolidge.)

Real Estate Transfers

In Polk County.

The following is a list of realty transfers recorded during the week ending April 28, 1915, and reported to the Herald by Sibley & Eakin, Abstracters, 515 Court street, Dallas, Oregon:

Barbara H. and D. B. Griffin to Joseph Barber, w. d. lot 3 in Johnson's Cherry Orchard, \$1.

Geo. M. Reeves and wife to Arthur M. Sperry, w. d. lot 34 in Strong's Fruit Tract No. 1, \$500.

Effie J. and E. J. Young to Roy W. Sperry, w. d. lots 47 and 48 in Strong Fruit Tract No. 1, \$900.

Sara A. and James C. Collins to Jason Neely, w. d. lots 1, 2, 3, 4 in block 9, in Thorp's Add to Independence, \$200.

L. and M. S. Currier to Etta O. Walker, w. d. 90 feet off East end lots 7 and 8, block 23, Hill's Independence, \$900.

Philip Cave to Pearl C. Cooper,

w. d. lot 3 block 33 in Thorp's Independence, \$400.

W. P. Marrs and wife to R. Belden Tooze, w. d. 32 lots in City View Add to Dallas, \$10.

W. L. and H. A. Bice to C. D. Calbreath, w. d. part lot 3 block 2 in Hill's Independence, \$—.

J. C. and Sarah J. Hammel to Solomon S. and Susie S. Ediger, w. d. 10.94 acres in Cl. No. 63, t 7 s r 5 w, \$3000.

Oregon Gravel & Contracting Company to Chas. E. Herren, deed to 7.27 acres E. of Frac. Blocks and lot 4 Frac. Block 5 in Independence, \$2000.

N. C. Davis and wife to H. A. Davis, w. d. lot 19, block 2 in Sheridan View Acres, \$10.

R. A. Campbell to G. A. Withee, q. c. d. 39.68 acres in claim No. 40, t 6 s r 5 w, \$1.

J. B. Teal and wife to Teal Creek Railway Company, deed, 40 feet right of way over land in sec 32, t 8 s r 6 w, \$1.

W. C. and Fred E. Seachrest to Frederick C. Pratt, q. c. d. 1-2 acre in sec 34, t 6 s r 5 w, \$1.

David S. McDonald and Andrew B. Muir to Chas. K. Spaulding Log. Company, w. d. NE 1-4 sec 32, t 8 s r 7 w, \$7000.

Geo. D. Stewart to Eliza J. Fuller, w. d. part lots 8 and 9 Klose Illihe, \$1400.

Save your combings and let Blanche C. Stitt weave you a switch. Phone 3905 or call first door north of HERALD office.

The Making of a Hero. A seasoned old "salt" was a devoted admirer of a young midshipman who served on the same warship, says the London Citizen. An accident occurred—a man overboard and a gallant rescue by one of the lieutenants, which brought a handsome letter of commendation from the admiralty.

"It's a nice thing to get a letter like that," said the old tar to his young friend. "You ought to have one."

"Well, I'll have to wait my chance," said the midshipman.

"See here," said the other, "I'll drop from the rigging, and you jump in and rescue me."

"But I can't swim," was the reply.

"Never you mind," said the veteran; "I'll hold you up till the boat comes."

Homelike. Alice, aged four, on the arrival of her favorite aunt, said, "Now, Aunt Mary, do make yourself at home while you are here."

Her aunt replied, "What must I do to make myself at home?" Little Alice said, "Pitch in and help me work."

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank

At Monmouth, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, May 1st, 1915.

RESOURCES.

1. a Loans and discounts (notes held in bank)	\$119,255.11
• Total loans	\$119,255.11
2. • Overdrafts, secured, \$—; unsecured, \$31.14	31.14
3. a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$ 15,000.00
• Total U. S. bonds	15,000.00
4. c Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits	\$ 2,000.00
d Bonds, securities pledged as collateral for State, or other deposits or bills payable (postal excluded)	11,500.00
f Securities other than U. S. bonds, (not including stocks) owned unpledged	19,070.40
• Total bonds, securities, etc.	32,570.40
5. Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve bank	\$2,400.00
a Less amount unpaid	1,200.00
b All other stocks, including premium on same	1,200.00
6. Banking house, \$8,500.00; furniture and fixtures	\$1,500.00
8. Due from Federal Reserve bank	10,000.00
9. a Due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis	\$ 11,295.05
b Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	34,662.98
10. Due from banks and bankers (other than included in 8 or 9)	45,968.00
13. a Outside checks and other cash items	\$ 2,383.13
b Fractional currency, nickels, and cents	127.90
14. Notes of other national banks	210.00
16. Total coin and certificates	12,261.30
18. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	\$ 750.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	750.00
Total	\$245,911.57

LIABILITIES.

1. Capital stock paid in	\$ 30,000.00
2. Surplus fund	10,000.00
3. Undivided profits	\$10,778.16
Reserved for taxes	—
Reserved for	\$10,778.16
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,786.57
4. Circulating notes	15,000.00
Less amount on hand and in Treasury for redemption or in transit	550.00
8. Dividends unpaid	14,450.00
9. Demand deposits:	108.50
a Individual deposits subject to check	\$99,463.37
b Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	12,526.41
d Cashier's checks outstanding	431.07
f Postal savings deposits	889.14
g State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 4d of "Resources"	\$1,922.70
10. Time deposits:	145,232.69
a Certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days	\$ 38,128.84
b State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by item 4d of "Resources"	38,128.84
Total	\$245,911.57

State of Oregon,

County of Polk,

I, W. E. Smith, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. E. SMITH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of May, 1915.

WALTER G. BROWN, Notary Public.

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