

**LOCAL BREVITIES
AND NEWS ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Overstreet and daughter of Portland were Sunday guests at the R. C. Deming home in Estacada.

Mrs. Mary Bartholomew of Heppner and Walter and Lee, of Portland spent Sunday at the home E. E. Saling of Currinsville.

A special rate of \$1.08 is announced by the railroad company, for the round trip to Portland from Estacada, on circus day, September 2nd.

Mrs. Charles E. Dubois and children of Estacada are spending a vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton of Viola.

Father W. R. Hogan of Portland, arrived Saturday afternoon and held services Sunday for the members of the Roman Catholic Church, around here.

The youngsters and in fact a whole lot of the elders will be glad to note that Barnum & Bailey's circus is scheduled for Portland September 2nd.

The high cost of law breaking was realized lately by a California wholesale liquor dealer, who had to plank down \$30,000 for shipping booze into this state.

Mrs. Guy Woodle and family of Portland are at their Upper Eagle Creek farm, where they are putting up canned fruits and planning to enjoy a huckleberrying trip later.

Word has been received from Harry Reid, that he has been transferred to Battery D, 38th Field Artillery, Camp Lewis. They are all part of the 38th Division under General Vanderbilt, and expect to go over in about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lang of Portland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Foster of Eagle Creek. They were accompanied by Miss Gussie Githens who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Lang, while recuperating from a recent operation.

Several interesting letters were received last week by Mrs. E. W. Bartlett of Estacada from her son Ken who is now in France. Of the three letters, one had been written on shipboard, one in England and last in France. Ken was enthusiastic over the conditions and outlook for service and was profuse in his praise of the meals served to the soldiers.

A. Froelinger of Portland is paying a short visit in town and looking up his old friends.

Foreman John Dunseath of the News force, accompanied by wife and children, was in Portland on business Friday.

There will be a dance, with Portland music at Cogswell's Hall in Eagle Creek, on Saturday evening, August 31st, to which all are invited.

Lt. E. O. Turner and wife spent the week end at the Estacada. The Lieutenant is stationed at the Vancouver barracks, but he and Mrs. Turner hail from the classic shades of Harvard, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed and children of Estacada returned last week from a ten days auto trip to Camp Lewis, Tacoma, Seattle and Ranier National Park. They were accompanied on the return by Miss Mary Oakley of Seattle.

Sunday September first, is the time for putting your summer straw in limbo, and donning a new fall hat. But owing to our chronic impecuniosity, we shall continue to wear our Panama, for sometime longer, weather permitting.

Miss Peggie Standish of Estacada spent a few days at Twin Rocks, near Barview on the coast, as the guest of Miss Jean Adix of Estacada. The entire party, including Dr. and Mrs. Adix and son Victor returned to Estacada this week.

Mrs. Upton H. Gibbs received word last Monday of the sudden death on the 22nd of her elder brother from heart failure. The funeral was held on the 24th, his fifty-fifth birthday. He was unmarried. This is the fourth death in her immediate family circle in the last fourteen months.

Boys who run their pushmobiles on the sidewalk down the hill from 5th and Main Streets, are warned to be careful of pedestrians as some ladies have complained of being nearly run into. Parents of the boys are kindly requested to call their attention to this, and so prevent an accident.

Edward Shearer of Garfield, reports that on Sunday, the lightning struck a cedar tree on his place, about a hundred feet from the barn. It took a strip about the size of a fence rail from ten feet above the ground nearly to the top, some twenty feet in length. Mr. Shearer who is a well known chicken expert, will be superintendent of the poultry exhibit, at the coming state fair this fall.

Call at the News office and get acquainted with the new editor, he will appreciate your kindness and courtesy.

If this issue of the News is not up to concert pitch, it is due to the editor-to-be trying his prentice hand.

The guests at the Fred Bartholomew home in Estacada Sunday, were Mrs. Mary Bartholomew of Heppner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bartholomew and Lee Bartholomew of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sparks motored down Saturday evening, to Portland where they visited over Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Laurry, who formerly had charge of the Estacada.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Givens and sons of Estacada are now enjoying a vacation trip in Central Oregon, having left last week by auto for Wasco, expecting to be gone about ten days.

George G. Root, the genial president of the Alaska Plumbing and Heating Company of Portland, accompanied by his little son, called at the News office, Friday afternoon. He was here representing the Portland Evaporating Co.

Mrs. O. P. Harvey of Grants Pass, Oregon, who has been attending the G. A. R. reunion in Portland, spent the week-end at the home of her neice, Mrs. Henry Trapp of Garfield.

John W. Howard from Dodge dropped into the News office Saturday morning, paying his subscription and getting acquainted with the new editor. Mr. Howard has moved around considerably and has interesting information about the various states in which he has lived.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bates entertained a number of relatives and friends last Sunday, Mr. A. D. Smith, Mrs. Henrietta Brookings and Mrs. Ann Millard of Kirksville, Missouri, cousins whom Mr. Bates has just met for the first time in forty-seven years. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Millard, of Springwater; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bates and three daughters, of Barton; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bates of Eagle Creek; Mrs. Clara Hicinbothorn and daughter of River Mill, and Mrs. Myrtle Belfils of Estacada. Mrs. Brookings had a grandson killed in the trenches in France on the tenth of last June.

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