

**LOCAL BREVITIES
AND NEWS ITEMS**

Milk bottles will be installed in four of the business houses, the contents of which will be collected the 15th of each month and devoted to the relief of Belgian and French children.

John C. Noe of Oregon City has been nominated by the Republican County Central Committee for Recorder at the coming election, in the place of D. C. Boyles withdrawn.

Peter Carrol of Seattle who is going to spend the winter with his friend J. A. Brooks, on his ranch near town called at the News office Saturday morning and subscribed for the paper.

Mrs. O. K. Morton and Miss Kendall who have been stationed at the Fish Creek Mountain lookout the past summer, under Mr. Wallace returned the forepart of last week. Mrs. Morton will remain in Estacada for sometime.

The coolness in the temperature, set us to work putting up our winter stoves. This is a job in which we keep our mouth rigidly shut, lest we speak unadvisedly with our lips, and see that there are no mind readers around, while we are engaged in so doing.

G. A. Weaver an old friend of Rev. H. Spiess, now living in Portland, visited the latter Wednesday of last week. Mr. Weaver was present when the Rev. H. Spiess was recommended for admission to the Southwest Missouri Conference thirty years ago. The two had a great time together reviving old associations.

J. W. Gartner who was cashier in the Estacada State Bank from 1908 to 1911, and then removed to Oatman Arizona, and more recently to Los Angeles, California, was visiting here Friday and Saturday. He returned to Portland, Saturday afternoon, where he will go to work in the East Side Bank. His short visit afforded much pleasure to his friends in town.

A jolly "get-to-gether" party of former high school students was given Tuesday evening at the home of Gladys Carpenter in honor of the boys who are leaving this week for Student Army Training. John Schenk and George Harkenrider are leaving for work at the U. of O., Lewis Jones to Reed, while Clyde Denney, Oral Stormer and Atle Erickson are planning on attending the O. A. C.

Mrs. Emily Lady and daughter Virginia, left last Monday for Wauna, Oregon, where they will spend the winter. Their many friends regret their departure, and will look forward to their return next spring.

Henry Spiess was here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. Spiess last Sunday. He has lately returned from a training camp in California and has been appointed Instructor in Military Tactics at the Willamette university.

The ladies of the Red Cross Auxiliary were busily engaged Saturday and Monday afternoons making aprons for the refugees. There should be a larger attendance at their meetings, as the demand for these articles is great and the time is short.

After about three years' faithful service Miss Elna Hoygaard will sever her connection with this office on Friday evening. Her work during this period, has been of a most painstaking and conscientious character. She is as yet undecided as to her future plans, but in whatever she will engage, and wherever she may go she will carry with her the best wishes of the Eastern Clackamas News.

Last Tuesday afternoon the ladies of Currinsville met with Mrs. Mattson to sew for the Red Cross. A business meeting was held after the sewing was done. Miss Della Lovell was elected chairman and Mrs. E. Linn, treasurer. The ladies are trying to obtain permanent quarters for their sewing room and hope to have all the ladies who live in Currinsville, who do not sew with the Estacada Red Cross, meet with them every Tuesday afternoon.

Reception Tendered Teacher

On last Friday evening the parents of the Currinsville school children gave a reception at the Currinsville school house for the teacher, Mrs. Wilson.

The meeting was a very informal affair and resulted in the parents and teacher getting acquainted with one another. The meeting was presided over by Lester Hale, chairman of the school board. Various topics of interest to parents, pupils and teacher were discussed, the most important among them being the hot lunches for the pupils at noon.

Mrs. Coop gave an interesting talk on this subject with the result that everyone voted for the re-establishment of the warm lunch at noon. This will be the first step towards restandardizing the school.

After the meeting was over all joined in singing "The Star Spangled Banner" and other patriotic songs after which the ladies served coffee and cake.

Mrs. Wilson seemed very much pleased with conditions as she found them, especially with the hearty welcome she received.

We all wish that she may be very successful and happy with us during the coming school year.

A. C. Demoy who has been working in the mills at Oregon City, will enter the Y. M. C. A. war work, and is moving his family here from the county seat.

R. M. Standish assumed Monday an editorial position on the staff of the Oregon Voter. His family will remain here, perhaps all the winter, and he will be home week ends.

UPPER EAGLE CREEK

W. Douglass was a Portland visitor on Monday.

H. S. Gibson was an Oregon City visitor last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Naylor were visitors at the Gresham Fair last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Paddison were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brash Sunday.

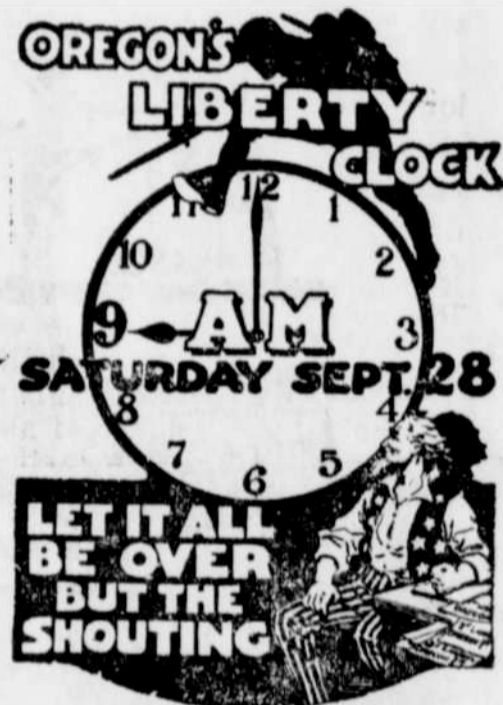
Mr. and Mrs. Harrington of Portland, were recently the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Orke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Woodle spent Sunday at the home of their son, Malcolm Woodle of Troutdale.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Gibson and James Gibson, of Barton were up this way last Wednesday evening.

The young people of the neighborhood gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffmeister and spent Sunday afternoon, with Miss Myrtle Hoffmeister.

The Liberty Loan Rally held at the Douglass school house Saturday evening, was well attended. Rev. Henry Speiss, of Estacada, was present and made an excellent address. The people responded quite well to the call for subscriptions to bonds, \$850.00 being pledged.



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