

**Norway News Items**

We are offering a little correction on someone's article in Coos Bay Times, on Aug. 8, relative to the Schroeder family picnic held in McCloskey grove, Norway, on Aug. 3rd, in which it was stated that Mrs. Kate Hodson was the oldest lady present and listed her age as over 80 years. To be exact, she is only 78 years. Mrs. Dora Hanly, who was present, was the oldest lady, at 78 years.

Fred Wright, a ranch hand on the E. H. Sparks ranch on Grady's Creek, suffered a bad heart attack last Thursday morning and Dr. Beber of the Thomas hospital, Myrtle Point, was called. The doctor decided he would have to be kept quiet and it would not be necessary at this time to move him to the hospital. At last accounts Mr. Wright was getting along as well as could be expected.

On Thursday Carl Harris, a local man, who drives a logging truck, was coming back empty, with the trailer, and had an accident on the Johnson Mill hill on the turn near the service station; his truck turning over, from no fault of his own. He caused it to leave the highway to save a bad three-way accident, as a man 75 years old, from Montana, attempted to pass on the turn. It was a three-way proposition, as the Montana car, with the elderly driver, had just passed a lady school teacher and she at once took his license number. Mr. Harris had to put his truck over the grade to keep from a head-on collision with this reckless driver from Montana. We hear this same Montana man had more of the same situation, near Marshfield. Mr. Harris had his wife with him. She received a badly lacerated knee. The truck was not badly damaged. Mrs. Harris is a daughter of H. Kellenberger. We hear the Montana man was fined.

E. H. Sparks, who has been rail-roading in South Dakota, returned home the first of the week for an indefinite stay or till he is transferred to another division.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Haughton are expected home from Vida, Oregon, almost any time now to stay as the camp where Mr. Haughton has been working and conducted by his son, Lawrence, is through there and is being moved to Sweet Home, Ore., to start new operations. Mr. and Mrs. Haughton, Sr., are visiting relatives in Walls, Wash., before returning to their home here.

Last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bender, Ellsworth and Mrs. Kate Hodson and Clyde motored to Port Orford to spend the day. About 40 years ago Bender purchased a lot in Port Orford and had not seen it till this day. The mill there is running two shifts and a lumber steam schooner, "The Daisy Gadsby," was being loaded at the dock. Lumber carriers are being used from the mill to the dock. They move lumber rapidly. This group had lunch in Garrison Lake park and they spent some time on Agate beach. Norman Morsing, formerly with Thrift's store in Myrtle Point conducts quite a good sized grocery down there and is doing O. K. On our return home in the afternoon, we drove to the beautiful farm of W. J. Sweet on Elk river. They have 100 acres of fine bottom land. The overhead sprinkler was working on a handy field of Ladino clover. They have a high grade dairy herd.

We then motored a little farther towards home and took a side road of six miles, which brought us to the Cape Blanco Lighthouse. On one way there we passed another exceptional dairy farm on Sixes river, the Hughes ranch. At the lighthouse it was extremely foggy, so much so we could not see the ocean, at a distance of not more than 400 feet. The keeper showed us through the plant and we climbed several flights of metal stairs, way to the very top. Here we witnessed a large glass arrangement, some five or six feet high and four or five feet in diameter, put together in sections of beveled and triangular shaped strips, which revolves very slowly when throwing the light out to sea. We noticed some fine print on it which read, "Made in Paris, France." The keeper informed us it cost \$25,000.00. There are two keepers who alternate in the work. They have a powerful radio system. They get the time three or four times daily as their clock must have the correct time. That glass arrangement in the dome was beautiful to behold.

Norway items are not as numerous this week as Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bender, who write the notes, are away on a vacation. Mr. Bender is clerk in the Myrtle Point postoffice and lives near the Brodie Shingle Mill at Norway.—Ed. Note.

**Arago News**

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Sevy were Saturday dinner guests at the home of C. M. Howard and Alice in Coquille, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Halter drove to Port Orford Sunday and enjoyed a pleasant afternoon at the beach.

The regular weekly bible study was held Tuesday evening at the church with H. E. Watkins leading the discussion on the last part of Luke 6. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Sevy, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAllister, Mrs. Naomi Robison, Mrs. Ward Evans, and Mrs. Frank Miller. They will meet again next Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the church.

The regular monthly W. C. T. U. will be held next Tuesday, Aug. 19, at the home of Mrs. Ward Evans. The Ladies Aid will also meet to discuss plans for a booth to be put on at the County Fair. Everyone is urged to be present.

Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAllister and Mrs. O. H. Aasen drove to Bandon and enjoyed a picnic supper on the beach. The picnic was given in honor of an old friend and former resident of Bandon, Miss Bertha Wilkins of Tampa, Florida, who left Bandon about 18 or 20 years ago. There were 35 guests present to welcome Miss Wilkins, among whom were two others who have been away from Bandon for some time, Mrs. Winnifred Hopkins of Tacoma, and Miss Mary Donaldson, of Independence.

The regular Arago church anniversary program and pot luck dinner will be held August 31, this year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers and their guest, Mrs. Mary Murray, of Tacoma, drove to Myrtle Point Sunday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Clinton. Mrs. Murray will remain there for a short time.

Miss Ethel Fish and Mrs. Robert Fish drove to Portland last Wednesday, where they visited Mrs. Fish's sister, Miss Winnifred Paull, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Miller and family. On the way home they visited Mrs. Fish's sister, Mrs. Ray Flemming, who is critically ill at Lebanon, and her mother, Mrs. Leon Paull, of Goldendale, Wash., who is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Johnson and daughter, Evelyn, and sons, Frank and Darrell, of Liberty Mills, Indiana, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl, from Tuesday until Thursday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers and their guest, Mrs. Mary Murray, drove to Broadbent Wednesday and visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lane.

The 4-H judging team of Arago, consisting of Gerald Lillie, Bob Blondell and Junior Gulstrom, won first place last Tuesday. Gerald Lillie won first place for individual judging, and Junior Gulstrom second place.

Mrs. George Carl, of LaVern, Calif., and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carl, and their sons Gary and Standley, of Pomona, Calif., arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl, last Friday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tonini, of Humboldt, Calif., visited at the home of her niece, Mrs. Meldon Carl, Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Lillie and Mrs. Daisy Doyle, spent Friday and Saturday in Bandon, helping care for Mrs. M. E. Lillie, who passed away at her home there Saturday. Funeral services were held at the Schroeder undertaking parlors in Coquille, Tuesday, and the Arago choir was in charge of the music. Mrs. Lillie, known to most people as Grandma Lillie, leaves many friends and relatives to mourn her departure. She would have been

91 years old in October.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Myers and Mrs. Mary Murray were Thursday guests of Mrs. Stanley Halter.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby McAllister and Scott of North Bend, were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frodenberg, of Marshfield, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Aasen last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parker, of Independence, and Ethon, who is in the Navy, and who has a nine days' leave, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Parker last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl drove to Coquille Sunday and visited Clarence Schroeder in the Knife hospital.

Miss Thelma Crawford spent last week at the logging camp where her father works, above Powers.

Gerald and Donald Potts and Jimmie Fritz Henry, of Eastside, were Saturday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crawford.

The directors of the Arago Cheese factory and their wives, were invited to a big semi-annual banquet of the Coquille Valley Co-Op. in Bandon last Thursday evening. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Detlafsen, of the Boy district, Mr. and Mrs. Tyrrell Woodward, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Carl, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Halter and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Backleff.

Mrs. Emily Hickam of Corvallis, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burbank Sunday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Root, Merle, Larry and John, of Broadbent, were Arago visitors Sunday. They visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Gillespie and they enjoyed a potluck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Munford. Mrs. Naomi Robison, of Coquille, and Miss Naomi May Stauff were also dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Munford.

Rev. G. A. Gray of Coquille, conducted the regular Sunday morning church service. Sunday school followed with an attendance of 32. There will be services again next Sunday as follows: Preaching at 10 a. m. and Sunday school at 11 a. m.

E. F. Brodie of Norway was a business caller in Arago Monday. He visited at the Arago cheese factory and he also delivered a load of shingles to Ward Evans.

Miss Alice Howard of Coquille and Miss Dorothy Kneibell of Salem visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Sevy last Friday.

The regular monthly school board meeting was held at the school house Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barrows of Morro Bay, Calif., visited at the home of Mrs. Barrows' sister, Mrs. Harvey Myers, from Tuesday till Thursday, last week.

Mrs. Wm. McMichael and Annie, of Astoria, Oregon, Mrs. Harvey Myers' mother and sister and her cousin, Herbert Webber, and Jiggs Witsatt, of Glendale, Oregon, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Myers. Vernon McMichael returned to Arago with them. They also visited at the J. D. Carl home Sunday.

**Parkersburg News**

Mrs. Charles H. Fellows of Fairview, is staying at the home of her parents, taking care of her small nephew, and attending to things about the place, while her parents are visiting in Nebraska.

Mrs. Harvey Allen has secured a position tutoring the crippled girl living at the Tom Ross home, a few months this summer. Mrs. Allen began work last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Albertson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Albertson and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Haga came over from Reedsport Monday to attend the funeral of J. L. Van Leuven.

Mrs. Millie Morris visited with Mrs. John Heffley Sunday.

Bert Dominighini had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder and is unable to do his work this week.

Among those attending the Co-Op dinner in Bandon Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heffley, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fellows, Mrs. Ida Lewis and John Heffley.

Mrs. Dora Norris and son, Lawrence, have moved their trailer home to Fat Elk, and will spend the rest of the summer there.

Horace Van Leuven of Tacoma, who came in to attend the funeral of his brother, J. F. Van Leuven, Monday, returned home the next day. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. Clarisa Gillespie and Mrs. Velma Fellows visited with Mrs. Genevieve Albertson Sunday.

Mrs. Cole is visiting her sister, this week.

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