

DUNDEE

Relatives, from Portland, spent Sunday at the W. J. Bennett home.

H. L. Sayles, of Portland, spent the week end at his Red Hill place.

The County Institute of the W. C. T. U. will be held in Dundee on Friday.

On Sunday there will be a Frances Willard memorial service at the Dundee church.

Etton Ryan has returned from a trip to the Panama-Pacific exposition and a visit with relatives in Kansas.

The citizens of Dundee met in caucus on Monday evening and nominated candidates for the various city offices. The election will be held the seventh of March.

Another little girl has come to the Red Hills. She is Vera Pittman, four years old, who was left motherless a short time ago. She has found a home with her kintfolk, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Robinson.

Last week the basketball teams of Dayton and Yamhill played the Dundee Athletic Club and the Dundee high school. The game between Dayton and the Dundee Athletic club was a very close one until near the close when Dundee finally won. The Dundee high school also won the same evening.

On Tuesday evening, the Dundee Woman's Club gave a Washington dance and supper at Community Hall. The hall was decorated beautifully with flags, pictures and greens, and there was a large attendance. A good neighborly time was enjoyed by the home folk and friends from Newberg, Dayton and other places.

A very interesting meeting of the Dundee Woman's club was held at Community Hall, on Thursday last. After the business meeting an interesting bird program was given. Mrs. New-

ton Bailey gave a talk on "The Economic Value of Birds." Mrs. H. G. Cutting read an interesting paper on "Bird Observations." W. J. Gordon had a paper on "Bird Societies," and Mrs. E. S. Greer a short talk on "Bird Sanctuaries." After the social hour Mrs. A. J. Palmer and Mrs. L. ona Hess assisted by Mrs. A. J. Palmer and Mrs. Roe Robinson served refreshments. A mistake was made in announcing the next meeting which will be the first Thursday in March, at the hall.

REX

Francis Brickley, of the Graphic staff, was a Rex visitor Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schemmer welcomed a nine-pound baby girl at their home Thursday.

Mrs. C. H. Jones left Saturday for an extended visit with relatives in Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Miss Helen Scott, of Newberg, spent the week end with the Misses Erma and Fleda Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. M. Keiling, of Newberg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Keiling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gustin.

Mrs. S. K. Hewitt, of Portland, spent from Friday until Monday visiting at the S. Sanderman home.

Miss Rachel Brown left a few days ago for Raymond, Washington, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Mrs. Olive Whitely and Mrs. Kate Pettengill, of Newberg, attended the surprise party given on Mrs. A. L. Jenkins Wednesday.

Mrs. Helma Reynolds who has been working in Portland, is home for a time owing to a painful accident which necessitates a period of rest.

Arthur Peters has been forced to give up his studies at Behnke-Walker Business College for a few days owing to an acute attack of the quinsy.

The monthly class party of

the Young People's Sunday School class was held at the home of Miss Florence Dore, and as usual a most enjoyable evening was spent by all.

Mrs. A. L. Jenkins was the guest of honor at a surprise party given by her many friends at Rex and vicinity Wednesday on the occasion of her forty-eighth birthday. A most pleasant afternoon was spent by all present and a delicious lunch was served, followed by a huge birthday cake decorated beautifully with candles and flowers. Mrs. Jenkins was presented with a recipe book composed of the favorite recipes of all those present, so that she will have a daily reminder of the thirty odd friends who all heartily congratulated her and wished her many happy returns of the day. Incidentally this was also Mrs. Jenkins' wedding anniversary so Mr. Jenkins feels that he ought to have been in on the party also.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

First Nat'l Bank Newberg to W S Allan and wf tracts 30 and 31 Chehalem Orchard Homes Annex \$1.

Arthur R Bulloch (by Gdn) to Mary Elizabeth Bulloch 22.35 ac exc 15' roadway in sec 25 t 5 s r 6 w \$1300.

Albert Burgett and wf to Rock Hull 30 ac in lot 1 sec 10 t 2 s r 4 w \$1100.

N C Christensen and wf to W S Allan and wf tracts 30 and 31 Chehalem Orchard Homes Annex \$8100.

Chehalem Richland Co to A I Peterson tract 1 and 36 (ex 25) Chehalem Richlands \$1625.25.

Sarah A Fletcher and hub to W S Houck 412 ac Sarah Buffum Chas M Johnson dlc (Christman Lands) in t 4 and 5 s r 4 w \$26000.

Mary C Goodrich et al to Ellen D Todd lots 1, 2, 3, 4 blk 4 Deskins 4th add to Newberg \$10.

Mary C Goodrich et al to Edith J D Holt tracts 1 and 24 Deskins subd n 1/2 of lots 1 and 2 blk 2 Deskins 2nd add lots 1 and 2 blk 6 Deskins 3rd add to Newberg and 8.80 ac in D D Deskins dlc in t 3 s r 2 w \$10.

Ellen Graves to Carl Graves and wf 91.31 ac James McCain dlc t 6 s r 5 w \$1.

Edith D Graves to Chas H Graves 1/4 ac in Sol Heater dlc in t 3 s r 2 w \$5.

Chas H Graves to Edith D Graves lot 5 and part 6, 7, 8 blk 10 Hurley and Larges add to Newberg \$5.

Lettitia C Hess to Joseph D Hess 21 1/4 ac lot 12 Division Daniel Hess Estate in sec 35 t 3 s r 3 w \$10.

Agnes M Hills to Edwin Nissen 24 ac in Jos S Danforth dlc t 3 s r 2 w \$10.

Edith J D Holt and hub to Ellen D Todd et al 42.23 ac D D Deskins dlc t 3 s r 2 w \$10.

Tillie D Kirkwood and hub to Hattie M Massie 47.21 ac David Calhoun dlc 63.54 ac in D Calhoun and Mark Sawyer dlc and lots 3 and 5 t 5 s r 3 w \$1.

B T Leggett and wf to Lou M Nye and wf 3 ac and 20' strip O J Walker dlc t 3 s r 2 w \$10.

O M Ogden and wf to Wm and Sarah Eborall 141.24 ac in Miles Carey, Samuel D Gaunt and Elijah Millican dlc in t 4 s r 4 w \$1500.

Melchoir Petermier and wf to Wm R Petch and wf 40 ac in A K Wright dlc t 3 s r 4 w \$4000.

H J Quickenstedt and wf to W C Goddard 76 1/2 ac and Roy Way in sw 1/4 sec 28 t 2 s r 5 w \$1000.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Laura Anna Bowers, age legal, to Ralph Ira Barber, age legal.

Bessie R. Dickenson, age legal, to Cornelius A. Stoutenburg, age legal.

Inez Paul, age legal, to Harry Baxter, age legal.

Alma Edna Baker, age 15, to Vernon Fay Davis, age legal.

Ruby Etzwiler, age 17, to Martin Hayman, age legal.

HOW RAILROAD EMPLOYEES ARE PAID

"Every once in a while we hear discussions about railroads and railroad wages," said a Southern Pacific official the other day. "Few laymen, however, know how the men who operate trains are paid and fewer realize that 45 cents out of every dollar a railroad takes in goes out to its men in the pay envelopes. A still smaller number have any idea as to how wages in train service are figured."

"In other lines of industry an 8 or 9 hour or a 10 hour day means that employees do not work less than 8, 9 or 10 hours for a day's pay. In railway train service, however, wages are on a dual basis—either hours worked or, and principally this, miles run. In freight service most wage schedules name 10 hours or less or 100 miles or less as a day's work. So that every man is guaranteed a full day's pay no matter how few hours or miles. Should he work ten hours without running his 100 miles, he is paid for his hours. Should he run 100 miles or more in less than ten hours, he is paid for his mileage. Beyond ten hours or 100 miles, he is paid overtime or excess mileage, whichever yields the larger wage. Ten miles is thus equivalent to one hour, or one tenth of a day. If the train runs slower than ten miles an hour, the engineman is paid by hours, if faster, by miles. The result is that practically no employe works more than ten hours for a day's pay and thousands work less than that and even less than eight hours for a day's pay."

"This condition has some very interesting results. First, without regard to hours or distance, every man in train service is guaranteed a full day's pay no matter how little service he performs. He can't work for less than a day. He may work only a few hours or less than 100 miles, but if this constitutes his day's work, he still gets his pay for ten hours. If it takes more than ten hours to cover 100 miles or less he is paid overtime for everything in excess of ten hours. If he makes 150 miles in ten hours he is paid for 150 miles, or equivalent to 15 hours on the hourly basis."

"If, for example, his train made only forty miles in ten hours, his full day's pay would be allowed the same as if he had made 100 miles. If 100 miles were run in four hours, the full day's pay would be allowed though he worked only four hours."

"Taken all in all, the man in railway train service cannot be said to work an 8 hour day, or a 10 hour day, except in those instances where it takes that number of hours actually to complete the run. That is why laymen fall into error in trying to compare railway labor conditions with general labor conditions."

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTICE

The next meeting of the Yamhill County Teachers' Association will be held in the Sheridan high school building March 4.

March 7, is "Burbank Day" and "Industrial Club Day." Please get your patrons together on that date, do honor to the "plant wizard" and interest the patrons in Industrial Club work. Letters and literature will reach each teacher in time.

Food Combinations.

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HIS LOST PRACTICE.

Trials of a Congressman in Taking Up His Old Profession.

In the American Magazine is an interview with a member of the United States house of representatives, who tells of the almost impossible barriers between him and his old profession, the law.

"After I had been in congress a couple of terms I decided that I would be happier and that my family would be vastly better off if I were back home practicing my profession," he said. "So after the adjournment of congress I set out to rebuild my neglected law business."

"I was astounded at what a job it was. My practice was not merely run down or temporarily absent. It was gone! Now, I had not yet become a topnotcher in my profession before going to congress. In order to make a comfortable income I had not been able to depend alone on the better grade of legal business, but was obliged to do some of the more trivial work, such as every young lawyer is glad to get. This class of business had gone from me in my absence, along with the rest. And it did not come back because of a reason that I had not thought of. During my terms in congress I had come to be looked upon as an important figure in the community, and everybody regarded me as above such things as performing legal services of a trivial or minor character. Thus I did not get the small business, and the big business was being taken care of by other lawyers who had been constantly on the job."

ANTIQUITY OF THE HARP.

The Instrument Was in Use in Egypt 3,000 Years Ago.

The very first authentic record of the harp, predating even the Greek myth of Orpheus, although it is very hard indeed to assign dates to myths, is obtained from the discovery of Egyptian harps, not unlike the modern in general design, bearing dates of 3,000 years ago, or 500 years before Craffine made his harp of willow. Old Irish chronicles are full of interesting references to the harp and its functions. Let us select the comparatively modern date of 718 A. D.—modern indeed when we consider Craffine, who was a contemporary of Sappho, which contains these lines from a poem describing the tragic death of Curio MacDaire, king of West Munster at the period of the incarnation. They are addressed to Forcetrine, the king's chief minstrel:

Make amusement for us, O'Donnabo, Because thou art the best minstrel in Erin At pipes or tuben, and at harps, and at poems. And at traditions, and at the royal stories of Erin.

This extract will serve to show the versatility of the harper of the MacDaire. He seems to have taken the place which a whole opera company fills at the present day, including the orchestra and the composer of the music and the writer of the libretto.

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