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FERNWOOD

L. A. Baxter was a pleasant caller at the Parker hospital Sunday afternoon.

Miss Constance Huddle took dinner in Newberg at the Sheppard home Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Werth, of Portland, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Caspar Gettman.

Mrs. J. L. Parker, of Newberg, called on Mrs. W. H. Sanders Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Della Parrish has been working in the office of McCoy Bros. garage for the past week.

Mrs. M. Ross and son, Bert, were visitors at the Ray Newby home in Springbrook Thursday and Friday.

Emery Jones, who is employed at the steel ship yards in Portland, spent Saturday night and Sunday at home.

Floyd Goughnour was over from Scholls Wednesday for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanders.

U. S. Bryant made a business trip to Portland one day last week, resulting in the purchase of a new Oldsmobile.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Stretch and

and family, of Newberg, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mueller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fairbank, Mrs. A. C. Huddle and Mrs. A. S. Liven-good motored to Portland Tuesday and spent the day shopping.

Fred Siefken Jr., came home from Portland and spent Saturday night and Sunday. He is recuperating from a severe case of small pox.

W. A. Parrish, M. G. McKern, Brad Jones and T. H. Parrish went to Portland Tuesday to witness the game of base ball played by Portland vs. Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wheeler and Mrs. Whitten motored out from Portland Sunday and were entertained at Sunday dinner at the U. S. Bryant home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Turner, of Floyd, Iowa, who are visiting with their son in Portland, came out Wednesday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Schert.

Mrs. Peters and two sons, Charley and Ronald, of Oregon City, are guests of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Kersey. They were called here by the death of her grandchild, Virgil Kersey.

The game of base ball played between the Rex school team and the

Fernwood school Friday afternoon on the Fernwood school grounds, resulted in a score of 8 to 11 in favor of Fernwood.

Mrs. Emery Jones and Mrs. A. S. Liven-good visited the Springbrook school Thursday afternoon. They accompanied the teachers, the Misses Grace Riley and Beryl Deford, home and took supper with them.

The Parent-Teacher Association will meet at the home of Mrs. M. Ross on Friday afternoon of this week. It is desired that all members and any others interested in the school work attend the meeting.

Miss Matilda Wohlgenuth returned home from Newberg Sunday where she has been working for W. W. Hollingsworth for several months. Miss Juanita Ward will take her place for the present.

The school directors held a meeting on last Friday evening for the purpose of deciding on a day to clean up the Fernwood cemetery. Tuesday, May 30, was the day decided upon as "clean up" day. All persons interested are requested to be present at the cemetery on that day.

Virgil Kersey died at the age of 8 years at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kersey, on last Wednesday, April 30. Funeral services were conducted by the Apostolic Faith minister from Portland at the Hodson & Elliott undertaking parlors. Interment was made at the Fernwood cemetery. Virgil, although blind for several years of his young life, was always bright and cheerful and will be greatly missed by all who knew him. Surely it was of such as these that He said, "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

NORTH MAIN CLUB

Mrs. H. Badley entertained the North Main Improvement Club on Wednesday, April 30.

Mrs. Nye and Mrs. Moffitt entertained the club with readings, and a question box was given by Mrs. M. Budd.

After the regular business meeting the hostess served her guests with sandwiches, pickles, pineapple and cake. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Merie Budd on May 14.

WEST CHEHALEM

Mr. Amoth reports a good set of peaches in his orchard. Also of apples and other fruits.

The young people of the community gathered on the school house grounds Thursday evening and had plenty of simple, honest fun playing ball and other games, after which waffles were roasted over the remains of a bonfire. The affair was staged by the Christian Endeavor Society.

The Sunday school will put on a short Mother's Day program Sunday which will be worked into the closing exercises of the school. Mrs. Amoth will sing and there will be a number of other special features to fit the day. If you love your mother or her memory, come out. You will enjoy it and be helped by it. Wear a flower. The church services will be conducted as usual with a sermon fitted for Mother's Day. Mr. Shambaugh will be with us only a few more Sundays. Don't miss hearing him.

The District No. 10 school base ball team won a game from the Boy Scouts of Newberg Wednesday afternoon, April 30, the score being 13-6. The battery for West Chehalis was Versteeg and Worden. The boys hit the Scout pitching hard, Joe Sullivan getting four hits in five trips to the plate, while Nelson and Versteeg each poled a home run. On Friday afternoon of last week the boys lost a game to the Chehalis Center school team, 6-1. Ye scribe found information concerning this game to be much more difficult to obtain. The battery for District No. 10 was Nelson and Worden. Nelson pitched a good game but his support was wobbly in the pinches.

DUNDEE

Mrs. Barber is spending a few days in Portland.

Miss Eleanor Warner is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bates, in Salem.

Miss Agnes Leslie, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Meyer. Julius Bock, of Seattle, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Bernhard Groth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe R. Robison took a trip in their new Nash to Willamina on Sunday.

The Harper and Thielman families from Portland spent last Sunday at the Billich home.

W. S. Allan and family and Wm. Wilson and family took a trip to Amity on Sunday.

Ripe wild strawberries and peas in bloom at Otterbrook on May 6th proclaim an early summer.

A. A. Parrett has exchanged his old car for a new Nash and John Herring is now driving a seven-passenger Studebaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Warner are rejoicing over the advent of a granddaughter in the home of Stella Warner McNeill, of Cove, Washington.

A bevy of young ladies enjoyed a walk from Newberg to the Red Hills on Sunday afternoon and had supper with "Aunt Cornelia" and "Uncle George" Greer.

Mrs. Dillinger and daughter, Jessie, are visiting Mrs. Dillinger's daughter, Mrs. Parks, in Portland. Mrs. Parks, who has been very ill, is convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Olmsted were week end guests of Mrs. Bailey's mother, Mrs. Heath, at Corvallis. They returned via Albany and Salem.

Mrs. Diment went to Portland last week. Prof. and Mrs. Anderson, wishing to prove that summer has really come, climbed the hill on Sunday to sit under the Maple Tree at Otterbrook.

At the regular business meeting of the Red Cross on Saturday evening routine business was conducted and plans made for a Clearing Bee and picnic dinner at Dundee Memorial Park on Saturday, May 10.

Mrs. Sarah M. Crosby has returned to Portland after a two-weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Greer. Miss Miller and Miss Briggs, George Duntan and P. C. Little, of Portland, have been Sunday guests at Otterbrook.

Mrs. Edward Billich went to Portland on Monday. Edward Billich Jr., who is in the navy and who returned a short time ago from Mexico, was at home two days recently. Part of his collection of beautiful shells and photograph souvenirs was enjoyed by the ladies at the Tuesday sewing meeting of the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Turner, Russell Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wortman and children spent Sunday, the 27th of April, at the home of H. B. Powell where a family

re-union was held in honor of Prof. Powell's eighty-seventh birthday. During the day many neighbors and friends called to offer congratulations to Mr. Powell.

On Tuesday all sewing on hand at the Red Cross room was finished and shipped to Portland and the work of the auxiliary closed for the summer. There is still considerable knitting on hand but it is hoped it will be finished within the next two weeks and then the Dundee ladies who have been so faithful and efficient during the long period of Red Cross activities will discontinue their work unless a pressing need for their services is felt.

The sincere sympathy of the community is given to Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Groth whose sixteen-year-old son, Hans, passed away last week. Funeral services were held in the church on Friday P. M., Rev. Lee, of Newberg, officiating. Six of Hans' school mates were pall bearers. Interment was in the Dundee cemetery. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, especially the wreath from the Y. M. P. C. boys, of which club Hans was a member. Hans was the youngest child in a large family and leaves six brothers and three sisters, to whom he, the youngest in the family, was especially endeared.

If the weather is fair the members of the community are invited to consider next Saturday a holiday, that is, in respect to regular work, and gather at Dundee's Memorial Park for work in grubbing and clearing in the park and the fence row on the west. On account of lack of sufficient help the nursery firm with whom the order for trees was placed, could not fill the order this spring so the ground will be put in order and kept under cultivation until a favorable time for planting. Every man and boy in the community is urged to bring an ax, shovel or grubbing hoe, and the women and girls to come prepared to burn brush. At 12:30 the ladies will serve a picnic dinner.

RAYBELL

Miss Agnes Berg visited with relatives at Barlow last week end.

Mrs. Jack Larsen visited with Mrs. Walter Ray on Tuesday afternoon.

W. M. Ray, of St. Paul, visited at the home of his brother, Walter Ray, on last Saturday.

John Neal has bought a new Ford. John Erwert also has one, purchased a short time ago.

The program for the basket social will begin at 8:30 p. m. Don't forget, it is to be at Raybell school house on Saturday night, May 10.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Belleu Sr., with their daughter, returned to their home at Bandon the first of the week after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Belleu Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray, their little daughter, Florence, and Will Ray, of St. Paul, drove to Portland Sunday to visit with C. F. Ray, who has been in poor health for some time.

RIBBON RIDGE

Lee Van Osdol is putting out a large prune orchard.

Mr. Wenger was a caller at the Lee Van Osdol home Sunday evening.

Miss Gladys Hertig is visiting this week in Portland with relatives and friends.

Miss Susie Evans, from Newberg, spent a few days at her sister's visiting last week.

Prune buyers are quite numerous nowadays on the Ridge and are offering large prices.

M. B. Sleeper spent Sunday at the Boyd bungalow with Mrs. Sleeper and son, William Marshall. Volney Millsbaugh, of Washington, D. C., and M. P. Vanderpool and wife, of Portland, were Sunday guests at the A. F. Hertig home.

ALL MEN TO HAVE JOBS

Every man who wants work will have it by June first, announces J. W. Brewer, federal and O. A. C. farm help specialist for Oregon. When haying time comes more men will be wanted than can be found, unless conditions change. Big road programs are taking up large numbers of the present small surplus of laborers. If wages compete with farm wages many men will take the construction work because of its eight-hour factor, impossible on the farm. Mr. Brewer thinks some arrangement must be made to insure continuous production, since the whole country is dependent on the output of the farms.

FOREST GROVE MAN CRUSHED BY TRACTOR

On Monday Rene Cropp, a renter on the J. F. Forbes farm near Forest Grove, was killed when a tractor he was driving turned over backward, crushing him beneath the machine.

Mr. Cropp was about 30 years of age and is survived by a widow and three small children.

The tractor was pulling a disc up a steep incline in the orchard when the machine became overbalanced and fell backward. When Mr. Cropp failed to return at noon the men on the farm went in search of him and found him under the tractor.

STATEMENT MADE BY FRANKLIN HOLDS GOOD AT PRESENT

About 1750 Benjamin Franklin observed in Poor Richard's Almanac that wherever there was famine there was disorder, and wherever there was disorder famine followed in its train. This has been the keynote of the present world situation, says Graham Luak in American Museum Journal. Lack of hygiene and sanitation does not cause disorder. Soldiers have lived incrustated in the mud of Flanders, but have maintained their morale when well nourished. The Russian peasant is firmly convinced that the louse is necessary for health because this vermin leaves his body only in event of his death. If cleanliness were as much desired by the people as food, then the streets of our cities would be kept in perfect order, and no dirt would be allowed to accumulate upon them. Indeed, Tolstoy teaches that the desire for cleanliness is cultivated extravagance and not an instinctive impulse. The call for food is, however, insistent and instinctive and must be satisfied or social discontent arises.

A BUNDLE OF SHIRTS

A French woman, repatriate from Arras, recently arrived at the headquarters of American Red Cross, carrying a large bundle. Her burden was deposited in the warehouse office with the information that it belonged to the American Red Cross.

The bundle was opened by Captain Floyd Van Kuren, Red Cross district manager, and was found to contain numerous shirts which the woman said she had received from the Red Cross a year before to put buttonholes in. Questioning developed that she had carefully guarded the bundle of shirts during the evacuation of the Somme district, and that in order to do this it was necessary for her to leave some of her own effects in her home, which was destroyed.

When Captain Van Kuren suggested rewarding the woman, she insisted she wanted nothing; that the shirts had been put in her care, and that she had returned them at the first opportunity. Asked if she had been paid for making buttonholes, she replied in the negative, when pressed to name a sum, for she was entitled to pay under the refugee employment plan, she suggested five francs. This amount, about one dollar in the United States, represented not over one per cent of the value of the shirts.

With her child the woman said she expected to return to Arras, where her second child had lately died, and where only crumbled ruins marked the site of her former home. The Red Cross will look to her welfare.

Newberg Lodge No. 104 A. F. & M. Regular meeting Second and Fourth Thursday evenings of each month.

Visiting brothers always welcome. By order W. H. Woodworth, W. M. Curtis A. Houser, Secretary.

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