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## AIRPLANE DOES THRIVING BUSINESS

Many Newberg People Pay Good  
Money for Pleasure of  
Sensation

The cost of high living was fully demonstrated for two days in Newberg last week while Wm. D. Pearson of 734 East Main street, Portland, was here with his airplane, giving a goodly number of our people the thrills of their lives sailing like birds over the valley, viewing the landscape at ten dollars per.

Jesse Edwards, who was something of a high flyer in his younger days and who is still game when occasion demands, gave quick response when he was approached by the advance man for the use of his field as a starting place for the flights, saying all he asked was the first ride, which was readily granted. He was the first man up, Friday afternoon, and he says it was great. Others followed and the afternoon was fully occupied, the gamy sports proving to be Prof. Alexander Hull, the short story writer, and L. C. Palmer, of the Buick Garage, each parting with \$25 before their desire to see the beautiful Chehalis Valley looking down from the heavens was gratified.

Mr. Pearson, who received his training at an army field in New York, proved to be a careful flier and in order to play safe, which he said was his slogan, he picked out a course where there would have been satisfactory landing places had the engine stopped on him at any time. This he followed pretty closely in nearly all his flights, though he had no trouble at any time.

On Friday and Saturday afternoon the bird man was kept pretty busy and altogether nineteen passengers were carried. Saturday evening Miss Carmelita Hollis came out from Portland on the train and returned with Mr. Pearson in the airplane to the city.

The Newberg passenger list follows: Jesse Edwards, Mrs. V. D. Miller, L. C. Palmer, Alex. Hull, H. R. Morris, Henry Chase, Blanche Carlisle, Chas. H. Prag, Ethel McGarry, Mrs. Lucy Littlefield, Miss Helen Ellis, Wm. McLean, Mrs. G. Bowman, C. S. King, L. L. Dye, R. H. Johnson, G. H. Bowman, J. A. Port, A. M. Davis.

## HELP SOLICITED FOR FAMINE STRICKEN INDIA

Disease and famine in India have taken—are taking their toll of human life as never before in the history of that famine stricken, disease haunted land. Pless are coming from our missionaries asking that we save the lives of our Christian people. A dollar will purchase food enough to sustain the life of one individual for a month.

Methodist women are making all who will to contribute one dollar. This will be sent through the perfectly safe agency of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society. Anyone who will respond may leave the money at the United States National Bank with Mr. Parrett.

## NEWBERG PENSIONERS

Eara Hayes has secured pension certificates for Mrs. Kennedy C. Hollingsworth, and the accrued pension of her late husband at the time of his death; also of Michael Charles Driscoll, an Indian War veteran, who was in the Modoc Battle of the Lava Beds, and where he received serious injuries. In this last case, Hon. W. C. Hawley, Representative from this district, rendered valuable assistance.

## WISCONSIN-NEBRASKA PICNIC TUESDAY

State Associations Will Join in  
Big Dinner at the  
City Park

In completing arrangements for the eighth annual meeting of this association, it was found that the Nebraska people had decided to have their annual dinner at the same time and place. As many of the Nebraskans are former Wisconsin people, it seemed very fitting that we unite for the day, at which time each organization may hold its business session, making any arrangements for the future "anniversaries" necessary. We must be people of like tastes as we as organizations, elected the same man, F. L. Ames, president.

At 2 o'clock p. m. an "impromptu" program will be given. A short time will be spent in "all" singing old time favorite and patriotic songs.

Dinner will be served at 12 m. Coffee will be made in the grove, cream, sugar and plates being furnished by the associations. Each family is expected to bring knife, fork, spoon and cup for each member attending. Tables will be arranged and every comfort provided for a good time.

Come early and bring well filled baskets, of course, but best of all, hearts filled with good cheer. The committee will be on the ground at 10 a. m. Tuesday, August 12.

All pastors or laymen, former residents of Nebraska and Wisconsin are welcome.

Mrs. L. A. Moore,  
Secretary Wisconsin Association.

## BRIDE GIVEN A SHOWER

Friends of Mrs. Laurel Brickell Hodges gave her a miscellaneous shower at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Brickell, July 31, at 2 p. m.

The afternoon was spent in viewing pictures of France that Mr. Hodges brought with him on his return, also in hunting red hearts that were hidden throughout the living rooms. Mrs. Lester Winters received the prize for finding the most hearts, Maude Gustin the booby prize.

Then everyone went fishing for there was a fish pond, and took their catches, which were large, to Mrs. Hodges, who was seated at the dining table, where she unwrapped her gifts which were many and beautiful.

After this pictures were taken of the crowd and a dainty lunch was served.

Those present were Misses Helen Winters, Esther Gustin, Maude Gustin, Myrtle Streikler, Ruby Wanless, Barbara Morris, Frances Heater, Mrs. Jerry Gustin, Mrs. Frank Gustin, Mrs. Harry Strickler, Mrs. F. Hodges, Mrs. W. E. Burke, Mrs. J. A. Chapman, Mrs. Guy Chapman, Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Elmer Wright, Mrs. Jay Chandler, Mrs. Ben Evans, Mrs. Neal Heater.

Mr. and Mrs. Hodges were married July 15, a few days after his return from France.

Mrs. Hodges is popular in this locality, having lived here all of her life.

Mr. Hodges is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fremont Hodges, of Newberg. He was Sergeant in Bakery Co. No. 313, stationed at Camp Custer, Michigan, for one year, and a year overseas at General Pershing's headquarters.

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## ANOTHER HARVEST AT HAND



## CHEHALEM CENTER

Mrs. Etta May Hall has gone to Seattle, Washington, to remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Post and sons have returned from their trip to the seashore. They report a very pleasant trip.

Mrs. L. H. Meyer is attending the University in Portland at present to take up review on her school work.

Forrest Staley, who has been invalided the past two weeks, is getting better and we hope to see him out again soon.

Miss Elsie Tengen entertained a number of the young folks at her home Wednesday evening in honor of the Corporals, Victor Hendrickson and Carlos Johnson, lately returned soldiers.

Corporal Victor Hendrickson returned last week from overseas service. He is greeting his many friends in Chehalis Center at present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Meyer and Miss Christine motored to Portland last Sunday.

Threshing is in progress just now in the community and a good wheat yield is reported.

The Parent-Teacher Association will hold a meeting Monday evening, August 19, at the school house. A program is being made up and possibly there will be an ice cream social.

## BUSINESS LIVELY ON EAST FIRST STREET

Along the canyon on East First street things have been humming during the week with a force of men working for the city removing a line of water pipe that was in the way of the new bridge; another force excavating for the contractors on the new concrete bridge and still another working on the Second street bridge that is being built out of the lumber taken from the old wooden bridge that was torn down. Work is well along on the latter structure and it will doubtless be ready to be thrown open for travel by the first of the week. Some new flooring will be necessary in order to make it safe for heavy trucks, but Henry Bond, the contractor, says it will be good for ten years when completed.

The water pipe line that had to be taken up through the canyon is being placed along the north side of the survey for the new bridge.

J. T. Everett, who is hauling lumber for the Spaulding Logging Co., hauled the first load of lumber for the new bridge.

## STREET MARKER HAS HARD LUCK POINTING THE WAY

"Harry and the Guidepost" was a very interesting story in one of the old McGuffey school readers and it has its counterpart in the street sign that stands at First and Meridian streets, placed there to keep drivers from cutting the corners. Since the time it was placed there it has had many a hard knock and many times it has been up for repairs, and during the past week that corner has been the scene of a number of near serious accidents.

Last Sunday morning Elmer Hodson, of Laurel, who came over with his family for a visit, was driving east on First street and in cutting the corner in turning to go north on Meridian, failing to heed the warning of the friendly marker, bumped into a motorcycle rider who was going west on First, landing the latter some twenty feet away and making junk of the cycle, thus calling for a bank check for \$75.00 to cover damages, which he passed over, admitting that he was in the wrong. Strange to say the rider, who was young and of nimble joints, was not badly hurt.

Tuesday evening when S. L. Parrett, president of the U. S. National Bank, was passing the same point on his way home, he was bumped into from the rear by a motorcycle rider who got the worst of it for his lamp was smashed and a hand truck was required to assist in carting his cycle off to the hospital for repairs on the front wheel.

At an early hour on Wednesday morning the young man who brings the supply of Oregonians out from Portland backed into the humble marker, making kindling out of the added sign pointing Portland drivers the way around the closed bridge, and in the afternoon a big motor truck finished the job by running over the remains and breaking the rod from the concrete base.

With such a daylight record in less than two weeks' time, what a story of night experiences might this street sign tell if it could only talk, without even repeating the many cuss words that have been wasted by those who have gone up against it.

## AN APPRECIATION

As our beloved minister, Bro. B. L. Hicks, has tendered his resignation, after serving the church at Newberg for four years, I deem it only just to him and the church at

large to say: He came to us four years ago, from Falls City, Oregon, and has proven himself to be a thorough Gospel minister, true to the Book, in all things, preaching the gospel in love.

The church gave him a unanimous vote of confidence and recommendation. Under his ministry, over sixty have been added to the church, our debt of nearly \$1,000 has been paid, the church has been harmonious, and we are in the best condition, spiritually and financially, since we were organized twelve years ago.

No church will go amiss that employs him.

Authorized by the Official Board,  
July 7, 1919.

## SKELTON SPRING QUESTION SATISFACTORILY SETTLED

The city council reached an amicable settlement last week in the Skelton spring contention and good feeling over the matter seems to prevail. The Graphic had hoped to give publicity to the agreement as signed, but the copy held by the city is in the pocket of Mayor Larkin and he is out of town. However, the land owners below the spring surrender all their riparian rights in consideration of the fact that the city agrees to lay and maintain a pipe line and each of them is to have without charge 1,000 gallons of water a month. If more than this amount is used it is to be paid for by the users.

## NEWBERG FAST BECOMING INDUSTRIAL CENTER

Newberg in addition to being the big canning center of the Northwest is now ranking as the Petaluma of Oregon, since so many successful poultry farms are being developed in this section. New poultry houses recently completed or in the course of construction are one by Ervin Scott 16 by 70 feet, one for C. R. Duer 20 by 60 feet, and one for Harry Miller 20 by 170 feet. With Mr. Miller's new house completed he will have some 10,000 square feet of floor space under cover for his big flock of White Leghorns.

## VALLEY CANNING COMPANY BUYS SPRINGBROOK CANNERY

On Tuesday afternoon when A. Rupert, the cannery king of the Northwest, was in Newberg, he informed the Graphic that he was just closing a deal for the Springbrook cannery, which was built and

## HICKS-HUDDLE WED- DING SOLEMNIZED

Pastor of the Newberg Christian  
Church Takes Mrs. Anna C.  
Huddle as Bride

Benjamin L. Hicks, pastor of the Newberg Christian church, and Mrs. Anna C. Huddle, of Fernwood, were united in marriage at the bride's country home in Fernwood on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, in the presence of only the immediate relatives and a number of close friends.

A quiet simplicity marked the affair, the couple being unattended. Wallace Jones, a young minister late from Eugene Bible University, officiated.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanders, of Fernwood, and the groom is to be congratulated on being able to win such a charming woman.

Following congratulations and best wishes, refreshments were served.

Later in the evening a large number of the young people of the neighborhood gathered outside for an old fashioned charavari as is the usual custom in country neighborhoods.

The groom has resigned from the church here at Newberg and has accepted the pastorate of the Christian church at Yamhill, to which place they will go to take charge on October 1.

Both the bride and groom are well known in Newberg and Fernwood, where they have made many warm friends who wish them happiness and prosperity in their new location.

## LESTER C. REES CITED FOR BRAVERY

French Croix de Guerre with Bronze  
Star Received by  
Parents

A few days ago Mr. and Mrs. Will Rees received from the office of the Adjutant General in Washington a letter saying: "There is forwarded herewith by registered mail, a French Croix de Guerre with bronze star, citation certificate and translation of the same, awarded to your son, Lester C. Rees, late private, 125th Regiment, U. S. Infantry."

The citation as translated reads: "With the approbation of the Commander in Chief of the American Expeditionary Forces in France, the Marshal of France, Commander in Chief of the French armies of the East, cites in the order of the Brigade, Lester C. Rees, Bugler, 125th Infantry, displayed great bravery by volunteering to carry important orders under machine gun and artillery fire."

At the time Lester C. Rees volunteered he was seventeen years old and he was nineteen when he was killed in action at Gesnes, France, October 9, 1918. Just how he lost his life his parents have never been able to learn.

has been operated for many years by the farmers and fruit and berry growers of the Springbrook section.

The stockholders get enough from the sale of the plant to pay up all claims and par value for their stock. They will also continue to operate the plant throughout the present season, thus realizing whatever profit there may be in the season's run.

The operation of the plant will be continued in the future, much as in the past, running mostly on cherries and berries.

