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DUNDEE

Mrs. Barbour, of Portland, spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keyes.

A young lady from Minneapolis spent a few days at the Dearborn home last week.

Cherry picking has begun in the Robison orchard and the crop promises to be a better one than usual.

Mrs. Roe Robinson and little daughter, Vera, have returned from a visit with relatives at White Salmon.

Miss Leida Milla, of Portland, and Miss Jessie Clark, of Wichita, Kansas, were Friday and Saturday guests at Otterbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Toms, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, who came west with the Shriners excursion, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Olmsted.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Hillsinger, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Little and Miss May Wetherall, of Portland, were Sunday and Monday guests at Otterbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Herring and family and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bailey and family had a picnic dinner on the bank of the Yamhill River near Carlton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howland and two sons, George and Keith, came out from Newberg Sunday and took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pawelski and family. Sunday was Mr. Pawelski's 50th birthday.

A number of Dundee and Red Hill families helped Newberg celebrate on Monday. Several other families from Dundee spent the week end at the coast.

The Dundee Woman's Club held its regular business meeting on Thursday, the first of July. After the meeting a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be Thursday, the fifteenth of July. As this is the date for the annual election of officers it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

When Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bennett and family and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Noble, arrived at Forest Grove on the Fifth where they were to celebrate with Mrs. Jergens, Mr. Bennett's sister, they found another sister, Mrs. Nicholson, from Des Moines, Iowa, whose presence at the family gathering was a complete surprise.

On Friday evening a jolly picnic party of the intermediate and higher classes of the Dundee Sunday school had a "weenie roast" at the picnic grounds at Otterbrook. Games were played on the tennis court until dark then the luncheon enjoyed around a bon fire. Mrs. White had charge of the party ably assisted by members of the Young People's class.

On June twenty-third Mrs. H. B. Powell, Mrs. Bland Herring, Mrs. E. G. Shannahan, Mrs. B. S. Hunter and Mrs. John Devore spent the afternoon with Mrs. Cyrene Palmer

at Chehalis Center, the occasion being Mrs. Palmer's birthday. Besides the Dundee visitors some of the Chehalis neighbors were guests for the afternoon. Mrs. Palmer received many beautiful flowers, letters, cards and little gifts from her many friends.

On the morning of the fifth of July the Allan grove on Lover's Lane was the scene of a pretty wedding. Miss Ethel Lois Fogg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Fogg, of Dundee, and Harold A. Dimick, of Salem, were the happy couple. Rev. J. W. McDougall, pastor of one of the Methodist churches in Spokane, performed the ceremony in the presence of fifty relatives and friends from Portland and Salem, also Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, of Dundee. Little Helen Peck, a niece of the bride, was the ring bearer. After the ceremony and a little social hour, the guests adjourned to the Fogg home where refreshments were served. Both the bride and groom were attendants at the Willamette University the past year. Mr. Dimick graduating in June. After a honeymoon, most of which will be spent in the country, Mr. and Mrs. Dimick will be at home at Tillamook where Mr. Dimick is to be one of the instructors in the high school. Congratulations and best wishes of Dundee friends attend them.

The Greer family, accompanied by Rev. Greer's sister, Mrs. Robert Howe, of Dallas, Oregon, attended the meeting of the Oregon Pioneers at Portland on the first of July. The elder members of the family are pioneers of '52 and enjoyed meeting many old friends. Did your reporter say old? It is a mistake. The Graphic reporter saw but two old ladies and one old man in all that large assembly. It is true that Father Time had sprinkled snow very freely over the heads of most of the company, except where his little Imps of mischief had fooled him by snatching most of the hair out so there would be none to tell tales of passing years. But a little whiteness more or less does not count when the spirit remains young and that was the beautiful thing among all those old friends. Badges all the way from '43 to those of '69, the date when Oregon became a state, were noticed but their wearers were as bright and jovial and most of them as spry as you would find in any company of middle aged persons. And dress! Well, if any gathering of younger people could beat those men and women in conformity to style and good taste, to use a slang phrase, they would be "going some." With the memory of a great-grandmother who was an old, old lady at sixty-five, and a grandmother very old at sixty-three, ye Graphic reporter wonders how people nowadays keep so young. It is hard to believe that it is all the difference in view point as we advance in years. There certainly seems to be something in the bigness of the West, the more freedom from provincial reserve, and the good will engendered by sharing one's joys and sorrows that tend to keep the heart young. The younger visitors to that meeting of the Oregon Pioneers came away with hearts aglow from the beautiful spirit of fellowship and affection displayed by those boys and girls of the 40s and 50s. May they all be there to greet each other one year hence.

CHAIRMAN CUMMINGS ON THE COST OF THE WAR

"It was indeed an expensive war," said Homer S. Cummings, in his key note address at San Francisco. It was indeed. Its direct cost to the United States was nearly as much as to France—\$22,000,000,000 for the United States and \$26,000,000,000 for France, according to the official calculation of our war department. But France was in the war four years and three months, and fighting every minute of that time, while the United States was technically in the war one year and seven months, but on the firing line only a few months.

The war ended in the armistice in November, 1918. When the German offensive started March 21 of that year we had 2,500 men on the western front. When Foch assumed the offensive on July 18 we supported him with 240,000 men.

The United States was really on the fighting line about four months, and that four months of fighting cost us about as much as France expended in four years.

If Chairman Cummings should want to dilate on the cost of the war to the American people, we commend to him a little official book published by the war department, with a preface by Newton D. Baker, secretary of war. From that official publication we extract the following comparisons:

"The figure is 20 times the pre-war national debt. It is nearly large enough to pay the entire cost of our government from 1791 up to the outbreak of the European war. Our expenditure in this war was sufficient to have carried on the Revolutionary war continuously for more than 1,000 years at the rate of expenditure which that war actually involved."

Great Britain, too, was in the war four years and three months, the same as France. It supported the mightiest navy in the world and enlarged it tremendously during the war. It raised vast armies and threw them early into the fray. But the total war costs of Great Britain and all its dominions, including Canada and Australia, was \$36,000,000,000.

If we had had one year of real fighting, such as France and Great Britain sustained for nearly five years, undoubtedly that year would have cost us as much as was spent by Great Britain and all her dominions.—Spokesman Review.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Grace Leone Worden, Newberg, to Lawrence Oliver Boyd, Newberg. Goldea Lorena Everest, Newberg, to Donald Navarre Matthews, Salem.

Clara Melissa Kimber, Dundee, to Cecil Leonard Chapman, Newberg.

Matie Brown, McMinnville, to Roy Everett Wells, McMinnville.

Maude Everest, Newberg, to Leonard Dewey Lichtenthaler, Marshfield.

Erva Ruthena Shank, McMinnville, to James Oak Denham, Portland.

Edith Eloise Pleasant, Willamina, to Emil Wicktor Gustafson, Willamina.

Nida Gladys Hanning, Yamhill, to Elvin Dillard Hickson, Marcola, Oregon.

Ethel Lois Fogg, Dundee, to Harold Arthur Dimick, Salem.

Floesie Geraldine Watson, Dayton, to Frank J. Randall, Dayton.

Hazel Anna Hall, Newberg, to Albert C. Case, Newberg.

Maudie Heider, Sheridan, to Rosencrans Stevens, Sheridan.

Elizabeth Marie Linke, Yamhill, to Frederick Herman Knope, Yamhill.

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