

Country Correspondence

KINTON

By Mrs. E. L. Cox

Harold Aten made a business trip to Portland last Wednesday in connection with his onion business.

J. L. VanHorn who has been spending the past week or so with his brothers, who reside in Astoria, has returned to his home.

Mrs. Mary Kershaw of Oak Grove, who formerly resided on what is now the W. C. Hall place is visiting with Mrs. Lilly M. Bierly.

The H.E.C. club will hold their regular monthly meeting at the grange hall, Thursday afternoon, March 14, at 2 o'clock. All ladies are invited to attend.

Miss Laura Gerig of Salem, who has been visiting among her relatives around home, during the past two weeks or so, returned to her home, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snider had a Lang cook stove installed in their home last week equipped with hot water coils and other regular features connected with a modern range.

Edward L. Cox and Joseph Flint attended the regular meeting of Odd Fellows lodge in Sherwood, last Monday evening. Two young men from Scholla lodge took the first degree.

Floyd Bierly and son Amos Bierly attended a 4-H club convention held in Corvallis last week. The Bierly brothers gave their corn demonstration at the meeting. Ivan Bierly is attending O.S.C.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cox, S. H. Pomeroy, Robert Pomeroy, and Everett Wright attended the regular monthly meeting of Albright Brotherhood held last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Whitmore of Laurel.

A meeting of the boundary board of Washington county will be held at the school house, Wednesday morning, March 6, at 10 o'clock, to consider a petition to set off from school district 34 and add to district 40. Everyone is invited to be

present.

The past week has been a busy week with some of the onion growers. A number of truck loads have been shipped to wholesalers in Portland. The price is more than it has been for a number of years, with prospects of another raise a little later in the season.

All grangers are invited to attend the regular monthly meeting of Kinton grange to be held at the hall this Saturday in all day meeting. The lecturer, Alice Fluke, has the program in hand for the lecture hour after dinner, which is open for all. The time is about 1:30.

E. L. McCormick and nephew Virgil McCormick and Miss Grace McCormick, who is attending state normal school in Monmouth, were visitors during Saturday at the home of Mrs. Lilly M. Bierly. Mr. McCormick and Virgil returned to their home in Hillsboro during the afternoon, and Miss McCormick returned to her school the first of the week.

High School Notes

The students of Beaverton High held an interesting student body meeting last Friday, mainly for the purpose of commemorating the birthdays of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln. The girls orchestra played several selections, after which Mr. Warren presented basketball letters to the following: George Klein, Beverly Bichman, Frank Emmons, Charles Isaacson, John Mason, Rex Saxton, Jay Gibson, Leonard Rohrback, Theodore Hetu, and Harold Godfrey, manager.

After this Frank Emmons presented a basketball picture and Jack Barron a football picture to Mr. Warren. Edwin Blotter and Raymond Rugland spoke on Abraham Lincoln, after which the meeting was adjourned.

The meeting was followed by two basketball games with Tigard. In the second team game, our boys won with a 12 to 9 score, but the first team lost by a 41 to 23 score. In the latter game the boys started out with lots of pep and at the end of the first quarter had a 7-3

lead on the opponents. When the whistle blew at the half, the score was still in our favor, 15-13, but in the last half the Tigard team pipped up and with excellent playing, won the game, 41-23. Heckham and Johnston were outstanding for Tigard.

Beaverton High school debaters, the Oregon champions, met Kelso teams, Washington winners, at Linfield College at McMinnville, Friday evening, to debate for the Northwest championship in the National Forensic League. The local teams won by a three to nothing decision, which entitles them to debate California winners at Redlands, California, on a later date.

Aline Boswell and Donald Walker, negative, and Evelyn Alexander and Markey Sayre, affirmative, were the participants from here.

The first year Public Speaking class held its regular monthly election last Thursday, electing the following officers: Edwin Blotter, President; Francis Holboke, Vice-president; Aletha Huette, Secretary; Harvey Stoller, Treasurer; and Alda Lehman, Reporter.

EVELYN KELLEY IS GIVEN SCHOLARSHIP

Evelyn Kelly was awarded a scholarship to the 4-H club summer school by the business men of Banks at an achievement meeting for the Bald Mountain Sheep Club, which was held at the Bald Mountain School by J. L. Smith, local leader, and L. E. Francis, assistant county agent, Tuesday evening, February 19. Thirty club members and farmers of the community attended the program. The club was awarded a certificate of achievement in recognition of having completed its work, 100 per cent.

The following members of the club received third year pins: Bill Kelly, Evelyn Kelly, Ray Knepper, Neil Knepper, Elsie Knepper, Merrill Mead and Mildred Mead.

The community has organized for the coming year a sheep club, calf club and pig club led by J. L. Smith, and a cooking club led by Agnes Kelly.

Miss Carleen Wolf entertained the Raleigh Campfire girls at her home on Olsson Road, with a kitchen shower for Miss Genevieve Carter, Monday afternoon. There were twenty in attendance.



Advice to the Cook: "Scotch It!"

Cut your corners like a Caledonian! Which is to say, if you must be thrifty when you prepare a meal—"scotch it"! Thistles, bagpipes, plaids and kilts are not, no not by Sir Harry Lauder's sporan, all that fair Scotland can boast: those canny residents of "Caledonia, stern and wild" are "nae safties" when it comes to good eating! Finnan haddie, oatmeal and bannocks are but three of a thousand dishes that are Scotch by origin and American by adoption. There are also Surprise Scones, "Buckle and Wick," and Butterscotch Kisses, to name but a few.

Since the thrift of the Scotlander has inspired more stories than even the famous two Irishmen, it is hardly necessary to point out that the recipes of the "guid wives" of that country are especially valuable right now when most of us are occupied with the unpopular indoor sports of bill-meeting and pence-pinching. To the kitchen then, with the advice of the MacPhersons and Bruce's to guide us!

Tea is as bracing after a run home from the city as it is after a walk through the braes. In Edinburgh they take tea with crispy oat cakes filled with chewy dates or with delicate scones. The Scotch use a great deal of this sunshine fruit, because a few dates lend flavor as well as vitamins, because they combine well with fresh fruits, and glorify simple ingredients.

Edinburgh Tea Squares

1 cup butter
1 cup sugar
1/2 tsp. salt
1 cup flour
2 1/2 cups rolled oats

Filling

1/2 pkg. dates
1 cup water
1 tsp. lemon juice
Cook pitted dates with the water over a low flame until a paste is formed. Add lemon juice; cool.

Cream butter; stir in sugar gradually, then sifted flour and last the rolled oats and salt. Continue to stir until mixture holds together. With a broad-bladed knife, spread one-half mixture over the surface of a well-oiled pan. (The layer should not be thicker than 1/4 inch.) Spread filling over the bottom layer and then cover with the remaining half of the mixture. Bake in very moderate oven (325° F.) for about 30 minutes. Remove from oven, crease into 2 inch squares.

Surprise Scones

2 cups flour
4 tps. baking powder
1/2 tsp. salt
2 tpsps. sugar
2/3 cup milk
15 dates
4 marshmallows
1 egg yolk
1/2 cup nut meats
2 to 4 tpsps. shortening

Pit dates, and stuff with quartered marshmallows. Sift flour, baking powder, salt and sugar. Work in the shortening with the finger tips or a fork. Stir with a knife, add milk, to form a soft dough. Toss dough on a lightly floured board and roll out to a thickness of 1/2 inch. Cut in 2-inch rounds. Place a stuffed date near one edge of each round of dough and press the edges of the round together to enclose the date. Brush the semi-circular scones with slightly beaten egg yolk which has been diluted with a little milk. Sprinkle with finely chopped nut meats. Bake in a hot oven (450° F.) 10 to 12 minutes. 15 scones.

Butterscotch, of Course!

In addition to those delicious morsels of butterscotch candy that stick to your teeth, you can also make "Scotch Kisses" by dipping fresh marshmallows in butterscotch while it is at soft ball stage, keeping it hot over hot water while you do the dipping. For the butterscotch candy:

2 cups brown sugar

1/4 cup white corn syrup

1 cup water
1/4 tsp. salt
1/3 cup butter
1/4 tsp. vanilla

Put sugar, syrup, water and salt in a sauce-pan. Stir over low heat until the sugar is dissolved. Increase heat and cook to firm-ball stage. Add butter and cook with occasional stirring until the thermometer registers to brittle stage. Remove from stove; add vanilla; pour into a buttered shallow pan. While still warm, crease into squares with a blunt knife.

"Buckle and Wick"

The Scotch name having been lost in transit, "Buckle and Wick" suffices for this salmon loaf, since these are the names of famous fishing centers in that country.

2 cups hot boiled rice
2 tpsps. butter
Juice of 1/2 lemon
1 cup salmon (canned)
2 eggs (beaten)
1/4 tsp. pepper
1/4 tsp. salt

Beat your egg yolks and mix with rice, seasonings and salmon. Now add juice from salmon, and then add stiffly beaten egg whites. Put in well oiled baking dish and set in shallow pan of water. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.). Serve with tomato sauce.

BUTTERMAKERS BACK DRIVE FOR QUALITY

Oregon and other Pacific coast states as well as "miles ahead" of the country as a whole in the matter of butter quality improvement, Dr. O. F. Hunziker, Chicago, a world authority of dairy manufacturing, told members of the Oregon Butter and Ice Cream Makers association at the annual convention held at Oregon State college. He said this should make Oregon fall in heartily with the federal plans to "clean-up" the industry where necessary.

The convention endorsed the federal campaign, urged the continuance of the state AAA law, and commended the butter scoring work of the state college. Most of the convention was devoted to educational matters with Dr. Hunziker featured.

Richard M. John of Eugene was named the "master buttermaker" for this year, based on the consistent excellence of his work. A. B. Swan, Carlton, was grand champion buttermaker for the convention contests, and Arthur Shimmis, Corvallis, was champion ice cream maker.

Officers for the coming year are Percy Murray, Klamath Falls, president; A. B. Swan, Carlton, vice-president; Dr. G. H. Wilster, Corvallis, secretary; and Edward Conley, Portland, Treasurer. Directors are H. C. Raven, Portland; Frank Hettwer, Mt. Angel; E. F. Moser, Corvallis; E. H. Christiansen, Eugene, and Paul Jones, Sheridan.

GENEVIEVE CARTER LEADS BIBLE CLASS

Miss Genevieve Carter was in charge of the program for the group of 30 young people at the Saturday evening Bible class at the McMinn home. The Fifth chapter of Revelations was taken for the Scripture lesson and Mr. Gar-nett took for his topic, "Title Deeds to the Earth". A cordial welcome is extended to all young people to attend these interesting and helpful meetings.

ALINE BOSWELL ENTERTAINS DEBATERS

Aline Boswell entertained the debating teams at her home, Monday evening. A few additional guests were included. Refreshments were served.

Those present were: Evelyn Alexander, Mildred Twohy, Amos Bierly, Delbert Burke, Markey Sayre, Donald Walker, Mrs. Nelson Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Boswell, and Aline Boswell.

Science Reveals Why Eyesight Fades As Birthdays Increase



Of all men and women past 50 years of age, 82% have defective eyesight. Such is the penalty that man pays for his compromise with nature. Neglected teeth may be replaced, but damaged eyesight at best can be only partially restored. Good light and properly fitted eyeglasses are a great boon to old people. Since the pupils of their eyes are only one-third as large as those of young people, they need at least three times as much light in order to have an even break in seeing.

The average child is born with normal sight. All too soon, however, he begins to use his eyes for close seeing tasks, such as looking at pictures or playing with toys, often under poor lighting. Eyestrain and ocular defects are quick to result. No child should be permitted to use his eyes for close work under any but the best of visual conditions. Abundant, glareless light should always be provided, and the child's eyes examined frequently by a competent specialist.



Thousands of young men and women in schools and colleges throughout the country are needlessly wearing out their eyes long before their time by reading and studying for long hours under poor visual conditions. Surveys show that 43% of college students' eyes are defective. What a sad commentary that is fitting himself for the battle of life the student is unnecessarily imposing a serious handicap on himself.

Nature never intended children's eyes to be used for reading, writing and study. She intended that eyes be used for looking at distant objects, under large amounts of natural daylight. When a child does close visual work indoors under inadequate and glaring light is defiance of Nature's laws, he pays the penalty in eye defects. Statistics show that one out of every five children in grammar school has defective vision.

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We live in a changing world. Opportunities for success in the future will differ from those in the past. A young man's wise choice of his life work may do much to determine success or failure. How shall he choose?

The Skilled Accountant

ACCOUNTING and bookkeeping are so often confused that at the start it is best to define the difference between the two. Book-keeping is the keeping of records. Accounting is far more than this. The skilled accountant is a business analyst. His function is the proper placing of costs, the locating of profits and the discovery of the unseen leaks that sap the life of a business and destroy profits. His analysis shows which operations of a business are conducted at a profit and which are really resulting in a loss. His reports are to the business what charts and observations are to the navigating officers of an ocean liner.

The growing complexity of business organization, the increasing demands of stockholders and others for a complete and accurate picture of the profit and loss results of operations, are all tending to increase the already great importance of the skilled accountant. The success of every phase of the National Recovery Program demands accurate accounting information. There seems to be no reasonable doubt that the demand for skilled accountants will be even greater in the future than it has been in the past.

The doorway to accounting is a wide one, since clerical work of almost any kind having to do with the financial side of a business will provide a certain amount of basic knowledge and experience. The principles and methods of accounting itself are intricate and demand specialized knowledge which can only be acquired by hard study, but the opportunity for such study during spare time is always open to the young man who is really earnest in his ambition to succeed.

SERVICE STATISTICS OF COLLEGE HUGE

Oregon experiment station staff members answered 60,395 letters of inquiry during the last two years according to the biennial report just issued. In addition, personal consultations were held with 21,761 who called to seek information. The public sent in 4238 plant specimens for identification, and 11,026 "samples" of insects to have named. Disease identifications were made 5229 times, and 6619 germination and purity tests on seeds were made. For big figures the veterinary department tops the list. It made 108,000 tests for Bang's disease, 180,000 for bacillary diarrhea in poultry, and distributed 680,000 doses of chicken-pox vaccine.

Real Estate Transfers

Oscar B. Peterson et ux to Claude G. Powers, Lot 44 Johnson Estate Add., Beaverton-Redville Age.

Sarah E. Johnson et al to Robert A. Johnson, Part of Lots 27 and 28 Garden Home.

Joseph Galbreath to Eva Fisch-luch, 12.22 acres in Sec. 21, T2S R1W.

W. G. Biederman et ux to Ernest L. Borthwick et ux, 1 acre in Lot 63 North Tigardville.

Edward E. Bacon to Emanuel Charity Board, Tract 11 and W 1/2 of Tract 12 Chehalis Mountain Orchards.

Eva Inez North to State of Oregon, 1.734 acres in Sec. 11, T3S R2W.

Washington County to G. A. Robson et ux, Lots in Blk. 23, First Add., Orengo.

A. S. Ellis et ux to C. F. Williamson et ux, 5 acres in Lot 3, Sec. 15, T1S R1W.

Jean Hammel et vir to Marianne Frederick, Lot 9 Eddy Acres.

O. E. Davis et ux to Glennis Hubbard, Tract 67 Plat No. 2 Bonny Slope.

Helen Taylor Whalen et ux, to M. V. Galoway, Lot 4 Blk. 4 Oak Grove Add. Hillsboro.

Fred Oberg to Ernest M. Oberg et ux, Part of A. Hill, D.L.C., No. 42, T2S R3W.

Washington County to L. E. Wilkes et ux, 4 acres in Secs. 25 and 26, T1S R1W.

Frank Pulver to Laura D. Pulver, Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 16, Beaverton and W 1/2 of Lot 261 Johnson Estate Add. to Beaverton, Reedville Aveage.

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