

Locals-Personals

Merely Many Minor Matters

Briefs and Fillers

Mrs. Chester Phillips of Prospect was an Ashland visitor Friday.

E. R. Greeves of Hornbrook was an Ashland visitor last week.

J. C. Hopper was a Klamath Falls visitor Saturday.

F. D. Swingle was in Ashland Sunday from Corvallis.

Mrs. Stella Leivett has been on the sick list during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fraley returned from Bookley last week and are located on Granite street.

Eugene Moody is here from Ross ville, Cal., to make a visit with his parents.

—Seeder, cultivator, garden tools and garden hose at Peil's Corner, in Ashland. 3a

Mrs. H. O. Anderson was a Corvallis visitor the first of the week, returning Sunday night.

Marion Frost has turned his Journal agency over to Lyle Ashcraft, a student of the normal.

H. G. Enders, Sr., left Sunday night for points in California, where he will attend to business.

Mrs. Will Rush, who was taken to the community hospital last week, is reported to be improving nicely.

Mrs. George Dunn was a visitor in Ashland Monday from her home on Eagle Creek.

Social circle met at the Christian church on Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors.

J. E. Haney and Mr. Myers made a trip to San Francisco this week on business.

H. B. Carter of Mountain avenue was a Jacksonville visitor for several days during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ling of Burbank, Cal., are in Ashland for a few days attending to business.

F. D. Wagner, Fred C. Homes and E. D. Briggs were visitors in Klamath Falls Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Grubb of Mountain avenue is somewhat indisposed at present.

Clifford Yarbrough and family, who have been Ashland residents for a number of years, are planning to move to North Bend soon.

Wayburn Kenyon, a resident of Bandon, spent the past week in Ashland visiting with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Frank Moore of Eugene is in Ashland making a visit to her mother, Mrs. D. McCarthy of north Main street.

If your district is not represented in the news columns of the American they should be. Suggest a correspondent from your section.

Mrs. F. H. Crowson and daughter, Amy Crowson, were visiting in Klamath Falls and Malin one day last week.

On Wednesday, May 18 the Baptist missionary society will meet with Mrs. Frank Beswick, 177 Hargadine street.

W. G. Hale of Mountain avenue was a patient last week in San Francisco hospital. It is hoped that he will soon be able to return home.

Mrs. Ella B. Mills returned from Los Angeles Saturday, where she has spent the entire winter and reports a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Aurelia Ferguson, who has been spending the winter in Ashland is spending a few days with Mrs. C. B. Lamkin near Talent.

Mrs. Clyde Young and daughter spent the week-end at Applegate visiting with Mrs. Young's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kleinhammer.

Mrs. J. E. Crowson, who was recently operated upon at the community hospital, is reported to be doing very well and it is believed that she will make a favorable recovery.

Misses Grace and Ruth Bigham, students at the normal school, spent the week-end with parents and friends at Beagle, in the Sams Valley district.

Mrs. R. L. Reed was called to Portland Sunday by the sudden

death of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Leavitt, who had been visiting with relatives near McMinnville.

Mrs. Dora Wight, who has been spending the winter in Ashland with her sister, Mrs. Lena Phillips on East Main street, will leave soon for New York city to spend the summer with her sister.

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Horace Allbright, superintendent of the Yellowstone national park, was an Ashland visitor Monday night leaving Tuesday morning with R. W. Price for the northern part of the state on business.

C. C. Chapman, editor of the Oregon Voter of Portland, paid the American office a visit while in this city Tuesday. While here considerable time was given to the discussion of the state and city taxes.

The Berean class of the Christian Sunday school will hold their class party tonight (Friday, May 13) at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Putman, 329 Beach street. Members are asked to bring their husbands as guests.

Mrs. A. G. Adams of East Main street left for Rochester, Minn., last Thursday, called there by the news that her husband who went east recently for medical attention, had undergone an operation.

Mrs. Harold D. Aikins of Ashland spent Sunday in Medford attending the meeting of the Medford chapter of the Oregon State Music Teachers association. Mrs. Aikins is chairman of the publicity committee for Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Thacher of the Nazarene church and their Sunday school superintendent, Mr. Thornton Wiley, with other members of their church expect to go to Vancouver before long to the Nazarene assembly. The Thachers expect to go by car and plan to be gone from Ashland for a week or more.

Leonard Gosnell won first prize, Keller Mabbot, second and Wallace Stearns third prize in a bird house contest recently sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. Interest has been stirred up by this contest and when the next one is given a larger interest and more entries are hoped for.

Rev. Barney, who has preached at the Christian church for the past two Sundays has been called by the church to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mr. Allison, who is now preaching at Klamath Falls. Rev. Barney will move his family here in the near future.

Miss Lois Well won first prize in an aiming contest at the southern Oregon normal school which was held May 3. The rifle club has secured rifles temporary from the local battery of the national guard until such time as their ammunition and equipment arrives from the east. A rifle range which the students will use will be ready in the near future and several matches will be ready by that time.

A good newspaper is the true reflection of the town where it is published. Merchants can make the American truly representative by employing its advertising columns. It is well printed, the news is well covered, its editorial is designed to help every line of business, and its policy is to advance the interests of every resident here and elsewhere in the southern portion of this county.

The week day Bible school put on a splendid program last Friday night at the M. E. Church. Mrs. Grace Andrews deserves much credit for excellent work during the past school year. The memory work and Bible plays were especially pleasing, also the musical features. The instrumental duet by Isenhower children was one of the best features of the musical program considering the age of the children.

The Baptist young people put on an unique program Thursday night, May 5, consisting of a trip around the world. They visited Japan, India, Spain and Holland, at each sta-

tion visited, the hostess was dressed in native costume and had native foods as near as possible. Japan was at the Baptist parsonage with Mr. and Mrs. Thacher of the Nazarene church as hostesses and there had refreshments, sitting on the floor in Japanese style. Mr. and Mrs. Thacher also told some interesting personal experiences of theirs when they were in Japan some years ago. O. F. Carson was the India station with Mrs. Carson in native costume serving refreshments. Spain was at the Frank Beswick home on Hargadine street with Mrs. Beswick dressed as a Spanish lady serving refreshments with the help of her daughters Holland and the Dutch farm was the country home east of town of I. N. Gilmour. The young people report a good time and thanks are due the Baptist men for their car conveyance during this famous trip.

MOVIE COLUMN

COMMENTS OF COMING ATTRACTION TO VINING

The program this week sets off an unusual privilege of the movie fans and one that will prove of interest all the way from this Saturday until next Friday.

Starting Saturday night with "Finger Prints" with Louise Fazenda, a man was shot and killed. His body had disappeared. Later that night the body of his friend was found in a well. The coroner's inquest had begun. A \$5,000,000 robbery! The leaders of the criminal gang were caught. A visiting card is in your hand. You finger it carelessly. Be there Saturday night.

Sunday and Monday nights sees "Kiki" with Norma Talmadge on the screen. Little Kiki, checkered skirt, tam-o-shanter, and a red feather that seemed to form a question mark—a tantalizing question mark m'sieur. But the love of Kiki was for one man.

Tuesday evening will be an exception from the general run of pictures when the Collegians of the University of California, Berkeley, directed by Vic Morse will be here personally in vaudeville entertainment. A wow!

Wednesday night only, the Vining will present "Easy Pickings" with Anna Q. Nilsson. She's so slick she could sell a street car to the motor-man—and have the conductor sign the deed! You'll have a grand time watching this beautiful blonde bandit outwit everyone but cupid.

Thursday and Friday nights is Rin-Tin-Tin in "Tracked by the Police." Hot footing it over the desert—Rinty and his white mate Nanette—On—on—the Bradley camp almost reached—then the click of a trap—Nanette is caught—Rinty gone mad—Nannette frees herself—bad men—the put-put of guns—Rinty to the rescue—Oh Boy! You'll root for Rinty as you have never rooted before.

W. C. T. MEET IS ENJOYED

Large Number Are Present When Program Is Given.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. M. B. Riley, May 10 and had a very enjoyable time. The meeting was opened by singing "Every Body Sing" and "White Ribbon Rally Song." prayer by Mrs. Mitchelmore. A committee was appointed by the president of the society to make arrangements for a public meeting in the near future. Those on the program were Mother Russel, Grandma Parr and Mrs. H. P. Holmes.

Mother Russel, said that in an early day here (perhaps fifty years ago) none of the Ashland churches would open their doors for a temperance lecture. She also told a very interesting story of early W. C. T. U. experiences that were appreciated greatly by the women. Mother Russel was the first W. C. T. U. president and first woman in Ashland to vote when women were given suffrage.

Grandma Parr also gave early experiences in temperance work and gave a splendid reading, "Thank God my Child Is Resting."

Mrs. H. P. Holmes gave a short reading on Mother day poems and interesting missionary experiences.

Mrs. Davis gave a Mother day reading. Redaing, "The Lonesome House I Ever Saw," by Grandma Parr.

The White Ribon salute was given to the elderly members by the union members and Mrs. Jillson, program committee president, thanked those who ably assisted in the program.

HON. W. C. HAWLEY ASHLAND VISITOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Congressman W. C. Hawley, of Oregon, who is one of the head managers of the Woodmen of the World, addressed a gathering of Rogue river valley Woodmen in this City Wednesday night.

During a recent drive for new members held in Ashland, 75 of the busines and professional men, being anxious to secure the next national head camp session for this city, signed up for membership. The con-

vention has been practically assured for Ashland to be held the latter part of June, next year, according to reports.

Medford and Grants Pass camps with a large number of members journeyed to the Granite city to assist with the work of initiating a large class.

SILENTLY PASSING

George R. Anderson.

Funeral services for the Geo. R. Anderson, who passed away at his home on 430 Holly street last Saturday, was held Monday afternoon, with services conducted by Rev. H. F. Pemberton of the local Methodist church. Interment being in Hargadine cemetery, where his wife was laid to rest in 1907. Mr. Anderson had been a resident of Ashland since 1906, coming here when he retired from the ministry of the Methodist church, engaging in fruit growing. He is survived by one daughter, Jean, of Ashland, five sisters and four brothers. All relatives were present at the funeral with the exception of one brother, whose home is in Arkansas.

KLAMATH LAKE DIKE BREAKS

2600 Acres in Caledonia Valley Inundated—further Damages

Tremendous pressure of waters of upper Klamath Lake caused the sudden break Sunday afternoon of the main dike on the south shore of upper Klamath lake.

Through the gap, 40 feet wide, pent up waters of the lake poured into the fertile Caledonia valley and before the sun had set, 2,600 acres of meadow and grain land were under water. Only desparate efforts on the part of sheep herders saved thousands of sheep grazing in the meadow land when the waters of the upper lake poured through the dike. A number of lambs were drowned.

Had a road been washed away, 4,000 acres of fertile farm land owned by the Geary Brothers interests in Wocus valley would have been flooded.

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