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It is not uncommon for strangers within the gates to know more about our scenery and points of interest than a majority of the people residing here. There is nothing unusual about such a condition, for tourists are out sightseeing and many of them make it a point to stop and look around a bit at places that have been marked on their travel maps. Residents, on the other hand, are prone to delay hunting up points of interest within their own vicinities because they have a feeling that it can be done any time, and all too often many of them later leave the community without having learned of the beauty and grandeur surrounding them.

Thus it is that thousands of people live their entire life span within a comparatively few miles of Niagara falls without seeing that world-famous spot. Tourists from all over the world can lay claim to visiting this greatest of American waterfalls, yet people living no farther than 15 miles distant from Niagara, a distance that could easily be walked if they had a real desire to see it, pass up the opportunity until it is too late.

This prelude leads up to the point in mind—that Oregon has a beautiful capitol building, which, like Niagara, is being passed up by the people who should be directly interested in seeing what was accomplished with some two and a half million dollars. Literally hundreds of Oregonians pass through the capital city daily, yet only a few take the time to stop and visit the state house. Countless numbers of tourists inspect the building but Oregonians just don't seem to be interested. Perhaps if we from this state visited a neighboring state capitol we would be interested in seeing its state buildings. What the other fellow has always seems to be more intriguing, yet Oregon's new capitol ranks among the finer public structures of the nation.

The building superintendent states that California and Washington tourists head the list of visitors, California taking the lead by a good margin. They admire the capitol much as they admire Crater Lake and other superlative natural attractions of Oregon and who knows but that some of their enthusiastic boosters or journalists may in time include our lovely capitol as one of that state's attractions. Before that happens it might be well for Oregonians to lay a stronger claim to the state plant by giving it a thorough inspection. Anyone will be well repaid for the visit, which, by the way, may be made on Sunday since there are intelligent young guides there to show you the way.

About People You Know

- Miss Myra West has returned from a visit to her aunt in MacDowell, Calif.
- The members of the Presbyterian church held a covered dish dinner and their annual meeting on Wednesday evening. The various officials of the church organizations presented reports of the work.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lee have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Lee, to Stanley Johnson of Central Valley, the son of Mrs. Engie Johnson of Portland. The Rev. Brewster Adams of the Baptist church in Reno performed the ceremony on March 29.
- Walter Love and Harry Chipman drove to Mount Shasta City Sunday.
- The birthday anniversary of Manly Brower was observed Sunday at a birthday dinner. Those enjoying the event were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Billings, Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Darby, Mr. and Mrs. William Allison, Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Herbert, Philip Hoxie, Mrs. D. M. Brower, Miss Voda Brower, Miss Velma Brower, and Larry Hunter.
- A. A. Madden transacted business several days in Portland last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. W. DeCarliow

- of Pinehurst were business callers in Ashland Monday.
- Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Yeo and Mrs. Jim Davis spent the week end in Klamath Falls visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Fowler.
- Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Marske of Dunsmuir on March 29, a son, Mr. Marske is a son of Mrs. A. A. Marske of this city.
- Those attending the Epworth League convention all or part of the time at Cottage Grove last week end included Dr. and Mrs. George W. Bruce, Wilma and Ruth Froman, Ida Willard, Mildred Rice Laura and Homer Billings.
- Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gearhart of Klamath Falls visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ned Mars and Mrs. Miller over the week end.
- Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Erwin and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Sid Reed and daughter were Jacksonville visitors Sunday.
- The Who Do class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. S. B. McNair last Friday afternoon. After a business and devotional meeting, Mrs. M. A. Ring, program chairman took charge. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. E. Chamberlain and Mrs. W. M. Herbert.

NEWS FROM

Lincoln School

By SCHOOL STUDENTS

Wednesday morning, March 26, the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades went to the college assembly. They saw a demonstration of what the blind people can do. Pierce Knox, a blind man played the xylophone. There was another man who read some of the Braille book to them, and told them what time it was. He told the correct time by feeling the hands. It was a very interesting program.

Some time ago the sixth grade wrote letters to Ruth Elliott who lives in the mountains and can't get down to come to school and to Mrs. Bushnell, a former student teacher in room eight. A few days ago the room received letters from them telling how much they enjoyed the letters. The children were glad to hear from them.

Room 6 has new student teachers. Their names are: Miss Betty Dano, Miss Delta Winfrey, Mr. Charles Coffin, and Mr. Tommy Hensler.

Dwight Vicars moved to Klamath Falls where he will go to Riverside school. The boys and girls of room six hope that Dwight will like the school.

On March 31, room six was challenged by room five in a game of basketball. It was a hard game. One side would get ahead and then the other one would. When the bell rang, the score was 3 to 3.

On March 31, some of the children of the Ashland public schools played at the Civic club building. The piece that the Lincoln school presented was "God Bless America". Some of the players from room six were Roger Hall, Ronald Nance, Bill Starnes, Robert Montgomery, Carl Surber and Elmer Biegel.

On Monday, March 31, the fourth grade of Lincoln School made Easter bunnies in art class Mr. Wilda, their art teacher, showed them how to make the bunnies look very pretty. After the children finished the bunnies, Mr. Wilda put them up on the bulletin board.

On Monday, March 31, Miss Muriel Samuelson taught the girls of room five a new game called "Bat-Ball". The girls enjoyed it very much.

Mr. Rush found a baby toad on the playground. He gave it to the second grade to take care of.

Miss Bowman has taught the second grade boys to play long ball.

NEWS FROM

Washington School

By SCHOOL STUDENTS

The fourth grade made Easter posters in art of flowers and the Cross. They were all very nice.

Many people went to the Open House where the Junior High displayed their work. Afterwards, they had a program on the stage. We enjoyed going to the Open House.

Richard Adams is going to move to Liberty Street. He will stay the rest of the year at Washington School.

Room 3-

Patricia Kathan has moved away. We miss Patricia very much.

Donald Damon went to Lakeview a few days ago. He had a very nice trip.

Walker Grubb is back with us again, after having been out with the measles.

Bonnie Frohneich played a violin solo Monday evening at the Civic Club house. She played very nicely.

We are reading a very interesting book—"The Big Top". It tells all about wild animals and their habits.

Animals are divided into two groups. The flesh eaters, which eat meat are lions, leopards and hyenas.

The plant eaters which eat plants and roots and fruit are giraffes, elephants, hippopotamus and rhinoceros.

An elephant can carry a load that weighs one thousand pounds. An elephant's foot that was brought to America from Africa was 6 7/8 inches around.

Darol South brought a newspaper from Langford, No. Dak. showing a picture of two of his little schoolmates with whom he used to go to school. Their names were Kenneth Nickerson and Lou-

Our Churches

First Methodist Church

Dr. George W. Bruce, Minister

Someone has said, "I see no satisfactory basis for democracy except through loyalty to God." The Sunday school which meets at 9:45 a. m. is seeking to train folks in the art of loyalty to the Heavenly Father.

Morning sermon at 11 o'clock on the subject, "The First Palm Sunday." There is to be a baptismal service and new members will be received into the church. These are beautiful and sacred rites and ceremonies.

Epworth and Wesley Leagues will meet at 6:15 p. m.

The young people's choir, under direction of Mrs. Cora Bruce, with Mrs. Annabelle Davis at the organ, will give the Easter music, "The Redeemer," by Edith Sims. This is the Life of Christ from Bethlehem to the Resurrection told in anthems, solos, trios and duets. Gaylord Vestal will read the parts coming between the musical numbers.

First Presbyterian Church

James H. Edgar, Minister

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Worship service 11 a. m. Dr. John K. Howard, guest minister. No evening services until further notice.

Neighborhood Church Congregational

Boulevard and Morton Streets
Clarence F. McCall, Minister

Church school at 9:45 a. m. Mrs. Glenn Prescott, superintendent.

Regular worship service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Lessons from Gethsemane."

Trinity Episcopal Church

Dr. Claude E. Sayre, Vicar

Holy Communion 8 a. m. Church school 9:30 a. m. Sermon and Holy Communion 11 a. m.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES
Holy Communion Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at 9:30 a. m. Maunday Thursday service 7:30 p. m.

Good Friday Three Hour service begins at noon and continues until 3 p. m. Dr. Sayre will give a talk on each of the Seven Words uttered by Jesus. You may come and go at will. If you can attend two or three of the meditations or only one you will be welcome. You are cordially invited to worship with us.

ise McLeod. They were both frozen to death in the recent blizzard. They started for home after attending a 4H Club meeting, shortly before the blizzard, lost their way in the blinding storm and after wandering for some time, they perished. We are very sorry to hear about this sad tragedy.

Room 5 Club had the following program April 1:

1. Star Spangled Banner.
 2. Choosing of the name "Happy Room Club".
 3. Spelling contest.
 4. Arithmetic Race.
 5. Book contest.
 6. April Fool Joke.
- The April fool joke was won by Donnie Cullop and Harold Smith. The drill team girls are learning many new drills and ways of twirling. We don't drop our batons as much as we did.

The young people of the Presbyterian church enjoyed a fine party at the church last Saturday evening. The Rainbow class entertained the group. Mrs. J. H. Edgar spoke on the work of the Christian Endeavor.

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TALENT NEWS

Raymond Morris and family moved from the Bradley place on Wagner creek into the Lindley house in Talent.

Andy Correll of near Trail called on friends here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Unruh of prospect visited friends here Saturday. Mr. Unruh is employed with the Skeeters logging outfit.

Victor Anderson of Fort Canby, Wash. spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Bernice Anderson.

Mrs. H. J. Black of Ashland has purchased the Signal Oil station on the new highway south of town.

Billy Breese, Benny, Leonard and Betty Jo Morrow spent Saturday on the Greensprings picnicking.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boyer of Hill visited at th home of his mother, Mrs. Laura Boyer and brothers Leslie and Archie.

Mrs. Clarence Holdrige made a business trip to Ashland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Homes of Ashland called on relatives here Tuesday.

Mrs. Gladys Reed left Monday for Tacoma where she will join her husband who is in training camp.

Ladies of the Townsend club are making a quilt to be sold at a Townsend meeting in the near future. A quilting bee was held at the home of Mrs. Ed Davidson last Wednesday and Thursday. Those who attended were Mrs. Spencer Hackler, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mrs. Floyd Young, Mrs. Anna Dickey, Mrs. Harvey Walters, Mrs. W. V. Bates, Mrs. Roy Cofman and Mrs. Ottinger.

Miss Delta Thompson of Ashland visited friends in Talent Sunday afternoon.

The state conference of the Epworth League was held at Cottage Grove last week. Attending from Talent were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holdrige, Mrs. Lloyd Lacy, Ruby Dobbins, Lois Thompson, Elva Thompson, Agnes Lacy, Opal Lacy, Barbara Terrill and Beulah Balderstone.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Maxon moved into their new home on Railroad avenue last week.

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