

# TOWN AND VICINITY

In from Natron—B. L. Smith of Natron was in town Saturday.

Here for Week-end—H. L. Carter of Wendling spent the week-end in Springfield.

Will Live in Pendleton—Curtis Meeker left this city Friday for Pendleton, where he will make his home.

Visiting Parents—Mrs. Beulah Bucknum, of Portland, is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ditto.

Down from Marcola—C. L. Savage of Marcola was a business visitor Tuesday.

Down from Wendling—Mrs. Cal Barnes and family of Wendling were in town Saturday. Mrs. Barnes formerly lived in Springfield.

Goes to Portland—Mr. and Mrs. Harl McPherson and daughter, Pauline, went to Portland Saturday morning.

Returns from Salem—W. F. Walker returned from Salem Friday where he attended a meeting of the state embalmers board.

Visits in Marcola—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nolt drove to Marcola Sunday where they visited with Mr and Mrs. J. L. Kelly.

Go to Corvallis—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Flanery and daughter, Dorothy, drove to Corvallis, where they visited relatives Sunday.

Improving from Illness—June Moore small daughter of Earl Moore is improving from an attack of tonsillitis at the home of her aunt, Mrs. M. C. Casteo.

Visits Parents—Miss Mildred Newland, who is now teaching in the Washington high school in Portland visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Newland over the week-end.

Drive to Washington—Mrs. J. C. Parker and daughter, Eunice, drove to Centralia, Washington this week. Starting Friday evening. Mrs. Parker's mother died there recently.

Returns from California—Frank A. DePue Jr., returned from California Friday, where he had been for several months. Mr. DePue plans to enter the University of Oregon at the beginning of the spring term.

In town for Week-end—Mrs. Ernest Walker spent the week-end in Eugene returning Monday to the sanitarium at Deerhorn, where she is having treatment.

Undergoes Operation—Mrs. William Darling is recovering nicely from a major operation which was performed Saturday at the Pacific Christian hospital in Eugene. Mr. Darling lives on A street between 5th and 6th.

Guests at Dinner—Mrs. Maude T. Bryan and daughter, Crystal, were dinner guests of Miss Margaret Morrison and Miss Marian Lowry at their apartment in Eugene. Miss Morrison is associate editor of the Old Oregon, University of Oregon alumni publication, and Miss Lowry is society editor of the Eugene Guard.

Down from Mable—S. Adams was town from Mabel Friday.

Goshen Man Here—Jack Viles of Goshen was in town Saturday.

Visit from Monmouth—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Roth of Monmouth were business visitor in Springfield Saturday.

Return from Klamath—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clark returned Saturday from Klamath Falls.

Recovering from Illness—George Gun is improving after a recent illness.

Serving on Jury—Mrs. Maude T. Bryan is serving on the grand jury in Eugene this week.

Here on Business—Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Carney of Walthersville were in Springfield on business Friday.

In for Medical Treatment—Ed Whittaker of Thurston was in town Friday for medical treatment.

To Corvallis for Week-End—Anne L. Gorrie went to Corvallis to spend the week-end.

Building Garage—Ott Whittenberger is building a garage for Mrs. Ogilvie on Willamette Heights.

From Thurston—Dan Baugh of Thurston was in town on business Saturday.

Taken to Hospital—T. C. Baker was taken to the Eugene hospital Saturday morning. Mr. Baker has been ill for some time.

Business Visitors—M. J. Wearin of Walthersville and R. McCrossin of Lander were business visitors in Springfield Friday.

From Roseburg—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Root of Roseburg visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Taylor last Thursday evening.

Gose to Dundee—Mrs. A. C. Travis went to Dundee Friday where she will visit for a week or ten days with Mr.

and Mrs. W. J. Morrow. Mrs. Morrow is Mrs. Travis' daughter.

Several Springfield members of the Odd Fellow lodge went to Alpine Saturday night, to the dedication of the new I. O. O. F. hall there.

Visiting Sister—Julius Schiewe of Mulino, Oregon is visiting here with his sister, Mrs. Fred Fress. Mr. Schiewe came Friday.

Visits from Riddle—Delbert Beals of Riddle, formerly of the First National Bank of this city, stopped over here on his way home from Portland Friday.

Stop Here—Mrs. W. B. Scott of Winberry and daughter, Thelma Scott, of Oakridge stopped in the city for a time on Friday on their way to Wendling, to visit another daughter of Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Nat Chaffee.

Visits Nephew—John Hallin of Westfir visited his nephew, Oswald Olson, at his home Sunday and Monday. He returned home Tuesday morning.

Goes to Albany—Miss Clara Wiso, assistant in the offices of Drs. W. C. Rebhan and S. Ralph Dippel, motored to Albany Sunday.

Return from Hospital—Guy Redding and O. Sankey, who were operated on at the Pacific Christian hospital about two weeks ago, returned to their home Sunday.

Inspects Lumber—S. A. Harris visited the Booth-Kelly plant Monday, where he inspected lumber for the Nicolai Door Manufacturing company of Portland.

Drummers Practice—The drum section of the American Legion drum and bugle corps practiced Tuesday evening in the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Earl Thompson had charge of the practice.

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## In Confidence By Flo

Dear Miss Flo:—

I am eighteen year old, and very much in love with a young man twenty-one year old, who goes to a university in a nearby town. He gave me an engagement ring for Christmas, and we wanted to get married at once. Of course, it would be necessary for me to live at home while he finished his college course, because it would be impossible for him to support me until after he graduated and started to work. Mother would not permit me to accept the ring. She said I was much too young to be engaged, and marriage was simply out of the question. She didn't think it was fair to either of us to be bound for such a long time. I know I'll never love any one else, and we are planning to elope in the spring. We will have to keep our marriage a secret until Billy is able to support me. Do you think we will be happy? Don't you think I am old enough to know my own mind and what I want?

Marie.

I most certainly do not think you will be happy. In fact, I am quite sure that your chances for happiness are very small.

I know, Marie, you are positive that you know what you want now, and no doubt you do, but what about five years from now? That's a long time, you know, and you may change so much that you will laugh at the idea of ever having thought of marrying Billy. That is why I disapprove of

long engagements. Every day of the year you change in some way, and at the end of four years very little of the old Marie will be left. You will be surprised when you realize that the things that appealed to you at eighteen seem positively stupid to you at twenty-five. New experiences and a wider companionship broaden your mind and change your viewpoint, and the result is that your mind readjusts itself to the changes. This is even more true of the boy than the girl. It is generally admitted that a boy of twenty-one is not fully developed mentally. Billy is going to college. He will be caught in a new current—foreign to you. He will meet new people, brilliant men—he will have new experiences—his life will be colorful—and the changes in him will be greater than in you. At the end of his college days he may regard the love affair as "puppy-love."

You are much too young to marry. You have a lot of good fun coming to you yet before you accept the responsibilities of marriage. When you have had years of happy girlhood—care-free gaiety—when you are able mentally and physically to consider the responsibilities of being a wife and mother, then, and not before, are you old enough to marry. Do you think it is fair or unselfish of Billy to ask you to give up your own youth and sit at home—a married woman—waiting for him to graduate and give you a home of your own? And if you do marry him—and find at the end of four years—that he does not love you—then who is to blame? Married life lasts a great deal longer than youth, why make it longer?

Eloping is dangerous, Marie,

and as a general thing, are not conducive to happiness, even when those eloping are not impetuous youngsters. The wedding day belongs to the girl. And her memories of the marriage should be bright, cheerful and happy. The wedding should be sacred and beautiful, not merely a legal form. It should inspire both the girl and the man with a fuller understanding of the obligations they undertake, and memories of an ugly little office, with an indifferent Justice of the Peace officiating, and curious strangers acting as witnesses, are not particularly inspiring. In after years, it has the appearance of being tawdry and furtive.

When Billy has completed his education—able financially to undertake the responsibilities of marriage—and the new Billy and Marie still love each other—then get married, and share your happiness with your parents and your friends. Start your new life without haste or confusion, and it will always be a beautiful memory.

You are only eighteen, Marie, and it may be that you will be in love several times before finally marrying. The fact that you wrote for advice shows that you are not quite sure that you are right—or that you are justified in disobeying your parents. Talk it over with Billy and try to make him understand your viewpoint. Second thought never hurt any one. And in later years—when you are happily married with memories of a gloriously happy wedding day, you will realize that mother's objections were wise and justified.

Dr. S. Ralph Dippel, Dentist, Vitus building, Springfield, Oregon.

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