

OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Principal Events of the Week Assembled for Information of Our Readers.

William Nichols, founder of Milton, was buried there recently. He was 92 years old.

Waterfront mill plant No. 5 of the Port Orford Cedar Products company opened recently at Marshfield with a small crew.

Married in North Bend in May, 1873, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Simpson celebrated their 57th wedding anniversary there May 21.

At the final session of the P. E. O. state convention held in Klamath Falls recently, Mrs. Grace Kent Magruder of Clatskanie was elected president.

Folk county paid approximately 55 cents for each vote cast at the primary election. The total vote was \$275 and the cost of the election was \$1200.

The \$60,000 armory to be built in Cottage Grove, voted by the last Oregon legislature, will be erected on North Eighth street between Gibbs and Whiteaker avenues.

George H. Brown, 67, known as the potato king of Clackamas county, was fatally injured when he was struck by the fender of a truck driven by Wilson Wilde, Clackamas.

No hope is held out for the rebuilding of the business section of Bonanza, recently destroyed by fire. Six main buildings, including the bank, supposedly fireproof, were burned.

A boulder dislodged from the hillside by heavy rain demolished Oscar Kelly's new automobile when he struck the rock on the highway two miles west of Clatskanie recently.

The Stoddard Lumber company of Baker has obtained a lease on the abandoned Baker Molding company plant on the west side of town and reopened it June 1 as a cut-up plant.

The Pendleton city council recently passed a milk ordinance for regulation and inspection of dairies providing milk for Pendleton. C. W. Daley, Pendleton, will be employed as milk inspector.

While the fruit crop in the vicinity of Corvallis does not look as promising as growers would like, it is indicated that there will be more than an average yield. Cherries and prunes have been damaged.

A serious situation in Douglas county is in connection with fire blight infestation of apple and pear orchards. Under present weather conditions the blight is apt to make rapid headway until hot weather comes.

Traffic accidents on Oregon highways took a toll of 16 lives and resulted in the injury of 376 others during April. A total of 2436 accidents were reported during the month, four of those killed being pedestrians.

Further proof that an ocean long ages ago rolled over central Oregon was obtained recently when there was discovered on hilltops near Mitchell, at an elevation of 3000 feet, numerous marine shells, including a huge coiled ammonite.

An airplane will be used to dust clover with sulphur on the Henry Striker ranch near Redmond. Sulphur dusting appears to be the only method of preventing mildew, which has been known to reduce crops by 50 per cent.

J. H. Billingslea, supervisor of the Siskiyou national forest, has announced that the United States forest service this summer will reconstruct the suspension bridge across Rogue river at Agnes. Work on the structure will be started soon. The bridge, which was built several years ago at a cost of approximately \$25,000, was wrecked when a flood washed out one of the main piers.

THE MARKETS

Portland
Wheat—Big Bend bluestem, \$1.17; soft white, western white, \$1.04; hard winter, northern spring, western red, \$1.02.
Hay—Alfalfa, \$20 per ton; valley timothy, \$20.50@21; eastern Oregon timothy, \$22.50@23; clover, \$17; oat hay, \$16; oats and vetch, \$16@17.
Butterfat—25@31c.
Eggs—Ranch, 20@24c.
Cattle—Steers, good, \$11@11.50.
Hogs—Good to choice, \$9.75@11.25.
Lamb—Good to choice, \$8@9.
Seattle
Wheat—Soft white, western white, hard winter, western red and northern spring, \$1.05; Big Bend bluestem, \$1.18.
Eggs—Ranch, 21@23c.
Butterfat—34c.
Cattle—Choice steers, \$11@11.50.
Hogs—Prime light, \$11.40@11.50.
Lamb—Choice, \$9@10.
Spokane
Cattle—Steers, good, \$10@10.50.
Hogs—Good to choice, \$11.
Lamb—Medium to good, \$8@8.25.

HIGHWAY SIGN BOARDS HAVE BEEN CORRECTED

Distance marks on the new signboards recently erected by the state highway department at the intersections of the Pacific and McKenzie highways were painted out Monday morning by the highway officials at the request of local people who objected to any signs just across the river saying that it was a mile to Springfield. The distance after Springfield will be left blank, according to I. M. Peterson, who was successful in having the signs changed. He called the highway department and was informed that they would gladly paint out the distance after the name Springfield, but they could not paint any other distance after it, as the state department had decided not to mark fractions of a mile on highway signs in the future. The agitation over the signs was started at the last meeting of the Methodist Men's brotherhood.

BERRY PROSPECTS FOR OREGON ARE REPORTED

The late strawberry acreage for Oregon is about one fourth of the total for the entire United States, according to the Agricultural Situation and Outlook, as issued by the Oregon State Agricultural College. The total acreage of late strawberries has been estimated at 43,950, as compared with 45,220 in 1929. The entire reduction in the acreage is an Oregon and Washington, which together account for almost 40 per cent of the late crop, and for most of the canning and cold pack output. The total strawberry production for the United States will be only about four-fifths of what it was last year, according to the report, which goes on to say that recent reports indicate that the Washington crop of cultivated blackberries will be very short and that this will materially improve the market outlook for Oregon wild Evergreen blackberries. Thirteen hundred tons of the berries were frozen packed last year and 10,000 tons were canned. The severe weather conditions of the past year will probably be the cause of a very short loganberry crop this season. The crop last year was below normal, but indications are that the coming one will be even lower, says the report. The prospects for the red raspberries are that there will be a larger crop this season than last year, which was slightly below normal. The black raspberry crop will be below normal due to the bad winter.

W. KNICKERBOCKER WINS OLDEST CYCLIST PRIZE

The subscription to The Springfield News which was offered as a prize for the oldest bicycle rider in the Bicycle field day at the fair grounds last Sunday, was won by W. Knickerbocker, of this city. Another older rider came later, according to the judges, but the awards had already been made. Earl Cady, of Eugene, won the first place in the ten mile elimination contest staged for the Amateur Bicycle League of America.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane, duly appointed executrix of the estate of Edith Caley, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me, properly verified, at the office of Frank A. DePue, the attorney for the estate, in Springfield, Oregon, on or before six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 3rd day of June, 1930. MAUDE E. CALEY, Executrix.

FRANK A. DEPUÉ, Attorney for the estate.

SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lane. Frances A. Stone, Plaintiff, vs. William L. Stone, Defendant. To William L. Stone, defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled Court, and cause on or before four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint, to-wit: For a decree of this Court decreeing that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved, and plaintiff divorced from the defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable. This summons is published once each week for four consecutive weeks in the Springfield News, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in Lane County, Oregon, by order of the Honorable C. P. Barnard, Judge of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, which order bears date the 4th day of June, 1930, and the date of the first publication of this summons is June 5th, 1930. JAMES K. KING, Attorney for Plaintiff; residence and post office address, Miner Building, Eugene, Oregon. Jn 5-12-19-26 Jy 3

UPPER WILLAMETTE

Forty-three students of the Pleasant Hill high school motored to Newport last week end and made camp on the mole above Agate Beach. The seniors were the guests of the juniors. They were chaperoned by Professor E. E. Kilpatrick and wife and Miss Schultz. Clifford Baxter, Darwin Baxter, Lyman Tinker, and Donald Kabler, all alumni, were also guests of the junior class. A very jolly time was reported by all. Swimming in the Pacific and the natatorium, dancing, roller skating, and joy riding over the Roosevelt highway was enjoyed by the young folks. They cooked their meals and camped out under the starlight, but a rain Saturday night drove them under shelter.

The high schools of Lane county held their annual picnic at Riverside park last Friday, May 30. There were no track sports as they have had in -ast years. There was a base ball game between Elmira and Walker girls. The young folks enjoyed rowing and swimming in the Willamette. A basket dinner was held at the noon hour.

Children's day was remembered at the Pleasant Hill Christian church last Sunday by a program by the Sunday school in the morning and a pageant in the evening.

The baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the Pleasant Hill high school will be held Sunday night at the Pleasant Hill Christian church. Rev. Walter Meyers, of the Bible University, giving the address. The graduating exercises will be held at the high school gymnasium tonight at 8:00 o'clock. Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, president of the University of Oregon, will give the graduating address.

The Pleasant Hill athletic club baseball team was defeated by the South Benton team last Sunday by a score of 5 to 4 at the Benton Lane auto camp.

Miss Cora John, having completed her school year, has returned to Pleasant Hill for the summer.

Roy John, a resident of Pleasant Hill, graduates from the State Normal school this year. Gerald Kabler, an alumni of the Pleasant Hill high school, also graduates from the Normal this year.

Donald Kabler, a student at Normal school, spent the week end at home

and at Newport.

Miss Mary Harden, of Pleasant Hill and Mrs. La Source, of Fall Creek, expects to leave next week for Seattle, where they will spend the summer.

THURSTON

Perry Price, who has been working for the Pacific Fruit company in Eugene for some time, has been transferred to Idaho by the company. Last Wednesday was senior day at the high school, and Miss Phelps, the assistant teacher, motored with the students to Swimmers Delight for the day.

Mrs. John Price and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Shough drove to The Dalles last Thursday for Miss Mildred Price, who has taught there the past year. They returned home Friday.

The P. T. A. held a social at the hall last Thursday evening. The proceeds amounted to nearly \$30.00.

Mrs. Harvey Hadley visited her mother, Mrs. Ellen Needham, last Tuesday, and returned to her home at Hadleyville on Wednesday.

The high school will hold commencement exercises next Friday evening at the hall. There will be a class of ten graduating as follows: Misses Hazel Russell, Lois Mathews, Leone Edmiston, Lena Hart, Wilma Scott, Irene Baxter, and Lloyd Gray, Albert Purnott, Francis Davis, Gerald Hanson.

Mrs. Ray Baugh motored to Junction City last Friday, where she spent the rest of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert.

Mr. Moore, of Cottage Grove, visited his niece, Mrs. Bert Weaver, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baugh and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Edmiston and son, James, attended the family reunion at James Calvert's last Sunday.

Rev. Palmer, pastor of the Congregational church in Eugene, preached the baccalaureate sermon Sunday evening to a large crowd.

Week Ends at Shedd—Miss Maxine Snodgrass spent the week end at Shedd with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Snodgrass.

At Springfield Hotel—Mr. and Mrs. Kilkenberg of Nyasa, Oregon, and Ed. Burchfield, of Albany, were registered at the Springfield hotel over the week end.

Marriage Licenses Issued

During the past week marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk to the following: Ormel Pontius, Blakely, and Ruby Thompson, Eugene; Laurence Sunkler and Eunice Smith, both of Eugene; Fred Baker, Springfield, and Agnes Larsen, Eugene; James Barrett and Lois Barrett, both of Marcola; James Fleming, Troutdale, and Frances Newbold, Eugene; William Cox and Margaret Anderson, both of Marshfield; Eston Porter and Edna Hands, both of Cottage Grove; Rodney Joslyn and Goldie Swearingen, both of Eugene; Henry Snauer and Mary Layng, both of Cottage Grove; Wilfred Charen, Eugene, and Dorothy Willis, Springfield; Charles Golding, Eugene, and Anna Stewart, Phoenix, Arizona; Russell Terrey and Helen Hendrickson, both of Eugene; Edmund Barry, Redding, and Erma Longmire, Culp Creek.

Old Crossing Replaced

A crew of Southern Pacific track maintenance workers tore out the old timbers from the street crossing at Third and A streets and replaced them with new ones on Monday.

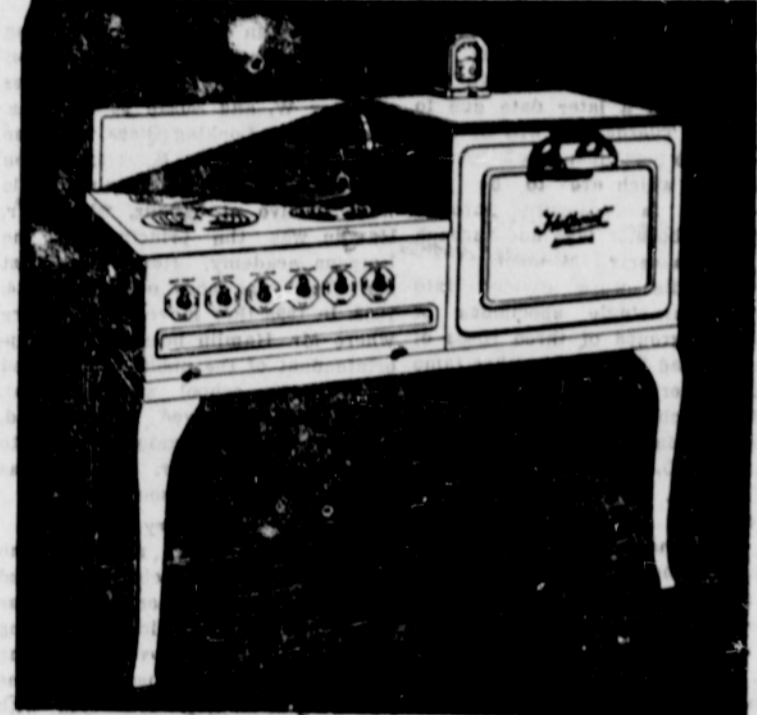
PLEASANT HILL TO HEAR DR. A. B. HALL DELIVER COMMENCEMENT TALK

Dr. Arnold Bennett Hall, president of the University of Oregon, will deliver the commencement address for the Pleasant Hill high school at exercises to be held in the high school gymnasium on Thursday evening, June 12, at 8:00 o'clock.

Dr. Walter Meyers, chancellor of the Eugene Bible university, will deliver the baccalaureate address to the graduating class on Sunday evening, June 8.

Laura Hult will give the valedictory address and Emma Olson will give the salutation.

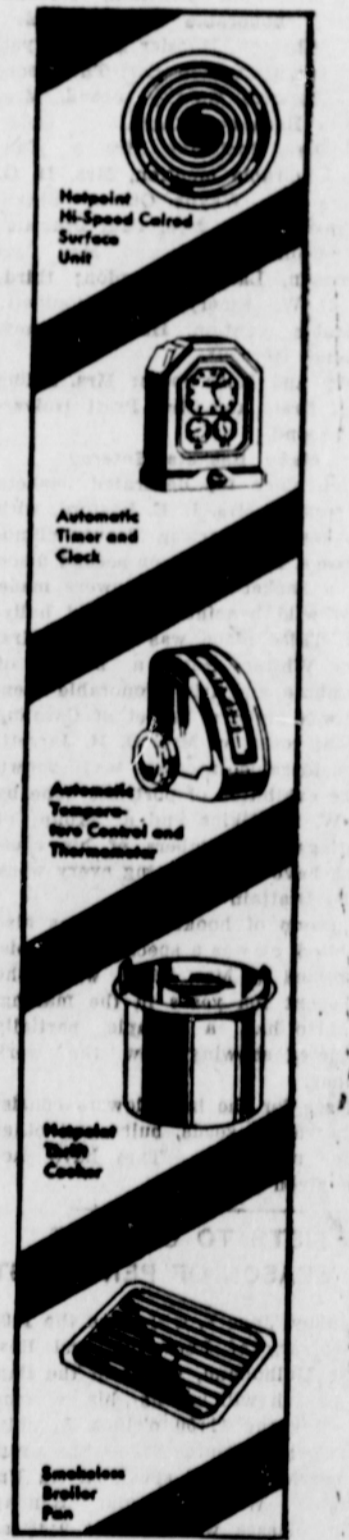
The class of 1930 is the largest yet to be graduated at the high school. There are 18 members in the class. They are Harriet and Paul Brabham, Leslie and Helia Jacobs, Josephine and Albert Mathews, Emma and Alvia Olson, Mildred and Hugh Wallace, Laura Hult, Nellie Lorents, Helou Carter, Francis Phibbs, Earl Drury, Douglas Kaoler, Dell Stutz, and James Waring.



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