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CORBETT

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Rogers, of Corbett, entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening for their brother Geo. Mershon and Miss Laura Wilson, whose marriage will take place early in January. The color scheme was very prettily carried out in red and gold. Covers were laid for ten.

During the evening many beautiful selections were rendered on the piano by Miss Margaret Mershon and Jesse C. Rogers. Those present were the guest of honor, Mr. George Mershon and Miss Laura Wilson, Mrs. J. H. Jefferson of Honolulu, H. T., J. J. Nally of St. Paul, Minnesota, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse C. Rogers, Miss Margaret Mershon, Murray F. Smith and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Larson, of Pleasant View were host and hostess at a very dainty luncheon on Thursday in honor of their aunt Mrs. J. H. Jefferson of Honolulu, H. T., and their sister Miss Margaret Mershon. The rooms were very prettily decorated in pink and white. Covers were laid for six.

We hear a report that there is to be a cannery started in Eastern Multnomah county. What they intend to can is not known, but it is presumed to take care of the large deer brought out by a Corbett party. James Ellis, who lives near, claims to have heard the whistle of the cannery. Ask him.

According to a London oculist, if white clothing for babies could be abolished, in a generation there would be a 20 per cent. decrease in the number of persons with defective vision.

Now Look Out.

When a cold hangs on as often happens, or when you have hardly gotten over one cold before you contract another, look out for you are liable to contract some very serious disease. This succession of colds weakens the system and lowers the vitality so that you are much more liable to contract chronic catarrh, pneumonia or consumption. Cure your cold while you can. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a great reputation. It is relied upon by thousands of people and never disappoints them. Try it. It only costs a quarter. Sold by Gresham Drug Co.

Pleasant Valley School Will Entertain.

An entertainment and basket social will be given by the teachers and pupils of Pleasant Valley school at the grange hall next Saturday evening, November 6th. The proceeds of the affair will be used toward building a play shed and equipping it with the necessary paraphernalia to make it interesting and attractive to the youngsters. This is a feature that has long been needed by our school.

Miss Osburn and Miss Roman have undertaken to bring our school into line for standardization. They have already brought the school library up to standard requirements, and the flag is raised whenever weather conditions will permit. The buildings are all up to requirements except as to individual desks, which, we have no doubt the board will provide in the near future. The erection and equipping of the playshed will complete the requirements necessary to bring the grounds up to standard.

The spirit of enthusiasm which our teachers are creating in the minds of the pupils for their school work and the civic pride in fixing up their school grounds and buildings, cannot be too highly commended, and it is the duty of the patrons of the school to aid and encourage the teachers and pupils in the good work, so let every one turn out next Saturday evening and make the event a grand success. The ladies will bring baskets filled with good things to eat, gentlemen will do their part to make the event a complete success.

The most costly thimble in the world is owned by the queen of Siam. It is shaped like a lotus bud, and is made of gold, thickly studded with diamonds.

Japan is such a mountainous country that it has to resort to intensive cultivation in order to raise enough rice. In 1912 it used fertilizers to the value of more than \$104,000,000.

Do You Have Sour Stomach?
If you are troubled with sour stomach you should eat slowly and masticate your food thoroughly. Chamberlain's Tablets take one of Chamberlain's Tablets immediately after supper. For sale by Gresham Drug Co.

VICTORY

There was not a very large attendance at the social last Saturday night, but those who came seemed to enjoy themselves.

Visitors at the Alder home last week were Mrs. Alder's brother, William Metzker from Lakeview, California, whom Mrs. Alder had not seen for twenty years, and her sister Mrs. Horace Hobbs and daughter Della, Mrs. Curtis Lusk and children Leslie and Marion, all of Cedarville, California, a nephew, C. O. Metzker from San Francisco and Mrs. Annie Kershaw of Portland.

Miss Nellie McCreary spent a week in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Smith and Mrs. Fred Lushler from Bridal Veil spent Sunday at Mr. L. Wilhelm's.

Annie Morgan spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews and daughter Edith and Miss Jean Lent spent one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. Al Stafford from Bridal Veil, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Littlepage from Portland, all visited at the Alder home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stratton from Post Falls, Idaho, and Grandma Burns from Troutdale, were visitors Saturday with the Burns families.

Mrs. R. Kerslake and children called on Mrs. Jas. Burns Sunday.

Mrs. F. Poth spent Sunday afternoon at Mrs. Arthur Burns'.

Chas. Lister from Creswell, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Payne last week. Quite a number from Victory attended Mr. Merrill's big sale Saturday.

The Royal Embroidery club will meet with Mrs. Henry Dohit next Thursday.

John Eberle is building a new house.

Miss Anne Treger, who visited with her sister, Mrs. H. Fritz last week, left for her old home in Ohio.

Mr. Curtiss Lusk and Mr. Tony from California arrived at Mr. Alder's. They started with the rest of the folks to come through by team. All but Mr. Lusk stopped at Bend, Oregon, then came through the rest of the way on the train. Mr. Lusk drove all the way through and arrived Monday morning.

TROUTDALE

Duleg and Hollis Parker of near Troutdale, spent Saturday in Portland, the guests of Miss Violet Albrecht.

The "jitney" supper given by the Ladies' Aid society was a decided success, in spite of a stormy evening. About \$19 were cleared.

The boys of the upper grades, under the able direction of Principal Ryan, are busily at work constructing playground apparatus, bookcases and making other improvements.

The Ladies' Aid society held a meeting on Wednesday, October 27. The afternoon was spent in tying comforters. From now on weekly meetings will be held in preparation for the bazaar early in December.

Mrs. Knarr and Mrs. Kummer served the supper for the dance Saturday evening. The supper and table decorations were in keeping with the spirit of Halloween and showed the usual good taste and originality of these ladies.

County Superintendent A. P. Armstrong was a recent visitor at the Troutdale school.

Letters from Irene Douglas of Morgan, Oregon, give pleasant and interesting reports of her school work and surroundings.

The children of the upper grades indulged in a Halloween frolic at the schoolhouse on Friday evening. Mrs. C. I. Raker went to Dayton Monday morning to be with her sister who is sick.

FAIRVIEW

The Methodist Ladies' Aid met last Wednesday with Mrs. D. S. Dunbar. A good number were present. The wedding presents were on display and the wedding cake was sampled. Mrs. Dunbar was assisted in serving by Mrs. J. W. Benecke and Mrs. S. A. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fuller, of Montavilla, who recently bought the M. C. Cornutt place, have moved in.

Mrs. Ira Brooks has gone to The Dalles for a visit.

Willis Cree, who has been in Hood River and other eastern Oregon points for the summer, has returned home.

Fairview grange will meet in regular session next Saturday. Principal Elmer F. Goodwin of Gresham Union High School will speak at the lecture hour on an educational topic. This is open to all, and all are invited to take advantage of this opportunity.

Sufferer From Indigestion Relieved.
"Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells right away," writes Mrs. Thomas Casey, Geneva, N. Y. For sale by Gresham Drug Co.

SPOTLIGHT ON OREGON AT THE LAND SHOW

PORTLAND, Nov. 1.—Special.—The spotlight has been turned on the state's marvelous industrial and agricultural resources at the second annual Manufacturers' & Land Products show, now in progress. Oregon counties represented at the show are reaping untold benefits and the crowds are increasing daily.

The exposition covers more than 75,000 square feet and every foot is covered with the products of the factory, forest, fields and streams. The arrangement of grains, grasses, fruits and vegetables is more attractive than similar displays at the Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul land shows in recent years.

The exposition was crowded opening night and the Portland people are packing the exposition building afternoon and night. Many eastern tourists in the city are being urged to attend the show and hotel men, transfer men, sightseeing cars and the information bureau at the Chamber of Commerce are sending the strangers to the exposition to study the resources of Oregon.

Factories of Oregon, retailers and jobbers in general have made an excellent showing. The exposition closes November 13 and low fares over all steam and electric lines serving Portland are offering inducements for people living within a radius of the exposition city to see the big display.

The "1916 Bar", where is served drinks that all Oregon will be expected to imbibe next year, is doing a rushing business. For the first time the ladies and the men are on equal terms and both may stand in perfect harmony at the bar, with one foot on the brass rail and drink the drinks that look like beer, have the foam, but the alcohol is absent. Drinks made from the juices of Oregon berries and fruits have proven the most popular beverages served.

MELROSE

Our school was treated to a Halloween social at the schoolhouse Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tallman motored to Oregon City on business Friday.

Miss Mabel Wood visited Miss Edith Turner the week-end.

Several of our people attended the social at Victory Saturday night given by the Royal Embroidery club.

The sale at Terry was well attended Saturday by our people.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Easley and Mr. C. L. Swain spent Saturday evening with Captain and Mrs. Branson. Muskmelons were served and the violin, guitar, organ and drum furnished delightful music.

Austin Jones and daughters spent an evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Easley, when the evening was made merry with music. Mr. Jones being a good violinist.

Mushrooms growing wild are much enjoyed by our people.

Rev. C. M. Brown preached a good sermon Sunday.

Captain and Mrs. Branson leave for evangelistic work in eastern Oregon Thursday, with headquarters at Canyon City, Oregon.

Miss Jennie Strebin is on the sick list.

Mr. Hopkins, of Portland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Mercer Sunday.

Stuart Thompson is helping Theo. Mercer with his apple crop.

PLEASANT VALLEY

The Pleasant Valley Aid society will meet with Mrs. Nash Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

FOLLOW FIRE
After the fire had been subdued the firemen were invited to partake of an oyster supper, coffee and cigars at the Modern Woodmen lodge which was in session. The treat was doubly appreciated and enjoyed.

Her Son Subject to Croup.
"My son Edwin is subject to croup," writes Mrs. E. O. Irwin, New Kensington, Pa. "I put in many sleepless hours at night before I learned of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mothers need not fear this disease if they keep a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house and use it as directed. It always gave my boy relief." For sale by Gresham Drug Co.

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MELROSE

Miss Elsie Metzger of Gresham visited Mrs. Grace Fritz on Saturday evening and attended the box social at Victory schoolhouse given by the Royal Embroidery club.

Mrs. Kate Chamberlain, of Corvallis, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Henry Jones.

Shrapnel, so called after their inventor, the British General Shrapnel, are thin cases of tough steel containing a large number of bullets—in the British artillery 266 and in the French and German 300.

Granite or limestone masonry, well dressed, weighs 165 pounds a cubic foot; mortar rubble weighs 154 pounds, dry rubble 128 pounds and well-dressed sandstone masonry 144 pounds.

A French monument which is being built to commemorate the battle of the Marne will mark the exact spot at which Von Kluck's army, advancing on Paris, was stopped and turned back.

The Rev. Arthur Goodenough, of Winchester, Conn., has been pastor of the Congregational church in that town for forty-five years. For continuous active service in a single Congregational church. Mr. Goodenough is second in his state, and sixth in the United States.

The famous Chinese bandit, White Wolf, disappeared just before the declaration of war in Europe. He had been most daring in his raids in the heart of China, and his presence was a serious check on business. The government placed a fortune on his head. After his reported death his followers disbanded.

Dr. Alexis Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute, famous for his feats in surgery, and who recently discovered a "perfect antiseptic" for use in the treatment of wounds, will be honored by the French republic. Announcement is made that he will receive the next promotion to the rank of officer in the Legion of Honor.

LIBRARY NOTES

The following new books may be found at the library:

"Letters of a Woman Homesteader," Elinor Stuart; "Call of the Nation," David Starr Jordan; "Rural Schoolhouses and Grounds," Dresslar; "Joyful Heart," Robert Schauler.

To the reference collection Larned's History for ready reference has been added. This will be of great value to students. Another new reference book is the Encyclopedia of Practical Horticulture edited by Granville Lowther and published at North Yakima. The best known horticulturists have contributed to this work, particularly those of the Northwest. Every phase of the subject has been treated in a practical way and the book is well illustrated.

List of Letters.

Remaining letters uncalled for in the Gresham postoffice for week ending October 31, 1915:

Letters—Al Bawman, Mrs. Dimple Jones, Mrs. Maud McAtee, Miss Hazel Bulger.

Foreign—Giuseppe Milnecl. These letters will be sent to the dead letter office November 14th, 1915, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say 'advertised', giving date of list.

I. McCOLL, P. M.

One of the greatest aids to commerce in China is the building of railroads. The country that will be opened up by the Szechwan-Hankow line is an empire in itself. The primitive transportation methods still utilized in the greater part of China hamper trade, and both natives and foreigners are anxious to secure more up-to-date transportation facilities.

The Rev. S. J. Furay, S. J., has been installed president of Loyola university, at Chicago. For the last five years he has been president of the Jesuit college in Cleveland. The Rev. John L. Mathery, his predecessor at Loyola, has been called to St. Louis to direct the large training school in which Jesuit professors are prepared for high school, college and university work.

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