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**PLEASANT HOME**

The regular services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday morning. Sunday school will convene at 10 a. m. and everyone is requested to remember that the attendance banner is awarded on a percentage basis and that one person absent cuts down the average. The percentage is based on the enrollment so the other persons' presence can't make up for a member's absence.

"Echoes from the Institute" will be heard at the regular preaching hour.

A number of the young people have been attending the Epworth League institute in Gresham during the week and have been very much interested in the various classes. Members of the Girl Reserves have been especially interested in the class in social service by Miss Mildred Bartholomew. This class was most helpful to them in their line of work.

Wednesday, January 26, will be Transformation day at the Methodist church. The Ladies' Aid is sponsoring a plan to tear down the old disreputable horse sheds and a new one will be erected in its place. Invitations are out for the day and carpenters, cooks and all friendly helpers are promised a place on the working force. The ladies will furnish dinner. Mr. Lennartz was a Portland visitor today.

Miss Alma Larsen is confined to her home. Miss Larsen was taken ill at high school last week and has been unable to continue her work since that time. Friends hope that she may soon be able to join them in the many plans for work and play which are being formulated.

Miss Ruth Ickler is spending a couple of days with her cousin, Mrs. Lotie Witter, of Gresham. Wednesday evening she was a dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Alta Gentry in Powell Valley.

**CORBETT**

"Dinty Moore" of Springdale seems to have gotten into trouble.

Sern Anderson of Portland visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Blackhall and daughter, Mrs. Floyd Reed, left for California last week.

Mrs. Ethel Smith, Stewart came out from Portland to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Clara Smith.

At a meeting of the directors and stockholders of Columbia Telephone company held at the Chamberlain store January 10, Fred Lasley was elected a director to serve five years, to succeed Grant Bell.

The library station has been reopened at Union High school No. 1, with Miss Ruby McKay as custodian, hours Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday until 4:30, and every Wednesday from 5 to 8 p. m.

Mrs. Frank Davis was shopping in Portland, Saturday.

Mrs. Albert Fox, nee Eva Reed, formerly of this place, but now of 1491 Eighteenth street, Portland, was very happily surprised Thursday evening when on returning from the auto show, found that about 30 of her neighbors had taken possession of her pretty home to remind her of her birthday anniversary. The evening was very pleasantly spent and a bounteous lunch, which the guests brought, was served. At a late hour the guests departed wishing Mrs. Fox many happy returns of the day.

**PLEASANT VALLEY**

Frank Bort, formerly of this place but now of Fort Stevens, was here a few days this week visiting with old schoolmates. Frank is one of Uncle Sam's boys at present.

Boyd Brasswell of Portland visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brasswell, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heiney attended the county fair board meeting held in Gresham last Monday.

Pleasant Valley grange will hold its regular meeting Saturday evening, January 22d. This will be an open meeting and everybody is invited to attend. The installation of the newly-elected officers will be a feature of the program. The Russellville degree team will have charge of the installation ceremony. Dinner will be served at 6:30.

**TROUTDALE**

The regular preaching services will be held at the Methodist church Sunday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

**LUSTED**

Miss Alta Dahlhammer of Rockwood spent Friday evening at the home of Erma Eder.

Miss Erma Eder, who is taking the home economic course at Union High, was one of those who served at the farmer's banquet Saturday.

**DEHYDRATION GREAT INDUSTRY OF STATE**

The dehydration of fruits and vegetables has become one of Oregon's most important industries. Today, through the development of the process, millions of vegetables are converted into a highly concentrated and sanitary product, which requires the addition of water only to restore it to its original form and flavor. Dehydration, as practiced in Oregon, simply means the removal of the water or moisture content of the original fruit or vegetable.

Oregon is really the home of the modern practice of dehydration in the United States, for it was in this state that the process was first used on a large commercial scale. The principal dehydrating company in this state, and in the United States for that matter, is the King's Food Products Company, which operates large plants at The Dalles and at Salem, the latter being the more important, because of its proximity to the great fruit and vegetable growing areas of the Willamette Valley.

The dehydration process was first developed in Oregon about ten years ago, but the operating company was poorly organized and not well financed, and was unable to perfect the process, with the result that its products found and a very limited market. Later, after a series of reorganizations the King's Food Products company was organized, when some of the most substantial business men of the state took an active interest both as to the financing and management of the company.

The company was getting well started when the United States entered the great European war. Its products were being handled by thousands of jobbers throughout the country, and housewives were being educated to the value of dehydrated fruits and vegetables over the old fashioned canned products through an extensive campaign of advertising, when suddenly the great King's plants were called on by the government to supply thousands of tons of dehydrated potatoes, and hundreds of thousands of cartons of fruits processed under the King method.

The result of the government's demands was that the company lost considerable ground; it had to again pick up its eastern jobbing connections and re-establish its retail trade. However, the first year following the war witnessed such a great demand for King's dehydrated fruits and vegetables that the Oregon plants simply could not keep pace with the orders. The result was that new capital was brought into the business, and now great plans for the enlargement of the company's operations are being made.

That the plans of the company might best be carried out, it was determined some time ago to increase its capitalization to \$10,000,000 making it one of the most heavily capitalized food industries in the United States. The additional capital will permit the company to enlarge its dehydration plants, so that the output will keep even with the demand, and to make other improvements preliminary to the rapid extension of its business. At Salem, a large cold-storage plant will be erected, which will permit the operation of the Salem plant for practically 12 months in the year.

The company has made arrangements for the financing of its enlarged operations with the Dundas-Martin company, whose head office is in Portland, through which one and a half million dollar's worth of preferred and common stock will be sold to the public, a permit for the sale having been granted by the corporation commissioner of Oregon.

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Below we give you a list of some of the best buys on the market. United States MUNICIPAL BONDS are tax exempt.

Municipal Bonds				
Security—	Rate	Maturity	Price	Yield
Gilbert Water District, Multnomah County, Oregon	6s	Jan. 1, 1931-40	Various	6.00%
Crook County, Oregon	6s	Dec. 1, 1926-35	100.00	6.00%
Clearwater Co., Idaho, North Fork Highway	5 1/2 s	July 1, 1933-36	Various	6.00%
Ochoco Irrigation District	6s	Oct. 1, 1936-38	Various	6.75%
Warm Springs Irrigation District	6s	Jan. 1, 1925-26	Various	7.00%
Grants Pass Irrigation District	6s	July 1, 1930-39	Various	6.75%
City of Rexburg, Idaho	6s	*Aug. 30, 1921	Various	7.00%
State of Oregon Dist. Imp. Bonds	5 1/2 s	July 1, 1938-49	Various	5.20%
Port of Astoria (Clatsop County)	6s	July 1, 1930	98.23	6.25%
City of Hillsboro, Ore., Imp. Bonds	6s	Nov. 15, 1927-40	100.00	6.00%
Umatilla Co., Ore., Union High School Dist. No. 3	6s	Nov. 15, 1940	100.00	6.00%
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Canadian and Foreign (Payable in United States Funds)				
Security—	Rate	Maturity	Price	Yield
Province of British Columbia	4 1/2 s	Dec. 1, 1925	\$7.96	7.50%
Province of British Columbia	6s	Oct. 25, 1923	96.23	7.50%
City of Vancouver, B. C.	4 1/2 s	Dec. 15, 1923	90.83	8.00%
Argentine Republic Internal	5s	Sept. 1, 1945	Mkt.	8.75%
Imperial Japanese Government	4s	Jan. 1, 1931	Mkt.	10.50%

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