

HOLD FAREWELL FOR REV. NELSON PHOENIX TONIGHT

(By Mary O. Carey.)

A newcomer complained to me about the people in Medford not being as sociable as they should be. Now, in pioneer times, we always hunted up the strangers and tried to make them acquainted. Now we have our social and civic organizations. Especially do we welcome the stranger into our churches. If the stranger will come out to church and to our public gatherings we will find them and make them welcome. How are we to know where you want to associate, if you never come to any gatherings at all?

In these hurry and bustle times, few persons will hunt you up at your new quarters and ask you which church or club or fraternal order you wish to affiliate with. You can find out where these gatherings are held and come out. Try it once and then you will not have cause to complain.

EDEN PRECINCT, Sept. 27.—We want everyone in this community to come out next Friday evening and help make the farewell social for Rev. and Mrs. Nelson a most pleasant one. We want to let them know how much we do appreciate the work they have done in Phoenix. The new church is a standstill monument to the untiring efforts of Rev. Nelson, as well as a few others who worked for it. Mr. Nelson never lost a day when he was able to work, from the time the ground was broken until the building, inside and out, was finished. Many have been drawn into the organization that never had been interested until Mr. Nelson came.

Mrs. J. W. Pettus left Phoenix on Tuesday of this week to join her husband and daughters at Chico, Cal. Miss Ruth Pettus left last Sunday and Miss Myra and Elsie went back with their father last week.

Mr. Young is digging his fine Quick Lunch seed potatoes on the Carey place this week.

The apple crop on the old Dr. Hargrave place is one of the finest in the valley. The entire block is in Newtowns and will yield a large harvest.

R. S. Stevens is still a great sufferer and is being cared for by Dr. Malmgren each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Washburn of east Eden have bought out Mrs. Cochran's confectionery at Talent and are doing a fine lot of business.

Jeff Bell of Talent is visiting with his daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barnburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Shoup of Medford were at the Barnburg home one day this week. Mr. and Mrs. Shoup have just returned from a 10 days' trip on the coast at Empire and other points. They had a fine time.

Tommy Abbott, son of Mrs. Laura Abbott, was buried at Phoenix Tuesday. Mr. Abbott formerly lived at Talent and Phoenix. He leaves, besides his mother, Laura Abbott and several brothers and sisters, a host of warm friends to mourn his demise.

The ice cream social of the Ladies Aid last Tuesday was not as well attended as it should have been, since it was to help with the building fund for the new church building at Phoenix.

It has been proposed to fit up the old church building at Phoenix for a funeral chapel and to move the cemetery fence out so as to fence in the ground now out in the commons. We would all be interested in the beautiful little cemetery at Phoenix as it is the prettiest place in the entire valley and there are hundreds who should be interested in their lots in it. It needs a regular caretaker.

Mr. Harper of Table Rock was a visitor in north Talent on Wednesday and called on your correspondent.

Ed Hamlin has rented Mrs. West's place for the coming season, and will sow grain on the land.

Mr. VanDyke is hauling the fourth crop of alfalfa off the George Hartley place. The fourth

crop in this part of the valley is the heaviest in years.

Mr. and Mrs. Blugman had some relatives at their home last Tuesday. They came from the north by auto.

Mrs. Ida E. Jones and Mrs. A. A. Staten, mother and sister of Mrs. J. E. Fish, have returned from their trip to Calgary, Canada. They will visit a few days at the home of Mrs. Fish and then Mrs. Fish may accompany them to their home at Westwood, Cal., for a visit.

Mrs. A. R. Chapman of east Ashland was in Phoenix last Tuesday attending the funeral of Thomas Abbott.

W. G. Knighton of Talent celebrated his ninety-third birthday on September 13th. Mr. Knighton is still able to get about quite well.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Knighton brought Bud Knighton down to Phoenix to be present at the Tom Abbott funeral last Tuesday.

BEAGLE FORMS P. T. ASSOCIATION

BEAGLE, Sept. 26.—Mr. Bowen and Mr. Baldwin were Medford visitors the last of the week.

The infant baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bigham was buried in the Antioch cemetery Monday at 10 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Bigham have the heartfelt sympathy of their many friends in Beagle.

Finis Mayfield of the Meadows was a Beagle visitor Sunday.

Monroe Gordon is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity and also attending to business matters.

Miss Ella Smith was called to Eagle Point Friday evening on account of the illness of her sister, Mr. Elbert Bigham.

Almarty Wheeler is in school again after several days' absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob DeArmond are building on their ranch. We understand they are going to erect a new house soon.

The Blackman family are moving from the Stacy place to the Narigan place.

E. H. Lucas has finished filling his silo and the cutter is now at Jim Vincent's.

Theo. Glass has traded his California property for property near Central Point. Mr. Glass and family used to live here and their many friends are glad to have them come back to this valley.

The people of the Antioch school district met at the schoolhouse Saturday evening for the purpose of organizing a P. T. A. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. E. B. Lucas; vice-president, Miss Georgiana Hussong; secretary, Miss Anna Swanson; treasurer, Chas. C. Sanderson. It was decided to hold their meeting the first Friday evening of each month. Mrs. N. C. Chaney, president of Jackson county P. T. A., and Mrs. Carter, county school superintendent, came out, giving their assistance in organizing. The present members extend a cordial invitation to all parents of the district to attend and also join the association.

There will be Sunday school at the schoolhouse next Sunday at 10:30. Everyone is invited to come.

Card of Thanks.
We wish to thank our friends for their kindness and sympathy during our recent bereavement, and for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Tom Abbott and Children.
Mrs. Laura Abbott and Relatives.

Portland.—Contract let for construction of \$20,000 Spanish court apartments at East 35th and Madison streets.

H. S. FRESHMEN AT BUTTE FALLS GIVEN A HAZING

BUTTE FALLS, Sept. 26.—The freshman initiation held Friday afternoon was a very enjoyable affair for all except the freshman.

The freshman, however, proved themselves to be good "sports" and if they did not enjoy the molasses and flour smeared on their faces, the old clothes, etc., no one was much the wiser. A party had been planned for the evening, but it was decided to go to Medford and attend "Uncle Tom's Cabin" instead. Five cars were used to carry those who wished to attend.

The music class organized Tuesday with Mr. Bolts of Medford as instructor is proving very popular. Over thirty pupils have signed up for lessons. An effort is being made to secure some of the town instruments for use in the school orchestra.

The civic classes of the four upper grades have organized a court. The following officers were elected: Judge, Velma Vincent; jury, Dwight Short, Mae Lee Jorgensen, Robert Baker, school attorney, Ruth Moore; sheriff, Wesley Blasing.

The sheriff makes arrests when any of the rules of the school are broken and cases are tried after school hours.

New athletic equipment has been purchased for the grammar school consisting of new basket balls, volley balls and foot balls.

Visitors at the grammar school since the beginning of school are Mrs. Nee, Rev. Morgan, and Mrs. Short.

Four new pupils have enrolled in the high school since school began. They are Percy O'Neil, Wilfred Blasing, Sheldon Riskey and Beulah Waddell.

At a student body meeting Tuesday morning the following officers were elected: President, Rudy Cox; secretary, Eugene Walton; treasurer, Lloyd Clark; sergeant-at-arms, Wilfred Blasing.

Regular student body meetings will be held the first Monday of every month.

The following committee are preparing a constitution: Truth Piele, and Mildred Cokis. Mr. Richmond is to revise it.

A special student body meeting was held Wednesday noon to make plans for a party to be held Friday night at the high school.

Plans for a high school dramatic club are under way.

Foot ball and volley ball are the two popular games among the high school pupils at present. Volley ball games began Monday of this week. Two sides of boys and girls were chosen and snappy and closely matched games are played every evening.

The swimming tank has been drained and there will be no more swimming until warmer weather.

WINTER NELIS PEAR PICKING NOW UNDER WAY

WILLOW SPRINGS, Sept. 27.—The first fall meeting of the Willow Springs Thursday club will be held on October 11th, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Elden. There have been no meetings of the club for three months so this will be a purely social affair. Each lady must be prepared to answer to rollcall with a brief account of an interesting event of the summer.

Orchardists in this vicinity are now picking Winter Nellis pears. These pears are especially fine and large this year. Apple picking is also under way.

The J. W. Elden family drove to Corvallis Sunday. George Elden is beginning his freshman year at Oregon State college. Miss Rose Jones went to Portland by stage and will visit several weeks with Mrs. Leila Elden. Mr. and Mrs. Elden and Harry returned Monday evening.

Mrs. P. A. Bonney has again accepted a position in the Theist store in Central Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Richmond and daughter Wilda left Wednesday for Portland on a shopping trip. Miss Richmond will enroll as a sophomore at O. S. C. next week.

Mrs. Helen Brophy and little daughter Roberta Lee returned to their home at Pine Ridge, Ore., last Sunday.

James Barth left last week for Albany, where he is enrolling at Albany college. He has accepted a part-time position as day clerk at one of the Albany hotels.

Mrs. H. B. Alverson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hackett and Mrs. Gross of Grants Pass were Sunday afternoon callers at the Crossing ranch.

Carl and Roland Hoyer left Sunday for Corvallis. Carl will be a sophomore and Roland a freshman at O. S. C. this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Heft left Wednesday morning for several days' visit to Salem, where they will attend the state fair.

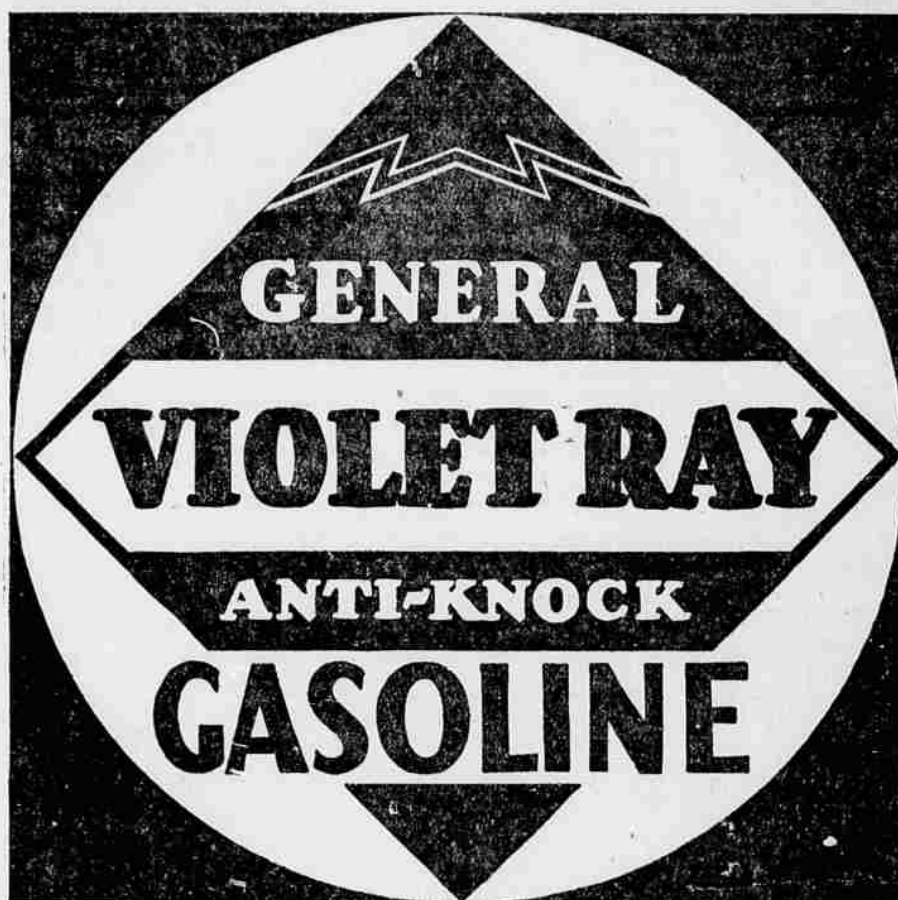
Frank Stephenson is remodeling his home. His former tiny bungalow is being transformed into quite a spacious dwelling.

Harry Elden is taking post-graduate work in the Medford high school this year.

Ernst Deuwe has recently completed a fine two-car garage for J. W. Elden.

A. V. Carlson is driving a new Ford touring car. This car was on display at the Jackson county fair. Mr. Carlson ordered his car

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