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THURSDAY
FRIDAY, SATURDAY
 May 27, 28, 29
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A Time to Remember

I bowed my head reverently with the rest of my classmates during the "moment of silence" in tribute to our soldier-dead, then seeing Old Glory waving from the flag pole on the lawn of our Alma Mater, I stood tiptoe upon a dream and thought, "What a lucky girl you are to be born under that flag, for you can be what you will to be! You are an American."

Then a strange thing happened. The flag seemed to be a living thing with a soul. I heard the silent singing of its stars on its blue of truth, and listening, my soul caught this refrain:

"I am the symbol of America, and America is more than its hills and prairies with their herds and fields of grain; more than its pulsing cities, its mines and its mills . . . America is you and you and you . . . and God."

"I am the symbol of the homes, the churches, schools, enterprises, and the kingly commoners of America."

"I represent your heritage from the past. Look at me and hear the tramping of soldier-feet in the immortal march for freedom; feel within your hearts the 'Spirit of '76'; see the footprints in the snow at Valley Forge; the great, gaunt commoner on his knees in prayer, and the crimson stain, spreading, that meant life was ebbing from his great heart; see the crosses above our youth, martyrs to freedom in recent wars. Look again and behold lilies blooming where men gave life for man; listen and hear the joyous dancing footsteps of those yet unborn."

"Behold the Open Gate, before which stand weary pilgrims: children with eyes empty of laughter; youth burdened with the weight of dead dreams; the elder ones their eyes but burned out embers, their bone-lan hands caressing gaunt throats that too long have felt the choking leash of fear. See their eyes relight with hope as they view the green acres of democracy and reverently enter the gate of America."

Suddenly I knew: The flag is an emblem of freedom, protection, justice, honor, sacrifice, opportunity to all and love for country, fellowman and God. It is the symbol, not only of our heritage from the past but of the future. I knew that it is up to me to help America continue to mean to coming generations what it means to me today; that every right has its concomitant duty, that I must train myself to be able to choose leaders wisely and judge their performance with honesty and understanding. I must fight oppression, intolerance, injustice and keep the land free of the footprints of communism. I must guard the rights of others as jealously as I do my own, and recognize in every man a brother.

Again I looked at the flag waving serenely beneath our peaceful country sky and reverently I breathed, "How much you stand for!" Was I dreaming or did I hear, "The earth a great DEMOCRACY OF LOVE!"

DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

Frank Hunter, Bob Thorpe, Hugh Walkup and Buzz Fleetwood, all officers elect of the Lion club were in Salem Monday evening to attend a zone meeting of Lions clubs in this zone. Mill City was well represented, as they had four of the 16 members present.

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE — Kingsbury upright piano, good condition, recently tuned. Will sell for \$100.—Mrs. Russell Hoffman, Phone 4102 Mill City.

MEHAMA

By Mrs. John Teeters
 Visitors at the Jerry Coffmans during the weekend were Mr. Coffman's sister, Miss Edna Johnson, Lynn Berringer and son, Jerry all of Portland. Jerry Berringer had the misfortune to break his wrist in a fall from a horse while he was here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Draper motored to Bend Saturday evening. Mr. Russell and Mr. Draper visited the Masonic lodge and the ladies visited with relatives of Mrs. Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Frame of Oakridge visited relatives here during the weekend.

Horace McCarley, who has a log hauling contract near Estacada spent the weekend at his home here.

Mrs. G. W. Coffman was hostess to a small group of children Monday afternoon, May 24, honoring her daughter, Linda, on her 6th birthday. An outdoor party had been planned but due to the rain it was moved to the Ken Golliet home where the children watched television. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Royce Longfellow, Jewel Wallen, Harriett Golliet and Susan and Linda Coffman.

Frank Bueneman and son, Frank Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., and the Al Bueneman family of Portland visited during the weekend at the Peter Brusasco and Robert Draper homes.

Mrs. Thelma Surry and Mrs. H. C. Cadwell from Portland, visited friends and relatives here Saturday morning on their way to Lebanon.

Sunday visitors at the R. E. Shields home were Mrs. Shield's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gentry of Cottage Grove and her cousin, Mrs. Betty Wright and baby from Idaho Falls, Idaho.

The "Red" side, winners in a recent attendance contest were entertained by the "Blues" at the Women's club meeting at the club house Tuesday evening, May 18. Most of those on the Blue side came in "hard times" costumes which added to the gaiety of the evening. After the business meeting an old-fashioned spelling bee was held. Neither side was able to spell the other down in the time allotted so prizes were given to those left standing at the end. A gift was also presented to Mrs. Chris McDonald, the outgoing president. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Thirty-eight people were present for the fly-up ceremony for the Brownie scout troop. The entire program was planned by the girls of the Intermediate scout troop of which the former Brownies will now be members. The ceremony was held at the church Monday evening and was followed by a wiener roast in the basement. Mrs. Pauline Goodman presented the new scouts with their wings. Mrs. Goodman and Mrs. H. W. Duncan have been the leaders of the Brownie troop for the past year. Those receiving their wings were Phyllis Gould, Jean Helvey, Susan Philippi, Carol Duncan, and Doris Ward.

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