

Locals

Mr. Ed Roy of Banks was in Vernonia Monday.

Mrs. Joe Frydendoll and Miss Dorothy Frydendoll spent a few days in Banks last week.

Alvin Gray, of Portland, is visiting at the A. Parker home.

The mule is the best kincker in the world, but look at his social standing.

Mrs. C. O. Thomas is spending a few days in Hillsboro.

Lum Brown has purchased a new Durant Car.

Mrs. C. R. Coyle and children are spending a few days with Mrs. Coyle's mother in Newburg.

G. B. Richmond spent Sunday with his family in Portland.

C. R. Twineham spent a few days in Portland last week.

Chas. D. White spent a couple days in Portland the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland were visitors in Portland this week.

Clean-up, pay your occupation tax, pay your water rent. These things are needed, are urgent, and will pay you as you are part of the city. Help to build your city. We are all interested.

Mrs. B. J. DePue and baby were in Portland this week, where the baby was undergoing medical treatment.

The Old Mill has installed new electric shakers and mixers for their popular fountain.

Business would increase, more people would settle here and the mud

would be less if Bridge street was paved.

People are buying new cars. Guess that is another sign of summer.

Andy Gump's wife has her hair bobbed. Several Vernonia women have followed the style.

Better read all of all the ads in the Eagle. You will save money by so doing.

The Manhattan Cafe is now under new management.

Dr. and Mrs. Whyte have moved

to Vernonia and are occupying the Wright cottage on Rock Creek road. The doctor will have offices in the Hoffman building.

Mrs. Wiese was a Portland visitor the first of the week.

The Hollywood has installed a new fountain and electrical mixing devices.

E. T. Haltom was in the city the first of the week looking after his business at the Haltom Merc. Co. This is the first time we have seen Mr. Haltom since his accident from a fall several weeks ago.

A large new apartment building is going up this week on Weed avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Smith of Whittier are the builders and will manage the business here as soon as building is completed.

The sewer problem is being solved. We are going to have a sewer, and going to have it completed this summer. It isn't going to cost any \$95,000 either. For that much we will have the sewer and Bridge street paved from the railroad to Rock Creek bridge. About \$40,000 will have to be voted as General Obligation bonds for the main trunk line, out-let line and tank. The balance will be raised in three separate sewer districts, giving lot owners ten years

to pay. In other words you pay for what you get. At this writing no Engineer has been engaged.

See those big 100 foot spars going through tot the depot from the Hall camp. Those big spars from Vernonia go to the Mair Island Navy Yard.

Main street is getting more crowded every day.

Abbott apartments were sold this week to Crista C. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott have left, by motor, for Montana.

The large new seven room parsonage for the Evangelical denomination is about completed on the Rock Creek Road, near the new church.

Andy Parker informs us that he has resigned as Deputy Sheriff for this district. He has been an officer for some time, but says he hasn't the time.

The large new sign on Petersen's store is large enough to see without your glasses.

Summer is here, we see the ladies wearing the hiking suits. Bob hair and pants, have a man guessing whether to tip his hat or not.

No town in Oregon is building faster than Vernonia. Work, hammers, saws and scrapers in all directions. Carpenters are in majority here.

The main street has simply GOT to be paved. How can it be done?

Daoust & Oversen have the new residence of Chas. Dubendorf well underway, just west of the High school.

The Emmott & Culver meat market has been enlarged and re-arranged, an improvement and advantage for time and more space.

M. E. Carkin informs us that the recent Elks Dance held in Vernonia was a big success financially as well as socially. He says about \$130 was taken in, and that after the expenses were paid the balance was distributed in Vernonia for worthy charitable purposes. This is the strong pull of the Elk lodge. They are ever ready and always find a way to aid in charity. In Vernonia, as elsewhere the Elk members are of that helping, boosting nature. Congratulations are due the promoters of the recent Charity Ball.

The subject of full-page and half-page advertisements that will appear in 19 of the country's leading magazines in April as the 17th of a series in a million-dollar advertising campaign being conducted by the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Burlington railway to make the rest of the nation better acquainted with the Pacific northwest is "The Great American Vacation."

That the greatest of all American vacations is one spent in the Pacific northwest is the theme of the April advertisement.

Mr. Todd, in a conversation, this week, lets out the idea that lots of people living in the addition out of the city limits and just across the Nehalem river, are going to want water pretty bad this summer. He expresses the wish that some one would put in a small water system to supply the houses there as well as to irrigate the acre tracts so numerous. Mr. Todd has a fine little orchard and garden that he, like others, would like to put plenty of water on. Like building a new school house and other important moves, this will be neglected until it will be a year behind time.

We met an old acquaintance from Gales Creek this week. He has lived around Gales Creek and Banks all his life. We, of course, remarked: "Well, what do you think of Vernonia." Here is his extended reply: "Oh! If you don't overdo it; if you don't get too many stores; and I am afraid the mill will buck the town; they might put in their own stores; and then taxes are going to be so high, I am afraid you will have too many empty houses after awhile; but it might be a good little town for a while." We felt so all-fire sick that we at once went and had a touch pulled, and then we felt better. Can you imagine such pessimistic talk to get any one any place? Why not talk of the big, growing, prosperous city that is assured and that is getting better every day. Talk prosperity, helps to make prosperity. Talk of the 300 houses absolutely needed, of the \$3,000,000 being spent here, of the 800 men to be paid off here every two weeks this summer, of the new school house already needed, of a pavement, a sewer system, etc. Of the city of 5000 people that we will have before another 12 months or we

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Haltom Merc. Co.

Just Across the Bridge

A WORTHY EXHIBIT OF New Fabrics

IN A MOST MODERATE PRICING OF STANDARD QUALITIES

A MAGNIFICENT EXHIBITION OF NEW SPRING FABRICS AWAITS YOUR INSPECTION HERE

Thousands of Yards of Imported and Domestic Fabrics in Decidedly Beautiful Patterns and Colorings That Will be Favorites for the Making of Stylish Garments for This Spring and Summer, 1924. All Are Here in Unlimited Assortments and Nowhere Will You Find Better Opportunities or Better Values.

These Offerings Are of Particular Interest

NEW FIGURED CREPE AT \$1.19
Beautiful 36 inch figured crepe of excellent weight in a wonderful attractive variety of designs and colorings.

NORMANDY VOILES AT 63c
a wonderful gathering of patterns and colorings in Normandy, Voiles in Regular standard Normandy quality and 38 inch width, also many other grades to select from.

UNDERWEAR CREPE AT 39c
a large and varied assortment of this popular summer underwear crepe—beautiful in colors and daintiness combined with long wearing qualities—White, Yellow, Orchid Peach, Apricot, Pink and dainty figures complete this assemblage.



New Wool Dress Materials

40 TO 56 INCH WIDTHS AT \$1.25 TO \$5.00 YARD

Matchless assortments including all that is desirable and best—Sport check flannels—New check and stripe wool crepes—New novelty skirtings—New tweeds, Plain and plaid for suits, skirts or coats—Pioret twill in all the new shades. Our showing of spring fabrics is now at its best, this is a good time to choose the material for your Easter apparel.

Spring's Newest Dresses \$12.50

are here in splendid selection—Delightful modes that portray the new season's most favored styles.

Clever Spring HATS

Moderately Priced

Each hat is a style unto itself and are as colorful as the flowers and sunshine from which they take their inspiration. Hats adorned with hand workings of ribbon and embroidery, each is a tribute to the artistry of the designer, a delight to the wearer, a joy to all who behold them.

Our millinery department is most complete. Spring hats reasonably priced from \$4.95 to \$8.50



NEWEST CREATIONS IN FOOTWEAR

Women's strap sandals and dress Pumps, Military Heels, Vic's Kids and and patent leather. Turn soles, popular priced \$6.75

MEN'S FLORSHEIM OXFORDS

Cherry calf, Black and Nut Brown Colors. Trouser crease and Modified toe lasts The shoe for the man who cares. Priced \$10.00

LEATHER PUTTEES

Men's cowhide puttees, shapely and stylish Dark Cordovan color. Sizes 14 to 17 \$4.98

ABSOLUTE PROTECTION

Do you carry your valuable papers around in your pocket or hide them somewhere at home? And did you ever think how easy it would be to lose them or have them destroyed by fire?

A safety deposit box at the Bank of Vernonia will give you the necessary protection for them. Here they will be absolutely safe and always at your convenience. The cost is very small—about a half a cent a day.

BANK OF VERNONIA
Vernonia, Oregon

If There's a Boy In The Family

And even if there isn't, every home should be equipped with first aid treatment for the many minor accidents which are of daily occurrence. Our stock enables you to secure the necessary articles at little cost.

Pure Vernonia Drug Co Phone 171
Wm. Folger, Pharmacist.
Vernonia, Oregon

will eat our hat.

Mrs. George Hinkle has been quite sick with pneumonia.

Thanks for the many personal compliments we received this week on the appearance of the Eagle of late. We appreciate it, when we know you appreciate it.

There are 70 business and professional concerns in Vernonia. If they all carried an advertisement in their paper each week, hundreds of outsiders would see that we have a pretty good town here. Lots of enquiries would thus be answered to. The ads in the Portland papers would probably not cause so much buying down there, but season goods are advertised early everywhere. We insist that it will pay to look around home before buying elsewhere.

Mrs. Gertrude Kirk was in town this week on business.

Mrs. Bertha Brown is on the sick list.

A. J. Hughes of Clarksdale, Oregon, has accepted the position of Chief electrician for the Oregon-American Mill and will have charge of the electrical end of the operation when the plant begins manufacturing lumber.

Jim York of Carson Louisiana has accepted the position as saw filer for the big mill and will report in time to get the saws in shape for the plant operations.

PIANO FOR SALE AT VERNONIA
High Grade Piano at big saving in price and terms \$10 monthly to reliable party. Write at once to Cline Music Co. 64 Front St. Portland, Ore

Mrs. A. P. Bays called on Mrs. B. J. Cline Tuesday evening.

The High School Band, were out in force Wednesday night. They serenaded the firemen who were in session and it was appreciated that the Fire Laddies treated the Band to a feed.

There was a party at A. R. Stanton's Saturday night, given in honor of their daughter, Lucy.

Having sold all my business to the Gilby Motor Co. I must ask all having accounts with me to kindly arrange for settlement. I will be found at the Gilby Motor Co., same location as Vernonia Garage. G. R. Mills

Roses, flowers and blue grass don't cost much and add greatly to better appearance and better price—An hour a day is good exercise.

FURNITURE FOR SALE—Household furniture for sale. Call at Mr. Martineau's residence, east of high school.

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Why Mr. N. Windsor (R. I.) Put Up with Rats for Years

"Years ago I got some rat poison, which nearly killed our fine watch dog. We put up with rats until a friend told me about Rat-Snap. It surely kills rats, though house pets won't touch it. Rats dry up and leave no smell. Prices, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by

The Vernonia Drug Co.