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**CHAMBER WILL  
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ACTIVE MEETING OF CHAMBER  
OF COMMERCE WEDNESDAY

Acquaintance Journey Planned For  
Neighboring Towns Down  
The River

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last Wednesday noon was a success both from an attendance standpoint and for a meeting of business. Mr. Trapp of the Vernonia Light & Power Co. was present and addressed the meeting, informing us that the company would get busy with electric signs across the road at both entrances of the city. All members paid their dues in advance raising enough money to put the Club even with the board again. A trade caravan or "Get Acquainted Trip" was arranged for next Wednesday June 24, to visit Mist, Berkenfield and Jewel. Every business in Vernonia should be represented on that visit. Should take their cards and at least let the many neighbors in this territory know that we want to be neighborly, who we are and what we do. A good turn-out is hoped for and any not going will be the looser.

VERNONIA TENNIS ENTHUSIASTS TO BUILD COURTS.

At a meeting held Wednesday, of several tennis enthusiasts, it was de-

ecided to build two courts, and plans are now progressing satisfactorily towards their completion and arrangements. A meeting is to be held in the City Hall, Friday June 12th, at 8 o'clock, at which final plans of organization will be terminated. Every one interested in the furtherance of this community Tennis Club are invited to attend this meeting Friday evening.

**CHURCH NOTICES**

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Regular services as usual. Bible school at 10 a. m., morning sermon and communion at 11. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m., evening sermon at 8 o'clock. The pastor has been delivering sermons on Sunday evening for some time, dealing with modern conditions and problems which confront our civic and social life. You will enjoy coming to this church. A welcome awaits you. Two adults received into the church Sunday morning. CHAS. R. MATHIS, Minister.

**WANT ADS**

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY**  
FOR RENT—4 room house, one block from Bridge street. E. S. Cleveland. 45-tf

FOR SALE—Choice corner on Bridge street, some terms. E. S. Cleveland. 45-tf

Get your picnic supplies at the Vernonia Bakery.—Adv.

**LOCALS**

Please get your copy for ad changes in early in the week.

Little news this week, as many are at the rose show.

Miss Bessie McDonald is home from school at Monmouth.

Whooping cough is in town—hear them whoop.

Use Mother's Bread—you'll like it.

Ask for Mother's Bread—that super-quality food.—Adv.

The local grange is on a membership campaign, taking in several new members.

Bread is your most economically food. Eat Mother's Bread and be satisfied.—Adv.

Jack Gilby was over from St. Helens, Tuesday, looking after his big garage and auto business.

Oh, so good! Those cream puffs filled with real cream at the Vernonia Bakery.—Adv.

Russel Petersen of Neverstill was here Sunday to be present at the wedding of his sister.

Mr. Ira Owens of Portland was a visitor at the A. W. Petersen home Sunday.

Tin Pan Bands and the chimes of cow bells at night serenades, remind us of June weddings.

Miss Hazel Malmsten is home from Salem for the summer's vacation.

Get your pie and cakes at the Vernonia Bakery—they are always fresh and have that real home-made taste.—Adv.

Born, Sunday, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hanson, a nine and a half pound girl. "Grandma" Hanson says it is the best girl in the world.

Mrs. Dave Marshall entertained the "Millview Bridge club" last Thursday afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served.

Art Whittaker has taken charge of the American Legion drum corps and that means work, practice and a splendid drum corp.

Mrs. Lester has sold the Dew Drop Inn to A. Corey, who will discontinue the restaurant there and move his store into the building the first of July.

Ben Copeland, manager of the local garage of the Gilby Motor company was over from St. Helens on Tuesday, conferring with assistant manager Hartwick.

A. Corey was in Portland this week visiting Mrs. Corey who has been in the hospital for two weeks. Mrs. Corey is reported as doing very well and rapidly improving.

There has been some talk of a "missing man" this week. Some anxiety over John Miller, who cashed a substantial check and has not been seen since. His absence is still a mytery at this writing.

The Portland rose show this week has taken several visitors from Vernonia. Those attending report the show better than those of past seasons. The crowds were immense every day and hotels were full of people.

Earl Smith, Vernonia's fire chief attended the Sixth annual convention of the Oregon State Fire Chief association in Forest Grove the first of the week. Many new ideas were gained and the meet a beneficial one to all firemen.

Mrs. Ineze Powell and Mrs. Huston Brendle spent Friday and Saturday in Portland as delegates of the W. B. A., of the Maccabee. They reported a delightful time at the rally and a wonderful visit with Mrs. H. Wilkerson, the supreme district dep.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Eubanks, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hughes, left last week for Chehalis, Wash., to visit relatives, from

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**Saturday and Monday  
Specials**

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VALUE PLUS SERVICE  
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there they expect to visit Vancouver B. C., returning to Texas via California and the grand canyon of Arizona.

Miss Margaret Smith met with an accident Sunday that resulted only in bruises, but which might have proved serious. As she stepped around from the back of a parked car, she was hit by a Buick car that was passing at the time. Luck was with Miss Smith, who was little hurt.

The fire department was out on practice with their new hose and ladder wagon Tuesday. They can make good speed when necessary and the boys are all willing to work. Various hydrants in town were tested and the machine given a good try-out.

Why not eat a really fine bread—Mother's Bread is just that. Adv.

The Grange meetings are getting more interesting and better attended every meeting night. At the last meeting the charter was placed upon the wall, the Grange giving a vote of thanks to Mr. C. S. Hoffman who furnished the frame. Six new members are to be initiated at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Cockrell and little daughter of Los Angeles visited at the editors home Monday. Mr. Cockrell has been an acquaintance of the writers for twenty-five years, knowing him when Oklahoma was just beginning to be a state. The

old stories of the wild days in the cow country were gone over, and of course he had to end every tall with a boost for his present home. All those Los Angeles people are alike in that respect.

**NOTICE**  
Last Saturday, June 13, 1925, a man by the name of J. N. Miller, disappeared in a mysterious way from Vernonia and to date no trace has been found of his whereabouts. The city was scoured Sunday and Monday morning by Chief Kelly and several men without results.

Monday a party searched the woods back of the ball park and another party went up Pebble creek write still another went up the river. Everything has been done to locate this man who is described as follows:

Height about 5 feet 10 or 11 in. Weight about 180 pounds. Complexion fair, brown hair. Age, 45 or 50 years.

Has gold teeth that are quite prominent. When last seen he wore blue overalls, blue serge coat, wide rim black hat. Any information as to his whereabouts will be appreciated by W. J. KELLY, Chief of Police, Vernonia, Oregon.

**NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS**  
Park cars front wheels up to curb at a 45 degree angle. Do not stay out in middle of street. Go to intersections to turn around and not in the middle of the block. This is final. W. J. KELLY, Chief of Police

**NOTICE**  
On and after Monday, June 22, the bell will ring as curfew instead of the siren. You must be in by 9 o'clock if you are under 18 years of age. No more warnings. W. J. KELLY, Chief of Police

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS**  
All boxes and rubbish, Ice cream containers etc., must be kept off of side walks in future. There are also a few violations of the burning ordinance that will receive no further warning. Equip your lot with homes if you desire to burn any trash. W. J. KELLEY, Chief of Police

**PASSED AWAY**

Mrs. Mattie Brown, wife of C. H. Brown, died at their home on Rose Avenue, early Wednesday morning. Mrs. Brown has suffered with cancer for many months, being confined to her bed the past three months. She was a very lovable and kind woman, highly respected by all her acquaintances who mourn her departure at this time. Short funeral services were held at the home and burial arrangements were carried out as requested by Mrs. Brown before her death.

Mrs. Lena Stanton Mrs. Estella Monger and Mrs. May Mellinger attended a committee meeting for the Rebecca lodge in Clatskanie Tuesday.