

Home News Notes

Mrs. M. D. Cole was a business visitor in Portland Saturday.

Miss Thelma Olson spent Monday in Forest Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Burke and family spent Monday in Portland.

"Babe" Nisson spent Tuesday in Portland.

E. W. Holtham spent the week end in Portland.

Wm. Folger was in Portland on business last week.

Mrs. West and Mrs. Lindquist visited this week at Seaside beaches.

F. J. Brewer spent Sunday in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Garner spent Sunday and Monday in Silverton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Olson and family are moving to Corvallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Michenor spent Decoration day in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Schacht spent a few days in Portland last week.

Harry Tuplind was in town from Portland last week.

Jack Carkins spent the week end in Camas.

Dr. Hughes was in Portland on business last week.

R. W. Kavanagh of St. Helens was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Dial and sister, Alma, spent Decoration day in Spokane.

Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Dial and children spent Sunday in Seaside.

Mr. and Mrs. Gosa of Keasey were Vernonia shoppers Wednesday.

The Vernonia city police department put in a busy week last week, making several raids and arrests.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Dismore and family spent Sunday and Monday in McMinnville.

Mr. A. J. Black is the new manager in the grocery department of Miller's store.

The Vernonia stage waiting room has been moved into the Workingman's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Millen are spending a week in British Columbia.

William VanDoren was compelled to lay off work this week on account of a sore hand.

Arthur Hixson is visiting with his Grandmother in Ridgefield, Wash., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker, of Skaggs market, spent the first of the week in Portland.

Judge John Philip and Commissioner Miller were over from the county seat Tuesday.

An umbrella was left at Skaggs store a week or two ago. Owner please call for same.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Coyle and daughter Charlotte and Miss Marjorie Kelly drove to Portland and St. Paul for the Memorial day holidays.

Most all of the business houses, many homes and school buildings were decorated with flags last Monday—Memorial day.

Mr. Black left last Thursday for Seattle where he transacted business matters, returning to Vernonia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kullander

IMPORTANT

TONIGHT, THIS FRIDAY NIGHT, AT 7 O'CLOCK SHARP, THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, IN THE GRANGE HALL.

BANQUET AND MUSIC

IMPORTANT BUSINESS AND A GOOD PROGRAM. BE THERE. LET NO ONE FORGET OR OVERLOOK THIS ANNOUNCEMENT. LET'S GO. ALL MEMBERS AND EVERY BUSINESS MAN EXPECTED. COME AND EAT.

spent Sunday in Portland. Mrs. Wm. Bristlin and children returning with them to spend the week. Mrs. Bristlin is Mr. Kullander's sister.

W. H. Brendle of Marshfield, and owner of the Square Deal garage at Vernonia, was in town this week leaving his garage for a year. Mr. and Mrs. Brendle have recently returned from a trip through eastern states. He says Marshfield is booming.

Vernonia Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters were not eating any strawberries all week. They got all they could handle last Thursday night over at Ridgefield. And, oh, boy, but they were delicious. There is where they grow the big ones.

Mrs. George Davis entertained the Bridge club last Tuesday afternoon. Among those present were Mesdames Whalfter, Space, Bergman, Lindley, McNeill, Robinson, Folger, Black, Mrs. Folger winning first prize and Mrs. Bergman consolation.

Charles Ritz of Vernonia, who has been employed in Portland for the past two weeks has left for Hampshire, Cal., where he will be employed. He expects to return to Vernonia about July 4th.

Mr. Roberts and family, head of the nuisance squad in Portland was a Vernonia visitor Monday. He remarked here that Vernonia was the most flourishing little city he had recently visited.

C. S. Hoffman and family spent the two days Memorial holidays at Corvallis, Salem and Portland. Mr. Hoffman says the highway was so crowded that it was hardly safe to travel.

W. C. Repass, Vernonia contractor was a St. Helens visitor Wednesday. Many of the substantial buildings in the Nehalem metropolis have been put up by Mr. Repass and he expects to start on two new buildings in the near future.—Mist

J. P. Claybaugh, a county school superintendent of Idaho, visited in Vernonia this week at the homes of Franklin Rogers and F. E. Malmsten. In 1917 and 1918, Professor Claybaugh taught in Vernonia and certainly noticed a big change in the city.

The Womens' Missionary society held their monthly business meeting in the church Wednesday. Eight members were present and two new members were taken in and two visitors were present. Mrs. Alta John will entertain the missionary society at a silver tea at her home on June 16.

A number of friends of Mrs. Wm. Gravens called on her and gave her a very pleasant surprise reminding her that it was her birthday and they brought with them a very nice lunch consisting of sandwiches and cake and coffee. All present had a very enjoyable time. Those present were Mrs. Lee Hall, Mrs. Boeck, Grandma Hall, Mrs. Hamblin and daughter, Mrs. Trude and children, Mrs. Straucer, Mrs. Lothgren and Mrs. DeHart. All went home wishing Mrs. Graven many more happy birthdays.

"EYESTRAIN" IS A THIEF

It robs you of your vital forces, and leaves desolation in its path. One of the first symptoms is headache, front or back, especially in the afternoon, sick stomach, blurring or running together of words when reading. A tired worn out feeling, smarting of the lids, sometimes glued together on arising, holding your work or reading farther or nearer than 14 inches from the eye. Any of these and many more indicate eyestrain. Have your eyes examined. See Dr. Luzader at Kullander's Monday and Tuesday, June 7th and 8th.

COUNTY FARMERS WILL GO ON EXCURSION TO CORVALLIS

There will be an excursion of the Columbia county farmers to the O. A. C. experiment station at Corvallis on Friday, June 11. At this time all the farmers are invited to make the trip to Corvallis and inspect the various crops that are grown there and look over the various plants. Among the experiments carried on that will be of interest will be the cereal crops including the Federation and Jenkin wheat varieties and a number of varieties of winter oats and barley.

In the forage crop line there will be the vetch variety trials and Austrian winter peas. There is also tests on clover and grass varieties, also

Lanide Clover and Grim Alfalfa. There will also be the fiber and seed uax trials. Fertilizer trials and crop rotation work will be shown in the soils department. In the horticultural department there will be the vegetable garden and demonstrations will be given on the control of the cherry fruit fly and strawberry weevil and plant diseases. Opportunity will also be given to look over the dairy and poultry plants and the work being carried on there.

The plan of the excursion is to meet west of the agricultural hall at 9:30 on the morning of the 11th. It will be necessary to leave quite early in the morning of the 11th or else leave the day before. The farmers may take their lunch along and the college will furnish coffee and cream for the noon luncheon.

All who are planning on going are requested to notify the county agents office so that he can advise the college of the probably number that will attend the excursion from Columbia county.

BASE BALL BLARES

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walloped and never used much exertion at that. The visitors only touched him for three scattered hits whiel his backers were gathering ten Manning had his curves and fast ones doing all kinds of things, he also had a slow ball that went up to the plate like a blushing bride to the altar. He fanned seven and walked two.

Escallier gave the fans something to talk about when a high fly went over his head. He actually took after the ball and caught up with it and by a long leap he got it. It was one of the prettiest catches ever made. Nor west as usual, was the star of the day with his hitting and field work. Somebody swiped Morgan's chewing gum and made him angry, he quit the team in the first inning and went home. This was why Davis was sent to right field, Nance to second and Norwest to short. Nance filled Norwest's shoes at second to a "t". If Morgan could have seen Chief Nor west take care of that short patch he would have resigned much quicker.

NON-ADVERTISERS FAIL

FIGURES FOR CITIES SHOW CLOSE RELATION

Lowest Percentage Indicates 60 Per Cent; Portland Relation 94 to 100.

Data which show that the great percentage of failures in business are of concerns which do not use newspaper advertising has been prepared by The 100,000 Group of American Cities, Inc., with headquarters in Chicago, following extensive investigation.

These percentages vary for the many cities included. Bridgeport, Conn., has the lowest percentage of failures of business which did not use newspaper advertising and that was 60 per cent, while Troy, N. Y., has the highest with every business failure being that of a business that did not advertise through the medium of newspapers.

In Chicago, 98 per cent of the businesses crashing did not use newspaper advertising, in St. Louis 94.6 per cent and Rochester, N. Y. 95 per cent.

Of the business failures in Portland, 94 per cent did not use newspaper advertising. In more than half of the cities listed the percentage of non-advertising firms among those which failed was 85 per cent or higher.

OFFICER IS RE-INSTATED

H. E. Ervin, President of Vernonia Light Co., is Re-elected

Mr. Paul Robinson, Editor, Vernonia Eagle.

Dear Sir:

Would you kindly make mention in your good paper that, at a meeting of the directors of the Northwest Trust company held at the office of the company in Portland on June 1st, 1926, Mr. Harry E. Ervin was re-instated as president and general manager of the company and Mr. Sam J. Crouch was elected to the office of secretary of the company succeeding Mr. A. W. Wright.

This means that the friction heretofore existing within the organization has been entirely eliminated and the officers of the company predict a large increase in business for the coming year.

Yours truly,
Northwest Trust Co.,
By Sam J. Crouch, Secretary

City People—Why not visit Vernonia and the Nehalem valley. Drive over the Loop highway, either by St. Helens or Forest Grove.

GRAND OFFICERS WILL VISIT

State Officers of Pythian Sisters Will Visit Vernonia Temple.

Mrs. Helens Wrightman, grand chief, Mrs. Rose Farrington, grand keeper of records and correspondence and Mrs. Leah Ballah, grand junior will pay an official visit to the Vernonia Temple on Wednesday night June 16. All members are urged to be present at that time.

LET'S PUT 'EM OVER

The Vernonia baseball team as it stands today, one of the best in the league, is facing disaster a possible discontinuance, providing they are not given aid. Financial difficulties have arisen and things are at a point where it is almost impossible to carry on. The Lower Columbia league of which Vernonia is a member is an organization of first-class ball players. This means that local talent is not capable of competing with the other teams. This was proven in the first two games that Vernonia played. Therefore it became necessary to import outside talent in order that we have a winning team. This, of course like anything else, calls for money to keep the ball rolling.

Tuesday night the ball committee consisting of Greenman, Kullander, Bush and Colye, held a meeting at which many fans attended. It was decided to comb the city for aid of the ball team. They have a good plan if it works and no one will be hurt by the small amount that he or she would have to give. There are three months of baseball yet and you are asked to agree to pay one dollar per month, which will mean three dollars in all. Of course if you can afford more, it will be greatly appreciated. This money will be used to keep our wonderful team together, to fix the field, buy equipment, pay our players, also the expense of the visiting teams.

The small attendance has made this absolutely necessary and there is no other way to raise the funds needed. Monday's gate receipts were \$50 and as you know any ball team that comes here must be guaranteed \$40 dollars, so it is plainly seen where things are.

This is a good town and a good

country with a good ball team, backed by good sports, so lets do some good while we have a good start. About sixty of the boys out at the O. A. have already signed up to pay one dollar a month for three months. That's the spirit, we want our ball team, so come on out and fix 'em up.

NOTICE

Ordinance 106 prohibits minors from being on the streets or in public places after the hour of 9 o'clock p. m. There is also a section in Ordinance 130 which prohibits minors from being in public dance halls after 9 o'clock p. m. unless with parents or guardian. Any violation will be fully prosecuted in the future.

W. J. KELLY,
City Marshal

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