

YOUR TOWN'S TOPIC 3

Returns from Minnesota—
Mrs. Raymond Thacker, the former Edith Ladwig, returned from Minneapolis, Minnesota last week after spending several months there with her husband, who was attending the University of Minnesota.

Women Visit Here—
Mrs. Eva M. West and Mrs. Eda Lindstrom were Vernonia visitors on Saturday, April 4.

Sword Building Purchased—
R. A. Simmons has purchased the old Sword garage building from the county and as soon as possible plans to tear down the top story and use the tile. Later he may add a roof to the building.

Dance every two weeks at IOOF hall, April 24, May 8, May 22, June 5. 151c

Pair Arrive Home—
Mrs. Harry Culbertson and Miss Joyce Knight returned Saturday after spending nearly three weeks in California. Most of their stay was spent at San Diego, where they visited Marines Edgar Culbertson and Ralph Bennett. They also visited Mrs. J. F. Ward (Art Nanson's mother) in Chula Vista, and on their trip home, Mr. Culbertson's sister, Mrs. J. R. Critchlow in Sacramento.

If you have any used furniture: springs, beds, heaters, ranges, etc., to sell see Kenneth White. 51f—

Visits from Seaside—
O. B. Malmsten arrived here Wednesday of last week and returned to his home in Seaside Sunday evening.

Senior Play, Friday evening, April 16, Washington grade school auditorium. 141c—

Mother Visiting Here—
Mrs. Ada Templeton of Redmond arrived here over two weeks ago and is visiting her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Templeton.

Here for Week-End—
Jim Templeton was a week-end visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Templeton.

Hears Gipsy Smith—
Rev. W. O. Livingstone was in Portland Monday to hear Gipsy Smith, the evangelist, speak to a meeting of ministers at the White Temple that morning.

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Engens Have Girl—
Mrs. Lee Engen returned Sunday from the Hillsboro hospital with her new daughter, Paula Lou, born Friday, April 2. She weighed 6½ pounds at birth.

Injured at Work—
Miss Leona Ohler is an eight-week patient at Dr. Coffee's hospital in Portland, after fracturing

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her pelvis bone while at work in the Oregon shipyards on March 31. She fell twelve feet from a ladder.

Vernonia Service club dance Sat., April 17, Legion hall, Glen Davis orchestra. 151c—

Visit with Son—
Mr. and Mrs. Lou O. Harlan returned March 22 after visiting for three weeks with their son, Garth, at Patterson Field, Ohio.

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Away Week-End—
Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pumula and daughter, Leona, were week-end visitors in Portland.

Farmer's dance, Prizes for longest beard and best dressed couple. Sat. April 17, Pleasant Hill hall, Jess Taylor's orchestra. 151c—

Hedmans Move—
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hedman on Monday moved to Portland, where Mr. Hedman has been working at the Commercial Iron and Steel Works for several months. The Hedmans lived on B street and were residents here for 12 years.

Is Portland Visitor—
Miss Nina MacDonald was a Portland visitor Monday and Tuesday. Her sister, Miss Daisy, drove her home.

Sawdust...

Saturday was a perfect, spring day—and payday—lots of people were in town... Mrs. Bob Spencer was wishing her little grandson could walk a bit faster... In the post office Gene Shipman and Aimee Melis came up against a problem... Harry Culbertson and son, Doug, especially glad to have Mrs. Culbertson back and doing the cooking again... Then there was a man helping a little boy squirt water from the drinking fountain... Calvin Sasse delivering groceries to cars parked along the street and hurrying back for more... the industrial arts display in Miller's window creating interest... Old stuff—Sam Hearing describing local grocers as "point drunk"... Mrs. J. O. DeVaney trying to open a door by pushing rather than pulling... the junior boys' softball team getting assistance from a girl member of the class... a boy telling the stage driver that he (the driver) nearly hit a telephone pole... the driver retorting, "Well, I missed it, didn't I?..."

Some fully enjoying warm weather... others wondering why it had to get so hot all of a sudden... grade school kids reading their school paper... Montie Marshall anxious to get her call for WAAC training.

INDIA INCREASES OUTPUT
Equipped with new American machinery, India is producing as much gun ammunition in a month as she produced in a year prior to the war.

TO GRANDMA SAUER

Grandma's eyes are closed this morning,
And her body cold in death;
But her spirit—bright—immortal,
Now rejoices with the best.
She has met the blessed Saviour
Whom she loved these many years;
Long she served Him in the body
Though oft times through toil and tears.
How she longed to sing God's praises,
While within this earthly clime;
But her voice was hoarse and broken,
And it failed from line to line;
Now it soars in sweetest music—
With the angel choir she sings—
Praises to her Lord and Master,
Thanks to Him who is her King.
She has met again her loved ones,
Clasped them to her heart once more.
What rejoicing in God's presence!
Every grief and pain is o'er.
All the problems now are answered,
Never more a faltering footstep—
Oh, for her the crown is won!
We will miss you, Grandma Sauer,
Miss you all along the way;
But we'll meet you some bright morning,
In the land of Golden Day.
—Mrs. Gladys B. Scheuerman

FOOD SCARCE IN CHINA

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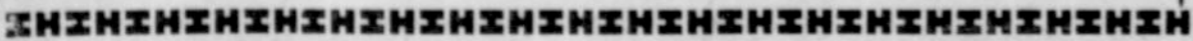
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THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"I was just tellin' my brother Fred this morning, Judge...there's never been a time in our lives when we got to live up to that old sayin' 'United we stand, divided we fall' more than we have to today."
"How true that is, Herb. And for the life of me, I can't figure out why, at a time like this, some folks insist on raising a question like prohibition. I can't imagine anything that would tickle our enemies more than to get us folks over here taking sides

against each other, arguing about an issue like that. We've got a he-man's job on our hands to win this war and we can't be wasting our minds, our money and our strength fighting about something we tried for nearly 14 years and found couldn't work."
"I say there's a time and a place for everything, and this is no time or place to be doing any fightin' except the kind that's going to win the war."