TOPICS OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heckenliable entertained Easter with a turkey dinner for which guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schell and family from Aloha and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Heckenliable and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Owen East entertained members of their families for dinner on Easter. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest East, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gibson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gibson Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dick McNair and family.

Ricky Drips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drips, is now at home after three and a half months at Doernbecher hospital during which he underwent surgery. He is much improved and getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry McFarland visited with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Borders, at Springfield the early part of last week.

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Guests of Mrs. Mary Lanphear over the Easter week end were her great granddaughter, Mary Farrins, and Mrs. Bertha Huff from Palo Alto, California,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange drove to Portland Easter to visit Mrs. J. W. McKenzie at Physicians and Surgeons hospital and found her recuperating slowly from surgery which she had last week. She expected to be in the hospital all of this week.

Week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Kittleson were their two daughter and families, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Marcum and three children from Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Don Riley from West Linn. The Rileys were accompanied by his two nieces. Ralph Condit, former Vernonia

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resident who is now with the Kraft Foods company, was making business calls in Vernonia

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Mrs. E. Corsiglia of St. Helens spent several days last week at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Valpiani.

Douglas Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson, spent the week end at Richland, Washington with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clair Zimmer and enjoyed some good fishing in which he reports catching the first fish, the last fish, the most fish and teh biggest fish.

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Former residents who were visiting in Vernonia Monday were Mrs. Sarah Austin of Rio Dell, California and her two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Durham and three children, also from Rio Dell, and Mrs. Florence Wagner from Cornelius. Among those they visited were the Frank Langes, Mrs. Art Davis and Mrs. Anna Partridge who is the children's grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Nelson spent Easter at Beaverton where they attended Easter services at the Congregational church, then had dinner with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Marble Cook and daughter Marlene at Nendel's. Others in the dinner party were Rev. Albert King. pastor of the Congregational church, and his family

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lange were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ortner Monday even-

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Garner spent Easter at Seaside caring for their granddaughter Susan and also making the acquaintance of their new grandson, Brad. Other guests at the Larry Garner home Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lindley and Bill Hahmeyer. Mrs. Lindley stayed to help her daughter for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Valpiani spent Easter in St. Helens visit-

ng with relatives. M. B. Steers Sr. returned home Monday after a visit with his sister at Snohomish, Washington, and other relatives and friends a

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The What's Cooking 4-H club held its twelfth meeting at the home of the leader, Mrs. Earl King, April 22.

They discussed the paper drive and the Nehalem Valley fair days. Partners were chosen and topics for the demonstrations at the fair were selected.

They are going to try to do credit to their leader for all the hard work she has put into teaching them. They had cookies and kool aid for refreshments.

Sumner where he spent Easter. Kim Roediger of Hillsboro is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

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Visitors at the Fugate home on Rock Creek Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Norgard of Portland who formerly lived here, and Mrs. Ben Barker of River-

Captain and Mrs. R. A. Bonney of Pensacola, Florida arrived on Monday for a visit of several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Willard. Mrs. Bonney is the former Joy Willard. The Bonneys are being transferred from Florida to California.

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Marie Atkins, Gertrude Schaock, Nora Mitchell, Ruby Biggs, Frieda and Charles Biggs, Joan and Steve Waite, Isabel and Harry Culbertson attended the Wash. ington-Columbia counties American Legion jamboree held at Hills boro Tuesday evening.

The T. F. Hillyer home was the scene of a large family gathering for Easter. An Easter egg hunt amused the children and a fine dinner was enjoyed by all. Those present were Herbert Combs, Mrs. Curson, Elmer Combs and family, Jack Combs and family, Clintin Combs and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. West, all from Portland.

W. Curtis, Jerry DeRoia and T. A. Adams had identified numbers at Brunsmans by Wednesday

Melvin Snook, who is attending Oregon State college, spent last week end here.

Miss Deanna Powell spent Easter at Port Orford with Mr. and Mrs. Russel Juola.



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THURSDAY, APRIL 25 Mt. Heart Rebekah Lodge-IOOF hall, 8:00 p.m.

Baseball - Scappoose versus Vernonia, here, 3:30 a.m. FRIDAY, APRIL 26

F.O.E. Auxiliary - Hall on First Ave., 8:00 p.m. Eighth Grade plays - Washington school, 8:00 p.m.

County track meet - Scappoose. Nehalem Valley Squares - Birkenfeld, 8 p.m. John Harris,

SATURDAY, APRIL 27 Junior Prom — High school, 8:00

MONDAY, APRIL 29 Lions club dinner meeting-VFW

hall, 7:00 p.m. P.T.A. Workshop - High school, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 30 Odd Fellows lodge No. 246—IOOF

hall, 8:00 p.m. Junior Promenaders - Union hall, Beginners, 7:00 p.m.,

other, 8 p.m. WEDNESDAY, MAY 1 Boy Scouts Troop 201 - Cabin

in city park, 7:00 p.m. Columbia County Homemakers Festival - Rainier, 9:15 a.m. Nehalem Chapter, O.E.S. - Masonic Temple, 8:00 p.m.

Heart Attack Takes Life of Wendell West

Funeral services for Wendell W. West of Scappoose were held in St. Helens April 15. Mr. West was born August 18, 1904 and passed away April 11, suffering a heart attack while working at the creosote plant in St. Helens.

He worked for 'several years for the Columbia county road department and part of the time in the Vernonia district. He was the brother of Kenneth (Hap) West who preceded him in death. Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Rhoda McKay and brother Wesley West of Scappoose, four nieces and two nephews one of whom is Kenneth West on Timber route. The family settled in Columbia county in 1860.



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Mrs. Nell Thacker and daughter, Mrs. Betty Smith were in Forest Grove Monday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carmichael and family spent Easter Sunday with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Berg at Birkenfeld.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hult and son Marvin from Sweet Home were week end guests at the home of his brother and wife, Mr.

Jim Hult, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hult, had the misfortune of breaking the thumb on his right hand while playing baseball at

school Monday. Easter Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Snyder were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peffley from Portland.

Mrs. Lucille Tilly of Portland visited with Mrs. Nell Thacker and Mrs. Laura Thacker Tuesday afternoon.

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