

Willamette Valley Happenings

News of Daily Life in Marion and Polk Counties, Gathered by the Capital Journal's Local Correspondents for Its Big Family of Readers--Really Just Friendly Letters from Each Neighborhood to All the Others, Telling of Local Events

Former Judge Deal at Falls City

May 12.—John B. Deal, former judge of Polk county, at his home in Falls City...

Mrs. Bonnie Smith has returned from Crawfordsville, where she had been called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. D. C. Swann.

Mrs. B. Casey and daughter, Miss Helen, returned Thursday from a short visit with Portland friends.

Wallace Graham, of Baker, is a guest at the home of his brother, W. A. Graham, of the Graham & Watt Clothing company.

Miss Olivia Stam, of Salem, visited with friends in Dallas this week.

Dr. Christy Staffin, of Kalama, Wash., visited at the home of his mother, Mrs. Martha Staffin, this week.

Mrs. John Lynn and Mrs. David Seth are in Corvallis this week attending a missionary conference.

Thomas Catherwood and daughter, Miss Edith, have returned to their home in Portland after a short visit with Dallas friends.

Mrs. A. B. Starbuck and little daughter have returned from a short visit with relatives and friends in Portland.

Donald Apperson, of McMinnville, is a guest at the home of Charles McConnell.

Mrs. J. E. Mitchell and children are visiting with relatives in Carlton this week.

Mrs. C. F. Hughes, of Corvallis, was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theo. Farrington, this week.

B. W. Talcott, proprietor of a job printing office in Ashland, was a Dallas visitor Thursday for a short time.

Miss Olive Burkhalter, of the Capital City, visited with relatives in Dallas this week.

J. H. Brown returned this week from a several months' visit at his old home in Iowa.

Frederick Whitney, of St. Cloud, Minn., is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Marjorie Bennett returned this week from a visit with relatives in Oregon City.

Visits Silvertown Boys. Ten of the Silvertown boys who are doing guard duty at the Southern Pacific tunnel in the Siskiyoues were certainly a happy bunch Sunday when Dumps Hutton dropped off for a short visit with them, loaded down with cats and messages from home.

Aurora Loses Game. The Aurora baseball team lost Friday to the Canby team on the local diamond by a score of 10 to 9.

More Teachers Chosen. Meeting of the Dallas school directors might two more new teachers chosen to fill vacancies during term they being Miss Nell and Miss Headland.

Person Receives Orders. Person who received a secret commission in the regular division Tuesday, on received orders from the war department to report at the Presidio for training next Monday.

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Silvertown News

(Capital Journal Special Service) Silvertown, May 12.—Mrs. Grace Sears and children arrived in this city from Spokane, Wash., the past week for an indefinite stay at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Hansen.

Mrs. W. F. Bushman and little daughter of Vancouver, B. C., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sprague.

Miss Evelyn Nutting of Brookings, Ore., is a guest of Silvertown friends this week.

Mrs. H. C. Hartman went out to the ranch Wednesday to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Oswald and children of Mt. Angel visited Sunday at the Joe Lais home.

Mrs. Will Baillie and children of Macleay, Mrs. Abe Kennedy also Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roe and baby of Howell Prairie, were over Sunday guests at the John Hains home.

Miss Martha German who has been spending a couple of weeks with Silvertown relatives, returned to her home in Salem Saturday.

Miss Thea Humpert came from Mt. Angel the last of the week to assist her sister, Mrs. Lais, in caring for little Evelyn, who has been very ill with pneumonia.

Hazel Hartman spent the week end with her parents near Scotts Mills. The Queen Mothers met at the A. H. Smith home on South Water street Sunday. After a short business session a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Some much needed improvements are being made on the roads in North Silvertown near the old university.

George De Spain, Charley Shultz and John Sherlock are reported to be leaving soon for Cascade Locks where they will work in a new mill that is being built at that place.

H. E. Nibler spent Sunday with his wife who is still at St. Vincent's hospital.

Miss Elizabeth Fairchild of Salem, was the guest of Gladys Vanderbeck over Sunday.

Mr. H. T. Latham and family will occupy the house vacated by Joseph Becker and family.

Chester Hannegan and McMillan Jones are in the Sisters hospital at Medford with measles.

Dr. Hickman operated upon Miss Hecker for appendicitis at the Willamette Sanitarium this week.

Dr. Hickman reports the birth of a baby girl Monday night May 7, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Naftzger.

Merlin Harding, Craig Marvin with their wives and Mrs. Irma Harding Van Slyke were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. J. Harding.

Miss Catherine Malo was the week end guest of Mrs. V. Wells of West Woodburn and attended the Pioneer meeting at Champoug.

Mrs. Warren Richardson and children Helen and Harold of Stayton, were the guests of R. S. Marshall Sunday, Miss Vesta Marshall returning with them.

Professor and Mrs. Holway left Wednesday afternoon for their home in Portland. Mr. Holway having completed his term as principal of our schools last Friday.

Mrs. A. R. Siegmund and Mrs. Ted Johnson attended the county parent-teacher meeting in Salem last Saturday and report a very enthusiastic meeting.

Independence News

(Capital Journal Special Service) Independence, May 12.—A flag raising ceremony took place here Thursday afternoon, when old glory with its stars and stripes was unfurled from the flag staff of the Masonic hall.

A large crowd witnessed the ceremony. A parade was formed at the public school building by the school children, Girls National Honor Guard and the Grand Army post and drum corps, all marching from there to the Masonic hall on Main street.

A short program was rendered in front of the hall, and an address was given by Attorney Barriek, after which the Honor Guard girls and the school children sang several patriotic songs.

Mrs. K. C. Eldridge entertains. Mrs. K. C. Eldridge entertained the ladies Wednesday afternoon club at her beautiful home on Monmouth street, Wednesday afternoon.

The afternoon being spent in needlecraft and conversation. At the close of the afternoon the hostess served ice cream and cake to the guests.

Honor Guards Drill. The Girls Honor Guard have begun taking military drilling under the direction of Theo. Ellstead. Mr. Ellstead has had much experience in military drill work. The first drill was given the girls Tuesday evening.

Lynn Huntley left the first of the week for San Francisco to enter the navy. Lynn enlisted as a second class musician.

A. W. Warner, Shaler Eldridge and Marvin Richardson enlisted in the navy last week.

C. Frazier and family moved to Woodburn this week, where they will make their home.

Miss Florence Burton spent the week end in Portland with friends, returning home Monday.

Mrs. Alpha Bascom made a business trip to Portland the first of the week.

Mrs. Ida M. Perovich spent Sunday in Dallas with relatives.

Mrs. Elva Burdick of Portland returned to her home Sunday, after spending a few days here with her mother, Mrs. R. J. Taylor.

Mrs. Zella Dickinson left for Portland the first of the week.

Mrs. Mattie Buffan left for Portland Monday, where she will reside in the future.

Mrs. O. A. Kreamer returned home Wednesday from Salem, where she has been spending a few days with relatives.

Wm. Walker of Albany is the guest of his brother, Moss Walker, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Van Orsdel of Corvallis were the guests of Moss Walker Thursday.

Miss Grace Jones has accepted a position with the Miller Dry Goods firm of Monmouth.

Mrs. Hazel McMaine left for Alberta, Canada, the first of the week.

and a large attendance. It is reported that Halvor Mikkelsen and Miss Marguerite Barnes were married at McMinnville Monday. Miss Barnes is a sister of Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Gervais, and has many friends who wish her happiness.

Joseph Becker and daughter Miss Frances, and Son Remie, left here last Tuesday morning for Toledo, Ohio, where they expect to make their future home. The many friends of the family wish them health and prosperity in whatever they undertake.—Star.

Food Preparedness

Meeting at Stayton Red Cross Rally Sunday

(Capital Journal Special Service) Stayton, May 12.—There will be a food preparedness meeting in the city hall Saturday night when information sent out by the authorities will be given to the food producers and other citizens. It is hoped there will be a large crowd in attendance.

Dr. T. B. Ford of Salem was a Stayton visitor Wednesday. He was here on his regular visit to the M. E. church.

Miss Gladys Rice who has been visiting relatives in Stayton, returned to her Corvallis home this week.

Father Lake who has been ill is reported to be improving some.

Mr. Dougherty of The Mail will be the speaker at the services to be held on Memorial Day.

The E. M. Ihsted family will move to Eugene where the former editor of The Mail has a business opening in a printing office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Cramer will move to Portland shortly, they having decided to close out their bakery business here. The bakery has done a good business and it is on account of health conditions of Mrs. Cramer that Mr. Cramer makes this move.

The addresses at the high school auditorium Friday drew good audiences. The work was in connection with the state social hygiene board.

Mrs. E. B. Lockhart is in Salem where she has been for the past two weeks, attending her mother who is seriously ill.

T. H. Galloway and Charles Knowland of Salem were recent Stayton visitors the outside people being friends of the J. Peery's.

Some Staytonites went to the circus in Salem Friday.

Mrs. W. C. Parry of Junction City was a recent Stayton visitor at the home of Postmaster Alexander.

B. Gehlhen left last Friday for North Yakima on a business trip.

Mrs. Kornek entertained the Eldean club recently.

There will be services in the Catholic church this Sunday.

The high school agriculturalists are planting some ground to potatoes and half the products of their work will be given to the children of the lower grades in the school who took seed potatoes to the undertaking as their contribution.

Dr. Epley of Salem sends word that he will be here with a party of Red Cross workers to put on a program in the high school auditorium Sunday afternoon at 2:30. It is expected that Stayton people will turn out in large numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mutschler of Long Beach, Cal., are visiting relatives of Stayton.

Miss Ruth Fuson was a recent Salem visitor.

TURNER NEWS

(Capital Journal Special Service.) Turner, Ore., May 12.—Dr. Messy is recovering from his siege of lung trouble.

G. W. Moore and family were Salem visitors Friday.

L. D. Barr was in Salem Friday visiting the dentist.

Meadames Hassler and Giddings were in Salem on business the first of the week.

Marion Porter has gone to eastern Oregon.

Primary pupils enjoyed an outing and picnic Thursday last. Feast consisted of sandwiches, salads, fruit, cake, lemonade and candy.

The next outing promised is a hayrack ride and picnic at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Lucile M. G. Harader.

Mrs. M. J. Morris went to Salem to spend the week-end with her nieces, Mrs. Ivna Beers and Mrs. Edna McDonough.

Mrs. Malinda Chambers is back to town again.

Miss Lorena Farris, of Summit Hill, is staying in town for a few days.

Alfred Wright has been having some repair work done.

John W. L. Smith, county school supervisor, was in Turner Friday.

Mrs. C. P. Cornelius is able to be out again.

Mrs. B. G. Briggs has been confined to her bed for several days with the grippe.

The W. A. Martin Lumber company is busy loading ties.

John Watson, Sr., is one of the jurymen in the United States court which is called for May 14.

The Osborn family received word this week of the death of Mrs. Nichols, of Ontario.

Mrs. Nichols was better known to Turnerton as Mrs. Allhauser. She was at one time a teacher in the Turner public school.

John Cannon was a Stayton visitor Thursday.

Carson Stanifer, a lad from Fraitland, is working for Frank Neer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Waggoner had us

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Corns Vanish Like Magic

Who said that you must continue to suffer those awful corns day by day? Here's a corn cure that really cures. Your corns vanish like magic—no cutting, no pads—but a wonderful plaster, easily applied—gives instant relief and is absolutely guaranteed to "do away" with the hardest, stubborn corn. Buy "Comfort Corn Plaster" today—25 cents a box—money back if it doesn't do the work.

J. C. Perry's Drug store, 115 S. Com'l.

Strong, Successful Men of This Country Go to Church. Why Don't You?

THE example that is set when a strong, successful man GOES TO CHURCH is more potent than the most eloquent sermon.

And, to the credit of the strong, successful men in this country, let it be said that the great majority GO TO CHURCH. When you GO TO CHURCH next Sunday take a look about you. You'll find that the pews are occupied by the real worth while men of the community.

STILL, THERE ARE MEN WHO WILL INTIMATE THAT THE CHURCH IS FOR WOMEN AND WEAKLINGS. THOSE WHO STAY AWAY ARE THE WEAKLINGS. THE GREAT LEADERS IN EVERY LINE OF ENDEAVOR INVARIABLY HAVE BEEN MEN OF DEEP RELIGIOUS CONVICTIONS. SOME OF THE MEN WHO ARE DISPOSED TO TREAT LIGHTLY THE GO TO CHURCH MOVEMENT, WHEN ASKED IF THEY BELIEVE IN GOD, BECOME INDIGNANT. OF COURSE THEY BELIEVE IN A SUPREME BEING. THEY WILL NOT DENY THAT THE CHURCH IS THE HOUSE OF GOD. STILL, WITH THEIR PROFESSED BELIEF IN A GOD AND THEIR ACKNOWLEDGMENT THAT THE CHURCH IS THE HOUSE OF GOD, THEY DO NOT GO TO CHURCH.

Going to church does not entail any great inconvenience. It doesn't require any great sacrifice. All that is required is a VERY SMALL PART OF ONE DAY IN SEVEN. The man or woman who professes Christianity and does not GO TO CHURCH Sunday is not practical in his belief. Ask any person who is a regular attendant how he feels when he misses divine worship.

There isn't a hamlet in the United States that has not been reached by the GO TO CHURCH movement. The response to the GO TO CHURCH appeal was spontaneous. Hundreds of thousands who, while they never had lost their religion, but had grown careless and indifferent, were roused. Now that the praiseworthy movement is swinging, keep it up. Be as enthusiastic today as you were on the first day that you enrolled in the GO TO CHURCH movement.

Talk up GO TO CHURCH every chance that offers.

Go to Church Sunday

Subjects of Sermons and Where They Will Be Delivered in Salem Houses of Worship, Tomorrow

Free Methodist. No. 1228 North Winter street. Sunday services: Sabbath school 9:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:45 p. m. W. J. Johnston, pastor.

West Salem Methodist Episcopal. Minister, W. J. Warren. Sunday school 3 p. m. Preaching service 7:30. Ladies' Aid society meets on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at 2:30 p. m.

Jason Lee Memorial, M. E. On account of the absence of the pastor, Rev. W. Edwin Ingalls, who will be in Portland to represent the cause of the Old People's Home, Dr. Edwin E. Sherwood, of Kimble college, will occupy the pulpit in the morning and preach at 11 o'clock. Dr. Mathews of Willamette, will deliver an address in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Don't fail to hear these men, it will be worth your while. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., R. A. Harris, superintendent. Class meeting, 12:20 p. m., Mr. J. M. Clark, leader. Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m., Mrs. K. T. Barnard, superintendent. Intermediate and senior Epworth Leagues at 6:30 p. m., followed at 7:30 by the regular evening services at which time Dr. Mathews will speak. You are invited to this church and its services, and a cordial welcome will be accorded to you at all times. W. Edwin Ingalls, pastor.

First Baptist. Corner Marion and North Liberty streets, Rev. G. F. Holt, D. D., pastor. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. This is Visitors' day. Special opening exercises. A large number of visitors is expected. Public worship with preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Juniors' meeting 6:30 p. m., and Young People's meeting 6:30 p. m., Topics, morning, "The Nobility of Motherhood." This service is under the direction of the Philathea class of young ladies in recognition of "Mothers' Day." Special music. Evening, "The Strength and Hope of the Nation." The public is cordially invited to all these services.

Baptist. Next Sunday will be a day of special interest at the First Baptist church. With the Sunday school, which meets at 9:45 a. m., it is enrollment and visitors' day. The classes are working to have the entire number enrolled present at this session and a large number of visitors is expected. The prospects are that the attendance will be the largest in the history of the school. At 11 o'clock there will be a Mothers' day service under the direction of the Philathea class of the Sunday school with the following order of exercises: Doxology, invocation, hymn, scripture reading, duet, "Memories of Mother," Mrs. Theodore Roth and Miss Mina Gile; prayer, reading, "The Bravest Battle," Leona Estes; solo, "Mother of Mine," Mr. Archie Smith; sermon, "The Nobility of Motherhood," the pastor; solo, "The Songs My Mother Taught Me," Mrs. Rose P. Werner. A flower will be presented by the young ladies to everyone attending the service. Dr. Holt's evening theme will be, "The Strength and Hope of the Nation." The public is cordially invited to all these services.

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OUR CRADLE DAYS OF THE REPUBLIC—ONE OF THE FIRST FLAGS OF THE UNITED STATES, almost to that of Betsy Ross perhaps, is in possession of Irvyn Boeklen, of 6 Fleming Place, Jamaica. The flag is of homespun woolen, four feet wide and six feet four inches in length and it is in fairly good shape except for two bullet holes. It has been in the possession of the Boeklen family for a number of years, but only that the family came to realize that they had a rare relic in their possession. The flag has 13 stars as the first flag, which was unfurled for the first time on June 14, 1777. The flag so arranged, exchange in the arrangement of the stars and stripes, was in use until May 1, 1795, when the number of both stars and stripes was changed to 15. It, therefore, is pretty certain that the flag in Mr. Boeklen's possession dates between June 14, 1777 and May 1, 1795.



NEW YORK'S DESIGN IN HONOR OF ENVOYS—ESCUTCHEON SYMBOLIZING BRITANNIA AND LA FRANCE, designed by Edwin A. Blashfield, which will be part of the decorative scheme at City Hall, New York, when the British and French war commissioners arrive there. The design will be available for use by citizens as a window decoration.