

NEWS OF YOUR FRIENDS

AND NEIGHBORS

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LITTLE ROCK

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Roles and family have gone to the beach for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. James Adair and sons, Mr. Paul Rhines and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKee were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Thompson Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Pease and son of Tacoma are guests of Mrs. Harry Heckler.

Miss Esther Morgan is visiting her grandmother at Orting.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rutledge and sons were dinner guests of Mrs. J. F. Brown Sunday.

Mrs. S. N. Moore entertained the Ladies Aid last Wednesday in honor of her mother and sister, Mrs. Roberts and Miss Sadie Roberts of Iowa. Delicious refreshments were served and all spent a pleasant afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hoage have returned from a week's visit with friends in Olympia and Elma.

Master Lloyd Cummings, who was very ill for several days, is now able to be about.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rutledge and family spent Sunday in Olympia as guests of their daughter Mrs. Tracy Smith.

Rev. W. J. W. Reese, Jr., of Tumwater was visiting Rev. Mr. Frederick this week.

Miss Cassie Weiks was a dinner guest of Miss Irene Lehn Sunday.

Miss Grace Barnes, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rutledge, has left for Chicago by way of San Francisco, where she will spend a few days taking in the Fair.

Mrs. Peter Jensen and family are spending a few days at the beach this week.

WARD'S LAKE

Mrs. W. A. Tucker and children of Shelton are visiting at the McDonald home.

W. G. Milliron and son Wilbur have returned home after working for several months on Vashon Island.

J. A. Noble of Tacoma visited at the McDonald home for several days this week.

Mrs. Edward Clark of Eastern Washington is visiting friends and relatives at Ward's Lake.

Miss Ethel Young of Olympia visited Miss Flora McDonald one day last week.

Edwin Jones of Auburn is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Royal.

ELD INLET

Miss Francis Bullock of Olympia spent Sunday with Miss Florence McLane.

Mrs. Ivan Swigart was in the city Monday on business.

The Misses Ethel and Mabel Wages have gone to Gull Harbor to visit their father, Mr. Albert Wages.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ahearn were in the city Tuesday on business.

Miss Margaret McLane of Olympia spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milner McLane.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor called on Ivan Swigart last Sunday.

Mr. James Housman is busy cutting the grain in this vicinity.

Mrs. E. A. Young of Olympia spent Tuesday with her mother Mrs. Minnie Swan.

Mrs. Gertrude Griffith visited with Mrs. L. C. Campbell last Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Comstock and daughter Ida and Mrs. A. E. Schmidt and grandson Burton visited at the Ahearn home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hodge of Gate are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mattox.

E. M. Twoby of Sneders Prairie was a visitor in this vicinity last Sunday.

Mrs. L. C. Campbell is going to Tacoma Saturday to meet her husband and to make arrangements to move down there about the middle of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Shannon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Milner McLane and family.

ROCKY PRAIRIE

Messrs. Woodruff, Aust and Bush motored out from Centralia Sunday. Little Miss Ella Whipple is out

from Tenino visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Whipple. Mrs. H. Darby of Shelton spent a few days visiting relatives here, but left Wednesday for Kelso for a visit with a daughter there.

Miss Emma Viste is a guest at the Pitman home.

Glenn Whipple was over from Tenino Sunday.

Mr. Ips enjoyed a visit Sunday from his parents, who live near Centralia.

Mrs. Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Darby and daughter Ione motored to Tenino Saturday.

Miss Naomi Pitman and her guest, Miss Viste, were calling on friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Risse and daughter Miss Mary, spent one day last week shopping in Olympia.

H. P. Taylor and family visited relatives in South Union Sunday.

The Misses Jessie McFay and Myrtle Shelley of Maytown were calling on Mrs. Whipple Saturday.

The Sticklin and Bronson families, who are camping at Offut, went through this neighborhood Wednesday, looking for chickens to fry.

Miss Turner of Tumwater has been a house guest of Miss Lillian Schonhard during the week.

Miss Helen Schonhard has returned from Centralia.

George Mill was out from Tenino on business Tuesday.

Mr. Whipple was helping his father with his haying the latter part of last week. The elder Mr. Whipple lives near Little Rock.

Clem and Robert Stilson were at Offut Sunday.

For Trade—Two fine yearling colts, mares, fine team, for two cows or helters. Mrs. R. W. Bates, R. No. 1, Tumwater.

EUREKA

Mrs. White, who has been visiting at the home of her brother-in-law, Charles Martinson, for the last three months, returned to her home in San Francisco last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Algyer and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Algyer and daughter Vera were Tacoma visitors last Friday.

Lee Conine made a trip to Seattle Monday to hear W. J. Bryan speak.

Mrs. Nathan Morris is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lee Conine.

Mr. and Mrs. Loutzenhiser and Reid Conine autoed to Hoggum Beach Friday.

The neighbors of Grandma Martinson surprised her last Wednesday by coming in with well filled baskets and spending the day with her.

Mrs. John Conine was in Tacoma Sunday to see Mrs. Reid Conine, who is in the hospital at that place. H. R. is in the hospital there.

Mr. McClain went to Seattle last week to visit his father, who is suffering with a cancer on his neck.

Reid Conine and Mr. and Mrs. Loutzenhiser went to Tacoma Monday to see Mrs. Conine, who underwent an operation at the hospital that day.

What might have proved a serious accident occurred last Wednesday as Albert Smith and party, consisting of Mr. Charles Martinson, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith and son Edward, were returning home from Olympia. Their car ran over a 12-foot bank and upset, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt. The car was badly demolished.

SNEIDER'S PRAIRIE

Mrs. R. Weatherill spent a pleasant day with Mrs. W. W. Kernodle, who is entertaining her sister, Mrs. G. Brady and little daughter Mildred.

Miss Edith Young called on Mrs. Lee Wheeler Sunday.

Mr. Lester Twoby has returned to Bordeaux after spending a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Twoby of Sneders Prairie.

Mr. Dudley Simmons motored to Tacoma Tuesday.

Mr. R. Weatherill and Mr. G. Brown went on a fishing trip on Mud Bay Tuesday, landing 10 fine trout, some weighing two pounds.

Miss Hazel Black is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. R. Ranney of Cedar Flats.

Mrs. N. E. George and Mrs. B. Page were out the other day to see Grandma Whitney, who is on the sick list.

Mr. G. Brady and Mr. W. W. Ker-

noble motored to Mt. Rainier Sunday and report a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan Solbeck and family motored to Olympia Sunday.

Mr. Dan Helser is visiting with his grandma, Mrs. J. Weaver of Mud Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Weatherill are expecting a visit from friends in the East.

Mr. E. T. Young and son Donald were business visitors in Olympia Saturday.

Mrs. J. Brassfield has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Smith of Sneders Prairie.

Mr. V. H. Butts was a visitor in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Reitdorf motored to New Kamille Tuesday.

Mr. Pratt was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Twoby motored to Olympia Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Anderson of St. Croix Falls, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien of Tacoma were guests of Mrs. Fred Hudson, Union street, Wednesday.

PUGET

Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Evans and daughter Wilma, Mr. and Mrs. Wiler, Mrs. Frank Bullard and Miss Edith Shull were picnicking on Anderson Island Tuesday of last week.

There was a surprise party at the Sunny Beach farm last Friday night in honor of Miss Helen Lord's 12th birthday. The evening was spent in dancing and at midnight ice cream, cake, sandwiches and coffee were served, after which the crowd broke up, wishing Helen many happy returns of the day.

Mr. George Brown went to North Yakima last Monday morning upon receiving word that his daughter, Miss Lizzie Brown, who has been in the hospital there suffering from typhoid fever, was not improving. Her many friends in Puget wish her a very rapid recovery.

Mrs. Farrel and Mrs. Crider called on Grandma Evans one day last week.

The Farmers' club met Friday, July 23, in the daytime instead of the evening as usual. The men brought tools and the women lunch and quite a lot was done in the way of improving the school grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Bennett and family went to Olympia last Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Bennett's uncle, Mr. Smith.

Miss Edna Chambers is visiting friends in Lacey.

Miss Edith Shull spent one day last week with Mrs. C. E. Town.

Messrs. Charles Strand, Ed Carlson, M. Herman, Gus Thelander and Charles Larsen of Johnson's Point, went to Tacoma last Sunday on a pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz of Seattle spent a few days last week with their friend, Capt. Thomas.

Mrs. Nathan Arnold called on Grandma Evans last Tuesday.

Mr. S. Y. Bennett and son Arthur went to Sherlock last week.

Bert Boltinghouse of Lacey spent Saturday and Sunday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harve Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kuntz of Seattle and Capt. Thomas spent last Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Arnold.

BRIGHTON PARK

Mrs. E. Munn was a business visitor in Olympia last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Jones were visitors in Olympia several days last week.

Brighton Park Grange held their regular meeting Thursday night of this week.

W. J. Lawton expects to go to Idaho some time soon.

Arthur Remington spent Sunday at his ranch here.

D. Mulholland and son Robert returned to their work Sunday evening after being off for the past six weeks.

Mrs. Dave Turner spent Tuesday in Olympia on business.

Miss Dora Sumarildason and Mrs. Karl Frederickson and two sons of Seattle are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Sumarildason, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Trospen and daughter spent Sunday with Miss Mary Trospen.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carpenter are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, born July 23.

Miss Jessie Mulholland and brother Fred spent several days in Olympia attending the Parrott murder trial.

Mrs. Mitchel is not improving very fast.

CHAMBERS' PRAIRIE

Mr. Jesse Martin drove to Olympia Thursday.

Mr. L. Barnard was in Olympia on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Dille spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Mrs. Fred Schlosser's near Ward's Lake.

Miss Addie Whidden returned last Sunday from Bellingham, where she

attended the summer school.

Little Verna Holt, who is spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCloud, was quite sick last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper went to Tacoma Wednesday to hear Sousa's band.

Mr. and Mrs. Ikelberger called on Mr. and Mrs. McCarty Saturday evening.

Mrs. L. S. Barnard called on Mrs. Woodcock Sunday afternoon.

Fred and Florence Alexander drove to Olympia last Thursday.

Mr. Kennedy was a business visitor in Olympia Friday.

GATE

The Gate Rifle club was organized Friday night. It is a society to promote target practice with a military rifle. The Krags will be used. The officers elected were: President, A. Self; vice president, George Blair; treasurer, R. Jones; secretary, Edward Steinman; executive officer, William Keen. There are 13 charter members. The cost of joining hereafter will be \$3.

Mr. James Steinman made a business trip to Elma last week.

Mrs. L. Robinson and children, Prudence, Bruce and "Billy," of Stockton, Calif., are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Bennett.

Miss Cordelia Paroz returned to Potlatch, Idaho, Monday.

Messrs. Leo Brewer and George "Punk" Rowe of Rochester were in Gate Sunday. Mr. Rowe once said that he and his girl were going to the end of the world—to Gate. His threat was, in part at least, carried out.

Dick Stuart is painting the Mercantile company's building.

Mr. J. W. Bennett caught a "bo-hunk" in his spud patch Saturday morning.

Mr. Pilcher has a cow that seems to think she is a hippopotamus. Anyway, she has been wading down the river to a distant oat field.

County Superintendent L. A. Kibbe and Professor W. A. Knox were in town Wednesday.

The two Miss Dent's visited Mrs. Gaisell from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. Schlegel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Veau Hunter, Misses Florence and Lillian Spinner, Mr. Earl Hunter, Miss Bertha Pilcher and Mrs. Veau Heck motored to Mt. Rainier Saturday and returned Sunday evening.

They say they enjoyed themselves very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Fettes motored to Elma Tuesday. Mr. Self went as far as Oakville with them.

Mrs. Vose, Roscoe Jones, Dan O'Toole and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gaisell were witnesses in the Parrott trial.

Mr. Jones was in Olympia Monday and in Centralia Wednesday on business.

Grandma Brown went to Grand Mound Tuesday for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Murry were in town a few days last week.

LACEY

Russell Dolloff and Walter Smith left last week for a trip east of the mountains, where they expect to work in the harvest fields.

Miss Ruth Holms made a trip to Tacoma last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson and Lillian, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Stearns of South Bay, motored to Summit lake last week.

Mr. Lyman Fleetwood has finished drilling a fine well at the South Bay school grounds.

Misses Sarah and Polly Waldrip and William and James Waldrip of Seattle, who are now spending their vacation at Oyster Bay, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gallagher Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swan Solbeck and children Ida and Harold, of Mud Bay, and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dolan and baby of Ward's Lake were also guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Gallagher Sunday.

Miss Ann Foy spent the week's end with her mother.

Miss Elizabeth Gallagher is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Waldrip at Oyster Bay.

FAIRVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. J. Benton entertained a party of friends at dinner Tuesday, July 27. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Bozarth, Mrs. A. Bozarth, J. Hilbert, Hartley Bates, Miss Mina Watson and brother Nathan from Oakville, and Mrs. Graves of Everett.

J. Erskine and family have been visiting O. G. Bates and family.

Mrs. Graves of Everett surprised J. Benton on his birthday and visited there several days.

Manley Bates went to Tacoma last Monday.

A. Palms spent the day in Little Rock last Sunday.

Lester Benton was home several days while his aunt, Mrs. Graves, was visiting there.

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but August 15 the team goes to Maytown and August 22 Maytown plays a return game at South Union.

Miss Jennie Coleman of White-water, Wis., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Randall.

Miss Fanny Giles and Mr. Harry Giles and little nephew were guests at Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell's Sunday.

Mrs. P. B. Glasford spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Miss Lavina, and mother, Mrs. Hartsuck, are spending their vacation at the David Hartsuck home.

There are quite a few cases of whooping-cough around here.

Miss Mildred Ball has returned home after a three weeks' visit in Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Campbell and family and Miss Vera Dummer are camping for a week at Summit lake. Mr. Myron Bollinger is taking care of Mr. Campbell's place.

Mr. P. B. Glasford has a very promising field of wheat on logged-off land.

Mrs. Will Turnbaugh, cousin of Mrs. Conrad Klam and Mrs. Henry Lane of this city and her daughter Eveis, formerly of St. Louis, have arrived in Olympia to make their home here, and are stopping for the present at the home of another daughter, Mrs. Harry Griffin.

Miss Lulu Benton and Mrs. R. W. Bates spent a pleasant evening at the Palms' home Tuesday.

A very pleasant party was given at the Neighborhood House last Saturday evening. While it was rather warm to dance, most of the guests indulged in that pastime and all had a fine time.

Mrs. R. W. Bates received word from her sister, Mrs. J. P. Steele, who used to live in this neighborhood, that her baby had fallen from an 8-foot porch and sustained a severe cut on his head, 12 stitches being necessary. It was thought at first the skull was fractured, but later word said not and that he was getting along nicely.

Mrs. O. G. Bates' sister, Inez Watson from Oakville, is visiting her. Mr. and Mrs. Bates and son Andy visited J. Benton and family last Monday evening. County Superintendent L. A. Kibbe was out this way a few days ago on business.

The business concerning our new school is progressing nicely and it looks as if it would soon be an actual fact.

Mr. Bozarth and L. Fay motored to town last Friday on business.

PLUM STATION

Arthur Rich went to Sumner Monday for a week's visit with his parents.

Miss Bessie Crawford returned Saturday from Centralia, where she had been visiting her grandparents.

Allan Sheldon returned Tuesday from a week's visit at Bordeaux and Camp 4.

Clay Cogswell of Raymond, a grandson of Mrs. C. E. Spirlock, spent the week-end with his relatives at the Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell of Olympia visited at the Nelson's one day last week, accompanied by their friends, Misses Martin and Snider of Chicago, who are en route to the San Francisco fair.

Mr. C. P. Baldwin, who some years ago was employed as cook in White's logging camp at this place, is visiting at the Backman's.

SOUTH UNION

Mr. and Mrs. James Dowman spent the week-end in Seattle on business.

Mr. W. K. Ball went to Tacoma Friday, returning Sunday evening.

Mrs. Schiach has returned to her home after spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schulze.

Mrs. J. H. Cox and son of Tacoma are visiting at the home of Mrs. Cox' sister, Mrs. W. K. Ball, and family.

Mr. Charles Walker of Oregon is visiting his brother, Mr. J. E. Walker.

Mrs. John Gunstone and daughters spent Sunday afternoon with Mr.