

Neighborhood NEWS

NORTH LAKE.

We are sorry to hear that Clifford Shincke is so ill at the hospital in Olympia, but hope he will soon recover.

Mr. and Mrs. John Docker have returned to their home in Seattle after visiting at J. J. Adair's.

Mrs. Andrew Hayden returned home Monday from visiting relatives at South Tacoma.

In a letter to Mrs. Reed from her son, Elmer, just back from France again, he says on the 11th of November their boat was struck by a heavy storm, the waves breaking in the doors and even reached the fire room where he is fireman. They will soon leave for France again. The storm lasted eight hours. On Christmas day they were in a zone where the temperature was 90 degrees on deck and 112 in the fire room. Then, when arriving in New York, they had ice on deck and at Norfolk it was snowing. He sent several souvenirs of France. To all he says "hello" from him.

Miss Vivian Ingram of Centralia, who has been visiting her uncle, J. J. Adair, returned home Saturday.

Miss Ruby Reed of Tacoma spent the week-end with home folks.

BUSH PRAIRIE.

R. A. Cook and family have been having a serious time with the "flu" but are improving.

Mrs. Russell and Robert and Mrs. Hodge and Alice were the guests of Mrs. E. V. Drewry Saturday.

Miss Frances Seeley of Tacoma and Bert Hodge of Camp Lewis were over Sunday guests at home.

Mrs. Russell is spending the week-end with Mrs. Hodge.

BLACK RIVER VALLEY.

Elder Davis and wife of Tacoma, while on their way to Aberdeen last Wednesday, made a few calls in Gate, among their many friends.

Mr. Croy, a former teacher in the Gate schools, was calling on his friends and pupils Saturday and Sunday.

Vera Hock, who has been in the hospital for some time with a very severe case of the "flu," came home a few days ago.

Claud Parish, our last "flu" patient, is able to be out again.

Mrs. A. J. Gaisell was calling on her friends in Black River Valley last Thursday.

Mrs. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cross, Elder Davis and wife, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Cross last Wednesday.

Rev. Harrison, who has been sick for some time, was taken to Centralia last week to remain with her daughter, Vera, where she could have better attention and medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Tighe Mount entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cross and son Harold, the occasion being the nineteenth wedding anniversary of the two families.

Paul Parish of Cedarville is entertaining the "flu" the second time. Dr. Van Winkle is the attending physician.

Mr. Fisher has been quite sick the same time. She is threatened with pneumonia, but we are glad to say at the present writing she is somewhat better.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heck, after visiting relatives several days, returned to their home in Hoquiam last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gaisell entertained the Oakville central staff one evening last week in a very classical way with games and music. Mr. Gaisell appearing in full evening dress suit. A very dainty lunch was served and at a late hour all returned to their homes, vowing their hosts a royal entertainer.

Miss Hope Richardson is on the sick list this week.

H. H. Jones made a business trip to Olympia Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cross, accompanied by Tighe Mount and wife, motored to Olympia Monday.

NEQUALLY VALLEY.

Mrs. Ralph Hartman visited Mrs. A. K. McCall Monday.

The Hartman girls lost a work home last week.

Gus Anderson visited friends in Tacoma from Tuesday to Sunday, accompanied by his wife and two children.

Mrs. A. C. Harder and children returned home from Seattle Sunday.

The Frank Mount family are recovering from their siege of the "flu."

Paul Lorensen of Bremerton spent Saturday and Sunday with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner.

Joe Money is employed at the P. J. McHugh farm a few days.

Oscar White called at the Anderson home Monday evening.

A. K. McCall was in Tacoma the

fore part of last week, being subpoenaed for a trial there.

Grading is now completed at the new bridge. Passersby can now be seen with a broad grin from the effect.

Milford Baches is suffering from a severe toothache this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coniver and daughter Ruth, Joe Johnson and John Biller were Saturday evening visitors at the J. A. Andersen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stafford of Dupont were in our vicinity Monday.

MUD BAY.

The members of the Grange will be glad to welcome as many as can meet with them next Tuesday, when the Pomona Grange will meet in their hall.

Mr. Ring, who has been ill all winter at the home of Milner McLane, passed away Saturday morning and was buried Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Starr were in Olympia on business Tuesday.

W. D. Cook was a business visitor in Satsop this week.

The regular meeting of the Grange will be held next week.

Mr. Britto has moved to his ranch across the road from the Frank Barnes place.

The dance given at the hall Saturday evening of last week was one of the most pleasant events of the season.

A few faithful members of the Red Cross auxiliary met Wednesday and constructed several suits of pajamas.

NEW PAVEMENT IS OPENED TO TRAFFIC

GOVERNOR LISTER AND LEGISLATURE JOIN IN FORMAL EXERCISES THURSDAY.

Moving pictures of the official opening of the Pacific highway pavement east of Olympia Thursday afternoon, in which Governor Ernest Lister, other state and county officials and members of the legislature participated, were taken by one of the large film companies.

The party of officials who took part in the exercises attending the opening of the road to traffic were taken to the new pavement in autos provided by local citizens, arrangements being made by the Chamber of Com-

merce. They left the statehouse at 2 o'clock.

A car bearing Governor Lister and other officials led the parade, the second car containing State Highway Commissioner James Allen; J. C. Hubbell, chairman of the house road and bridge committee and Speaker Fred Adams. Senate officials, scheduled to go with the party, were held at the Capitol, where a fight over the permanent rules of that body was in progress.

In the following cars were Commissioners J. C. Sams, S. Y. Bennett and M. J. Neylon; Engineers Mannes and Yeager. Then followed a line of cars in which residents of the city and county rode.

The formalities attending the opening were conducted on a platform erected at the point where the new and old pavements join, Governor Lister delivering a short address.

The Pacific highway is now paved from Olympia through Tacoma, Seattle, Everett and almost to Bellingham.

OLD BUILDING & LOAN OFFICERS RE-ELECTED

Local Association Shows Gain of \$90,000 During Past Year.

All the officers of the Olympia Building & Loan association were re-elected at the annual stockholders' meeting which was held at Meath's following a luncheon Tuesday afternoon. Attorney P. M. Troy and Fred W. Stocking were also re-elected to the board of directors for three-year terms.

Reports of the different officers, showing a net gain of \$90,000 during the past year, were submitted. This is considered an excellent showing in view of the Liberty Loan and Thrift Stamp campaigns, and the various war drives calling for contributions.

The officers of the association are C. H. Springer, president; Millard Lemon, vice president; P. M. Troy, attorney; J. F. Kearney, chairman executive committee; Fred W. Stocking, treasurer, and Walter F. McDowell, secretary.

LOCAL LABOR COUNCIL TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

Olympia Trades Council, at its meeting Thursday evening amended its by-laws to provide for regular meetings on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock instead of Thursday, as heretofore.

A large number of delegates attended last night's meeting. The Woman's Card and Label League served coffee and cake and Harvey Johnson, organizer of the culinary crafts, addressed the meeting.

W. J. Phillips, president, E. J. Fisher, general manager, and C. E. Fanger, division superintendent from the San Francisco headquarters of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, have been in Olympia this week attending the phone rate hearings before the public service commission.

HIGH COURT UPHOLDS CALLOW ACT TITLES

RULES AGAINST DAN HURLEY IN SUIT TO EJECT OLYMPIA OYSTER CO.

Title to at least 50 per cent of oyster lands on Puget Sound, as purchased by metes and bounds under the Callow act, is confirmed by the supreme court in deciding a suit brought by Dan Hurley in Mason county to eject the Olympia Oyster company from beds they had cultivated since 1895 under deeds issued by the state.

Hurley claimed title under a state deed issued to him in 1913 to the tidelands lying between the mean low and extreme low tide lines, contesting validity of a conveyance of land for oyster purposes below mean low tide.

The supreme court, in confirming the Olympia Oyster company's title, holds that all oyster lands are not necessarily tide lands as defined by law, and that the object of the act is to authorize the sale of lands suitable for the cultivation of oysters, whether the beds are above or below mean high or extreme low tides. The ruling affirms a decision of Judge John R. Mitchell while he was on the local superior court bench.

HINES SUCCEEDS M'ADOO.

President Names Chief Assistant as Director-General of Railroads.

Walker D. Hines was appointed director-general of railroads this week to succeed William G. McAdoo. The appointment was made by President Wilson by cable, upon recommendation of Mr. McAdoo.

The policies of Mr. Hines will be advocacy of a five-year continuation of government control, or early relinquishment of the roads to private control, unless congress promptly enacts remedial legislation.

Hines was McAdoo's chief assistant from the time the government took charge of the railroads a year ago.

Lieutenant Gordon Billings, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Billings, who has been stationed at the Presidio, San Francisco, with the dental corps, returned to his home here Monday, having been honorably discharged.

The Capital Transit & Repair company delivered a Chevrolet Four-ninety touring car this week to A. F. Russell of Olympia.

Mrs. R. Franklin Hart, wife of Rev. R. Franklin Hart, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, and her son Erwin left Saturday for Chicago to spend several months at the home of her father.

Mrs. A. D. Fredericks of the East-side has had as her guest recently her mother, Mrs. W. J. Holman, and C. A. Holman of Miles City, Mont.

When Miss Annie Gaston retired as county auditor last Monday, she completed 14 years of service in the county courthouse, the last 12 of which were spent in the office of which she has been chief during the past four years.

School children of the county, at the suggestion of County Superintendent Fred J. Brown, are co-oper-

ating with the Woman's club in the drive now in progress to "re-chickenize" France.

Harold Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Will Shaffer, has been discharged from the aviation branch of the army and is now working for the Lew Reporting company in New York City. He expects to enter Columbia university next semester.

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Financial Statement of the Condition of OLYMPIA BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION as of January 1, 1919.

ASSETS.	
Cash on hand and in banks.....	\$ 41,895.45
First mortgage loans.....	514,355.43
Loans on Association shares.....	2,311.68
Taxes paid for borrowers.....	1,242.79
Furniture and fixtures.....	800.00
Warrants.....	506.45
Liberty bonds.....	28,900.00
Total.....	\$589,991.80
LIABILITIES.	
Paid-up certificates.....	\$245,900.00
Savings accounts.....	326,363.77
School savings.....	3,031.38
Due borrowers on unfinished loans.....	7,236.55
Contingent fund.....	6,300.00
Reserve fund.....	1,160.10
Total.....	\$589,991.80

This Association has just completed twelve and one-half years of uninterrupted success without, during all that time, a single foreclosure or loss of any kind. To its investing members it has never paid less than six per cent per annum. Its borrowing members have one of the best mortgage contracts on the market.

Olympia Building & Loan Association

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS:

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- Two-thread Laces.
- Fine Valenciennes Laces.
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- Allover Laces.
- Allover Embroideries.
- Fine Nainsook Embroideries and Insertion.
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Every item is a money saver and such well-known brands of Sheets, Sheets and Pillow Cases will insure every purchaser their money's worth.

- 81X108 SHEETS**
A large Sheet and durable; regular \$1.95. Special, each \$1.60
- 72X90 SHEETS**
Regular \$1.85. Special..... \$1.65
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This quality will be of interest to you. A value of merit. Regular 75c value. Special, yard 67c
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- 42-INCH PILLOW TUBING**
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