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## OFFICIAL PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED FOR SKAGIT COUNTY FAIR

Grange Day and School Day to be Features of Annual Meet at Burlington---Many Contests Scheduled.

Preparations for the annual Skagit County Fair, to be held on the fair grounds in Burlington September 27 to October 2, inclusive, have been practically completed and with the weather man predicting clear skies for several weeks to come and the oat harvest over, all indications point to this year's fair being the greatest in the history of that institution.

The official program has been compiled and list of events have been prepared for every day but the opening day. Opening day will be reserved for entries in the different contests. The committee in charge of the fair predicts that the exhibits will be of higher class and that the number of participants in the fair this year will be far greater than in any past fair.

Tuesday and Wednesday has been set aside for judging in front of the grand stand in the morning, and a stock parade will be held each day at one o'clock. A number of races also have been scheduled. Thursday there will be a practice pigeon shoot in the morning and a stock parade and races in the afternoon. Friday will be school day and an automobile exhibition is scheduled for Saturday, with races in the afternoon.

At a meeting held last Saturday evening, the executive committee of the County Pomona Grange and the Fair Committee decided that September 30 would be designated as Grange Day. A booth will be put up near the office of the secretary for the purpose of dispensing information and the different granges will enter exhibits. The Pomona Grange has offered a prize of a thoroughbred O. I. C. pig, to the grange judged to have the best booth and a cash prize of \$10 to the grange with the second best booth. The members of the granges will wear their badges on Grange Day.

School day is proclaimed by the fair committee to be the feature of the meet. Different contests will be held between the pupils from the rural schools. A tug-of-war, football game and pony races also have been set for School day.

## CLUB OF CONCRETE SHOW MAKES BIG HIT; ANOTHER WILL BE STAGED SOON

Large and Appreciative Audience Attends Local Talent Play.

Playing to a large and appreciative crowd, the cast of amateur actors last Thursday night staged "The Professor of Love," a comedy in one act, for the benefit of the Club of Concrete. As the professor, W. R. Smith scored a hit, while Mrs. Helen Wetzel, who played the part of the professor's victim, also handled her part very creditably. As Marion, the professor's daughter, Mrs. Everett Heskett displayed unusual ability and her flying leap in the last minute of the play was the feature of the performance. Lester Elkins, as the book agent, acted the part remarkably well, while Mrs. Mary Evensen carried the role of Betty, the maid to perfection. The show was staged without a hitch. Kenneth Fry directed the show and has had charge of the drilling of the actors for the last few weeks.

The songs were well received, Miss Pansy Sheppard's song at the beginning of the performance making a great hit with the audience. Lester Elkins and Ruby Vier, in their song and dance received a generous round of applause, and in the final number on the program, Mrs. Fry and Arthur McGhehey and Elkins and Miss Vier furnished a delightful feature song. Two reels of feature films were contributed by C. D. Stickley.

Another show will be staged in month, according to the statement made Thursday evening by the members of the cast. It is planned to put on a show every month during the winter.

## SOLDIER-BUSINESS MEN NOW SEASONED

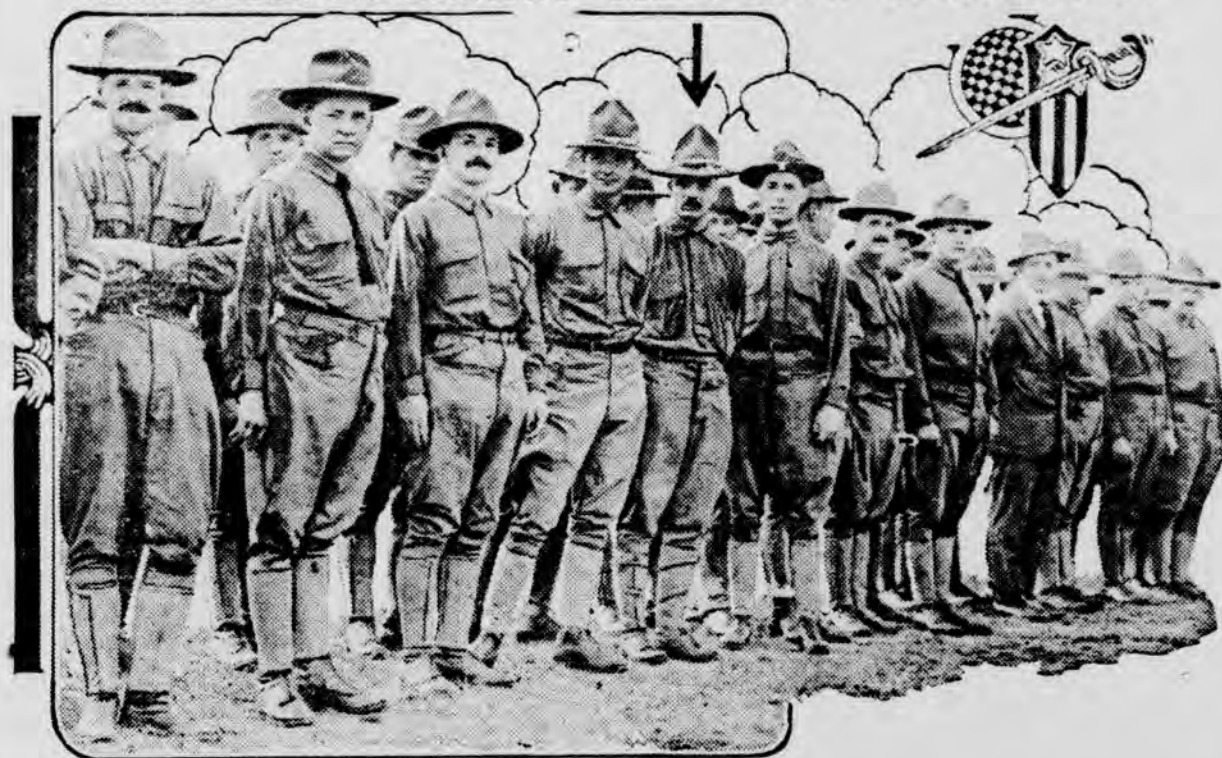


Photo by American Press Association.

A group of prominent business men who have undergone military training at Plattsburg, N. Y., under regular army officers. Arrow points to Theodore Roosevelt Jr.

## COMMITTEES NAMED FOR SCHOOL YEAR BY PARENT TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

Members of Organization to Take Active Part in Work This Term.

Committees to handle the business of the Parent-Teachers' Association this year were named at a meeting held at the Mount Baker Presbyterian church Monday evening.

The committees appointed were as follows:

Executive committee: J. P. Brooks, Mrs. C. C. Bride, J. E. Metcalf, Prof. McCoy, W. J. S. Gordon and Mrs. Charles Wahlgren and B. B. Pierce, chairman.

Publicity committee: Harriette Porterfield, D. M. Justice, Charles Wahlgren, Mrs. Wolbert, Mrs. Geo. Bottsford, S. A. Post and W. J. S. Gordon, chairman.

Educational committee: Miss Nellie Teglund, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. G. P. Leavitt, Mrs. Ed McKinney, Mrs. Mary Evensen, Mrs. G. G. Knott and Mrs. Charles Wahlgren, chairman.

Morals and Hygiene committee: Mrs. T. M. Reese, G. P. Leavitt, Mrs. Alice K. Miller, Mrs. R. M. White, Dr. E. F. Mertz, O. C. Moss and J. E. Metcalf, chairman.

Membership committee: G. L. Leonard, Judd Seaman, Miss Mary Draham, Mrs. L. E. Wolfe, and Prof. McCoy, chairman.

## CHURCH NOTES

Services will be held in the Mount Baker Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Rev. W. Jones, of Tenino, will occupy the pulpit. The program for the services follows:

Organ prelude.  
Doxology.  
Invocation.  
Hymn, "Come Thou Almighty King."

Responsive reading.  
Hymn, "From Every Stormy Wind That Blows."  
Scripture reading.  
Prayer.

Offertory.  
Hymn, "Tell Me the Old, Old Story."  
Sermon by Rev. Mr. Robinson.  
Hymn, "The Sands of Time Are Sinking."

Benediction.  
Sabbath school at 10 a. m.

## KILL BIRDS TOO SOON

Robert Wiseman, Ben R. Hyne and John Healy were fined \$25 each and costs Monday afternoon by Justice of the Peace Alverson, in Sedro Woolley, for killing pheasants out of season. The arrests were made by Harry Wainwright, deputy game warden.

## NEW SIDEWALK PUT IN

A new cement sidewalk was put in in front of Joe Felicetti's place last Saturday and the paving in the street extended to the edge of the sidewalk.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Kvarno, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Thayer and Miss Eva Powers and Miss Johnson, motored to Sedro Woolley Saturday in Kvarno's new car.

## JURY LIST FOR OCTOBER TERM OF COURT MADE UP; CONCRETE PEOPLE NAMED

Only One of Residents of Town Will Be Able to Serve.

Three Concrete people were summoned to appear in the Skagit County Superior court October to act as petit jurors for the October term of court. According to the list sent out from Mount Vernon, the local people drawn for jury work were: Ella Weaver, Harriette Barker, George Botts and Mrs. J. J. Mulally. Mrs. Weaver is in Anchorage, Alaska, and Mrs. Mulally will be unable to serve on the jury. Just who is meant by "Harriette Barker" is unknown for no person answering to that name can be located in Concrete.

Among the other people drawn on the jury from the Upper Skagit valley were: F. G. Slipper, of Hamilton; Abb Clark, of Rockport; and Peter Paulson, of Sauk.

The other names appearing on the list were:

Bessie Pickens, Maude E. Trafton, Augustus Despins, E. J. Forest, O. L. Fletcher, Jessie Young, Clyde Annable, and Edna DeChamplain, Anacortes; Henry Summers, Guy O' Loughlin, of LaConner; Emma Lieb, C. B. Mayhugh, of Bay View; Ella Moody, Peter Matson, Floyd Peck, Warren Dunlap, S. O. Brown, H. R. Hutchinson, Mary Wilson, Charles Elde, Ella Fredlund, Lulu Baker, Wm Dale, of Mount Vernon; Ethel Sharp, of Dewey; G. G. Teachman, of Bow; Flora Freeman, Clara Fringer, J. W. Andris, of Burlington; Minnie Wolken, of Alker; Bert Averill, John G. Miller, Mrs. E. O. Adams, J. L. Beatty, of Sedro Woolley; F. P. Daves, Mary Jorgenson, of Clear Lake.

## FORMER CONCRETE MAN IS KILLED IN ALASKAN MINE

Dick Milke, at one time in the employ of the Superior Portland Cement company, was killed Wednesday in Hadley, Alaska. Milke was working in a mine at the time. He thrust a steel drill in a rock hole that contained a charge of dynamite and a dynamite cap, and struck the drill with a hammer. He was killed instantly. Mrs. Milke is in Seattle.

## STREET OPENED

The paved section of Main street from the fill west to the railroad crossing was opened today for traffic. The remainder of the paved street will not be opened for several days as the county engineer has recommended that the street be allowed to stand three weeks after paving.

## SUPERIOR DIRECTORS HERE

J. C. Eden, president of the Superior Portland Cement company, Moritz Thomsen, J. P. McElroy and J. A. Stirrat, directors of the company, motored up from Seattle and spent Sunday visiting the company's local factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Galbreath have moved to Mount Vernon where they will make their home in the future. They left Concrete Wednesday afternoon.

## CONCRETE TENNIS TEAM WINNER AT BURLINGTON; TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY

Players From Down Valley Will Meet Local Sharks in Tournament.

Playing fast and accurate tennis, Dr. H. W. Van Buskirk and H. J. Brattle, of Concrete, last Sunday defeated the tennis players from Anacortes, Sedro Woolley, Mount Vernon, Hamilton and Lyman, who met at Burlington for a practice tournament. Both local tennis players put up an exceptionally good game throughout the day of play.

The West Side Tennis Club will hold a tournament tomorrow on the tennis court in the Crofoot addition. Players from Anacortes, Burlington, Mount Vernon, Sedro Woolley, Lyman and Hamilton will enter and lively competition for first place is expected.

The tennis sharks from down the valley who are expected to play tomorrow are: Glen Wilkins, John Briske and Ben Driftmier, of Anacortes; Ira Marchant, Dr. Sheppard, Dr. Trask, A. Wilson and John Gould, of Burlington; Bruce Holbrook and Dr. Albert Mattice, of Sedro Woolley; H. A. LaPlant and G. A. Minkler, of Lyman; and F. G. Slipper, of Hamilton.

The Concrete teams that will oppose the visitors have not as yet been selected but it is expected that at least three doubles teams will be entered from the West Side club.

## OLSEN-ROBERTSON WEDDING

John P. Olsen, an employe of the Washington Portland Cement company, and Miss Mae Robertson will be married Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Brower, in Everett, and will make an extended trip to California and the Southern states before returning to make their home in Concrete. Both Miss Robertson and Mr. Olsen are well known in Concrete. They left for Everett this week and will not return until after their honeymoon trip. They expect to be at home to their friends after the fifteenth of November.

## W. C. T. U. TO MEET

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Thursday afternoon in the church parlors. A special program will be followed by a reception. The leader for the day will be Mrs. Chas. Wahlgren.

## CROFOOT SELLS FORD

Will Crofoot sold his Ford to Mrs. K. Glover Thursday, after being a member of the gasoline aristocracy for about a week. Mrs. Glover and Mrs. Wheelock tried the machine out Thursday afternoon on a run to Sedro Woolley.

## FIND HUGE BOULDERS

Workmen who are excavating the basement for the new bank building have uncovered a number of huge boulders that it may become necessary to shoot before they can be removed.

A baby girl was born to Mrs. and Mr. W. S. Gregory Thursday morning.

## NEW PERMANENT BRIDGE OVER BAKER RIVER IS NOW PRACTICALLY ASSURED; COMMISSIONERS PUBLISH 1916 BUDGET

Sum of \$60,000 Set Aside for Bridges During Next Year.-County to Need \$394,255 to Handle Business.-- Board Will Decide Levy Next Month at Regular Meeting.

The building of a new bridge over the Baker River, to replace the old timber structure that connects East and West Concrete, is practically assured by the inclusion in the county budget for next year of a bridge fund of \$60,000. The budget was given out by the county commissioners this week, and while no definite word has been received, it is understood that the new bridge was authorized with the inclusion of the large sum for bridges in next year's budget.

While the new bridge is within the city limits, it is used as the main ar-

terial highway up the valley and it would be impossible for the Town of Concrete to erect a permanent structure over the river on account of the limited means at the disposal of the town council. The structure will prove a great advantage to the farmers up the valley as well as to all residents of Road District number 3.

The budget for Road District number 3 includes the sum of \$44,000, divided as follows between the different foremen's districts: No. 1, \$2,500; No. 2, \$2,500; No. 3, \$3,000; No. 4, \$3,000; No. 5, \$3,000; No. 6, \$6,000; No. 7, \$12,000; No. 8, \$6,000, and No. 9, \$6,000.

## Commissioners' Estimate

That it will cost Skagit county \$394,255.00 to do business during the year 1916 was estimated by the county commissioners at their regular September meeting. From this amount will be deducted the estimated receipts in the various county offices, \$24,085.00, leaving a balance of \$370,170.00 to raise by taxation. The amount raised by taxation for 1915 expenses was \$361,650.00, \$8,520.00 less than the sum to be asked for next year. The levy will be made by the county board in October.

Estimate of the amount needed for the current expense fund is \$139,095.00 with receipts placed at \$24,085.00, leaving a balance to raise by taxation for this fund of \$115,010.00. The estimate for this year totaled \$118,160 with estimated receipts of \$14,110, leaving a balance of \$104,050.00 to raise by taxation. The bond interest and redemption fund for next year will be \$19,000.00, \$300.00 less than it was for this year. The item for soldiers' relief will be \$560, an increase of \$60 over the sum for this year. The following items remain the same: County school fund, \$70,000; road district number 1, \$20,100; road district number 2, \$41,500; road district number 3, \$44,000; road and bridge fund, \$60,000.

## Expense of Offices

The estimate of expenditures for the auditor's office is placed at \$7,300 and receipts at \$6,000; treasurer's office at \$7,000 and \$11,100; clerk's office at \$3,760 and \$3,500; sheriff's office, \$7,800 and \$1,500; sealer of weights and measures, \$1,000; assessor's office, \$7,800; prosecuting attorney's office, \$4,100; engineer's office, \$6,400; county school superintendent, \$3,020; county commissioners, \$3,500; insurance, \$250; court house, \$5,625; health officer, \$2,100; superior court, \$10,370; justice court, \$2,350; constable fees, \$200; jail, \$3,400; election, \$7,625; indigent, \$7,400; visiting nurse, \$1,780; mothers' pensions, \$6,000; bridges and ferries, \$12,500; general miscellaneous, \$11,600; honor camp, \$1,750; advertising, \$800; forest fire protection, \$750; dike and ditch tax, \$1,140; postage, all offices, \$1,200; county farm, \$5,505; county hospital, \$3,700. Expenditure estimates enumerated in this paragraph will be charged to the current expense fund.

## HUNTING SEASON OPENS; MANY BIRDS ARE BAGGED

With the opening of the hunting season Wednesday morning the woods and dells around and about Concrete became danger zones and by the time the season is closed, several tons of lead will be plunked into the landscape and several hundred birds and deer will have taken the count. Up to date there have been no cases of "I thought he was a deer."

## CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Mertz and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith entertained Tuesday evening at Dr. Mertz's home in honor of their wedding anniversaries. Dinner was served and the evening spent in dancing.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. White, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Green, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brattle, and Miss Minnie Nordhoff, F. R. Bates and O. J. Smith, of Seattle.

## GRAND HOUSE WARMING GIVEN IN HONOR OF MR. AND MRS. B. B. PIERCE

More Than Seventy People Attend Party in New Residence.

More than seventy people attended the housewarming party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Pierce last Saturday evening. A musical program was given by Miss Pansy Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wahlgren, Miss Anderson and Mrs. H. V. Davies. Readings were given by Mrs. Roy Robson, Mr. Mosher and Mrs. Elkins. Games were played and lunch was served.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Metcalf, Irma Metcalf, Mrs. J. E. Murdoch, Mrs. Anna Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heskett, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Mosher, Miss Pansy Sheppard, Miss Ethel Van Iderstine, Miss Erla Biggerstaff, Miss Myra Huestis, Miss Frances Heskett, Miss Lenora Anderson, Mary M. Knott, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wahlgren, Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Knott, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McDaniel, Mrs. F. H. Heskett, Mrs. C. C. Bride, Mrs. Eunice M. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ireton, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Leavitt, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pine, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Davies, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dillard, and children, Mrs. N. E. Van Horn, Ova Van Horn, Mrs. J. Bickford, Mrs. J. A. Carter, Mrs. A. M. Ross and son, Robert, Mrs. E. Clemons, Mrs. J. H. Cooper, Mrs. J. R. Elkins, Helen Ervin, Blossom Ervin, Helen Rice, Gladys Carter, Mae Elkins, Maida Bride, Harriette Porterfield, Vernet Wahlgren, Nelson Wahlgren, Walter Ross, Sam Baker and Lettie Barker.

Mr. H. V. Davies made a short talk and Mr. B. B. Pierce responded. The party was given on the occasion of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce moving into their new home in East Concrete.

## ROCKPORT POSTMASTER STRICKEN CLIMBING HILL

Donald M. Currie, of Rockport, died Monday morning following a severe stroke of apoplexy. Mr. Currie was stricken Sunday afternoon while climbing the big hill back of Rockport. He has been a resident of Rockport for the last six years, where he kept store and acted as postmaster. He is a member of the Bellingham Elks and Knights of Pythias.

## REPAIR CLAY SHED ROOF

A new wooden roof is being put on the clay storage at the Superior Portland Cement company's plant, to replace the old tin roof. It was found that gas from the engines ate holes in the tin and made the roof worse than useless.

## METCALF BUYS BUICK

Another Buick Six was added to the list of automobiles in Concrete this week. J. E. Metcalf, lumber and hardware dealer, bought one of the new model six cylinder cars Monday.

Preparations for the surfacing with crushed lime rock the big fill on West Main street were begun Thursday. The work will be completed during the next week.

A limited amount of display advertising matter will be accepted for publication on this page at two times the regular rates.







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## Correspondence

### LYMAN

Mrs. Fred Dassiner, of Bellingham, was a Lyman visitor Wednesday.

Henry McCalib cut his hand Saturday while chopping wood.

Mr. Leonard Kruse returned home after spending a week in Seattle.

Miss Casey, of Sedro Woolley, was a Lyman visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bratlie and son, Jim, were Lyman visitors Sunday.

Chester Ries left Friday morning for Pullman where he will attend the Washington State College this year.

Mrs. Tom Price, who has been ill in the Burlington hospital, returned to her home last Saturday.

Miss Adelia Culderhead, of Walla Walla, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley LaPlant.

Mr. Bert Lisherness, who has been at Everson for the past two months spent Sunday with his family in Lyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Petersen and Mrs. T. B. Cooper motored to Burlington to attend the funeral of Mrs. Petersen's sister, Mrs. Isabell, of Goshen.

Mrs. Will Peterson, who has the last two weeks in Goshen helping her sister returned home last Tuesday.

A large number of Lyman people were out early Wednesday morning after birds and a number returned in the evening laden with game.

Miss Blanche Licherniss left Friday morning for Seattle where she will spend a few weeks visiting with friends.

While playing on the slide on the school grounds Tuesday afternoon, the little six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Watson fell and broke his leg.

Mr. Cole Akins, who has been confined to his bed for the last two weeks from injuries suffered in a fall while working in the woods, is able to be about again.

Rev. Bradshaw, who has been the minister at the Lyman church the past two years will occupy the pulpit in the Darrington church the coming year.

Mrs. Henry Sloan entertained thirty little folks Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter Marjory's sixth birthday. The little folks all played games until late in the afternoon, when they were served with ice cream and cake.

Mrs. John Hightower entertained Wednesday afternoon at a luncheon and miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Mary E. Colliers, who arrived from England Friday afternoon. Covers were laid for twenty-five guests. The afternoon was pleasantly spent and the ladies were interested in hearing of Miss Colliers' experiences on her trip. Miss Colliers is soon to become the bride of Mr. Fred Trueman.

### HAMILTON

William McNeil has been visiting in Seattle.

The Ladies Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. A. P. Floyd yesterday.

Mrs. H. S. Sprinkle has returned from a visit in Seattle and Tacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Henry entertained friends and relatives Sunday.

D. V. Rose and family have moved to Fox's camp.

Frank Kellner has returned to the University of Washington to resume his studies.

Miss Florence Garlick, of Burlington, is teaching in the high school here again this year.

Mrs. Frank King has left for Ashville, North Carolina, where she will spend the winter.

A feature of the recent W. C. T. U. meeting here was an address by Mrs. Bessie Davies on "Health and Hygiene in the Home." The question of sending delegates to the state conventions was taken up, but no action will be taken until the next meeting which will occur on Thursday, September 23.

### VAN HORN

Mrs. W. F. Cell is visiting with friends in Bellingham.

Mrs. F. J. Springsteen was a visitor in Rockport Wednesday evening.

F. J. Birchley was a visitor in Concrete Monday.

Fire slightly damaged the Oatly Flemly residence Sunday morning.

The Herald One Dollar a Year.

Mrs. D. I. Green, of Concrete, spent last Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Springsteen.

Mrs. O. A. Flemly and children and Miss Hurtha Rosenberg were in Concrete Friday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Charles Gaines and Mrs. A. L. Howard were shopping in Concrete Friday morning.

Archie Malcolm and his sons have moved into the house vacated by G. W. Cheney.

Mr. and Mrs. James Monroe, of Sedro Woolley, with their son and daughter and Miss Nan Davis, motored up to Van Horn Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Monroe.

The opening of the hunting season was very properly observed in Van Horn Wednesday. Many hunters were in evidence. However Henry Robertson and Oatley Felmley were among the lucky ones.

D. Poulson, Frank Mack and Geo. Bishop went on a hike up Mount Sauk last Saturday in search of huckleberries. They returned with the report that the bears had beaten them to the berries.

W. F. Call has been losing in weight quite perceptibly since Mrs. Call's departure Saturday, and he does not weigh much anyway. He has decided to give up his own cooking and take his meals at the cook house.

### SAUK

Miss Erma Ragan has been sick for several days.

Ray Stafford is down from the Suattle.

Jack Stashes has some fine potatoes on exhibition at the Sauk store.

Grandma Anderson is doing a little house cleaning for George Wilkins.

Wm. Stafford went to Bellingham Thursday to attend the funeral of D. M. Currie.

Mrs. Robert Riffe and daughter, Aliene, and son, Jackson, spent the week end at Arcadia farm.

Mrs. Joe McDonald, of Concrete, was visiting for several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moran.

Mrs. Wm. Moran, Mrs. Joe McDonald, of Concrete, and Mrs. Louie Drum, of Big Lake, visited Mrs. Abe Young Sunday.

W. W. Caskey, Garnet Thompson, Al Davidson and Thomas Thompson all went down Tuesday to attend the funeral of D. M. Currie, who will be buried in Bellingham Wednesday.

Little Miss Ellen Stanley celebrated her fifth birthday Saturday by giving her little friends a party. A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Stanley and Mrs. Tracy. Those present were: Bessie Stafford, Irene White, Ellen Stanley, Loren Calkins, Frank White, Kenneth Kents, Kenneth Bakus, Earl Babcock and Jim Kincaid.

### VARSITY ATHLETE BACK FROM WAR—ONE EYE GONE

Aimar de Turenne Wears Patch and Carries Steel Splinter That Blinded Him

Aimar Auzias de Turenne, former track star of the University of Washington, has returned from the battlefields and hospitals of Europe to his home in Seattle, bearing honorable discharge papers and a splinter of steel, and wearing a patch over the vacant socket of his right eye.

De Turenne, whose father is a prominent Seattle banker, was studying law at Harvard when the war broke out, and enlisted with the Canadian contingent, serving with the Fifth battery, Canadian field artillery. During the famous battle of Ypres he acted as dispatch bearer, riding horseback between the lines, and serving sometimes as an interpreter. April 27, while adjusting his horse's bridle, a German shell burst above his head. He glanced upward to watch it, and a piece of the casing struck him in the right eye, tearing its way into his head and lodging in the roof of his mouth.

The discharge papers brought home by de Turenne commend him for his heroism.

Six cousins fought with the Washingtonian, two of whom were killed and four badly wounded.

### MILITARY DRILL DENOUNCED IN NEW VARSITY MAGAZINE

University of Washington, Sept. 18.—The Washingtonian, a new literary magazine published by the Associated Students of the University of Washington, made its appearance on the campus with the opening of the fall semester, and created a mild sensation by its leading article, a denunciation of compulsory military drill, by Russell Peterson, of Seattle.

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## Local Notes

Mrs. I. B. Evensen motored to Sedro Woolley Tuesday.

—Cameras and photographic supplies, at Siegrist's.

Miss Blossom Ervin was visiting with friends in Bellingham this week.

Isaac Kvarno went to Mount Vernon Tuesday afternoon on business.

Mr. McGrew, of Anacortes, is helping Guy Wood to build his new house.

—William Farnum, in "Sampson," one of the best productions gotten out by the William Fox film organization, will be shown at Stickley's Concrete theater tonight.

C. D. Stickley went to Seattle on business Friday morning. He will return home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Moran, of Seattle, are visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wetzel entertained in honor of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Fry Saturday evening.

T. Ebing, of Moss Hill, spent Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Wetzel.

—Get your winter's supply of wood NOW, and buy it of Dakan & Sons, of Grasmere. Excellent wood at bed-rock prices.

George Groken has moved into the house formerly occupied by C. C. Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas were visiting Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bride.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Van Buskirk spent the week end in Burlington visiting with relatives.

B. B. Pierce and family and Mrs. H. V. Davies, motored to Anacortes Sunday.

Aliene Pierce spent the week end at her home in Concrete. She is attending the Bellingham Normal.

—Your eyes fitted for one dollar and up. See Siegrist.

Sam Baker went to Bellingham Tuesday afternoon for a few days visit with friends.

Mrs. J. J. McDonald is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Moran, of Sauk.

H. J. Dowling, a prominent merchant of Lyman, was a business visitor in Concrete Friday afternoon.

Miss Genevieve Moran, of Sauk, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Seabury.

Mrs. I. A. Hays, of Hamilton, spent Friday afternoon in Concrete visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shannon, and Vernie Hayes spent Sunday afternoon in Concrete.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heskett and Mrs. J. C. Johnson spent Friday hunting birds near Birdview.

—Good kitchen stove in excellent condition for sale cheap. Call up and obtain details at E 52.

Mrs. K. Glover and Mrs. Nellie Wheelock motored to Marblemount Friday afternoon.

Mrs. George Ross is spending several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larson, of Sauk.

Mrs. Elza Harris, of Sedro Woolley, was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Seabury the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Conner, of Seattle, were visiting a part of this week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. W. J. S. Gordon.

—"Niobe," a clever Paramount comedy will be shown at Stickley's Concrete theater Sunday night. Hazel Dawn acted the leading role in this production and it is regarded as one of her best pieces of work.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robson have moved to a farm near Sumas. They have been residents of Concrete for the last five years.

Will Crofoot motored to Hamilton Thursday afternoon in his Ford with Mrs. K. Glover and Mrs. Nellie Wheelock.

Mrs. C. M. Elemendorf, of Aberdeen, arrived in town Wednesday for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bjerstedt.

Mrs. I. A. Hays and Mrs. Robert Shannon, of Hamilton, were visiting Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morris.

Mrs. K. W. Thayer went to Bellingham Sunday morning for a short visit with friends. She returned home Tuesday.

Dr. H. W. Van Buskirk went to Burlington Tuesday evening to join a hunting expedition Wednesday morning.

Joe Fellicetti and Will Crofoot motored to Sedro Woolley on business. They report the woods full of hunters all the way.

Mrs. William Steltz, of Rockport, Mrs. Robert Shannon, and Mrs. I. A. Hays, of Hamilton, motored to Sedro Woolley Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Lang returned Wednesday afternoon from a two week's visit with her parents at Marblemount.

Miss Frances Bergman, of Seattle, was visiting a few days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cohen. Miss Bergman is Mrs. Cohen's sister.

—Theda Bara, the sensation of the moving picture world, will be seen next Saturday night, September 25,

in "A Fool There Was," at Stickley's Concrete theater. Theater patrons will remember Theda Bara as the star in "The Clemenceau Case." "A Fool There Was" is an ideal play for Theda Bara and she is at her best in it.

Miss Grace Evans left Friday evening for Seattle where she will visit for a few weeks. She has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Halliday.

The Herald Ads Bring Results.

Miss Celia O'Brien returned here Wednesday evening from her home at Marblemount where she has been since last May. She has resumed her duties in the telephone office.

Mrs. Frederick Schuh, of Bellingham, was visiting over the week end at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Post. She returned to her home in Bellingham Monday afternoon.

Miss Eva Powers, of the Seattle office of the Washington Portland Cement company, and Miss Johnson, were visitors at the Washington club over the week end.

B. B. Pierce and Harry Austin went up into the hills Wednesday for a few days hunting. They expected to make their headquarters on Boulder Creek.

O. J. Smith, vice-president of the Washington Portland Cement company, and W. R. Bates, of Seattle, were visiting at the local plant Tuesday and Wednesday.

County Commissioners Henry Thompson, Albert Polson and A. E. Sisson motored through Concrete on their way to Marblemount on an inspection trip.

Miss Mamie Herman, of Seattle, is spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams. Miss Herman is attending the Bellingham Normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Thomas, of Port Angeles, accompanied by Mrs. G. G. Knott and daughter, Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bride, motored to Anacortes Tuesday.

Will McKay and Dan Cogswell, of Seattle, motored to Concrete Tuesday. McKay signed Isaac Kvarno up as the local Overland agent. Both Cogswell and McKay are old friends of K. W. Thayer.

K. W. Thayer and Robt. M. White will leave Sunday morning for Springsteen's Lake where they will endeavor to massacre a few birds and a deer or two. They expect to be gone two or three days.

Will Crofoot and Mr. Dakan, of Grasmere, motored to Oak Harbor Monday, returning in the afternoon. Mr. Dakan has rented Crofoot's farm on Whidby Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wetzel entertained a party of friends at their home Thursday evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Everett Heskett, Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Fry, Miss Ruby Vier, Miss Pansy Sheppard, W. R. Smith and Mrs. Mary Evensen. A pleasant evening was spent in dancing.



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### NOTICE TO VOTERS

Registration books will be open every day, excepting Sunday, at the office of the City Clerk between the hours of 2 p. m. and 4 p. m. and 7 p. m. and 8 p. m. Voters who have not registered this year must register to vote in the coming elections.

CHAS. F. RAMSDALL,  
City Clerk.

John Murphy, John Wallock, W. J. Clemmer and E. J. Gregg, of Seattle, were in town Tuesday on their way to Baker Lake where they will spend several days fishing and hunting.

### DON'T BE ASHAMED OF CLEAN DUST ON TABLES OR PIANO.

Miss Rausch Tells Bankers Over-Scrupulous Housewife Makes Life Burden for Everyone

University of Washington, Sept. 18.—"No woman should become a slave in her home," Miss Mary F. Rausch, assistant professor of home economics in the extension division, told delegates to the convention of the American Bankers' Association Thursday. "She must learn to let things go, and not be ashamed of a little clean dust on the table or on the piano."

Miss Rausch spoke on "What a Good Home Means to the Community," and she found occasion to denounce as unnecessary much drudgery of homemaking; to plead for the broader education of school girls in the arts of the housewife; and to urge reformations in the management of the household to the end that money may be saved, lives enriched and lengthened, and labor made a pleasure, through its ennoblement.

#### Too Clean

"No matter how busy, a woman should take time to rest five minutes several times a day," she said. There are some housekeepers who make life a burden for every one in the family. These are the women who are too clean about housekeeping and who want to polish every nail in the attic floor so as to show that they are good housekeepers and have everything bright and shiny.

"Schools," she said, "are crowded with girls studying music and fine arts, but real housekeeping is taught in but few of them. Home should provide food and shelter, peace and happiness. Housewifery is the chief vocation of womanhood, and there is no nobler calling.

"Many housekeepers think that housekeeping is a drudgery, but that is because they do not know how to do it in the easiest way as to make it a real pleasure. We do not train candidates for matrimony, but we do train for every other profession. It is true that there are many born housekeepers, but it is far easier to do work well if one knows how.

#### Marketing Is Profitable

"Housekeeping is a business or a profession, like any other business. More people engage in it than in any

other occupation. It must be run on businesslike principles. Ninety per cent of all that people earn is spent for clothing, food and shelter.

"The market basket represents personal selection and the woman who wants to save the pennies must select her own groceries and meat and must pay cash for them. I am sure that the telephone and delivery system is to blame for part of the high cost of living, but when a woman has many duties and a large family and sometimes a large pocketbook we would not change if we could.

ESTIMATE OF SCHOOL EXPENSES and Receipts. School District No. 26, Lyman, Skagit County, Washington. (Required by chapter 138, Session Laws of 1913.)

NOTICE is hereby given that the board of directors of School District No. 26, Lyman, Skagit County, state of Washington, estimate that said school district will need during the school year beginning July 1st, 1915, the amount shown by the itemized statement printed below. This statement is subject to revision and the board of school directors of the above named district will meet at 8 o'clock, P. M., Monday, October 4th, at schoolhouse at Lyman, for the purpose of giving any taxpayer an opportunity of being "heard in favor or against any proposed tax levies." A more detailed statement of the purposes for which the proposed levy is to be expended is now on file in the office of the clerk of the district and is open for inspection.

#### ESTIMATE OF EXPENSES

##### General Fund

1. Expense of general control .....	60 00
2. Expense of instruction .....	6000 00
3. Expense of operation of school plant .....	502 00
4. Expense of maintenance of school plant .....	200 00
5. Expense of auxiliary agencies .....	743 95
6. Payment of outstanding warrants and warrant interest .....	70 00
11. Equipment of old buildings and grounds .....	820 00
Total .....	\$8,395.95

#### ESTIMATE OF RECEIPTS

State current school fund .....	\$2169.47
County school fund .....	2190.91
Total .....	\$4810.38

Amount to be raised by direct tax .....

\$3585.57

Dated September 10th, 1915.

JOHN E. MINKLER

Clerk of School District No. 26, Lyman, Skagit County.

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