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CONCRETE PLAYERS LOSE AT FERNDAL IN EXCITING GAME

LOCAL SLUGGERS NOT ABLE TO CONNECT WITH BALL—TO PLAY BURLINGTON HERE ON SUNDAY NEXT.

The Concrete baseball aggregation took a long trip to Ferndale last Sunday, and took their second consecutive beating of the 1926 season. The game was the opener for the season at Ferndale and it was an interesting contest for the spectators, for the home team won, 5 to 0. Concrete played some ragged ball in the field, piling up a total of six errors during the fray, and the players also left their batting eyes at home, for they only annexed three hits during the afternoon. Only one Concrete player reached second base, but Comfort, on the mound for Ferndale, refused to let him go any further. Heritage did the heaving for Concrete and pitched a good game, most of the runs being made through poor support, and getting 11 men on strikeouts to four for Comfort.

The box score tells the sad tale:

Ferndale	AB	R	H	E
Oxford, ss	5	1	2	0
Graves, c	4	1	3	0
Ferguson, rf	4	0	2	0
L. Henriksen, cf	4	0	0	0
Brinkman, lf	4	1	1	0
Bring, -b	4	1	0	0
Larson, 2b	3	1	1	0
B. Henriksen, 3b	3	0	0	0
Comfort, p	3	0	0	0
Total	34	5	9	0

Concrete	AB	R	H	E
Fulk, 1b	4	0	0	1
L. Schoeneman, ss	4	0	0	1
L. Wiseman, 3b	3	0	1	0
B. Wiseman, rf-c	3	0	0	0
Bolton, 2b	3	0	0	1
Elkins, lf	3	0	1	0
Henry, cf	3	0	1	0
E. Schoeneman, c	2	0	1	1
Heritage, p	3	0	1	0
Lorentzen, rf	1	0	0	0
Total	30	0	3	6

Next Sunday the local team will play the fast Burlington bunch on the Concrete grounds. Burlington has a fast team and one that is always hard to beat, for it is always fighting until the last man is out. The game will be played on the east side ground and will be called about 2:30. All the fans should turn out for this game, for it will be a good one.

CONCRETE THEATER HAS FINE PROGRAM FOR WEEK

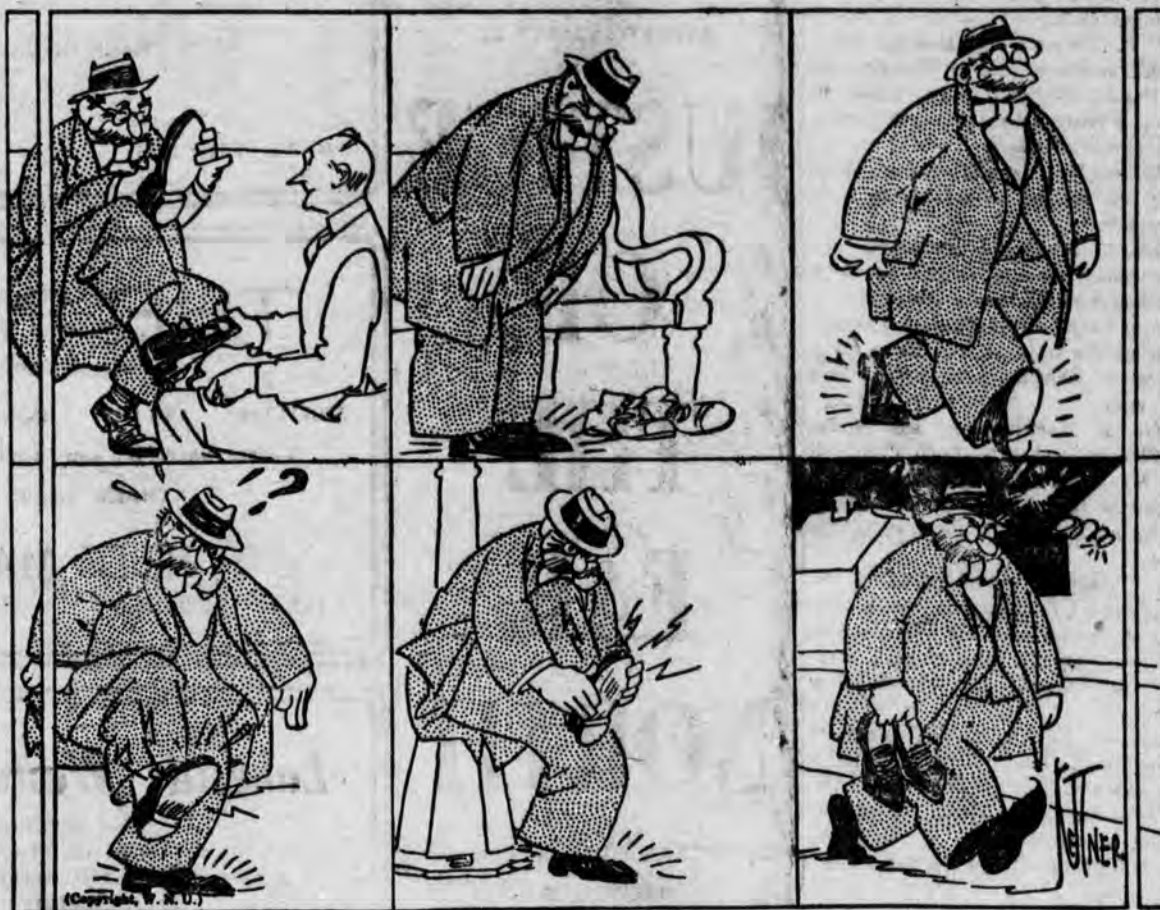
The Concrete theater offers a splendid program for the coming week, and there is plenty of variety in the pictures to be shown. For Saturday night the attraction will be William Fairbanks and Pauline Garon in "The Great Sensation," an exciting drama of a beautiful girl's craze for thrills. All movie fans who like pictures with a lot of action and exciting situations, will be sure to enjoy this one.

On Sunday and Monday nights Alice Joyce is featured in "Headlines," an unusual story of newspaper life. The theme of the photoplay involves the old story whether an editor is ever justified in "killing" a big news story on account of the scandal involved. The story is one that will hold the interest and there is some exceptionally fine acting.

On Tuesday and Wednesday nights Richard Dix comes in the Paramount feature, "A Man Must Live," a strong drama of a man's struggle to make a living and how he finally yielded to temptation. This picture is out of the ordinary and is one that all will find interesting.

For Thursday and Friday nights the feature is "The Border Sheriff," a Universal western that is full of thrills and action. There is a lot of hard fighting, some fine riding and a pleasing romance mixed up in the story.

Our Pet Peeve



CONCRETE MATRON DIES SUDDENLY IN PORTLAND

The people of Concrete were shocked this morning by the news that Mrs. Clayton Lisherness had passed away at 4 o'clock this morning in a Portland hospital. Mrs. Lisherness went to Portland a few weeks ago for medical treatment and last week underwent a minor operation. Mr. Lisherness was down to visit her at the hospital the first of the week and left Portland yesterday morning, and when he left Mrs. Lisherness was feeling better than she had been for some time and was apparently convalescing rapidly. She had been afflicted with heart trouble for the past year or more and this is believed to have been the immediate cause of her death. So far as known, no arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

FOUR NEW TEACHERS ON FACULTY HERE NEXT YEAR

There will be four new faces in the Concrete teaching corps for next year. Two teachers, Miss Blanche Brooks and Miss Constance Bennett, announced their resignation before the election of teachers was taken up by the board. Since then Miss Margaret McDonald, of the sixth grade, and Miss Irma Knuppenburg, of the high school faculty, have tendered their resignations, effective at the close of school, making it necessary for the directors to elect two new teachers for the grades and two for the high school. The only vacancy definitely filled yet is that in the sixth grade, Joseph Baxter of Edison, now attending the Bellingham Normal, being selected for the position. Mr. Baxter will also coach athletics in the grades and will assist with the manual training. There are plenty of applicants for the other positions and it is likely that all vacancies will be filled before school closes.

CONCRETE VOTERS ARE VERY SLOW TO REGISTER

Unless there is a decided increase in registration in the Concrete precincts within the next month or two, there will be a very light vote cast here at the elections next fall. Although there is a normal registration in the city of about 450, so far there are less than 50 who have qualified as voters. The books will remain open until August 24, when they close for the primary election. Every person residing within the city limits will have to register this year. Those living outside of cities or towns and who registered in 1924 or later will not have to register this year.

NEW PRODUCT IS PLACED ON MARKET IN CONCRETE

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Coles, who reside on West Main street, have started a new industry for this city. They are manufacturing "Our Favorite Relish," which was placed on the market in local stores last week and which is already proving a good seller. The relish is made from products grown in or near Concrete. As soon as possible the relish will be marketed in outside towns, and Mr. and Mrs. Coles hope to work up a trade that will make their plant a real industry for the city. They plan to build up the business as rapidly as the sales will warrant.

REWARD IS OFFERED FOR BODY OF LEONA KAUFFMAN

Although a continuous search has been maintained for almost two weeks the body of Leona Kauffman, who was drowned in the Skagit river on May 1, has not been found. The river from the Concrete ferry landing to Lyman has been covered many times, and every possible means used to locate the body, but so far all efforts have been unsuccessful. A reward of \$100 is being offered for the finding of the body, and will be gladly paid to any person who is successful in locating the body of the girl.

LADIES' AUXILIARY HOLDS MEETING NEXT THURSDAY

The next regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church will be held in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon, May 20, with the members from Crofoot's addition as the hostesses. The social feature of this meeting will be a "states afternoon" and every member is asked to come and represent her native state, and to help sing her state song.

STATE FIRE WARDENS TO PROSECUTE ALL FIREBUGS

All state fire wardens and forest patrolmen have received orders from Forest Supervisor Joy that this year they are not only to put out all fires discovered, but are also to use every effort to find and arrest the person responsible for starting the fire. In most cases the guilty parties can be found, and they will hereafter be prosecuted, whether the fire was started intentionally or through carelessness. This will mean less fires.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY THE CONCRETE EAGLES

The main item of business on the program at the regular meeting of the Concrete Eagles last Thursday night was the election of officers for the ensuing term. The election was one of the most interesting ever held by the aerie, there being contests for almost every office, indicating that the members are taking a lively interest in the success of the aerie. The new officers of the aerie are: President, John Boeringa; vice-president, E. J. O'Brien; chaplain, E. C. Hornbeck; conductor, Hazen Willett; inside guard, Frank Carnovale; outside guard, Edgar Gates; secretary, Joe Kemmerich; treasurer, Jesse Middleton; trustee, 3-year term, Ira B. Gates. The delegates chosen to attend the state convention in Tacoma next month were Joe Kemmerich, Richard Thompson and I. B. Gates.

The new officers will be installed at an open meeting to be held on Thursday, June 3, with Richard Thompson acting as installing officer. A musical entertainment will follow the installation ceremonies.

EVERETT GETS CONTRACT FOR ROCKPORT BUILDING

Leonard Everett of this city was awarded a contract by Presentin brothers of Rockport for the construction of a new store building at that place, to replace the one destroyed by fire a few weeks ago. The building will be a one-story structure, 60x40 feet in size and will be of concrete and tile construction. Work on the building was started last week and the contract provides that it shall be ready June 15. It will be occupied by the Rockport Mercantile Co. store and by the Rockport postoffice.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMS TO START NEXT THURSDAY

The regular state examinations for graduation from the eighth grade will be held on Thursday and Friday next week. There is a large class to take the examination here, and as all are well prepared, it is expected that nearly all will pass and be qualified to enter high school next year. The pupils of the seventh grade will take the examination in geography and hygiene.

The Concrete school will close two weeks from tomorrow, May 28. The commencement exercises will be held in the high school gym that evening. There are seven pupils who will graduate from the high school this year.

COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PLEDGES SUPPORT FOR FAIR

ALL PARTS OF COUNTY WILL BE ASKED TO HELP—CASCADE HIGHWAY AND BAKER RIVER DAM ALSO CONSIDERED.

The regular meeting of the Skagit County Chamber of Commerce, which was held in Mt. Vernon Tuesday evening, was largely devoted to a discussion of the Skagit County Fair for 1926, and to devising ways and means by which it could be given the whole-hearted support of every community in the county, so as to make the fair this year the best ever held since it was first organized. It was agreed that every commercial organization in the county should begin now to make plans for exhibits for the fair in August, and several speakers stated that in the communities where there are no commercial clubs or similar organizations, the business men and citizens should use every effort to have local displays entered at the fair.

The members of the county chamber were unanimously agreed that the county fair is deserving of support from every part of the county, and it was unanimously agreed that the county organization should do everything in its power to make the fair a great success. Service clubs in all parts of the county will be asked to help with this work, and it was recommended that committees be named by the different commercial clubs to cooperate with the county chamber in planning the best possible exhibit for the county as a whole.

Other matters taken up for discussion were the Cascade highway and the Baker river dam, but nothing new was offered in regard to either project. The county chamber also went on record as being opposed to the granting of a franchise for an automobile freight line from Mt. Vernon to Anacortes. An application for a franchise for this line is now pending before the state department of public works, and the lower end of the county is generally opposed to the granting of the franchise.

STATE ENGINEER VISITS CASCADE HIGHWAY ROUTE

Webb Hoover, state highway engineer, accompanied by the district engineer and by several citizens from the lower valley, made a trip to the Cascade highway above Marblemount the first of the week. On his return Mr. Hoover seemed to be a strong booster for this road, and spoke highly of the splendid scenery in the upper valley. He stated that the state highway commission is now preparing plans for the work to be done on the road this year, and that bids will likely be called soon. The general sentiment seems to be in favor of building a 14-foot road at this time, instead of the usual 24-foot state road, as a much longer road can then be built with the money available. After the road is completed over the Cascades, it can then be widened whenever traffic makes the wider road a necessity.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS PLAY IN ANACORTES TOMORROW

Coach Wiseman and the Concrete high school baseball team will take a long ride to Anacortes tomorrow to play the high school boys of that city. The local boys are going to try their best to win the game, but expect to have an enjoyable trip, whether they win or not. Last Friday they met the Hamilton boys at Hamilton and lost again, but the game proved one of the most interesting of the season. The high school team has two games left to play after this week, meeting Sedro-Woolley here and Stanwood at Stanwood.

MUCH ROAD WORK IS NOW UNDER WAY IN UPPER VALLEY

NEW CUT-OFF IS BEING BUILT NEAR SAUK TO SHORTEN THE ROAD—WORK AT ROCK CUT IS GOING AHEAD SLOWLY.

There is plenty of road construction under way in the east end of Skagit county at the present time, and Commissioner Clark says he will keep it going until all the roads in his district are in good condition. The biggest job under way in this end of the county is the grading at the rock cut hill, west of this city. The cutting away of the hill is progressing very slowly and while it is going ahead steadily, it will likely be some weeks yet before the road is again open for travel.

Last week work was started on a cut-off on the road west of Sauk, and also on section of new road on the Sauk river. The right-of-way for the cut-off was cleared last year, and it is hoped to have it graded and open for traffic in about a month. This cut-off will eliminate the dangerous sand hill on the road between here and Rockport, and will also shorten the road by about two miles. The balance of the county roads in the upper valley are being regularly overhauled and kept in condition, and all the highways in the county are now in very good condition, with the exception of the detour at the rock cut, which is probably as good as conditions will permit.

The Sauk river road starts at the bridge across the Sauk river, some miles from the Skagit, and it is planned to complete the road this year from the bridge to Sauk Prairie, and the balance of the road to Darrington will be opened next year. There is already a fair road from the Sauk river bridge to the Skagit, so when the work now planned is finished the residents of the Sauk Prairie and Darrington communities will have easy access to the Skagit valley. The old road up the Skagit river was destroyed a few years ago by floods, and the new road is being built on high ground, and there is no chance of its being washed out.

INDIANS OF NORTHWEST HOLD CONVENTION HERE

A convention of the Indians of Northwestern Washington was held here last Sunday, with about 300 delegates present. The meeting was held in the Concrete hall, in the old theater building, and practically every tribe in Whatcom, Skagit and Snohomish counties was represented. The meeting was held for the purpose of talking over the claims of the Indians from this part of the state against the federal government, for allotments of land and for money payments claimed as due under treaty rights. There was plenty of enthusiasm shown at the meeting and considerable business was transacted, but no report was given out as to the matters taken up.

TOWN COUNCIL TO OPEN SIDEWALK BIDS MONDAY

The town council will meet in the council room next Monday evening, May 17, to open and consider bids for the construction of a cement sidewalk along the south side of Main street from the Superior Mercantile store westerly to the end of the pavement. As the contract is comparatively small, it is not expected there will be many outside bids. It is likely that the contract will be awarded at the meeting and work start on the walk within a week or so. It is not expected that any other business will be taken up at the session, as it will be an adjourned meeting.

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LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson and children were visiting relatives and friends in Marblemount Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Cook and children were visiting relatives and friends in Rockport over the week-end.

Miss Alice Barber of Bellingham was visiting with friends in this city over Sunday.

E. E. Aldridge was in from his farm south of the Skagit Tuesday to look after some business matters in town.

Tony Ebing drove up from his farm at Moss Hill yesterday for a short business visit.

R. C. Norman left Monday for a week's business visit to Paradise Inn at Rainier National park, where he is supervising the installation of a new power plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Moen were shopping and calling on friends in town Saturday.

Mrs. R. F. Crooks returned last Wednesday from a short visit with relatives and friends in Everett.

John Gardener of Everett was visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. George D. Kauffman, for several days last week.

Mrs. E. Hartman and son Albert of Chicago and Mrs. Ruth Campbell and Mrs. Grace Hicks of Seattle were guests at the home of Mrs. Tony Ebing at Moss Hill the first of the week.

W. F. Boggs left the first of the week for Port Angeles, where he has secured employment for the summer.

W. L. Connally was looking after business interests in Sedro-Woolley Monday.

Bertram Kauffman, who has been attending the University of Washington, and who was called home by the death of his sister, Leona, has decided not to return to the U this term, and will resume his work there next September.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kauffman returned to their home in Portland the latter part of last week, after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. Kauffman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Kauffman.

J. E. St. John, manager of the Concrete Department store, was looking after business affairs in Sedro-Woolley on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Helen Laque returned last week from a short visit with relatives and friends in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Good and children drove to Sedro-Woolley Tuesday evening to take in the carnival.

R. F. Crooks left last week for Port Angeles, where he has secured employment on a large power project near that city.

Mrs. Tillie Pottel of Everett arrived in the city last week to spend the summer at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. D. Kauffman.

CALL FOR BIDS—CEMENT SIDEWALK

Bids will be received by the undersigned until 6 o'clock p. m. on Monday, May 17, 1926, for the construction of a cement sidewalk four feet in width on the south side of Main street from the west city limits of Concrete easterly to a point at or near the west line of B street in said town, according to plans and specifications prepared by Floyd H. Roller, acting city engineer, which are now on file in my office.

Copy of plans and specifications can be secured at any time during business hours on or after Monday, May 10.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in amount of 5 per cent of amount of bid. Successful bidder must furnish surety bond in amount of bid, for faithful completion of contract.

The Town Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

5-6-13 G. L. LEONARD,
Town Clerk, Concrete, Wash.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Seattle, Wash.

April 19, 1926

NOTICE is hereby given that Eugene M. Crane, of Rockport, Wash., who, on November 2, 1920, made Homestead entry No. 04691, for Lot 2, Section 31, Township 37N., Range 12E., W. Meridian, has filed a notice of intention to make Three Year Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of Superior Court, at Mount Vernon, Wash. on the 10th day of June, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses:
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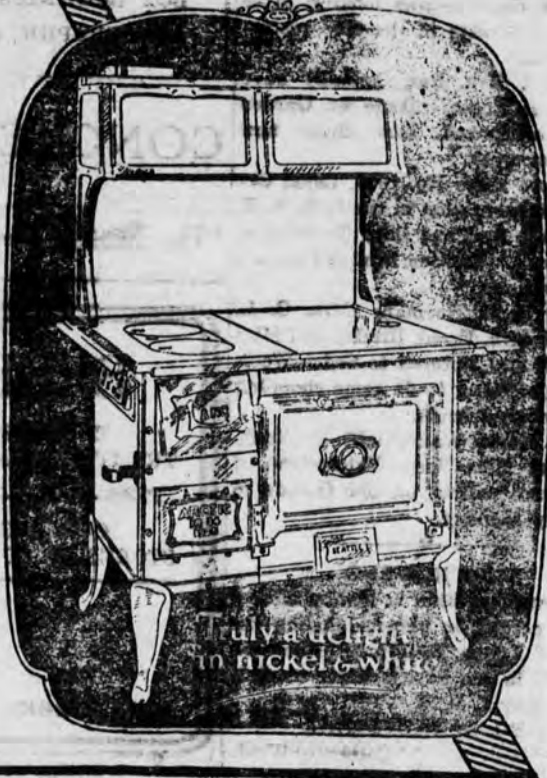


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GRADE SCHOOL NOTES

HELEN V. GREEN, Editor

Gladys Gray of the second grade, who has been absent for a few days on account of illness, returned to school Monday.

In a test in hygiene in the fourth grade room the first of the week Irma Ely, Una Clifton and Winton Gates turned in perfect papers and each of them was given a grade of 100.

Billy Whitnall made the highest grade, 98, in a test in English in the eighth grade the first of the week.

Olive Griffith of the seventh grade has made a mark of 100 in the daily arithmetic test for the past week.

The grade school baseball boys are anxious to find out who they will have to play for the county grade championship. There are ties in the other districts to be played off before the district winners can meet for the play-off. The boys would like to meet the teams from the lower valley before school closes.

The students of the seventh and eighth grades are very busy these days in getting ready for the state examinations, which will be held on Thursday and Friday of next week. They have been working hard and are hoping that all will pass.

SAUK

Mrs. Charles Barr entertained at a delightful party at her home Saturday evening in honor of the sixteenth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Lauretta. Games and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour, when a luncheon was served to the following guests: Hazel Moon, Pearl and Marie Wiseman, Muriel Larsen, Wilma Hauenstein, Bessie Hooper, Loverna Thistle, Mary Barr, Walter Murray, Charles Barr, Melvin and Floyd Thistle, Clayton Wiseman, Freeman String, Jack Barr and the honor guest.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhardt and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hauenstein motored to Sedro-Woolley Tuesday for a short visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Maria Shular, who is conducting a barber shop in Concrete, spent Wednesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Epp Shular.

Miss Mary Hillier, a student in the Hamilton high school, visited over the week-end with her mother.

Bert Pressentin of Rockport was attending to business affairs in this vicinity last Tuesday.

Miss Vera Wainwright was calling on relatives and friends in Rockport Friday afternoon.

Mrs. G. A. Thompson spent Tuesday afternoon at Rockport as a guest at the home of Mrs. Howard Christian.

Philip Moran, who is employed at the Puget Sound camp at Concrete, visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moran.

Miss Bessie Stafford is spending a few days this week as a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Kinkead, in Sedro-Woolley.

Miss Opal Dickey and Ray Stafford of Rockport were visiting with old friends here Tuesday evening.

Neil McLeod was attending to business matters and greeting old friends in Concrete Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. Wainwright has just returned to her home, after spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Gay, in Seattle.

Mrs. Richard Buller and daughters Florence and May of Rockport were shopping and calling on friends here Wednesday.

Miss Iola Barrett of Sedro-Woolley is spending the week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snyder motored to Bellingham Friday for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

CHURCH NOTES

CATHOLIC CHURCH

Second Sunday, Mass at 8:15 a. m.
Third Sunday, Mass at 10 a. m.

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W. S. THORNDIKE, Pastor
Services held every Sunday.
Sunday school at 10 o'clock.
Junior Endeavor, 3:30 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.
Topic: "The Use of the Bible."
Leader: Miss Donna Wilson.
Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.
Subject: "The Way Home to God."

\$100 REWARD

A reward of \$100 will be given to the person or persons recovering the body of Mack Parker, who was drowned in the Skagit River at Rockport, Washington, on April 17, 1926.

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CONCRETE WASHINGTON

In and Around Town

Mayor C. D. Stickley returned yesterday afternoon from a few days' business visit in Seattle. He reports that J. M. Phebus, manager of the Concrete theater, who is under a physician's care in a Seattle hospital, is improving very slowly and is still a very sick man.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gardner and children spent Sunday at Rockport as guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Truedell.

—You'll like "Our Favorite Relish." Telephone your grocer for it.

Mrs. Charles Wiseman was shopping and visiting friends in Bellingham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Clark and Mrs. Jack Snyder of Rockport were visiting relatives and friends in town on Wednesday.

—For Sale, mill wood from the Skagit mill at Lyman; a load of 2 ricks for \$4.75. Telephone K3.

Frank Ritchie was attending to business matters in Sedro-Woolley last Friday.

J. E. Metcalf and son Herbert and Huntley Gordon of Mt. Vernon were visiting with old friends in town over the week-end.

—For Sale, drop-head sewing machine, with attachments, all in good condition, for \$6; also an air-tight heater, with floor mat and stove pipe, for \$5.00. Phone East 35.

Miss Ruth Trueman of Lyman was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Larsen over the week-end.

Elmer Johnson, stenographer in the Superior office, was visiting relatives and friends in Bellingham over Sunday.

—For Rent, six room bungalow in East Concrete, Telephone Main 74.

Warren J. Gilbert, county prosecuting attorney, and Tip Conn, sheriff, drove up from Mt. Vernon Tuesday to look after some official business in this city.

Mrs. Carl Heritage was visiting relatives and friends in Seattle over the week-end.

—Farms wanted for cash. Describe fully and give your best price. C. Rollar, 1016 Sixth St., San Diego, Cal.

Carl Hanziker of Rockport was attending to business matters and visiting friends in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morris and son Weldon drove to Bellingham Sunday for a visit with friends, and also went out to Ferndale in the afternoon to take in the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sullivan of Ketchikan, Alaska, who have been visiting for the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burns, left the first of the week for Wenatchee, where they will visit with Mr. Sullivan's parents for a few weeks.

Mrs. Frank Greiner was taking in the Tulip festival and visiting relatives in Bellingham for a few days last week.

—Farmers, ship us your butter fat. Highest market price. Our butter truck calls at Concrete every Thursday. Leave your cream at Monrad's or the Superior Mercantile Co. and we will pick it up and save you express charges. Honest weight and honest test guaranteed. West Coast Dairy, Anacortes.

Mrs. I. B. Evensen was visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. White, in Sedro-Woolley over Sunday.

Alex Park, a well known farmer of the Sauk district, was looking after business interests in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Connally have rented the Reese cottage on Garden street and moved into their new home last week.

—Concrete lodge No. 1379, Loyal Order of Moose, meets in the I. O. O. F. hall on the first and third Tuesday of each month. Visiting brothers are always welcome.

Mrs. R. C. Norman, Mrs. G. L. Leonard, Mrs. Frank Ritchie and Miss Nettie Moore motored to Sedro-Woolley this morning to do some shopping and to visit friends.

Miss Marie Wainwright of Rockport and Miss Vera Wainwright of Sauk were calling on old friends in this city Monday.

\$100 REWARD

A reward of \$100 is hereby offered to the person or persons finding the body of Leona Kauffman, who was drowned in the Skagit River on Saturday, May 1, 1926.

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