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SEEN and HEARD ON MAIN STREET

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GENTLEMAN FARMER: A person who is so well fixed that he can waste his profanity on a golf ball instead of a bad-mannered cow.

A survey of the local rural areas reveals that most of the cows are cream-lined.

Percy Whiffletree, the shoe salesman, never asks a woman customer what size she takes. He figures it is easier to measure her foot than to argue with her.

The occasion was the history examination at school, and the question, "Give an account of the marriage laws of the Greeks." One youth's reply ran as follows:

"The marriage laws of the Greeks were something like our own. No Greek man was allowed to marry more than one wife. This system was known as Monotony."

Oscar Hassenpfeffer makes his living pulling the wool over people's eyes. He sells slip-on sweaters.

In a recent sermon on domestic peace, a preacher asked every woman to stand up who was willing to go home and mother her husband. Only one woman arose.

Thinking he might shame the others, he said to the one standing, "Tell them, sister, why you are going home to mother your husband."

"Mother him" she replied. "I thought you said smother him!"

And the only one who doesn't gamble on matrimony, says Dad Gummit, is the clergyman. He gets his money in advance.

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CLASSICS: Books. Also a safe place to hide something you don't want the family to find.

"The jig is up," said the doctor, as his St. Vitus dance patient died.

Employer: "Briggs, you've been a faithful employee of our firm for thirty years. To show our appreciation of your long service and unswerving loyalty, you will henceforth be addressed as Mr. Briggs."

Most of the time, says a Merchant on Main stree,t his employes get to work bright and early. On Monday morning, however, they just get there early.

Lawyer: "Have you told me the exact facts?"

Client: "Yes, and now it's up to you to twist them."

The height of usefulless: A wife going though the pockets of her unemployed husband.

Edna: "How did you get that mark on your cheek, Helen?"

Helen: "The boss had his pen behind his ear when he said good morning."

"All that I have I owe to one woman." "Your mother?" "No, my landlady."

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Irishman: A man who never turns his back to the wind when lighting his pipe.

Saxaphone players are born, not made, says a noted music critic. Just another argument for birth control.

"I'se been bit by a dog and I'se worried. Whenever a dog bites you, whatever the dog has, you get."

"Boy, then you got a right to worry. That dog just had eleven pups!"

Tie For First Gives Class Two Valedictorians

McGarry And McIntosh Tie In Scholarship— Record Class To Graduate.

The largest class ever to be graduated from the Concrete High school, will receive their diplomas at the commencement exercises to be held May 26th. Twenty-seven seniors are on the list as eligible for graduation.

The names of the graduates are Ray Barta, John Dillard, Winfield Durham, Fred Foss, Burdette Gregory, Bill Hatcher, Phil McGarry, Bernard Porter Frank Saltsman, Loren Scott, James Solomon, Allen Tingley, John Whitehair, Russell Wiseman, Charles Pennock, Alice McGarry, Victory McIntosh, Mildred Pressentin, Eleanor Robertson, May Tingley, Kathleen Van Cleave and Virginia Van Cleave, all of Concrete.

Esther Yeager and Harold Thompson from Sauk and Earl Hunziker, John Johnson and Martin Pressentin of Rockport complete the list.

Two Valedictorians

The 1938 commencement exercises will feature two valedictorians, an unusual occurance. Victory McIntosh and Philip McGarry tied for top scholastic honors, even when points were carried out into fractions, so rather than detract from giving them full honors for their work, the secondary honor of salutatorian was eliminated and they will each bear the title of Valedictorian.

Other speakers chosen for the graduation exercises are Martin Pressentin, Alice McGarry, Ray Barta and Bernard Porter.

School activities for the year are fast being completed, the 1938 year book "Yanica" was turned in for printing this week and the Seniors will give their last social event of their high school career next Friday evening, May 6th, when the Senior Ball will be held.

MAIL WILL ADVERTISE CASCADE DAYS HERE

As an added advertising stunt for Cascade Days, a special rubber stamp bearing a design similar to the poster used last year will be made and stamped upon all outgoing letters through the local post office during Air Mail Week, May 15th to 21st.

Postmaster Reynolds received word that similar cachet stamps were being planned for all cities who wished to use them, and that he would be permitted to secure and use one for Concrete. The design of the 1937 posters was selected.

The object of Air Mail Week is to stimulate use of air mail facilities by the average person. A special stamp will be featured during the week and use of cachets by different towns will make the letters of great value to collectors.

Upper Valley Women Win Prizes At Rug-Quilt Show

Many exhibits and interesting contests and programs were enjoyed by hundreds of women from different parts of the county at the annual Rug and Quilt Show given by the Skagit County Federation of Rural Women's Home Demonstration clubs at the city hall in Sedro-Woolley on Friday and Saturday, the purpose being for the benefit of the Orthopedic hospital.

Prize winners from this vicinity were: In the rug section, new art, the Needlecraft Club of Concrete, second prize; in cotton, the Needlecraft club, first. In new quilts—applique, Mrs. F. Shular of Rockport, first. Mrs. Hazel Brayton won a prize for miscellaneous pillows and Mrs. Ella Wilson of Concrete received first place for her sponge cake.

Mrs. James Corry who has been ill in the Rowley Hispital in Mt. Vernon returned to her home on Tuesday.

De-throning the Queen

Two New Teachers Signed For School

At a recent board meeting the teaching staff for the next term of school was completed. All teachers now employed will be back, as far as known now, and two new instructors have been chosen for the grade school.

Mrs. Selma V. Lindbeck, who has been principal of the grade building for several years voluntarily asked that she be relieved of this position. She will confine her work to teaching the first grade room.

Myrvin Dimmit of Snohomish has been signed as principal and he will also handle some of the teaching in different grades. The other teacher secured is Mrs. Zola Jordan, Birdsview teacher, who will have charge of one of the lower grades. Brown Wiseman will conduct his classes in the new grade school building, but will alternate his time between the high school and 8th grade.

The new building will provide a room for each grade and teachers will be able to confine all their time to students in their respective rooms.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Listed among the marriage licenses applied for during the past week is one for Miss Nora Buller and Henry C. Leggett, both Marblemount young folks.

DATE SET FOR FIRST COUNTY CONVENTION

The Skagit County Republican convention will be held in the City Hall at Burlington on Saturday, May 7, the first session to be called at 10:00 o'clock in the morning. The program will include an outside speaker who will deliver the keynote address.

A call has been sent to all precinct committeemen in the county instructing them to select delegates by precinct caucuses. A caucus for both east and west precincts of Concrete will be held at the City Hall here Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

At the county convention delegates will be chosen to attend the state convention to be held at Everett in June.

Raleigh Wiseman's Car Almost Gets Self Wrecked

The car of Raleigh Wiseman was slightly damaged Sunday evening when it backed from its parking place near the Post Office and rolled through the railing just west of the Herald office. The car was being driven by Henry Wiseman at the time and he was in the Post Office when it happened. The car broke through the railing but failed to go over the steep bank.

Wm. Woodworth is reported to be very ill in the Columbia Sanatarium in Seattle.

Rockport Resident Passes In Hospital

With all five of his children at his bedside, Harry Wainright, 59, passed away at the General hospital in Mount Vernon at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday morning. He had been ill for about two months and had just returned home from the hospital a few days when a decided change for the worse caused his family to rush him back again. He failed to rally and gradually weakened until death ended his fight.

Harry Wainright was born in Illinois in 1877 and came to the upper Skagit with his father, Sam Wainright, when nine years old. The family first settled at Sauk, the flourishing town of the upper Skagit. He spent the remainder of his life in this district, marrying Hattie Belle Ellison and raising a family of three daughters and two sons. He engaged in logging and also served for nine years as a county game warden.

Funeral services will be held in this city Friday at 2 p.m. from the Mt. Baker church, with Rev. James Corry officiating. Burial will be made in the Grasmere cemetery beside his wife who passed away two years ago.

Surviving him are his three daughters, Mrs. Geo. Morehouse and Mrs. Geo. Hunziker of Rockport and Mrs. L. Foskett of Seattle; two sons, Harry, Jr. and Roy of Rockport and one sister, Mrs. Emma Gay of Seattle.

Harry had a host of friends in the Rockport community, where he made his home, and was well known throughout the entire valley.

MRS. FRANK STICKNEY IS CALLED SUDDENLY

Mrs. Frank Stickney, taken ill and rushed to the hospital last week, died suddenly Monday evening at the Sedro-Woolley hospital of peritonitis. News of her passing proved a great shock to her many friends here and in other parts of the valley.

Funeral services were held at the Methodist church at Hamilton Tuesday afternoon, with Rev. O. Black in charge. Burial was made in the Hamilton cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Stickney was born at Osage, Iowa, January 29, 1880 and had been a resident of Hamilton for 17 years, moving to Concrete about two years ago.

She is survived by her husband, three children, Mrs. Alfred Elliott, Miss Dorothy Stickney and James Stickney of Concrete; her mother, Mrs. Geo. Douglass of Iowa and three sisters and one brother there. There are also five grandchildren.

Fifteen Years Ago In Concrete

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Walter Ross realized the pet ambition of every baseball player last Sunday afternoon when he walked to the plate in the last half of the ninth inning, the score tied two men out and the bases loaded. No, he didn't wallop out a home run, but he sent a measly little grounder through the infield that was kicked around long enough to allow two men to score, which won the game as well as a home run could have done. Incidently the Superior baseball team got revenge for the beating received at Rockport the preceding Sunday. The features of the contest were the fine pitching of Sam Bitonti, who struck out Brown Wiseman and Puget Faulk, two of the best hitters in the valley, and all around playing of Don Springsteen and Fred Baker. The Superior line-up was as follows: Pitcher, Sam Bitonti; catcher, Mitchell; first base, Springsteen; second, Patterson; third, Rupe Wetzel; shortstop, Ivy; outfielders Thompson, Ross and Baker.

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Allen Golden, a well known young man of this city, went to Mt. Vernon Wednesday and while in that city was united in marriage to Beulah Thompson of Mansfield, Arkansas. The bride came to the county from Shiprock, New Mexico, where she has been teaching in a government school. She is a charming young lady and will undoubtedly be given a cordial welcome by the people of the community.

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W. L. Connally is telling about a unique petrified tree that has just been found at the Andis bolt camp on Baker Lake. The tree is one that has been up-rooted for many years and the petrified part is about 40 feet in length. It lies about 40 feet from the shore of the lake, and one end has appar-

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Lions Win Ball Game In One Inning Drive

Defeat Sedro 8-4 In Moist Contest—Burlington Next On Schedule.

Concrete high school won it's first conference baseball game here last Friday from the Sedro-Woolley nine. The game was played in a steady, though light shower, which made playing difficult for both teams and resulted in a rather freakish outcome.

Sedro-Woolley gathered in eight hits, but scored only four runs. On the other hand Concrete got three hits and scored eight runs all in one inning. Sedro's pitchers were unable to control the slippery ball and walked eight men.

In the first inning it looked as if Concrete was in for a trimming as the Sedro 3rd baseman sent a grounder through the outfielder's legs for a home run on the second ball pitched. Another error let in another run, but after that the boys tightened up and played fine ball the rest of the game.

Concrete did all it's scoring in one wild inning when eight runs were counted through a couple of hits, some errors and having a couple of runs walked in by the Cub pitcher. Except for this inning the Sedro boys played a great game.

Whitehair was on the mound for Concrete, striking out 12 men and doing a nice job with his control of the wet ball. Ellestead and Lisherness shared chucking honors for the Cubs, striking out but two.

Thompson of Concrete smashed out a three-bagger during the afternoon, while Betchard of Sedro hit safely three times in four trips to the plate, getting a single, a double and a fluke home run.

Burlington Here Friday

This week the boys will play Burlington on the local field and hope to cut another notch in their bats toward the championship. The Burlington boys are the ones who upset Concrete's plans last year at the last moment. This year the boys aim to take no chances and are set for a hard game.

FISHING SEASON IS OPENED WITH BANG

Opening day of the fishing season proved to be a lot of fun this year, as almost everyone got a few fish and a number of limit catches were reported by the experts of the town.

Grandy Lake drew he largest crowd in it's history, with every boat taken and almost every log in the boom on the lake holding up one or more anglers. Few limit catches were made, but no one went home without a bite. Average catches were from five to ten fine trout, some running fairly good size.

Fishing at Grandy was enlivened by the usual "party" and the always expected exhibitions of fancy diving and swimming by too enthusiastic fishermen. A good time was had by all.

Limit catches were reported at Everett Lake, where fishing was good for those who knew the lake. Lake Shannon also furnished some fine sport for the regulars such as Mount, Wetzel, Ely, and other old friends of the lake.

Streams were a bit high for good fishing, although the Skagit did furnish some fish during the day.

FORMER PASTOR DIES

John Alexander, well known farmer of Sedro-Woolley and a former pastor in this city, dropped dead last week while at his work. Mr. Alexander preached here and at Acme from 1911 to 1917, when he retired from the the ministry and took up farming.

Mr. and Mrs. C. McIntosh and family left Saturday for Seattle where they will make their home. Misses Margaret and Victory McIntosh will stay at the Leonard Everett home until school ends.

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We have a pretty picture of the times in Mount Vernon at present, where a labor union personally calls the members of the city council to account for their actions as representatives of the citizens in passing a measure the union disapproves of. Because the councilmen acted as they believed best they are to be "boycotted" by all faithful union members and may lose some business. However, the situation brings up a show-down in which we will soon find out who is more powerful—vicious unionism or public opinion. If the public permits a minority group to threaten and intimidate authority by their narrow-minded and egotistical viewpoint, then dictatorship and facism is not far off. If the public backs up it's chosen officials and shows that they can serve without fear, then the country will be assured it's heritage of freedom.

It's not just a local problem, this attempt to rule and regulate everything from union headquarters. At the U. of W. we have the picture of a union questioning the right of the president and board of regents to run affairs of the University without instruction from union heads. If this procedure is allowed to go unchallenged the next thing you know Congress and the President will be told what to do and when to do it—or else, by a Green or Lewis. And what you and you want in the way of freedom will be read about in history books only.

We read of the congressman who made an eloquent speech asking pensioning of old army horses who have served faithfully many years. If this keeps up they may even get down to the jackasses who foot the bills for such ideas.

In spite of the perfection of movies, amateur theatricals have much appeal. Live actors, familiar faces will be a big drawing card Friday night when the Junior Class presents their play "Through The Keyhole.".

Politics opens up this week with the first call for precinct caucuses and delegates for the county convention. From now on every man for his party.

We wonder if the recent series of hospital cases, illness, etc. around here has anything to do with the plague of insurance salesmen lately.

As baseball season wears on it becomes apparent that the new grade school building should be equipped with shatter-proof glass windows.

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Birdsview News

Allan Good motored to Granite Falls Tuesday.

June Hudson of Avon spent the week end at the L. Dunn home.

The local school board met the Hamilton school board Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spurling are the proud parents of a baby daughter, born April 26th.

Mabel Good of Seattle is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Good.

Edith Brayton of Clear Lake visited at the H. E. Brayton home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dunn and Margie O'Donnell were shopping in Bellingham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Good of Seattle visited relatives over the week end.

Clarence Boynton of Chehalis is visiting with his brother, Earl Boynton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Wells and family of Anacortes spent Sunday at Vista Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F Brayton of Clear Lake were dinner guests of Gussell Gee Saturday.

Hazel Bloom of Kent spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bloom.

Miss Elaine Smith, Charles Pennock and Mr. and Mrs. Bossart motored to Baker Lake Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stephens and son Denny were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moore of Sedro-Woolley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ackerman and daughter Patty were dinner guests of Hazel Brayton Wednesday.

Pete Peterson went to Seattle Saturday, and Tuesday morning he left for Alaska with the fishing fleet to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stephens and Mrs. Pete Peterson were visitors at Mount Vernon and Sedro-Woolley Saturday.

Mrs. L. Sinclair, Eva Gilmore, Mae Richmeyer and Miss Nora Stephens attended the Rug and Quilt Show at Sedro-Woolley on Friday.

The Birdsview Grange baseball team played a double header ball game against the Rockport Grange Sunday. Birdsview won both games.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bloom, Montie Bloom, Lottie Frederickson and Gussell Gee were guests of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Swanson of Mount Vernon Thursday.

Visitors at the Sam Beck home Tuesday were Mrs. Martha Kell and daughter Bessie of Mount Vernon, Mrs. Kate Kirkpatric, Shas. Howard and Jack Roe, all of Lyman.

Lorraine Lempke, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Misslin and Joseph Kuenstle of Seattle and Mrs. Gechter of Santa Monica, Calif., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ormbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson entertained with a dinner Saturday evening in honor of the Bloom family. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Bloom, Hazel Bloom and Russell Bloom, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bloom and daughters Betty Jean and Beverly, Russell and Fay Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

The 4-H Clubs motored to Sedro-Woolley Saturday to attend the Rug & Quilt Show. Eugene Stephens demonstrated the making of a hot bed for plants and John Beck and Gerald Smith demonstrated a destroyer of cut worms. The local Economics club entered quilts, pillows and table cloths for which several prizes were awarded.

Monday evening a group of friends gathered at the J. H. Bloom home to say good-bye to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bloom and family, who left Tuesday morning for several months visit in the middle west and south. The ladies gave Mrs. Bloom a handkerchief shower and presented the family with a large thermos jug so that they would not get thirsty while in a dusty country. After an evening spent in songs and conversation the crowd enjoyed coffee and cake served by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bloom.

Oldest apple tree in the Northwest—112 years old—still bears fruit.

Among the passengers of a sailing boat that docked at Fort Vancouver, Wash., in 1826 was a young man named Aemillius M. Simpson. Greeting Dr. John McLoughlin, chief factor of the trading post, Simpson handed him a package of apple seeds which his sweetheart had given him in London.

Mr. McLoughlin planted the "love seeds" the next day, not far from the Columbia River bank. A tree sprang up, and today, 112 years later, that tree is still bearing fruit. It is located in the present military reservation of Vancouver Barracks, and may be seen from the Evergreen highway.

In the Superior Court of the State of Washington for Skagit County

SUMMONS
No.——

LUELLA WINTER, Plaintiff)
vs)
H. A. WINTER, Defendant)

THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
To the said
H. A. WINTER, Defendant—

You are hereby summoned to appear within sixty days after the date of the first publication of this summons to wit: within sixty days after the 21st day of April, 1938, and answer the complaint of the plaintiff and serve a copy of your answer upon the undersigned attorney for plaintiff at his office below stated; and in case of your failure so to do judgement will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint which has been filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court.

The object of this action is to secure an absolute divorce from you on the grounds of abandonment and non-support and to have the maiden name of the plaintiff restored to her.

JOHN W. BRISKY,
Attorney for Plaintiff
203 Pioneer Building,
Mount Vernon, Washington

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GRANDFATHER OF APPLE INDUSTRY

This is the oldest apple tree in the Northwest, grown from a seed brought from London in 1826, being inspected by Mayor John P. Kiggins and Mrs. Fay Peabody of Vancouver. Planted 112 years ago, a year after Fort Vancouver was founded by the Hudson's Bay Co., the tree still bears fruit and is the grandaddy of Washington's mighty apple industry.

County 4-H Boy Wins Trip To Washington, D.C.

James Christofferson of Clear Lake has been selected as one of the four delegates to Washington, D. C. from the state of Washington. Jimmie will leave for the capital about the middle of June. 4-H delegates from every state in the Union will convene there for one week for meetings, discussions, entertainment and tours. Meeting the president is also one of the events of the trip.

Jimmie has accomplished much in his ten years of 4-H club work. He not only has a fine farm and herd of cattle, but has won much recognition in the past. Two years ago he graduated with honors from Sedro-Woolley high. During his high school career he carried a Smith Hughes project for four years. He was a member of the winning 4H stock judging team at Portland a few years ago. Two years ago he was selected as the outstanding club boy in Skagit county and for this he won a trip to Chicago to the National Club Congress.

OLD AGE PENSIONS TO TAKE 10% CUT

A ten per cent cut in the total amount paid to pensioners in this county was announced this week to become effective for the month of May. The former amount paid in old age pensions was $21,000, and this amount has been reduced to $19,500.

Cuts were made in those instances where need was the least, and a majority of grants were reduced but in a few cases the pensions have been discontinued entirely, due to resources of the pensioner in the form of property, savings or children who could help them.

Aid to dependent children will also take a 12 per cent reduction and even the adminstration will be in line for a 20 per cent cut in funds.

No funds are available for helping able bodied persons, as all this has been taken over by WPA.

Notes

Miss Eleanor Reynolds of Seattle was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bergus Kern of Sedro-Woolley visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moore on Saturday evening.

Virginia Evensen, Fern Gregory, Bill Gregory and Elmer Leonard motored to Wickersham on Sunday.

Mrs. Miller and Frank Walton joined Mr. and Mrs. S. Miller and children Mary Louise, Bob, Art and Joan Matthews of Sedro-Woolley at an outing on Camano Island on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coone, who reside at Lake Shannon are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, born Sunday, April 24th at the home of Mrs. N. I. Wolbert. The young man weighed 9 pounds and has been named Robert Kenneth.

The Altar Society of St. Catherine's Church of this city, met at the home of Mrs. S. T. DeBolt at Birdsview Thursday afternoon. Fifteen members were present. After the business session lunch and a social hour were enjoyed.

—'25 Packard Light 6 Sedan. Good tires, terms, trades at Smiley's.

—Body and Fender work done reasonable at Smiley's.

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO IN CONCRETE

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ently been chopped off, and back near the butt of the tree it has been cut in two, apparently with a saw. The top of the tree, beyond where it is chopped off, is missing. The entire log is said to be solid stone, and while it is generally presumed that it takes several hundred years for a log to petrify, this one has apparently turned to stone within the past generation. The log is about five feet in diameter at the top and a little over six feet where it is sawed in two.

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George Moses, an Indian residing near Van Horn, was arrested the first of the week on a charge of beating his mother-in-law with a "two by four" timber. Moses is 45 years old and is employed by the Van Horn Shingle Co.

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Ralph Edwards, grandson of Mrs. Jane Bickford of this city and a former resident of this city, passed away in the San Francisco hospital on April 14. He was 23 years old. He is survived by his grandmother and three brothers, Clifford and Cecil Edwards and Charles Rice, and one sister, Helen Rice.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Bianchini are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born April 20. Mother and son are getting along nicely. Mrs. Bianchini was formerly Miss Theresa Frank of this city.

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Miss Myra Huestis, teacher in the Concrete school, slipped on the school grounds Thursday and sprained her ankle severely. Her injury was not serious but she will not be able to do much walking for a few days.

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The general strike called by the Industrial Workers of the World as a demonstration of sympathy for the so-called labor prisoners, resulted in the handicapping of the local logging camps to a slight extent, and the reports from other camps in the county are that the walkouts were in about the same proportion. Apparently the Puget Sound had on its payroll more I.W.W. workmen than the other camps, as it lost slightly more than half its crew, approximately 60 men answering the strike call. At the camp of the McNeill-O'Hearne company only one or two men quit, and other camps report only a slight loss from the strike. The Superior Portland Cement company appears to be free from members of the I.W.W. The strike was called throughout the northwest for the purpose of forcing the release of members of the organization who are in prison, by shutting down production by withdrawing labor from all industries. So far the strike in this community has appeared to be a failure.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace entertained Tuesday evening with a few tables of bridge.

Virginia Evensen was greeting friends and shopping in Mt. Vernon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gardinier were transacting business in Mt. Vernon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gates and children visited with friends in Mount Vernon Thursday.

Joe McDonald was attending to business affairs in Mt. Vernon on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. H. Hobbs of Mt. Vernon spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gates and family.

R. C. Reynolds and Clare Gates transacted business in Mt. Vernon Thursday.

Mrs. E. B. Ashworth and Rev. J. Corry attended the Presbytery in Sedro-Woolley on Wednesday.

The Needlecraft Home Demonstration Club met in the Women's Club room on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Porter, Mrs. Arthur Morehouse and children of Rockport were shopping in town Wednesday.

The members and friends of the Ladies Aid will meet in the church parlors next Thursday afternoon, May 5th. A pot-luck lunch will be served.

CHURCH NOTICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. J. Corry, Pastor

Sabbath School at 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Sermon topic: "The World In Confusion."
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship at 7:30 p.m.
Sermon topic: "God's Recovery Program."
You are invited to attend these services. A Sabbath well spent brings a week of content.
The attendance at the Sabbath School last Sunday was 103, keep it up. Mr. White's class will have charge of the opening exercises.
Christian Endeavor at the usual hour. Full attendance is requested and all young people invited.

CALVARY PENTECOSTAL
(American Legion Hall)
A. W. Landin, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a.m.
Evangelistic Service, 8 p. m.
District fellowship meeting on Monday, May 2nd at 8 p.m. Ministers from other towns and districts will be with us. Also many visitors from out of town. We are expecting an orchestra of fifteen pieces. You and your friends are invited to all our services.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Elmer Larsen of Sauk was greeting friends in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beulman and daughter Naoma of Eatonville were visiting with old friends in this vicinity recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlyle Gross and daughter Dolores of Everett were week end guests of relatives and also enjoyed fishing in this vicinity while on their visit.

10 Times As Far

In an error in recent issues an ad for the Concrete Nursery gave the location as 200 feet south of the depot. Martin Glitz, owner was in to correct this misprint this week by saying it should be 2000 feet. He says folks have been driving him crazy asking about his location. Herald want ads certainly get results.

—Renew your subscription to the Herald this month.

TRY
Monrad's "Our Best" Coffee
Fresh because we grind it right before your eyes
SILEX, DRIP, PERCOLATOR or BOILING
27c per pound
There is no substitute for quality. We have the nationally famous products you want. Not something "just as good".
Agents for
HEINZ 57 VARITIES, "KITCHEN QUEEN" Flour, and HAPPY HOME Brand Canned Goods
CARL MONRAD
PHONE 221

Sunny weather and more time out of doors gives the young appetites and edge that must be dulled occasionally between regular meal times.. A slice of Royal Bakery bread will do the trick, be good for them and not spoil their meals.
Fresh Every Day At THE ROYAL BAKERY, or at Your Grocers

ATTENTION
Fellowship Meeting
AMERICAN LEGION HALL, Concrete
Monday, May 2nd, 8 p.m.
Good Music A Good Crowd
Come Share A Good Time With Us

STATE BANK of CONCRETE
OWNED BY LOCAL PEOPLE
GENERAL BANKING
INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS AT 2 Per Cent
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NOTARY PUBLIC
DEPOSITS INSURED BY The Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation WASHINGTON, D. C.
$5000 MAXIMUM INSURANCE FOR EACH DEPOSITOR $5000

Tennis Shoes For The Family
BOYS and YOUTHS, ... 75c, 1.10 and 1.95
MISSES and CHILDREN'S ..... 75c, 85c and 95c
MENS and BOYS, Built-in arch 1.75
SLACKS and FARMERETTES, ... 1.00 and 1.95
SPORT SHOES TO MATCH, ... 1.75
LEE OVERALLS FOR BOYS!
—with your own brand burned in
95c and 1.00
CONCRETE DEPT. STORE
THE HOME OF HART, SCHAFFNER & MARX CLOTHES and FLORSHEIM SHOES
Concrete Washington

PRINTING AIDS BUSINESS

WITHOUT telephone, business would be greatly handicapped. And without commercial printing business would suffer the same way. One is as important as the other. If you need good printing, call 291—THE
CONCRETE HERALD

Big Dance At Bullerville
Every SATURDAY NIGHT

Admission—Women 35c, Men 40c
Chicken Noodle Supper, 25c Each

Well folks, spring is here. While we are a little crowded at times there is always room for one more couple, so join the happy family and be happy at Bullerville.

We especially want to thank the young folks of Concrete for their attendance at our dances. It makes us feel young again just to watch them enjoy themselves, so here's hoping we will see you all Saturday night.

R. BULLER

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Charles McGovern entertained the Mt. Baker Royal Neighbor lodge at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Goldman of Seattle were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Humphrey and children of Seattle were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dwelley from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Lanksbury of Seattle were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace. Gary Lanksbury, who has spent the week with his grandparents, returned home with them.

Classified Advertising

—Good used tires. Trades. Smiley.

—CHEV. 29-30 Sedan. New tires, runs good. Trades, terms. Smileys.

—BOARDERS, $1.50 a day. Pearl Johnson, back of Drug Store.

—MODEL T Pick up. Ruckstell axle, good tires. SMILEY'S.

—The Ladies Aid has a second hand range to sell. Anyone interested may call 337.

—30 FORD 1½ Ton Truck. Factory rebuilt motor. New tire, extra fine. Terms, trades. SMILEY'S.

—MODEL A Coupe. New motor. A nice little car. 19 in. wheels. Terms or trades. SMILEY'S.

—FOR SALE. Female spaniel, 6 months old. Fine breed for hunting. Alfred Hodgson, Okay Barber Shop.

—'27 Std. Stude Sedan. Good tires, runs good, new clutch. Terms or trades. SMILEY'S.

—Don't forget your Standard credit card is good at Smiley's. Standard gas and oils.

—BULLER BROS. LUMBER CO. has for sale for cash, Shiplap, siding and dimensionous, best grade at 20% discount on retail prices in truck load lots. This is fine new fir lumber. We sell to anybody, anywhere.

—Special Model A brake reline, 5 bucks at Smiley's.

ODD FELLOWS LODGE
Our greatest asset in life is friends. The Odd Fellows are a lodge of friends.
Meeting every Wednesday night at 8:00 p. m.

Rockport Items

The bridge club held their regular meeting today at the home of Miss Lily Olson.

Frank Porter and Jake Stafford were business visitors at Acme Saturday.

William Schwartz of LaConner spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Beadell have moved into their new house on Front Street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ness and Estes Payette were business visitors in Mount Vernon Tuesday.

Peter Martin from Seattle has moved to Rockport where he is employed each summer.

Mrs. Edward Clark entertained a number of young ladies Tuesday in honor of her daughter, Nola Dean's sixth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Buchanan and Elmer Ronalds were shopping and visiting in Bellingham Monday.

Vester Stafford, who has been visiting relatives here for the past month left Tuesday for his home in Spruce Pine, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gowan, who have been living at the Sound family camp in south Rockport, moved to Anacortes this week.

The Rockport Boy's Garden club held a meeting Thursday evening at the home of Frederic Martin to complete plans for a pie social to be held soon.

A large crew of Schulman Electric men are stationed in Rockport. They are building about six miles of steel towers south of town, extending toward Darrington.

The Rockport grade school won the baseball game from Birdsview Thursday afternoon 17 to 2. The Birdsview Grange soft ball team won from the Rockport Grange on Sunday afternoon.

A special meeting of the Cascade club was held Monday at the home of Mrs. Ray Hollingsworth. A special kit on better buying was shown and a silver drill was held for the benefit of the county 4-H delegate to Chicago.

Ralph Buchanan, who has worked for the forest service the past three years, left Sunday for Diablo where he will be stationed for a while. He follows the receding snow line north until mid summer his crew is along the Canadian line far above Ruby Creek.

The Cascade Club won first prize for appliqued quilts at the Quilt & Rug Show at Sedro-Woolley last Friday and Saturday. The pattern was a beautiful floral design of pastel shades appliqued on white. This is the third consecutive time the ladies of this club have won this honor.

Fifty Days for Airmail

The first airmail flight across the United States, made by Galbraith Rogers in 1911, took 50 days and 68 stops.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method of thanking our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy following the passing of Mrs. Stickney.

FRANK STICKNEY
AND FAMILY.

Local News

Thaddeus Stokes motored to Seattle on Monday.

Robert Gregg was transacting business in Edison Saturday.

Mrs. Leonard Everett was shopping in Seattle on Tuesday.

Mrs. Archie Griffith of Everett spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Ragan.

The Busy Bee Home Demonstration Club met in the Women's Club rooms Tuesday afternoon.

Charles Dwelley was attending to business affairs in Mt. Vernon and Sedro-Woolley Monday.

Mrs. Dorothy Scarborough of Seattle is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Johnson of Seattle were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lisherness.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Weber of Everett were Sunday guests of Mrs. Weber's mother, Mrs. Mary Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Ness and Estes Payette of Rockport were in town Monday evening.

Mrs. Harry Olson of Rockport spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Reynolds.

Mrs. Lawrence Foskett of Seattle is spending the week with relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Hockett and Mrs. Carl Heritage were Mt. Vernon visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Blesener were visitors in Mount Vernon on Saturday.

Earl Boynton of Lyman was attending to business affairs here Tuesday.

Mrs. S. R. McGowan of Mount Vernon spent a few days of this week at her home here.

Joe D'Amico, who has been employed at Everett, returned to his home here Saturday.

Miss Verna Mae Everett visited with relatives and friends in Seattle from Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Elkins were attending to business affairs in Seattle on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schwenk of Rockport were visitors in town on Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forrest of Anacortes were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard at Bear Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Hodgson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Duncan, Elmer and Donald Leonard motored to Bellingham Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Kinnamon are the proud parents of a son, born in Everett on Saturday, April 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armstrong of Seattle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley I. Green. Mr. Armstrong lived here when his father, Rev. Hugh Armstrong, was minister. He was recently married to the former Miss Marjorie Pride of Seattle.

Dr. Henry P. Swain is recuperating in the Rowley Hospital in Mount Vernon from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Bud Thompson returned home Sunday from the Burlington hospital where he has been securing medical attention.

Alfred Johnson of Big Lake was in town over the week end to help open the fishing season at Grandy Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leonard and Judith of Bear Creek spent Wednesday with Mrs. G. L. Leonard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McGowan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murr in Mount Vernon from Saturday until Tuesday.

Complete Information On Building Loans

Whether you want to build a new home, or remodel your present home, we can give you all information necessary and help you finance the job. Ask about it.

Lakeside Western Lumber Co.
Concrete, Washington
Let US Help You
PLAN FINANCE BUILD

Concrete Theatre

Look Over This Program For May

May 1-2—Double Feature—"Fight For Your Lady" and "Crashing Hollywood"
May 3-4—Double Feature—'Partners of the Plains' and "Night Club Scandal"
May 6-7—"The Great Garrick"
May 8-9—"You Can't Have Everything"
May 10-11—Ronald Colman in "The Lost Horizon"
May 13-14—"Adventurous Blonde"
May 15-16—"Love Under Fire"
May 17-18—"The Awful Truth"
May 20-21—"Penitentiary"
May 22-23—Jane Withers in "Wild and Woolly"
May 24-25—Double Feature—"Blonde Trouble" and "Hopalong Rides Again"
May 27-28—"I Met My Love Again"
May 29-30—"Goldywn Follies"
May 31-June 1—"I'll Take Romance"

Watch Next Issue for Re-Arrangement of Show Nights and Running Time!

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are
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EVERY DAY IS BARGAIN DAY

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Baby Derby

To the first baby born in Concrete or vicinity National Baby Week, May 1 to 7, or during the month of May we will give one Case of—

FOOD
HEINZ STRAINED

Our regular price

3 for 25c
98c a dozen

Salad Dressing *Nalley's Tang* quart **29c**

Bananas Beautiful Golden Fruit lb. **5c**
LETTUCE Solid Heads Two for **15c**
Asparagus Yakima Two pounds **15c**
Radishes Crisp Locals 8 bunches **10c**
EGGS Large Ranch Strictly Fresh per dozen **22c**
Sugar 10 lb. bag **53c**
100 pound sack 5.29

JELLO 6 Delicious Flavors pkg. **5c**
FLUFFO FOUR POUNDS **45c**
Post Toasties THREE for **14c**
MILK DARIGOLD Tall Cans, Case 3.29 **7c**
Fisher's Blend Flour 49 pound sack **1.59**
Tomato Juice DelMonte Tall Cans 4 for **29c**

COFFEE HILLS COFFEE TWO POUND CAN **49c**

MATCHES American Diamond carton **19c**
CRISCO Three pound can **49c**
Oxydol lrg. pkg. **19c**
Tree Tea *Black, lb. 69c* *Green, " 55c*
Syrup Sunny Jim half gal. **39c**

Peanut Butter Dandy 2 pound jar **29c**
HONEY Pure Clover 5 pound pail **49c**
COFFEE Full Value, ground to order lb **19c**
Fels Naphtha SOAP 10 bars **47c**
Crackers Sodas 2 lb. box **22c**