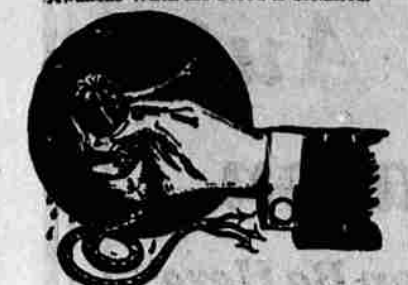


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ELGIN FARMERS AGAIN HAPPY

BETTER WEATHER INDICATED, PLOWING UNDER WAY.

Elgin Sawmill Industry at Is Full Blast This Spring.

Elgin, Ore., May 19.—(Special)—The weather which has seemed to have taken possession of the farmers of Elgin and the surrounding country, has brightened up, also the visages of the tillers of the soil. Although the condition of the ground will as yet not prevent plowing, and the sun keeping up to the record that it set for itself yesterday the ground will soon be dry enough to resume the work in the fields.

Sawmills in Full Blast.

The several sawmills which market their lumber via Elgin are running at full blast, with the exception of one, that will soon be in operation, are busy building roads and bridges and are anxiously awaiting the drying up of the roads so that they may begin hauling lumber. The Geo. H. Adams Co., who leased the Spencer Planing Mill, are at work making extensive improvements in and about the mill. They will install a new Berlin planer which will greatly increase their capacity.

High School Studen Hurt.

Jesse Witty, while hurdling at the school house Friday morning slipped and injured his left ankle. The sprain is a severe one, and making it much more painful and the recovery slower, a vain burted. He was play-

ing the leading part in the High School play, "Mr. Bob." On account of the sprain he was unable to play his part and George Renshadler, after hard study mastered his lines of leading man and the play was successfully rendered. The play was not an entire success from a financial standpoint, netting the school only a small sum.

Friday noon Mrs. C. E. Dudley received word that her uncle, Samuel Root, was dying. Mrs. Dudley left on the evening train.

Miss Clara Pepper, teacher of the seventh grade of the public school for the past year is spending a week with Miss Nora Parker of La Grande.

Miss Rose Zweifed is home after a two weeks' visit with friends in La Grande.

Friday evening Miss Grace Snook returned to her home in La Grande. Miss Snook has taught the sixth grade in the public school for the past three years. She will resume her duties as teacher of that same grade next year.

A. G. Smith was a La Grande visitor Friday evening.

Mrs. D. Sommer and Mrs. A. M. Oswald left Friday evening for Baker City. Mrs. Sommer will return Monday, while Mrs. Oswald will visit a few weeks with her friends in her old home. Mr. and Mrs. Oswald are recent residents of Baker.

Miss Hattie Spencer is spending the summer months with relatives in Portland.

Miss Anna Bergman, teacher in the Elgin high school for the past year, returned to her home in Astoria Saturday evening. Miss Bergman will teach again next year in E. H. S.

George Flagg, of the Recorder, visited the county seat town Saturday evening.

Dr. E. O. Wilson and family were passengers on the La Grande bound train Saturday.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Carrie Chapman Catt says that New York will grant equal suffrage in 1915.

Miss Sallie Holtzinger of St. Louis has won a prize of \$20 and a New Testament by attending Sunday school every Sunday for twenty years.

Although she can use only one hand, Miss Evelyn Webb, an Englishwoman, has been awarded the special silver medal of the London Academy of Music for piano playing.

Mme. Le Forest, the oldest woman in the employ of the French postoffice department, has been superannuated after forty-nine years' service. She was retired against her will.

Miss Grace G. Van Elselingen, the second woman in Holland to be appointed a police officer, studied law at the universities of Groningen and Leyden. She is now a third class inspector in the public morals police department.

Sporting Notes.

Michigan university's compulsory gymnasium squad numbers 858, a record for this kind of college athletic work.

The American regatta is scheduled to be held over the Henley mile and 550 yard course on the Schuylkill river, Philadelphia, on Saturday, May 31.

The New Zealand Amateur Athletic council wants the Canadian Amateur Athletic union to meet the Australian athletes in a track and field competition in the Dominion next December.

The Revere bicycle track at Boston, after twelve years of service, is being torn down and in its place will be erected a modern eight lap board track capable, it is said, of a mile a minute speed for motorcycles.

Stage "Fire Dogs."

Here is an instance which, for simon pure stupidity, has rarely been equalled, writes Mary Shaw in the London Strand. A stage manager sent a list of properties to a small place ahead, naming, among other things, "dogs for the fireplace." When the company arrived, late in the afternoon, they found six or eight curs lashed up in the theater, barking and yelping and tugging at their chains. The stage manager, not knowing what these canines were there for, took no notice of them, but began going over his "props." With the property man at his elbow he ran down the list, asking what he could get and what he could not get. Presently he came to the item and asked, "What about the dogs?"

"Well," answered the man, pointing to the yelpers, "these were all I could get."

The stage manager for the first time realized what the curs were for, but he didn't want to give the local property man away before the others, so he very seriously and critically inspected the dogs and then said, shaking his head almost sadly:

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