

Country Correspondence

From

All Over The Valley

North Santiam

The evangelistic services conducted by Revs. McAllister and Elliott the past few weeks were very successful, having a number of converts.

Mr. Woods was a business caller at Salem this week.

Ralph Spicer is now employed at Salem in Vyk Bros. garage.

Mrs. A. J. Chance was here from Portland for a short visit.

J. W. Ray made a visit to the capital city recently.

Our public school closed Monday with a successful term, with F. A. Myers of Salem as principal and Miss Clara Bowne of Aumsville primary.

Mrs. Albert Kiehlley and sons Leland and Willis of Mill City visited with home folks several days.

Rev. McGee, of Albany, will preach here Friday evening.

Lyons News

The farmers are hardly taking time to eat and sleep they are so anxious to get the crop in. Some of them are even seeding on Sunday, while the women are working the gardens.

Clyde Moulding and David Thompson left last Saturday for Ocean Falls where Mr. Moulding's mother and brother reside. Mr. Thompson will make an extended visit there.

Miss Edna Holder leaves Wednesday for her home at Liberty. She is primary teacher at Fox Valley. But on account of so many of the larger pupils leaving, the two rooms will be thrown together and Miss Brown finish the term.

Mrs. E. D. Thompson is spending a few days in Salem with her sister Mrs. W. E. Simons.

Frank Johnston made a business trip to Stayton.

Percy Hiatt is spending the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hiatt.

Grandma Maybee is visiting her daughter Mrs. Woodworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Monroe and two children, of Detroit, are visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. David Monroe.

Silver Creek Falls

Wm. H. English, of Coon Hollow, made a trip to his ranch here Sunday.

Frances and Fern Freeman, Addie, Loren and Ray Miles visited Shela and Wallace Neal Sunday.

Joe Pioser, of Sublimity, purchased a horse of Albert Rabens Thursday, April 25. Walking is good for those who like it.

A play will be given at the school house Saturday evening, May 5. Everybody come.

Merritt Freeman left last week for Burns, Ore., where he expects to remain the summer.

J. E. Kimsey is busy these days helping A. J. Hult put in crops.

Albert Rabens and brother Will make a trip to Sublimity Tuesday.

Union Hill

Miss Mary Peters visited the school Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Humphreys and baby were visitors at the G. D. Scott home Sunday.

Last week in speaking of our Parent-Teacher meeting we forgot to mention the kindness of

our merchants, Ditter, Bell & Co. who furnished the coffee for our lunch free of charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rabens are visiting at the Win Rabens home this week.

W. D. Hurt went to Beaverton Saturday to see his mother, who is very sick.

Vivian Heater is suffering from an attack of appendicitis and has had to quit school.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Peters visited at the J. Frank home Sunday afternoon.

H. A. Thomas and wife made a business trip to Sublimity and Stayton Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Hurt went to see her sister, Mrs. W. E. Tate, Saturday, and found her badly bruised and shaken up, as a result of a runaway Friday morning. In some way the shafts broke, frightening the horse, which ran away, overturning the buggy and throwing Mrs. Tate out. With the assistance of passers by the buggy was righted and the horse caught. The badly shaken and not a little frightened Mrs. Tate returned home safely.

Victor Point

On Saturday evening April 28 Miss Mae Peterson was pleasantly surprised when she opened the door and discovered a merry group of friends who had gathered in honor of her birthday. The evening was gaily spent in games and card playing. At a late hour dainty refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were served by Mrs. Peterson assisted by Mrs. Given. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Peterson, Mrs. Geo. Given, Mr. and Mrs. Curdher, Margaret Bertha, Frances and Martin Doerfler, Arleta, Gladys and James Given, Lois, Edna, Byron and Lawrence McElhaney, Ethel and Leona King, Maybell, Merle and Loyd Morley, Edith Fox, Hans Olson, Frank, Fred and Sadie Yost, Hazel, Fleeta and Faye Caspell, Alta and Lela Gilham, Charles Saplingfield, Harry Humphrey, Emma, Mae, Nellie, Andrew and Charley Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fisher were in Salem Monday.

Mrs. J. King and Mrs. P. Fischer called on Mrs. W. R. Jones Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Doerfler and Miss Frances Doerfler of Salem spent the week end at the M. Doerfler home.

Ava Slagel went to Salem Saturday.

Ethel King attended the teachers institute at Stayton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Darby are visiting with their son Clay, at Roseburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet McCrow and J. W. McCrow were guests at the A. Fischer home the first of the week.

Mr. W. N. Savage made a business trip to Salem Monday.

West Stayton

Mrs. Will Titus was a Stayton visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. Schieman called on Mrs. Stevens Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Ficklin and daughter Jean, of Stayton, are visiting at the Gunsaules home this week.

Mrs. Falrich visited with relatives at Geer over Sunday.

Mrs. R. VanNuzs returned home from Albany last Thursday where she had been visiting.

A large crowd from here attended the Parent-Teacher meet-

ing and closing school entertainment at North Santiam Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Canning were very pleasantly surprised with a telegram Saturday morning stating that Mr. Canning's only sister, who lives in Iowa, would arrive on the evening train to make an extended visit with them.

Miss Edna Holder left for her home in Salem the first of the week. Her school closed Tuesday. Miss Alta Brown will teach the primary grades the remainder of the term.

E. E. Trask and wife attended a surprise party at the B. Berringer home near Mehama Wednesday of last week in honor of Mr. Berringer's birthday.

Mrs. Inez King spent Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Geo. Johnston.

School Notes

The Sophomores now have the honor of having had the first picnic this spring. This momentous event took place Tuesday night after school on the Linn county side of the river. It was the anniversary of their Freshman picnic and they hope to be able to celebrate it again next year. For informing regarding the "EATS" see the sophomores.

Mabel Walker has returned to school after many weeks of absence on account of illness.

The high school boys met one day last week and organized a Base Ball team.

All shorthand students have passed the examinations so far which are necessary for the school pennant. Bessie Clow and Helen Staab having completed all the work and the others will finish in a few days.

Claire Thomas has entered the 8th grade from the Jordan school. Since that school is out he wishes to review here for the state examinations.

The May Day Program given

at the Institute was highly complimented by the teachers present. Each number was well rendered.

The Art and Penmanship display given in Mr. Hoffer's room April 28th was a complete success. The students have reason to feel proud of their efforts along this line.

The 5th grade is showing its patriotism by drawing U. S. flags and painting them. They have also learned the song—"Salute the Flag."

This is test week for the grades and every one is working hard to get out of taking the finals.

The work in Syllabication at the local institute last Saturday by the 2nd grade was a review of the work they have been doing in that line this year.

Several well built bird houses were on display in the primary room on Saturday. The pupils are at present very interested in that work.

Rock Point

Supervisors Kintz and Downing are preparing to start the rock crusher as soon as the weather will permit.

E. C. Downing sold a horse to a horse buyer from Salem this week.

John Heuberger spent Sunday with home folk.

B. T. Fresh motored to Salem Saturday.

Miss Nina Neer after spending two weeks at home returned to her work at the J. T. Hunt home.

Miss Willing who has been nursing Mrs. F. M. Fresh returned to her home Sunday.

Walter Garrison spent Sunday afternoon with Earl Downing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Downing called at the F. M. Fresh home Sunday afternoon.

Marion Hunt was a Salem

visitor Friday.

Frank Spenner and Jake Neibert were shearing goats in this vicinity last week.

Methodist Church

"Why The United States Enters The Great European Struggle" will be the sermon theme of the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday night, the service to begin at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30. Members of patriotic organizations and the public generally invited to hear this discourse on the burning question of the hour.

"The Work of the Holy Spirit" will be the topic for the morning hour.

Epworth League at 7 o'clock, Sunday school at 10 a. m. All services half an hour later than usual from now on during the summer.

E. B. Lockhart.

Red Cross for Stayton

A number of the ladies of the city have been busy for some time arranging for the establishment of a branch of the Red Cross in Stayton. Preparations are being made for a meeting to be held Sunday, the 13th, in the High School auditorium. A number of prominent people from Salem will be present.

A more complete program will be published next week.

Don't Forget

To put out that squirrel poison 25 and 35c cans, C. & W., Woodlarks and Red Dragon at Beauchamp's Drug Store.

R. C. Brewer who has been working for his father on his dairy farm, has been forced to quit on account of his health and return to his home on Fall Creek.