

## Parent - Teachers Close for the Summer

The last regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association was held Monday afternoon, May 18th.

Mrs. Charleton reported as chairman of the field day committee, that about \$50 in prizes and money had been donated and given as prizes for the athletic sports held May 1st. She had \$7 in cash left, which sum was voted an athletic fund to be used later for the public schools.

The reports of the secretary and treasurer showed that this organization had raised and used for the school more than \$100. It will be remembered that the tag day money was all spent for much needed books in the different grades.

Besides being of this material benefit to the schools, this organization has brought the mothers and teachers into closer relationship and started a movement of co-operation which has been of great benefit to our schools.

The program for the afternoon was unusually good. The songs by the seventh and eighth grades showed that these pupils had been well instructed in music during the past year. The four parts were taken by different groups of pupils. In the second song Prof. Lewark sang the solo while the pupils hummed the different parts.

Mrs. Winnek gave a paper on "Good Employment for Children During Vacation." This was followed by further suggestions on the same subject by Miss Hubbard. Both of these talks contained many helpful suggestions.

Mrs. Dishman who was programmed for a selected talk gave a most excellent paper on "Mother and Home." It was unanimously voted to have it published in our city papers.

Miss Pratt gave a short impromptu talk on "How Help Children Grow into Happy Contented Boys and Girls."

Mrs. Claypool gave a short talk on "How Help Children Form Habits of Tidiness and Cleanliness." This was followed by further remarks by Miss Jeffries.

Mrs. Belknap and Miss Hewes were elected to represent this organization at the State Parent-Teachers' Association to be held in Portland this summer.

On motion the secretary was instructed to write resolutions of appreciation to the outgoing teachers for the excellent work they have done during the past year.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Edwards.  
Vice-president, Mrs. Shattuck.  
Secretary, Mrs. R. E. Gray.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Cooper.

## Music and Art Department Hold Meeting

The music and art department of the Ladies' Annex met in the club rooms recently. There was a majority of the members present and they showed much interest and enthusiasm in the different artists and musicians studied. Each member present spoke of her favorite English artist and gave her reasons why. The following papers were read:

English Musicians, Mrs. Clifton.  
"Lanser and His Work," Mrs. Kayler.

"Puris De Chevannes, the French Artist," Mrs. C. M. Elkins. Mrs. Douglas played a beautiful transcription of Sidney Smith's "Sing, Smile, Slumber."

## John McPherson Will Have New Trial

The supreme court has reversed the decision of the lower court in the case of the State of Oregon vs. John McPherson, charged with the larceny of a mare from George Millican.

The case of Dick Garrett, charged with the larceny of a steer on Willow creek, was affirmed.

## Hensley Boy Has Very Narrow Escape

The little Hensley boy came nearly being crushed under the wheels of a load of gravel the other day. The drivers of the teams hauling gravel on East F street have had lots of trouble in trying to keep the youngsters off the wagons but could not do so. The Hensley boy quietly got on the brake-beam of Clyde Kinder's wagon for a ride and was thrown under the wheel. Kinder heard cries for help and stopped his team in time to prevent the wagon from going entirely over the youngster. The wheel caught the boy in the thigh but was backed off before going very far. Dr. Hyde examined the injured lad but did not find any broken bones. His leg is badly swollen but otherwise the youngster is not hurt.

## Siwashes Swipe Some Breese Wool

Ralph Breese, who lives on Combs Flat, had just finished shearing and piled his wool at a convenient place for sacking. Some Indians came along and helped themselves during the night. They were suspected by Breese and when he notified the sheriff of his loss he told him of his suspicions. The sheriff rounded up the Siwashes and the missing wool was found. Just what will be done with the five Indians is the next question. They are now camped in town.

## J. C. Houston Gets 15c for His Wool

J. C. Houston of Roberts was in town Tuesday. He has just finished lambing. From 1250 ewes he got 1120 lambs. He says that this is the best season he ever experienced in this or any other country for sheep. The grass has been excellent, the winter mild and the price fair. He contracted his clip at 15c delivered at the railroad. Last season he got but 11½c. He will shear at the railroad while on the way to the summer range.

## Destructive Beetle About Destroyed

The work of "insect control" has been taken up again by the forest service in the Badger Creek watershed on the Ochoco National Forest. Only a comparatively small amount of work will be done this spring.

The purpose of this control work has been primarily to determine whether or not insect infestations of this character can be controlled by artificial means, the results accomplished to determine the practicability of undertaking this work on other forests where similar infestations exist as well as to determine the best methods of controlling infestations of this character.

The control work done in the Badger Creek watershed during the past two years has been very encouraging and has resulted in stopping the damage almost entirely. The purpose of the work this spring will be to treat the few remaining infested trees, principally around the outskirts of the infestation, in order that the whole watershed may be as completely rid of the beetles as is possible.

For the remaining part of May we will give double Brown Trading Stamps for all cash purchases made for lawn mowers, rubber and canvas hose, fly screen and swatters.

O. C. Claypool & Co.  
Gasoline Engine Cheap  
2½ h.p. Fairbanks-Morse. For sale cheap for cash. Inquire at Journal Office.

Horses for Sale  
Forty head of good work horses, 4 and 5 years old, for sale; weight from 1050 to 1200 pounds. Will be sold at right prices. G. H. Russell, Prineville, Or. 3-5

Lost  
950 pound bay saddle horse, branded H bar on shoulder, white star on forehead. Finder please notify Homer Russ, Forest Supervisor, and receive reward. 5-14 1m

## How Our Teachers Will Spend Vacation

Prof. and Mrs. A. T. Lewark will leave Saturday for Richmond, Virginia, where they will make their future home. They have both been offered good positions in schools near Richmond. They expect to cover the entire distance in their Ford car which they used in coming from Indianapolis to Prineville two years ago. They will go south to San Francisco then east by way of the Pacific highway.

Miss May Hewes will leave Saturday morning for her home in Albany, where she will spend her summer's vacation. This young woman was chosen as one of the delegates to represent the Prineville Parent-Teachers' Association which meets in Portland this summer.

Miss Cassidy will leave Friday evening for Portland and will later visit friends in Salem. In early June she is to accept the very delightful position of teaching one pupil instead of many.

Miss Pratt will leave the last of the week for her homestead near Post.

Miss Hubbard will leave Saturday for her homestead near Grandview. She expects to remain on her land next year that she may make final proof. She is planning an extended trip abroad as soon as she has finished with her homestead.

Miss Evans will leave Friday evening for Portland where she will be joined by an old school friend and together these young ladies will visit San Francisco, Denver and Chicago. They will then go to Miss Evans' home in Kansas City where she will be married in early June.

Miss Jeffries expects to spend the first part of her vacation in Prineville.

## Mrs. Shipp Entertains the Teachers

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. J. B. Shipp gave a five-course luncheon to the teachers of the Prineville public schools.

It was a spring luncheon, as the teachers realized when they were ushered into the dining room and saw a beautiful miniature spring surrounded by water cress and other seasonable greenery resting in the center of the large dining table.

The idea of spring kept suggesting itself on every side from the delicious spring chicken and other seasonable delicacies to the close of the meal when each guest was asked to bring some pleasantry upon another member. Many were the delightful little surprises and personal jokes sprung at that time.

At the close of the afternoon the hostess had a picture taken of the guests as a pleasant remembrance of the occasion.

The teachers, with one voice, sing the praises of Mrs. Shipp as a fine cook and delightful entertainer.

## Miscellaneous Shower for Miss Evans

Miss Evans was the honor guest at a shower given at the home of Mrs. Belknap last Tuesday evening. This young woman has made many friends during her two years' stay as teacher in our public schools and it was a pleasure for her friends to express in a small way their appreciation.

Many useful and dainty gifts were showered upon her through the aperture of an old umbrella and she took much pleasure in reading the many good wishes and appropriate verses that accompanied the presents.

The Misses Stearns played a duet and Mrs. Belknap gave a short talk to the bride-to-be on the "do's" and "don'ts" of married life. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

## LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. Philliber left today for The Dalles.

Earl Wurzeiler of Portland is visiting friends in Prineville.

W. Bysel has joined the "insect squad" of the forestry service.

Rev. Prater and his boy scouts are going tomorrow for a week-end camp down Crooked river.

Mrs. George A. Paddock of Fife passed through Prineville Wednesday on her way home from Seattle.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet in the assembly room of the church Thursday, May 28, at the usual hour.

Henry Dabney, a classmate of Vernon Bell at Stanford University, was the guest of Mrs. M. H. Bell this week. Mrs. Bell received a large box of choice roses from the Dabney home in Portland today.

The Junior play given last Thursday evening was a big success. The Club Hall was crowded and extra seats had to be provided. Every part was well taken and these young people received many deserved compliments for their good work.

## Spelling Contest.

The monthly spelling contest between the grades of the public school resulted as follows:

Eighth B, Mr. Lewark, principal, 98½.  
Fifth, Miss Hubbard, teacher, 96 17-19.  
Seventh, Miss Hewes, teacher, 95½.  
Sixth, Miss Cassidy, teacher, 92 2-7.  
Second, Miss Evans, teacher, 91½.  
Third, Mrs. Lewark, teacher, 88.  
Fourth, Miss Jeffries, teacher, 85 17-19.

Spring Millinery.  
My line of stylish spring millinery is now on display. Fresh weekly shipments received to keep the line complete.  
3-19 GERTRUDE PALMER.



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How many times have you lost a receipt? How many times neither debtor or creditor could remember. If your wife pays all her bills with CHECKS, she has a RECEIPT for every one of her bills. It saves a lot of time and trouble for your wife to pay her household bills that way, and we are helping her to keep her accounts straight and to ECONOMIZE.

Make OUR bank YOUR bank.  
We pay four per cent interest on Time Deposits.

## CROOK COUNTY BANK, Prineville

## LOCAL MENTION

Public school closes this week for the summer vacation.

Regular services at the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Rev. Harper held services at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening.

James Elkins returned from his visit to California last Thursday evening.

Dr. Edwards reports that Mrs. Willis Stacks of Lamonta has a very bad attack of spotted fever.

Mrs. Grant of Lamonta, who has been visiting her daughter and friends left for home last Friday.

Dr. W. E. Thompson, Columbia River Conference Sunday School missionary, will preach at Grimes' Chapel Sunday at 3 p. m.

Deputy Sheriff Van Allen, J. R. Bell, Addie Foster and Ralph Jordan composed a fishing party Saturday afternoon that went to the Lower Metolius. They report fishing good.

John Stevenson and William Hughes have bought the E. H. Smith harness business. Both are practical men. Mr. Stevenson formerly worked for Mr. Smith and is familiar with the business.

## LOCAL MENTION

Wm. Morse of Lamonta was over on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Rob't. Zevely and family left Sunday for a visit to Portland.

W. H. Kamstra and wife left Tuesday for Roberts, California, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McCue of Prineville Friday.

The regular services at the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening.—John E. Williams, pastor.

Dan Heising of the Midway Ranch on the Metolius, wishes us to announce that his well-known fishing resort that was burned down last winter is now rebuilt better than ever to accommodate the public.

B. F. Nichols of Laidlaw is visiting friends in Prineville. He is a remarkable old gentleman. Hale and hearty at 89 years. Intellectually he is as keen as he was half a century ago.

The Socialist county convention for Crook county will meet in Stewart Hall, Prineville, Saturday, June 20, for the purpose of nominating a county ticket and transacting such other business as may properly come before it. Read the call elsewhere in this paper.

# CLOSING OUT!

We are closing out our entire line of Deering Harvesting Machinery, including 5-foot New Ideal Deering Mowers, and 6, 7 and 8-foot New Ideal Deering Binders. If you are in the market for harvesting machinery for the coming season do not fail to get our prices. We carry repairs for all Deering machines. Orders for machinery and repairs taken at O. C. Claypool & Co's store.

## O. G. Adams & Co

PRINEVILLE 5-21 OREGON

## Take a Tip From Old Diogenes

By MOSS.

PLATO having a couple of thousand years ago defined man as a two legged animal without feathers. Diogenes (the chap who went around in the daytime with a lantern looking for an honest man) plucked a rooster and took it into the academy where the ancient philosophers discussed everything under the sun and said, "This is Plato's man." On which account this addition was made to the definition: "With broad, flat nails."

We all admit that old Diogenes was a pretty smart Greek, with a fine sense of humor. If he lived today he wouldn't have to use his lantern among daylight newspapers to find an honest advertiser. **SUCCESSFUL ADVERTISERS MUST BE HONEST.** Dishonesty doesn't pay in advertising or in anything else. No daylight paper wants to have anything to do with the space buyer who deliberately tries to fool the public.

But, coming back to Plato's modified man, the moral of that story is: Be exact. Be specific. Don't overlook the details.

Do you watch the ads. in this paper CAREFULLY enough? Do you keep posted on the details? Do you make it your business to read them with EXACTNESS?

DON'T SKIP THE "BROAD, FLAT NAILS."

Strayed  
Brown pony, branded X (lazy H) on left shoulder; glass eye; white in forehead and on feet. Last seen at McCallister ranch, Crooked river. Notify Rev. J. E. Williams and get pay for trouble. 5-21

Bids for Wood Wanted  
Notice is hereby given that bids for 80 cords of four-foot body pine or juniper to be delivered at the Crook County High School, Prineville, Oregon, on or before Sept. 30, 1914; and also for 100 cords body pine or juniper to be delivered at the courthouse, Prineville, Oregon, on or before Sept. 30, 1914, will be received by the undersigned.

Bids must be filed with the county clerk on or before July 1, 1914. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

WARREN BROWN,  
County Clerk.

For best quality milk, cream, butter and buttermilk 'phone Wm. S. Ayres. 4-30-14