

CLACKAMAS COUNTY NEWS

Elwood.

Spring is with us, people are about through seeding and have commenced making gardens.

Miss Edith Freeman, of Harmony, was over visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Zella Park has gone to William Falls to stay with her sister, Mrs. Eva Maplethorp, this summer.

Marve Park has moved over on his new farm near Rocky Point.

Mr. Ed Dibble and son made a trip to Oregon City one day last week.

Mrs. Grindstaff is ill.

W. T. Henderson has his garden ploughed and a few potatoes planted. Apr. 17.

SALLI V. ATE.

Redland.

We are glad to hear that Oscar Behmer is improving.

Mr. Heinz was out from Oregon City and spent a night with L. Funk and put in some time fishing. He had the usual fisherman's luck; got a "baker's dozen". It is the first time in the writer's experience that he has seen fish hauled off a fir limb, and a fisherman climbing to catch it.

Notices are out for sealed bids for constructing a board fence for the graveyard. At the meeting held last week James Fulam, John Richardson and Geo. Hincinbotham were elected trustees, and Louis Funk secretary and treasurer.

Quarterly meeting of the Viola circuit M. E. Church held its meeting in the Redland church, Bro. Waters, of Salem, presiding. There was a good attendance and it was a splendid meeting all around. The next meeting will be held at Viola.

Mr. Behmer is acting postmaster until his petition can be acted on.

John J. Bargefield has sold his team to Dineinger as he had not enough work for them.

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Oswego.

Mrs. Zimmerman has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Pollock.

Rev. Shannon has moved into Mr. S. C. Baker's house.

Mr. Charles Pauling has moved his family from Portland to Oswego again.

Mr. George Johnson has improved sufficiently to leave St. Vincent's hospital and return home.

A baseball game between Oregon City and Oswego was played here last Sunday, Oregon City scoring 18 and Oswego 10.

Monday morning Mr. Thomas Fox was kicked in the chest by one of his horses, but, fortunately, was not seriously injured.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Quann, of Vancouver, B. C., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Evans, on their way home from California.

Miss Annetta Pauling, who has been quite ill for some time at St. Vincent's hospital, was taken out to her home in Oswego a few days ago.

Sunday afternoon a Sunday school was organized at the Congregational church by the Rev. D. B. Gray and Mr. O. Eaton, to be held every Sunday at 2 o'clock P. M. Miss Laura Evans was chosen superintendent and Mrs. J. B. Heninger secretary.

Carus.

A very pleasant gathering was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. London last Saturday, on the occasion of the birthday of their daughter, Sarah E. London. Those present were: Mrs. M. E. London, Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Mrs. J. J. Guy, Mrs. Lewis Gardner, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. J. W. Jones, O. B. Byland, M. E. London, Misses Cora and Eva Jagger, Clara and Elsie Guyer, Maggie, Lizzie and Mary Lewis, Winnie and Bertha Howard, Mary and Bessie Moon, Sarah, Sadie and Bernice Jones, Bertha Spangler, Echo Spence, Vada Faust, Jennie Davis and Bessie Ingram, Masters Clyde Jagger, Elbert Jones, Robbie Richardson, Willie Davis, Johnnie Davis, Lawrence Gardner, Henry and Charlie Guyer. Miss Sarah was the recipient of many valuable presents from parents, friends and schoolmates. After partaking of an excellent dinner, some of the children went into the woods to gather wild flowers, while others engaged in various sports, all enjoying themselves as only children can.

Mrs. J. B. Lewis has purchased an organ for the use of her daughter, Maggie.

Robert Jones and family, of Nebraska, are visiting with the family of Davy Jones, of this place.

Lithe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hornschub, has been quite ill with pneumonia, but is now on the way to recovery.

Preparations are being made by the ladies and others interested to have a grand time at the closing of school two weeks hence.

April 18. B.

Maple Lane.

Mrs. N. W. Richards is quite poorly, so bad that they sent for her daughter, Mrs. Jennings, of Sellwood, Friday, to come up. She has heart trouble and finds it difficult to keep anything on her stomach.

John Darling's daughter, I am glad to say, is improving.

Clay Green has left us, moving onto Mrs. Green's father's place, and Mr. Bellmore has moved into the house vacated by Mr. Green.

Lawrence Mantz has finished his school in Portland and is home cutting wood with Myo Brayton. One afternoon last week they cut and put up four and a quarter cords in a little over five hours.

Messrs. Swick and Seiver gave an entertainment in our school house Friday night with a stereopticon and phonograph. The first part was views of the Cuban war. The scenes were good, but the lecture could be improved by boiling down about three-fourth or more. The moving scenes were good, but the phonograph had the asthma very badly, so badly, indeed, that it was painful to listen to it.

Myo Brayton sold one of his horses Saturday to Mr. Johnson, of Bolton.

April 18. B.

Logan.

The weather has been very favorable for growing crops of all kinds during the past few days.

The heavy frost last Wednesday night did some damage to fruit buds.

The quarterly meeting of the Clackamas county Pomona Grange was held at Harding Grange hall last Wednesday and was well attended by grangers from different parts of the county. Several grangers from Multnomah county were present. The meeting was interesting and profitable to all present. The next meeting will be held at Springwater on the second Wednesday in July.

Dr. J. W. Thomas of Molalla, was the guest of L. H. Kirchem last Wednesday evening. Dr. Thomas visited the Lower Logan school while here and favored the teacher and pupils with an interesting address on dentistry.

Fred Moser intends to build a new barn this summer.

Philip Kohl is improving his farm by disposing of some large fir stumps and roots.

A. Swales is setting posts for a new plank fence along the road in front of his residence.

Mrs. A. J. Johnston received a letter last week from her husband, who is at Fort Wrangle, Alaska, stating that he is in excellent health.

Mrs. B. Fallert paid the county seat a business visit last Friday.

A lady from Portland is keeping house for George Clark and son.

Miss Emma Gill, of Oregon City, spent several days with her parents here last week.

Mrs. Ella Babler, who has been under the weather for several days, is improving in health.

Miss Louise Balsmier is home on a visit.

Peter Wilson has rented his farm to his son, Frank, and will take a much-needed rest.

Samuel Gerber, Jr., of Viola, is working for his uncle, Henry Babler, while the latter is in Alaska.

Mrs. Bessie Reed is stopping with her sister, Mrs. Marsh Frakes.

April 17. TWILIGHT.

Mountain View.

Trout seem to be rather scarce this spring. They fail to bite, any way.

Miss Peabody and Retta Pierce went fishing last Saturday afternoon.

W. H. Savage and family went to Lafayette, Yamhill county, last Saturday to visit their parents, and returned on Sunday.

Orange Barbur moved his family out to his place near Woodburn last Monday.

Harvey Hickman is out again, after an illness of two weeks.

Miss Phillips, of Portland, was visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. Bacon, last week.

F. M. Darling is teaching out on Eagle creek this spring.

Mrs. Elmer Cooper made a business trip to Portland Monday.

Mr. Thompson has greatly improved his place by building a paling fence across the front and removing the old fence, opening the street to its full width. He has also erected a handsome veranda on the front of his house.

There will be preaching at the church next Sunday at 4 o'clock by Rev. Boller, lately from Astoria, of the Congregational church. SALINA.

April 19.

"Money to patent good ideas may be secured by our aid, address THE PATENT RECORD, Baltimore, Md."

New Era.

We can boast of fine weather now even if the roads are muddy.

Miss Alice McArthur and Katie Newbury visited Oregon City this week.

Miss Josie Shefchick has returned home from Portland after visiting her sister for some time.

Master Wilbur Nebury made a trip to Oregon City on his wheel Friday.

Master Antone Shefchick made a trip to Oregon City on his bike Friday last.

Mrs. K. Reif and Mrs. J. Reif visited Oregon City last Saturday.

A grand ball was given in Anthony's hall Saturday evening last. Good music was furnished, and they all enjoyed themselves.

Misses Anna and Julia Shefchick visited Oregon City last week.

There is no need of frogs croaking for water, for the river is rising rapidly.

Boys, have all your tin cans ready, for there is going to be a grand wedding in the home of —

Mrs. Wells and her little granddaughter, Bessie, went to Portland on a visit this week.

The New Era young ladies are all getting the bike fever.

April 16. THREE LITTLE GIRLS.

Damascus.

Well, well, the people have not heard from this locality of late, and in fact not much has happened of late to mention.

The fall-sown grain is looking well. Most of the oats are sown.

Quite a severe frost visited here last Thursday, but did but little damage.

The Rock Creek Sunday school has a large attendance of late and is in a prosperous condition. A delegation attended the county convention held at Harmony last Thursday and reported a very interesting meeting.

Rev. G. P. Rich, of Kelso, preached a splendid sermon to a well filled house at Rock Creek Sunday. He understands his theme. Come every third Sunday and see.

Chas. Mull and family, of Sunnyside, were in our midst Sunday.

Several of the Sunnyside boys were up to Sunday school. Come again boys and start earlier.

A. M. Lovelace and family moved to Sunnyside, Portland, last Thursday.

John Deardorff and wife were over from Happy Hollow to hear the preaching Sunday.

Delia Newel is home again for a short time.

Albert Derry has sold his interest in the farm to his brother and has gone to Portland to live. His genial countenance will be greatly missed.

C. B. Hunter was seen in our midst last Sunday.

A. C. Newel leaves this morning to travel in Washington for the Western Yeast Co., of Portland.

Apr. 17. X

Cherryville.

We are having fine weather and cherries are in bloom.

There was a hard frost last Thursday morning; cannot tell how much damage it did to fruit until later.

Considerable gardening is being done this nice weather.

V. B. Tapp has dried fruit.

Mr. Strubbe and family, from near Sherwood, moved onto the Crane place this week. We are glad to welcome new comers to Cherryville, and hope that others will find their way up here.

Claud Baty is in Portland working in a sawmill.

Arbor day was observed by the Cherryville school by burning some of the trash on the school grounds.

George Flynn is getting out timber for a new picket fence around his garden.

April 15. JACK FROST.

Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. Doty gave a party to their many friends in Bolton last week. Songs, recitations and games were indulged in by all, after which a splendid lunch was served, consisting of coffee, cake and ice cream.

Edward Johnson, Jr., sold his horse and lot to Frank Doty. Mr. Johnson will make his home with his father-in-law during the summer.

The Literary Society feels proud of its team for winning the second debate from the Oregon City boys; and well they may be, for the boys had a hard team to go against, and in their own home, and yet our boys received all the votes.

Miss Kate Hoffman is stopping with Mrs. Block, in Oregon City, for the present.

Claud and Clyde Hughes have a rooster that they take great pleasure in showing to their friends. They have taught him many tricks. There is no doubt but he is a cracker jack.

Misses Lena Barner and Edith Heints and Mr. Henry Schink, of Oregon City, were visiting friends in Bolton last Sunday.

April 18. JULIA.

Sunnyside.

Sunshine and shower, but the showers prevail at present.

Farm work is going on as fast as the changeable weather will permit.

Orchards are in full bloom, and unless Jack Frost visits us too often there will be an abundant fruit crop.

Born, on April 12th, to the wife of G. W. Johnson, a nine pound boy.

Mr. J. S. Owen, of Albany, has been staying with Mr. W. T. Cotty the past week.

Miss Clara Cotty has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Grace Leabo, at Astoria.

Mr. Karr and family, of Harmony came up Sunday to visit their daughter, Mrs. A. Johnson.

Frank E. Griffith, who has been working at Kelso, Wash., for some time, made his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Griffith, a short visit last week.

A free lecture was given at the school house on the evening of the 17th by Professor Griffith, of Portland; subject, "Phrenology in the school room."

Perry Hunter has bought a new bicycle.

Everett Hubbard and Herman Oelschlaeger started for the Buckley, Wash., logging camps on the 17.

Ed Nelson is buying some of his land cleared.

Mrs. Mary Young has bought a pony from J. E. Deardorff.

Our new preacher, Rev. Mr. Lease, of Portland, is expected to move into the parsonage next week.

Babe and his bike have been trying to part company the past week. Better have it repaired, Babe, and then you will succeed better.

Rev. W. J. Bowerman, former pastor of this circuit, has moved into the house owned by C. J. Randle, of Pana, Ill.

Apr. 18. JIP.

Clackamas.

Samuel Hamilton Curry died on the morning of April 14, of catarrhal fever. He would have been 63 the 31 of May. He was married Nov. 1, 1882, to Susan Rebecca Halliwell in West Virginia. They were a very devoted couple, and no one can tell how she will miss him. But she has a friend that sticks closer than a brother, on whom she will depend. Mr. Curry was a follower of Christ for 25 years and a member of the Presbyterian church. His last words were "All is well with me." He has a sister, Mrs. Caroline Sims, and two half brothers, Green and Calvin Dolan, all of whom reside in the East. He was a member of the G. A. R., so the soldiers were all out, and it so happened that our pastor, Rev. A. Hawley, was sick, and the one who took his place was Rev. B. J. Hoadley, a G. A. R. man also. The text was 2 Cor., 5:1. Here is one in mark of Mr. Curry's after returning to West Virginia and spending one winter. He said: "Susan, if we live to get back to Oregon, you bury me there among the flowers, instead of here in the cold snow." Rev. Butler also took part in the services at the cemetery. The M. E. church was decorated with flags and flowers in honor of our friend and all sympathize with Mrs. Curry.

A. P. and S. S. Williams, from Hoge's Store, Va., are guests of Mrs. Curry. They happened to get here just a few days before Mr. Curry's death. They seem to like Oregon pretty well so far.

The W. O. T. U. re-elected most of the old officers. President, Mrs. C. F. Clarke; vice-president, Mrs. Prettyman; secretary, Miss S. F. Mohr; treasurer, Mrs. Harmon; evangelist, Mrs. Rickman; Sunday-school work, Mrs. Johnson; mothers' department, Mrs. Humphrey; narcotics, Mrs. Longooy; parlor meetings, Mrs. Woodmansee; scientific instructor, Mrs. Hartnell; superintendent flower mission, Mrs. Prettyman; assistant literature, Mrs. Deacons; assistant, Mrs. Woodmansee; press work, Mrs. Roadarmel. ROSK HILL.

April 18.

Liberal.

Rain, rain, rain! Farmers are beginning to wonder if it is always going to rain.

The measles epidemic has about abated and the quarantine has been raised.

Miss Blanche Dyer is getting along very successfully with the school at this place.

Mr. Baker and family left yesterday for Pasadena, Cal., intending to make the entire trip with team and wagon.

A. J. Maville is improving the appearance of his place very much by building an addition to his house. He will commence building a house for Mrs. G. J. Trullinger as soon as the weather is favorable.

Leslie Look intends to move from Meadowbrook to Liberal soon. He will move onto J. B. Jackson's place.

A petition is being signed to get the road from the bridge to Silas Wright's graded and gravelled this spring.

Jim Hannegan was sowing a field to fence rails last week. Says he will harvest the crop when right size for broom handles. E. X. T.

April 18.

Special Notice

We desire to announce to the people of Oregon City and Clackamas County that we will remove to the Masonic Building on Main Street next to Oregon City Bank on or about

MAY 1st

With a Complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Clothing, Gents Furnishings, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Trunks, Valises, Etc.

PRICE BROS.

Main Street, Next to Harding's Drug Store

OREGON CITY, - - OREGON

Mulino.

G. W. Forge, of Mulino, is at Columbia Slough this week settling up his father's estate.

Mrs. Manning and daughter, Katie, were visiting in Highland the past few days.

The latest report is that there has arrived a fine violinist who has settled in Clarke district. He is a near relative to J. L. Gard and wife.

Jimmy Lyons, from Albany, was visiting here last week.

Bessie Lyons will return to Linn county this week.

Over \$1000 raised in Carus precinct for the Molalla road. Molalla is yet to hear from. Mulino is subscribing liberally. Charles Holman says he will give as much as any man in Molalla to improve the road.

McCord has a new cook. The last one, we understand, will open a boarding house of her own.

Jack Critzer goes to Eastern Oregon this week to work in a mill.

The Daniels boys leave for the fishing grounds April 24. Rax.

April 17.

Meadowbrook.

William Baker and family moved last Tuesday from here to Beaver creek, where he has a wood cutting contract.

Mrs. M. E. Johnson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jennings, of Monitor, this week.

Rev. John May, of Oregon City, preached at the Salvation Army barracks here last Sunday.

Mrs. P. E. Bonney has been confined to her room with a severe illness for some time, but is slowly improving at this writing.

There was a social dance at the Alliance hall last Wednesday night, which would have passed off pleasantly had it not been for that jug of hard cider.

April 19. AN SIX.

Grange Meeting.

Wednesday, April 12, was a red letter day for the grangers of Clackamas county. They had their regular quarterly meeting at Logan, with Harding grange. Harding grange is the best equipped and attended grange in the county, which helped to make the county meeting all the more a success in all ways.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads, and long distance some had to come, many were late in arriving. Many would have done better had they did as the master; come the day before. Nevertheless a good time was had by all. The best of attention and interest was shown. The leading feature of the meeting was the life insurance, which is being started in this state. Nearly all are taking out policies, and it is sure to be a success. As to the cheapness and fraternal plan, it has no equal.

As is always the case, a large number were let into the secrets of the order, which was followed by a fine banquet which fairly made the table groan under its many delicious things so appealing to the appetites of the hungry hayseeds.

A. F. Miller, of Sellwood, was in attendance in the interests of the life insurance. Mrs. Shattuck and son were over from Gresham, and were much pleased to see the interest manifested in grange work in this county.

Apr. 17. COU.

Two Millions a Year.

When people buy, try, and buy again, it means they're satisfied. The people of the United States are now buying Cascarets Candy Cathartic at the rate of two million boxes a year and it will be three million before New Year's. It means merit proved, that Cascarets are the most delightful bowel regulator for everybody the year round. All druggists 10, 25, 50c a box, cure guaranteed.

Crescent.

Miss Mary Jones has returned from Astoria.

Mrs. Looney's little daughter arrived yesterday to visit with her grandma, Mrs. J. A. Jones.

Miss Cora Waldron left Wednesday for a month's stay with her aunt, Mrs. Hicken, of Liberal.

Miss Adella Kraeft left Tuesday morning to remain a week or two with her aunt, Mrs. Minnie Pittinger, of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strowbridge will leave Thursday evening for Sherman county. They will remain at the sawmill where Mr. Strowbridge has his position until harvest, when they will assist in harvesting. They are accompanied by their son, George, and little daughter. Wednesday noon they appeared at the school house with cakes and baskets of popcorn and grapes with which to treat the school children in honor of Master George's last day. It will be remembered as a very bright and pleasant day by the children, though all were sorry to tell George good bye.

A number of young men from Oregon City passed through yesterday on a fishing excursion. O.

April 20.

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of county commissioners of Clackamas county for the construction of a queen truss bridge on Upper Eagle creek, about ten miles above Eagle Creek postoffice, said bridge to be a 72-foot span, with a bent 10 feet high on the south end, and one 8 feet high on the north end. Said bridge to be built of good, sound material and in a workmanlike manner.

Bids to be opened May 31, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the board of commissioners.

ELMER DIXON, Clerk.
By E. H. COOPER, Deputy.

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of county commissioners of Clackamas county for a physician who will furnish all medicines, medical attendance, appliances, and perform all surgical operations for the county poor and inmates of the county jail from May 6th, 1899, until July 23, 1900. Bids to be opened May 4th, 1899, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the board of commissioners.

ELMER DIXON, Clerk.
By E. H. COOPER, Deputy.

Teachers' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at the court house, Oregon City, Oregon, Wednesday, May 10th, commencing at 1 o'clock P. M. Applications for state papers will be received Thursday, May 11, 1899, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Dated this 17th day of April 1899.

N. W. BOWLAND,
County School Superintendent, Clackamas County, Oregon.

COUNTY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

I have now in my hands funds applicable to the payment of road warrants endorsed prior to April 13th, 1899.

Interest will cease on same from the date of this notice.

JACOB SHADE,
County Treasurer
Clackamas County, Or.