

News of the County and Suburbs
Local and County Items of Interest to Our Readers

BEAVER CREEK

Mrs. A. Thomas called on Mrs. R. L. Badger Thursday afternoon. Mrs. C. Fischer and son, Chris, transacted business in Oregon City Monday.

Mrs. F. W. Force and son, George, spent the week end visiting friends and relatives in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris and Miss Lizzie Watts, were in the county seat attending to business Monday.

Mrs. Lancel Schockley, of Carus, is visiting with the Fred Henrich family.

A large number were in attendance at the Henrich school house to hear the debate. The question was: "Resolved, That Modern Machinery Benefits the Workman." C. E. Spence and W. W. Harris were the leaders.

The judges were Henry Rogers, Eugene Lammers and Max Holman, the decision resulting was for the affirmative side. The next question will be: "Resolved, That We Hard Surface the County Roads." The pillow fight, started by the Lammers boys, was a most laughable affair.

Those taking part in the contest were: Harry Lammers, Lloyd Henrich, Earl Strong, Jack Myrick, W. W. Harris, Fred Blum and W. Hornshuh.

Mrs. Clyde Anderson and Mrs. Mercy Lynch called on Mrs. Ben Santesson one day last week.

Miss Jennie Jones, of Portland, called on friends at Beaver Creek last Friday.

An entertainment given by Mr. Taylor and the Pioneer quartette, assisted by the Beaver Creek Band, will be given at the Hall Saturday.

On Saturday evening Mrs. B. Santesson gave a birthday surprise party for Mr. Santesson and Mr. Hasko.

The evening was spent with cards and other amusements, and supper was served at midnight.

Those partaking of Mrs. Santesson's hospitality were: Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. D. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Anderson and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hughes, Mrs. C. Cash, Mrs. Mercy Lynch, Mrs. Hubbard, Mr. H. Moorehouse, Mr. Hasko, Miss M. Lewis, Ellen Santesson, Cora Cash, Mildred Hubbard, Alena Hughes, Corie Thomas, Emot Hughes, John E. Jones, Raymond and Fred Santesson and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Santesson.

CLARKES

William Clarke was working in the logging camps and while felling trees he slipped and fell from the spring board onto a sharp ax and cut a deep gash in his leg. He is staying with his brother, Jason Clarke, until his leg is better.

Mrs. C. H. Bergman and daughter, Engla, were in town last Saturday.

Mrs. W. H. Wettlaufer moved to Oregon City to stay with her girls for a couple of months.

Clarke school will close Friday, April 21st.

Miss Violet Wettlaufer is very ill with pneumonia.

George Atterbury, of Barlow, was in Clarkes in an automobile on business last Friday.

Jack Ringo is very ill with peurisy. Joe Fishley went away to look for work last Monday.

Linn Jones, from Oregon City, gave a fine speech on "Hygienic Laws and Their Relation to Manhood and Womanhood," and Ed Olds, from Oak Grove, spoke on "Drunkness" last Sunday evening at the Clarkes English M. E. church. There was a fair crowd present.

Mrs. Fred Bauer, of Colton, has a bad case of blood poisoning, and she is in the Oregon City hospital.

The Clear Creek Creamery has an auto truck to haul their cream from Clarkes.

Fred Zwanen helped W. H. Bottemiller in plowing last week.

There was a party given at the home of Mr. W. H. Bottemiller Saturday evening, April 8th, and everybody who was present had a good time.

MOTHERS OF OREGON.

Albany, Oregon.—"At one time I was weak and nervous; had headache and backache; liver was sluggish, and I was troubled with constipation. I needed a tonic and a constitutional builder. A friend told me about Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I took it and it built me right up, gave me new strength, put my liver in good shape, and helped me in every way."—Mrs. ELLEN DOBLE, 1118 E. 2nd Street.



While in the county seat we saw Mr. Bottemiller shaking hands with old acquaintances. We also met Walt Proctor, of Sandy.

On Saturday Lloyd Schram came home in his truck, the first time for a long while.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Schoenborn, of Oregon City, were in Clarkes last Sunday and attended church in the evening.

Mrs. Lizzie Ringo and son, Clyde, and daughter, Hazel, and Miss Ruby Gard visited Jack Ringo and family last Sunday.

CHERRYVILLE

Good weather and good roads are with us now.

All kinds of autos and motorcycles are flying past, especially at the week ends.

Quite a number of fishermen were out last Sunday and some of them got nice strings of trout.

A Dolly Varden was caught near the dam last week. It was over two feet long and weighed 8 pounds.

Mrs. Isaac Marten, of Portland, who has recently become a widow, moved out on her railroad claim last week.

Her husband in his lifetime, had built a comfortable shack, probably the best of any of the squatters.

Joe Pomeroy was around registering voters lately and says there are almost twice as many Socialists registering this spring.

Some people will tell you that no one but undesirable citizens or failures are Socialists.

How about the Aults, Coreys, and Koreneiks, to say nothing of the Thomas brothers at Bull Run, who are all thrifty, industrious, sober and honest people, who have done a great deal to help build up this country.

Quite a laugh was enjoyed around here about the Oregonian's "straw ballot." To show the great preponderance of votes to be cast by the Republicans at the next election they picked out Multnomah county, a regular stronghold of standpatters, and out of 1600 votes cast over half of them were for Wilson.

If they can't do better right in Portland, what are they going to do over the state?

Work is progressing at the dam for a fish rack, which, when done, will prevent the fish from falling down stream after becoming wearied from vain attempts at jumping over the dam.

Mr. Griffith, of Oregon City, is in charge of the hatcheries here, and says he expects to get a great many eggs this month and next. He says they will also spawn silversides this fall.

LIBERAL

The showers Monday and Tuesday stopped seeding again. The last 10 days' seeding progressed rapidly.

Early potatoes are being planted and early gardens are up—and so are the weeds.

Stock of all kinds is thin in flesh, but grass is getting good. They still want their coarse feed, hay and straw.

Very few lambs were lost by exposure heretofore.

Thousands of feet of lumber are being shipped east from here, and there is lots of work for good teams to haul it to the depot.

Mr. Moehke has a gasoline motor and a lifter to load his lumber on the cars. The Hultz company loads by hand.

Miss Lexy Graham and Mrs. Grant White, and Arthur Graham, of Canby, were visiting Dock Saylor and wife Sunday last.

Reuben Wright's daughter, and oldest son came over last week from Bandon, to visit their parents.

The oldest son will return in a few days, as his business calls him back.

Business seems to be picking up, as everybody has plenty to do.

Mrs. Alta Neutinchinson doesn't seem to be getting any better, we are sorry to say.

Our merchant has three routes to deliver goods on and keeps busy with his auto. His roller mill is handy for the farmers around here, as time is precious.

VIOLA

The Viola Happy Hour Social club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, Jr., on Friday evening.

There were 40 present, and the program given by the married people and the older young people instead of the children, was enjoyed very much.

The song by the Tanner family, and the reading by Miss Woodle, the political speech by Ray Miller, the reading by F. Gibb, and the whistling by the five women, and others who took part, were all good.

Worth Randolph, who has been spending a week's vacation at his home here, returned to his school at McMinnville, Saturday.

Miss Leona Cockerline, who is taking treatment in Portland, spent a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cockerline.

Wm. Hitchbottom is working for the Klutch brothers, of Rocky Point, helping put up their saw mill.

J. Sevier is working for the Matton lumber company.

Mrs. M. L. Sevier is spending a week in Portland.

John Randolph went to Portland on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tannler are visiting a cousin near Sherwood for a few days.

HIGHLAND

Frank Adams and Bill Scott left for the logging camp near Hood River last Saturday.

School began again on Monday, but we have failed to hear the new school-ma'm's name. School will continue for six weeks.

One day last week Messrs. Cornwell and Schram were in Oregon City on business. They went down in Mr. Kandle's auto.

While in the county seat we saw Mr. Bottemiller shaking hands with old acquaintances. We also met Walt Proctor, of Sandy.

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Mrs. Sullivan, who left here some time ago for Butte, Montana, wrote a friend saying that Highland is a paradise compared to where she is living, and that she will come back soon.

Mr. Cornwell sold two cows and two pigs during the past week. Mr. Hanhart bought one of the cows, Ferris Mayfield the other, and Mr. Adams the two pigs.

Hank Grossmiller has brought a new auto and we saw him driving by a few days ago.

EAGLE CREEK

Mrs. Egbert Foster and Mrs. Henry Githens visited with Mrs. Howlett one day last week.

Walter Douglass made a business trip to Portland on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Elliott, of Powell Valley, and son, Harold Elliott and wife, were guests of Mrs. Howlett Sunday afternoon.

Roy Douglass took a trip to Oregon City recently.

The Misses Mildred and Floris Douglass spent an afternoon with Mrs. Hill, Saturday.

Dick Gibson sold two pigs to Mrs. Viola Douglass one day last week.

W. H. Holder, deputy assessor, was in the neighborhood Monday.

John Henkle, Orrin Ballou and wife, and Mrs. Davis motored to Bissell Sunday.

H. S. Gibson and R. B. Gibson and wife attended the former's father's birthday dinner at H. F. Gibson's, of Barton, Sunday. It was Mr. Gibson's 90th birthday. All his sons and daughters were present, and his grandchildren, about 36 all told, being there. A beautiful dinner was partaken of; all enjoying the time spent together.

STONE

We are all rejoicing and happy that we live in a land of plenty and the country of peace, with a good share of health.

Sunshine and showers are bringing us a bountiful crop.

We are pleased over the good news that Clear Creek park is sold to a man that expects to build him a residence in it and live there holding it as private property. We hear they are very nice people, and they will be quite a help to our burg.

Our railroad is living yet, and will come along some of these days.

The Springwater jitney is doing a good business running to Portland and is full of passengers nearly every day.

Our population is steadily increasing, as the stork has taken quite a fancy to visiting around among the Stoneites.

The Creamery is doing a good business, making lots of butter.

Mr. Gill, of Logan, started out on a new route lately, and was belated after dark, so he nearly got lost. He has a new grandson.

LOGAN

The entertainment and dance given by the Logan ball team last Saturday was a financial and social success.

The total receipts were \$61, and a substantial sum will remain after paying expenses, which will give the fans a boost.

Albert Gerber played ball with W. R. Hulis' team of Portland, last Sunday.

A. A. Allen is getting along well with his broken arm. That was a peculiar accident. Mr. Allen fell while working with a horse's foot and the horse stepped twice on the arm, making a bad injury.

Road supervisor, E. C. Gerber, has been smoothing up and rolling the road from Tracy's corner East.

Fruit trees are blooming out, early spuds are coming up, grass is growing, and all will be well if Jack Frost does not pay up a visit.

Mrs. Frank Reibhoff visited relatives recently, coming from their new home at Bend, Oregon.

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Arbitration or railroad difficulties now pending between the operators and their employees would save the country a lot of inconvenience and woe. It ought to be tried first; and if the men aren't satisfied, then would be time enough for more desperate measures.

Pardon us for mentioning it so often, but it is an important matter. There are only four more days in which to register. Are you awake?

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POULTRY GOSSIP.

It is easier to fill up the hole in the floor of the chicken house than it is to replenish the flock. The hen cannot manufacture eggs when she is feeding lice with her lifeblood. Shiftless hens housed in cold, drafty, ramshackle houses and allowed to wade in the slush and snow never pay the owner for their feed, much less a profit. An active breed is less liable to become overfat than the large sized, sluggish fowls, hence should be treated accordingly. If farmers would keep strict accounts with their fowls they would be surprised at the profit derived in proportion to the capital invested.

FALSE ECONOMY IN CARING FOR PULTRY

False economy in the care of poultry is shown in many ways, writes a correspondent of the National Stockman. First, in the feeding. If you tell a man he is not feeding his hens enough he will say: "I can't afford to feed more. They do not pay for their feed as it is." He is just feeding enough to keep his fowls alive without having anything left over to make eggs. That feed is practically wasted. It prolongs the life of his fowls without bringing any return. But if he would add to it a proper amount in suitable variety of egg building material the hens would pay for it three or four times over. Those who get plenty of eggs are good feeders. Those who do not get eggs, as a rule, feed too little or too much of one kind. It is often said: "Don't feed too much. Your fowls will get fat." But where there is one who feeds too much there are many who feed too little. Then if you tell an inexperienced poultry keeper on a small scale that he ought to feed a variety, to give a balanced ration, to keep his houses, yards and troughs clean, to keep the drinking water fresh and clean, or to do any one of a score of other things, he is likely to reply, "It is too much

for me." He will "bother" to keep a few hens in a half hearted way and become disgusted with them because they do not furnish enough eggs for his household use, while a little extra care in doing things right would double the egg yield.

Another cause of false economy is the way some people house their fowls. I know a man who has about 600 hens with suitable accommodations cannot afford to build more houses or repair what he has and make them free from drafts because his hens do not lay. And no wonder. If he would put up proper buildings for the whole flock the increased profits in the first year would doubtless pay for them. To keep poultry for the best profit one must do it right, just right, and not neglect any of the little points, and never skimp on feed.

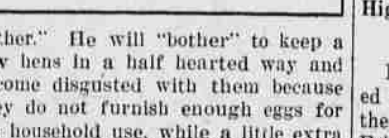
There is a limit to expenditures. Fancy houses do not bring better stock or even more eggs, and expensive feeds do not always prove profitable. But where one makes a mistake in the direction of overexpenditure a dozen practice an economy which is in the end more expensive.

Selecting Breeding Hens. When selecting yearling hens for breeders for another year, or even for laying purposes, watch them carefully during the molt. It is not only the early molts that you want to select, but the hens that get through the process quickly and without any apparent drawback to their constitution. Now and then you will see a hen in the molt and her comb will be almost white, and she will mope around and not seem to care to eat. This is not the kind of hen that you want to keep over, as she is too weak.

Keep Hens Healthy. If your hens are not laying at this time there is something wrong about the condition of your flock. Try to find out what the trouble is and remedy it as soon as possible, provided you can find out what ails them.

Could Hardly Do Her Work. Housework is trying on health and strength. Women are as much inclined to kidney and bladder trouble as men. Symptoms of aching back, stiff and sore joints and muscles, blurred vision, puffiness under eyes, should be given prompt attention before they lead to chronic or more serious ailment. Mrs. George Hauck, 955 Pearl St., Benton Harbor, Mich., writes: "I was awful bad, with such pain I could hardly do my work, and I am very thankful for Foley Kidney Pills."—Jones Drug Co.

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COOS BAY BOOSTED

Neat Booklet Describing Resources and Features of Region Is Out

The opening of the new Coos Bay branch of the Southern Pacific has opened up a wonderful country, rich in natural resources. To help give to the world the true information in regard to this section of the State of Oregon, the Southern Pacific has recently issued a beautiful illustrated folder entitled "The Coos Bay Country." The cover is printed in three colors, and shows two beautiful scenes, one of standing timber, and the other of Ten Mile Lake. Illustrations throughout the book show the various cities, and other scenic attractions, and also give views of the principal industries such as lumbering, dairying and farming.

Separate paragraphs are given the following: Beautiful inland lakes; Picturesque Umpqua; Lane County's Seaport; Gardiner and Squab; Coos County's Cities; Dairying; Fruit and Vegetables; Timber, Coal and Water; Power and the Fishing Industry.

The author aptly illustrates the possibilities for the future in this section by the following: "Study of the Atlantic Coast Line and see if you can discover any district with the natural resources of the Coos Bay Country and with her harbor facilities that is not the site of one or more big cities. Look back fifty years and see what the Coos Bay district was—a district of blazed trails and almost impenetrable forest. Look at it today, with its modern communities, and then look forward fifty years and try to picture what they will be."

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