

NEWS OF THE COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Local and County Items of Interest to Courier Readers

BEAVER CREEK

Graduation exercises of the Beaver Creek school will be held at Beaver Creek hall Saturday evening, June 8, 1918. A good program will be rendered, and Rev. W. T. Milliken, of Oregon City, will deliver the address of the evening. Pies will also be sold and lunch will be served at the lunch counter as usual. General admission ten cents.

COLTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Wall and Bernice Anderson motored to Seattle last Sunday. The latter will stay with her parents as they are making their home there.

Miss Lindgren came out to spend Sunday with relatives.

Gus Gotberg and family and Elbert Bauer and family went up the Columbia Highway Sunday in the former's car.

The High School graduation exercises were held last Friday evening in the church. Those graduating were Elma Asplund, Eskil Renhard, Vincent Hill, and Pansy Wettlaufer. A banquet was given by the Juniors for the Seniors last Wednesday evening.

SHUBEL

Almost everyone in our vicinity attended the entertainment at Beacon Heights Saturday night. The quilt made by the Shubel Auxiliary which was raffled, netted them \$40.

The ladies are now planning for some sort of social in June at which little novelties made by the ladies will be sold. The date will be announced later.

Mr. Wm. Moehne of Oregon City is helping Moehne & Blum. The mill will soon be ready to run.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Linn, and Miss Mae Brewer of Ostrander, Washington, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Jno. G. Moehne of Shubel. They made the trip by auto and report the road in fine condition as far as Woodland. Mr. Linn has a position in a saw mill at Ostrander.

Mrs. Sarah Hettman is visiting with Mrs. Blum this week.

Miss Hilda Schubel of Oregon City spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. J. Blum.

UPPER HIGHLAND

Mr. Efferberger and J. Smith were Clarkes visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Wallace and children left Monday for Portland, where they will spend a week visiting Mrs. Wallace's sister, Mrs. F. Werhman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McNaught and daughter, Mae, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Vohs, Sunday.

Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. Klump, of Portland, called on Mrs. C. C. Kandle Thursday.

J. Hanhart spent the latter part of last week visiting friends at Portland.

Mrs. T. Cornwell left last week for Seattle, where she will spend a few weeks visiting her parents and friends.

H. Schram, of Oregon City, is visiting his uncle, John Schram.

Mr. and Mrs. McNaught, and daughter, Mae, and Mrs. C. C. Kandle, were recent Oregon City visitors.

Mrs. Klump returned to her home in Portland after a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kandle and Mrs. Hinkson called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fellows Sunday.

CLARKES

The entertainment that was given by Clarkes Red Cross Auxiliary was a grand success. The hall was filled to capacity. G. J. Taylor of Molalla and C. B. Dimick, of Oregon City, gave interesting talks on Red Cross drive and war question. The Beaver Creek Band showed their patriotic spirit in coming a good many miles to help out in the good cause, and was appreciated by the Clarkes Red Cross in helping us out. After the program a quilt was raffled off at ten cents a chance bringing in \$32.

Supper was served and the young folks danced until a late hour. The proceeds of the evening was about \$60.

The Clarkes Red Cross Auxiliary in the month of April have made and sent in two dish towels, six night shirts, three sweaters, eight pair of socks, forty-five handkerchiefs, fourteen tray cloths and nine napkins. There are more new members coming in all the time. The Clarkes Red Cross extends an invitation to everyone to come and help out in the good cause and no one should stand back and wait for an invitation. We feel that it is everyone's duty to help out in this great hour of need when we think of our boys going across the waters by the thousands and giving their lives for us. Even the most we can do is no comparison for what our boys are doing. So everyone be up and doing and do not sit back and wait to be asked.

ELWOOD

The social at the school house, Dist. 58, May 25, for the benefit of the Red Cross, was a decided success. A short patriotic program was rendered, after which a donation was taken. The proceeds from the sale of eight gallons of ice cream and collection was \$58. People were somewhat disappointed in not hearing a speaker from Oregon City, as was expected. This district has never been favored with a public speaker on the Red Cross work, so considering our efforts as a community alone, we consider we did well.

Mr. Chris Bittner, Richard Bittner, Harry Bittner and wife, of Oregon City, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Rotter of Portland, attended the social, spending Sunday at the Chris Bittner home.

Mr. Harrison and Matt Park are working for Cox & Park.

Mr. John Jacobs of Vancouver, spent last week with his wife and little son Jack.

Mr. O. M. Scheistron has gone to Portland to work.

Matt Jagmin, was home from the Portland ship yards to attend the social.

Miss Elsie Meibs expects to leave this week for White Salmon, Wash. Walter Cox, Elsie Meibs, Karna Freeman and Miss Laura Meibs motored on the Columbia Highway Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson of Oregon City attended the social Saturday night.

EAST CLACKAMAS

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kelnhofer were Oregon City guests Friday of last week.

W. F. Mundeheke and Mrs. M. Heinrich were attending to business in Oregon City Friday of last week.

J. Enghouse and W. S. Daywalt were in Oregon City on school business Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Muir was sight seeing in Portland Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lauby and children, who were visiting at the Kelnhofer ranch, left for their home in Walla Walla, Wash., last Monday.

Mrs. H. H. Blake left last Tuesday for a camping time at the Seventh Day Advent camp meeting at Creston station, Portland.

Miss Anna Kelnhofer, of Portland, was a visitor at the Kelnhofer home last Sunday.

Last Thursday night a Red Cross auxiliary was organized at the school house, with the following officers: Mrs. A. C. Kelnhofer, president; Mrs. W. S. Daywalt, secretary-treasurer. So now, good people, let's get our shoulders to the wheel and do our little mite.

Mr. and Mrs. Kaufman, of Carus, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kelnhofer, last Sunday.

E. R. Boyer, wife and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Boyer, were callers on Mr. and Mrs. G. Hobbs Friday of last week.

W. F. Mundeheke and family, were visitors at Cedar Springs last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Blake and children had the pleasure of seeing the

sights of the Columbia Highway on Thursday of last week.

MACKSBURG

The Macksburg Red Cross auxiliary held its regular meeting on Wednesday, May 22.

Miss Julia Nebo and Miss Mattie Keesling were Red Cross collectors for district number 20.

William Etzel, of Camp Lewis, visited with home folks and friends over Sunday.

Macksburg school closed on May 24 with a picnic. It being a beautiful day, many were present. At 12:00 sharp the ladies of the district prepared a sumptuous dinner, which was served cafeteria style in the gymnasium room of the school. At 1:00 p. m. all made their way to Smith's grove, where our boys crossed "bats" with Canby, which, of course, resulted in the visitors' favor with a score of 5 to 4. However, our "little boys" did exceedingly well, and expect to play a return game this summer. Mr. Sherwood was again reelected principal and Miss Nordhausen as teacher for the primary department for the ensuing year.

Quite a number of our young people attended the basket social at the Eby school house on Saturday night.

Walter Keesling, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Keesling, who enlisted in the navy recently, left Sunday for Mare Island, California.

Miss Inice Keesling will go to Portland this week to join her oldest sister, Hazel, where they will be employed in the overall factory.

Mrs. G. F. Pottratz spent Friday evening visiting with Mrs. Jane Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kraxberger and children, motored to Portland on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ganske are enjoying a delightful visit with relatives from California.

EAST PARADISE

William Uppendahl is sick with inflammatory rheumatism. Dr. Giesy is in attendance.

Clearing up our cemetery has been the order of the day the past week. Your correspondent went and fixed up the grave of James M. Oglesby, a member of Co. K, First Oregon Cavalry, whose remains were buried at Rock Creek cemetery, near Needy. He has a son, Charles Oglesby, residing near Oregon City.

John King, one of the old pioneers of Oregon, is down with an attack of rheumatism. He is past 90 years old. He is staying with a daughter at Molalla.

The Woodmen of the World of Aurora, will have an ice cream social and "talk-fest" on Thursday evening, June 13 at 8 p. m. George Oglesby will give an address on the early pioneer days of this part of Oregon.

Memorial services will take place, under the auspices of Nesque Camp No. 661, W. O. W., on Sunday, June the 9th, at the Aurora cemetery at 2:30; at Hubbard at 4 p. m.; at Canby, 5:30 p. m., and at Needy at 7 p. m.

The election was a surprise to some of our voters here, as Oleot was expected to be a winner.

Trout fishing seems to be all the rage here by some of our sports, but they report very small catches so far.

Corn and "spuds" are all planted here, and our farmers are resting until hay harvest. From present indications a fine crop of hay will be harvested here.

Prunes and cherries will be a good crop here, but the pear and apple crop will be almost a total failure.

George Oglesby will visit relatives at Colton for a few days this week.

We have a section of country here about 6 square miles without any church, and there are some young people and children in this vicinity that never heard a sermon preached in their lives. Some servant of Christ should visit this part and see if he could do any missionary work here.

The Goetz family is able to be up and about some now, after 5 weeks of sickness.

Greger Goetz was in Oregon City Saturday on business.

Isaac Reuck has the measles. Dr. Dedman, we learn, is the physician in charge.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

In last week's Courier we made mention of the fact that some of our election board refused to donate their wages to the Red Cross and for this we have brought censure on our heads, and gladly will explain that all the ladies and Mr. George Everhart willingly donated their work, but the other two men refused. They may have had a good reason for doing so, but it was understood that the day's work be given to the Red Cross.

Mrs. Ed Story, of Wolf Creek, accompanied by her son, Clark Story, arrived in Oregon City last Saturday to visit at the home of Frank Welsh.

Mrs. Story will visit several days, but Clark will stay Sunday evening. He is a student at the business college in Salem.

Mrs. Amanda Hickman went to Portland Saturday afternoon to visit a relative.

Mrs. O. H. VanHoy went to Gledendale, Wash., Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ballou, and attend the graduation of her grandson, Robert Ballou.

Mrs. Joe Gerber and son, Francis, spent a few days with Mrs. Gerber's parents, S. V. Francis and wife.

J. R. Beally and wife went to Portland Saturday afternoon, returning Monday.

Another couple slipped away last Thursday to Vancouver, Wash., and were married, Mr. J. Gorbett and

Mrs. Carah Haun. Everybody extends their good wishes.

Mrs. Hollingsworth left for her home in Idaho last Sunday evening, after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Booker.

Mr. and Mrs. August Scholtz entertained their three sons for a few days this week. They left on Wednesday to join the army. These are fine young men and while we are sorry to give them the goodbye, we hope for their safe return.

Everett Hickman stopped off a few hours last Monday to visit his mother.

The ladies of the Red Cross are having an ice cream stand at Molalla and Duane street Wednesday and Thursday. Don't forget to patronize them.

REDLAND

Mr. Barker went to Salem last week to attend the funeral of his brother-in-law.

Gilbert Courtright, of Union county, was a visitor at this place the latter part of the week, as he comes under the next draft.

Mr. Lightfoot is raising another boy for Uncle Sam—he arrived last week.

Miss Silva Brown and Mr. Larson, of Portland, attended the social Saturday night.

A. L. Funk and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Schwartz and Herbert Fouts were visitors at the home of Mrs. L. Funk last Sunday.

Mr. Schwartz leaves soon for Troutdale, where he and Mr. Yoder will conduct a saw mill. We wish them success.

The Red Cross auxiliary gave an entertainment and basket social at Bethel church Saturday, the program being snappy and well rendered, and consisted of the following: Brass quartet, under direction of Prof. Kohler; songs by Junior Quartet of Oregon City; Redland band; song, "I Don't Want to Get Well," by Junior Quartet of Oregon City, with a pantomime by Red Cross nurses and a soldier, R. E. Koch; pageant by the school children; Redland band; recitation, Oregon City quartet; four-minute talk by Mildred Koch, with a plea for Red Cross funds, after which Judge Dimick begged off on his address, as the main feature of the evening was yet to come off and the hour getting late, namely the selling of baskets, to which the Judge auctioned in his usual forceful manner, that got results. 21 baskets were sold, which brought \$79.00, while \$16.00 more were realized from the cafeteria. The highest basket went at \$8.00. In addition to this there was a collection taken for the Redland band boys, which netted \$10.06. This entertainment was attended by probably the largest crowd that was ever in the Bethel church. All went home happy at having their bit for the Red Cross. The Redland auxiliary are rustlers, as the following report of the work done will show.

Work done by Redland auxiliary for Oregon City branch of the American Red Cross, from November 25, 1917, (the time of organizing), to May 20, 1918. Knitting—26 sweaters, 30 pairs socks, 4 helmets, 14 pairs wristlets, and 11 squares for quilt; sewing—30 pairs long bed socks, 25 pairs short bed socks, 24 comfort pillows, 12 abdominal bandages, 14 napkins, 5 tray covers, 47 braided rugs, 60 dish towels, 47 wash cloths, 8 dish-cloths, 51 sub handkerchiefs, 31 hospital caps, 26 ice or hot water bag covers, 6 trinket bags, 34 rolled bandages, 14 pairs double socks, 30 hospital bed shirts, 6 suits of underclothes, about 1000 gun wines, and 139 garments sent in the Belgium shipment.

John Kerr and family have moved back to Redland and he is working for Mr. Bonney at the mill.

Mrs. W. H. Bonney, who has been ill, is able to be up again.

Gus Leusch is sporting a new Ford. The blasting at Fisher's quarry certainly rattles, thus having broken several window lights in the community.

Miss Altman closes a very successful term of school at Dist. No. 75, with appropriate exercises at the cemetery if the weather will permit.

What is needed just now is more warm weather as the grain is showing its effect of the cold. Clover needs more rain to make a crop.

TWILIGHT

Tom Kelland's father from southern California, is a visitor at the Kelland home.

The dancing club gave an ice cream lunch with dance accompaniment at their hall Friday night, and as a result turned into the Red Cross treasury nearly \$50.00. Mr. Theroux with a full orchestra from Oregon City, furnished the music and a pleasant entertainment resulted. Previously this dancing club had contributed to the Red Cross some \$15.00, and hereafter all surplus receipts derived from their fortnightly meetings, will be likewise donated. This club has proven the greatest social success of any effort along that line ever inaugurated in this community. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weisenbeck are truly deserving of the honors, as the organizers and managers of the organization and have worked incessantly to furnish this entertainment to the old as well as the young people of this vicinity and their labor along that line bears the hearty approval of 99 per cent of our people.

A business meeting of the Loyalty League will convene at the hall next Monday night at 8 o'clock. A full attendance of its members is desired.

Little Dorothy Dadds celebrated her fifth birthday at the home of her parents last Friday afternoon.

All of the tots as well as some of the older children, were in attendance, and passed a happy afternoon in play and feasting.

The effort originating with a few disgruntled people, to consolidate this school district with that of Mt. Pleasant, has gained some considerable encouragement, especially from those of its patrons situated on the Central Point road. There is some virtue in the proposition when properly timed, but the present effort, with but little thought of present

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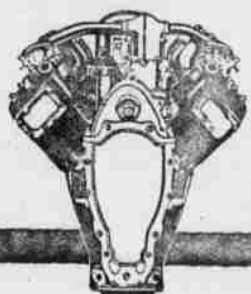
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