

NEWS OF THE COUNTY AND SUBURBS

Local and County Items of Interest to Courier Readers

DAMASCUS

We are having beautiful spring weather. Mr. Habbeth is busy spraying his orchard for bugs. Peter Thompson is busy haying wood. Mr. and Mrs. Carlson and children were visiting Mr. Habbeth's of Marquam, last Sunday. George Gunnebert, of Portland, was visiting at the Burr home Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Gunnebert is a relative of Mrs. Burr's and recently returned from a trip to Pennsylvania. H. T. Burr came down from Mount Angel and spent Sunday at home. The patriotic meeting at the school house was well attended as usual. Mr. Joseph Hedges, of Oregon City, delivered a fine address on the "War and Causes."

MACKSBURG

Mr. Scramlin, Mrs. Beatie Spencer and Miss Louise Krause motored to Portland on Wednesday afternoon. Everybody enjoyed the dance at Joe Gibson's hall on Saturday night. Garrett's orchestra furnished the music. Mrs. Rudolph Klaus and daughter, Marie, are visiting with relatives in Redland. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krasberger and daughters, Hattie and Charlotte, motored to Portland on Tuesday, where Miss Charlotte underwent an operation at the Good Samaritan hospital on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Fryer motored up from Oregon City to visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Krasberger on Sunday. Among those shopping in town on Saturday were Friedrich Harms, Frank Bruah and son, Bennie, Martin Krause, Ben Krause and Charles Stevens. Mr. Wells surprised his family on Saturday afternoon by bringing home an organ. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Scott and family, who have resided here for the past two years, are preparing to move to Portland this week. Ira Morris went to California on Tuesday.

EAST PARADISE

Some of our bean raisers have been replanting their beans as nearly all the early planting rotted in the ground. The aphids are injuring the grain here and some spring grain will be a total failure. Jack Ohlstedt was calling on friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Bailey were callers at Frank Oglesby's Sunday. D. B. Yoder and wife were callers at J. S. Jesse and wife were Canby shoppers Saturday. School Dist. 38 will levy a two mill tax at their annual school meeting. Ye scribe went fishing on Canyon Creek Saturday and got what the boy shot at. There are hundreds of steel head salmon in the Molalla River, but are not fit for use as they are spawning now, but very few Chinook are in the river. That some one is using powder to kill salmon is a sure thing as you can see dead Chinooks in the river. School District 38 has no teachers as yet for the coming year. W. G. Reppenhath is about over his rheumatism and will soon return to Portland, where he is engaged in patrolling the docks at St. Johns. The wails of the Clackamas county people about the Non-Partisan League reminds us of the devil shearing a hog, (all squeal and no wool).

LOGAN

Harding Grange started off the new month with a fair attendance at the regular meeting and the usual good program of farm topics, patriotic songs, etc. Mrs. J. J. Hattan,

of Bakers' Bridge Grange, was a visitor.

Mr. Carver is having piling timber hauled for the Clear Creek crossing at the place where W. L. Burt resides.

W. H. Brown was over shearing money from the backs of Samuel Gerber's sheep.

We hear that Mrs. M. Gould, our former telephone operator, who has been sick for some time, is better and has recovered her voice.

George Tracy has been called to the colors and Albert Gerber and Floyd Kirchem have gone to offer their services to Uncle Sam in his mighty task of helping to put democracy over all.

Bird Newkirk writes that they have not had a drop of rain at San Francisco since February 1st, and a similar report comes from eastern Oregon.

Mrs. W. P. Kirchem reports that district No. 4 raised a little over their quota of Red Cross funds, which was \$122.00.

L. Kohl is preparing to build a barn.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Kohl are delegates to the state grange at Salem. Henry Huber is working in a ship yard, and Bert Corless is a ship carpenter at Vancouver.

George A. Kohl has invested in a Ford car.

We would like very much to see that eclipse, and feel slightly that the path of totality is not over Logan.

Winter grain does not look as well as it might.

UPPER HIGHLAND

Mrs. W. McNaught and daughter, Mae, returned home Sunday after a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Portland.

M. E. Kandle and Jesse Dennison spent a few days in the mountains fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schram had an over Sunday guest, their son, Lloyd, of Vancouver.

Mrs. J. Schmidt is visiting relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Meeker was a Beaver Creek visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grossmiller and children of Schubel, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kandle.

George, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mason, was taken to the Oregon City hospital, where he underwent an operation last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and son, John, and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford.

Mr. Wm. Effenberger and family moved into their new house at the mill Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McNaught were Oregon City visitors the fore part of the week.

Mr. F. Nicholas was a business visitor on Tuesday at Oregon City.

Mr. T. Cornwell and children and Miss Letta Flynn called on Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kandle Sunday.

The folks from here who attended the farewell party given Saturday evening in honor of Bert Cota and Bert Olmstead were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicholas, Mr. and Mrs. McNaught and Jesse Dennison.

Mrs. F. Shute is in Oregon City waiting on her husband, who was badly hurt last week while working on Mr. Sullivan's house.

STAFFORD

(Too late for last week)

Jupiter Pluvius made a great bluster Monday afternoon, and everybody hurried to cover so as to let every drop of rain hit the thirsty ground, but it proved to be like most politicians, all bluster. However, the few drops that did hit the earth made Stafford look more beautiful in the next morning's sunlight.

The aphids have hit this vicinity somewhat, and plans for spraying have been talked of.

Frog Pond had a Red Cross entertainment on last Saturday evening and realized \$12.00. C. H. Dye and J. W. Loder, of Oregon City, were out and spoke to the people. Mr. Dye's

history of the beginning of the international Red Cross was very interesting, while Mr. Loder spoke in his usual forcible manner.

There will be an entertainment at the Stafford school house on next Saturday evening for the good of the Red Cross, when a quilt, made by the ladies of Stafford, will be sold in a unique way, and a grab bag, music, speaking, etc., will help to pass a pleasant evening—so come and help us.

A quartet of boys' voices at Frog Pond, who came from Oregon City, sang, and were heartily cheered, as was the Stafford quartet, also.

Mr. and Mrs. Edvon, Martha, Edna, Ernest, Carl and Clarence Aerni motored out with Mr. Wirtz from Logan, Sunday. They took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Weddle and visited the old home of the Aerni's, spending a very pleasant day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray, Miss Gobetti and Miss Christina Ellingsen took dinner with Mrs. Gage and daughter, Sunday.

Quite a number from here attended the anniversary exercises at the Lutheran church at Frog Pond.

Alfred Sharp has taken the second operation on his stomach, and is getting along well at the Oregon City hospital, and has gained 10 pounds.

Will Gage, grandson of Mrs. Gage, of this place, has been called to the colors and will leave next week.

CANBY

Henry Wolfer was doing some plowing for Harry Cochran last Saturday.

Henry Smith, of Macksburg, was in Canby trading on Saturday.

Mr. Cumings, living near Goods Bridge, is slashing and cutting cord wood on his place, at present.

John Evans is going to get out some piling on his place.

Mr. Rape went up near Salem last Friday to visit his brother for a short time.

Alfred Robins is working at the power house at present.

The eighth grade of the Canby public school gave a program on Tuesday, May 28, which was as follows: Music, orchestra; "Star Spangled Banner," seventh and eighth grades; flag drill, fifth and sixth grades; salutatory, Charles Bates; song, primary grades; essay, Ava Miller; music, orchestra; recitation, Hortense Stacy; chorus, third and fourth grades; class history, Violetta Ledford; vocal solo, Ava Miller; class prophecy, Mildred Hennikson; song, primary grades; essay, "The American Flag," Marion Porter; chorus, sixth and seventh grades; "Battle Hymn of Republic," valedictory, Dorina Hains; class song, class '18; presentation of diplomas by Superintendent P. M. Roth; orchestra music; reception.

Mr. Rape is going to work at Oregon City.

We need rain and warm weather to make the crops grow.

Henry Turner has finished building his pasture fence.

Henry Wolfer just finished planting his potatoes last week.

Mr. Cumings' brother, Lane, who lives in Seattle, is staying with him at present.

Mr. Baty and Harry Cochran made a trip down to St. Johns one day last week. They went to get work in the ship yards, but did not succeed in being employed.

REDLAND

One of the most impressive Memorial exercises that your correspondent ever had the honor of attending was held at the school house at district No. 75. Owing to the rain most of the program was held there under the able management of Miss Altman, as teacher. The program follows: "America" by assembly; prayer, by school; recitation, Herbert Carlson, Lenora Koch, Glydes Coop; Flower drill by six children; recitation, "Our Flag," Katherinea Koch; recitation, "Our Flag," Goldie Brown; recitation, "The Blue and the Gray," Wilfred Coop; play, "Grandma's Memorial Day," address, A. J. Randolph; 4 minute talk, Mildred Koch; song, "Somewhere in France," Clara Fullam; recitation, "Memorial Day," Raymond Coop; recitation, Celia Hughes; recitation, James Brown; dialogue, "Our Colors" by four girls; recitation, Lucine Koch; address, Mr. Hinchinbom; "Star Spangled Banner," by school.

The rain having ceased, the children then marched to the cemetery, carrying flags, where Mr. Randolph gave a talk as to why the unknown children for the unknown dead, by strewing flowers and singing, and a flag was set on all the old soldiers' graves.

Someone's hounds made a raid on Mr. Schwartz' sheep, killing one and injuring one, some time ago, and last week, they cut up a lamb for L. Funk.

Quite an acreage of corn is being planted, but, owing to the dry weather, some ground will not be plowed. Grain is making poor headway, as the weather is too cold and dry.

Pears, prunes and apples promise a fair crop, while cherries will be about 50%. Corn planted early looks fairly good.

Your correspondent took a trip to Mr. Kinsel's vulcanizing plant recently and was surprised to find such a well equipped shop in the country, but what makes it so is because an expert mechanic is at the head of it. Mr. Kinsel came to the U. S. in '83, being a native from Bohemia. He remembers the war when Germany conquered Austria, he being then a boy of 12. He says that then, as now, the Prussian aim was to conquer and subdue, and that Bohemia has not yet forgotten the treatment after all these years.

Mrs. Mamish, Mrs. Zeisler and Mrs. J. Bagfield were out from Portland on Memorial day.

Wm. Stone, of Oregon City, and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Mosher, of Salem, were also out Decoration day.

CHERRYVILLE

The month of brides and roses. The warm weather has pretty effectually knocked the aphids.

One local weather prophet says: "June will be cool and wet." Don't look like it at this writing.

In walking across the country to Eagle Creek and across the Clackamas river the winter found the only cherry trees loaded were the Gibson Cherry in the Douglas neighborhood. These trees came up on the old Gibson ranch nearly 60 years ago and have an unbroken record of 40 years fruiting. They are an excellent high class cherry.

Smith, the Jersey dairy cow, man near Logan, has a very fine lot of Jerseys, some of them notable. Katie P is a world winner, having made a record under official test that puts her among the best in the nation. Mr. Smith has been unable so far to supply the demand for breeders from his ranch. This gives him standing among stockmen in the U. S.

EAGLE CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cook were the dinner-guests of Mrs. Viola Douglas last Thursday.

Miss Nettie Woodie spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Woodie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglass, Mrs. Viola Douglass and Mrs. R. B. Gibson were visiting at the home of James DeShazer on Sunday.

Miss Rosalie Allen was the guest of Miss Nettie Woodie over Friday night.

E. E. Elliott and wife, of Portland, were recently dinner-guests at the home of Mrs. Viola Douglass.

S. A. Douglass, of Molalla, was in Eagle Creek Decoration Day.

Dick Gibson spent Sunday afternoon at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. H. Udell.

Mrs. Cora Robertson, of Washougal, Wash., was in the neighborhood, the first of the week.

Harry Irven, of Portland, was recently a guest at the home of J. P. Woodie.

Gay Wilson is hauling milk now while Mr. McKay, the hauler, does some other work.

ELWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, of Oregon City, are at the home of Mrs. Brown's sister, Montie Cox, for an indefinite stay, while Mr. Brown, is recuperating, after an operation for adenoids and tonsils.

Miss Karna Freeman, has returned home after spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Emily Rowan, where she attended the Colton high school.

Miss Nellie Vallen and Mrs. Hazel Vallen have returned home, from Fairbanks, Wash., where Miss Vallen was employed in teaching school.

Mrs. Ella Rotter, of Portland, is Bittner, while her father and brother Willie are working in Oregon City.

Mr. F. N. Cadogan, wife and two children Irvin and Avia, W. T. Henderson and wife of Estacada, Oregon, visited relatives in this vicinity Sunday.

The Colton and Elwood Red Cross unit, meets at the home of Mrs. Shoberg, at Colton, Thursday afternoon June 6.

Miss Laura Meibs, who has been spending the winter at the Cox home, has returned to her home, for a few days, before leaving for White Salmon.

TWILIGHT

The Weisenbecks are entertaining a sister of Mr. Weisenbecks from the Walla Walla Country.

We recently discovered an individual to whom you couldnt ever explain a joke.

Dealers in this neighborhood are purchasing 75 pound sacks of shorts in Portland, delivered Oregon City, at 25 cents less per sack than Oregon City dealers sell it for. Hows that for profiteering. Recently we purchased a 24x30 single strength glass from a home merchant paying \$1.65 for it that we afterwards discovered could be bought in Portland second handed for 90 cents. Why should we patronize home merchants?

While the aphids is slightly affecting wheat it is seriously damaging spring oats. Gapeheens are unusually troublesome especially in the corn fields and the old hen wont set, who can censure us for pessimistic tendencies?

The Loyalty League is planning for a raising meeting night of June 28, War Stamp day and will enter in its membership the last Monday night in the month, just preceding the 28th, as an eye-opener, don't forget the date.

The Annual School meeting commences the evening of the 17th. In addition to the election of a member of the board for three and a school clerk, questions of much importance will come before that body. Every patron of the school should be present.

CLARKES

Mr. Walter Lee is working in Oregon City in the mills now.

Mrs. Lulu Larson from Sherwood, visited her sister, Mrs. David Moehne and family for a few days last week.

Mr. Edwin Bottmiller is working in Vancouver, visited his parents, Mr. John Gard and family over Sunday.

Mr. Pearl Keffer and family, visited her sister in Portland last Sunday.

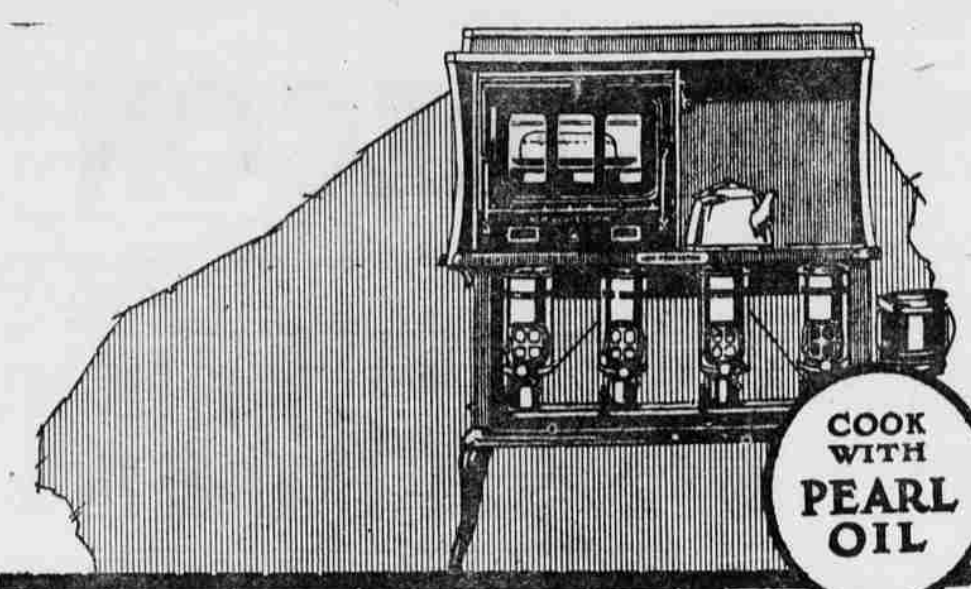
Mr. B. Sullivan was to Oregon City last week.

Mrs. Emma Muralt from Portland is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. F. Moehne, for a short time.

Miss Vera Coulter is very ill but we hope she will recover soon.

Born to the wife of Mr. Arthur Hornschuh, a son, on Saturday morning, May 25th and Mrs. Berg is taking care of them.

The Clarkes school closed on Monday, June 3rd, on account of centennial



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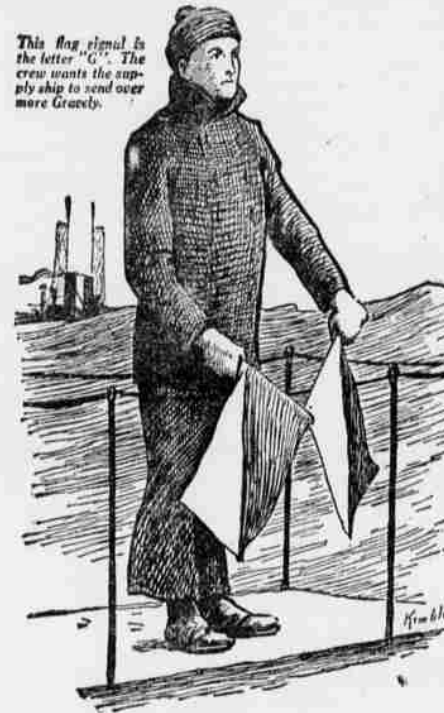
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Mr. Alvin Hornschuh and family and Mr. Henry Hottman and family visited Mr. D. F. Moehne and family, last Sunday.

Mr. David Moehne was to Portland last Friday on business.

Mr. Alpha Oades, who was drafted in the army, left last Thursday.

Miss Ella and Lillie Schiewe got the whooping cough.

Mr. Edwin Bottmiller and John Duol and Alvin Card took a trip to Wilhoit Springs last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. J. Keffer and family, visited her parents, Mr. Taylor and family, of Mulino, last Sunday.

Mr. Carl Stromgreen, of Colton, is building a new house.

Miss Florence Stromgreen is working in Portland.

Mr. W. H. Wettlaufer lost a horse last week, he had it tied to a rack and it hung itself.

Mr. Clayton White's chicken house burned last week and he lost his little chicks and some old hens and some potatoes.

Mrs. Dan Bateman was on the sick list, but is better again.

Mr. William Moehne operated the sawmill for the brother, David, last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Herman Chindgren and Mr. Preston Bonney, graded the side road with a tractor, last week.

Mr. David Moehne loaded two cars with lumber at Beaver Creek and shipped them last week.

Mr. H. C. Kleinsmith and family are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ringo took a trip to Salem last Sunday.

Mr. Bennie Lindau was to Oregon City last Saturday.

COLTON

The grammar school of New Colton had a very nice day for their picnic last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt and Mr. and Mrs. C. Dahlstrom and family, and Sunday with friends and relatives here.

Last Friday evening the eighth grade graduating exercises were held in the church. Rev. Hill was the speaker for the evening. A very interesting program was rendered by the graduating class.

Mr. A. Nelson was in Portland on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wall returned home from Seattle Saturday evening. Mr. A. Nelson was in Molalla Sunday.

Last Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Stromgren left here to go to the Old Folks' Home in Minnesota.

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