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REDLAND

Allison Allen had a collision with a cow some time ago. The Ford came out all O. K., but the cow received a broken leg. L. Funk is breaking up some new ground. Lee Kirchem is bedfast with a slight attack of the "flu." Mr. and Mrs. Hughes lost their foundation stock cow, Red Wing, valued at \$1000.00. Death was caused by a tumor. Bethel Sunday school held Easter exercises at the church with a good program. The ding dong of the school bells will soon be heard no more for awhile. The annual meeting of the Clear Creek Mutual Telephone company will be held at the Grange hall the first Monday in May. A number of our people attended the funeral of "Grandma" Miller at Viola Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Larson and son, William, of Vancouver, Wash., were visitors at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, recently. The weather of the last few days has been so pleasant as to give some delayed farming a chance to catch up. A number of young people spent Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Funk in honor of Ethel

and Alice. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Bullard, Mr. and Mrs. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Fullam, Clara Fullam, June Kirchem, Miss Augden, Jessie Bonney, Alice and Ethel Funk, John Fullam, Richard Warren, Alvin Bonney, Lyle Took, Mr. and Mrs. L. Funk, Walter Funk. The evening was pleasantly spent in singing and playing games. After refreshments were served all went home happy. J. F. Fullam is putting in about 14 acres of spud. Mrs. Harbon, former teacher of Dist. 75, was a visitor at Mrs. Fullam's home last week. Ethel Funk, who has been working in Oregon City, is home for the summer. Herbert Carlson and Walter Emmet have a slight attack of the "Flu." ICE CREAM SOCIAL An ice cream social is to be given by the Fallsview school, district No. 101, of Mulino, Oregon, at the Beachon Heights hall, May 17, 1919. The program will begin at 8 o'clock. After the program ice cream will be sold, which will be followed by a dance. Admission will be 10c. Dance number, 25c. Don't miss a chance. Everyone welcome. Be sure and bring all of your relations and friends.—Adv.

LOGAN

This is the time of year when we can repeat the lines of the old song, slightly changed, "Sweet prospects, sweet birds and sweet flowers have not lost their sweetness to me." Speaking about birds—the kind that are appropriately called clippers which clip off early cherry blooms just to get the heart, which is about as large as a wheat grain, are surely not in the useful class, and seem to be a mistake in nature's plan. Maybe we can afford to forgive the robins

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PARKPLACE

We were very shocked to hear of the death of Mr. Knight, for many years a resident of Parkplace. He died very suddenly in Portland. He had been living with his daughter for several months. Another resident of Parkplace, Walter Moore, died this week of pneumonia at his home in Seaside. His mother, Mrs. John Moore, had been with him for several weeks. We had a splendid Grange meeting last Saturday. Mrs. Hammond talked on "Birds of Oregon," and it was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Mrs. Brayton and Mrs. Porter were guests of Mrs. Burnette, and Mrs. Pope Tuesday at a luncheon party. The ladies had a very good time. Mrs. Pope made the trip to Gladstone in her machine, and brought Mrs. Porter over, taking her home in the evening. Miss Laura Brunner and Miss Dorothy Blake passed through Parkplace last Wednesday on their usual journey to and from Oregon City high school. We are always glad to have former residents with us. Come through again. Miss Gertrude Blood, of Portland Heights, visited with her grandmother, Mrs. Brayton, last Sunday.

CHERRYVILLE

Clear skies and balmy breezes. California has nothing on us in the way of delightful spring weather. The month of May cannot be much pleasanter than April, now over and gone. Mrs. Couper and her youngest son, Thial, returned to the ranch from Portland after an absence of over a year. Dorothy and George, Jr., still hold their jobs in town. The timber cruiser, Mr. Lake, has finished his job of cruising the timber tract of Henry Noble near Brightwood. It is reported that he esti-



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ROBEY VICE PRESIDENT OF NEWS ORGANIZATION

C. W. Robey, publisher of the Courier, was elected vice president of the newly organized Oregon Newspaper Conference at the first annual meeting of the new association in the college of Journalism in Eugene last Friday and Saturday. The old Willamette Valley Editorial association was merged into the Conference at the meeting. The Oregon City Courier and the Oregon Farmer, both for \$1.15.

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The report by counties follows: County Acres Baker 16,400 Benton 850 Clackamas 40 Clatsop None Columbia None Coos None Curry 1,100 Crook 23,000 Deschutes 12,400 Douglas 2,940 Gilliam 4,720 Grant 11,000 Harney 213,180 Hood River 50 Jackson 1,920 Jefferson 2,820 Josephine 1,775 Klamath 9,000 Lake 112,900 Lane 960 Linn None Lincoln 440 Malheur 240,750 Marion None Morrow 880 Multnomah None Polk None Sherman 1,500 Tillamook 160 Umatilla 3,200 Union 2,360 Wallowa 3,680 Wasco 3,080 Washington None Wheeler 5,580 Yamhill 93

HOUSES AT COST LIVE WIRE PLAN

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Real homes of the old-fashioned kind would be furnished at the lowest possible figure. Suitable houses can be built at a cost of between \$1,500 and \$2,500, according to the report. Most of them will probably range between \$1,500 and \$2,000, including lots. It is proposed that each house be constructed on a full lot so there will be room for small gardens. Regarding sale of the houses and possibilities of the project the report continues: "These houses will be sold to the workers on a basis of 10 per cent. immediate payment on the cost of the lot and building and the remainder in small monthly payments, commencing after the houses are completed and turned over. These payments to run over a term of years and to be practically the same as rent, but to be figured on a basis of principal and interest being paid for a term of years, so that outside of the initial payment, the purchase of one of these homes would practically be paying rent. "With \$50,000 we could easily finance a proposition to build an indefinite number of houses, for the contracts as they were made, could be turned over to banks and additional money borrowed on them at a very reasonable rate of interest, so the money could keep turning over and over and houses could be kept building right along. "Our plan is to work this on the basis of turning over the lot and building at actual cost and it is not a money making scheme in any sense.

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Additional Locals

S. A. Douglas, a prominent farmer of Molalla route No. 2, has recovered from a fracture of the right arm, which he sustained eight weeks ago when he attempted to crank his Maxwell while the starter and magneto were out of order. Mr. Douglas' many friends will be glad to learn that he is now able to be about. Miss Esther Harris, of this city, was a guest of Miss Eva Dye at Corvallis over part of the week-end. She also visited with friends at Monmouth before returning to Oregon City. Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fisher surprised them last Saturday night in a birthday party for Mrs. Fisher. Cards and dancing were the diversions. The Willamette orchestra furnished music. Supper was served at midnight. The dance continued until dawn. More than 30 were in attendance.

DIED

Gustave Griebel of Canemah, died of heart disease at his home Tuesday evening. He was born in Germany, Nov. 6, 1840 and came to the United States about 40 years ago. He is survived by his nephew, G. Turner, and a niece, Mrs. Agnes Gold. Funeral services were held at the Holman and Pace rooms this morning (Thursday) at 11 o'clock, with interment in the Mountain View cemetery. Mrs. Munden Dies Mrs. Anna Munden, wife of Nelson Munden of Clackamas, died April 22 at the Oregon City hospital following an illness of several months. She was 48 years old. Mrs. Munden was born in Wisconsin. Her husband is her only near relative in the northwest. Funeral services will be held from the rooms of Holman and Pace Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock, with interment in the Clackamas cemetery. Courier and Farmer, both for \$1.15

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Speeders Arrested

Two speeders were taken in charge by Motorcycle Officer Meads April 23 on the New Era road. C. G. Jackson was driving his Ford about 35 miles an hour when the officer requested him to slow down and report to the Justice of the Peace. Mrs. Lamp, of Canby, was also taken in charge for driving round 35 miles per hour on the New Era road. Both parties appeared before the judge and will stand trial later this week.

To Use Day Labor

Completion of two local paving projects will be brought about by day labor in the absence of bids from contractors, it was decided at a meeting of the county court. The work is to be done on the old South End road and east of Baker's station.

Cruelty Grounds

Lillie May Amos was granted a divorce from Fred E. Amos in circuit court here last week on the grounds of cruelty.

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