

CLACKAMAS COUNTY

THE ENTERPRISE CORRESPONDENTS SWEEP THE FIELD.

Normal Notes—Interesting Letter From the State Normal School by a Clackamas County Student.

MOSMOUTH, May 1.—On April 17 began the fourth and last term of school for the year. The attendance is never so large the last term of the school year on account of many students having left to take charge of spring schools. The number in the senior class, however, remains about the same, there being nearly fifty.

Only three of Clackamas county's representatives are in attendance now, viz: A. D. E. Elmer and Harry Gard of Clarks, and William Vaughan of Molalla.

Harry Lee went home at the close of the third term. He was an industrious student and always among the first in his class. It is hoped he will return next year to take the junior course.

A. D. E. Elmer is one of those who makes the best of his time at school. Especially is he proficient in drawing, being the best in his class.

Last week twenty-seven representatives of the State Normal Y. W. C. A. attended the first state convention of that association held at Forest Grove, lasting from Friday till Monday. All were greatly benefited and returned home with a greater zeal for the work.

Kate Casto, a former resident of Clackamas county, will graduate this year with a high grade. This is her second year at the Normal.

There are only seven weeks more of school, and preparations have begun for commencement exercises, which will last three days, June 19th, 20th and 21st. The entertainment will consist of, beside the graduating exercises, athletic sports and art displays.

MAY DAY EXERCISES.

The West Side School Appropriately Observes the Day—Two May Queens.

WEST SIDE, May 2.—May Day on the West Side was appropriately celebrated Monday afternoon by the West Side school, both departments participating. In the principal department Miss Louise Follensbee was elected May Queen and Leola Fairchild in the primary grade. Nickie Humphreys and Bud Chambers were elected respectively to crown them and act as their escorts. Lizzie Baker, Hattie Thompson, Jessie Humphreys and Carrie Chambers acted as tellers. Misses Permelia Smith, Jessie Humphreys, Edith Spooner and Vernie Boddoff acted as maids of honor, and Frank Martin, Dave Jones, Cal. Montgomery and David Schalene as knights of honor. A very beautiful wreath of cut flowers was made by Permelia Smith and presented by Lizzie Baker, and with this the May Queen was duly crowned and seated in a bower of flowers. A wreath of apple blossoms was used for the queen of the primary department. After the people had all passed in review and each received a beautiful bouquet, the chosen queen and her attendants led the way to the woods where a pleasant hour was spent in gathering wild flowers. After their return to the schoolroom each of the little queens made a beautiful speech, after which all went to their homes having had a pleasant half holiday—a holiday which is greatly enjoyed and of practical benefit, and which we hope to see more generally observed in our public schools.

Molalla.

MOLALLA, May 1.—The World's Fair farmers are getting desperate because they cannot do their seeding.

Winter wheat looks quite well in the foot hills south of the prairie.

Frank S. L. Bagby and his brother Robert are wrestling with the grip. "Bob" has recovered his appetite.

Uncle Tom Simpson has sold his farm in Russellville to a family from Portland for \$1300.

Samuel L. Dart is moving his barn across Rock creek. He don't like swimming the creek to feed his horses every freshet.

Herman Bros. sawed an iron "dog" last

week in one of their too close lines, with considerable damage to the saw which the senior partner soon righted without the usual delay attending such cuts.

Oh, no! \$250 is not a steep license for a three-year's run in the saloon business, when you remember that \$1200 would be the regular rate. Lucky man!

The Methodists have a protracted meeting at the Sanders church.

The Southern Methodists will hold their quarterly meeting at the Teasel creek church the second Sunday in May; their annual camp meeting will take place about the middle of June in the grove.

Joe Harliss was feeling quite game the other evening. He says it is a boy.

Joseph Wilhoit starts this week for the mines in British Columbia.

When directors request a school teacher not to read the Bible in the school they are probably afraid the children might learn some reasonable cause for their existence.

Canby Cuttings.

CANBY, April 26.—The Southern Pacific railroad company has been very busy with a large force of men shoveling and hauling gravel for the improvement of the road.

Wm. Brown from Aurora has rented a house and moved into Canby.

O. H. Barber has sold his farm near Macksburg and rented a house from Isaac Frost and moved into town.

Mrs. Lucy Hodges returned home from a month's visit to her daughter living near Prineville, Eastern Oregon.

W. S. Kellogg has opened up a meat market in connection with his Candy and cigar store.

Robbins & Son were in town with several teams hauling out goods to their store in Molalla the past week.

Several of the Canbyites went fishing for trout Saturday, but came home with a half dozen suckers.

A. N. Cook has sold his tract of land in Canby, and will accompany Mr. Norton to the coast in a few days.

Milo Lee, who is just learning to ride a bicycle, had quite a misfortune Sunday evening, by upsetting his bicycle in a big mudhole. He went in head first, the wheel following suit and falling on him.

The Canby base ball club will give a grand ball in Knight's hall Friday evening, May 5. Music by Hubbard's string band. Supper will be served at Knight's hotel. Tickets, including supper, \$1.50. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

James Rawlins returned home from Scappoose Saturday.

Clyde Phillips departed for Southern Oregon Thursday.

FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

CANBY, May 3.—The city charter has at last arrived and the election committee has given notice that on the tenth of May we will have our first election.

There will be a meeting of the prohibitionists in the church Friday evening to have a kind of a city rally.

The Good Templars held their regular quarterly election last Saturday evening, electing as chief templar George Knight, vice templar Elvira Lee, superintendent of juvenile temple A. H. Knight, chaplain N. Doucet, secretary Millard Lee, financial secretary Bertha Knight, treasurer W. M. Shank, marshal Esie Lee, guard Delta Shank, sentinel Willard Knight. These officers will be installed the first Saturday evening in May. The lodge now numbers about sixty-five members.

Grafters have all finished their work for this season, and some of the grafts are growing nicely. About one million and a half grafts were set this year by the various nursery men.

The Christian denomination is making rapid preparations toward their new church building. They have purchased a lot from Mrs. Rogers, and raised nearly eight hundred dollars by subscription.

Dix's saw mill has probably closed down for quite a time as the men have all gone to the Columbia river to cut telegraph poles.

The Lee estate has been making several sales during the last few days. A Mr. Coe of Dakota has purchased ten acres and George Koehler forty. The county deputy was up Monday and did the surveying.

Services were conducted in the M. E. church Sunday morning by Rev. Gardner, and at 1:30 p. m. by a German Methodist,

and again in the evening by Rev. Gardner, his subject being "Stepping Stones Upward," an exhortation to the young people.

Mr. L. Gardner rode his wheel from Salem to Barlows last Friday in five hours, but from Barlows to Canby he preferred the cars.

Rev. P. B. Williams will address the church goes on the doctrines of the Bible three evenings, commencing Monday evening, May 8, at the M. E. church.

Maple Lane.

MAPLE LANE, May 1.—Wet, water, soaked. Is that grammatical? Anyway it expresses the condition of the ground hereabouts.

Seeding is not yet all done. Considerable garden was planted last week during the dry spell.

A. Straak is back again, and the cheerful hum of his saw and steel sledge is again heard. His brother from East Portland has moved up and has been occupying E. W. Swafford's house.

Mr. Bell from Southern Iowa has rented J. P. Watkins' place for eight months. He reports severe snow storms and cyclones raging when he left Iowa. For one I am satisfied with Oregon.

Frank Kellogg has put out a fine lot of berries of different kinds this spring.

Frank Bafford has between one and two hundred cords of wood cut for Mr. Brayton. Isaac and Mrs. Surfus are away attending the quarterly meeting of the United Brethren church.

FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.

MAPLE LANE, May 1.—If "April showers bring May flowers" what an abundance of flowers we will have this month.

Mrs. J. K. Morris spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mautz.

D. J. Finn called on old friends last Saturday. He intends building a cottage soon in Portland.

Miss Anna Anderson has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Taylor.

John Darling is grubbing up his old orchard.

Orville Notes.

ORVILLE, April 29.—We are glad to see sunshine once more.

A church meeting was held at the new church Tuesday, the object of which was to see how the church stood financially, as the society expects to dedicate the building the first Sunday in May, and the debts have to all be paid first. Quite an extensive program has been prepared and a good time is expected.

Mrs. D. J. Herstine, of Winthrop, Washington, is here, visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Perdue.

Messrs. Cochran and Elliott, after quite a lively chase of about two hours today, captured a silver gray fox.

Our road supervisor was looking over the roads one day last week preparatory to making his monthly report. We believe Mr. Carter is doing all that is in his power for the good of the roads.

The new road running between R. C. Grimm and F. M. Sanson is now open for travel, the new bridge across Rock creek having been completed.

Mrs. J. E. Sneider has returned from Nebraska where she has been making quite an extended visit with friends and relatives.

Cherryville Chips.

CHERRYVILLE, April 26.—Between showers the ranchers of the foot hills are getting their crops planted.

The snow is receding toward the mountains; soon the white topped wagons will be seen crossing the mountains, and the voice of the cowboy will be heard in the land.

L. E. Parker of Oregon City was visiting his brother D. W. Parker last week.

J. W. Beatty has been chosen superintendent of the Mount Hood and Barlow road company. D. W. Parker succeeds him as gate keeper.

Salmon river is to have a new bridge of about ninety-six feet span. It is needed badly.

The Duke brothers are moving the old Cherryville stand.

Charley Shank has gone to Gresham to work.

G. T. Beebe is happy. It's a girl; born April 19th. All doing well.

Miss Minnie Flinn has returned home after a stay of six weeks in Pleasant Valley, Woodson.

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Mountain View Items.

MOUNTAIN VIEW, May 2.—Indications are that there will be an abundance of fruit this year. Strawberry plants that were set out in March and April are loaded with blossoms.

Our meat market has changed hands again, Nichols and May having sold out. The last purchasers keep up the good reputation of the concern.

Born, April 22, to the wife of C. Schibel, a daughter. Chris is the happiest man on the hill now.

Mrs. Harris has moved to Canby where she has rented a hotel.

Dudley Worsham, who has been in California since October '91, was visiting at Ed. May's Sunday.

Mrs. Mendall and her daughter Elsie were calling on some of their friends on the hill this week.

Mr. Frederick's new house is nearing completion and A. F. Buckets has moved into his. He intends to have it painted as soon as the weather will permit.

Hark! Can't we hear wedding bells? Two weddings are rumored for the near future. Get the cage ready first, boys; that is the way.

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