Union Hall Happenings.

Union Hall, May 17 .- The lumber for a new Congregational church at Phelps' Corners is being placed on the ground.

Everybody is enjoying the May showers. part of the country. No sickness in this vicinity and our doctors have plenty of time to hoe in the gar- ing her friend Delsie Newell the past few den and see the flowers.

Road work is the order of business in this neighborhood. Mr. Dimick, our road boss, J. Tong's one day this week. should be complimented on the efficient work done on the Canby and Oregon City

in this county as a lecturer, made our school the residence of Mr. H. A. Allen was one of a pleasant visit last Friday afternoon. No the most enjoyable affairs of the season. preparation had been made by the pupils A short program was rendered after which or teacher and the daily program was car- came the "pies." The gentlemen fished ried out. The doctor was well pleased and through the keyhole and the ladies took entertained, hearing the pupils recite their hold of the hook-some declared there was ington. lessons, and at the close of the program different kind of bait used. After playing Mr. Casto gave a half hour talk which was several social games all returned home. attentively listened to by the pupils. In There were between 50 and 60 present. his remarks he told of his school days and the advantages the pupils of this district Sunday afternon at 4 p. m. at Bethel church have over some districts in this county and by Rev. A. A Hurd. throughout the state, with the latest and best methods of instruction, the latest im- will be held every Wednesday evening at proved seats, charts, fine blackboard, new so'clock sharp. roller maps, nice globe, and access to the latest and best papers which Mr. Warner day evening May 20. Everybody invited. Henry Reed. had on the table. There was the Oregon City Extendence, Herald, Silverton Appeal, Cincinnati Weekly Enquirer, Pittsburg Commercial Gazette, Cleveland Ledger, Funk on the sick list. Ohio State Journal, Detroit Free Press, Cosmopolitan and Scientific Ameriaco, Scribner's and McCiure's magazines, Harper's Weekly, Round Table and Bazaar and the Christian Herald.

Mr. Raugh has the finest potato patch, J. H, Burns the best corn and Messrs. on his wheel Phelps and Velrpaugh the nicest wheat in this vicinity. The old soldiers will meet at the school

house in district, No. 81, the last Friday of this month. A good time is expected. Miss Eliza Burns and Miss Daisy Phelps day.

will probably graduate in the common studies this year.

The school children are improving their noons and recesses in gathering wild strawberries, which are beginning to ripen.

#### Sunnyside News.

SUNNYSIDE, May 18 .- Mrs. Wells and two returned to Portland. Katie Christian also

Quite a number of our people went over to West Portland Friday and Saturday to attend the district quarterly conference. It being the first of this conference year,

Rev. Wiles occupied the pulpit here and friends. preached a grand sermon from Dan. XII 10

to quite a good congregation. Last Tuesday night a society meeting was called to order to elect a S. S. superintendent for their conference year. Mrs. Wm. halchery on the head waters of the Clack- cinct would look after the roads in their Barett was elected. Next Sunday the rest arms river and the old Indian trail to Oak own vicinity there would be less growling of the officers will be elected, also a change in the classes will be made and the new teacher will be appointed. All are hoping business Saturday. to have a good Sabath school this year.

Rev.C.L. Crook went to Happy Hollow a week ago last Sunday at 2 o'clock to organize a Sunady school in the S. H. for the complaining of the drouth and prophesyyear, and last Sunday a few of us went over ing that the clover crop will be a failure. and found a large number of children gath- In some places clover is now beginning to ered at the appointed place ready to learn bloom and is not over six inches high. A

We as a Christian nation should do all we be very beneficial to most of the growing can to encourage the Sabbath schools, and crops. discourage Subbath desecration. Their swful | Some spud planting is being done but the heathen practices of ball playing, boxing, main crop will not be planted until the last etc., should be done away with.

Mrs. Tawny has recovered her child which her husband stole away while she was at church the preceeding Sabbath,

Clara Cotty has gone to Portland to assist who is again quite sick.

recovering very slowly. Norra Barrett has ing. taken her situation until she will be able to go back

We miss our young people very much in Sabbath school.

Fred Beacher were out home to stay over cattle were lost there during the winter, he Sabbath a week ago, some thief broke into having lost one-third of his number, yet their house and stole nearly every thing not being as heavy a loser as some others. they had in there botching with all their eatables, clothes, dishes, dish pan, flour barrel | district at present. etc. etc. Its a shame any one could be so heartless as to disturb three young men, who were attending school. Frank had lost an arithmetic some time before and Thursday. Fisher Bros. are the builders. went to a second hand store to get another and found his own there. Shame on the boldness of some creature.

#### Damascus Notes.

Danascus, May 16.-The dance given at the Damascus hall was a grand success. There was an excellent supper and plenty of good dancers.

There will be a dance at Mr. Polsen's June 12th. The best of music will be furnished and all are invited.

A few of the people here attended the conference meeting at Sunnyside last month.

There will be Christian services every third Sunday at the Rock Creek school house; morning and afternoon meetings. Sunday School at 10 a. m.

Albert Cook is working on the road between his farm and the store. We are glad

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last week. There will be singing at Frank Day's resi-

dence next Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Tong went to Oregon City

Wild strawberries are ripening in this

Mrs. Barrett of Sunnyside was a visitor at | Walla.

#### Redland Notes.

REDLAND, May 17 .- The pie social given Dr. J. Casto, favorably and well known by the Y. P. S. C. E. last Friday evening at comunity are through seeding and the pros-

There will be preaching services every

The Y. P. S. C. E. and prayer meetings

Revival meetings will begin next Thurs-Miss Barrett has returned home after a week's visit at Portland and Oregon City. We are sorry to report Miss Augusta the ablest musicians in the county.

to the grain and gardens.

There was preaching at Bethel church yesterday. Herman Jones of Oregon City was visit- work.

ing at C. Sprague's Sunday. He came out The ball at B. F. Linn's hall on Saturday Baptist church. evening was an occasion that will be long

remembered by the young people. Mrs. Barkley and Mrs. Shipley of West future for the summer vacation. Oregon City were visiting Mrs. Linn Sun-

Rev. Quinby, pastor of the Redland M. E. church is on the sick list and consequently there was no preaching yesterday, boy

The Redland M. E. church is arranging a splendid program for Children's day, June 13. All are invited to come and enjoy a good time. The exercises will commence children, who have been visiting Mrs. at 10 o'clock. They are talking of having Christian's family for the past week, have a program for Children's day at the Bethel church, also.

W. Ward, our road boss has been at work with his son in the lower end of town.

Miss Mabel Cummins and brother of Damascus were visiting F. E. Linn and in pretty good condition. wife the first of the week. Come again

William Brown was at the county seat on

#### Stafford Notes.

STAFFORD, May 17.-Some people are copious supply of rain would undoubtedly

of the month or the first of next. Wm. Schatz is having some stumps

blasted out back of his vineyard. Jno. Schieve has bought a wheel.

The literary which meets here on Sunday in carring for her grand mother, Mrs. Phillips, afternoon attracts a large crowd. A rousing paper published by Messrs. Gage and Kesiah Wiles, who had gone to Portland Weddle, two of our noted literary writers to spend the summer, came home sick, is is the center of attraction for today's meet-

Cap. Hayes is spending a few days in

J. Q. Gage has returned from the coast country. He reports the roads to be in While Frank Griffeth, Wallace Beebe and good condition over the mountains. Many Much road work is being done in our

> A dance was given at Larson's last evening and about 20 couples were present. B. F. Baker's barn will be raised next In some orchards the cherries and prunes are badly damaged and the crops will undoubtedly be light.

> Many of the farmers are clearing up new tracts which they will plant to late potatoes.

AIMS, May 17 .- Mr. and Mrs. Lambert of Scotts Mills are visiting at J. A. Hickman's. James Pulley of Bridal Veil is visiting his sister, Mrs. Neil Lewis.

Harry Bramball was laid up last week with a gathering on his right hand. Charlie Bailey of Bridal Veil visited with relatives and friends over Sunday.

Ora Hickman returned home from Scotts Mills, Sunday, where he has been at work all winter.

Mrs. J. Taylor has been quite sick but is getting better now

Joe Bramhall and Miss Jessie Wakefield took dinner Sunday with Seigle White's entire July 1st.

Mr. Bowen of Portland spent Sunday with Clark Harding and wife.

### Borings Breezes.

Ole Aemisegger was very pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by a party of young people, the occasion being his twenty-first birthday. The evening was spent in dancing, the music being furnished by the Fern Hill string band and Mr. Welch from Salmon River. Those present were the Misses Clara Meinig, Tillie Bruns, Minta Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Birdsall, Estella Richey, Lucena Richey Church, Helena, Mont. and Rosie Vetsch, Messra, A. O. Meinig, E. F. Bruns, W. Weich, E. C. Strowbridge cure for catarrh and contains no mercury B. Richey, J. S. Richey, A. Spalinger, W. nor any injurious drug. Price, 50 cents.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY to see it, as the road was in bad condition. Richey, E. S. Richey, A. Vetsch, E. Bohna. Andrew Vetsch made a trip to Washingentertainment, May 22d, at the hall. All ton county last week for the purpose of in specting some of those fine dairy barns that A. Newell went to Portland on business are to be seen there. Mr. Vetsch contemplates the erection of a barn which will be, when completed, one of the finest in this section of the country.

Minta Birdsall who is teaching at Salmon River was home on a visit Saturday and

Bert Richey returned home from Kill Kattie Allen was out from Portland visit- gaver where he has been at work for the three months. He will stay at home about two weeks after which he will go to Walla

#### Logan Locals,

LOGAN, May 17.-We are having warm sunshine weather. The farmers in this pects are bright for bountiful crops.

Mr. Philip Kohl and his son, George, made a business trip to Portland last week. Miss Emma Fallert has returned home from a visit with relatives at Kalama, Wash-

Miss Matilda Reed was given a surprise party at her home last Friday evening Among those present were Misses Coroline Swales, Petre Telleson, Bessie Reed, Maggie Riebhoff, and Matilda Reed, Mrs. Martin Johnston and Messrs Fred Riebhoff. James and Charles Hattan, Willard W. Austen, Eli, Henry and Ben Swales, Leonard Newkirk, Martin Johnston, Charles Shunway, Martin Frakes, Madison and

Prof. Eugene Ogle, of Molalla, was in this neighborhood last Saturday. He is one of

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnston made a fly-The rain of last evening did much good ing business trip to Bridgeport last Satur-Mr. W. Gibbs and family have moved to

> Portsmouth where Mr. Gibbs expects to Rev. H. T. Cummins, of Orient, preached last Sunday morning and evening, at the

The schools in this vicinity are all progressing nicely and shall close in the near

#### Greenwood Notes.

GREENWOOD, May 17 .- Born May 9 to the wife of David Penman, Jr., an eight pound

D. H. Tuttle has traded his place to Mr. Anderson of Eagle Creek. Several of the young people of Greenwood attended church at Central Point,

Sunday evening. There will be preaching at the Greenwood AND GENERAL choolhouse next Sunday at 3 o'clock by

Mr. Porter of Oregon City. C. H. Rider took a trip to Canemah on his wheel, Saturday, and reports the roads

Several of the farmers of this vicinity have been doing some volunteer work on Mr. Lundigan of Hog Hollow was seen the hill beyond the bridge, north of Beaver in town bright and early Sunday morning. Creek. After grading the hill, they intend W. W. Carpenter intends starting for to plank it which will make it much better Eastern Oregon soon. He will go by the than before. If the farmers of each preand better roads.

Mr. McCormack of Portland spent Sunday with his family at this place.

Miss Nora Gregory is visiting relatives at Mulino.

#### Mulino News.

MULINO, May 17 .- The weather has been very warm for the past week but yesterday it rained enough to settle the dust.

Most of the farmers have their spring grain in now.

Carlisle Brothers' new shingle mill will soon be running. Mr. Dodge of Liberal Best Quality of Cold also has a mill in the southern part of Mulino that will soon be running full blast. Mrs. Critzer and little daughter have been very sick for the past week but are getting better now.

Miss Gregory of Hog Hollow is visiting her aunt Mrs. Critzer.

Miss Lena Nelson who has been staying at Mr. Mulvey's and going to school has gone to Oregon City to stay with her father who has a hop yard down there.

School is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Miller of Oregon City. The basket social and dance at Pane's school house last Saturday night was not as Seventh St between Main and Depot grand as was expected. Frank Erickson and family were visiting

friends in the mountains Sunday.

#### Viola News.

VIOLA, May 16 .- Mrs. M. E. Karten gave the young ladies of her school a pleasant party Saturday afternoon. The time was spent in picking wool, and a dainty luncheon of lemonade, cake, etc. was served. Various games were played and a good time enjoyed by all.

Prof. W. H. Dobyns and family of Canby were visiting Mrs. Dobyns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hayden, the last of the

week. The Sunday School and Epworth League are doing nicely with E. N. Brock as superintendent and leader.

Decoration day will be observed here on Friday, May 28. The Bethel school will join the Viola school in the exercises. A splendid program is being arranged. We hope to see all the patrons and friends of both schools out to do honor to that day.

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