

CORRESPONDENCE

Our correspondents will please send in articles before Wednesdays of each week, otherwise it reaches us too late for publication.

Marquam

MARQUAM, June 10.—A week ago last Friday evening about thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Marquam invaded their home and spent a very pleasant evening, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their wedding.

Last week our school closed with a very fitting program and picnic. The program was rendered in the grove; the day being very windy made it very difficult for the crowd to hear much of the speaking, especially of the smaller children.

Lloyd and Ray Marquam are at home again. Their schools closed the last of May.

Mr. G. W. Bently had two men helping him grub stumps on his place last week.

Rev. Quinn, of Eastern Oregon, has been visiting his brother at Marquam for some time. He preached in the M. E. church a week ago last Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Garret was quite ill last week.

Remember the Glad Tidings camp-meeting starts June 20. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend the services; come and camp on the grounds if possible.

Children's day was observed in the M. E. church last Sunday. An excellent program was rendered in the evening to a full house.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Killen, of Elliott Prairie, were visitors in Marquam last Sunday. Their presence at church in the morning cheered their many friends.

Mr. James Marquam, our road supervisor, is doing good work on the roads this spring.

Mr. Ernest Hartman, of Eastern Oregon, is in Marquam this week. Some say he is on business, others say there is another attraction here.

Boelab Harman has a very smiling countenance this week. We can guess the cause.

Mr. Jack is in the midst of strawberry business this week.

The Epworth League of this place will give an ice cream and a raspberry festival on Friday evening, June 14. Come, one and all.

Our Motto is High Quality and low prices. Miss Goldsmith.

Willott

WILLOTT, June 9.—Road Boss Boyles is doing splendid work on our roads. Mrs. Nicholson and family, of Marquam, were seen passing through this section one day last week.

Jones' logging camp has been shut down for the past few days on account of a crippled man and recent rains.

Mr. Slaughter and son-in-law finished a contract of hauling forty thousand feet of lumber last Wednesday for Mr. McLearn.

Needy

NEEDY, June 8.—Philip Mohr is building an addition on the residence of C. C. Molson.

Mr. Gahler cut his clover hay last week. There has been quite a spell of rainy weather this week.

The Needy Cyclone nine met the Macksburg Cyclones in a fierce game of base ball and the score was 21 to 7 in Macksburg's favor.

The Needy Tornado nine played the Macksburg Scrub nine Sunday forenoon and the game resulted 17 to 7 in favor of the Tornadoes.

Some of our new bicycle riders east of Needy ride to town in a zig zag way at the rate of 2 1/2 miles an hour, but soon they may be the crack-a-jacks of Needy.

Maple Lane

MAPLE LANE, June 11.—Mr. and Mrs. E. Baillie, of Portland, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Baillie.

Grandma Dickerson is at home, after an extended visit with relatives in Canemah.

G. W. Swallow, of Hutside Gardens, has a number of hands picking strawberries.

Miss Ona Renner, of Oregon City, visited at the home of Thos. Davies Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. Hendri and daughters, Myrtle and Irene, of Ely, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shelley.

Arthur Forbes, a student at Willamette University, has returned home to spend vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Forbes.

W. O. Dickerson spent a few days of last week fishing in the upper Molalla and reports excellent success.

Mrs. H. W. Richards is home again after a five months absence at Woodstock. She was accompanied by her

daughter, Mrs. S. S. Jennings and family, who will spend the summer here. Rev. W. H. Latoorette and family have arrived from Oakland, Cal. and will spend the summer on the old housestead.

J. R. Davies, sr. of Cleburn, Texas, was given a birthday party on the 9th inst at the home of his brother, Thos. Davies. The time was very pleasantly spent in a social way. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Davies and family, J. R. Davies, sr., Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hankins, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davies, jr. Miss Ona Renner, George and Glen Hankins.

New trimmed hats at popular prices. Miss Goldsmith.

Milwaukie

The graduating exercises of the Milwaukie school were held in the town hall Tuesday evening. The programme consisted of Solo, Fred Rogers, of Portland; recitation, "The Tramps Story," Alvin Schmale, recitation, "The Little Half-worn Shoe," Annie Thiessen; class address, "The Critical Age," Chaplain W. S. Gilbert; presentation of diplomas, by R. Scott, chairman board of directors; song, "America," by all. The class consisted of Annie Thiessen, Victor Irwin, Alvin Schmale, Leroy Johnson and Leo Johnson. The class address was one of exceptional merit, and the marked attention of the audience was an evidence of their thorough appreciation of the chaplain's sound and wholesome counsel.

As no assignment had been made by the G. A. R. for speaking in the Milwaukie school, Mr. J. B. Huntington and General Compton, of Portland, volunteered to perform that patriotic duty there. It was a great treat to the school and one which they appreciated highly. Mr. Huntington's talk was full of patriotic fervor and was a good illustration of the fact that a military career is not necessary to make a man deeply patriotic.

General Compton's talk was that of an old veteran, and, as the children desired, was about some of those greatest of all battles of the Civil War. His personal recollections of these added life to what may be but dead history to a child. The close attention of the pupils and their singing of "America" and "The Star-Spangled Banner" greatly pleased the speakers, and they went home feeling no small degree of gratification as the result of their kind service.

On June 5, the day after school closed, the whole school went on a picnic excursion to Gladstone Park, where the day was spent in a very enjoyable manner, although the weather was not the most favorable for such an occasion.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Directors, after settling up all business matters for the past year, they re-elected the present corps of teachers for the next year.

Eagle Creek

EAGLE CREEK, June 10.—Still it continues to rain.

Roland Douglas has returned home from the saw-mill, where he has been working for the last month, as he is going to try painting for a few days.

Mr. Casto, from Canby, organized a Grange at Eagle Creek last Friday, with 26 members and more to follow.

C. H. Douchy is out from Gladstone working on the Armstrong farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Douglas went to Portland last week.

J. P. Woodie and his son Guy are building a barn for Mr. Redderbusch at Sandy.

H. Gibson, from Oregon City, was visiting friends at Eagle Creek last week.

Mrs. James Gibson has a new carpet.

Miss Grace Douglas is expected home from Eastern Oregon this week.

Redland

REDLAND, June 11.—Rain seems to be the order of the day now.

The weeds are getting ahead of the garden, thus making it very bad to put the same in good shape.

Grass and grain are making good growth and promise a good crop. Potatoes also are doing well.

The children rendered their pieces very nicely Children's Day and all present enjoyed themselves.

Miss Maude Stone, who has been in Portland undergoing an operation on her eye, is able to be home again. Claude, her brother, spent Sunday visiting her in the metropolis.

Dan Watts and Albert Wheeler, of Stone, are employed in B. F. Lion's mill.

Harry Mosher attended the joint teachers association at Willburg Saturday. He has just concluded a seven months term of school at Frog Pond in which he gave general satisfaction.

Geo. Spees and family spent Sunday visiting their daughter in Portland.

Leonard Newkirk and wife, accompanied by his mother, brother and sister, Bird and Eva, spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Newkirk's mother, Mrs. S. S. Mosher.

P. Bolander is fast completing Herman Shalinger's new barn, which is 40 by 60.

Miss Meldrum, of Oregon City, will close a three months term of school, the Evergreen school District No. 70, this coming Friday.

F. W. Sprague and L. Mosher spent last week prospecting on the upper Molalla for gold and copper. About the copper we can't say, but they got a first class gold.

Louis Murdoch, of Macksburg, was visiting here over Sunday.

Freddie and Ora Wilcox went to Macksburg yesterday to attend the K. O. T. M. picnic.

Harry Mosher was calling on Stone friends yesterday.

New arrivals daily in Ready to Wear Hats at Miss Goldsmith.

Molalla

MOLALLA, June 11.—The oak leaves show the work of some insect life in this locality.

Vegetation is becoming immense. The question now hangs: how is all this clover to be cured if this rain continues much longer?

The Maccabees are arranging to organize a Tent here. There is also talk of organizing a Grange.

J. D. Jordan has sold his ranch of 640 acres including the hop yard, considera-

LOOKING BACK

To the time when she was plucked from the very grasp of death, the natural impulse of the womanly heart is thankfulness for the means which saved her, and a desire to help other women in like case. Those are the motives which prompted Mrs. Eva Burnett to write the accompanying testimonial to the curative power of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is only one cure out of thousands. No one would dare say that the average woman was not as truthful as she is good. And it is the truthful testimony of the average woman that "Favorite Prescription" cures womanly diseases when all other means and medicines absolutely fail. It establishes regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves, restores the appetite and induces refreshing sleep.

"I have intended for some time to write to you," says Mrs. Eva Burnett of Russellville, Logan Co., Ky., "and give a testimonial in regard to what your medicine has done for me. My baby came in July 1896, and I had congestive child, and lay at death's door for ten long weeks. I was in a dreadful condition and had six of the best doctors of the city. After everything had been done and I had been given up to die I asked my husband to get me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. He had no faith in it, but he got it, and when I had taken it two weeks I was able to walk to the dining room to my meals, and by the time I had taken three bottles I was able to cook for my family of four. I can never praise Dr. Pierce and his medicine enough."

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tion \$7,000. A Mr. Moore, lately from the East, gets 400 acres, including the improvements, and took possession today. Mr. Shaw got 180 acres. There will be two families move on as soon as possible. W. F. Case has received the appointment of Postal clerk, commencing work yesterday on the route from Portland to Ashland. We wish Frank success in his employment with Uncle Sam.

Well, Mr. Jordan and ye scribe met Mr. Hibbard at the June term of the county court, where he again had his hearing and did not show that he had advanced any further on the road of evolution than the rest of us. The road case was deferred till July term. To Mr. Hibbard's credit, will say that he admitted that he did not know who the "Molalla correspondent" was, when he wrote his reply in a heat of passion, and that he "had been a little too fast" not knowing that the "Molalla correspondent" to the Enterprise has also been acting as Mr. Jordan's agent for many years. There is an old saying applicable here: "All's well that ends well." Mr. Hibbard and ye scribe will continue to be friends, whichever way the road case goes.

Mulino

MULINO, June 12.—Saturday was children's day at the Grange. The occasion was fittingly celebrated by a pole raising in the morning, followed by an entertaining musical and literary program and lunch.

Mrs. Mulvie and Miss Mulvie were here Saturday. Their many friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Mulvie's health is much improved, and that they contemplate returning here to live.

Tuesday Mulino seemed quite deserted, having furnished its full quota for the K. O. T. M. picnic at Macksburg. Every one rendered a good time in spite of the weather.

Pratt Bros. are getting some good logs in the pond since they got their chute to working.

At last we are to have a creamery. This is one thing above all others we need. Mr. Foret is an old experienced creamery man, and the success of the enterprise is assured by the interest shown by the people of this neighborhood.

Borings

BORINGS, June 10.—It has been some time since there has been anything in the paper from this section, but everybody is able to kick.

Saturday evening there was a basket social given at our school house for the purpose of fixing the school building. There was a literary program rendered, which was enjoyed by all. The parts of the program which need special mention were recitations by Miss Withey and Miss Feathers and a dialogue entitled

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"A Heavy Shower" by Messrs. O. W. and E. J. Boring, Misses Estella Richey, Della Wilbey and Rosa Vetsch. The parts were gotten off in quite a dramatic way, showing talent among the young people. Ladies did well in preparing baskets and the gentlemen did some spirited bidding. There were twenty-two baskets sold, which brought the sum of twenty-five dollars and seventy-five cents. The young people who got it up have the congratulations of all who are concerned for their success.

Miss Rosie M. Feathers, of Damascus, was a guest at the residence of W. H. Boring last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. G. H. Pierce, of Portland, has been visiting O. W. Boring the past few days and returned home today.

Mr. Weatherley and his sister are guests of Mrs. J. A. Richey.

Miss Hallock, of Sycamore, was the guest of Miss Estella Richey Saturday evening.

Mr. Willie Wilson was the guest of James Richey Saturday evening.

Miss Estella Richey closed a term of school near Gresham Saturday.

Mr. O. W. Boring made a trip to Gresham on business last week.

Stafford

STAFFORD, June 12.—We give suitable praise to those that had notices signed "cemetery committee" posted along the prominent places, and must say that it caused men to come forth and do a considerable work in the yard. Now make another call and put a suitable fence around the yard.

Cap. Hayes spent Tuesday here. The bridge at Oswego across Sucker creek is still out, which causes much inconvenience to people here that wish to go to Portland.

The Shipley bridge across the Tualatin will be closed one day this week for repairs.

The Schuber bridge is being rebuilt. Louis Schroeder will have to go it alone for a spell, or go to town.

Fred Moser is about with his arm in a sling.

"Job's comforters" are the delight (?) of Leonard Shauer.

Agnes Howard and children returned to their home in Washington the fore part of the week.

Weid and Aden's new board fence is built.

Oregon City Market Report.

(Corrected to Friday.) Wheat—No. 1, 61c bushel.

Flour—Portland, \$3.25; Howard's Best, 90c per sack, \$3.30 per bbl.

Oats—in sacks, white, 45 cents per bushel, gray, 43.

Millstuffs—Bran, \$15.00 per ton shorts, \$19.50 per ton, chop, \$16 per ton.

Potatoes—\$1.00 to \$1.15 per sack.

Eggs—Oregon, 11 to 12 1/2c per dozen.

Butter—Ranch, 25 to 35 cents per roll Onions, choice, 3 1/2c per lb.

Rhubarb, choice, 1 1/2c per lb.

Green peas, 3c per lb.

Gooseberries, 16 to 20c per gal.

Strawberries, 4 cents per box.

Dressed chickens, 10 to 12 1/2c per lb.

Livestock and dressed meats; beef, live, \$4.00 to \$4.50 per hundred. Hogs, live, 5 1/2c etc; hogs dressed, 7 1/2c; sheep, with wool, 4c; sheep sheared, 3 to 3 1/2c; sheep, dressed, 7c; veal, dressed, 7 1/2c; lambs, live, 4c; lambs, dressed, 8c.

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