

Country Correspondence

SPRINGWATER.

George Guthridge has arrived home from Colorado, where he went for his health. The climate did not appear to help him any. He seems better since coming home.

Telephone in Springwater now, put up by the Estacada Telephone Co.

The Pastor, Mr. Allen, and A. M. Shibley, will attend Presbytery, that convenes near Hillsboro.

Earl, Erma and Maud Shibley attended the play at Mt. Pleasant school house last week. They had a very nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lacy attended the Pomona Grange at Parkplace.

Our Grange is still improving. All vegetation is growing nicely.

Our school is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Mulkey.

The Sunday school will have a program next Sunday (Easter). Everybody is invited.

William Smith's family is having quite a serious time. Sidney is just getting over a spell of sickness, and their son Frank has come home from Washington and is now quite sick.

The workmen have commenced rebuilding the tower that blew off from the church.

Weather delightful. Been having nice growing showers. Think the late frosts did not damage the fruit in this vicinity.

The Kiggins, that bought Cap Shannon's farm, are arriving from North Dakota. There are four families here now, and more coming.

Father Hatch, our former pastor of the Presbyterian church, is here on a visit. Preached for us Sunday evening. The boys made him up a little purse for which the old gentleman was very grateful.

LIBERAL.

Chas. Daniels and Edmond Hall have gone fishing down the Columbia.

Laurence Darringer and Oscar Erickson have taken Hall's and Daniel's place in A & M's saw mill.

Will Jones and son Merle, Edith and Maude Husband and Norman Howard spent Sunday with Ern Jones and wife.

Mrs. Ben Faust has gone to visit her daughter, Vada King.

Ralph Faust was seriously hurt by a horse kicking him Monday.

Emma Inskeep, Dick Davis, Bertha Spangler and Tom Inskeep were Liberal visitors Sunday.

Henry May and son Virgil, of Carus, were hunting a stray coat Monday.

Bill Skeen and Old White moved Mr. Moorey out from Portland the first of the week.

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Great Britain and America.

The "patent rat trap" has left for parts unknown. He leaves at least one broken hearted girl.

Dave Roberts left for Beaver Creek Tuesday.

Billy Austin has lost his mustache—finder please keep.

Mr. and Mrs. Mill spent Sunday with the Gibson family of Molalla. Miss Gibson came home with them.

Mrs. Skeen was visiting Annie Perrain one day this week.

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VIOLA.

W. H. Mattoon has been quite poorly for some time with a serious cough.

W. D. Brown has moved most of his merchandise to his new store building.

Mr. Graham is logging for the Deering & Co. sawmill.

As the farmers of this part have finished their seeding for this season, their teams are now seen on the road hauling lumber to Oregon City and Estacada.

Mr. Randolph has been improving his premises here with a new picket fence.

Edward Miller took a load of eggs and poultry to Oregon City for Mr. Brown Tuesday.

Capt. C. O. Branson, of Philadelphia, and Rev. Patton, are to begin revival meetings at Redland, Monday evening, April 24th.

Rev. Patton will preach at Redland Sunday 11 a.m., and at Viola, 8 p.m.

UNION HALL.

Miss Geno Burns was given a surprise party last Saturday evening. It was in honor of her birthday.

Mr. J. H. Burns made a business trip to Oregon City Monday.

Misses Lena and Annie Barry and the Misses Holmons were the guests of Mrs. L. G. Riggs last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferring attended the funeral of Mrs. John Larch of Portland. Interment took place at the New Era cemetery.

Miss Helena Richter visited school last Friday.

A number of the young folks went fishing last Sunday. A bountiful catch of fish was reported. They failed to state what kind were caught.

Mrs. Clark and grand-daughter, were calling on friends here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hilton of Canby, were visiting relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Burns visited Mr. William Draper and family last Sunday.

Mr. Hlevins was hauling lumber this week from J. Adkins' saw mill. He intends to finish his house in the near future.

Mr. J. L. Thomas is blasting out stumps and clearing land.

Mrs. Hlevins called on Mrs. Houghan last Monday.

T. J. Grimes is working for Mr. L. P. Burns.

GREENWOOD.

Mrs. Clark and Miss Millar were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones last Friday evening.

Miss Annie Cahill and Miss May Clark attended the entertainment at Mount Pleasant last Friday night and reported a nice time.

Some of the young folks of this burg attended the dance at Maple Lane last Saturday evening and reported a cold time.

Mr. George Randall and Miss Nora Gregory called on Mrs. Robt. Clark on Saturday.

Miss Millar made a flying trip to Portland Saturday.

Several of the young people here attended the revivals at Central Point last Sunday night.

There will be an entertainment and ice cream social held at the Leland school house next Saturday evening, April 22. The proceeds will go toward getting a Globe for the school house. All are cordially invited.

PARKPLACE.

April showers gladdened the hearts of the farmers.

The Mothers' Club will entertain the teachers of the County Association, Saturday, April 22, in the Grange Hall. A hot dinner will be served, after which a short program will be given in the Assembly Hall by the Parkplace pupils. A good attendance is hoped for.

Mrs. Paul Freytag is slowly recovering but it will be several weeks before she will be able to leave the Sanatorium.

Twenty-six students of the State University, graduated Monday night from the medical department in Portland.

Among the graduates were Mr. H. A. Start and Mr. Fred Peacock. Several Parkplace people went to Portland to see them graduate among which were Mr. and Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Guard, Mrs. S. Jones, Howard Eiters, Hugh Platt, Miss Cutter and Miss Wilson.

The Basket Social was a success in every way, the proceeds netted thirty-one dollars. The school is thankful to Mr. Sampson of Oregon City for auctioneering the baskets and getting such a good price for them. One young lady's basket sold for \$5.99. It is nice to be young and handsome.

The High School boys came home from Willamette Falls last Friday evening wearing a broad smile, for they were winners in the ball game with the Barclay School boys.

Mr. S. P. Davis of Oregon City was in Parkplace Tuesday taking photographs. He does excellent work in the way of buildings, views, etc.

Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Mulino School will be held Friday evening, April 28, 1905, at 8 o'clock, M. E. Church, Mulino, Oregon.

CANBY.

A special Easter programme by the Methodist Sunday School will be rendered at 11 a.m. next Sunday.

Mr. Jas. Adkins has shipped in another car of dressed lumber.

A. Kocher made a business visit to Portland last Tuesday.

The fill in the Molalla trestle is now almost complete, and the steam shovels with its crew will soon leave for the South.

It develops that in spite of the frosts and cold rains, there will yet be a heavy prune crop in this vicinity. Strawberries are also looking fine.

Mrs. Armstrong left last Friday to join her husband in Southern California, where he has spent the Winter in quest of health. She was accompanied by Mrs. Dedman, her sister-in-law, who will visit for some weeks.

The thunderstorm which visited this region last Tuesday was one of such violence as is very rarely seen in Western Oregon. Lightning struck several trees in this neighborhood, one bolt, killing a cow for Mrs. Myers.

STAFORD.

Sunshine and April showers are starting the young fern and other forage plants for stock.

A petition is being circulated and very generally signed to keep the Star Route from Oregon City to Wilsonville, at least until a better service can be had than to have our mail go to Sherwood and stay all night; starting from there next day at 11 a. m. and arriving here about 2:30—twenty-four hours later than it arrives at the present time. If the R. F. D. could be served from Oregon City or even Oswego, no one would object. Surely some relative or friend at Sherwood wants a job bad.

Zaeg Elligsen, our road boss is to get a road grader this week to be run by steam power.

Mr. Powell's sister and niece are visiting himself and wife at Stafford, and Tuesday Mrs. Powell's sister and two children came to visit them also. So they have a jolly house-full.

Mr. Delaba, the Artisan organizer, is again in town in the interest of his Order. We hear that Gus Gebhart went to consult a doctor this week in regard to his health.

Nearly all the babies born this year are girls and now Mrs. Zaeg Elligsen has one.

A sure sign of peace and good will, according to the old sign, and Russia might as well give up.

It seems like the Lewis & Clark Fair is not got up for the people, as none but a millionaire could attend and take his family, as even the commutation ticket admits only the one whose picture appears up on the ticket and but few would care to go so many times without the privilege of taking along the rest of the family or a friend without paying extra.

There is not much encouragement for we people to send of our best in the way of farm products, etc., and not be allowed a reduction on a family or season ticket.

It was thought by some that it would be arranged on a similar plan to suburban rail roads, with a book or ticket to be punched every time it was presented at the gate, but it really appears at present that the Fair has been gotten up expressly for moneyed men outside the state. Now this is the way it appears to us common folks and Oregon people as a rule are a happy-go-lucky sort, not given to pessimistic views, either.

—What do you think Mr. Editor?

We hear later that Gus Gebhart felt better and did not consult a physician. John Wilkins had a barn raising last week.

It was a thirsty time. Men worked and fell tired next morning.

LOGAN.

We trust the warm showers the past week may undo some of the damage done by recent frosts.

Mrs. F. Gerber and daughter have been visiting in Washington county a few days.

There was a man out looking at the farm of Mr. J. Boss one day recently. Guess one of them changed his mind.

"They say" there is a cougar up the river, in the bottom, that it even came out in an open field where a man was plowing. Maybe there is, but am inclined to think some one must use the same brand of refreshments they do around Markham Hill, Portland.

Mr. F. S. Hutchins has completed his fence around his yard. Slowly but sure, the good work goes on. Who'll be next?

Mr. John Hattan of Stone, also, has enclosed his residence with a neat fence.

Thirty-eight members of Harding Grange attended the Pomona session at Parkplace Wednesday. All had a good time, only the crowd was too large for the room, so crowded it was a difficult task to keep order and transact business.

Mr. Al Carey, of Springwater, is contemplating the purchase of a cream separator, and go into the dairy business.

The C. C. Creamery at Stone has made and sold during the past year, \$18,999 worth of butter. The company are intending to put in a Pasteurizing apparatus and sell sweet cream during the summer.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—A promising young man from Logan. When last seen he was in good company coming to the dance. Don't try to take three girls next time and you will get there all right.

It certainly looks as if the county court intends to build the bridge at Barton. The people of Logan and vicinity generally, are opposed to the bridge as it will be a very expensive structure, and only accommodate a few very interested land owners who are anxious to boom their private interests at the expense of the tax payers.

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Yes, That Beaver Creek Flag.

The correspondent intends to hold his end of the pole when the teacher accuses him of being mistaken in regard to the fact concerning the Beaver Creek school flag. I insist that I am not. It is the school man that cannot see straight, and if she can she does not know how to read straight, as any person who has read the second reader through can easily see that the correspondent did not say "the Enterprise of last week" but "as he was reading the Enterprise last week" and these so-called replies ought to remind the school man that those who live in glass houses should not throw stones. Further I will say that the school man first said in the explanation that the pole was 10 feet long and not the correspondent and any person who makes such assertions as to say the pole was 10' feet long in one issue and eight feet long in another, certainly has not sense enough to last them over night.

Yes, you may judge for yourself. I complained about the height of the staff on the building, what the flag was doing, what the clerk's wife did or what the Board wanted done, but the first question asked was "What Had Become of the Beaver Creek School Flag" (Though the teacher seems to think that herself and pupils have some great preserving second-handed breath.)

Furthermore, I did not ask the teacher for any promise and I am sure that the outsiders did more for the purchase of the flag than did the present inmates of the school building. Therefore the flag ought to be out on the staff where the entire district can see it and not be kept in the school room. As far as being concerned in the flag, every civilized citizen of America is concerned in the flag and the correspondent does not have to go back to Benjamin Franklin for his information. He will stop right here at Beaver Creek and not act as a crawler.

—Beaver Creek Correspondent.

(While the Enterprise is glad at all times to publish news and at the same time communications that treat a subject of general interest throughout the county, it occurs to us that this controversy over the Beaver Creek school flag has progressed far enough. It is a subject that interests only the patrons of the Beaver Creek School District, and the Enterprise, having given both parties to the controversy space in the paper once, feels that it has done enough. Since the communications are becoming somewhat personal in their character, this paper will have to decline a further publication of these letters.—Editor.)

BEAVER CREEK.

The present rain is very beneficial to the crops.

Many of the patrons of this burg attended Pomona Grange at Parkplace last Wednesday and report a good time.

Miss Bertha Hughes who has been visiting relatives at Salem, is home again.

Wm. Daniels went on a fishing trip this week and he didn't get fishermen's luck either.

Wm. Scanlon is improving slowly.

Charles Bort who fell from a scaffold and lit on a cement pavement at San Francisco last April, visited the Wm. Hayes family Saturday and Sunday. Miss D. Hughes and Mr. Bort went to Salem Sunday night.

Many of this burg have received invitations to Miss D. Parrey's wedding at Wardner, Idaho, on April 25, 1905.

The Shannon Brothers made a business trip to town this week.

L. Buckner is working for Mrs. Edwards at present.

A. Thomas was doing the sheep and goat shearing at last week.

H. Henriel passed through this burg on a load of hay this week.

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