

Milwaukee and Northwestern Clackamas

MILWAUKEE.

Application for an electrical railway franchise through the city of Milwaukee...

Miss Cecil Hall, age 17 years, daughter of A. W. Hall, of Myrtle Point, Oregon...

The opening of Crystal Lake Park Sunday witnessed the largest turnout in Milwaukee...

The base ball boys of Milwaukee will give a shirt waist dance at the City Hall Saturday evening...

Mr. J. W. Kannerer and Mrs. Brooks visited at the Kannerer ranch at Canby Saturday.

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CIRCLE ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 21st.

Circle on Wednesday, May 21st, 1913 was assisted by her little daughter Ruth...

Mrs. E. A. Bander had a very pretty appointed yellow and white luncheon at her home on Thursday last.

Mrs. M. A. Shaver has returned from Portland where she visited her grand-daughter, Mrs. Roy Kelley.

Mr. R. F. Stover has sent in his resignation as postmaster and a petition of 160 of the people who get mail at the Jennings Lodge office...

Mrs. Husted of California, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Brownriggs, having just returned from a visit with other relatives in eastern Oregon.

Mr. George Card, who home was destroyed by fire, has completed a modern new bungalow. Mr. L. Wilcox has been assisting Mr. Card with the building.

Mrs. A. F. Russell received word on Wednesday of the passing away of her sister at Walla Walla, Wash.

Mr. Harry J. Robinson departed on Monday evening for an extended business trip to San Francisco.

Mr. John Jennings has improved so much, was able to make a trip to Portland last week.

Mrs. H. H. Emmons entertained Mesdames Grommuller and Horton of Portland, on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Lansdowne have returned to their summer cottage after a week spent in Portland.

Miss Ella Welch of Vancouver, is visiting her cousin, Miss Hazel Brigham.

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with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Waldron. Many of Miss Waldron's friends have been entertained at her home during her stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Haynes have been called upon to mourn the death of their baby son, Charles Harry Haynes, who passed away on May 22, at their home at this place.

Mr. Orr, who has leased Cedar Island Park and is fitting it up for campers, where one can enjoy fishing, boating and swimming, within a 30 minute ride of Portland.

The funeral was held from the Holman undertaking parlors in Portland on Saturday. The sincerest sympathy is extended to Dr. Haynes and his wife at this hour of sorrow.

Twenty-four of the Lodge people spent Saturday at the track meet at Gladstone. Mesdames Roethle, Pierce, McFarlane and C. L. Smith chaperoned the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders have returned to Portland, where Mr. Sanders has purchased a grocery store on Grand Avenue. The Sanders family will spend Sundays at their cottage here.

George Morse made a business trip to Seaside returning Monday. Mrs. Charles Downing and two children of Haines, Oregon, will spend two weeks with the Dallas Downings family.

Mrs. Minnie B. Altman, of Montavilla, will take the principalship of the Jennings Lodge school for the ensuing year. Mrs. Altman comes very highly recommended to us.

Geo. F. Thompson of Willamette, who has taught here three years, has accepted the principalship of the Stafford school. His friends here wish him success with his school work in that locality.

It is with regret we report that J. F. Jennings, who is so well known in Clackamas County has been taken to his bed again. At this writing his condition is slightly improved.

A. C. McFarlane has returned from a business trip south in time to enjoy the large strawberries which are being picked at the McFarlane home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Roethle entertained Mr. and Mrs. Pratt and family at dinner on Friday night. The Pratt family left on Saturday for their home in Eastern Oregon.

Children's Day will be observed at the chapel the second Sunday in June. A program of songs and recitations are being arranged by the committee.

Mrs. Mae Hutchinson and nephew, Rupert Hutchinson, of Portland, spent Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Hutchinson will spend the summer in Spokane.

Mrs. Tate and son, Lloyd, will move to Gresham this week. Work on the cement basement for Miss Elizabeth Cook's new home has commenced. It will be 26x28 with three rooms and a bath and will have all built-in conveniences and heated by furnace.

Mrs. Minnie B. Altman, of Montavilla, and a teacher at the Estacada school, was called at the Will Jacobs home on Sunday.

Rev. H. N. Smith has returned from a trip to Corvallis. Miss Esther Campbell was a Portland shopper on Wednesday. A marshmallow toast will be given by the pupils of Prof. Geo. Thompson on the banks of the Willamette at the "Lookout" on Thursday evening.

"TAKING A DARE" IS NEARLY FATAL

LOYD BAXTER HAS CLOSE CALL WITH DEATH WHEN SWIMMING WITH HIS CHUMS

YOUTH GOES DOWN FOR SECOND TIME

Crew of Government Dredge Hasten to Rescue of Lad and Pull Him From River Just as Current Seizes Body

"Taking a dare" nearly cost Lloyd Baxter his life Friday evening of last week, when in order to show his "bravery" before his playmates he waded out into deep water in the Willamette, near the mouth of Abernathy Creek...

Baxter and several of his companions were cooling off in the river after the hot day Friday, and got to doing "stunts." One thing led to another, and finally the youngsters got to daring each other to go out to a certain point in the river. It was while this was being done that somebody dared young Baxter to "go two steps further."

The boy took the dare, but his second step carried him off the sharply shelving bank, where the current had cut it away, and precipitated him into deep water. The lad plunged under water with a gasp, and when he next rose to the surface he was several feet out in the current. He screamed for help, and sank again holding his head above water, and in the shallow water were powerless to go to his aid, so joined their cries with his.

The government dredge Matiloma was lying a little way down stream, and several of her crew were waiting away time on deck. They heard the cries of the boys, and knowing at once what was wrong, sprang into a boat and pulled for the spot where young Baxter had disappeared for the second time. As the youth's head came above the water again, one of the dredges grasped his hair, and holding him until he could get a firm grip upon his wriggling body, pulled the lad to safety.

The boy was taken ashore and rolled in blankets, and Dr. Strickland called. It took the physician some moments to restore the boy to consciousness, and after that he was hurriedly dressed and taken to his home. The other boys lost all interest in bathing, following the accident, and hastily left the dredge crew in possession of the water.

CLACKAMAS DRY AS RIVER RISES

RESIDENTS OF THIS COUNTY SEE NO PERIL IN APPROACHING FLOOD SEASON

MULTNOMAH IS ALREADY SUFFERING

Warm Weather Will Cause Heavy Losses Along River at Portland, But Will Benefit Crops on High Land

What practically amount to flood conditions are prevailing in the lower Willamette valley these days, and people who live this side of the Multnomah county line have the contour of the land to thank for the fact that they are out of danger of inundation, and that their crops, now growing well, are in no jeopardy from high water. The river at Portland is over the lower docks, and is rising steadily, while along the lowlands bordering either bank for several miles south of the city there is nothing to be seen but the tops of shrubs and the ant-infested trunks of trees.

From Multnomah county up to Oregon City, however, the present high water has done no damage at all, and even if a heavy rise in the river should follow with the warm weather, only a few low-lying tracts, mostly utilized by Japanese market and truck gardeners, will suffer. Every foot of rise in the river, however, will mean much inconvenience and financial loss to Multnomah county folk.

A journey by the interurbans between this city and Portland gives a fair idea of conditions, though the flooding of the west bank of the river is not so readily seen. Houseboats that line the lower river are all well afloat, and the moorings of many of them have been changed so that their occupants can get to dry land. The low-lying sloughland below Portland is all under water, while that above the metropolis is either flooded or a mass of mud. At the Oaks the water is so high that except from the lawns there is no land in sight, and the big swamp back of the amusement park is a miniature sea that will prove an excellent breeding place for mosquitoes and other pests. Afloat behind the place in a muddy pool is a large sign that proclaims the opening of the resort this week.

Conditions just the opposite, however, prevail along the river in Clackamas county. The high bluff along the bank protects the land from flooding, save in one or two small places, and the rains which have helped swell the water in the stream have proved most beneficial to the agricultural activities of the section. All kinds of crops are in good condition, and fruit trees and bushes are particularly thriving. Grape arbors are in fine shape, and there is every indication that farmers and small ranchers will receive good returns on their crops. In fact the territory between Oregon City and Multnomah is so green and prosperous looking that it appears more like a model farm than anything else.

The warm weather of the last two days has done considerable to aggravate river conditions, and the Columbia is rising rapidly and backing up the Willamette as a result of the melting snows that have been lying on even the lower hills. The warm weather is also bringing the Clackamas river up, and this stream is adding its volume of water to the back-flood in the Willamette. As a result Multnomah county people who live near the river expect record high water; while Portland citizens will probably be flooded almost beyond the famous high-water mark of years ago. In the metropolitan warehouse interests are emptying their lower stories of stock so as to avoid damage, and along the docks every preparation is being made for extreme high water.

FLOOD THREATENS ALONG WILLAMETTE

Phonetics of a sharp rise in the Willamette have been made by United States weather bureau officials, and as a result preparations are being made all along the banks of the stream below the Oregon City dam to protect property. In a bulletin issued late Monday afternoon it was stated that the river would reach a stage of 18.5 feet by Friday at Portland. What will happen after that date has not as yet been figured out. The river is expected to rise at least a foot a day, however, until further warnings are issued.

While this first main rise of the river will not effect Oregon City greatly, the increase of the stream is being closely watched here. The present freshet is caused by backwater from the Columbia, which has been greatly swelled the past week by the melting of snows along the banks of its tributaries on the eastern slope of the Cascades. The warm weather of the past four days has also started a great deal of snow from the western slope of the mountains, and this is making its presence shown in the rapid rise of the Clackamas and other rivers. Since Saturday the Clackamas has come up over a foot, and is still rising.

ECHOES FROM MILWAUKIE.

Milwaukee Happenings Always Interest Our Readers. After reading of so many people in our town who have been cured by Doan's Kidney Pills, the question naturally arises: "Is this medicine equally successful in our neighboring towns?" The generous statement of this Milwaukee resident leaves no room for doubt on this point.

"When you do something you know it's wrong doesn't it, still, small voice keep reminding you of it eternally?" "A still, small voice." I guess you never met my wife, did you?"—Houson Post.

High school—H. F. Pflingsten, principal; Pearl G. Cartledge, English and oratory; August Wagner, science; Alena Folte, languages; Maybelle Hunstock, commercial; Evelyn Todd, mathematics; Alice Larsen, history and science.

Barely building—Anna T. Smith, first grade; Nieta Harding, third grade; Ola Mickey, fourth grade; Beatrice Weeks, fourth grade; Gusie L. Hull, fifth grade; A. O. Freil, eighth grade and principal.

Eastham building—Meta Watson, first grade; Emma Wilko, second grade; Eleanor Brodie, third grade; Lillian Anderson, fourth grade; Adaline Beebe, sixth grade; Queene Adams, sixth grade; N. W. Bowland, eighth grade and principal.

The board of education will probably fill existing vacancies next Friday night. Teachers are to be elected for the second, sixth and seventh grades in the Barclay building, and the first and second, (combination) fifth and seventh grades in the Eastham building.

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Estacada and Eastern Clackamas

ESTACADA.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McCurdy and Dr. Adix and wife went to Portland Saturday to see Maud Adams in Peter Pan.

Carl Cary went to Portland Thursday to attend an Elks meeting, returning the next day. W. F. Cary was a business visitor at Portland last Friday and also Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cary arrived Friday, after a wedding tour through California, and have gone to keeping house in the home Mr. Cary prepared for them. Their many friends at this place, where Mr. Cary is the junior member of the Cary Mercantile Company, extend to the happy couple a royal welcome.

A number of government surveyors arrived in Estacada the latter part of last week and have camped in the west part of town. Mr. and Mrs. Bonny and Mrs. J. W. Reed and daughter Rachel went to Portland by auto last Saturday, returning the same day.

The Juniors entertained the Seniors Monday evening at the home of Wava Herring. Mrs. A. G. Parsons, of Stewart, Or., arrived Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Sanford, in Garfield township.

Miss Josephine, of Portland, visited her friend, Miss Mabel Fanning, at this place Friday. The Bradford base ball team of Portland crossed hats with the Estacada boys Sunday afternoon in an eleven inning game, the score being two to three in favor of the home team.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church entertained their husbands at the home of W. D. Henthorn last Friday evening. The meeting was also a sort of an experience affair, as each member gave her experience in raising a dollar for the church. Their reports were interesting and quite unique in some particulars as well as humorous. A most delicious luncheon was served and all report a most enjoyable evening.

The pupils and teachers of the high school had a picnic Tuesday at Garfield. The Mazuma Club, of Portland, visited our little city for a few hours Sunday. From here they went to Eagle Creek, where they had lunch and then proceeded on their way back to Portland. We understand that they boarded the cars before reaching the city, on account of the extreme heat.

The Family Theatre, under the management of Mr. Boyle, has secured a piano to be used at the moving picture shows, which will add much to the popularity of the place. Miss Lula Condon of Curryville, is taking music of Mrs. Boyle, of Estacada, coming up twice a week.

Miss Wash entertained the mothers of her primary pupils Saturday afternoon. Games and music was the order of entertainment and punch, ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Mesdames Lawhead, Deane, Douglas, Riesland, Dale, Lingelbach, Stamps, Sarver, McKeyney, Ames, Whitfield, O'Conner, Lichtorn, Barkley, Barr, Oberslater and Gibson.

Misses Katherine Booth and Lucile Danforth, of Portland, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Boswell last Sunday. The Ed. Hunt buildings on Main street are being improved by wood awnings.

Phil Standish received a new baby grand piano Tuesday. The Senior class day exercises last Friday evening at the school house, was a very interesting event. Each one on the program did their part well. Rev. Browne preached the bacchalaureate sermon Sunday evening at the M. E. church to a large and attentive audience. The music was specially by the choir and the church was prettily decorated. Tuesday night the eighth grade graduating exercises were held at the school house. The program was very interesting from start to finish and gave great satisfaction to the parents and friends of the pupils. The final graduating exercises took place last night. A most extensive write-up will be given next week.

W. F. Cary is improving his residence property on Terrace Hill. Plans are being made by the Civic Improvement Club for a rousing celebration July 4th.

Mrs. Graham, who has been one of the teachers in the Estacada schools, will move her household goods into the Reed residence, lately occupied by J. B. McCurdy and will go to Portland to spend her vacation. The house Mrs. Graham vacates will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay.

The home talent minstrel show, which is to be given next Friday night promises to be the event of the season. Miss Laura Stormer, the efficient lady clerk in the Cary Mercantile Co.'s store, went to Portland the first of the week to buy goods for the store. She was accompanied by her mother and W. F. Cary.

A merry party of twenty ladies from Portland were guests at Hotel Estacada Tuesday. They came in President Joselyn's private car, Portland, and were guests of Mrs. Joselyn.

An eight-year-old boy was brought here from Vancouver, Wash. Tuesday to have Dr. Adix operate upon him. The doctor removed adenoids and enlarged tonsils. He was assisted by Mrs. Anna Morton.

On June 3, the Common Council, of Estacada will meet to take up the matter of passing an ordinance establishing sewer district No. 3. McLean attended Empire day at the Oaks in Portland last Saturday. Mrs. E. B. Bartlett went to Portland Tuesday to meet her daughter, Helen who has been attending school in California. A. E. Sparks and J. W. Reed went to Portland Wednesday to get a new car for Mr. Reed's garage. J. C. Ecker was a Portland visitor today.

visiting with friends on the hill Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Douglas were Estacada visitor Sunday. Guy Woodie went to his Dover home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reed were visiting with relatives on Pleasant Hill, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Gibson and Mrs. Phoebe Palmateer, were the guests of James Gibson Sunday. Virgil Douglas has a job of sawing wood.

EAGLE CREEK.

Nine of the Eagle Creek boys went to Barton Sunday, where they defeated the Barton second baseball nine, 10 to 8. The sensational pitching of Walter VanCuren helped to win the game for the Eagle Creek nine. The Barton nine used two pitchers in an effort to win but the Eagles were there with the stick.

GREENWOOD.

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Penman Saturday evening in honor of Miss Hayman who is teaching Brown school. The evening was spent in games and dancing. At 12 o'clock supper was served. The young people danced the last waltz, "Home, Sweet Home," and left for their respective homes, after having a nice time.

Edward Owen has bought a horse and is busy hauling cord wood. Percy Penman, of Portland, visited his grandmother over Sunday. He also attended the surprise party at his uncle's. John and Steve Braker spent Sunday with their parents.

KELSO.

In spite of the inclement weather Saturday night the basket and pie social at the Kelso school house was a decided success. There was a large crowd and a good program. The proceeds amounted to more than \$50.00. We have had very successful school year and Mr. Purcell and Miss Laneroux will teach here again next term.

Walter Johnson of Orient, attended our pie social. Friends here received word that Miss Emma Stafanson of Orient, was married Sunday, May 18. The young couple will go immediately to the groom's home in Minnesota. We wish Emma success in her Eastern home. The Jerger Bros. have a force of carpenters erecting a fine dairy barn on their farm here.

Pete Rath has gone to his home and Mother Joe Albel is driving the logging team in his place. The Jarl's sawmill has a new force of cooks. Our neighborhood progressive club will meet in the school house again Sunday at 2:30 p. m., May 25. Tom Dempsey is recovering from his illness. Miss Dorcas Hedlin and Earnest Leaf were in Kelso Sunday evening.

ALSPAUGH.

A number of young people of this vicinity attended the ball game at Estacada last Sunday. Godfrey Wallace, of Highland, was the guest of John Githens a few days this week. Ed Gray is shearing sheep for Edgar Hieple.

Mrs. Jack Brown and Sarah Roe called on Mrs. John Githens and Mrs. J. W. Dowdy last Monday. The Clackamas River Sawmilling Company are intending to move their mill onto the Jack Brown place near Curryville.

Mrs. D. Matson was the guest of Mrs. Edgar Hieple Sunday. The Modern Priscilla met at Henry Githens' Saturday and were delightfully entertained. Miss Mamie Hieple, who has been working in Portland, has returned home. J. W. Dowdy was a Portland visitor one day last week.

DOVER.

The County Surveyor and viewers were out the first of the week locating the road across Deep Creek and straightening out the Udell road. Birch Roberts and wife are spending the week at Amboy, Washington, with Mr. and Mrs. Culp. Mrs. Sminkoy and son, from Sandy, were out to the ranch Sunday. Mrs. A. J. Kitmiller and son, Walter, were up to the ranch last week planting corn. School closed last Tuesday with a fine program at the church in the evening, and a picnic in the grove Wednesday. All enjoyed the exercises very much. Miss Wheeler left for her home in Portland Thursday morning. Mr. Berghouse has been visiting friends in Portland the past week. Victor Bodley bought a cream separator last week.

Mrs. Florence Qualey, of Brooklyn, N. Y., visited Oregon City friends Wednesday afternoon. She is spending the summer on the Coast with relatives.

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Wants, For Sale etc. FOR SALE—Indian Runner Duck eggs, \$1 for 12 by Parcel Post. Geo. Hamilton, Route 1, Oregon City.

SIX ARE HURT AS TRAINS HIT. REAR-END COLLISION IN SOUTHERN OREGON PROVES SERIOUS TO MANY. Gasoline motorcar is crushed. Locomotive Races Around Hidden Curve and Crashes Into Standing Car at Grants Pass S. P. Depot.

FLOOD EXPECTED TO BREAK RECORD. August Goetche, engineer on motor; back seriously wrenched and back of head cut. Mrs. Emma Daniels, of Eagle Point, arm broken by being thrown in aisle, striking against seat.

MANY TEACHERS ARE RE-ELECTED. ONLY SEVEN INSTRUCTORS OUT. MOST OF THESE TAKE HIGHER SALARIED PLACES. HIGH SCHOOL FORCE LEFT INTACT. Remaining Vacancies to be Filled Later in Week From Hoast of Applicants Who Seek Positions Here.

WANTERS, FOR SALE ETC. WANTED—Honey bees in any kind of stands. Will pay \$1.00 per stand and call and get them anywhere within 20 miles of Canby. Address, M. J. Lee, Canby, Oregon.

WOOD FOR SALE. Anyone wanting a carload of 16 inch Oak wood (seasoned) call on W. W. Irwin, Aurora, Oregon. Calves or pigs wanted. Will trade potatoes for stock. Phone B52 City or call at Meldrum Farm.

FOR SALE For Cash. 1 team horse, weighing 1400 lbs. each. 1 set heavy team harness. 1 set in. brood sire wagon. 1 heavy single buggy and harness. 1 good hay-rack. 1 wood-rack. 135 feet 3-8 in. cable and 2 blocks. Other clearing tools and some farm tools. Bull Leghorn yearling hens and chicks. Address: R. F. R. MACK. L. F. D. No. 2, Boring, or call Firwood Phone, No. 22.