

COUNTRY NEWS and PERSONALS

MULINO.

MULINO, May 25.—(Special).—The patrons of Mulino District No. 84 met last Friday, May 19, and standardized the school.

A short program was held in the morning, consisting of recitations, songs and drills, the most important being a Maypole drill by the girls and a military drill by the boys. These girls and boys, the winning side getting a picture of George Washington. The judges awarded the prize to the boys. This picture will in the future adorn the walls of the school house.

At the noon hour a bountiful repast was furnished by the ladies of the district.

The Boys' and Girls' Industrial Club held a fair in conjunction with the rest, and the handwork of the boys and girls were various and beautiful.

The domestic science department was fine and great credit is due all those taking part in it. Some fifteen or twenty prizes were awarded by the judges to the pupils who exhibited their work in the various departments of the fair. The prizes were generously donated by the business men of Mulino and Oregon City.

The Parent-Teachers meeting was held also. This brought to a close the meetings of this society until the next school year.

Our teacher, Miss Grice has been untiring in her efforts to standardize our school and how well she succeeded is shown by the results last Friday. We truly hope we will have the pleasure of having Miss Grice teach our school next term.

The afternoon was taken up by the judges awarding the different prizes, and a reading by Miss Elsie Molan, of Union Hall. This reading was greatly appreciated by all. Miss Lois Ashby rendered a vocal solo, entitled "Memories," which was well received.

Mr. Taylor, editor of the Molalla Pioneer, was called upon to read Mulino's very newest paper, which is named the "Searchlight." The different comments were comical and very much enjoyed.

Mr. Brenton Vedder, the school supervisor was present and gave an interesting talk to us, and helped out in other various ways.

The patrons went home well satisfied with the progress of our school. It was a happy time for all when Mr. Vedder presented the banner to our school and Miss Grice received it in behalf of the school, and proudly pinned it up in a conspicuous place in the school room.

Now that we have the standard we must all strive to keep up to it. Joe L. Daniels made a business trip to Oregon City last Saturday.

Anna Jepson and Ida Berdine were callers at the Houghton home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grice and a party of friends motored down from Salem to witness the exercises at the school house last Friday.

Miss Flora Grice returned home with them to spend the week-end visiting her parents.

Mrs. Ellen Woods and her daughter is visiting their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fish.

Mr. Lang was an Oregon City visitor last Saturday.

Grant Ashby left here last Sunday for The Dalles to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Evans and little daughter of Meadow Brook, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton.

Mrs. Mary Daniels called on Mrs. Mary Crook Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dix, who have been living over in Tillamook county, have moved back here to Mulino to make their home in the future.

Mrs. Long went to Oregon City last Saturday to see her husband, who is in the Oregon City Hospital. Mrs. Long reports he is slowly on the mend.

Mrs. Johnson and Miss Elsie Molan, of Union Hall, were visitors in Mulino last Friday.

Bert, the young son of Bayne Howard, was taken to Oregon City to have adenoids removed and his tonsils treated. He is getting along quite nicely now.

J. J. Mallet was an Oregon City visitor Saturday.

Mr. Culbertson, of Union Mills, was the guest of N. H. Darnell Sunday.

Mrs. Frel Wallace, of Union Mills, was a Mulino visitor Saturday.

Rev. Curtis was a Mulino visitor Saturday.

The primary election passed off quietly here without any unusual demonstrations of any kind.

Decoration Day will soon be with us again, when we will go to decorate the graves of our loved ones, bringing them garlands of the sweetest of flowers. We do this in memory of those who have gone on before. And as we place these loving tokens of remembrance upon each sacred grave we whisper a silent prayer that we too may be remembered in loving kindness

when we pass to the great beyond, where to traveler ere returns.

This beautiful ceremony of loving remembrance that we observe on the 30th of May helps to ever keep green in our memory the loving thoughts of those precious ones we have lost, and also the dear heroes who fought and bled and died for us, so that we might enjoy the choice blessings of liberty, so precious to all of us. May each one as long as life lasts, keep up this precious memory.

Clarence Mallet and family are expected to arrive here in the near future from Tillamook.

Tom Fish made a business trip to Colton last Friday.

Miss Hazel Erickson and Ed. Derdine drove to Bolton last Sunday to visit the former's brother, Elmer Erickson and family.

Ole Olson drove to Oregon City Sunday in his auto.

Mrs. Churchill is on the sick list. We all hope for her speedy recovery.

Whooping Cough.

One of the most successful preparations in use for this disease is Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. S. W. McClinton, Brandon Springs, Ala., writes: "Our baby had whooping cough as bad as any baby could have it. I gave him Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it soon got him well." Obtainable everywhere. (Adv.)

EAGLE CREEK.

EAGLE CREEK, May 25.—(Special).—Although Saturday, May 20, was a somewhat showery day, there was a fairly good attendance at the Eagle Creek Grange picnic. After everyone had partaken of a fine dinner, such as one finds at a picnic, especially a grange picnic, an excellent program was rendered. Some special features being the Scottish dances, the Highland Fling and sword dance, performed by two little girls from Portland, and which delighted everyone. And the May pole dance, by fifteen or sixteen little girls of the Eagle Creek school. Mr. C. Aus, of Springfield, was present and gave some recitations on the violin. Everyone seemed to have a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gibson were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilcox last Friday.

The DeMoss troupe, the musicians, were in Eagle Creek recently, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Strahl.

Will Palmtree, of Moran, was an Eagle Creek visitor Saturday.

H. S. Gibson, was an Oregon City visitor Saturday.

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UPPER GARFIELD.

UPPER GARFIELD, May 25.—(Special).—The primaries were held at the Grange Hall on Friday. The vote cast was not as large as usual presumably on account of the bad weather.

Joel P. Bowman has been confined to his bed for the past few days, but is improving slowly.

The coyotes have been quite plentiful in this district lately, having helped themselves to chickens at Log La Barre as well as at several other places.

The weather has been cold and rainy for the past few days, making it very bad for gardening.

Those spending the week-end at Log La Barre were Mrs. Geo. J. Kelly, Miss Cora Gansmiller and Miss Martha O. Goldapp, of Portland, who hiked up from Cazadero, enjoying their trip very much.

MAPLE LANE.

MAPLE LANE, May 25.—(Special).—Mrs. B. H. Stewart, who has been quite sick, is slowly gaining. Dr. Stewart is attending her.

August Splinter has just had completed a chicken house 16x44 feet, to house his large brood of incubator chickens.

Geo. A. Brown and wife had a very narrow escape at the Maple Lane crossing of the Willamette Valley Southern Railroad a few days ago. In grading, the company piled dirt high on the bank, which fully hid the train from view on the road. The company has promised to remove the huge pile.

Mrs. Gaze has had her house moved nearer the road and repaired, which is a great improvement.

MACKSBURG.

MACKSBURG, May 25.—(Special).—Welcome indeed was the bright sunshine of the past few mornings, for well we know of what a magic feat our Mother Nature is capable after a long period of enforced rest, such as has been necessitated by the rain and the chilling blasts that the frozen Cascades have sent us in the past fortnight. The gardens and the fruit have been retarded, but not so the pasture. No cold ever comes to us in May, severe enough to slacken the growth of grass and clover. Never have the horses or the cattle shown better rounded outlines or glossier coats than at present, and corresponding in both quantity and quality is the dairies daily supply.

The Macksburg school closed for the season last Friday. Mr. Shirwood, of Canby, who has taken the school for the next year, has engaged the house owned by Mr. Klaus and formerly occupied by Mr. Nowach and his family.

The Bear Creek school held its closing exercises on Friday. There was a very pleasing celebration, beginning with a fine dinner served by the patrons of the school. A most interesting and creditable order of

MARQUAM.

MARQUAM, May 25.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Cummins and the former's sister made an auto trip to Estacada last Sunday, returning the same day.

The primary election here had but a small vote, only about 70 ballots being cast. The republicans did fairly well, but the democratic vote was small and but little interest taken.

Orville Jackson sold a fine horse a few days ago to John Ferguson for \$200.

Mrs. Tessa Mepherston of Athena, Ore., is at her father's, J. D. Larkins, Frank Jones and family were in town Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Avery came up from Portland Saturday, returning Monday. If the rain lasts much longer there will be hundreds of acres of land not sowed to grain this season in these parts, on account of the land being too wet.

CLARKES.

CLARKES, May 25.—(Special).—Misses Violet and Pansy Wettlaufer,

plan develop, a company be organized and a factory be built, it would not only employ all the men who could be spared from the farms, but would require so many more that a village would have to be built for housing them. This would, of course, lead to renewed activity in land clearing to make room for a new crop. The impact that an enterprise of this kind gives in developing a region of country is incalculable. At any rate, so far from mourning over the costliness of this luxury, we shall do our best to promote its being obtained from our own soil.

church and the Aldridge quartette assisted him in the singing last Sunday morning, May 21st.

Miss Rose Faxver is working for Mrs. Albert Larkins.

Mr. Jason Clarke was in town last week.

Miss Eugla Bergman spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Iva Meredith and family.

Mr. A. F. Buche was home last week but went back again to Portland to work last Tuesday.

The Clarke's orchestra practiced again last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Iva Meredith moved on the Buckner place in Timber Grove.

A surprise and farewell party in the honor of Dewey Lafollette was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Maxwell Friday evening, May 19th. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent by playing of games and everybody had a good time.

BARLOW.

BARLOW, May 25.—(Special).—School closed Friday with appropriate exercises and the winding of a May pole. The primary room illustrated "Hiawatha" and "Nokomis," which was well rendered. The Indian scene or camp in the woods was interesting, the camp being on the school ground.

Mrs. Tourtel's sister, Mrs. Bruen and her sister-in-law, also Mrs. Bruen, are staying with Mrs. Tourtel and Irene for a few days.

Francis Dayton, of Woodburn; Alice and Myrtle Wolstead, of Yoderville, were all visiting friends here the last day of school.

Mrs. Masa, of Oregon City, came up to attend the Friday school exercises.

Misses Pearl Hayes and Hattie Levin, spent the week-end with Miss Lewis at Beaver Creek, going over Thursday and returning Sunday.

Mrs. Toogood's father arrived from

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ALSPAUGH. ALSPAUGH, May 25.—(Special).—Mr. and Mrs. George Douglass and daughter, Harriett, and Frank Dowdy of Portland, spent the week-end at the home of J. W. Dowdy.

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exercises took place in the afternoon. The Eby school held its final session on Monday, May 21. In the evening a finely prepared and well rendered program was given by the pupils.

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