

# NEWS FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY

Correspondence From All Over the County Telling of Improvements and Local Happenings During The Past Week—Your Subscription Will Receive Prompt Attention.

## Institute Held at Wilsonville Success

(Too late for last week)

WILSONVILLE, March 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Chalupsky, of Wisconsin, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chalupsky. F. Wiedemann has been appointed captain of the Farm Bureau for this section of the county.

The Teachers Institute held here recently was one of the most successful ever held in the county. The program under the direction of Mrs. Iza Wood, principal of the local school, was excellent, and a "Human Flag," given by the pupils of Miss Batalgia's room was very highly spoken of, by all present. Miss Knapp, of Hood View district furnished some very entertaining readings. The matters of interest to the community were discussed, and the question of "Consolidation of Schools," by the Assistant State Superintendent Smith, will come up at the annual school meetings.

The playlet entitled "The Fascinating Fanny Brown," given by Lad Hill talent, on Saturday evening at Wilsonville, was splendid in every particular, and a large crowd greeted the players. The sum of eighty dollars was taken in at the door. The Rebekah Club furnished refreshments. Every one enjoyed the performance.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wood, accompanied by Miss Robbins and Claire Say, motored to Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Becker, of Portland, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Young.

Mrs. Cora Hasselbrink and son Lyle and sister Inez Seely, were in Portland on Saturday, having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ridder entertained the "500" club of Corral Creek at its last meeting, and a splendid time was enjoyed by the guests. Prizes were awarded, and refreshments served.

Reed Graham and daughter Helen, furnished some of the music for the dance on Saturday evening, after the play "Fascinating Fanny Brown."

## Clackamas Players Win First Ball Game

CLACKAMAS, March 29.—The Clackamas boys have organized a baseball club with Ralph Johnston as manager and George Mapes as captain. They played their opening game Easter Sunday with Carver winning 13 to 4.

All those reported on the sick list last week are able to be about again.

Nola Lundon is building a service station on his property opposite Clackamas station on the Carver line. He will keep gas, oil, and auto supplies.

It is rumored that Clackamas will have a first class hardware store in the near future. Watch Clackamas grow.

Miss Gertrude Kelly has been confined to her for the past week with measles.

Miss Helen Cavender celebrated her 16th birthday March 28. She received a beautiful ring, an excellent sweater and a three story birthday cake. Many happy returns of the day, Helen.

The Easter program given at the Congregational church Sunday evening proved a decided success.

The young friends of Mrs. Albert Johnston formerly Miss Lera Cavender, gave her a kitchen shower at the home of her aunt Mrs. Cora Cavender in Portland, on Monday evening, March 28 and the older friends gave her a miscellaneous shower on Wednesday evening at the same place, the result being excellent in quality and generous in quantity.

## DODGE NEWS ITEMS

DODGE, March 29.—Mr. Everett, a Sunday School Organizer of Portland, was calling in Dodge on Friday and held services in the Dodge school house Sunday and Sunday School will be resumed next Sunday afternoon.

The Kaake family Clarence Jubb and Mabel Keller motored to Portland Saturday evening.

David Horner Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner and family and Rosa B. Ten Eyck took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watson of Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fricken have moved back to their place at Viola.

The Dodge Telephone Co. held a meeting in the school house Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis have gone back to the Park mill where Mr. Davis is employed.

W. T. Kaake and Clarence Jubb made a business trip to Portland Monday.

## TUALATIN MEADOWS

TUALATIN MEADOWS, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Z. Ellgren and family spent Easter Sunday at their daughter's Mrs. Ernest Wilke and family. Mrs. Dora Borland and daughter, Sadie, were visiting Mrs. Leonard Schaber Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Armstrong of Portland were out last Monday visiting the latter's brother John Raicy and family and Joe Busbaum.

George Moser was a caller at A. H. Borland's home last Sunday.

Ernest Wilke is helping Charles Larson sack potatoes a few days this week.

Little Joe Raley was sick last week with the measles and bronchitis.

Iva Forland is home from working at the Oregon City hospital.

Jack Fisher spent Easter Sunday at his sister's Mrs. George Saun and family.

Ray Busbaum, John Raicy and Arthur Borland were in Oregon City Thursday afternoon.

## Macksburg Minister Is Severely Injured

MACKSBURG, March 29.—With deep regret we record the death of Wm. Wilson, which took place last week. Mr. Wilson was one of the pioneers of this region and was well known and highly respected by all who knew him.

We wish to convey to his bereaved family our deepest sympathy in their irreparable loss.

Mr. Gingerich, pastor of the Menonite Congregation sustained a serious and painful injury while log hauling last week. The heavy log hook caught in his foot tearing away the shoe and making a wound that caused grave apprehension at first, but seems to be on the way toward healing now.

Mrs. Bessie Spencer who, with her little daughter Virginia, has been spending some months in St. Louis has returned to Macksburg and is again taking charge of George Scramlins home.

Easter morning dawned bright and beautiful with an atmosphere crisp from the last night's frost. All chilliness disappeared long before noon having a temperature perfect for enjoyment. Not a cloud appeared throughout the entire day.

Services in the Lutheran church were conducted by the new pastor who has come to take the Rev. Fr. Lucas' place.

The Menonite congregation attended the service in their Zion tabernacle.

A few of the ranchers went to worship in the adjacent towns while others took advantage of the bright weather to enjoy their long unused autos, a pleasure that has been denied by the unusual rains.

The roads, though still having many rough and unpleasant places show long stretches of fairly good surface, and being free from dust are as enjoyable as they can ever be till those halcyon days of which we are dreaming now. The time when paved highways shall be ours.

Many family reunions took place on Easter Sunday.

Mrs. George Sutherland with her two children spent the day at the home of her brother John Hepler.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Roth, with their children visited a brother of Mrs. Roth, Mr. Dan Hepler.

## Meadowbrook News

MEADOWBROOK, March 29.—Several from here attended the Easter services at Gelson Sunday.

Glenn Larkins and Ruben Chindgren returned to Corvallis Monday after spending the Easter vacation at their respective homes.

Mrs. Dunrud and daughter Kathryn are spending a few days in Portland visiting Mabel Dunrud.

The Progressive Rook Club was entertained at the Chindgren home Wednesday evening.

M. E. Dunn and W. Hankins spent the week end at their homes in Oregon City and Portland.

The Meadowbrook Literary club expects to put on the play "A County Editor" about the last of April, they will give their regular program Saturday evening, April 2nd.

## Lad Hill News

LAD HILL, March 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Will Hitchen and little son Harold were shopping in Newberg Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, John Watson, Donald Ward and George Smith took Easter dinner at the home of Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. Tom Parvish in Fernwood.

Ross Looney came up from Oregon City to assist Mrs. Pienn Graham with packing up as she is to move to her new home in Oregon City this week. Mr. Looney has been helping Pienn Graham with his farm work.

R. H. Walls and family C. A. Allen and family were dinner guests at the home of C. C. Loucks.

Alice St. Clair, Zella Ottman, Doris and George St. Clair took a hike to the Bald Hills Easter Sunday.

Our school will lose one of its pupils Walter Reitor, as he will go to Oregon City with his aunt, Mrs. Pienn Graham.

Raymond Martin who is attending high school in Newberg came home to spend Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. Tom Parvish were Portland shoppers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floa Wood came over from Portland Sunday to spend Easter with Mrs. Wood's parents, Frank Shain.

Mrs. George Smith and son Howard spent Saturday and Sunday in Fernwood with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. H. N. Baker.

## MOUNTAIN ROAD ITEMS

MOUNTAIN ROAD, March 31.—Everyone in this district spent a joyful Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Robinson spent Easter with relatives in Silvertown.

Mrs. Marie Schmidt is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hodge entertained some of their relatives Easter.

Sam Moser, our road supervisor, is grading the road this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser entertained friends on Easter.

Miss Elsie Fellows was an Oregon City visitor Saturday.

Everyone is hoping our present mail carrier will be appointed carrier on our route but we still feel the loss of Miss Tiedeman, who was so accommodating to her patrons.

Mrs. Theodore Strohmeier, of Evergreen Station, was in Oregon City Tuesday, having come here to attend the W. C. T. U. convention held in the Baptist church.

## Club Meeting Held At Estacada Hotel

ESTACADA, March 31.—There was a large attendance at the Community club meeting at the Estacada hotel last Friday night. There was much along the line of business to be transacted by the club but resolutions were passed in regard to the death of J. W. Reed, a charter member of the organization, deploring the loss to the club of its valued member and a beautiful tribute of regard was paid him. Quite a number of visitors were present from Portland, including W. C. Schueppel and wife and two daughters, George Hall and wife, Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Campbell. The program consisted chiefly of music, although Mr. Schueppel gave a short talk and Lois Beal, a little girl from Portland, gave a reading. Miss Helen Schueppel also rendered a violin selection. The Ladies Chorus, a new musical organization here, contributed most pleasing numbers and Mr. Thomas led the community sing, afterwards singing alone a delightful selection. Mrs. Campbell was the pianist for the general singing and Mrs. R. O. McCall was the accompanist for the ladies. After their exercises were an hour of social intercourse and visiting.

There was an informal dancing party by the young people last Friday night at Odd Fellow hall. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ahlberg and Bert Moore furnished the music.

W. A. Inglis and family moved to Gresham last week, after residing here for over a year being connected with the Estacada garage. Their removal is regretted by a host of friends.

Quite an interest is being taken in organizing a band at this place. J. K. Ely is giving his assistance and a meeting was called for one night this week to further the plans. Everybody is hoping that the effort will be successful as a band is one of the good things for a town. Now that Estacada has a resident who is an experienced band master, there seems to be much interest shown by those who have been members of bands heretofore.

Mrs. Julius Kreager is about the happiest woman in Estacada at this time and Mr. Kreager don't say much but acts as though he was keeping up an "awful" thinking. She went to Portland Saturday and returned in the evening with a little girl baby not quite a month old. They have named the young lady Wanda Evelyn Kreager.

Jim Linn has bought what is known as the "Red Nest" property in the southeast part of town.

Milton Evans was here from Portland Monday.

Mrs. Charles Dubois was in Portland Monday to see her husband at St. Vincent's hospital.

Mrs. Bertha Willie of Portland, visited her brother, Julius Kreager and family, last Sunday.

Charles E. Linn bought the Inglis property and moved the latter part of last week.

J. K. Ely and daughter Mary were Portland business visitors last Saturday.

Dr. Wells and family left Estacada last Friday morning for Roseburg to visit for a week at the home of Mrs. Wells' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lilburn. They drove as far as Corvallis the first day.

Mrs. Gibbs accompanied Editor Gibbs preached an Easter sermon to a congregation of colored people. He says the church was full and the music excellent.

Ed. Hunt was here from Portland the first of the week visiting relatives and friends.

Rev. J. F. Dunlop was a visitor at the Metropolitan last Saturday.

Walter, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. August Sagner, was brought home from a Portland hospital Tuesday, where he was recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

M. Bove came over from Portland Saturday night to see his wife and baby who are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kerkes.

Lawren Ellis was over from Portland Sunday to visit under the parental roof.

G. E. Lawrence of Springwater has been elected to serve as one of the directors of the Eastern Clackamas County fair, which is to be held in Estacada this fall, and C. A. Johnson from George. The entire number of directors, are now appointed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hislop went to Portland Saturday morning to visit their daughter, returning Sunday evening.

While working on a scaffold at the G. E. Lawrence farm at Springwater yesterday afternoon, Earl Shibley fell when the scaffold broke, and he received a severe cut on his head, also on one hand. The injury is not serious, however.

George Morrow and wife and son Walter, of Portland, were guests last Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sparks.

Mrs. Morrow is Mr. Sparks' niece. J. M. Melton resigned his position with the Estacada Garage and will probably leave Estacada much to the regret of the many friends of the family at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bartlett motored to Portland Sunday to meet their son Ken who was in the city for a short time that day.

Miss Arletha Cannon, sister of Mrs. J. M. Melton, was a week-end guest at the Melton home.

W. E. Linn and his son W. J. Linn and his wife, motored to Portland Tuesday to attend a show.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Carter, of Portland, have bought the Davis confectionery and have possession. Mr. Davis is going to leave Estacada.

The County assessor, accompanied by all his deputies were in Estacada Tuesday. They are touring the county in order to get a uniform rate. H. G. Holder is assessor again for Estacada.

The Junior class of the Estacada high school will present their annual class play at the high school auditorium, on West Tuesday night, April 5. The title of the play is "The Professor's Mother-in-Law," a three act comedy.

Mrs. C. J. Primm visited Portland last Saturday.

Chester Womer, Clyde Denny, Russel Reed, Carl Kimmel and Lloyd Saug returned to O. A. C. Tuesday, after spending the Easter vacation with home folks.

Albert Lichthorn returned to Corvallis Wednesday, after spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lichthorn.

Mrs. Viola Douglas moved to Estacada last week from the farm at Eagle Creek. Miss Bina Douglas, her daughter, is with her. They are occupying the property on upper Broadway, which Mrs. Douglas recently bought of William Palmateer.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren McWilliams, Friday, March 25.

R. G. Marchbank took a trip to Eastern Oregon last week returning Sunday night.

Superintendent Burns, Misses Vera Murray and Helen John and Messrs. L. V. Cleworth and A. J. Schoth, all of the high school faculty, were Portland visitors Saturday.

Mrs. F. C. Howe and daughter Miss Lella Howe were among the passengers for Portland Saturday.

The Easter exercises at the Methodist church given by the Sunday School were very interesting and a large audience enjoyed the program. The music by the choir was especially worthy of mention. The children carried out their exercises very nicely and a short address by the superintendent Mrs. T. A. Reagan on China was well received.

Miss Neva Clute visited Portland Saturday.

## REDLAND NEWS.

REDLAND, March 31.—Mrs. Toxy Bornietz is resting at last reports.

Mrs. Joe Hinkle is up again after an attack of bronchial pneumonia.

The road work has begun with a large force of men.

E. H. Stewart who has been quite sick the past week is out again but Mrs. Stewart who took Sunday night Saturday evening is still confined to her bed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gill of Stafford, Miss Gordon of Willamette, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Merrill and three daughters of Sellwood called on B. H. Stewart and family Sunday.

Mr. Lay and family moved to Viola this week where Mr. Lay will be employed in the timber.

The Brock ranch has been sold Details not known.

## Only Experts Are Now Making Autos

"Automobile craftsmanship generally has reached the pinnacle of excellence," says R. C. Parker, manager of Miller-Parker Co., and it is doubtful if at any previous time in the industry has such perfection of detail been achieved in the designing and construction of cars.

"During the last couple of years, the labor shortage forced a great many more or less incompetent men into various mechanical departments in every industry. This constant shifting of labor made it difficult for any manufacturer to achieve his high ideals of perfection."

"Today, every operation in an automobile factory is performed by an expert hand. Assemblers are the cream of their craft. Tools and dies are built by the masters in that particular line. Inspectors are passing nothing but absolutely perfect workmanship. The keenest kind of competition between crafts men has raised the standard of excellence an efficiency all along the line."

"This means that the buyer of a new car today is getting a piece of mechanism that has been put together by the very highest talent existing in the human race. A new era in finer automobiles is built by a new generation of master workmen has arrived."

## Gladstone News

Mr. and Mrs. John Kent have returned to their home after spending the Easter week with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Kent, of Woodburn. Other guests of Mrs. Kent, were her daughter, Mrs. J. W. Flegle, of Vancouver, Wash., and Bud Kent of Oregon City.

Mrs. Alex Bolle and Alex Bolle, Sr., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Bolle and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bolle, of Edgewood, Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winnifred Knight are spending a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peckover, of Edgewood.

Mrs. W. W. Leete is spending a few days with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Crabtree, of Rose City Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kent will occupy their new home in West Gladstone the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Chas. Legler and little daughter, Mildred, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Legler's sister, Mrs. J. R. Gerben at Portland.

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of the 3-day-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Gillette, of Seattle, Wash. Mrs. Gillette was formerly Miss Maud Moran, of Gladstone. Miss Lillian Gillette, sister-in-law and Mrs. Grace Ely, sister of Mrs. Gillette, left for Seattle Wednesday afternoon to attend the funeral of the baby.

Edward Soule, of Portland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Eby Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beyers and daughters, Helena and Elsie, of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bolle and little son, John Stuart, Bolle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. August Bolle during Easter week at their home in Edgewood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lacy are moving into the Steiner house on East Arlington street.

Claude Bruder is ill at his home in East Gladstone, suffering with blood poisoning in his left hand, which was caused by his being burned recently.

Miss Edna Rowan and Elvin Catto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dunmire at their new home in Portland Tuesday evening. Mrs. Dunmire was formerly Miss Dorothy Green, of this place.

Mrs. Harry Peckover, who has been very ill, suffering from a cold, is much better.

## BREEZY BRIEFS FROM MOLALLA

### Interesting News Items Taken From The Pioneer

W. W. Everhart was a Portland business visitor Wednesday.

W. Looney and wife moved from Woodburn last week into the J. G. Nee place just west of town.

Mrs. Margaret Engle and Clara Engle were Oregon City business visitors last Monday.

Mrs. E. O. Dix was in Portland on Wednesday.

Mrs. Susan Gibson arrived last Friday from Williams, California, for a visit with her son, Chester Gibson.

Ira Steinger returned last Friday from Hot Lake, Eastern Oregon, where he has been for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. Melton of Evergreen and Mrs. Jim Melton and family of Estacada, are visiting this week with relatives in Molalla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Echerd were Portland visitors last Tuesday, visiting their daughter, Bessie, at the Good Samaritan hospital.

Mary Palfrey, Vida Cole, Duane Robbins, Lester Tubbs and Verne Faure all students at the Oregon Agricultural college, returned home Saturday to visit with their parents.

O. W. Robbins had the misfortune to drop a heavy timber on his feet Monday. No bones were broken but both feet were badly bruised which necessitates using crutches.

H. Bigelow, Lloyd Biglow and Ben Newman returned Tuesday evening from a several months' auto trip through California and Arizona. They were at Phoenix for some time. They report a fine trip.

There will be a special meeting of the city council of Molalla on Tuesday, April fifth to pass the ordinance permitting them to call a special election to put the new city water project before the people.

## THE VEGETABLE WITH A "KICK"

### BAKED ONIONS

The very best way to cook an onion according to chefs and connoisseurs in onions is to bake them Why? Because all the delicacy is preserved, the fine flavor, but the strong part evaporates in the cooking. Also, the onion, baked, doesn't cling to the breath so affectionately. The onion broiled is as delicate but a little more trouble to prepare. In either case the onion should be parboiled as a starter, the water poured off, save only a little in which to bake it and for soups and stews.

Large onions are, of course, the sort to be used, such as the Bermuda type.

Boil in milk and water until tender. Place in baking dish or frying pan, buttered, add a little of the liquid and bake until browned.

Another and more elaborate method is to cut the onions in half crosswise, to make a paste of butter, chopped parsley, lemon juice and pepper, adding finely chopped garlic if desired. Spread upon the cut side of the onion, place in covered baking dish with a little water or milk and cook for about three-quarters of an hour. If desired, a nice finish is added by sprinkling bread crumbs upon the cut surface, which of course is uppermost in the baking dish and browning.

Persia has a great deal to answer for—rugs, cats, Omar Khayyam, and onions.

Yes, the onion is a Persian. It is no more Spanish that was General O'Reilly of Spanish tradition or than General O'Higgins of Chile was really Chilean. It is Persian by birth and ancestry. Xerxes starting out to conquer Greece probably took a goodly supply of onions along with him in his commissary.

It is a most ancient and honorable vegetable and its history runneth the memory of man knows not how far back.

What alcohol used to be to drink, the onion is to food. It puts the "kick" into it, relieving flatness of taste and insipidity by the addition of its characteristic flavor. Therefore it is probably the most used and useful vegetable in the world for from its Persian start it has permeated the civilized globe with its fragments and flavor.

It is a first cousin of the Easter lily, a near relative of the asparagus, a close connection of the lily of the valley and the hyacinth and, so far as family goes, travels in the very best of circles.

If you were to go into a restaurant and ask the servitor to bring you a steak suffocated with Allium Cepa, he'd probably call the police to take care of a "nut," but that would be merely asking for a steak smothered with onions, calling the onion by its real family name. It is an allium, but botanists, like Chinamen, put front names last, so the garlic is allium sativum, the little chive has the high sounding name of allium Schoenoprasum, and the leek is Allium Porrum. But Allium Cepa is the king of the tribe, the plain every day onion.

In the beginning Persian cats and the Persian wild onion were nothing like the impressive creations they now are. It is the result of culture and proper food to develop them. The onion originally, did not run heavily to bulb, but more to neck like the present-day leek. The big, solid bulbs are a modern development under cultivation.

The onion formerly was considered to have considerable medicinal properties, not now so highly esteemed. Its odor is said to be caused by the presence of sulphur in its makeup.

Onion culture for the best success is intensive. The best soil is onion soil. It takes a lot of preparation to get the right soil for the best onions, but only those desiring to grow fancy "Bermudas" or "Spanish" onions need go to all the trouble. Good, rich soil, properly worked will grow good onions, plenty good enough for the ordinary gardener.

There used to be a belief that onions couldn't be grown successfully from seed in the south, but that fiction has been exploded for many years as the finest onions come from warm climates, and Tripoli and Spain have furnished some of the finest there are. Egyptian onions also are noted for their quality.

Early sowing and transplanting is the main thing and this is the best month. For the small home garden it is the best to plant in small beds as soon as the ground can be worked, the surface raised and paths between acting as trenches for drainage during the spring rains. The onion is not a deep rooter, but it needs soil

## NEWS NOTES AROUND AURORA

### Little Happenings of Interest Selected From The Observer

Born Monday, March 23 to the wife of Wm. Preston, twins, a boy and a girl.

Gordon R. Watt was a visitor Tuesday at the county seat where he had a case in court.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hugill were here on business Tuesday from their home east of Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Jack were among the residents of the Needy district here on business yesterday.

E. P. Morcom, the Woodburn attorney, was a Butteville visitor Monday, combining a bit of business and school politics.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Crisell and family and Wendell Monroe were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Yengen.

Mrs. Diana Snyder has been appointed an official registrar for voters for all precincts of Marion county, by County Clerk Boyer.

Henry L. Bents, A. W. Kraus and P. O. Ottaway attended a session of the Donald Masonic lodge to see K. B. Grim given his final degree Tuesday