

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.

Damascus Students Receive Diplomas

(Too late for last week)

DAMASCUS, May 24.—The first dance of the season under the management of the Eberhart Bros. given at Elliott hall Saturday night was well attended. Phat's Jazz Band furnished the music. The new maple floor was splendid and everyone reported a good time. Announcement was made for another dance in two weeks. Saturday, June 4th. Supper will be served. Come and bring your friends. Gustav Stien, who has been confined to his home for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Vincent of Portland have recently purchased the Elliott store, and adjoining property. They have moved into their new home and are to take possession of the store in the near future.

Lee Anderson, our new blacksmith is kept quite busy lately. Representative F. D. Shank, accompanied by his wife and little daughter, Helen, motored to Goldendale, Wash., and are now visiting friends and relatives there.

The students of Damascus school who received diplomas in the county arithmetic and spelling contests are: Lillie K. Kellar, Neva Elliott, Ray Myers, Floyd Myers, Francis Adams, William Wieso, Lurline Rogers, Herbert Mullenhoff, Lurline Swetnam and LaVelle Swetnam. Spelling, Esther Pier, Grace Roger, Floyd Myers, Caryl Sylvester, Charlotte Mullenhoff, Neil Hannie, Victor Pier, Lillie Kellar, Neva Elliott, Lurline Swetnam and LaVelle Swetnam.

Mrs. Nieta Dallas visited Mrs. W. R. Dallas last Friday.

The Damascus boys were victorious in a five inning ball game, played with Boring at Carver last Sunday, the score being 4 to 2. Plans are under way for an organized team and we hope soon to have a ball ground at home.

Miss Mabel Elliott, who has a book-keeping position in Portland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Elliott.

Henry Burr, Jr. of Portland visited friends and relatives here Sunday. A fine baby girl made its arrival at the Martin Anderson home last week.

Mrs. C. Woldhagen, Jr., and baby are visiting relatives in Portland this week.

Barlow Graduates Extra Large Class

BARLOW, May 21.—Charles Dreging, spent a few days at home last week preparing for high school commencement exercises.

Autoists driving through Barlow will note quite a difference in the road as it has all been leveled off and graded. E. P. Elliott of Oregon City, has built a new home on his place at Barlow. Mr. Ross is building a large structure which he intends to use for a wood yard.

The graduating exercises of the Barlow grammar school were held in the Barlow school house May 23. This was an all day affair and proved very enjoyable for all present. The morning was spent by a program by the school and after lunch two baseball games were played, one when the men played the boys and lost 18 to 22 next the boys played Aurora and also won the game. This was the largest class that has graduated from Barlow for many years.

A very enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parmenter in honor of the former's birthday anniversary. The evening was spent principally in cards and dancing after which delicious refreshments were served. The crowd dispersed at a late hour all wished him a happy birthday.

Live Wire Ladies Meet at Redland

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REDLAND, May 27.—Molton Sprague is quite ill at his home with rheumatism.

Marion Kirchem of Logan and Miss Pearl Hinkle accompanied by Miss Hinkle's parents visited at Goldendale, Wash.

Mrs. Edith Blom has gone to Bremerton Wash., where her husband is stationed in the navy.

Alvine Sprague is suffering from a badly cut finger.

Mrs. Albert Gerber is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sprague.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Sherman were quite pleasantly surprised when their daughter arrived from Colorado for a visit.

The Redland Ladies' Live Wires met at Mrs. Etta Allens, May 26. The president Mrs. B. H. Stewart being sick, Mrs. Bonnie the secretary acted as president. Mrs. Allen had a comfort tied after which the ladies visited. Places were laid for Mrs. Hendrixson, Mrs. Hinkle, Mrs. Spees, Mrs. Critser, Mrs. Sterns, Mrs. Bonnie, Miss Bonnie, Miss Stewart and Mrs. Clara and Etta Allen with Mrs. Sherman, Mrs. Neville Little Gene and Marion Sterns and Anna Margaret Stewart as visitors. The ladies will meet with Mrs. Hendrixson for their next regular meeting and will also meet next Thursday with Mrs. Arnold Allen for the Dress Form Demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hinkle have moved to Marshfield.

Mrs. Hultze and daughter Stella, of Portland visited at H. G. Nevill's last Sunday.

H. G. Nevill and wife received the result of the test, taken of their seven months old daughter, Clara Pearl, at Portland courthouse, in which the

Elks Prairie News

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ELK PRAIRIE, May 25.—Mr. Laird and family have returned to their claim up on the Golley Creek, above Steve Fischer's home. The Laird's made the trip overland from Bakersfield and were well equipped for comfort in their house on wheels. They brought four horses and three vehicles. These people report that they went from this section direct to the oil fields of Bakersfield, where they stayed until these were closed, then they went to the cotton fields further south, later returning to Bakersfield, on their way here.

James Neely and Chas. Tidd visited the Badger homestead Sunday and were very much interested in the sweet clover. Mr. Neely has been working in Seattle the past winter.

D. W. Badger is enlarging his strawberry patch by over a thousand plants, taken from his last year's strawberry bed. Mr. Badger is also making a large garden for family use, besides making many other improvements.

Chas. Tidd went to meet R. Joplin who went to town, a few days ago. This precaution was needed because of the bad condition of the roads.

Mrs. F. Joplin has just received a fine Jersey cow. The animal was brought by truck to the Osbourne place, which is termed "The end of the road" by the Elk Prairie people.

Basil Leitzel, who was raised in this vicinity is visiting at the D. B. Gray and Glen Gault homes. He is spending much enjoyable with his chum, Frank Gray. Basil has lived in Portland for some time.

Frank Rossman has been steadily improving his homestead. Mr. and Mrs. Rossman have built a large log house, which will be completed as soon as the roads permit the hauling of finishing lumber.

C. K. Thomas made a trip to Silverton to consult an oculist. Mr. Thomas was injured by a "widow maker" or falling limb in the logging woods two years ago. The car was thrown from the track, owing to the excitement of his rescuers. Mr. Thomas has been a frequent sufferer from severe headaches ever since.

Teq Gray, a young man who has been raised in this neighborhood and reached his majority this spring, is building a log house. Ted's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gray are helping with the raising as are also his brother Frank, brother-in-law, Glen Gault, and friend, Basil Leitzel.

James Neely expects to go away to work in a few days. The Neelys have built a large log house upon their claim, of which one room is finished and occupied.

Joseph Kolshinski has been improving his homestead the past winter and will go out to work for wages soon.

Chas. Tidd harvested thirteen sacks of Jerusalem artichokes from two short rows and will plant this year again.

Albert Batties returned to Spokane, where he has work as a train conductor. Mr. Batties contracted to have thirty acres of land slashed during his absence. It is reported Mrs. Batties and baby will remain here.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Gray in honor of Andy Mazingo's fifty-first birthday. The surprise, however, was on the Gray family and they had spent the day building a new house on Ted Gray's homestead. Mr. Mazingo had assisted the people of this neighborhood with music for their parties.

Another birthday party was given in the Rolland house, which is not occupied at the present time. This was in honor of Master Schlerman and Milton Joplin.

Arthur Davis was a visitor at the homestead of Chas. Tidd, James Neely and D. W. Badger a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Tautfest took four veal calves to the Portland market, last week. Mr. Tautfest has just finished cutting wood for the Coal Creek school.

The Directors of District No. 313 held a meeting at Mr. Hilton's home. This is the first meeting since the Elk Prairie school has been represented by a director. Chas. Tidd being the director from this part of the district. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hilton are the directors from Coal Creek. Richard Joplin, of Elk Prairie is the clerk of the board.

D. B. Gray was a recent visitor at the Badger homestead. Mr. Gray was looking for some of his cattle which have been missing for the past month.

C. K. Thomas is also looking for some stock which has been missing for about the same length of time.

Mr. Yakubee, who is a sausage maker in Portland, has hired Frank Rossman and C. K. Thomas, to do some clearing upon his homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Snyder have moved to a place near Scotts Mills, while taking their allotted time "off" from their homestead as allowed by the Government.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. F. Joplin extended their hospitality to the Elk Prairie Community Club. After the business meeting was over, the time was passed quickly with dancing. Road problems came in for their full share of the evening's discussion.

FARMERS WEEK and Homemakers Conference

A week of College Life at O. A. C. COOPERATIVE CONVENTIONS Excursions—Let's Go. Corvallis, Or. June 13-18

Men's Soles.....\$1.75 Women's Soles.....1.25 Children's according to age. Carver Shoe Repair Shop

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Loganites Attend State Grange Meet

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LOGAN, June 2.—Quite a number of Loganites have gone to Eugene to attend the session of the Oregon State Grange which convenes there this week. Among those attending: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Sprague, who are the representatives from Harding Grange, also Wm. Kirchem and wife, S. G. Kirchem and wife and Mr. and Mrs. James Griffith.

Mrs. N. L. Kirchem entertained her brother C. A. Duus and family of Clatskanie, Oregon, over Sunday. They have been spending a week with the home folks at Estacada.

Rev. O. W. Taylor of Portland spent the week end at the Taylor farm here also visiting his brother, Reginald Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Etheridge are living at their home here now.

Miss Ethel Hutchins, also Miss Alma and Bertha Boss accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Franklin to Seaside and spent her week end.

Among the graduates at Oregon City high school this week is one of our native Logan girls, Miss Margaret Hutchins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchins.

Dodge News Items

DODGE, May 31.—David Horner, Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner and family spent Sunday at the E. Jochimsen home.

Mabel Keller spent Sunday and Monday visiting friends at Welches.

Corra Ten Eyck is visiting her sister, Rosa B. Ten Eyck, for a few days this week.

Mrs. Gordon, who has been visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin, left for her home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Myers and family spent Sunday in Portland.

Rosa B. Ten Eyck spent Sunday and Monday at her home at Marmot.



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