

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.

Molalla Section Local Happenings

MOLALLA, July 20—Mrs. R. P. Williams is seriously ill at her home in Molalla.

Oren Cutting, who has been ill at the St. Vincents hospital for some weeks, is very much improved and was able to come home Friday.

The Ladies Aid will hold a meeting at the Methodist church Friday afternoon.

A few people from here attended the play, "It Pays to Advertise," at Chautauqua, Gladstone, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Swenberg and son, Fred, spent the week end at the St. Vincent hospital.

Joe Smith of Mt. Angel spent the last week visiting John Cole and family.

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Commercial Club Hall At Lad Hill Burned

LAD HILLS, July 20—The Lad Hill Commercial Club Hall was completely destroyed by fire about 4:30 A. M. Sunday morning.

It was just breaking through the roof on the east side near the door in the men's cloak room and on opening the door the flames swept through the entire hall.

There was a dance in the hall Saturday evening and everything was apparently all right on leaving the hall.

It is probable that the fire was caused from a short circuit in the fire as the electric light wires entered the hall in the east side where the fire originated.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Parrott, Martha and Bruno Struve attended a dance at Jager's Park on the Pacific highway Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Larkins, Allen and Anna Larkins spent the weekend visiting relatives at Kingston.

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Eleanor Schiewe and Opal McKenzie of Oregon City spent Friday at the P. O. Schiewe home.

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A truck load of 21 Boy Scouts are here from Portland staying at Hillock farm. They work three hours a day for their board, the work being applied to blazing trails, making a baseball park, clearing land and other improvements.

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Meadowbrook Items

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Barlow and son of Oregon City visited with the M. D. Chindgren family Sunday.

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Estacada Rebekahs Elect Officers

ESTACADA, July 20—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sparks motored to Portland Friday on business connected with the Family Theatre.

Among the Portland visitors last Friday were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cary and Mrs. Earl Shibley.

Mrs. J. E. Boner has gone to Winlock, Wash., to visit friends for some time.

Mrs. Al Hyens was here from Portland last week the guest of Mrs. W. A. Heylman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Cary, former residents of this place but now of Portland, were guests last Thursday night at the home of the former's brother, W. F. Cary.

Mrs. W. J. Moore has sold her house and lot on Terrace Addition to Dr. J. A. Wells, and it is now being occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Noble McMillan.

Miss Irma Gates furnished the piano music for the Family Theatre.

The large ten at the foot of the incline on Third street was taken down Monday, the boy evangelist having closed his meetings here.

The local order of Rebekahs installed new officers at their last meeting, and they are as follows:

Noble Grand, Vol Cary; vice grand, Elva Ahlberg; secretary, Mary Eschelman; treasurer, Cordelia Carter; past noble grand, Jennie Kreiger; R. S. N. G., Della Lovell, L. S. N. G., May Kitching; R. S. V. G., Dorris Lovell; L. S. V. G., Rose Wilcox; garden, Myrtle McWilliams; conductor, Emma Lawrence; chairman, Nellie Hayman; I. G., Lydia O'Connell; O. G., Wava Herring. A right royal time was had after the ceremony of installation and light refreshments were served by the committee.

A family by the name of McMiller has rented W. F. Cary's cottage on Upper Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shibley have gone to the coast for a two weeks outing.

Otis Wagner is breaking in a new Chevrolet touring car and is occupying his time now riding over the country.

A. C. Weston, of Layton, Mississippi, was here last week looking over his timber land interests in this vicinity. He was accompanied by five other members of his family, all young men.

The State Fire Inspector was in Estacada last Friday and Saturday and left some very stringent instructions with several owners of buildings here, in regard to making the places safe in case of fire.

Mr. and Mrs. N. McMillan's household goods arrived last Saturday and now they are comfortably settled in the Wells cottage on Terrace Addition. Mr. McMillan expects to remain in Estacada for some time. He has a position with the P. R. L. & P. in the construction work on the North Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shibley will move to the farm at Springfield, as soon as they return from the beach.

W. F. Cary and family drove over to Portland last Friday, combining business with pleasure.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and Mrs. Tom Morton attended the chautauqua at Gladstone last Friday.

Miss Clare Kenyon, of Denver, Col. was a guest at the H. C. Stephens home for several days, leaving for her home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Morgan, Mrs. J. W. Reed and Mrs. T. Reagan went to Gladstone last Sunday to attend the Chautauqua.

W. H. Wade is attending the Gladstone chautauqua.

Painters are at work beautifying the residence of J. W. Dowry near Eagle Creek.

Ten cars of picnickers, consisting of the Piedmont car barn employees, of Portland, were here Wednesday and held their picnic in the Estacada park.

John Page, of this place, who was employed as a guard at Gladstone during the chautauqua, met with a serious accident last Sunday, when he fell from the running board of a car. His leg was broken in two places. He was taken to the Oregon City hospital where the fracture was reduced and is being made as comfortable as possible.

C. L. Allen visited Mrs. Ed. Allen at Bull Run last Sunday. They report that the latter lady is still in very poor health.

Mr and Mrs. S. E. Wooster and daughter, Helen, Misses Ruth Hewitt and Bertha Burns, motored to Corvallis one day last week to make arrangements for Miss Helen to attend O. A. C. next term.

H. L. McKinney and Ed. Helgate have gone to Eastern Oregon on a business deal.

Miss Ruth Hewitt, has returned to her home in Portland after an extended visit at the Wooster home.

A. E. Sparks, manager and owner of the Family Theatre, is enclosing the operator's room with galvanized sheet iron and putting in a tin ventilator in the ceiling.

Twenty-one Boy Scouts are now domiciled at Hillockburn farm, across the river from Casadero. They work three hours a day for their board, blazing trails, making a baseball park and making other farm improvements.



THE ONLY REASON HAIR DRESSERS ARE NOT AS TALKATIVE AS BARBERS, OBSERVES JIM, "IS BECAUSE HAIR DRESSERS' CUSTOMERS CAN HOLD THEIR OWN."

ONCE UPON A TIME there was a Fair Jane who managed to snare two young men at the same time, which is no considerable feat, considering what the competition is nowadays.

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The FARMER with a bank account is the most independent of all men. He is absolutely his own manager and his own master. There are none "higher up" to give orders, and he comes and goes as he pleases. His broad fields are his kingdom. But the farmer who has no bank account, and by his poor management gets into debt, is no longer independent, but a slave to his creditors. Come and open an account with us at once that you may enjoy the freedom and independence which your calling gives you.

Four per cent on time deposits. CARVER STATE BANK "THE BANK OF PERSONAL SERVICE" The Latest Safety Deposit Boxes for Rent. TELEPHONE RATES ON WARTIME BASIS ATTACKED AT REHEARING

SALEM, Or., July 20—Charges made by Attorney Tomlinson that present telephone rates are based in part on a standard contract adopted by ex-Postmaster-General Burleson during war times and not on the actual contract existing between the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company and the American Telephone & Telegraph company, the parent concern, opened up an argument in which members of the commission as well as counsel for the telephone company participated.

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NEARLY every vaudeville show nowadays has a chap from Switzerland or some place like that, who comes on and does what he calls yodeling. We don't know whether they are born that way or whether they do it on purpose.

THE Department of Justice having ruled that beer containing five per cent kick can be brewed for sick people, a curious exchange wants to know why, if it is good for sick people it is not good for well people. We don't believe it is good for the well or the sick. If you take much of it when you are well you will get sick.

Buy a pipe—and some P.A. Get the joy that's due you! We print it right here that if you don't know the "Ted" and the friendship of a joy's jimmy pipe—GO GET ONE! And—get some Prince Albert and hang a howdy-do on the big smoke-gong!

PRINCE ALBERT the national joy smoke