

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.

Carus

CARUS, Sept. 18.—Mrs. John O'Leary and daughters, Maude and Katherine and son, Hughie, Erma Casaday, Mrs. Fred Spangler, daughter Virginia and John Lehman, have returned from Aurora where they were picking hops. Quite a class of freshmen started to Oregon City High from Carus Monday, Miss Edna Brown, John Bliss, Earl Davis and William Miller and Miss Katherine O'Leary. George Bliss and family have returned after an enjoyable trip along Tillamook beaches. Wednesday evening a bon fire was held at the Herman Smith hop yard. Lots of young folks combined with fun proved to be a genuine affair. Miss Matilda Steiner has arrived from Portland, where she will resume her teaching in the Carus school. The young teacher will reside at the Gwilliam residence. Prune picking is in full swing now. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Erich Fisher upon the arrival of an eight pound baby girl, September 12. Best wishes to Betty Loviene. Mrs. David L. Jones and brother, Kenneth were shopping in Portland Friday. Misses Emily and Gertrude Griffiths and Miss Edna Brown have taken rooms in Oregon City where they will reside during high school term. Saturday evening the Pig club held its monthly meeting at the Spangler home. Arnel Beach, Adrian Jones, John Bliss, Melvin Stewart and Richard Guilliam were present. Glenn Clark, son of Rev. Clark of Salem, was a visitor at Carus last week. Rev. Kester of Molalla is the newly elected minister of the Carus M. E. church.

Kelso

KELSO, Sept. 18.—The Kelso school opened Sept. 11, with an enrollment of 26 pupils in Miss Vaerett's room and 16 in Mrs. Baumback's. The teachers are very much pleased with the improved appearance of the schoolrooms which were painted before school opened, through the efforts of the Woman's Club. Carl Klige is attending school at Mt. Angel, Helen Hite entered St. Mary's in Portland and Roland Erickson is enrolled in the Sandy High school. Rev. O. Hagres of Tacoma, Wash., held services in the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday afternoon. Henry Ert's new house has been plastered, and work will begin shortly on the interior finishing. Ben Klige is having his residence remodeled, and enlarged. H. Miller is doing the work. Dorothy Nelson, daughter of Ned Nelson, returned to Portland to resume her studies at Jefferson High school. Eunice Jonsrud has returned to Reed College for her sophomore year. E. Anderson sprained his ankle Saturday while at his work at the Jonsrud-Gundersen mill, and A. Skogan had his arm badly bruised by a falling limb, the same day. However, neither one is seriously hurt and will shortly resume work. Dr. Thompson of Sandy attended to the injuries. Miss Sibyl Lindell, of Portland, teacher in the Sandy High school is making her home with her aunt, Mrs. R. Jonsrud. Gertrude and Florence Klige have returned to St. Mary's for the year. The Misses Elizabeth, Margaret and Angela Canning have resumed their duties as teachers in the Portland schools.

Beaver Creek

BEAVER CREEK, Sept. 18.—After visiting with friends here for about two weeks Mrs. G. V. Woodward and baby returned to her brother-in-law's home near Canby last Thursday. She expects to join her husband soon near Salem. Mr. and Mrs. J. Watts are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Sept. 17 at St. Vincent's hospital. Mother and baby are reported as doing well. Edward Roberts and Wilbur Bohlander returned last week from the harvest fields in Eastern Oregon. Miss Genevieve Londergan was out home from Portland Sunday, and called on Mrs. A. W. Fogleson. Mary Marcelene Cornwell of Highland spent Saturday afternoon at the Schram home after taking her music lesson. She is a pupil of Mrs. A. Thomas. Two painters, Harry Crawford and Jay Meyers, are now busy on the Hall buildings and the work is progressing rapidly.

Eagle Creek

EAGLE CREEK, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Perry Murphy and Mrs. Bestul were calling on Mrs. L. Rucker Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. H. Paddison and daughter, Naomi, were Portland visitors last Friday. Last Saturday while at work at Dwyer's Logging camp, Mr. Bestul had the misfortune to cut his hand on the saw. FUNERAL DIRECTORS Homelike—Efficient—Courteous Telephone 98 7th and Water Sts., Oregon City

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Estacada

ESTACADA, Sept. 20.—The fronts of the Lichthorn store buildings are being improved this week by a liberal supply of paint. Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Johnson had as guests last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dearstoff of Clackamas, D. S. Johnson and W. T. Shelly and children of Gresham. Mrs. Alice Reed went to Portland last Saturday to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. C. Doming. Miss Elsie Dearstoff left on Saturday for Portland and Molalla. Mrs. C. J. McKinney has returned to Foster, Oregon, where she will again teach school. Mrs. F. J. Robley visited friends in Portland last Friday. Messrs. Roy and Gerald Wilcox were business visitors in Portland last Friday. Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Lacy left on Thursday for their new home at Madras, in eastern Oregon. The change was made in order to see if the climate in the eastern part of the state would not be beneficial to his throat trouble. C. J. Pimm was in Estacada from Portland Monday night to attend the "going away" party for Rev. and Mrs. Lacy at the Methodist church. Mrs. G. H. Lichthorn was brought home last Sunday in a very bad shape, being ill with pneumonia. She is somewhat improved at this writing. Mrs. Buckmaster of South Dakota, who was a resident of this place three years ago, operating the fish hatchery at River Mill, arrived here last week to visit former friends. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lawrence went to Portland last Sunday night to attend the wedding reception of a friend. The M. E. Ladies Aid met at the country home of Mrs. J. R. Hughes last Wednesday afternoon. Manager Wallace, of the local telephone and telegraph company, has been making extensive improvements to the line during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gohring returned from their automobile trip to Spokane last Thursday evening. They were accompanied home by Mrs. John Meisinger and little son, who will visit here for a few weeks. H. C. Gohring and James Smith of the Estacada Meat Co., visited Portland Friday. The Lovelace building, which is to be occupied by Bartholomew & Lawrence for a feed store, is going up rapidly. Earl Kilgore of Willamina was in Estacada last Sunday. The Trojans of Portland, a colored aggregation, was shut out in the baseball game here last Sunday with Estacada. The score was 7-0. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Fosson and daughter, Leta, attended a birthday party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Yonce, at Oregon City, last Sunday. Quite a number of the prune growers of this section, who commenced to gather and dry their crop last week, ceased operations for a few days because the fruit was not ripe enough. Lee Peszner came home last Sunday from Vancouver, Wash., on account of an attack of tonsillitis. Dr. and Mrs. Adix of Gresham, former residents of this place, were in Estacada for a short time last Saturday evening. The doctor was here to make a professional call and while he was absent, Mrs. Adix visited with Mrs. A. H. Sparks. Mrs. U. H. Gibbs went to Portland Sunday and remained for two or three days to visit friends. G. E. Lawrence has decided to give up his position at North Bend, where he has been managing a laundry, and will return to Estacada his home. This will be pleasing news to everybody in general, as he had about decided to go to North Bend to reside. U. H. Gibbs attended a session of the Episcopal convention in Portland last Friday. The first meeting after a two months' vacation was held by the local O. E. S. Tuesday evening with a good attendance. A social hour after the regular meeting was concluded with light refreshments. Postmaster and Mrs. Heyman were Portland visitors Wednesday. Frank Wallet, an Armenian, who a few weeks ago was a contractor on the work being done by the railroad company above Faraday, was in Estacada Tuesday night in company with a lawyer from Portland, to try and recover some trunks at the hotel which were attached for debt. Herman Wallace was among the passengers for Portland Wednesday morning. Mrs. A. E. Sparks visited our sister city on the west, Portland, Wednesday. Fred Hoffmeister of upper Eagle Creek, has some exceptionally large apples on display at the Ely store. One apple weighs over a pound. The Estacada W. C. T. U. held a meeting at the residence of Mrs. H. C. Stephens last Thursday afternoon and elected the following new officers: president, Mrs. Hassell; vice-president, Mrs. E. E. Hannah; secretary, Mrs. H. C. Stephens; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Allen. Estacada students of the O. A. C. who returned to school this week are: Russel Reed, George Harkenrider and Carl Kimmel. Roger Cary, of Portland, stopped in Estacada Tuesday night on his way to Cary's Hot Springs up in the mountains. Loran Ellis, who had been here visiting his parents for a few days, left for Portland last Friday morning and will later, in company with his wife, if left for Boston, Mass., where Mr. Ellis will pursue graduate study in technology. He has been head draftsman for a Portland firm of architects. Dr. Carey left Estacada last Thursday in company with Mrs. Carey, for some town in Arizona, having given up his Washington location. Mrs. J. E. Gais was a Portland visitor last Saturday. Will Closer visited the metropolis Monday on a business mission. George Kelly, A. Richmond, William Dills and W. F. Cary left on Sunday morning for the mountains to fish and otherwise enjoy an outing and camping trip. They expect to be gone for a week or ten days. Watch for "Father Goose" as he is coming for the benefit of the public library. Members of the Methodist church and friends of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Lacy, met at the church Monday evening to give their pastor and his estimable wife a farewell party. After a social time an impromptu program was given, which started off with communion services led by Miss Ruth Dillon. Miss Melba Harmon then gave a reading after which Rev. Denney gave a few remarks, dwelling upon the high esteem in which the pastor and wife were held in this community and the many friends they have made during their short stay on one year. Rev. Lacy responded in his characteristic way and Miss Harman gave a piano selection and Miss Ruth Dillon "spoke a piece" as she gesticulatingly termed it. A general handshaking and social time followed and the evening's program ended with light refreshments. A group of high school girls rented the house vacated by Mrs. Clyde Saling, and are keeping a regular "bachelor" hall, chaperoned by one of the teachers of the faculty, Miss Iva Peterson. They are Misses Melba Harman, Norma Randolph and Constance Richmond. There will be a reception for the teachers of the Estacada schools at the school room on Friday evening of this week, under the auspices of the Parent-Teacher association. L. C. Cleworth was a business visitor in Portland a few days this week. Mrs. William Dills, who visited Mrs. W. F. Cary at the Estacada hotel the first of the week, left for Portland Tuesday. The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hayden, who reside across the river from town, had the misfortune to injure one of his eyes quite badly last Sunday, while picking prunes.

Pete's Mountain

PETE'S MOUNTAIN, Sept. 19.—Gottlieb Notdurft moved his house back off the old foundation last week. He is digging a basement now and getting ready to build a new eight room house before winter sets in. Agnes Berner, returned from the hop fields Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Notdurft and children, Lottie, Gussie and Richard, were shopping in Oregon City Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser returned Sunday from Pacific City, where they spent four days enjoying themselves. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Strusburg are hauling straw. The painters are busy on the school house.

Willamette News

Mr. and Mrs. Harold White were Canby visitors on Saturday and Sunday last week. Mrs. Glen Epler and infant daughter, Betty May, returned home from the Oregon City hospital last Wednesday. Mrs. Musselman and daughter of Billings, Montana, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Musselman's uncle, Mr. Waldron. Margaret Manning and her brother, Manford Manning, have returned from an outing spent at a hop yard near Aurora. Esther Larsen returned last Monday to her employment in Dr. Meisinger's office in Oregon City after a three months' leave of absence, part of which was spent at the coast and at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Dibble motored to Eugene on Saturday of last week, where they visited relatives. They were accompanied on the return trip by Mrs. Dibble's sister, Elsie Fellows. Both Mrs. Dibble and Miss Fellows will teach in the Willamette grammar school this winter. Dr. Pettibone of Oregon City called on friends in Willamette last Friday. Miss Lucy Spatz was delightfully surprised at her home last Wednesday evening when a number of her friends tendered her a miscellaneous shower, the gifts being remembrances for her to take with her when she leaves for Willamette University next Monday. Miss Spatz is a popular young lady and will go to college as an honor student having won a scholarship at the Union high school from which she was graduated in June. The evening was spent in a social manner and dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mabel Larsen, Mrs. John Casadevall, Ewalt Leisman, Mrs. Lucy Mathers, Mrs. H. Leisman, Mrs. Leisman, Mrs. J. A. Ream, Jr., Frances Waldron, Rosa Ellen Egan, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. E. Buckles, Clara Bartholomew, Mrs. Vivian Buckles, Veda Andrus, Mrs. J. L. Gary, Mrs. W. W. Davis, Mrs. Spatz and Lucy Spatz.

Race Discrimination At Harvard Talked

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—Has the race and alleged color discrimination movement at Harvard, the revelation of which created a sensation several months ago, has been revived and put into actual effect? This question was evolved by the announcement today by the university authorities that the application blanks for admission to Harvard have been revised. Of the new series of questions made public these have aroused keen interest: "What is the race and color of the applicant?" "What is his religious preference?" "What change if any has been made since birth in his own name or that of his father?" The college authorities say that the answers to the questions were required for purely statistical purposes.

JENNINGS LODGE

MRS. HUGH ROBERTS, Correspondent

Old Relic Day Is Planned by Guild

JENNINGS LODGE, Sept. 20.—Interest in the regular semi-monthly meetings of the Grace Guild is growing. New members are being received at each meeting. On Sept. 13 Mrs. Blinstone was the hostess and 17 attended. Mrs. A. B. Smith led the devotional. Mrs. Babler presided at the business meeting. At the refreshment hour a social time followed. Among our workers we find some who have been actively engaged in ladies aid work for years. Mrs. Geo. Williams was president of the Ladies Aid at Bay City 29 years ago. Mrs. J. W. Smith has worked 24 years, her first work being in Minnesota. Mrs. A. J. Hooker has attended since she was 8 years of age. Mrs. Kate Burton has been connected with kindred organizations for the past 40 years. Mrs. Hugh Roberts joined her first society 31 years ago at Dubuque, Iowa. Mrs. Waterhouse has served on committees in L. A. S. work over 25 years. Mrs. Woodbeck has also been an active worker in church affairs for over 30 years. The Guild here has been the first work of its kind taken up by Mrs. Blinstone and Allen and organized in 1915. Mrs. Ella McHargue has been active in the work for 45 years. The next meeting will be held on Sept. 27 and will be known as an old relic day party. Articles over 50 years old will be exhibited and the women of the community are requested to wear old time clothes. There will be old fashioned meals, which will be served by Meedames Hendry, F. Hole, Jacobus J. W. Jones and Hugh Roberts. Come and enjoy an old fashioned time with your neighbors and friends.

Cooking Class of Lodge Has Exhibit

JENNINGS LODGE, Sept. 20.—At the request of the county club leader, Mrs. Parcell, the cooking club of the Jennings Lodge prepared an exhibit for a display for the Clackamas county fair at Canby. In a prettily planned dining room, two daintily prepared tables, the one containing a well balanced meal, the other a poorly balanced one, are shown; and was prepared by the members of the cooking club, who have completed the work as outlined by O. A. C. and directed by the county club leader through their teacher, Mrs. Altmann. The members are Elaine Bechtel, Sarah C. Halloway, Amanda Boetger, Helen Ortiz, Lola Ross, Florence Wilber and others. These girls have worked faithfully and well, and deserve much praise for their successful efforts, and their excellent exhibit. Two members of the club will be at the booth each to act as hostess and explain their exhibits. Three members of the sewing club, Elaine Bechtel, Marie Moore and Amanda Boetger completed the required work in sewing and have their work on exhibition.

QUESTIONNAIRE CIRCULATED

JENNINGS LODGE, Sept. 20.—A questionnaire is being circulated among the residents of the Oak-Lodge water district for the purpose of securing data as to the new district, and of ascertaining the sentiments of the residents regarding the proposal to ask the legislature for permission to vote a bond issue for 15 per cent for installing water system.

LUNCHEON ENJOYED

JENNINGS LODGE, Sept. 20.—Mrs. R. J. Cook gave a prettily appointed luncheon on Friday last. Covers were placed for Mrs. Susan Losey, Mrs. Caroline Waterhouse, Mrs. H. J. Hooker, Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mrs. Henry Davis, Miss Mary Weinman.

SCHOOL DEDICATED

JENNINGS LODGE, Sept. 20.—Some of our folks attended the dedication of the new school rooms at the Concord school on Saturday evening. An hour in place of the railroad labor board's flat 70 cents rate.

JENNINGS LODGE LOCALS

Mrs. Julia Miller of Grants Pass, who has spent some time with her sister at Gresham, was at the Lodge on Wednesday, calling on friends and dining with Mrs. C. L. Smith. On Thursday Mrs. Miller departed for her home. Mr. and Mrs. David Clemens leave this week for Shepherds Springs, going to these hot springs for Mrs. Clemens' health.

W. W. Woodbeck and Mrs. Woodbeck accompanied Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Eby to the Damascus Festival on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Marks and baby of Gladstone have decided to locate here and are in the Pooler cottage. Mrs. Moore of Ashdale station has just returned from Minneapolis, where she visited her son, Minor Moore. Mrs. Moore had a very delightful trip and visit in her old home town and was absent 3 months. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gardner left on Tuesday for the Pendleton Round Up. Carl Starker, our well known florist, has an exhibit at the county fair at Canby. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McReynolds have returned to their home in Texas after a months' visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henric. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burco are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a son at the Portland Maternity hospital on Saturday, and will be given the name of Philip Nelson, Burco, after its two grand fathers.

IRRIGATION DISTRICT AT MOLALLA IS DISCUSSED

Movement Is Local In Nature; No Outside Capital To Be Used in Development Plans.

MOLALLA, September 13.—The advisability of forming an irrigation district in the Molalla vicinity was discussed at a recent meeting here at which J. H. Abbot, irrigation engineer outlined the entire situation. Some time ago when there was talk of getting a sugar factory here, it was stated by sugar men that they would consider the proposition only where there was irrigation which would assure every year's output. Mr. Abbot made a survey. He explained that this survey showed that the plan was feasible and very cheap compared with what other people are paying for water. This was owing to the lay of the land and the fact that there was no expensive blasting or trenching. He was sure that the scheme was entirely practical. State Engineer Cupper was present and made an address on irrigation and the law governing projects under the state supervision. He answered many questions regarding the proposed enterprise. Professor Powers of O. A. C. soil and irrigation expert, made a very interesting talk on the subject. The experiments at the college cover a period of 14 years and, with an expensive pumping plant, have proven that each year on all field crops, irrigation has paid a big price. The advantage to fall wheat showed up from forty to one hundred per cent gain from irrigation. The experiments have been made on all sorts of soils. Even the white land showed a response to water, which was profitable. Professor Powers said that if the expensive system of pumping had been made to pay he could not see that there was a doubt of a cheap gravity system paying big dividends. Ex-State Engineer Lewis was present and called attention to a fact, not generally known, that the rainfall in the Willamette Valley over a long period of years had been less than most other sections of the United States and less than in Wyoming and New Mexico and other places where they never attempt to farm except where they have irrigation. M. J. Lee, of Canby, said Molalla had the first chance at the water of the Molalla River, and if they did not want to take advantage of it, Canby would. He called attention to some results which had been obtained here by irrigation, for truck farmers. A petition was circulated asking that a thorough investigation be made regarding the cost and signifying the signers interest in forming an irrigation district. This was signed by twenty seven, many owners of large acreage. The movement is entirely a local one. There are no outside promoters and it is purely cooperative with every one anxious to gather all of the facts and to be sure of each step taken. The state will require knowledge of the cost of the enterprise and will go into every phase of its feasibility before endorsing the project. L. A. Shave, was elected president and Oliver Buxton secretary of the organization, to hold until permanent organization is effected.

Discharge of Strike Breakers Demanded By Chicago Unions

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 16.—While several railroads today were negotiating separate agreements with their shop crafts workers in accord with the union partial settlement plan, and others were preparing to meet representatives of their own employees outside the settlement plan. It was learned that some of the shop craft leaders on the Chicago & North-western railroad were demanding the dismissal of men hired to fill the places of union men who went on strike July 1. The hitch in the negotiations with the Northwestern, which was generally believed to have been completed yesterday, would not prevent return of the men to work by Monday, road officials said. It was made plain that the union's settlement plan did not call for discharge of employees at work last Wednesday and that the road would dismiss those employees. The Chicago Great Western and the Chicago & Alton railroads are expected to follow the lead of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, which yesterday reached an agreement with its own shop crafts workers by which skilled mechanical crafts workers were granted a wage rate ranging from 63 to 85 cents an hour in place of the railroad labor board's flat 70 cents rate.

A NEW "WALL" ON PAT

Mr. Patrick Callahan, the well-known plasterer, was discovered standing before Huntleys, which displayed a large sign, "Nut Sundae." Past gazed at the sign a long time and then said to Hennessey, who had come to the door. "Ash Wednesday. Shooove Tuesday. Good Friday—say, this is a new wan on me."

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