

Stories from Out of Town

MEADOWBROOK

The good weather lasted long enough so that some of the farmers got in most of their grain. A short program was given at the school house last Friday, consisting of song, "America" by all; recitation, "Lincoln's Birthday." Walter Hofstetter; song, "Flag of the Free," by school; recitation, "Where the Spunkweed Grows," Allen Larkins; recitation, "Don't Cry Little Girl, Don't Cry," Ora Hutchinson; recitation, "Baking Day," Nettie Larkins; song, "From the City," Lillie Schiewe; song, "Massa's in the Cold Ground," by all; closed with a debate, "Resolved that Lincoln was the greatest man in history." The leaders were affirmative, Glenn Larkins; negative, Ruth Chindgren. The judges' decision was for the affirmative. Miss Yoder decided to have a debate every two weeks. The question next time is: "Resolved, that the white man were more cruel than the Indians." Leaders, affirmative, John Hofstetter; negative, Gilbert Hutchinson.

fame through this building and some day 'twill make a suitable picture for the first home of Molalla's first paper. Our brother scribe of Liberal rather interstates that the "mail stage" has not been able to reach Molalla for some reasons or other lately. Now we it known that L. Waldron, our stage mail carrier, has been seen coming in the old way as a trusty guardian of Uncle Sam's mail every day in the week the whole muddy winter long. What more could any man do? Though very difficult the job may seem to one, not accustomed to such gigantic undertakings Waldron gets the mail to Molalla if it takes three relays to do it. We get our mail all the same. The smallpox patients have about recovered at Orin Cuttings. They seemed to have had a very mild form. The infant child of Royal Davidson's died last week. For awhile the mother was in a critical condition but is now reported as out of danger and getting along well. H. A. Kaylor comes forth with another five and a half acre addition to Molalla, situated just west and adjoining the school property. Beck & Company will gladly tell any one interested in it all about it. A new livery barn has been commenced building on the south-east corner of the Kaylor addition to Molalla by Mr. Hubbard-Shoemaker & Jackson have the carpenter contract of building. C. A. Jackson is having a residence in Robbins addition to Molalla. George H. Gregory was having the rubbish cleared off his most desirable lots recently.

CLARKES.

Charlie Gasser fell from a tree about 65 feet, at school last Tuesday but was not seriously hurt. Miss Olga Elmer is working in Portland. G. Marquardt was in town last Saturday. Charley Harrington and Charlie Ralph were taking out vine maple for Sam Elmer last week. Mr. Wolfson's son-in-law, Bob Robinson, is staying with Mr. Wolfson. Joe Wallace moved a separator to his home the other day. A card party was given at the Ringo home last week.

MOLALLA

School was closed Monday on account of scarlet fever which has developed in the home of W. F. Echerd Selvon, the eldest son, was working for W. A. Shaver where they have had the fever and probably brought it home. Several have been exposed and it is feared that it may be some time before school may be safely opened again. More precaution should be exercised in such diseases. Prof. C. I. Lewis and assistants of the division of horticulture will be in Molalla Thursday, March 6th to give demonstrations at the Fagan orchards so the extension division of O. A. C. has notified Molalla Grange No. 310. Let all that are interested in better fruit in the Molalla valley turn out on this date and have a close distance talk with the expert and carry away any information that may be important on the occasion. When you come into town by rail, you will be entering Molalla through what appears to be the back yard of the present town, so see our front yard, it will be necessary for you to stop off and look around until we get another frontage built on. Molalla is to have a newspaper, right away off "Old No. 1" building is to be the house of publication. This is proper to have all pioneer en-

COLTON

John Jones hauled a load of hogs to town last Monday. Frank Wilson and Ernest Vallon of Elwood, are working in the timber for Lew Hubbard. James Peterson and son made a business trip to Molalla to purchase a horse last Wednesday. Ole Hanson, of Shubel, was visiting with friends at Colton and Elwood last week. Alex Leesen who had been ill only a short time, died at his home at Colton. Mr. Leesen and his family came here from Canada about five years ago. He was well liked and respected by all who knew him. He was sixty-six year of age but was quite hale and hearty for his age. Besides his many friends who mourn his death, Mr. Leesen is survived one daughter, Miss Annie of Colton, and two sons one of Eagle Creek and one of Alberta, Canada. His wife died three years ago. The funeral

services were conducted by Rev. Rheinhardt and the remains were laid to rest at his home where his wife is buried and it was also his wish to be buried there. Alfred Berglund has returned from Corvallis where he has been attending college. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunter of Bee Hills a twelve pound son last Monday. Messrs. Will, Jay and Oscar Dix and the latter's wife and son, Harlow Schubel, enjoyed a pleasant visit with their mother, Mrs. Dix, at Colton last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gottberg and daughters of Elwood, were guests at Mr. and Mrs. C. Stromgreen's Sunday. Miss Jessie Phillips has been visiting with friends and relatives at Elwood, Colton and James last week. She intends to leave for her home at Promiss, Oregon next week. John Engstrom was busy butchering hogs Saturday. W. S. Gorbett has purchased a new team of horses. The farmers society of Equity meeting was well attended Saturday evening and several new members were taken in.

MULINO.

The basket social at the Grange hall Saturday was a decided success. After a fine program, rendered by the young people, Mr. G. W. Smith proceeded to auction off the baskets of which there were 23, which brought forty-eight dollars and ten cents. After the baskets were all sold Mr. Smith, who is a public spirited citizen proposed to give ten dollars to help build the sidewalk and asked if there were two men in the crowd who would do the same, but no one responded. He then called for one man to donate ten dollars, but there was not another man in the room who felt like giving that much. He then asked if there was three men who would give five dollars, when Mr. Berdine, Mr. Snodgrass and Oscar Hult stepped forward and deposited the coin, making twenty-five dollars more to the sidewalk fund. The ladies of Mulino donated cake and coffee was sold to the amount of \$8.25, and a few persons contributed to the fund until it totaled \$82.60. Now Mulino will have a sidewalk beginning at the school house and building both ways along the country road as far as the money goes. Mr. Berdine and Fred Churchill returned Friday from Willamette, where they have been clearing land for Mr. Reams. Albert Erickson moved out to Mulino from Portland Monday and expects to make this place his home for the future. Mrs. Smith from Grangeville, Idaho, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Churchill, of this place. May Erickson, of Oregon City, was out attending the basket social Saturday evening, staying over Sunday at her uncle's, August Erickson. Charley Daniels and Charlie Schulhauser are working on the tie drive for the Hult sawmill company. Dr. Angus McDonald, the veterinarian, was called out to Mrs. Churchill's Monday to see a couple of sick cows that have been attacked with some strange disease. One of them being found in the barn two weeks ago Monday morning stretched out like a dead cow. Young Churchill thinking that she had hurt herself some way called Dr. Morry in and she is getting better and is now able to stand without support. Yesterday evening, while driving the cows up from pasture another one fell and had to be hauled to the barn and fearing it was some contagious disease the doctor was called. He says it is caused by keeping them on too wet pasture and thinks that both cows can be saved and that the disease is not contagious.

DAMASCUS.

The cold snap is over and is followed by rain. W. W. Cooke has been doing some good road work. Last week he put crushed rock on Derry's hill. H. G. Laye has returned from San Francisco after a three months' absence. He has been doing carpenter work. He reports Frisco a big town in every way, but is glad to get home again. He says old Clackamas county beats them all for climate, pleasant homes, good land, good crops and a place for a man to make a comfortable home and a good living, besides a snug bank account. Mr. Lingle, who was shot Saturday evening by highwaymen, is getting along splendidly. The bullet entered the right side and at present is lodged below the right shoulder blade. It will be removed as soon as his condition will permit. We all hope for his speedy recovery and also for the quick dealing of justice to the criminals. The robbers got nothing for their trouble, although Mr. Lingle carried in the neighborhood of \$100, but he is made of pluckier material than the average man and doesn't believe in holding up his hands for every Tom, Dick and Harry.

Mrs. J. W. Hilleary spent the week-end at her sister's, Mrs. Laye. A masquerade was given in Elliott's hall on the evening of February 14. Reports that of a very good time. A dance will be given again in three weeks, March 8. The dramatic people are talking of preparing entertainments soon. The base ball club is again thinking of ball and bat, digging out mussy suits and limbering up arms to be ready for spring and summer work.

HOMEDALE

The wedding of a prominent Homedale couple has been announced for the near future. Mr. Frickey and family have moved to Oregon City. A very pleasant evening was spent dancing at the home of Mrs. Egginan. Harry Shelley visited his sister, Mrs. H. Henrich, at Homedale. George Egginan went to Dixes mill Friday to order lumber for a new barn which is to be built on their place. Willie Egginan of Homedale quit working in Oregon City mills and returned to his home Thursday. Mrs. Muralt and her sister, Beulah, made a business trip to Portland Thursday. Enot Hughes and Jim Shelley who took the contract of clearing land for H. Henrich have completed their work and are cutting wood. The breeze is blowing out the stump on Lone Oak Farm. R. C. Allyn are contemplating moving to Vancouver on a ten acre farm. Arnold Schneider attended a basket social and visited his parents at Redland last week. A valentine party was given at the home of Kate Parry Friday evening. All report an enjoyable evening. Mrs. Strain and family took in the masquerade dance at Carus last week. Rev. E. A. Smith from Oregon City, preached at the Henrich school house last Sunday. Word has been received that Mrs. Ois has arrived safely in Honolulu. Miss Bennett made a business trip to Portland last week and visited her parents in Oregon Sunday. G. William of Lone Oak Farm, lost several of his sheep by sickness. All the farmers of Homedale are busy getting the soil ready for the spring crop. Mr. and Mrs. Hassler made a business trip to Oregon City last week. Miss Elsie Clark and her brother, Ira, have been on the sick list. A basket social will be given by the pupils of the Henrich school at Beaver Creek Hall March the first.

LOGAN.

Farmers are very busy these days getting ready for spring planting. F. W. Riebhoff is putting a new wire fence in front of his property along the road. M. H. Riebhoff is rushing things at the corner, getting everything in readiness for his new store building. The grip seems to be going around from house to house. Mrs. John Shuttell has been quite ill the past week, but is reported improving. J. A. Byers and daughter, Miss Mabel, arrived home from California last week, where they spent the winter. Many were surprised to read of the attempted suicide of A. O. Wold, the "eggman," as he was generally called. For several years he made regular trips buying eggs for customers in Portland. Clear Creek Creamery for the month of January manufactured 13 1-4 tons of butter. No. of pounds cream received 68,307. No. of pounds butter manufactured, 26,538. Total proceeds for Jan., \$9,593.64. Price paid patrons, 41 cents per pound for butter fat. A masquerade hall will be given at Logan Feb. 22. Cow buyers are frequent callers these days. Fresh cows are always in demand, though not many for sale. Saturday afternoon a large crowd gathered at the hall to hear the lecture, "The New View of Education," by Rev. C. C. Poling, of the United Evangelical church, E. 16th St., Portland. He being one of the prominent men to lecture on topics selected by State School Superintendent Alderman in behalf of the schools. Three schools were represented on the program here, in charge of Miss Anna Bachman, our popular teacher. The program was an excellent one and enjoyed by all. The speaker while not Oregon born, was educated here, being President of Dallas Colleges a number of years, is a man of pleasing address, who is at home on the platform. All present seemed impressed by his remarks. The program rendered by the pupils was: Song, "Our Flag," by school children; piano duet, Clara Wiewesiek and Anna Friederick; recitation, Carl Durig; song, "Mt. Vernon Bells," by school; dialogue by Gertie Spyers, Roy Strang and Wilfred Hutchins; recitation, Bessie Hutton, "Orphan Annie," song, "What the Crickets Say," by School; dialogue, "Quiet Afternoon," Alma Boss, Margaret Busch and Elsie Busch; Piano solo, Winifred Brown; recitation, Bessie Bachman, "Get Mad"; song, Beatrice Young, "Silver Bell"; Piano accompaniment, Mrs. Pierce; recitation, Leta Bahler; dialogue, "Entertaining Sister's Beau," Joe Busch, Dale Spyers, Rosa Moser, Albert Gerber, Margaret Busch and Alma Boss; song, Genevieve Mumpower; recitation, Stone school boy.

NORTH LOGAN

The weather is fine in this part of the country at present. The roads are drying up and smoothing down. Arthur Eaden went to town yesterday with a load of hay. The Kirchem Brothers are sorting potatoes. They have several men at work. Carl and Floyd Kirchem have been falling timber. J. O. Smith has returned from Los Angeles, California. He left his wife and two little girls in California till good weather. Arno Mosteto's son, Tensin, is ill with inflammatory rheumatism. Mrs. Lottie Cummins, Miss Grace Gossett and Miss Alice McMurray went to Barton Tuesday to visit with Mrs. S. P. Christiansen. S. P. Christiansen was a visitor at Bert Cummins Wednesday. Charlie Christiansen was visiting his parents Thursday. Edd Carr has gone to Seattle to visit his parents. The valentine dance at North Logan will be postponed on account of Mrs. Shell's sickness. Mrs. Myers went to Gresham Wednesday to visit relatives. GLAD TIDINGS. Our cold snap has come to an end.

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Orpha Clester, Mildred and Florice Douglass spent Sunday afternoon with Alta and Pauline Brasch. H. S. Gibson was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

GREENWOOD This beautiful weather the farmers are busy plowing their ground for spring grain. The song birds with tunes are a sure sign of early spring. Several of the young people from this vicinity attended the entertainment at Mount Pleasant school house last Saturday night and reported a good sociable time. David Jones has put up a fine new barn which is quite an improvement to his ranch. Mrs. Green went to Portland this week to work at her barber trade. Henry Strom bought a fine mare from Mr. Newton this week. Mr. Brakes and sons and Hugh and Ernest Jones are doing a lot of clearing on their land this winter.

ALSPAUGH We are enjoying some spring weather just at present. Mrs. William Davis, Jessie Jacobs who lives near the mouth of the Columbia, was visiting with her cousin, Ray Dallas, last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Githens made a business trip to Portland last Monday.

Mrs. Murphy and Miss Meda Murphy called on Mrs. R. S. Clark, who has been sick, last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. R. B. Gibson called on Mrs. Howlett last Tuesday afternoon. E. E. Elliott has sold his Eagle Creek property to a Mr. Cogswell, so Eagle Creek now has a new merchant.

Mrs. Tracy Clester is visiting with her parents, who reside in Portland, while Mr. Clester is at his parents' home, as his father is quite ill.

The regular monthly meeting of Eagle Creek Grange was held last Saturday. About 21 members were present, also several visitors. Six of the officers were installed, the others having been installed at the January meeting. J. D. Chittwood, of Damascus, assisted by Homer Glover, installed the officers. Supervisor James was at the Grange and delivered an interesting talk on the school fairs last Saturday.

James Bell, of Sandy, was a Grange visitor Saturday. M. V. Thomas visited Eagle Creek Grange Saturday.

Last Friday evening a valentine party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kitzmiller. About fifty were present and all spent a pleasant evening in playing games and listening to the phonograph. One delightful feature of the evening was the valentine box and distribution of valentines. Soon after partaking of a fine supper all departed for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cooke, of Damascus were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howlett over Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglas were Portland visitors the first of the week. Roy butchered some hogs and shipped them to town. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas and Mrs. R. B. Gibson were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Strahl.

Miss Emma Dowty sold "Glenn" her valuable trotting horse to a party in Portland one day last week. J. W. Dowty had a family reunion Sunday. Fred Ely and family of Moro have been visiting there for a few days. Emma and Frank of Portland were also present. Mr. Penseal and Mr. Harrison from Los Angeles are the guests of Mr. J. W. Dowty.