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Thursday.

last Saturday.

Valley.

Lusted visited Mrs. Ed. Hamilton or

Mrs. Elmer Goger gave a birthday

party in honor of her daughter, Jessie,

Ed. Hamilton and family visited his

ROCKWOOD

Mrs. Minnie Brown has been entertaing her father, Mr. Smith, a few days. Lusted Willard Cook and family have moved

to Fairview, where he is employed as May 17th switchman on the O. R. & N. railroad.

B. F. Powers is assisting J. Brown in the insurance business.

W. A. Herring of Portland visited Rockwood friends last Sunday.

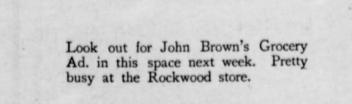
Rockwood Literary Society gave a last Sunday. whist party last Thursday evening. They will close for the season with an at Arkta last week. ice cream social May 16. Free to members.



Mr. and Mrs. Fred McElliot are visiting their nephew, E. D. Hamilton, and and Mrs. John Sleret. family. Olive Lusted last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Carlson has gone back to Iowa to buy land He expects to move his am, Mr. McClennan and family of Port family back in the near future, this land, and Laura Burkholder, called at a few days sojurn at Collins Springs, section not agreeing with his wife's the home of Geo. Lusted Sunday after- where he went for the benefit of rheuhealth.

Mrs. Harry Lusted and Mrs. V. Park



Dr. C. Holm has been in Portland attending to the duties of Dr. Joss during the latters absence in Chicago. Hermann Blayier is busy on the hill sending wood down the wood shoot at Sandy bridge. Mrs. Jessie Bramball has returned

here and is selling pianos. Will Hurt has moved his family on the hill and is employed in sending last they were alone lown wood.

Mrs. Albert Krouse of La Grande is a uest of her mother, Mrs. Laura Funk.

corner. "Now, dad," she said, bravely unemotional, "there will be no more tears. Tell me all that I ought to FAIRVIEW

know. Enid drew a hassock to his feet and seated herself there, clasping her hands about her knees.

"Whatever she did I am sorry The Portland business men were met by quite a large crowd of Fairview peo-ple Monday Morning. Rev. C. E. she cannot have been a really bad wople Monday Morning. Rev. C. E. man, dad, or you would not have loved Crandall made a welcome address her once." in which he gave some idea of the re-

Brand sighed deeply. His strong will sourses of our town and made Portland had deserted him for a little while. He men to feel we were in close touch and shrank from the ordeal before him. really a part of their city. The response Why should he be called on to sully was given by W. H. Moore, president of the mirror of his daughter's innocence

Lee Radford is working for George the Oregon Trust and Savings bank, in by revealing to her the disgrace of her Constance caught something of the

School in this disrtict will close on part: "What Portland wants is that all the surrounding country be settled in dread in his soul small farms to back up the Rose City of I am content to bear more than I have the Pacific." The 20-minute stop ar- borne tonight if it lessens your sufranged for in the itinary was lengthened ferings," she whispered. to 40 minutes on account of the delayed Spokanne flyer which met them here them

brother, W. H. Hamilton, in Vancouver but the gentlemen appeared to enjoy themselves chatting with Fairview citi-Mrs. G. Moulton visited her parents zens. Each visitor was presented with period when I expected nothing but

a Portland badge. Miss Olive Lusted spent Tuesday with Mr. Markell and wife of Portland were from you," said Constance. her cousin, Mrs. Frank Clark of Powell guests of Rev. W. T. Scott and wife Sunday. They are members of Smith

Geo. Lusted and wife and Geo. Black- Memorial church here. burn and wife spent Sunday with Mr. Jack Luscher and wife started this week for New York, where with other

The young folks singing club met with relatives, they will take passage for Switzerland, their old home. They ex-Mr. Wilkenson and family of Gresh- peet to return in August or September. William Townsend has returned from

noon on their way home from Bullrun matism. Mrs. Oran Dunbar and children spent from you and Constance"-Sunday with relatives here. They will spend some time at the beach before returning to their home at Joseph, Or.

> son's cottage. Willard Cook has moved into Mrs. Julia Hunters house. Grant Shaw has moved his family in-

> to the Peter Peterson Cottage. The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church held their last meeting with Mrs. C. E. Crandall. The ladies realized quite a little sum from the

uries of a first class hotel. It was a relief to drive to their cottage in silence, yet, so easily moulded is our human clay, it was a greater relief when the tension of the noisy rattle of the cab was relaxed. It cost

some effort to assure Mrs. Sheppard, a buxom, motherly soul of sixty or thereabouts, that they could not possibly eat any supper. The effort was forthcom

ing. They pleaded weariness, and at He placed an arm around each of them how, their self effacement in his behalf Constance knelt by her father's side touched him more keenly than any when he dropped listlessly into the

thing else had done during this troubled armchair placed in his accustomed period. He bowed his head. A strong man in

agony cannot endure the scrutiny of loving eyes. "Enid," he said brokenly, "my words to you must be few. Good fortune needs but slight explanation. The

proofs of my statement I do not possess, but Mr. Traill's letter to me could not have been written by such a man if he were not sure of his facts. Here it is. Read it aloud."

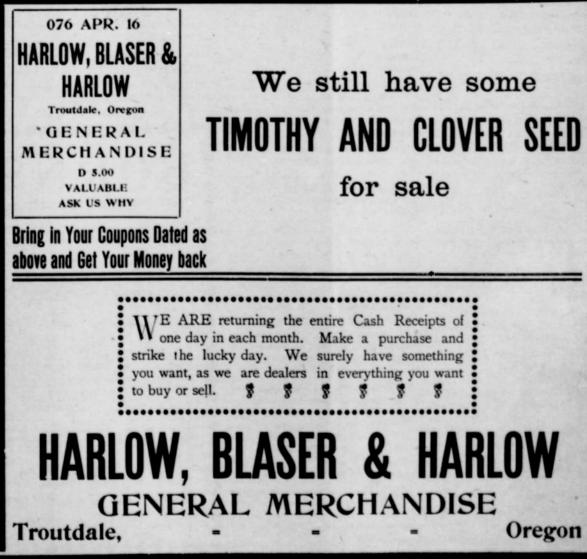
He handed her her father's plain writing of a man whose chief task for spoken communication. Constance. inwoome had been to sign his name

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capable of deeper depths of amazement This drawback was good in its result. than those now probed, looked over her They persevered steadily to the end. sister's shoulder. Together they de- Then Enid, the comforter, broke down ciphered the somewhat difficult hand- herself.

TO BE CONTINUED



a few well chosen words. He said in mother? "Don't tell me if it hurts you, dad. He placed an arm around each of

"It is God's will," he said, "that I should have to face many trials at a

some few years of quiet happiness "Nothing in this world can part us "Oh, nothing." agreed Enid solemnly,

nestling closer. Her earnestness was helpful. He smiled wistfully. "You forget, Enid, that there is a

grave chance of you, at any rate, leaving me for another," he said. She blushed.

"That is the worst of girls getting married," she protested. "They are supposed to be delighted because they are going to live with strange people. Girls who are of that mind cann happy at home. If I thought that be-ing married to Jack implied separation

"You would give him up and weep your eyes out." He pressed her pout ing lips together as he went on: "Now, my dear ones, I wish both of you to Mrs. Mary Daniels of Portland has be prepared for very unexpected moved her family into Mrs. O. A. Jack- changes. Two most important events In your lives have taken place within a few hours. Constance, if you saw your mother tonight, Enid also saw her father. I have known for two days that Enid's father is Mr. Traill." For an instant, it must be confessed, Constance and Enid alike feared that the mental and physical strain he had

undergone had temporarily deranged him. It was not sheer incredulity, but real terror, he saw in their aves