

LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

Zook, the paper hanger will do your painting.

Ho! for the entertainment Saturday night.

C. C. Kruger of The Dalles was in town Monday.

Harry Blodget one of Airlie's citizens registered here Monday.

The entertainment Saturday evening gives promise of a pleasant time.

H. Mowery of Lebanon was looking around Monmouth a few days ago.

Curtains laundried and done up for 25 cents a pair.—Mrs. A. B. WESTFALL.

Dr. Allin, dentist, Cooper Building Independence Oregon. Both phones. 19-tf.

W. H. Drew of Eugene was attracted to this locality Saturday on a pleasure trip.

W. A. Martin, sawyer at W. E. Strong's sawmill, was a Monmouth visitor Saturday.

Abstracts promptly furnished at reasonable rates, by L. D. Brown, Dallas, Oregon. tf

E. Bogert finished planting prune trees last week having set forty-five acres to that kind of fruit.

Wild geese have been making their way northward this week, an evidence that the winter is past.

Mrs. C. G. Griffa went to Jefferson City last Friday on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Clodfelter; she will remain for some days.

Miss Mary K. Morris of Stockport, Iowa, accompanied by a little niece, stopped here to visit G. W. Ebbert and wife, being on their way to Los Angeles.

W. H. Ireland of Summit who has been in Independence for a week to recruit his health, has come to Monmouth and will stop here for awhile. His condition is somewhat improved.

Hon. J. A. Keck and wife of Stockport, Iowa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Ebbert of this place. Mrs. Keck is a sister to Mr. Ebbert and this is the first time they have met in 58 years.

Alva L. McDonald of the Oregon Agriculturalist, of Portland was in Monmouth the latter part of last week, in the interest of that journal and the mohair industry. Polk county is one of the foremost counties in the production of mohair.

J. E. Winegar has disposed of a half interest in his hardware business to Edward Lorence. Messrs Winegar and Lorence finished invoicing the stock Tuesday and the new firm is now doing business and will still be glad to meet former patrons at the old stand.

I wish to announce that I am still Sewing and Dressmaking at my home on West Street, 2 blocks from the Normal building. Will be pleased to see all my old customers, as well as many new ones. Plain family sewing or all kinds of Ladies' wear done at prices reasonable; work satisfactory.—MISS PARADINE DOUGHTY.

A. D. Elder dropped the butcher business for a short time Tuesday and drove out with a livery rig to meet some party at or near Airlie. When he and his guide got there, they received word to meet the folks a few miles further on in King's Valley somewhere—well, don't ask the butcher where he was—he got back but he will probably take a chart and compass the next time. He is out of the livery business and back in the shop.

A. Z. Tedrow, an Elkins farmer, had business in town Wednesday.

Valley Flour only \$1.30 per sack, at the Monmouth mill. Try a sack.

R. W. and J. S. Smith of Airlie registered at the Monmouth Hotel Saturday.

S. H. Smith and son of Newberg, who bought the Springer place near Lewisville, were in town this week.

J. H. Moran and T. A. Riggs were visitors to Dallas last Friday having made the trip in Mr. Moran's automobile.

George Niggle, of Silverton, was looking at the country here the latter part of last week. Mr. Niggle recently purchased the Sam Morrison place west of Lewisville, but was dissatisfied with it and gave it up.

A Surprise Party.

A surprise party was given at the home of Peter Kurre, Tuesday evening, April 19, 1910, in honor of Susie Whitcomb, who would soon take her departure.

The guests assembled at Mr. Moseman's residence, and after waiting for some until 8:30 o'clock went to Mr. Kurre's where Susie was endeavoring to entertain Frieda Moseman for the last even-before leaving. She was totally surprised to find fourteen guests come walking in through the kitchen; but, seeing the fun, she greeted all cordially and escorted them to the parlor where games were soon begun.

After each had enjoyed a hearty laugh playing "Shaking Quaker," the game, "The Hub of the Universe," was introduced. In this, Ella Chase received first prize and Velma Heffley the booby.

The next was a "Yawning Contest," Mrs. Kurre acting as judge, awarded the prize to Doris Herren, she being the one who gave the sleepest yawn without a suspicion of a smile.

Several other short games were then played, and partners for lunch were gotten by playing "The Filling of Noah's Ark."

Those present were: Susie Whitcomb, Frieda Moseman, Doris Herren, Velma and Florence Heffley, Gladys Putnam, Ella Chase, Claudia Byers, Lee W. Whitcomb, Jerome Reese, Willard Reeves, Ranie Burkhead, Dwight Quisenberry, Iven Wood, and Fred Smith.

At a late hour after light refreshments had been served, the guests departed, all reporting having spent a very enjoyable evening.

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