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ELKINS

The Basket Social will be held at the Elkins School house, Saturday evening, May 13 at 8 P. M. The program will be found on another page of this paper.

The baskets will be auctioned by W. J. Stockholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Loughary, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller and Frank A. Loughary attended church in Dallas Sunday evening.

Frank McEldowney and Clell Kerber were in Salem Monday afternoon.

Miss Roxie Crook and Raymond Way went to the circus in Salem Saturday evening.

The Student teachers starting their practice teaching here this week are, Geneva Wilson, Sheridan, Oregon; Francis Lord, Kewanna, Indiana; Mildred Sladen, Gladstone, Oregon; Wm. H. Harvey, Monmouth and Wilma Johnson Sheridan, Oregon.

Remember! Basket Social, May 13th.

James F. Crowley, aged 50, former resident of Independence, died in Salem May 6. He was of a pioneer Polk county family and is survived by a wife, Mrs. Anna Crowley, two sisters, Mrs. Nannie Bevens of Airlie and Mrs. Fannie Willis of Hood River, three brothers, Richard and George of Independence and Bert of Arlington. He was buried May 9 from the Independence Baptist church with burial in the K. P. cemetery.

AIRLIE

Messrs. Dean Craven and Armine Cooper of Independence and the Misses Alma Oglesbee and Virgie Whitaker were picnicking at Kiger's Island Sunday.

Davis and Weber resumed their work at the mill after several months absence Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Billie" Wienert entertained several of their friends at a card party at their home, Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. E. Calkins and sons, Clifford and Marvin, and daughters Lillie and Leona, were Dallas and Salem callers, Monday.

The program given by the Ladies Aid Society at the school house Wednesday evening was much enjoyed by all those present. Miss Godbold and Miss Helen Cornelius of Monmouth helped make the program a success, besides local talent.

Twenty eight dollars and fifty cents was taken in, but expenses will have to be paid.

The Independence Elementary and Airlie Elementary schools met in a baseball game at Airlie, Friday evening. The score was 19-13 in favor of the home team.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Womer and daughters, accompanied by Miss Margaret Ulrich, were visiting friends and relatives in Pedee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Oglesbee entertained at their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thurston and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones, and Mr. Earl Oglesbee, all of Suver.

G. B. Williamson accidentally cut his thumb off with an ax Monday.

Electric Incubator

As there are many people in this locality interested in electric incubators we take this opportunity to give them some information concerning the same thru this paper, thereby saving us the time and energy required to answer each one's questions personally.

Early this spring we purchased a 100-egg electric incubator and on March 28 took off our first hatch and got 87 chickens from 96 eggs. On April 20 we took off our second hatch and again got just 87 chickens and none of them were cripples either. If handled right the machine does not hatch cripples. They are the liveliest, lustiest chickens that we ever raised and at this writing we still have 83 of the first hatch.

After the machine is started it requires no work to run it. Of course one has to take care of the eggs but the machine takes care of itself. No, we do not have to look at the temperature nights as it never seems to vary more than one half a degree.

Yes, it is rather expensive to run on lighting rates but if put on heating rates would not cost any more than oil.

I you are interested in electric incubators we would be glad to demonstrate our machine to you and if you consider buying we could give you some pointers that would save you both time and money.

However, all of the credit for our success cannot be given the incubator as we keep the O. A. C. strain of White Leghorns noted for vigor and winter laying. We would like to see more of that stock in this vicinity and in order to encourage people to buy we are going to offer for sale 15 O. A. C. White Leghorn cockerels at a very low price. Our ad will appear in another column of this paper. Look for it. This offer is good only until June 1st.
(Miss Effie L. Young, Monmouth.)

Some of the teachers and student teachers attended the May Day exercises given by the Normal at Monmouth, Saturday.

After several months stay in Portland, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Conn returned to their home here, Friday.



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A Record of Achievement

WHILE he was collector, the business of Mr. Patterson's office practically doubled yet he reduced the cost of running his office by \$6,380 a year. Since 1906 has been a successful farmer at Eola, Polk County. In 1919 and 1921 served as State Senator from Polk County. As chairman of Senate Finance Committee led the fight against wholesale salary increase bills and defeated most of them. In 1921 voted against increasing Governor's salary.

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A vote for Ralph E. Williams for Republican National Committeeman will confirm the action of the forty-eight states in electing him vice-chairman of the Republican National Committee, a position never before held by a Western man.

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