

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS BUDGET

HIGHLAND NEWS

Plowing and seeding seem to be the business of the hour in this vicinity this week, as all of the farmers are endeavoring to make up for lost time.

We all join in extending to Mr. Bixby our sympathy and condolence during this his hour of bereavement.

Miss Shafer arrived home Friday from Boring where she has been working for the past few weeks.

George Shafer left Monday for Corvallis where he will team on a hop farm.

Wm. Shafer and wife of Corvallis spent a portion of Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents here.

A birthday dance was given at the home of Peter Shafer last Monday night in honor of his fifty-eighth birthday. A most enjoyable time as well as a most excellent lunch was enjoyed by all. There were fifty guests present besides Mr. Shafer's immediate family. The guests included A. Hamann and family, Mr. Guild and family, F. Turner and family of Hopdale, J. Kizer and family, H. Dix-

on and family, D. W. Haley and family, Mr. Hartman and wife of Independence, George Ruef and family, Chas. Smith and wife, Mr. Baker and wife of Independence, Misses Mae, Iva and Winnie Ballard, Miss Gertie Dickinson of Independence, Messrs. Russell Ballard, Sam Russell, Clint Agoe, Louer Compton, C. E. Nash, George Bridges, Norval and George Stapleton and Joe Berry.

Mrs. A. Hamann gave a small social dance Saturday night, which was attended by a few of the neighboring families.

Russell Ballard is working for E. Garr in the hopyard.

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MONMOUTH NEWS

Roy Smith of Salem visited his parents over Sunday.

D. N. Butler is home from McMinnville.

F. Y. Mulkey went to Newport the first of the week.

H. M. Guthrie and wife of Corvallis visited the former's parents over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis visited with John White's family Sunday.

The Independence and Monmouth high school debating contest was certainly interesting and entertaining. Mrs. F. R. Bowersox entertained the Social Hour Reading Club Wednesday during business meeting.

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Friday evening in the normal hall. Ruel Wolverton is at home for a visit. Miss Ruby Shearer visited at the home of J. B. V. Butler and other Monmouth friends, returning to her home in Portland Sunday. Mrs. Shore entertained sixteen of

the golden rule Bible class Thursday. A pleasing program was rendered and refreshments served. A pleasant two hours was spent. Many new people are seen on our streets every day. Mrs. Wm. Riddell visited Mrs. Wm. Metzler at Rickreall Monday.

An encouraging report has come from the oil well north of here. Many think that favorable results are now assured. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hawley went Tuesday for a week's stay at their farm at McCoy, with their son and family.

BISHOP'S READY TAILORED CLOTHES

Concerning That Easter Suit

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