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WEEK'S DOINGS IN HIGHLAND COUNTRY

The assessor for this district, A. L. Shipley, formerly taught school here. After 15 years he again looked in on the pupils last week but all was strange. The boys and girls he taught have grown to manhood and womanhood, with homes of their own. He was entertained while here by Fred Featherstone and Samuel McElmurry.

Mrs. Dell Alexander was in Wellsdale the latter part of the week and reports her uncle, Willard Cuthbert, somewhat improved in health. He is now able to sit up part of the day.

A family dinner was held at Oren McElmurry's on Thursday last.

L. C. Rulifson took a party to Salem Friday on a business trip. Those going were: Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. Fred Featherstone, J. Jones and Oren McElmurry.

Several attended the basket social Friday evening given by the Encampment in town. Those enjoying the fun were: Mr. and Mrs. Gale Alexander, Mrs. Jack Stapleton and Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Oren McElmurry, George Stapleton and Henry McElmurry.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Alexander had with them over the week end, the

latter's sister, Miss Elvea Fischer, of Salem.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McElmurry gave an informal dinner in observance of their son Henry's birthday. Besides the family, they had with them Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Alexander.

The Highland Social club will meet on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson of Monmouth.

The farmers are making every minute of the good weather count. Horses are plodding, tractors are humming and everyone is up bright and early to catch the early worm.

The teacher, J. H. McDonald, spent the week end at his home in Salem.

BURRIGHT WINS HEAT IN PRELIMINARY RACES

Corvallis—(Special to Enterprise)—Glenn Burright won his heat in the preliminary intramural relay races in the armory Monday night. He was the first runner on the Miami club team which easily defeated the Deschutes and Delphi clubs, and now is training for the finals to be run off soon.

Mr. Burright, a freshman in commerce, turned out for the freshman track squad and was showing up good but he cannot give the necessary time to it which will keep him off the squad.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS DURING THE WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Collins had as their guests at a house party last Saturday and Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brachman and son Merle, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Hopkins, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lindley, all of Portland. Mrs. Collins is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindley. The visitors came by motor Saturday, returning to Portland Sunday evening. It was a highly enjoyable event.

The Tattling club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. A. B. Robinson Monday afternoon. The rooms were spring like with quantities of daffodils, violets and hyacinths. The suggestion of Easter was carried out in the dining table decorations, tiny chicks and bunnies being in evidence, while the place cards showed rabbits and little maids with their Easter bonnets. Guests were: Mesdames Hanna, Kenney, Carbray and Robbie.

Little Miss Lucille Cook was hostess for a recent delightful afternoon party on the occasion of her 12th birthday. The 16 girl friends present passed a pleasant afternoon with games, when Mrs. Cook ushered them into the dining room prettily decorated in blue and white. Here they enjoyed a delicious lunch, which included the regulation birthday cake, adorned with its 12 candles. Guests of the afternoon were: Dorothy Ray, Marie Baker, Celesta Cuthbert, Alice Haley, Eva Bullis, Wilma Percival, Duretta Kolb, Lenore Myers, Eileen Pengra, Margaret Eddy, Wyma Troxel, Helen Knott and Marion Fluke.

Little Ernestine Smiley was pleasantly reminded of her ninth birthday last Saturday when a number of her little schoolmates met at her home for an afternoon's play. The time was passed with games and in initiating the new swing which had been put up in one of the big oak trees in the yard. When Mrs. Smiley called the little folks to lunch, visions of all sorts of birthday goodies were in their minds, and they were rather aghast at the sight which met their eyes. A dish of toothpicks formed the centerpiece, while at each place was a cracker and a glass of water!

A pretty slim lunch for hungry children who had played hard all the afternoon, and far different from the goodies anticipated, but they were company and must make the best of conditions. This they proceeded to do, when Mollie Bob Small, the youngest of all, remembered having seen a huge cake in process of construction, and her outraged feelings declaring themselves, cried, "Where is that nice big cake?" This reminded the children that it was April 1st and a joke had been played upon them. Mrs. Smiley then brought in the lunch, which was all, and more, than the little folks had anticipated, and which included the big cake demanded by Mollie Bob. Wishing Ernestine many more birthdays and expressing the wish that they might all be there to enjoy themselves with her, the children departed for their homes, having passed a most enjoyable afternoon. Little guests present were: Naomi Hewett, Levita Bullock, Helen Byers, Ruth West, Irene Bush, Mollie Bob Small, Ruth Wilson, Viola Cuthbert and Beryl Kelly.

"Siamese Twins" Spines Joined. Chicago.—The "Siamese twins," Josefa and Rosa Blazek, who died last week, were joined at the spine and severing them would have been fatal, according to X-ray photographs taken after their death. The pictures, it was declared, showed a continuous U-shaped spine and also several vital organs in common. The death was due to intestinal obstruction, according to George W. Brady, radiographer

Borah for U. S. Mine Operation. Washington, D. C.—Government operation of the coal mines was suggested in a statement by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho, chairman of the senate labor committee, after conference with representatives of miners and operators. The senator said this was the alternative if the coal industry was not reorganized.

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AIRLIE HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY STATED

Loren Cooper has gone to Simpson's camp where he will be employed for about a month.

Dorsey Turner, who was taken to the Dallas hospital about two weeks ago in a critical condition, died Saturday morning at 3 o'clock. Funeral services were held at his home Monday at 2 o'clock p. m. and he was buried in the Smith cemetery.

There are several new cases of mumps in our vicinity. A number of the pupils who have been absent from school with them, are again in school.

Miss Winnogene Peterson spent the week end at his home in Parker.

Tom Smith has been keeping Ellis Dodson's confectionery for him while he is enjoying a case of mumps.

Rev. Lovell of Salem attended a business meeting of the Airlie church officials last Friday evening.

Glen Hadley will leave for Valsetz this week, where he expects to be employed for some time.

The revival meetings being held in the Airlie church are well attended everyone taking interest in them.

Some time they will learn to levy taxes without people finding it out, and everybody will be happy.

John Fenton of Oregon City, a former president of the Farmers State bank, has been here this week greeting old friends.

THE RELIANCE INSURANCE CO.

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Valsetz Events

Mrs. Joe Neiss and daughter Frances, returned Saturday from Portland after several weeks' visit with her mother.

Mrs. T. Berglund left Friday to visit relatives in Silverton and Portland.

Mrs. M. B. Frank entertained the "500" club Thursday afternoon in her attractive bungalow.

Miss Gummings left Monday for her home in Kansas City, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Davis.

The evangelistic meetings closed Sunday night after holding services for a week.

Mrs. Elmer Davis spent Monday and Tuesday in Independence shopping.

Walford Nelson spent Saturday in Salem and Independence attending to business matters.

Phil Johnson and sister left last week for Independence where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley left last week and expect to locate in Chicago.

When little Percival arrived at school he carried the following note: "Dear Teacher: Our little Percival is a very delicate child, and if he is naughty—and he is apt to be naughty at times—just punish the boy next to him and that will frighten him so he'll be good."

Maryland Motor Car Insurance Company

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MONMOUTH STATION AGENT GOES TO KLAMATH COUNTY

Monmouth Herald says: J. H. Prime returned last week from a visit of inspection to Chiloquin in Klamath county where he expects to move his family. The present agent at Chiloquin makes a trade with Mr. Prime, the swap taking with it seniority in service which was in Mr. Prime's favor. The Chiloquin office carries with it twice the salary of the Monmouth job. It is, however, a lumber town located on the Klamath Indian reservation and lacking many of the advantages of the valley towns. It has an elevation of 4,000 feet and while it does not rain there in the summer time, they have winter snow and this winter have had an unusually large amount of the beautiful. It is located in a fine hunting and fishing country. The Primes will be greatly missed in Monmouth where they have been active in the community life and have made many friends. They are packing to leave at present and expect the new agent Mr. Johnson, to assume duties here in the near future.

C. B. Stephens, who has been spending the winter in Los Angeles, has returned here with the intention of remaining for a while at least, if not permanently. Mr. Stephens drove through in his car, which is equipped as a photo studio.

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