

Neighborhood School Notes

Wapinitia

Grade News

The Third and Fourth grades have finished their readers and are now starting on their supplementary work.

Harvey Wall, who has been absent from school for several weeks, expects to be back in school next week.

Several of the Primary pupils were at Harvey Wall's birthday party last Sunday.

Third and Fourth grade pupils were engaged in a spelling match last Friday afternoon. Ted Hachler proved to be the best speller but Winifred McCoy was a close second.

The Primary attendance was perfect last week with the exception of one day.

The Primary room officers are as follows: Ted Hachler, chairman; Bob Holloman, paper monitor; Kenneth Birchard, desk monitor; John Lewis, pencil monitor; Wallace Woodside, library monitor.

The upper grade room had a weekly election of officers on Monday.

Frieda Hachler and Roberta Wood were absent from school on Monday.

School Notes

The Wapinitia basketball players are now practicing regularly for the coming tournament to be held at The Dalles, Saturday, March 1. We are scheduled to play with Dufur at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The higher Arithmetic class at Wapinitia, which is progressing rapidly, is now studying "Percentage and its Application."

Lea Laughlin is breaking a colt to ride.

Frank Hachler and Avis Enderby were absent from school Monday morning.

Last week a few basketball players lost control of their feet and suddenly found that a few mud holes existed in the court.

Billy Wet has been taming one of his wild horses by riding it to school.

The Freshmen English class is now studying "Julius Caesar" and "The Lady of the Lake."

The news staff for the coming six weeks is the following: Ruth Walters, editor in chief; Helen Enderby, grade note; Gerald Claymner, Sports.

Melvin Walters is now driving to school.

With the six weeks exams over, school life is back to normal again.

The students receiving straight "A" grades for the last six weeks are as follows: for the Freshmen, Ruth Walters, Willie West, and Lenora Hammer; for the Sophomores, Helen Enderby, Wilbur Mathews and Lloyd Claymner and for the Seniors Frank Hachler, Melvin Walters, Marion O'Brien, Avis Enderby, and Hazel Laughlin.

Saturday, March 1, the Wapinitia Cyclones will journey to The Dalles where they will play in the annual county tournament. The towns participating are Maupin, Dufur, Mosier and Wapinitia.

Sunday. He reported considerable snow along the Columbia highway, it lying in banks along the high side.

Miss Shorthill, one of Wapinitia's teachers went to Portland Friday and visited until Sunday with her parents.

Hen. Miller and son, Fred, of Tygh Valley were here Monday conferring with Joe A. Graham regarding work in the Forest reserve.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller but recently returned from Barview, on the coast, where they spent several weeks during the winter.

Joe A. Graham made a trip to Clackama Lake last week, going as far as Bear Springs in his car, and from there on foot. He says that was the farthest he has been able to go in the car thus early in the spring. He reports the old snow is nearly gone at the lake, but there was some new snow on the ground.

County Superintendent Brumbaugh visited Wapinitia schools on Wednesday.

Mac Holloman, son, Nick, O. L. Paquette and Ed. Beebe were in Maupin Wednesday.

Grandma Deleo has been quite ill recently.

O. S. Walters is now the owner of a tractor, recently purchased from Ed. Gabel.

Crystal Hartman's pet dog, Bruce, was ran over and killed by a truck on Friday. Crystal had had the dog nearly 14 years and he was known to nearly every Wapinitiaite and visitor here.

FARM REMINDERS

Creeping bent grass is recommended by the Oregon experiment station for lawn seeding on wet soil of a rather acid reaction. The addition of phosphated sheep manure as a top dressing is also suggested.

For some reason yet unknown, heavy breed chicks coming from stock which has not been tested for bacillary diarrhoea infection, show a higher percentage infection with this disease than do chicks of a lighter breed under similar condition, say the experiment station.

Preparations for spray applications for control of San Jose scale are now in order, say the entomologists of the Oregon experiment station. Spray is applied in February and early March, 12 gallons of concentrated lime-sulphur to 100 gallons of water.

Honey that is properly ripened and in good condition to begin with will not spoil if properly stored, say the Oregon experiment station. Sometimes in cold, damp places the surface layer of extracted honey will sour. Granulated honey is not spoiled.

Though Oregon has very little seed flax disease, it is safe to treat seed before planting, says the experiment station. Standard formaldehyde solution, 1 pint to 40 gallons of water, is applied with a pressure sprayer while the seed is being raked vigorously. It is next covered with a canvas two or three hours and then allowed to dry quickly.

WHEAT GROWING POINTERS

Weeds are a constant menace to the wheat grower and will continue to become more troublesome. Farmers are strongly advised to use every possible precaution to keep fallow clean. The best time to kill weeds in when they are small. Clean fence rows and roadways will help.

The use of chlorates in the form of sprays for eradication of noxious weeds like wild morning glory, knapweed and Canada thistle offers much promise for a practical method of controlling these pests. Results with sodium chlorate in eastern Oregon in 1928 were satisfactory. In 1929 calcium chlorates were tested event more extensively through cooperation of growers with county agents and state college specialists. Results will not be known until the summer of 1930.

The plan of the Umatilla county court of a sisting farmers in providing spray equipment for organized weed control is recommended for consideration in other counties. Specific recommendation on use of chlorates can be obtained from the county agents or state colleges.

General of extensive culture of other crops on typical wheat lands of eastern Oregon is not recommended. Under certain conditions and in localities field peas and corn, to a limited extent, may be profitable to farmers who keep livestock.

In Union county and in some sections of Wasco and Umatilla counties, alfalfa sweet clover, corn and peas are profitable crop. On limited areas in Union and Umatilla counties, potatoes and beans are profitable. It is recommended that enough livestock and poultry be kept on every wheat farm to utilize all by-products and to make use of land not suited to profitable wheat production.

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If you are planning to treat seed wheat with copper-carbonate dust to control fly smut of tinking smut, the sooner it is done the better, as the copper carbonate affords some protection from damage by weevils, rats, and mice.

The brooder stove should be run for two or three days before the chicks are hatched, to get it regulated to the right temperature. One inch of dry sand put on the floor under and around the stove will serve as litter and lessen the danger of fire in the house. A supply of chestnut or small coal should be on hand.

It is poor economy to have dairy cow thin at calving time. Cows in good condition at time of calving will start off the lactation period at a higher level of production than will thin cows and will give a larger yield of milk for the year. Feed during the dry period should be high in minerals, particularly calcium of lime and phosphorus. Properly cured legume hay will supply the calcium. Wheat bran or the oil meals will furnish the phosphorus. Considerable protein also is needed for the development of the foetus.

"INSIDE" INFORMATION

Cooking a meringue in too hot an oven makes it tough and watery. If a slow oven is used for meringues they will set all the way through and remain puffy after they are taken from the oven.

In 1924 there were no cheese factories in the southern states. Last year approximately 60 factories manufactured more than 6,000,000 pounds of cheese valued at more than \$1,000,000.

Too much water in a washing machine causes excessive splashing and often reduces the efficiency of the machine. Observe where the water line is, and also be careful not to overload the machine with clothes.

Oysters are now shipped all over the United States, in refrigerator cars or shucked and frozen. If properly handled they are fresh and excellent. Canned oysters are also good. Oysters are particularly desirable in inland regions because of the iodine they supply.

Kodaks and films at the Maupin Drug Store. Bring in your films for developing. With each 50 cents' worth of developing brought in we will give an 5x8-inch enlargement free.

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Murl Addington was chosen to act as policeman for the whole room, inspecting the desks.

The sand table is very attractive, representing Holland. Little celluloid cows are grazing in the green pastures while the dikes and windmills are keeping watch.

QUICK FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY CROWD



WHEN a committee meeting drags itself out longer than was expected, when a glowing crowd of bright-eyed high-school girls come in with a hungry look in their faces, when unexpected guests drop in during the evening—then what a comforting feeling it is to know that on a certain shelf in the kitchen there are the makings of a fainty bit of food which will take only twenty or thirty minutes to prepare and will win the crowd's plaudits.

Let Your Daughter Cook

This shelf is especially desirable if your daughter—or son—is of the gregarious type who is always bringing friends home after school, for you can teach her, or him, to make a few dishes and rest serene in the knowledge that the responsibility is off your hands. But to do this, one of the most important things is to see to it that the necessary supplies are always on the shelf and that recipes, if needed, are pasted on the inside of the cupboard door. Because the essence of such a meal is speed, some preparations should be made ahead of time. If you include cheese in the repertoire, see to it that grated cheese is always in the glass jar on the shelf.

Canned fruits are especially suitable, for they lend themselves to many uses. Apple sauce is one of the best liked. It can be used as a filling for cake or gingerbread. If you have baked tart shells ready, it

is the work of only a minute to add spices to taste to the canned apple sauce, pour it into the shells, sprinkle with grated cheese and heat in the oven until the cheese is melted.

Apple and Date muffins are simple to make and with chocolate or coffee are enough for such a light lunch. To make them, beat two eggs and add one cup of milk. Mix and sift two cups of flour, three tablespoons of sugar, four teaspoons of baking powder and one-half teaspoon of salt. Add to the first mixture. Then add one-half cup of canned apple sauce, three tablespoons of melted butter and one-half cup of chopped dates. Pour into buttered muffin tins and bake in a hot oven, 400° F., for 15 to 20 minutes. This makes eight to ten muffins.

Versatile French Toast

French Toast is a quick and universally liked dish and can be varied in many ways. You can sprinkle it with powdered sugar or a mixture of cinnamon and sugar, or you can serve honey or a tart jelly with it. Another variation is to cut the bread in circles, dip in the egg and milk mixture and sauté in the usual way. Then force canned apricots through a sieve and spread half the slices of toast with the purée. Place the other slices on top and garnish with a thin slice of orange, cut crosswise.

A pineapple sauce to be poured over French Toast is made by boil-

ing until thick the contents of an eight-ounce can of pineapple tidbits, one-fourth cup of orange juice and one-fourth cup of sugar mixed with two teaspoons of flour. Pour over the hot toast and serve immediately.

Peanut butter may become a partner in the French Toast business, too. To make it, cream together one-half cup of canned peanut butter and one cup of milk. Add salt and pepper and a slightly beaten egg. Remove the crusts from slices of bread and cut in strips. Dip the bread in the mixture, and sauté in butter. Serve hot with a garnish of sweet pickles.

Pie Crust Sandwiches

Pie pastry may be kept in the refrigerator for some time all ready to be rolled out and made into turnovers—if you have a filling ready. Or you can roll the pastry out and cut it in circles the size of a slice of pineapple, and bake it in a hot oven. Put a pastry circle on a serving plate, and place a slice of drained pineapple on top. Spread with marshmallow creme and sprinkle with nuts. Another circle of pastry goes on top of that, and a dab of marshmallow creme to top it off.

By a little home practice in making the foods which will appeal the most to your crowd, and by seeing to it that supplies are always on hand, you will have no quams when the crowd descends on you.

The Primary room looks more like spring with the lovely pussy willows given by Mrs. Maybaw and Mrs. Joe Chastain.

The First graders have completed their Beacon Primer, making their second Primer completed.

The First graders are now reading in their third and last required text reader, Beacon First Reader.

Another six-weeks period has passed, and it is again report card time. Several of the First and Second graders have splendid attendance.

Elwin Doty has charge of the wraps for this week.

Third and Fourth

Louise Duus and Adeline Schilling were absent from school Monday.

Alma Fraley is back after several days' absence.

Loyal Pratt, Albert Troutman and John Foley have been neither tardy or absent this term. Dick Shearer has been absent only half a day.

Gereraldine Paters proves to be the best arithmetic student in the Third grade.

The Fourth grade geography class is studying the South Central states. New moss has been placed in the goldfish bowl.

Fifth and Sixth

Ten pupils of the Fifth and Sixth grades visited the Maupin Times building Thursday Mr. Semmes kindly gave us some idea of the way of printing a paper.

Seventh and Eighth

Those who received 100 in spelling last week were: Ralph, Douglas, Herbert, Theodore, Bernice, Dorothy, Jenn, Irene, Betty, Genevieve, and Gretha.

In Civics the Eighth grade is studying about all different Federal courts.

In History the Seventh grade has just finished studying about the Declaration of Independence, the different departments of the government and Constitutional convention.

Curtains of unbleached muslin are practical for the bathroom as they do not look limp or sleazy when dampened by steamy air. Also they are easy to launder. Brighten them up with a border or applique of fast colored checked gingham, cretonne, or plain chambray.

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29x4.40 Royal Balloons	8.25	6.60
29x4.50 Royal Balloons	8.85	7.10
29x5.00 Royal Balloons	11.00	8.80
30x5.00 Royal Balloons	11.35	9.00
30x5.25 Royal Balloons	13.25	10.60
30x5.50 Royal Balloons	14.35	11.50
31x5.25 Royal Balloons	13.65	10.90
30x6.00 Royal Balloons	15.10	12.10
30x3 1/2 U. S. Peerless cord, extra	\$ 5.00	\$ 4.00
29x4.40 U. S. Peerless	6.30	5.05
30x4.50 U. S. Peerless	7.00	5.60
28x5.25 U. S. Peerless	9.90	7.95
31x5.25 U. S. Peerless	10.95	8.75

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30x3 1/2 Red Royal	\$1.50	\$1.20
30x3 1/2 U. S. Peerless	1.20	1.00
31x4 Royal	2.20	1.75
32x4 Royal	2.30	1.85
32x4 1/2 Royal	2.70	2.30
29x4.40 Royal	1.90	1.50
29x4.50 Royal	1.95	1.55
29x5.00 Royal	2.05	1.60
30x4.50 Royal	2.00	1.65
30x5.25 Royal	2.70	2.50
30x5.50 Royal	2.95	2.65
30x6.00 Royal	2.95	2.65
31x5.25 Royal	2.80	2.55



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