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HOME TALENT

Not the least of the advantages of the small community possess, which is not shared by those living in the larger cities, is the opportunity of self-expression found in home talent plays. Such an undertaking calls for the best we have. It is one of our civic duties.

In the city, the lack of leadership among pupils in the schools became so marked recently that educators sought to revise teaching methods. The old idea of the pupil repeating what he has been told or what he reads is giving way to an effort to draw from the child some of his original thoughts. The inclusion of manual arts in the courses of study, the dramatization of historical events and the use of puzzles and story problems instead of merely the memorizing of formulae in mathematics are indications of the modern trend toward the production of individuals capable of assuming leadership in the world's work, rather than automatons responding only to external stimuli.

It has always been somewhat embarrassing to the cities, where high-salaried teachers, nearly perfect equipment, and beautiful buildings have been provided for the children, to find, when college age is reached, that an extremely large proportionate number of the leaders in all branches of student activities are youths from country or small town high schools. This proportion holds good in later years in political, religious and business.

In school and in community affairs, such as the minstrel show of last week, everyone who can take a part is given the chance in a small place like ours, and while those of us who form the audience enjoy to the utmost the efforts of our friends, we know that the players are getting as much enjoyment as we are, and at the same time are developing themselves along the lines of leadership. We begrudge them none of that because we know that within a week or month our turn will come and we will be called upon to furnish the entertainment.

Just so, we feel a little superior to those sponges of the city who are constantly seeking to soak up some fresh amusement each evening of their lives with no hope of ever being pressed into giving out any of the good that has come to them.

There is nothing more useless than the book-worm who haunts the library but can neither write nor talk

News from the Neighboring Towns

DODGE NEWS

On Friday afternoon the P. T. A. held their monthly meeting and it proved to be quite a surprise party to the members. Our enterprising teacher, Mrs. Lathen, and the children in the various grades had gone to a good deal of care and much work to prepare the surprise, and kept a secret, springing it on them quite unexpectedly. The surprise was a series of essays by the children in which a large number of exhibits were obtained and used. The children did their parts very well and the whole made a very interesting entertainment. Much credit is due the teacher for the work and care she has given instructing the pupils and obtaining the numerous exhibits required in these essays, and her efforts are much appreciated by the children and their parents.

Uncle "Sime" came back and is again working in the camp. His wife came from Salem on Sunday to visit him and brought her son along from Portland. They are negotiating for a piece of land here with the intention of building a home.

Minnie Craft, who resided among us several years, spent two days this week visiting with J. E. Keller and family. She is now living and working in Portland but does not forget the place where she attended school.

J. E. Keller has been very sick last week and on Saturday went to Portland to consult a doctor who advised an operation.

On Sunday some of the residents here were very agreeably surprised to see Mr. Clarence Jubb come along the road operating the road grader which was pulled by one of the lumber trucks. He made a good job of it, too, for it was well graded. We are told that it is right to do good on the Sabbath day, and it would be to our benefit to do good every other day also.

On Sunday, Fred Horner and his wife and Harold Horner and wife went over to Colton to help in a concert of sacred music at the Lutheran church there. The distance from Dodge and return over the hills is about 16 miles, but the road was in such bad condition that they went by way of Oregon City. Their speedometer showed that they had traveled ninety-five miles.

There will be a "prayer meeting" at the courthouse in Oregon City on Tuesday, when representatives from the Colton end and representatives from the Estacada end will pray the county court to push forward the work on that road and make it so that the people at one end can get through to the other and the people world. Let us all pray that their prayers will be of avail.

The mills at Dodge were shut down a couple of days because of the wintry weather. On Saturday morning we had 3 inches of snow but it was all gone before night.

On Wednesday evening Douglas Smith was a dinner guest at the home of Fred Horner and stayed overnight. Douglas served over four years in the world war, enlisting about a month after the war started. He served until after the armistice was signed. He is now sick of the horrors of war.

GEORGE ITEMS

The fine weather is very much appreciated.

There will be an Easter program in the church next Sunday.

Mrs. Emily Koehler has returned to Portland after several weeks stay with her brother, Mr. Ed Harders.

Mrs. Henry Johnson gave a party in honor of her birthday last Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. Held, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chaney, Mrs. Marie Klinker, Chris Klinker, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Klinker and son Elmer.

Miss Emma Chaney has gone to Portland to work.

Mr. John Willing of Sellwood visited the school one day last week, and also with the Julius Paulsen family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wiederhold have sold their personal property and have gone to Vancouver to live.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson and children visited their wister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Matoon, at Viola last Sunday.

Intelligently or the man who attends church regularly but doesn't practice simple honesty or the woman who laughs aloud as she reads college humor but couldn't tell a joke without scrambling it. Such people never had training in home talent plays, and of such, leaders are not made.

SPRINGWATER

Mrs. George Perry and children were visiting relatives near Canby on Sunday.

Guests on Sunday of Lucille Guttridge were Gertrude and Mildred Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bard were visiting relatives at Forest Grove during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hull and children were dinner guests at the Carl Peterson home on Sunday.

Callers on Mrs. Moger during the week were Mrs. Carl Peterson, Harry Grable, Mrs. P. J. Monroe and Beth, Mrs. Wiley Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Shibley, and Miss Elva Shibley.

The Ladies Aid is doing some quilting for Mrs. Strunk.

Calling at the Wiley Howell home on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strunk were visiting relatives in Garfield on Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Horner and Mrs. Rudolph Hansen were calling on Mrs. Henry Cromer on Saturday evening.

Kathleen Beck spent Sunday night as the guest of Edith Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wickam, of Oregon City, and Evelyn Dibble and Clifford Greenstreet, of Springwater were guests at the Henry Cromer home Sunday.

Guests at the Marvin Park home during the week-end were their son Bert and wife and little daughter, and their daughter, Mrs. Brian Moore and family, all of Notye, and Mrs. John Park and children, of Springwater.

VIOLA NEWS

There have been a few changes in Viola recently.

Mr. D. G. White has sold his store and two acres of land to Robert Mattoon and Amos Elekson, who will run the store. Mr. White expects to go to his place in Tillamook to make his home.

Mrs. Pearl Mattox has sold her place to L. C. Hubbard. She expects to build on her place a mile from here.

Mrs. F. Randolph spent a few days in McMinnville at her sister's home, where she attended the marriage of her nephew, Elmer Olsen, which took place Sunday. Young Olsen made his home in Viola for a number of years, and made a host of friends, all of whom wish him and his bride a happy future.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sevier celebrated their 44th wedding anniversary Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Clara Higinbotham and daughter Alice and son Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. W. Higinbotham, and children, Mr. Jas. Burlingame, and Leo Allen, of Stevenson, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Larkin spent their 35th wedding anniversary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Larkin on Sunday. Mrs. Hull, of Oregon City, was a visitor.

Earnest Evenson is convalescing rapidly following an operation on his tonsils last week.

UPPER EAGLE CREEK

Mrs. Basil Saunders and little son Robert, of Oregon City, were the guests of Mrs. Saunders' aunt, Mrs. Roy Douglass, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodie and son, Leslie, were Oregon City visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglas motored to Oregon City Sunday, taking their guest, Mrs. Saunders, home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglass, accompanied by Mrs. Jim Denning and Mrs. Will Douglass, motored to Oregon City Monday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodie, accompanied by Mrs. R. B. Gibson, made a trip to Clackamas Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Cobb was the guest of Mrs. W. Asp on Monday.

CURRINSVILLE

Spring has at last arrived and everybody is at work and happy.

H. D. Lombard spent the week-end with his family.

Dr. and Mrs. Beals, of Independence, and daughter Lois visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kitching, Sunday.

G. C. Heiple started his baling operations again. The first job is for N. E. Linn, who has some very fine hay.

Mrs. F. W. Douglass called on Mrs. George Walter Monday.

Mrs. Sam D. Dunlop and her

EAGLE CREEK

The local P. T. A. will hold their regular business meeting in the school house this afternoon.

The primary room children will give a short spring program which carries the Easter spirit, for the opening of the meeting.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. A. Foster is ill, and hope that soon he will be able to be out again and enjoy the spring weather.

Mr. A. C. Cogswell motored to Oregon City Monday.

Misses Margaret, Martha, and Jane Maloney, accompanied by Herbert Suter and Grant Test, motored to Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. Burnett and Mrs. Mattie Troupe called on Mrs. William Sanders Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of making plans for the Ladies Aid entertainment to be given some time in May.

The Manans, former residents of Eagle Creek visited the Loney Smith home Sunday.

Practice for the Christian Endeavor entertainment to be given April 29 is progressing rapidly under the direction of Mrs. Wetherby.

The Foster Meyer family spent last week-end at home, returning to Corvallis Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. Kirkwood extends a most cordial invitation to all to hear the special Easter message as well as musical numbers on the Sunday evening service.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Spilde motored to Portland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rehberg motored to Portland Wednesday. Mr. Rehberg attended the opening game of the baseball series at Multnomah field.

Henry Weitz took eggs to Portland Tuesday.

Mrs. White, of Portland, spent several days this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tracy Clester.

Curiosity Has Played Dig Part in Progress

From time immemorial women have been branded as being more curious than men. Now we are told by a London clergyman that men far outnumber women in the inquiries they address to him during the "Question Hour" he has instituted at his church. One cannot say that one sex is more curious than the other, but they are interested in totally different matters. Feminine curiosity is lighthearted, and less searching than masculine. Few women are ashamed to admit their desire to know the cost of a dress, but the majority would be reluctant to admit their ignorance of some important event in history. The opposite is the case with most men. They feel it is bad taste to be curious about personal matters, but they rarely mind asking for information about public affairs.

Curiosity often becomes a vice with some people. Most of us are familiar with old maids and bachelors who spend all their time probing into the affairs of others. Such people are an object of terror and dislike to the other inhabitants, and the originators of countless petty scandals and quarrels. Lack of any real occupation drives them slowly, as they grow older, into indecent prying into their neighbors' concerns.

We are apt to condemn curiosity as an unpleasant quality, and few of us will acknowledge that we are led and tempted by it. We forget that it is an instinct which is one of the most valuable and beneficial assets of humanity in the battle of life. It is the driving force behind the work of all scientists, doctors, and explorers. Without it the world would still be in a state of barbarism.—Vancouver Province.

mother called on Mrs. Nellie Currin Monday evening.

Mrs. Otto Kiggings called on the H. H. Jones family Monday.

Mrs. Elva Tooney and daughter Eliza have been reported on the sick list for the last few days.

George Walter has sold almost entirely out of stock. A man from Canby bought his last cow Monday and the horses are all sold but two. Walter expects to buy an auto soon.

Marie visited her brother Roy Heiple and family last week.

Lois Beals, of Independence, visited her cousin Ruth Hal, Sunday.

School at Currinsville is making rapid progress under care of Miss Poole and Miss Gardner.

Quite a number of people from Portland were calling on the Franks family, who purchased the Sarver ranch.

Currinsville Store Prices

3-10c Pkgs. Jersey Cornflakes--21c Prunes, 20 lbs. for.....\$1.00 Davidson's Sandwich Loaf Bread-14c Davidson's Twin Loaf Bread.....15c Gresham Home Made Bread Small.....9c Large, 2 for.....25c We carry Ice and Ice Cream. Eskimo Pies, Ice Cream Bricks and Frosties Cups. Also Soft Drinks in Bottles. Give Us a Trial

City's Glory Departed

It is no longer "Antioch the Beautiful," splendidly situated though it is. In the Thirteenth century it was still a considerable city of 120,000 inhabitants. Today it is known as Antakia and its population is about 12,000. It never quite recovered from its spoliation by the sultan of Egypt, nor has it made much effort to repair the damage done in 1872 by a severe earthquake. But it will always be a place of interest to Christians for its many associations with the earliest periods of their history.

Athletic Writer

Because of his size and strength Dr. Samuel Johnson was advised by a certain luckless publisher to get a porter's knot and turn porter. Set upon one night by four footpads, he kept them at bay until the watch came up. He frequently in his younger years walked from Litchfield to Birmingham and back again, a distance of 80 miles, without fatigue, and in his trip to the Hebrides Boswell says that "ninety-five days were never passed by any man in more vigorous exercise." He was a bold swimmer, and though he ordinarily moved like a manacled elephant, he at sixty-eight writes delightfully. "I ran a race this day and beat Barrett."—Scientific Monthly.

Slip Into It

She sank on the settee in her room with a sigh of intense weariness. "I'm very tired," she said to her new maid. "Bring me something I can slip into." "Oh will that, ma'am," said the colleen from Connemara. After a rather long interval the maid returned bearing a tray on which was a thick steak, some fried onions and a bottle of stout. "Now just be after slipping into that, mum; it'll do ye good," she said.—London Tit-Bits.

Practice of Kissing

Not Universal Custom

The idea of the kiss being an instinctive gesture is negated by its being unknown over half the world, where the prevailing salute is that by smelling or sniffing (often called by travelers "rubbing noses"). The kiss appears constantly in Semitic and Aryan antiquity.

In Greece in the classic period it became customary to kiss the hand, breast or knee of a superior. In Rome the kisses of inferiors became a burdensome civility. The early Christians made it the sign of fellowship. It early passed into more ceremonial form in the kiss of peace given to the newly baptized and in the celebration of the eucharist.

While the kiss has been adopted as a religious rite, its original social use has continued. Among men, however, it has become less effusive. Court ceremonial keeps up the kiss on the cheek between sovereigns and the kissing of the hand by subjects, and the pope, like a Roman emperor, receives the kiss on his foot.—Encyclopedia Britannica.

Waxing Candles

Henry Drummond, author of "The Greatest Thing in the World," in his lighter moments (and he had many) was full of gaiety, frequently displaying a unique and versatile form of wit. He was one of a group assembled one night at the home of Drummond's minister, Dr. Marcus Dods.

During the supper, which had to be taken by candle light, one of the candles began to droop. One of the young men set it upright, then it drooped to the other side. Finally it became a subject of remark.

Someone called it a most wicked candle; another said it should be sent to Greece, and sundry other jokes were leveled at the unfortunate light giver. Finally Drummond said, very earnestly, he thought the conversation was beginning to wax scandalous.

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