

CENTRAL OREGON NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

LIDLAW

(Special to The Bend Bulletin.) LIDLAW, May 12.—There were several good rains last week.

Mrs. Mock and daughter were in Bend Friday trading.

A. Hess is working at his trade in Bend.

Jim Patton was hauling freight for local merchants Friday and Saturday.

J. M. Siry caught a redbird in the Deschutes that was 22 inches long.

Mrs. Frank Mark is improving and is now able to walk on crutches.

D. R. Smith and wife and Mrs. Minna Howard were shopping in Bend the latter part of the week.

Prof. Pinkstaff, who bought the Murk place, is well pleased with farm life and is going ahead with his work.

Mrs. Hall, owner of the Riverside Inn is doing some improving, building a new fence and fixing up the lawn.

Mrs. J. N. B. Gerking will leave this week for a visit with her parents at Silverton, Oregon.

The Odd Fellows had a long session Saturday night, the work keeping them till 3 a. m.

Several of the young people attended the dance at Deschutes Saturday night.

Miss Dora Ford will leave Saturday, May 17, for her home in California. It is understood that she will not teach any more but will take up music instead.

Mr. Sawhill and Mr. Smith were among the visitors here from Bend last week.

Miss Murtie Stewart is now working at the Riverside Inn.

A. F. Romsay was in the Dalles last week for his health. He contemplates moving to a lower altitude.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Courtney, north of town, a baby girl on May 8.

Mrs. Helms was over from the Metolius last week visiting "Aunt Mollie" Nichols.

Rev. Mr. Sox has petitioned the Legislature to change his name to Saxe, stating that the latter was the original name back in the old country.

Rev. A. O. Walker will be present next Sunday and conduct services at the church both morning and evening.

Oliver Thorbjornson of Bend was visiting Jack McCormick the latter part of the week.

Fred Wallace has returned from up near the head gate of the canal, being there doing some repair work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wimer entertained two traveling men Sunday.

Mr. Hall is doing the carpenter work on Mr. Dayton's new house. Mrs. Hall will be home in a few days.

Miss Josephine Crawford, formerly of Laidlaw, will leave in a few days for an extended visit at Grants Pass and other towns in Western Oregon, also attending the commencement exercises at the O. A. C.

There was quite a jolly crowd at the Swalley bridge Sunday for a picnic and fish dinner.

CRESCENT

(Special to The Bend Bulletin.) CRESCENT, May 10.—Sam Welsh came in from Beaver Marsh Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Caples of the Dalles were guests of the Rourk family from Friday to Sunday.

Eddie Santry has moved into the hotel and is ready to accommodate the travelling public.

George Sly and J. L. Howard each brought up a load of freight for Mr. Rourk's store this week.

Thomas Bracken has moved his goods from the hotel to his building on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tyler and little son left Thursday for Probstel, Wash., where the former's mother, Mrs. Rhoda Tyler, is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Maaten were Crescent visitors Friday. They attended the housewarming at the Ring bungalow.

Fred Lafollette and J. G. Redmond were here Friday and Saturday.

F. M. Cleaves and Earl Austin went to Bend Saturday morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Ringo entertained Friday evening at a housewarming in their cozy bungalow, which they have had rebuilt and finished. Dancing was the enjoyment of the evening. A dainty lunch was served to the following guests: Messrs. and Mesdames J. N. Maaten, C. W. Long, F. M. Cleaves, Philip Caples, E. G. Rourk; Misses Dorothy Anderson, Iona Applegate; Mrs. D. A. Jones, Messrs. Claude Heard, J. G. Redmond, Fred Lafollette, Maurice Graves and George Gottlieb.

Miss Arda Edwards and Miss Iona Applegate left today by auto for Bend, Paul Peterson taking them down. The former will visit friends and relatives at Prineville, The Dalles and Kalama, Wash., and the latter at Goldendale, War., Portland and Salem before returning to their

homes in Southern Oregon. Miss Applegate does not return next fall but plans to take advanced work in the California State Normal at San Jose, thereby securing a life diploma to teach which will be recognized without examination in any of the Western states.

ALFALFA

(Special to The Bulletin.) ALFALFA, May 9.—The Alfalfa public school closed today after a very successful eight months' term taught by Edgar R. Barnes of Prineville.

About a week ago invitations were sent out by the school children asking everyone in this vicinity to a picnic to be held on the last day of the school near the Zell pond. A large number of parents and friends attended and were delightfully entertained. Lunch was served at noon by the mothers and was of the best, every one doing justice to it. Then followed an interesting program. Mr. Barnes' selections for the children were well made and each child did exceptionally well.

After the program, everyone took part in the races, which caused much laughter and gaiety.

Just before going home the children were given their report cards, of which they have just cause to be proud. Their grades show that good has been done by all. Mr. Barnes gave three prizes to the pupils in the higher grades, for the best drawings of Powell Butte, the Three Sisters and the school house. Mrs. Danberry and Mrs. Boyd acted as judges and awarded the prizes as follows: Olga Molony, first; Jessie Pyatt, second; Orville Shultz, third. The prizes consisted of paint boxes of three different sizes and books of cardboard for drawings.

Mrs. Sam Boyd has an embroidery class composed of the little school girls. They are embroidering pieces to take to the county fair this fall. The girls as well as their parents appreciate the interest Mrs. Boyd has shown in teaching them how to use their needles.

Mrs. Bert Powell and little Helen have returned from an extended visit with relatives in various parts of the state.

ALFALFA, May 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and children have gotten settled in their new home. They bought the Riss place east of Alfalfa.

George Tetlaw is teaching his final week of school, after which he will be on his homestead for the summer.

Miss Pyatt spent Sunday with the homefolks. Her school closes the 23rd.

Mr. Willard had the misfortune to lose two of his horses this week.

Erville Baker, a nephew of Mrs. Wallace Danberry, is here to spend the summer.

Joe Townsend is down from his homestead this week to get a load of seed potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dealey are visiting Charles Dealey. They are from Missouri but are thinking of locating in Oregon.

Hans Hansen has bought Fred

Practical Baking Lessons by Mrs. Nevada Briggs Begin This Week on this page Don't Miss Them

HAMPTON

(Special to The Bend Bulletin.) HAMPTON, May 6.—The county assessor was through here recently assessing the homesteaders.

Mrs. Nellie Wright of Bend made a short visit last week to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hogue.

Master Gerald Hicks returned here last week after several weeks spent with his mother in Bend. He came in with his grandfather, Rev. Mr. Bezona, who brought a load from Bend.

Phil S. Dencer and wife left for Bend last Thursday.

H. C. Miller recently returned from a trip to Bend.

Melvin Crow is in Prineville on business.

Burr Black and W. T. Harrison are assisting Mr. Phillips clear 20 acres with their teams and sagebrush puller.

Louis Miller returned Thursday after two weeks' absence, during which time Mrs. Miller underwent a serious operation at a Salem hospital. She is doing well and it is expected that she will be sufficiently recovered to return to her home in two or three weeks.

A. S. Fogg finished pulling and burning 20 acres of sagebrush the past week.

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E. W. Pearce of Fremont was in town the first of last week.

John H. Harrison left Monday for La Pine where he will be for some time looking after some cattle in that section.

J. Kirkland has gone to Bend to work for the summer.

Mrs. C. R. Short and family left by auto for Bend Wednesday, taking the train there for Portland where they will spend the summer.

Lightning struck Roy Stoutenberg's house one day last week and tore a hole in the floor, also setting fire to the wood box. Fortunately no one was hurt, and Mrs. Stoutenberg extinguished the flames before any damage was done.

J. L. Cliff of Silver Lake was trading in this burg Thursday.

E. W. Sprague started for Bend on Thursday and expects to work there during the summer.

Earl Reed and family of Silver Lake were business callers here on Friday.

L. B. Charles is with the Leader force at Silver Lake again.

C. A. Mead, who has been in a hospital with a crushed limb the past winter, passed through here on Wednesday on his way to Silver and Christmas lake valleys.

L. E. Penrose and son have purchased the well drill owned by Fred Foster of Summer Lake.

George L. Callahan, who has been teaching the Fremont school, passed through this burg Sunday on his way to his homestead at Arrow.

The Fort Rock Times is the name of the newspaper that will be put out at this place for the first time about June 1.

Bend's Best Barber Shop, as well as the oldest, is Innes & Davidson's, on Oregon street.—Adv.

We Are Still Selling Fishing Tackle at Cost Bend Hardware Co.

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PRACTICAL BAKING LESSONS This is the first of a series of lessons which will appear on this page every week.

Bread Flour and Pastry Flour OUR mills make two kinds of flour; one from hard Spring wheat called bread flour, the other from soft Winter wheat called pastry flour.

FIRST CLASS EQUIPMENT AND SERVICE Pilot Butte Hotel J. F. TAGGART, Prop. Good Dining Room FREE AUTO BETWEEN HOTEL AND DEPOT

Headquarters for Commercial Men Electric Lighted Throughout Special Attention to Transient Travel THE BEND HOTEL HUGH O'KANE, MANAGER Good Rooms BEND, OREGON Good Meals Free bus to and from trains All arrangements made for persons desiring to go south and east of here

FRUIT TREES Our nursery is located on Powell Butte, fourteen miles east of Bend. Our trees are the kind we recommend after over thirty years experience in the fruit business in this neighborhood.

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