

# Lane County Farmers Union News

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## RAIN PROVES BENEFIT TO CROPS OF DISTRICT

Despite the fact that Jupiter Pluvius brought ruin to what many had hoped would be a perfect Easter day, the showers which began during the week-end and continued into midweek have proved a great benefit to agriculture in this district.

Such is the statement of farmers, who declare that the unusual dry weather of March was beginning to prove serious setback to farm work. In many cases, the ground was too dry for plowing, and in cases where plowing had been done moisture was insufficient to help further work. These conditions were eliminated by beneficial showers.

Especially did the grain and hay crops benefit by the showers, the farmers report. Bumper harvests in all lines of agriculture are predicted for this year, as a result of the open winter and the spring showers.

### Thurston Wallops Elmira.

By a score of 6 to 2, Thurston high school defeated Elmira in the season's first game at Thurston Friday. Rapid twirling by pitchers on both sides, and some strong hitting, featured the game. Elmira girls beat Thurston girls 17 to 13.

The Thurston line-up: Tallafiero, p; Phetteplace, 2b; W. Endicott, 1b; H. Endicott, c; Doolittle, 3b; Rennie, short; Scott, Parrott, H. Hart and C. Hart, outfielders. Elmira: Allison, 3b; Haynes, p; Inman, c; Lloyd, ss; Larson, 2b; Kingsley, 1b; Bangs, Jarvis, outfielders.

## Judge's Joke

SPRING FEVER IS NOTHIN' BUT A NICKNAME FOR LAZINESS.



## OFFICERS OF LANE COUNTY FARMERS' UNION

- C. W. Allen, Vida, President.
- W. I. Seals, Eugene, Vice-President.
- Betty M. Kappauf, Cottage Grove, Secretary-Treasurer.
- Walter Morgan, Creswell, Conductor.
- H. H. Smith, Eugene, Doorkeeper.
- O. L. Clement, Waverly, Chaplain.

## THURSTON NOTES

Miss Dorothy Travis, who is teaching at Canary, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Drury and family from Jasper visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Mathews last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sparks from Blue River spent the week-end with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Shough.

Clifford Weaver from Klamath Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver from Marshfield motored here Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Weaver. Mrs. Weaver went to Eugene Tuesday to visit relatives, while the men motored to Salem.

Mrs. John Endicott is ill with bronchial trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Price from Noti attended church services here last Sunday.

Last Sunday Waukena and Coburg baseball teams played on the local diamond, Coburg was victor.

Rev. Turner from Eugene will preach here next Sunday. There were 80 present at Sunday school last Sunday.

Miss Margaret Russel, who is teaching at Leurg, was ill a few days last week and her sister, Maude, substituted for her.

Mrs. Margaret Campbell from Leburg visited her son and family here over the week-end.

Mrs. Taylor Needham gave a party at her home Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. Needham birthday. After spending a social evening, refreshments of sandwiches, cake and pickles was served.

## Community News

By Special Correspondent

### WILLAMETTE

Grandpa Ferguson, who has been visiting at the H. K. Chase home for the past two weeks, has returned to the home of his grandson, Marion Bigelow, of Greenberry. Mr. Ferguson celebrated his eighty-seventh birthday March 29.

Mrs. U. G. McElhany, who is a member of the official board of the M. E. church of Springfield, attended a business meeting here Monday evening.

Jay Fish and family spent Sunday with the Odell family of Wandling. Mr. and Mrs. Ardon Fugate and two children, of Eugene spent Sunday with the Frank Bailey family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bailey of Coburg spent Thursday evening at the Jay Fish home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pengra of Broadhead, Wisconsin are visiting with Mr. Pengra's cousin, W. J. Pengra. Tuesday they will leave for Portland where they will visit friends before returning to their home.

Janet Bokes, Marion Powell, Grace Pennell, and Camille Clemonson, Eugene high girls, hiked to the W. J. Pengra home where they enjoyed a slumber party. They returned to Eugene Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sylvester, daughter Vernita, and little son, Stephen, are domiciled in their new home since March 28. They traded their Eugene home on Teath and Madison streets for 22 acres of the L. C. Brash place. Mr. Sylvester is employed as a street car motorman in Eugene. Mr. L. C. Brash has retained 10 acres, but will live in his new home in Eugene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Travis entertained friends with a dinner party Easter Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wing of Eugene, who celebrated their thirty-eighth wedding anniversary on that day. Those present besides the host and hostess were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Richards of Raymond, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Zumwalt and children, Warner, Robert and Catherine of Eugene; Frances and Emma Jane Travis, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wing.

Mrs. Mildred Lennox of Eugene has been attending Mrs. Fish, who is now able to be taken about in a wheel chair.

Lois Male, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Bogart of Junction City and A. H. Fish of Salmon visited at the G. R. Fish home Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Watson, who has been at the Anderson home for the last two months, has returned to her home in Portland.

U. G. McElhany has planted an acre of mint this year.

### UPPER WILLAMETTE

Owing to the death of Mrs. J. A. Hills, mother of Vida Hills, a freshman at the Pleasant Hill high school, the annual spring reception given by the freshmen to the upper classmen was not held last Friday, April 2 and has since been given up for this year. Mrs. Hills was killed about 5 o'clock Friday afternoon, April 2 when a cow which she was milking stepped on her chest crushing the ribs, puncturing her heart, causing her to bleed to death. Mrs. Hills formerly lived at Pleasant Hill but was living at the time of her death at Lowell. She has many friends throughout the Upper Willamette district, who were shocked and grieved to hear of her tragic death. Besides her daughter, Vida, she leaves a husband and two other children.

Mrs. Elph Mathews of Fenvale fell from a wagon Friday afternoon, April 2 and broke both bones in her right arm near the wrist. She was returning from a field when she and Mr. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Moon were planting potatoes when the seat on which she was riding tipped up throwing her onto the ground and breaking her wrist.

Words has been received from Mrs. W. L. Bristow that she hopes to return from Portland to Pleasant Hill very soon.

The musical students and the oratory class of the Pleasant Hill high school will give a joint recital at the high school building Saturday night, April 10. The program promises to be very good.

A number of children gathered at the home of Bonnie Jeanne Tinker Easter Sunday and hunted for eggs on the lawn. Those present were Florence, James, Wayne and Kenneth Jordan, children of Mr. and Mrs. C.

## JOHN H. BOWER SEEKS COUNTY JUDGE POSITION

John H. Bower, of the Willakenzie district, has filed a petition with the county clerk's office for republican nomination as county judge. Extension of farming and marketing roads and economy are planks in the candidate's platform. Mr. Bower was a city attorney here from 1913 to 1915, and is well known throughout the county.

Correction is Made—An item in last week's News stated that the Southern Pacific train No. 18, now leaves Eugene for Portland at 7:30 P. M. The time is 7:30 A. M. instead of in the evening.

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- Fancy Salmon, per can **10c**
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