

HILLSVIEW

Mrs. A. Wilhe left a few days ago for a visit with her sister at Corvallis. Charlie Hupp has just returned from investigating homestead land in Tillamook county. He thinks it is a fine country and that land will be very valuable there in the near future.

As the echo of the recent opening of the canal at Oregon City for the free passage of river craft, it is announced that a line of boats to carry passengers and freight will be put on between Portland, Dayton and McMinnville, on the Yamhill river. A small job of dredging will make that river easily navigable for light draft steamers.

Six boards and commissions on Higher Education at Salem cost for past two years \$14,866.02. The six boards have fifty persons connected with them.

April wheat shipments from Portland were 916,915 bushels.

Wherever made responsible as common carriers jitneys drop out.

To supply meters to all Portland water users is to cost \$1,000,000.

KELSO

School closed Friday after an eight months' term which has been highly successful. Mrs. Barnum, the principal, who resides in the district will without compensation, continue to teach half-day sessions for another month. Both Mrs. Barnum and Miss Erickson have been re-elected to teach next year.

Commencement exercises will be held on the evening of June 5th for the eighth grade graduates of which further notice will be given later.

Judge Gatens of the Juvenile court of Portland, who with wife and little daughter motored out Saturday evening to address the Kelso Parent-Teacher association, spoke to a large and interested audience on the Juvenile court work in Portland. He placed the responsibility for children's mis-steps upon the parents, and said that the effective work of the Parent-Teacher associations would soon do away with the need of a Juvenile court. This was the last of the series of meetings held by the Kelso Parent-Teacher association this school year and they have been very profitable and interesting. Every community that considers the welfare of the school should have a Parent-Teacher association. After the meeting, refreshments consisting of coffee, cake and sandwiches, were served free to all.

R. E. Warner and Miss Doralea Warner, of Sandy, were dinner guests at the R. Jonsrud home Saturday evening.

Miss Anna Erickson has returned to her home in Portland for her vacation.

LUSTED

Mrs. Clara Hill, of Newport, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Davies. She was called home suddenly owing to the illness of her son Edgar Hollister, who has been very ill for the past three weeks.

Nick Rauw, of Montavilla, is visiting at the home of his son Mathew Rauw for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, Sr., spent Sunday at the home of his son Mathew Rauw for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, Sr., spent Sunday at the home of his son Ed. The former who has been sick for the past eight weeks, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Waltman, the trained nurse who has been taking care of Edgar Hollister, was released last Saturday.

The Lusted school is planning for a large picnic the last day of school June 5th. A program will be given by the pupils appropriate to the occasion and general good time is expected.

CHERRYVILLE

School closed here Friday. Miss Nash left Saturday morning for her home in Los Angeles after closing a successful term of school.

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Friel, Jr., last Saturday evening in honor of Mrs. Friel's birthday.

Henry Ten Eyck and Misses Ten Eyck and May Moore called at the home of Mrs. Averill Sunday afternoon.

P. T. Stofer made a flying trip to Portland the first of the week.

Mrs. Etta Bauer called at Fern Hill farm Saturday afternoon.

A farewell party was given for Miss Nash at the home of Mrs. Watkins last Thursday evening.

Harry and Ted Moore have returned home for a short time.

Henry and Paul Koch are home after attending their mother's funeral, whose death occurred a short time ago.

A surprise and farewell supper was given for John Tuschler at his home on Monday evening.

Rev. G. A. Gray, of Sandy, will preach at Cherryville on May 30, at 3 p. m.

VENTURA PARK

After attending the funeral of her mother at Silver Lake, Washington, Mrs. Sanford is visiting a few days in Seattle.

Mrs. Hilgerth, a sister of Mrs. Sanford, has returned to Ventura Park, where she will visit for a time before joining her husband in California.

Russell McCoy, who has spent the past year in Omaha, has returned to Portland. He spent Wednesday with his brother, Harry McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Kendall, of Rose City Park, and their friend Mr. Pray, of Omaha, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Noah Perry. The visitors were enthusiastic over the locality.

The women of the Improvement club are anticipating the next meeting on the last Wednesday of June. It is to be a picnic and they hope for a day of sunshine.

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VICTORY

Mrs. H. Payne has returned home after visiting a few weeks at Prineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Thompson spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilhelm and enjoyed a very delicious luncheon of strawberries and cream and cake.

Mrs. Marie Burns and little son spent Sunday with her parents.

C. G. Fancher has bought a fine new Ford machine and is now delivering the mail in it on Troutdale Route 1.

The Royal Embroidery club will meet with Mrs. H. W. Cooley on May 27th. Everyone cordially invited.

Robert Streblin called at G. W. Andrews Sunday afternoon. John Eberle was out motoring Sunday.

We are all longing to see the sun shine again.

Jas. Burns has rented 40 acres from Mr. Prettyman.

A few of the neighbors called on Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews Friday evening, May 17th, it being their birthdays. It happens that both birthdays come on the same date.

Quite a number from Victory attended the big cattle sale at Gresham last Thursday.

Some of the members of the Royal Embroidery club attended the meeting at A. B. Conrad's last Thursday. A delicious lunch was served.

House cleaning is the order of the day now.

The following is the list of names on the roll of honor for the month ending May 10th: Hazel Cooley, Walter Thompson, Miss Jean Lent, teacher.

ROCKWOOD

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Harvey of Bairdsdale, entertained the schoolmates of Lawrence and Kenneth Harvey at their home on Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent playing games, after which refreshments were served. Those present were Bonnie Horton, Grace Valle, Ida Richmond, Nettie Linklater, Florence Rosin, Oriole Grimshaw, Esther Rosin, Verne Harvey, David Wieland, Burleigh Quesinberry, Harold Lounsbury, Don Mackintosh, Albert Richmond, Albert Stockton, Kenneth Harvey, Laurence Harvey and Mrs. R. L. Walker from Portland.

A unique party was given at the Rockwood grange hall on the evening of May 11, in honor of Leonard Platt and Earl Richmond, it being their nineteenth and fifteenth birthdays respectively.

It was a surprise to the young men. They had been informed that a special meeting of the grange had been called to confer degrees. The meeting was called to order as usual, when Master Richmond announced that two young men would be initiated into the 19th and 15th degrees. The victims, or rather honored guests, did not at first understand the merriment of their friends, but it soon became clear to them that the meeting was called in their honor. They were the recipients of the hearty best wishes of all, and received many gifts to remind them of the occasion.

The evening was spent in games and music until near 11 o'clock, when a delicious luncheon was served by Mrs. Alice Platt and Mrs. Mary Richmond, the mothers of the honored guests. Young and old joined in the celebration, and 77 were present at one of the best social events of the season.

Mrs. J. S. Moore of Clackamas Heights, with her friend, is visiting her nieces Mrs. Platt and Mrs. Richmond.

The little daughter of E. Lansbury, who has been suffering for some time with infantile paralysis, is improving, and is able to leave the hospital.

Jonathan Richmond is on the sick list.

L. Lovelace, who has been sick, is improving.

Mrs. Linstead recently entertained at her Base Line home about 30 members of the Ladies' Aid society of a Methodist church of Portland, of which she is a member.

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CORBETT C. V. McMonagle, photographer for the Oregonian, was here Sunday and took several pictures of the high school building, and other beauty nooks in this vicinity, Ferndale place was among them. A. S. Kincaid had a surveyor from Portland locating a road across his place Saturday.

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