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**COTTRELL**

Mrs. Ida Hengstler and son Anthony, of Gresham, were visitors here Sunday and attended church.  
 Mr. Wood is reported to have lost 52 little chicks a few nights ago.  
 Since the harness robberies a few nights ago some folks have had the nightmare and have taken their harness into the house. One man is reported to keep his harness under his bed.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blackburn spent four days in Portland last week while Mr. Blackburn had some dental work done.  
 Mrs. Winans and two sons, of Hood River, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. A. Bram.  
 The second and third grades of the Lusted school surprised Lola Splawn Thursday evening after school, it being the occasion of her birthday. Mrs. Splawn served refreshments and all present enjoyed the evening playing games.  
 Mrs. A. R. Goger was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duncan Thursday. Mrs. Duncan entertained the Baptist Aid society in the afternoon.  
 Rev. and Mrs. S. F. Pitts were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Splawn, Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Ida Holmes, of Estacada, spent a couple of days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Blackburn.  
 A. R. Goger was a Portland visitor Monday.

**TROUTDALE**

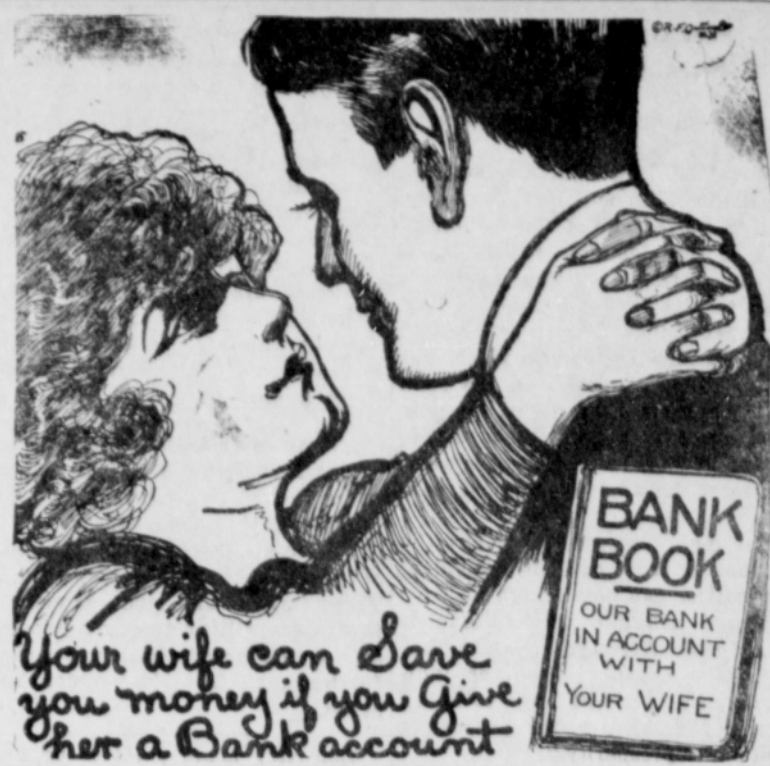
Miss Olive Wilson has gone to Boise, Idaho, to take care of her sister, Mrs. Anderson, who is quite ill.  
 Mr. Trulove is completing the work on his fine new greenhouse. It is one of the best in the country.  
 The Parent-Teachers association will hold its regular meeting Friday, April 8. A special program has been arranged. Mrs. George Roop, president of the Franklin High Parent-Teacher association, will be the speaker.  
 Russell Wilson is the owner of a fine new Hupmobile.  
 Mrs. L. A. Harlow attended the executive board meeting of the Oregon Parent-Teacher association which was held in Portland, Friday. Mrs. Harlow is secretary of the state association.

**SANDY BLUFF**

The Cottrell Parent-Teachers association met Friday, April 1, at the schoolhouse with a very large attendance. An excellent program was rendered. Rev. Earl B. Cotton from Pleasant Home was present and gave a very interesting talk on the organizing of a community council for the betterment of the farms, the homes, the schools and the churches. The districts mentioned were: Pleasant Home, Victory, Lusted and Cottrell, also the Multnomah grange. He also mentioned the fact that Cottrell has a very interesting and wide awake association. The next meeting is expected to be just as interesting, so wish all to come.  
 A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren McWillis of Estacada, March 25. Mrs. McWillis will be remembered as Miss Elsie Bates.  
 Mrs. Carrie Chandler and infant daughter visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brook, over Sunday. She took her son Jerome with her, who has been staying for awhile with his grandparents.  
 Harold Franks, of Portland, visited several days with Albert Ault.  
 Frank Morrow and Harvey Morse, both of Portland, spent Sunday a week ago, with Albert Ault.

**GILLIS**

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rankin, of Portland, were guests at the J. M. Hillyard home Sunday.  
 Mrs. Sadie Chase has just had a fine new chicken house built on her place. The lower part of the building is constructed of tile bricks.  
 J. H. Lake is confined to his home with an attack of mumps. Mr. Lake is the second member of the family to come down with the disease, his son Elyrett having recovered from an attack of the same disease several weeks ago.  
 "Biddy" Hillyard, the famous hen, who is at least 10 years old, is still alive and laying enough eggs for John. She still shows her youthful propensity for laying in the house and her latest nest was in a rocking chair upstairs. Mrs. Hillyard objected and "Biddy" was forced to locate her nest outside. Originally black, "Biddy's" feathers are losing their color and she is actually turning gray.  
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**PLEASANT HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wickes and son of St. Helens and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Morrison were the dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Markell, Sunday.  
 Mrs. John Ickler is ill at her home. She is suffering from an attack of neuritis.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKinney were Portland visitors Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Collins were in Portland Monday attending the funeral of Mrs. Collins' aunt.  
 Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Watkins called at the Martin Lennartz home Monday evening.  
 Mr. and Mrs. David Lauderback have gone to Newberg to visit their daughter, Mrs. Hite.  
 Frank Weder of Linnton, an old school friend of Martin Lennartz, spent Sunday at the Lennartz home.  
 Olive Rich, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rich, is quite ill.  
 The Methodist Ladies' Aid society is planning a program and apron sale at the church on April 29.  
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**PLEASANT VALLEY**

Miss Florence Richey, who is attending normal at Monmouth, came down on Thursday and remained over Easter with home folks.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robinson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Richey Easter Sunday.  
 Chas. Leiner, of Portland, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. U. Moore, Wednesday.  
 Earl Wing of Hutton, Alberta, was calling on relatives in this vicinity last week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Campbell attended church services in the city Easter Sunday.  
 Frank Everhart was looking after business matters in Portland on Tuesday of last week.  
 A splendid Easter program was rendered Easter Sunday evening at the grange hall by the Sunday school children. Songs, recitations and drills, appropriate for the occasion were put on in a manner that reflected great credit on the part of Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Poppleton who had charge of the exercises. Standing room for the large crowd in attendance was at a premium.  
 Erma Sager, who is attending high school in Portland, came out on Saturday and spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sager, she was accompanied by her cousin, Vivian Sager of Lents.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Evens entertained friends from the city Easter Sunday.  
 Mrs. M. J. Jewell had the misfortune to fall and fracture the bone in her hip. The accident occurred Easter Sunday. Mrs. Jewell was removed to Good Samaritan hospital. Mrs. Jewell is now improving slowly.  
 F. A. Richey, who was reported on the sick list last week is able to be up again.  
 There was a large attendance at the church services on Easter Sunday afternoon.

**CEDAR AND VICTORY**

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Rauw have moved into the Morgan house which has been vacated by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews, who have moved onto their own place near Orient.  
 Mrs. James Shepherd of Brower, near Bridal Veil, was the week-end guest at the home of Miss Fay Lord.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Larsen were guests at the J. H. Wood home Sunday.  
 Alton Splawn, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is reported much improved. He is able to be up around the house and friends hope for his complete recovery.  
 The Victory Parents-Teacher association is planning a program and social for April 16.  
 Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McMillan entertained a number of neighbors and friends at their home Friday evening.  
 A number of Victory and Pleasant Home young people enjoyed a picnic Sunday. The dinner hour was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. E. H. Lord and after the "eats" were disposed of the party went for a hike along the Sandy river. They had a very jolly time and enjoyed the day immensely.  
 Mrs. Joseph Guthrie and Mrs. J. Shirk, of Portland, were guests of Mrs. J. H. Wood Monday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hayden and children and Mrs. J. T. Wood spent Sunday visiting relatives in Portland.  
 Mrs. Ethel Ellenburg and daughter, Virginia, have been ill with colds this past week.

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