

Class Excused.
At a recent school examination the following were some answers made to questions:
1. The way that germs enter our bodies is by traveling on street cars.
2. To avoid germs stand alone in a crowd.
3. To prevent teeth decaying wrench them out every morning.
4. To disinfect the throat gargle with a weak delusion of carbolic acid and water.—Austin Masonic News.

Multnomah Grange Date Changed.
The Multnomah grange will meet in its hall at Orient May 16, a week earlier than the usual date, on account of clean-up day at the hall. A Mothers' Day program will be held in the forenoon and the afternoon will be spent in cleaning up the grounds. It is desired that all members of the grange be present.

POWELL VALLEY

The Misses Florence and Hulda Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Salquist, the latter couple former residents of Powell Valley, left last Saturday for an eastern trip, going in machines by way of the Oregon Trail. The Misses Johnson will make the trip in their coupe and will visit a brother in Iowa and friends in Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Salquist will spend most of the time with her parents in Indiana, making the journey in a Ford sedan. The party is carrying camping equipment and is anticipating a delightful vacation.

Clarence Alm is still at St. Vincents hospital suffering from an attack of pleuro-pneumonia in both lungs and his condition is regarded as grave. A number of friends and members of his family called on him at the hospital Sunday.

Henry Bottleson has returned from San Diego, California, where he went about three months ago and after he makes disposition of his Powell Valley property, will probably return south.

The Parent-Teacher association will meet Friday night at the schoolhouse and as the annual election of officers will take place at this meeting, a full attendance is desired. The receipts from the sale of refreshments are to be donated to the boys who will be elected to go to Oregon Agricultural College summer school this year.

The same teachers have been re-elected for the Powell Valley school for the coming year, Miss Marian Robertson to retain the principalship and Mrs. Helen Camp to have charge of the primary grades. The patrons of the district are well pleased with the progress of the school for the past year.

Louis Christensen and his sister, Mrs. Mary Gander and baby left Friday for San Diego, California, after a stay with relatives and friends. Louis has purchased an interest in a garage business in the southern California city and as soon as he is favorably located, his wife and children will join him.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Staffenson.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Mrs. A. M. Springer is entertaining her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hall, from Minnesota.

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ROCKWOOD

The Parent-Teacher association held a very interesting meeting last Friday at the schoolhouse. The cooking club and the home-making club, under the leadership of Mrs. Marian Hamlin and Mrs. Marian Daggett, respectively, gave demonstrations. A song entitled "Mother's Day" given by the club girls was very much appreciated. The new officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: president, Mrs. Wm. Tyson; vice president, Mrs. K. W. Harvey; 2d vice president, Anna Studley; secretary, Mrs. Albert Eckert; treasurer, Mrs. Marian Daggett.

Eva Cook celebrated her eighth birthday with a dinner party last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cook and daughter Eva motored to Silverton on Sunday to visit the former's uncle, Jack Robbins, who is quite ill.

The ladies of the Rockwood community church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Axel Wallis on the Base Line road, on Wednesday evening, May 13. The gentlemen also are expected to be present. It is understood that a number of poems by local writers will be released at this time.

FAIRVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Downing of An-boy, Washington, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Hattie Moore Sunday. Other guests at the Moore home were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thorpe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jenkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Harvey and Miss Edith Jenkins, all of Portland.

Guests at the J. H. Peterson home on Sunday were Mrs. Peterson's brother, R. L. Robertson and family from Portland and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Moller and family.

Miss Ellis of Portland has been secured as teacher of the fifth and sixth grades of the Fairview school to fill the vacancy in the room formerly taught by Mrs. L. Stone.

Melvin Moller is driving a new Ford coupe which he purchased from the C. C. Bush agency at Troutdale.

Pleasant Home Baptist Church.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. M. Miller.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 followed by choir practice.

The services at Pleasant Home Baptist church next Sunday will be Sunday school at 10 o'clock, under the efficient management of Miss Ida Miller, superintendent. Preaching at 11 and 8 o'clock by the pastor, the Rev. Wm. Fairweather. The B. Y. P. U. meets for a study period at 7 p. m. with the regular lesson at 7:30. Next Sunday the Sunday school begins an eight weeks' contest, with Arthur Nasshahn and Alma Yocom as captains. Those who do not attend Sunday school elsewhere, will find this an opportunity to enroll.

Mrs. B. C. Altman and Mrs. Amanda Johansen were among the mothers who enjoyed the Mothers' Day services at Oregon Agricultural College.

The Rev. Wm. Fairweather, Mrs. Lizzie McKinney, Mrs. G. Nasshahn, and Mrs. Sadie Chase were elected delegates to the Willamette Baptist association which meets at Aloha Baptist church May 11, 12 and 13.

May 7 was the wedding anniversary of the pastor and his wife, also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Louise Nelson. The occasion was celebrated by the ladies of the church who had prepared a dainty luncheon and after the usual prayermeeting service all adjourned to the parsonage where a very pleasant social evening was enjoyed.

The birthday of J. R. Duncan occurred the same day and about 20 c. his intimate friends gathered at his home to remind him he had passed another milestone in life's journey.

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DAVIS-BARR NUPTIALS CELEBRATED THURSDAY

Delbert Fay Davis of Hurburt and Miss Bertha Barr of Corbett were quietly married in Portland on last Thursday, May 7. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Davis and the bride the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Barr. The groom, who is employed by the Ridge Lumber company, has fitted up the house recently vacated by his parents, where the young people have gone to house keeping.

Women's Meetings Scheduled in County.

Millinery classes will be held at Springdale on Friday, May 15, Wednesday, May 20, and Friday, May 22, at the home of Mrs. Tom Northway.

The classes at Corbett will meet on Wednesday, May 13, Tuesday, May 19 and Thursday, May 21 at the home of Mrs. C. P. Woodie, near the Corbett high school. The sessions will begin at 10 o'clock, lasting until 4. The classes will be in charge of Miss Esther B. Cooley, clothing specialist of the extension course.

Miss Lucy A. Case, nutrition specialist, will hold the nutrition classes arranged for the Pleasant Home community on Friday, May 15, in the Sunday school room of the Pleasant Home church.

The nutrition classes as arranged for the Fairview community will meet Wednesday, May 13, at 10:30 sharp, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Bunn.

DANCING

Every Wednesday and Saturday Evenings

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BARTON

Mothers' Day sermons were preached in the Baptist church last Sunday both morning and evening. The morning service was conducted by the Rev. D. Q. Barry and that of the evening by the Rev. R. C. Jones, field representative of the Pacific Coast Rescue and Protective society. The young people took an active part at the morning service. Testimonies by old and young with reference to the Christian devotion of their parents were given by many. Appropriate flowers for the day were worn, and the church was adorned with flowers. The singing of the hymns was accompanied by violin and piano.

Cream Prices.

The Sandy creamery is paying 42 cents at the creamery and 40 cents on the route for butterfat.—Adv.

WARNING!

The public is warned against purchasing any farm implements, tools or household goods from A. Heiney on the Phenix Farm.

The personal property of the late Rachel A. Heiney is as yet on the Phenix Farm, never having been divided among the Heiney heirs as required by law.

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Some very ancient, antique furniture, bed springs, tables, chairs, library table of Oregon wood, dishes, pots and pans, hundreds of fruit jars, crocks from 1 gallon to 15 gallons, barrels, buckets, wash tubs, boards and wringer, sausage grinder, stuffer and fat press, 2 churns, 1-gallon and 5-gallon; heating stove, range.

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Rubber Crisis Threatens America; Firestone Seeking New Sources of Supply



Left, Thomas A. Edison and Harvey S. Firestone watching a plantation expert tap a rubber tree on the Edison estate in Fort Myers, Fla. Right, Mr. Edison and Mr. Firestone, with a rubber plantation expert, examining a young rubber tree on the Henry Ford Farm near Labelle, Fla.

HARVEY S. FIRESTONE more than two years ago predicted a rubber shortage, and said the British crude rubber restriction act would cost the American people millions of dollars. The British colonial possessions in the Far East produce about 80 per cent of the world's supply of rubber, while American manufacturers consume about 75 per cent of the world's supply.

Mr. Firestone has just returned to Akron, Ohio, after making a survey of possibilities of growing rubber in Florida, where he was accompanied by rubber plantation experts. On one of the tours of Florida he was accompanied by Thomas A. Edison, who made some important suggestions relative to new methods of extracting the latex or sap from rubber trees, plants and shrubs.

Rubber trees growing on the Edison estate in Fort Myers were examined, as well as those on the Ford estate in Fort Myers and the Ford farm near Labelle, Fla. A great deal of time was spent on the Government's Experimental Farm near Coconut Grove, Fla., where many varieties of rubber

trees are being grown. Some of these appear to be very promising.

"Rubber is of vital importance to highway transportation," said Mr. Firestone, "and is largely responsible for our business prosperity. The British restriction act now limits production and exportation to one-half of normal production. Rubber today is about 200 per cent higher than it was when the restriction act went into effect. Rubber restriction this year will cost American car owners at least \$100,000,000, and very likely \$300,000,000. Every ten-cent advance in the price of crude rubber means an additional burden of about \$75,000,000 to the car owners of the United States."

Mr. Firestone was instrumental in having Congress appropriate a half million dollars for the investigation of new sources of rubber supply, and he sent out several expeditions at his own expense to visit rubber producing countries, including the Philippines, Central America, Mexico and Africa, and he has today in Liberia, on the west coast of Africa, a complete organization operating a plantation and making plans to produce rubber on an extensive scale.

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