

FARM WORK IS DELAYED BY RAIN IN REESE CREEK

RESE CREEK, April 24.—The rain and cold weather the past week has retarded the growth of vegetation, and kept the farmers back with their work, some not having their plowing done, and of course would like to see nice weather, but of one thing we may be thankful that southern Oregon has not the tornadoes and cyclones like they have in the middle states.

Miss Crandall visited at Bert Charno's a few days last week; also with friends near Trall.

Eli Stille left last week for Dunsdir, Calif., where he expects to visit his brothers, Will and Mark Stille and their families.

Quite a number of friends of Carl Bergman surprised him Saturday night at his home, it being his birthday. The evening was spent in playing games and music. Refreshments were served. The young people reported having a good time and wishing Carl many returns of the day.

The Parent-Teachers circle held their regular meeting at the school house last Friday evening. Several were present. There was a short program, a recitation or two. Miss Gish and Mrs. Stanley sang a duet which was well received. The play and box supper will probably be May 14.

Mrs. Engberg's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Ashland are visiting the Engbergs for a few days. Mrs. Roy Bilderback with her two children went to Butte Falls Tuesday where her husband is working. Mr. Bilderback's parents from California came up and they will all visit together.

There was quite an accident on the railroad track Friday evening, as the speeder that carries the men to and from work was coming down with a push car behind. The rails were wet and they were going pretty fast when the speeder left the track. The men were scattered in all directions. Mr. King's leg was broken, he was taken to the hospital in Medford. The rest were not hurt badly except a severe shaking up.

There was also an oil tank got off or across the track in some way. They had quite a time getting it back on.

Rev. A. T. Byers preached at H. Watkins' Sunday afternoon, topic, "God is Able." Rev. Byers is a pleasant speaker and comes with the power of God. He will preach at Reese Creek school house on Sunday afternoon, May 3rd. Sunday school next Sunday as usual. Subject, "Stephen the first Martyr." Memory verse, "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life." Rev. 2:10.

PROSPECT TO GIVE A DANCE BENEFIT FOR H. S. BASEBALL

PROSPECT, April 24.—The weather has been very disagreeable the past few days. During the day it has been windy and cold, with now and then a little rain. The sun came out from behind the clouds several times but it gave us no more than a hope that it would clear up. At night it either rained continuously or it rained until morning and then got cold and snowed. One morning we awoke to find quite a layer of ice on the vessels of water standing outside. We are sure having our April showers.

The school has been closed two weeks on account of the influenza epidemic. This has broken into the school work and also the practicing for the field meet, but the children are working at home to make up the time. Practicing for the meet has been carried on at home also.

The past three weeks have been rainy, except last Sunday when it snowed about two inches. The sun has been shining for a whole day.

There will be a dance at the Prospect hall May 2, to benefit the baseball team. They have just bought a lot of new baseball suits, and they hope to raise enough money to pay for them. Everyone is invited and a big crowd is expected. There will be a basket supper with lots to eat.

The first baseball game of the Prospect season will be played at Eagle Point on Sunday, April 26. The local team will meet the Eagle Point nine at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. As this is the first game of the season for the Prospect boys we can't be disappointed at the outcome. Captain Wiot Clarke has some wonderful material to pick from and is getting exceptionally good results for his work. Eagle Point has played several games this year along with games of other years. So let's turn out and support our home team. The support they get at this game will greatly stimulate the boys in other games. Let's do our part.

The Prospect students are looking forward to the county field and track meet. Prospect has been rather unlucky this year as the flu epidemic broke into the training. Most of the boys and girls which expected to take part will be on hand. One of the main events which we are looking forward to is the volley ball game between Prospect and Jacksonville. The Prospect school took fifth place at the meet last year, which we thought pretty good, as it is the smallest town school in the county.

The Prospect community was greatly shocked by the untimely death of Chauncey D. Nye, April 14, 1925. He was a promising young man aged 22 years. His death was caused from pneumonia resulting from an attack of flu. His remains were laid to rest in the family burial plot attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends. He leaves to mourn his loss, his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Nye, three brothers, Waldo, Emery and Ivan Nye and three sisters Mrs. Clem Clarke, Marian and Irene Nye, beside many other relatives and friends.

Charming New Springtime Merchandise

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Some of the new printed voiles for spring out Saturday for.....**69c** You will like them. Summer is just ahead, so do your shopping early. Let McCall printed patterns help you.

\$3.50 Fancy Spring Woolens \$2.98

We are reducing the price on these spring woolens for Saturday. They come in stripes of color on a tan and brown ground; wonderful for spring dresses and skirts; only.....**\$2.98**

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Printed Rayon Silk Dresses \$6.50

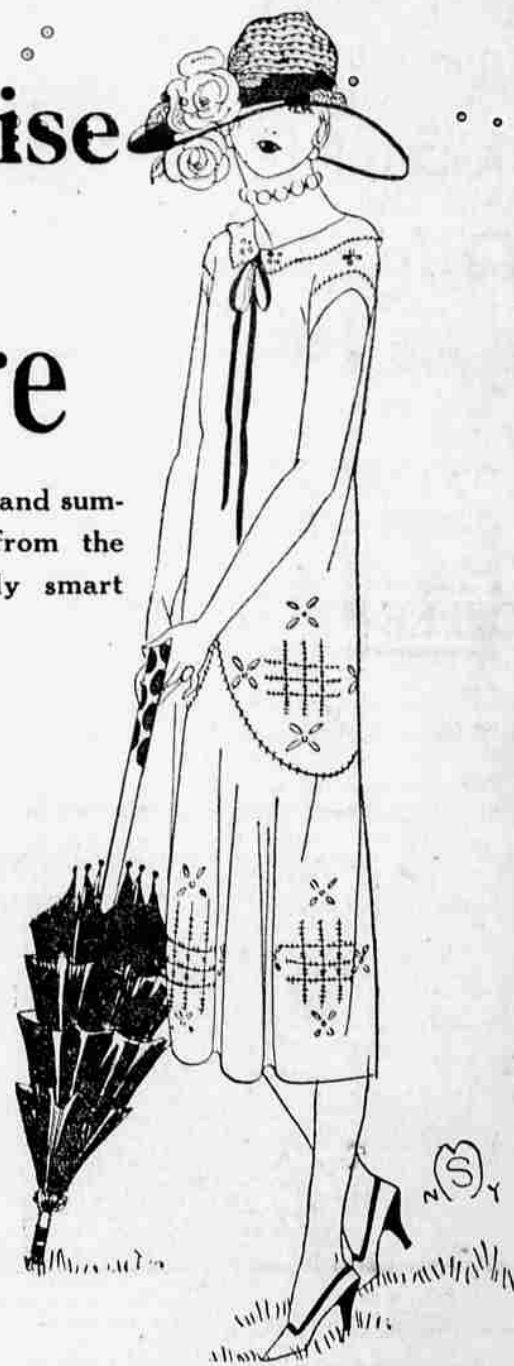
25 silk dresses in prints with dark grounds of green, tan, brown; also striped Rayons in plain white grounds; sizes 16 to 44. Saturday sale.....**\$6.50**

\$35.00 Women's Dresses \$19.75

Final close out of early spring model dresses in plain crepes and satins. No two dresses alike in this marvelous collection. All sizes, many for mature models; only.....**\$19.75**

Women's Sweaters—Less 20%

All spring sweaters going less 20% Saturday. These unusual values should appeal to every woman in southern Oregon. Such prices should sell the entire stock out early in the day, so come early.



PHOENIX SCHOOLS TO GIVE PICNIC FOR COMMUNITY

PHOENIX, April 24.—The Phoenix schools will hold a school picnic and community meet on Friday, May 1, beginning at 1:30.

There will be all the attractions and amusements of an up-to-the-minute street carnival. Talent will display her school for the afternoon of that day and join in the sport and festivities of the hour. Ashland likewise will join with us in a tennis tournament. Among the sports there will be foot races, high and broad jump, pole vaulting and hurdling. The talent high school baseball boys play our boys on that day.

Come with well filled baskets and join in a feast at seven o'clock by the light of a big bonfire.

At eight, in the gym, will be given the reception to our basketball champs and also to our worthy girl basketball team.

Come and help to make this a real red letter day in Phoenix.

The School of the Prophets which meets at Clyde hall every Wednesday evening has changed its hour of meeting to eight o'clock.

The themes of the sermons by Rev. R. W. Nelson at the Presbyterian church next Sunday will be "The Branding Iron," and "The Handiwork of God."

Mr. and Mrs. Day and Mrs. Robinson of Ashland, attended church at Phoenix last Sunday.

The Who Do club will have pies, cakes in a delectable on sale at the town hall next Saturday morning, April 25, at ten o'clock. This will give those who are going to the track meet a chance to buy good things for their lunch baskets.

G. R. Schlauch, professor of history at Linfield college, McMinnville, visited the high school Monday. By special request he gave a talk on the Hohenzollerns which was of special interest to the class in medieval and modern history.

The branch library at the town hall, in charge of the Who Do club, is greatly appreciated by the community. The library is open to the public Monday and Friday afternoons and Wednesday evening.

Miss Hazel Stephenson, teacher of the third and fourth grades at Central Point, visited Mrs. Ferr's room in the Phoenix schools Thursday afternoon.

Several Phoenix citizens are adding to the value of their property and are helping to improve the appearance of the town by making lawns and tearing down old fences and shacks.

The Christian Endeavor society will give a big program in the school auditorium Tuesday, the 28th, at 8 o'clock. There will be two short plays, one by the young people and one by the small children. There will also be special music and recitations. There will also be candy booths. The proceeds to go to send a delegate to the C. E. international convention. Everybody come and help.



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Sheer silk hose in pure silk, lisle heels and toes; all the new shades to match spring fabrics. Seamless. On sale.....**\$1.00**

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Child's socks in pink, blue, brown, white; in fine mercerized lises; sizes 4 to 6 only; special.....**25c**

Half Socks 65c

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PAY LESS—DRESS BETTER

Medford Bldg., Central and Sixth

Children's Shoe Sale

Spring sandals in all leathers; priced from \$1.25 to.....**\$2.00**

Patent, smoked elk and brown calf.

Strap Slippers

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Patent, low heel, strap shoes.....**\$4.00**

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Light brown, straps and ties, now selling at \$4.50 to.....**\$6.50**

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Boys' Stockings 39c

Heavy "Allen A" hose for boys mean less darning and better wear than others; try a pair. All sizes; brown or black.....**39c**

Men's Working Gloves

Our good value horsehide palm and canvas back work gloves are wonders for wear. We are selling dozens of them; no better glove for service.....**75c**

Muleskin palm and canvas back gloves **50c**

Men's Spring Caps

New assortment of caps received this week, on sale at \$1.75, \$2.50 and.....**\$3.00**

Also boys' caps.