

RAIN NEED FELT IN SAMS VALLEY FOR GRAIN CROP

SAMS VALLEY, Ore., April 5.—(Special)—Farmers and stockmen are growing more anxious for rain as the dry weather continues. The condition is not only detrimental to growing grain crops, but also to the pasture lands which are sadly in need of more moisture. The writer took a little pleasure trip through the surrounding valleys Sunday afternoon and noted the condition of grain crops. There were a few very promising looking grain fields on the creek bottom lands, but the majority of fields showed the bad effects of the dry freezing weather which lasted so long through several successive intervals the past two months. The dormant spray has been completed in most of the orchards and a few more days of pruning in the Van Hoveburg orchard will finish that work for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hall spent a pleasant day Sunday visiting with Mrs. Hall's brother, Ed Cushman, and family at North Trail. Miss Rose Schulz in the latest victim of measles and cannot account for the time or place that she contracted the disease. Out of the several members of the Wilson family who were directly exposed to measles, but two members have contracted the disease during the five weeks since exposure.

Several Sams Valley Grangers attended the special meeting of the Pomona Grange at Central Point Wednesday evening and assisted in the drill work of the frequent Grange members who are perfecting a team for putting on the fifth degree work.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nealon of Table Rock were callers in our district Wednesday evening. John Holst, government cruiser in the Klamath county timber section, arrived at his post of duty Sunday and sent word to members who are to work in that section that everything was in readiness to begin work Monday.

Mrs. P. A. Morrow and children of Klamath Falls are visiting this week with Mrs. Morrow's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Claud Lamb.

Miss Doris Richardson of Beale Lane was an afternoon visitor Sunday at the O. T. Wilson home. Rexford Abbott spent Saturday with acquaintances in Klamath Falls.

Miss Eva Frink, one of our high school girls, has suffered considerably the past week from quinsy, necessitating lancing of the throat to gain relief.

R. E. Nealon of Table Rock was a caller in our vicinity Sunday afternoon. Easter services were conducted at the school house Sunday by the young men's gospel team of Medford after the members of the Sunday school had enjoyed a wonderful basket dinner. The room was beautifully decorated in white lamb tongues, narcissus and evergreens, and the sermons were greatly enjoyed.

Our Sunday school enrollment in all rooms is gradually increasing as the sick are rapidly convalescing.

Young people's meeting was well attended Sunday evening. Herbert Fitzgerald was leader and proved very capable.

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DEATH OF DOCTOR PLUNGES PRECINCT IN DEEP MOURNING

(By Mary O. Carey)
EDEN PRECINCT, Ore., April 5.—(Special)—The entire community was plunged into deep gloom when the sudden announcement was made Wednesday that Dr. Malmgren, well known Phoenix physician, had passed away in the early morning hours. Dr. and Mrs. Malmgren were at the church supper early in the evening and later in the night the doctor was called out and he returned near midnight and took very ill, passing away about 6 in the morning. Heart trouble was assumed as the cause. He was aged 57 years and was born in Union county, South Dakota. Dr. Malmgren had endeared himself to the entire valley by his kindly and whole-hearted manner. His profession was his life, his honor and he gave his entire care and love to his patients. He gave too much of himself to his sick patients. Dr. Malmgren was a true Christian, a good and loving husband.

The card party given on Thursday last by Neighbors of Woodcraft at Woodmen hall was a complete success from both a social and a financial standpoint.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Furry and Misses Leta and Eugene Reams and Mrs. Fred Furry went over to Yreka to visit with Miss Sybil Furry. Mrs. Fred Furry remained for a few days' visit and the rest of the party came back the same evening.

The Thursday club of Phoenix will give the dance which was postponed three weeks ago, next Friday night, April 5, at Woodman hall, in Phoenix. Those who have received invitations are urged to come. The club has made a beautiful quilt which will be given away at the dance.

Last Wednesday the Neighbors of Woodcraft were given a happy surprise from the following members of Chrysanthemum circle of Medford: Mrs. Hiden, Mrs. C. A. Pickett, Mrs. Paul Anderson, Mrs. Devos, Mrs. Caroline Teeters.

The Easter drama given at the church in Phoenix last Sunday evening was most beautifully and effectively carried out. The stage was typical of the Garden of Gethsemane. The characters were well portrayed and each took the part well. The lighting for the different scenes was impressive and beautiful. Much credit is due to each one in the drama.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Barneburg and Kenneth Barneburg were guests at a delicious chicken dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pruet last Tuesday.

Mr. Easter, who has spent the winter in California, returned to his home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denzer have moved into the Carpenter home west of Phoenix and Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter have gone to California for the summer.

W. E. Poling and family arrived at the home of Mr. Poling's sister, Mrs. J. H. Young, who lives near Phoenix, the first of this week and will visit with relatives in this locality for some time.

Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Denzer's mother, who has been spending the winter with her daughter in Phoenix, left last Thursday on her return trip east.

Little Barbara Franklin went home with her grandmother, Mrs. Leta Furry, and spent the afternoon of Easter Sunday.

Mrs. S. P. Hunter and her son, William, were Ashland business visitors last Friday. Mr. Hunter came as far as Carey's and visited with Mr. Carey for a couple of hours.

Miss Arleta Messenger and Miss Mildred Ward left last Saturday evening for Riverside, Calif., where they will spend a vacation. Miss Messenger will visit her aunt, Mrs. Laura Dunlap.

The big chicken supper served at the new church in Phoenix on April 3 was a big success in a financial way, and will help the Ladies' Aid to bear the amount they have pledged to church work in Phoenix.

Mrs. A. N. Wright, who has been quite ill, is improving at her home west of Phoenix.

Mrs. Noah Chandler and daughter, Dene, were dinner guests at the pleasant home of Mrs. J. E. Roberts last Thursday.

Marchal Denzel has purchased a new Ford truck and he and his brother, Frank, are hauling fruit out to Klamath county from Tallent.

Mrs. Darna of Phoenix was attending Missionary society in Medford last Tuesday.

THATCHED ROOFS ON MODERN HOMES

An interesting phase of present day home building is the practical manner in which the best features of old world architecture have been adapted to modern American homes. One of the charms of English countryside lies in the quaint roof lines of old thatched cottages and the play of light and shade over the irregular texture of the thatching. While thatched roofs have been reproduced in modern homes to quite an extent, the expense involved has prevented their wide use. Now, however, it is possible to install a thatched roof which is decidedly reasonable in cost by using a new shingle called Palace thatch shingle. The shingles can be nailed top, bottom, and center, in addition to being "locked" or woven together at bottom and sides.

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