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Our poet, most of you did not know that we had a poet hired by the year, broke out in a spiel about Old Doc Yak and the Hobbie Skirt this week.

If that last verse don't tickle you into a laugh, you sure are some grouch.

Next week is election week and it is quite probable that a full vote will be polled in Stayton, not that so many care a whoop whether the Workman's Compensation Act carries or not, but Stayton is to vote, sure enough on the "wet and dry" question, hence the interest. We have kept out of this controversy purposely, and have but one bit of advice to give. Go to the polls and vote your sentiments and go Early, for it will keep those judges and clerks humping to vote over 400 in the time allowed, so don't wait until 15 minutes before closing time and find that you can't vote, go early.

Kingston Kinks

(Too late for last week.)

Mrs. V. J. Phillippi and sister-in-law Mrs. Clyde Phillippi were callers at the Crabtree home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett of Eastern Oregon visited Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Baker Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Della Harold came up from Salem Friday returning Monday.

Mrs. Murphy of Stayton visited her daughter Mrs. Carl Titus a few days this week.

John Robertson and son Byron were transacting business in Stayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schafer and Miss Bertha visited at the Henkel home Sunday.

Mrs. Crabtree called to see Mrs. Kelly Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Kelly is quite poorly at this writing.

Miss Ina Harold left Monday morning on the Motor for Albany.

Mr. Fisher and son of Stayton and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Crabtree and little girl, took dinner at the Sandner home Sunday. Mr. Sandner had just returned from the mountains with three large deer, so they had plenty of nice venison for dinner.

Lyons and Fox Valley

Mr. Allen the new minister came last Friday. He preached at Lyons in the forenoon and in Mehama in the afternoon and conducted Epworth League at Lyons in the evening.

From this time on there will be preaching every second and fourth Sundays of each month.

Christian Science Sunday School at Mr. Donisons every Sunday.

The Stayton Mail made a mistake about Mr. and Mrs. Finley's baby, it is a girl.

Mrs. Maude Trask's many friends gave her a surprise last Saturday evening, everybody reported an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Bernice Tellowfellow is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Able.

The Misses Zoe and Mabel Trask are home for the weekend. They are attending school in Albany.

The Grange discussed the issues for the coming election at their last meeting. Both men and women are interested now you know the ladies have the right to vote.

Dell Waterman and family returned from an all summer visit to the east and report that Oregon is good enough for them. Mrs. Waterman's sister Miss Reading came with them.

Mill City Locals

Elsie the ten year old daughter of C. D. Johnson died Sunday.

Charlie and Scott Lynch went to the valley for a Pheasant hunt Sunday.

Sheriff Bodine was in town looking for a man named Smith who broke jail. Word was just received that Smith was caught in Frisco.

Word reached here this morning that Mrs. Nelson, whose husband works here, died in Corvallis Tuesday morning.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Erick Lofgren a girl October 24.

Miss Elizabeth Luce who has been employed in the Co's. office expects to return to college this week. Miss Luce during her short stay here has made many friends.

Mrs. C. T. Haseman who has been on the sick list is able to be out again.

A. Elkstrom's are entertaining visitors from the East.

B. E. Lee is the new office man in place of Mr. Siegmund.

Thursday evening about a dozen O. A. C. boys arrived on the motor bound for the hills. First remark was "where is the town" now that was a queer remark to make, was it not? At Albany November 8 they will remark "where is the foot-ball?" U. of O. 12 O. A. C. 000.

O. L. Holt motored down in the valley Sunday.

The Hammon store is receiving a coat of white paint.

Miss Edith Smith spent Sunday in Portland.

J. L. Weaver was a valley visitor over Sunday. Lyle makes regular trips below lately.

Mrs. O. K. Atwood returned from a couple months visit at valley points last week.

F. N. Siegmund one of the popular office force is now manager of Camp 14. Mr. Siegmund has made a host of friends in town during the past year who regret his leaving, but wish him the best of success in his new position.

Frank Potter, President of Potter Lumber Co. left Sunday for an extended business trip to Salt Lake City.

Among those in Portland from here buring the past week were, J. R. Shaw, Dr. C. L. Ranson, C. C. Porter, J. Lettenmaier, J. B. Chitwood, H. Baltimore, Harry Wood, Calvin Ager, Ed Duffy and Orton Ager.

Mrs. W. H. Holt and Mrs. C. E. Porter motored to Stayton last week.

Chester Lyon occupied the pulpit here Sunday morning during Rev. MacLeod absence.

Plans are under way for a motor excursion to Stayton October 31 for the dance. Motor leaves at 8 P. M.

Dr. C. L. Ranson is in the southern part of the state enjoying a hunt. During his absence the Hospital is in charge of Dr. Durham.

The party next Saturday evening, November 1 in the Opera House is to be one of the leading social events of the season.

The Pool Room of Potter & Hill is to be enlarged to take care of the winter trade.

The home talent play "Won by Wireless" was staged Saturday evening October 25 for the benefit of the Mill City Basketball League.

The play was put on by the best local talent. Roy Cole as Ainsworth was very strong and played the part of the Wall Street broker very realistically. Delbert Clow as Jack Simms the wireless operator was a popular hero and played the part exceptionally well. Gordon Dunn as Captain Faulkner of the "Mis-

stress Mary" was very good while Leo Edwards as Count Di Lucca a n Italian nobleman brought forth gales of laughter especially as a sea-sick traveler. Elizabeth Luce as Geraldine Ainsworth showed an ability to cope with every different situation and to keep things well in hand. Catherine Mortz as Lady Caroline Rathbone was strong while Gladys Hill as Kitty Lee, Geraldine's maid, was exceptionally strong and second to none. The Mill City Basketball League was organized October 1st.

Rocky Point

M. W. Hunt of Berkeley California spent a few days visiting his brother J. T. Hunt, this week.

W. H. Downing spent a few days in Salem this week.

E. E. McKinney has moved near Turner and is going to raise chickens and milk cows.

L. J. Doerfler is moving on the W. H. Downing farm.

Alvin Burns and wife spent Sunday at the G. W. Caspell home.

B. L. Steeves and family and Miss Helen Hunt of Salem spent Sunday at the J. T. Hunt home.

J. T. Hunt and brother were Stayton callers Saturday.

E. C. Downing and family motored to Salem Saturday.

Norris Frank and sister Emma spent Sunday at the L. O. Reynolds home.

C. P. Darst was transacting business in Stayton Monday.

Mabel Frank is improved after being confined to her bed with pneumonia.

F. M. Fresh and family were Stayton callers Saturday.

Turner Tidings

Frank Porter of Portland was visiting his mother over Sunday.

James Parker was a guest of Mrs. G. B. Cornelius and family the last of the week.

"Aunt" Sarah Condit and daughter Miss Mary have returned home from West Stayton.

Mrs. T. M. Miller and son Glen drove to Stayton Sunday morning.

John Watson spent Monday in Salem.

Dick Waggoner came up from Aurora Monday evening.

Mr. Baker of Hotel Baker came from Portland Sunday evening.

Dell Robertson left Sunday evening for a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall have returned from an extended visit in the Middle West. Frank says Oregon looks better than ever to him.

Mrs. Neal is home from Eastern Oregon.

Miss Flo Besse is very ill at her home. Dr. Massey reports her passed the danger point.

Herman Robertson and Mr. Housley are each the proud papa of a baby girl.

Clarence Simeral of Salem spent the week-end at Turner.

Mrs. Massey entertained the Turner ladies with a shower for the little Witzel twins last Friday.

Miss Cornhus has returned from Hall's camp, five miles from Detroit where she has been assisting the school board to locate a temporary school site.

County Institute this week so no school at Turner after Tuesday October 28.

Mt. Pleasant

Mrs. Henry Senz spent Friday with Mrs. Pat Lambert.

Melvin Shank was the guest of his uncle Geo. Ray Saturday night.

Mrs. Ethel Smith is working at the John Huber home.

W. R. Ray and wife were Stayton visitors Monday.

John Flick made a business trip to Stayton Tuesday.

Mrs. John Huber has been quite ill with appendicitis but is slowly improving.

Mrs. Leslie Townes visited at the H. Shank home Wednesday.

Henry Shank made a business trip to Shelburn Monday returning with a New Idea spreader.

Miss Effie Ray called at the D. Townes home Sunday.

Lewis and Elmer Ray were the guests of Frank Mosier Sunday night.

Bessie and Roxana Shank spent Sunday at the M. F. Ryan home.

Lee Downing and Leslie Townes are hauling ties for Pietrok's sawmill.

Frank Lambert has been working for V. Phillippi the past week.

Fax Thayer and bride returned home Wednesday. They were remembered with a serenade by their many friends.

W. R. Brenner and wife and Miss Grace Shank were guests at the P. H. Lambert home Sunday.

Mrs. Ona Shelton visited with home folks Monday.

West Stayton

C. F. Loose and wife spent Sunday at the Ben Pompella home.

Juni Condit made a business trip to Stayton Tuesday.

Mrs. Roy Elliott visited at the McInnis home the week-end.

Mrs. Nick Schmitz visited at Forrette home Sunday afternoon.

A large number from here attended the sale at Robertson's Tuesday.

Capt. Briggs is very low at this writing.

Mr. Ruby and wife were Stayton visitors the first of the week.

Most everyone is digging "spuds" these nice days.

Maharaja

Has Vision of Railroad.

Klamath Falls.—There is every indication that the railroad from this city to Merrill and from there to Ferry, Nev., will be built next summer. There is also evidence that the road to the north will be built to connect with the Hill line coming south and that both Harriman and Hill interests will use the same line for the heavy exposition travel.

Recall Nominees in Fight to Stay.

Hood River.—All the candidates nominated by the recall petitioners have signified their intentions of qualifying and making the race against the members of the present county court at the November election.

Equalization Board Meets.

Salem.—The state board of equalization began holding hearings Friday, when representatives of the large railroad companies appeared before the board.

Pullman College Team Defeated.

Portland.—Three thousand football enthusiasts saw the Multnomah club defeat Washington state college on Winged "M" field, 7 to 0.

Oregon Wins, 27-0, Over Idaho.

Eugene.—By a score of 27 to 0, Oregon eliminated Idaho from the race for the conference football championship on Kincaid field.

Aggies Unable to Score at Seattle.

Seattle.—The University of Washington football team defeated Oregon Agricultural college by a score of 41 to 0 on Denny field here.

War on Squirrels Starts.

Airle.—Unusual attempts are being made to get rid of the squirrels and other pests which destroy crops and injure young walnut and filbert orchards.

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