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Carus.

Mr. Editor, as I see there are no items from Carus in your valuable paper I thought I would furnish you with a few.

All the farmers in this part are plowing for winter oats, the kind most generally sown in this quarter.

Everybody is wonderfully interested in the road from Carus to Howard's mill. Some think it should go the old road, others contend there should be a new road so as to get a better grade.

We are all very glad to see Oregon City moving in this matter. It will be many a dollar in the pocket of Oregon City to have a good road reaching out south far enough to catch the Marquam trade.

There was a basket social and dance combined at the Hazel Dale school house, which, however, did not pan out very well, as there were only five baskets brought in. There was no attempt to sell the baskets and failure seemed to pervade the air and when some of the hoody boys called out fizzle some of the girls picked up their baskets and went others soon followed by little crowds of their several ways home, which was not long in making the social a thing of the past. It was very unfortunate as it was desired to raise money with which to heat the school house.

A little incident happened on my farm that I want to tell you about, showing the sagacity of one of my hogs, I am inventing him a hill and Oh, he is such a hog, such an unprincipled hog. We have two troughs out of which we feed in the same lot. The hogs have naturally divided into two companies each selecting its own feed trough. My son, who does the feeding, has a mania for naming things, so he called one bunch of hogs populists and the other republicans and this particular hog, of which I am speaking has associated pretty closely with the pop bunch, but at feeding time he gulps down all the feed he can at the pop trough and when that is gone he rushes over to the republican trough and swipes all he can there.

My son called my attention to this and after watching them several times I told my son he made me think of a man in Oregon City, said I, we will name him after this fellow. I walked up to the republican trough where he was busy swiping feed and as he watched me out of the corner of one eye, I said to him, "look here sir, I am going to call you Charley Fitch from now on." Well sir, what do you think, he walked away from the trough with the most dejected, shamefaced look I ever saw on the face of man or beast. The stigma was too great for even a hogish hog to bear being named after such a thing. He refused to eat so we had to kill him to keep him from falling away.

Shubel

Henry Miller and Miss Mand Miller, of Dallas, are visiting at Mr. J. G. Cummings.

Burt Cummins was home for a week helping to entertain the visitors at home. That's right Burt, we won't tell.

Robert Guenther came home from Portland Saturday.

A petition is being circulated here for work on the road to grade off some of the hills. It shows that the farmers are more than willing to do their share to get good roads.

Mr. Blum's dam broke out last Friday, overflowing some of his fields and doing considerable damage.

There is some talk of organizing a singing class. We hope they will succeed.

Some of the boys had better go a little slow or there will be a job for the sheriff. January 30.

Molalla.

Died, suddenly at Molalla January 25, James King. About 6 a. m. he got up and started a fire, after which he went back to bed simply to wait until the room got warm; he was in usual health and was talking to his wife, a moment later he was dead. He was born in England December 22, 1842; moved to Cleveland, Ohio, when 16 years old. He has been married three times. The first wife died and left two children. The second wife born to him five children two of whom still live. Their four children were present at the funeral, which was preached by Rev. J. M. Shulst at Molalla, January 26th.

On October 3, 1898, he was married to Mrs. Emma Tibbs with whom he lived less than four months. He was by trade a blacksmith, and probably the best workman in Clackamas county. He was highly respected by all as was witnessed by the large concourse who reverently followed his remains to the place of burial in Silam's cemetery near Molalla.
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Mountain View.

Cold weather has come again. Snow is blowing dreadfully today.

Revs. Butler and Montgomery were each on the hill this week making calls among friends.

Mr. Fredrick bought his daughter, Bertha, an organ last week.

Mrs. Maston and daughter, of Mt. Tabor, were in town Friday evening to visit Myrtle Lodge, D. of H., and came upon this hill on Saturday to view the city.

Geo. Stephens and family have moved into the Joe Harrington's cottage.

J. T. Francis, of Portland, and his cousin, Miss Stella Howitt, of Russellville, spent Saturday and Sunday among relatives in this burg.

Mrs. Green and family have left this burg to live with her husband, Steve Green.

Clarence W. Morey is still confined to his bed a d growing weaker. His recovery is very doubtful.

Mrs. Francis and children are on the sick list this week.

There will be a basket social for the junior class and a good granger's dinner for everybody else, who wish to come, on Saturday evening, February 4, at Ely's store house. Proceeds to be for the Sunday school.

There will be a prayer meeting at Rev. Hayne's Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, all invited.

Roy Ringo is a little better, but not out of danger yet.

There will be a special fire meeting called on Saturday evening for the purpose of nominating officers for the ensuing year. All firemen take notice. February 1. SALINA.

Pleasant Hill.

Died, at Sherwood January 26, George Craison.

Died, at Pleasant Hill January 26, Mrs. Walls. She is the daughter of Mrs. Roberts, who is over 100 years old. Mrs. Walls is the mother of Mrs. T. M. Baker.

Frank Newman is very low with pneumonia.

Will Bonney, of Highland, was a Pleasant Hill visitor last week. His horse got lame and he went home on foot.

Eli Calkins, the road boss, is back again, but he don't go out with the boys.

The shooting match Saturday was good. Voss Werton and Robinson got the beef. January 30.

Logan.

The general health of this community has improved since our last correspondence.

Harding Grange met last Saturday and installed the following officers for the ensuing year: Fred Gerber, master; S. G. Kirchem, overseer; Willard W. Austin, lecturer; L. Newkirk, steward; Mrs. M. E. Gill, secretary; Mrs. Hetty Sprague, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Brown, chaplain; J. H. Brown, gatekeeper.

The literary society meets every two weeks. The question for next meeting is "Resolved, That the Poor People are their Own and Worse Enemies" with A. M. Kirchem leader on the affirmative, and L. W. Hampton leader on the negative. Miss M. Riehoff is president of the society.

Mrs. Jacob Babler is convalescing. Mrs. Babler has been quite sick. Her many friends will be pleased to learn that she is on the road to permanent recovery.

Mrs. A. Lacy, of Springfield, was visiting friends here several days last week.

Eli and Henry Swales have gone to the Lower Columbia to work in a logging camp.

Mrs. Nancy McCubbin was 80 years of age last Friday. Mrs. McCubbin is one of Oregon's oldest pioneers.

Messrs. G. B. Fetter and L. W. Hampton, accompanied by their wives, will move to Eastern Oregon about the middle of March, where they have employment for the summer.

Miss Emma Gill, of Oregon City, visited relatives and friends in this burg last Saturday.

Rev. Jacob Bahr, of Damascus, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday to a large audience.

George Kohl has been under the weather for several days. January 30. TWILIGHT.

Carus.

Well, you are giving it to Bro. Fitch pretty rough. Well if he is not guilty let him get right up in meeting and say so.

Is there no law against such fearful caricatures as appeared in the Oregonian last Friday? Because an honorable gentleman differs in his political views from the Oregonian to be put up in such a shape is too much, but it will make friends for Colonel Bryan and will do the paper, who gives room to such horrible stuff, no good.

The grange met yesterday, it's regular day, and its officers were installed by Brother A. F. Miller, of Evening Star grange, assisted by Bro. Elmer Cooper, of Molalla grange. Bro. Miller talked to us on life insurance lines and all but three present went into the association. Bro. Miller is doing a good work for the order and I bespeak for him a hearty welcome from all the granges in Clackamas county. The several granges will, at their February meeting, elect 3 delegates to attend the county grange convention to be held in Oregon City on March 7th, 1899, at the court house at 1 o'clock p. m., by order of the deputies.

The grange is growing throughout the jurisdiction, which includes the entire state. Lower Columbia Fire Relief association, formerly only included Western Oregon, but at the last meeting of the directors, which was held at Salem, 6th and 7th inst, the entire state was included. The grange life insurance includes all of Oregon and Washington. January 30. J. S. C.

Redland.

Quarterly conference met at Viola on the 23 and 24. Brother Waters presiding. Revs. Moorhouse and Lewis surrendered their licenses to preach in the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Murdock, of Macksburg, are visiting friends in this neighborhood.

G. Heinbothem received a letter from his son, Will, who is recovering from typhoid fever.

Gus Fisher has a four-horse team on the road hauling flour and feed. Mr. Fisher is able to make a better grade of flour since he has put in a machine to clean cockle and wild peas from wheat.

Revival meetings were held at Redland M. E. church the past week.

August Funk and Mrs. Behymer are on the sick list.

Some grain was sowed the past few days by our farmers. January 31. W. S.

Canemah

The special school meeting was held at the school house on Saturday night. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Nuttall, after which the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. After a close contest J. E. Helges was elected director to fill the vacancy of D. M. Klemson, resigned. A 9 mill tax was then voted for the support of the school for the ensuing year. The school is in an overcrowded condition and some thought it would be well to employ a third teacher. This suggestion was not carried, however. The management of the school has been excellent from every point of view.

Mrs. Fine is visiting friends and relatives in California.

Elvan May was tendered a surprise on Saturday night. A very enjoyable time is reported by those present.

Ernest Bencke, who went to California recently, has left San Francisco on a whaling voyage. February 1. PROGRESS.

Molalla.

There is at present more sickness in this vicinity than has been known for some time, mostly a gripe and fever. Albert Enrie is very low with lung fever. It was thought at one time that he could not possibly recover, but the attending physician, Dr. Leavitt, thinks there is a chance for him to get well. George Mullatt is slowly recovering from a spell of typhoid fever.

The entertainment at the school house last Saturday evening was a decided success. There was a good crowd in attendance considering the unusual amount of sickness in the neighborhood. The orchestra, consisting of Mr. Tom Dibble clarinet, Guy and Miss Inez Dibble violins, Dudley Byles guitar, George Adams organist and Alex Smith second violin, rendered some fine music. Guy and Miss Inez Dibble are to be complimented for the progress they have made as violinists in the past year. Tom Dibble is rapidly mastering the clarinet.

The dramatic club are thinking of giving an entertainment at Canby in the near future, rendering the same drama that was given here the "Spy of Gettysburg."

The most sudden death that has transpired here for years was that of our respected blacksmith, James King. At about six o'clock on the morning of the 24th Mr. King arose and kindled the fire, and lying down again, was talking to his wife when he placed his hand over the region of his heart, straightened out his limbs and expired without a word or a struggle. The doctor pronounced his malady rheumatism of the heart.

Mr. King was born in England, came to America when a young man and settled near Cleveland, Ohio, there three for years, working at his trade, came from there to Kansas, worked there for a few years, and came to Portland. He has been here some three or four years, and had the respects of all that know him. He leaves two sons and two daughters. His oldest son is engineer at the Portland Cracker Company Works, his other son is also an engineer in Portland. Mr. King's partner in the blacksmith business, P. M. Boyles, has hired a blacksmith and the business will be conducted as before. Mrs. King will continue to live here. January 31st. X Y Z

Redland.

All horses on sick list improving except J. G. Bayfield's, which is dead.

King Mosher arrived home yesterday from up the Columbia, where he has been working on a snag boat.

Mrs. Behymer and George are visiting in Portland.

Literary exercises were held at the school house last Friday afternoon. One of the leading features was a debate by the scholars. The question "Resolved, That Fire is More Destructive Than Water"; speakers, affirmative side, George Heinbothem, Fred Berkeley and D. H. Mosher; negative, Gilmore Behymer, Oswald Behymer and Bert Hart; was ably discussed on both sides, although the judges decided in favor of the negative.

Our teacher, Mr. Rotherford, has organized a singing school for benefit of scholars. Quite an interest is taken.

Wonder what makes James Fullam so gay lately. Well, some say it is a 7 1/2 pound girl.

Frank Murdock was seen in our city Sunday; some attractions here or he would not ride 10 or 15 miles for pleasure at the present conditions of roads.

Loat, strayed or stolen the bottom of road between here and Oregon City; suitable reward for its permanent recovery.

Clem is building a hayshed on L. Shaak's place.

M. Smith is building a house on his place. January 27. W. S.



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Stafford.

The subscription paper that is circulating asking for about \$50 to lift the Widow Schiewe out of all indebtedness has been subscribed to the amount of \$100 and most of it is now paid up, that sum being twice the amount asked for.

John Moser received a God-send on the 20th inst. and he can call it Dewey. John Aden says, "that girl of mine," born January 25th.

Mrs. Biehle made a large quantity of sausage last week.

J. Q. Gage hasset out a young orchard. Cap. Hayes put in grain Saturday and Sunday.

Fred Baker, of Independence, made his home folks a visit last week. Fred is doing well in the cordwood biz.

The A. O. U. W. lodge was organized here Saturday night with nearly twenty members. Many visitors from other lodges were present.

The Taulatin grange had its annual installation of officers Saturday afternoon. C. C. Borland, of Oswego, acted as installing officer, assisted by M. A. Gage.

On the 12th of Feb. the above grange will have been in existence 35 years, and on the 25th of said month an anniversary meeting will be held. An invitation is sent to all its charter members of which there are 15 yet living, out of its original 24) to meet with them, also all ancient members are requested to be present.

Robert Biehle's winter oats were killed by the cold and wet.

Sharp Bros. have opened the fence row between them and H. E. Hayes. Considerable winter fallowing is being done.

Some spuds have been sold for 80 cents per sack, sacks and twine furnished.

John DeNeni received \$28 for 25 sacks shipped to Frisco. LENGTHY.

New Era.

A large crowd gathered at Evans' hall last Monday night, January 29th, to witness the Humalia, which was played at Canby. It proved a grand success, and the company intends going to Mt. Angel and give an entertainment there. A good many people from here were seen tramping alone a foot, thinking the train was too crowded. A grand ball was given after the play, which was highly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Huras' little son, who has

been lingering so long between life and death, was relieved of his suffering Monday at 7 o'clock a. m. when death claimed him. He was laid to rest Tuesday at 10 a. m. in the Catholic cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of all.

A surprise party was one of the orders of last week. A crowd of young people gathered at the home of Mrs. J. C. Newbury last Friday evening and at 8 o'clock went to the home of Joseph Sevelick. A large room was soon cleared out and dancing began. Oscar Bergo and Carl Bremer furnishing the music. A lunch had been prepared for the occasion and was partaken of at 12 o'clock. I don't think the "Triplets" were there, at least no one would confess they were. How about it Triplets, were you there?

Sunday school is once more in progress at 3 o'clock p. m. each Sunday. Everybody welcome.

The New Era school is now the proud owner of an organ through the effort on the part of the scholars and kindness on the part of some of New Era's citizens, who helped with their pocket books and their kind words.

Quite a few of our most prominent young men took a ride on the blind baggage last week to Canby and while they were smiling at their good fortune the conductor came along and made them step up their tickets, but let them ride on the blind just the same.

The Crader Bros. are getting along nicely with their contract and have employed Bert McArthur to haul their wood.

It seems as though our boys are getting young again or forgotten, for one of them attended the dance without his muscade.

A grand masquerade ball will be given at Twilight hall on Friday, February 10. Good music and supper. Everybody is invited to attend. But don't forget your faces.

A large supply of snow has been purchased and the New Era boys are busy making sleighs so they can take their best girl out sleighing. That is all right boys, we old people can't kick for we have all had our fun. February 1. TEMPTER AND SUNSHINE.

Neely.

I have a few interesting items for the lady readers of your paper.

Last night the scholars and ladies of Oak Run school No. 22, three miles from here, held a lunch basket picnic. The program consisted of music and singing, a speech and a mock marriage. My song was entitled "The Young Stepmother." As I never heard it sung in Oregon or California by any other person, I will give one verse of it.

The marriage rite was over,
And I turned aside
To keep the guests from seeing
The tears I could not hide.
I changed my face to smiles,
And led my baby brother
To meet my father's chosen bride,
But I could not call her mother.

I am a single man, but I don't want any mock marriage in my life. I want the genuine ceremony performed if I ever marry. I belong to the I. O. O. F. and the A. O. U. W. judges and no money in the latter order for \$1000 to leave to the woman that marries me. Some women refuse to marry a man who belongs to a secret society, but such women are liable to be left destitute when they become widows and land in the poor house. January 30. M. L.

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" "	50	25
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