

CORRESPONDENCE

Eldorado. We will have another month of school at the Eldorado school house. Jim Fisk is working for W. H. Jones now. Leon Jones has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, and has been unable to attend school. Corn Helvey is able to be about again after a long spell of sickness. Fran K Irish went to Oregon City Monday last. Bruce Darnall died at his home near Mulino last Wednesday evening of heart trouble. Bue will be sadly missed by everybody who knew him. Julius Moshberger has moved his house that he purchased of Charlie Spangle, onto his own property, and improves the looks of his place a great deal. Ed Howard called on Charlie Spangler Sunday last.

Molalla.

George Hingate was buried yesterday at the A lanes cemetery. If he had lived until the 9th day of next May he would have been 70 years old. Mr. Hingate came to Oregon in 1839, and has resided here since except one year spent in California. He leaves a wife and a large family of children all grown. Mr. Hingate died at the home of his son-in-law, James Baty, and a large crowd was in attendance at the funeral. The services were conducted by Rev. L. M. Boyles, of Woodburn. This another old pioneer has gone to his rest and parted that mysterious veil that hangs between time and eternity.

There is considerable sickness in this part of the country. Uncle Sam Engle is very sick with a complication of diseases, but heart failure seems to be the most serious in his case. It was reported that Mrs. Cary Herman was not expected to live. Her little daughter recently had scarlet fever, and about the time she became convalescent Mrs. Herman was attacked by the same disease.

O. W. Robbins has gone to Corvallis to accept a position in a store. D. C. Boyles has resigned his position in Silverton to accept a position with L. W. Robbins.

Ex-Sheriff William Ganong visited our burg recently.

John Jackson expects to start to the desert south of Prineville about the 1st of March to look after his horses.

Gilbert Jackson has the Klondike fever and intends to go there as soon as navigation opens.

Our school will be out in a few days. It was hoped by many that we would have a spring term of at least two months but at the school meeting recently it was voted down so there will be no more school until next fall. X. Y. Z.

Rural Dell.

We are enjoying this pleasant weather after the continued rain of last week.

Mrs. C. Hardesty's health is improving. She is able to be around again.

W. S. Sconce took a trip to Mulino yesterday.

Mrs. T. E. Donaldson is in Hubbard under the doctor's care.

Quite a large company of youngsters gathered at home of L. B. Yoder, of Smyrna, on Friday evening in the form of a surprise party. A very enjoyable evening was spent in playing games. Refreshments were served after which the guests dispersed for the evening.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

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will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

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Mrs. Zell Hardesty is working for Mrs. Pope on Elliot Prairie.

John Crocker has been hauling his potatoes to Hubbard. The dust doesn't seem to trouble him in the least either.

Ed Yoder recently moved back onto his place, as Captain Pope concluded to superintend the Hampden Grange himself.

A portion of the "gay world" of Rural Dell will meet at W. S. Sconce's Thursday evening for another party.

F. S. L. Babsby's farm here is for sale. There was a man from near Aurora looking it over one day last week.

Rustic.

Stafford.

Frogs are holding concerts in the lowlands.

The heavy rains of the few days past have flooded many of the bottoms.

Miss Jennie Reichle went to Oregon City Tuesday to attend the teachers' examination. She will try for teachers' certificate.

Mr. Graner has found homes for all but one of his little puppies.

Fred Baker is raising black sheep. Jake Schatz was out here from Oregon City Sunday.

Miss Thompson's basket social and entertainment at the Frog Pond school house last Saturday night is reported a great success, both literarily and financially. "Vim" is the keynote to success. Paul Reichle is making new picket fences on his farm.

LENGTHY.

Mulino.

Addie Christensin was visiting Nellie Bogue last week.

Fred Wallace had the misfortune to cut his foot last week.

Bayne Howard has a new harness shop. That's all right, Bayne, to have lots of company.

P. Pendleton was a visitor at Ely last week. We miss you, Dock, when you're gone.

Ernest Jones got his arm hurt some time ago, but is improving.

Edith Manning has been sick the past week.

T. J. Paris was visiting at the home of William Wallace last Sunday.

Prof. Ogle is giving music lessons in Mulino. He has eight pupils at present.

Mrs. J. J. Mallatt has been on the sick list.

Charles Daniels is working on the Charles Holman place at Meadowbrook.

Jim Neukirchner was a visitor here last week.

Mrs. Ida Dodge is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodside, at present.

Agnes Wallace is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Rath, the past week.

Mrs. C. E. Nash was visiting her mother last week.

Bruce Darnall died at the home of his father on the 4th of February. He was born in Illinois in 1864, and crossed the plains with his parents in 1865. He leaves a father, brother and many dear friends to mourn his loss. Our sympathy is with Mr. Darnall and Johnnie. The remains were laid to rest in the Oregon City cemetery.

Dying, still slowly dying.

As the hours of the night roll by, He has lain since the light of sunset Was red on the evening sky.

Till after the middle watches As we softly near him tread, When his soul part in prison fetters Was loosed by the hand of God.

And we felt in the lonesome midnight As we sat by the silent dead What a light on the path going downward.

The feet of the righteous shed. When we thought with faith unshaken He came to the Jordan's tide, And taking the hand of the Savior Went up on the other side.

Falls View.

The Falls View Ideal Club presented "Little Women's Play" last Friday night at Willamette hall, where the Knights and Ladies of Security gave an entertainment and dance. A good time was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Larkins, of Meadowbrook, were visiting friends in this burg Tuesday.

St. Valentine's day is coming. Boys, don't forget your best girls.

Miss Lena Chamberlain and Virgil Clark, who are taking guitar lessons of T. D. Miller, are making fine progress, which speaks well for both pupil and teacher.

Liberal.

Mother Earth is full of water and has stopped the plows.

Now is the time, brother farmer, to clean up your grain for spring sowing.

Silas Wright and son, Pierce, attended the funeral of Bruce Darnall Saturday, at Oregon City.

Several complaints of sheep dying with the leach, but I think it is somewhat the cure they receive. Salt is an important thing for sheep, and it should be placed so they could have it any time they want it.

Miss Milhe Kruse, one of Clackamas county's successful school teachers, was the guest of Mrs. Silas Wright and family Saturday and Sunday.

The dance given at Billy Vaughn's home February 1st was a decided success.

Fred Nelson left Sunday for Portland to attend to some very important business.

Clarence Look, of Gresham, is here on business. That's right, Clarence, take your bees away away as the Liberal Lear is liable to get the honey.

Professor Wright returned Saturday evening from Portland, where he had been celebrating Chinese New Year.

Miss Grace Miller visited her home at Oregon City Saturday.

Miss Edith Husband, who has been quite ill for the past week, is on the road to recovery.

H. Abbot and family, who have been down with lagrippe, are slowly improving.

Bad Coughs

"I had a bad cough for six weeks and could find no relief until I tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Only one-fourth of the bottle cured me." L. Hawn, Newington, Ont.

Neglected colds always lead to something serious. They run into chronic bronchitis, pneumonia, asthma, or consumption. Don't wait, but take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral just as soon as your cough begins. A few doses will cure you then.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.

Our merchant went to town Saturday and from all appearances, he, too, had been celebrating Chinese New Years.

Pierce Wright is confined to the house with an attack of a gripple.

Sylvia.

Needy.

Mrs. Hattie Myers, of Marquam, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ackerson, over Sunday.

Henry Osterholz presented the W. O. W. Lodge with a fine desk.

Lona Mohr visited her sister at Hubbard last week.

Professor Crittenden called on Marquam friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett went to French Prairie Saturday.

Will Askins went to work for Bagsby & Dixon this week.

Charles Spagle is visiting his sister at Turner, Or.

Three more weeks of school.

John Crocker finished hauling his potatoes Monday.

Harrison Bair, of Canby, was in our burg buying potatoes Monday.

Christina Donaldson, who has been working in Portland, is home on a visit.

Layton Reiland, of Hubbard, was greeting his old friends last week.

There will be a dance in the hall here on the 13th of February.

Dr. Weaver, of Hubbard, was called to see Mrs. Brockart, who is suffering from a stroke of paralysis. She is with her son, George.

Miss Larson, the Pomroy teacher, goes to Oregon City this week to take the examination.

Mrs. B. F. Smith visited her brother at Hubbard Friday and Saturday.

Hon. George C. Brownell will give the Needy people a lecture on Feb. 20. Let everybody come.

Miss Etta Laferty has gone to Canby, where she is working for Mrs. John Cook.

Carus.

Miss Rebecca Kalbfleisch spent last Sunday with her niece, Miss Mildred Jones.

Will Jones has purchased Joe Eaton's farm. Mr. Eaton has not yet decided where he will locate.

Miss Lucy Guyer has returned to Oregon City after spending a few months with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Pratt gave a delightful dance to a number of their young friends last Friday night. All reported having had a fine time.

Miss Arta Kirk, of Beaver Creek, visited Miss Minnie Howard a few days last week.

New Era.

Plenty of rain.

Miss Kate Hampton called on Mabel Anthony Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Newbury went to town Tuesday.

Carl Burgoyne, Frank Reif and Elmer Veto attended a dance at Central Point Saturday evening.

Mr. Coolie and family visited W. R. Slyter and family Monday.

Mr. Friedrich and Mrs. Kate Reif were married at the Catholic church Monday. It was a very quiet wedding, as the only persons knowing of it were the witnesses and the bride and groom.

Miss Laura Newbury called on Grayce Clemens last week.

The New Era literary society will give an entertainment and basket social Saturday, Feb. 15th. All are invited to attend.

Agnes Reif called on Mrs. Ora Slyter Sunday.

Wilber Newbury went to Portland on Sunday.

Matt Mulloy went to town one day last week.

The Dorenebecker Furniture Company is putting in a new boiler, as the old one is too small to keep them busy. Last Saturday the saw broke and they have to get a new saw before they can run again.

John Crader is sacking potatoes.

Mrs. Ora Slyter and Laura Newbury are on the sick list.

Miss Lorena Lazalle called on Mr. Meindl Friday evening after school.

Oscar Burgoyne has gone to Portland, where he will work.

Woodburn.

John Gaw returned from Portland Monday, where he has been for some time on business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tooze were in Portland last Wednesday on business.

Benton Killian was an Oregon City visitor last Saturday.

The box social given last Monday evening was a decided success. There were quite a number of boxes, and the proceeds went to the payment of the inter-

est on the debt of the Catholic church of this city.

J. A. Whitney returned Monday from California, where he has been visiting his uncle for the past few weeks.

Ed Lavier has opened up a dancing school here in the armory hall, and has quite a number of pupils under his instruction. Stay with it, boys, and you will get so you can hug the girls tight and not step on toes.

Dutch.

Mountain View.

The Dickey boys have taken a contract of hauling wood on the West Side for the pulp mill. They are batching near their work.

John Gillett was out to Mulino last week attending the funeral of Bruce Darnall, who was buried in the Mountain View cemetery on Saturday.

Mr. Griffin, who is working near Damascus, spent Wednesday evening with his wife and children.

Grandma Carter, of Woodburn, accompanied by Mrs. E. P. Carter, of Oregon City, was visiting Mrs. J. Pierce Monday of this week.

Mr. Rauch and son, of Gladstone, were up here Tuesday stopping the leaks in their house lately vacated by J. W. Curran.

Luther Duvall has quit working in the woolen mill down town and expects to go to Milwaukie, near Portland, to that woolen mill.

Mr. Stonehewer has vacated Mr. Heckart's house, but we have not learned to where he has moved.

Miss Pearl Curran has had to quit school on account of her eyes.

Miss Ethel Thompson, of Portland, spent Sunday here with her parents.

Rev. Eldridge, of Sherwood, spent Tuesday evening visiting Mr. Morrow and family.

Frog Pond.

Frog Pond school closed last Friday with an entertainment and basket social, which took place at the school-house Saturday evening. The program was conducted by the teacher, Miss Aura Thompson, and was well rendered. Dock Aden and Otto Peters had charge of the auction, and the baskets sold readily from 75 cents to \$1.75, and the proceeds amounted to \$41.50, which will be used to purchase a school library.

Say, Lengthy, about the 8 per cent grade—must have been a misprint and must have been 18 per cent. In regard to the grand scenery, the people that drive never think of looking at Mount Hood, but keep their eye on the hill below to see whether all wheels will cross.

Dock Aden is suffering with an abscess on his hand.

The potato buyers, Brown and P. A. Baker, have been re-sacking frozen potatoes at the People's ware house.

George Aden and George Peters were patching up the corduroy road near the Tualatin Friday.

John Botson and wife were visiting at the Aden home Tuesday.

Otto Peters is home for a visit from the metropolis.

Cheney Fellow.

Hedges at Bartow.

Hon. Gilbert Hedges addressed a large and appreciative audience at Barlow Wednesday evening. The speaker took for his subject, "County Politics," and proceeded to show the existing conditions of county affairs, and suggested the remedies. He urged the people to take an active part in the coming election and perform their duties as electors only after thorough study and earnest discussion.

"If you have" said he "in your midst a professional politician, who holds his office through promising everybody everything; who acts toward you when in office, as I have already indicated, then it is your privilege, ay, your solemn duty to displace this man with another who will perform the duties of the office in a manner which is conducive to the best interests of the people of Clackamas county." Let us all stand together and break the political tyranny which is so expensive to us and by our speech and acts prove that patriotism is superior to partzanship.

The Best Prescription for Malaria. Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure—no pay. Price 50c.

School Report.

The following is the report of the Hood View school for the month ending January 31: Days' taught, 20; Days' attendance, 471 1/2; Days' absence, 153 1-2; Times tardy, 2; No. enrolled, 37; Visitors, 9.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy after entering are Pearl Seely, Evalyn, Clyde and Clarence McConnel. Friends and patrons are made welcome at all times.

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Did He Understand? A well known Edinburgh professor often became so interested in his subject that when the noon bell rang he seemed quite oblivious of the fact and kept the class for several minutes. Certain restless spirits among the students decided to give him a gentle hint, so they bought an alarm clock. London Tit-Bits tells the result.

The clock, set to alarm at precisely 12 o'clock, was placed on the professor's desk. As was anticipated, he began his lecture without observing the clock. But when the noon hour struck the alarm went off with a startling crash.

Even those not in the secret appreciated the joke. There was a round of applause. The professor smilingly waited until the alarm and the applause ceased and then said: "Young gentlemen, I thank you for this gift. I had forgotten it was my birthday. An alarm clock is something my wife has needed for our servant for a long time. It is a very kind remembrance on your part." Then he went on with the demonstration which had been interrupted by the alarm, and the students were never quite able to satisfy themselves whether the professor understood the joke or not.

One Boy's Loyalty. A New York boy was at school in Canada, and it was his first day in class. The geography lesson was called, and it was his turn to answer. "Which is the largest city in the world?" asked the teacher. "New York," unobtrusively came the answer.

"I mean the largest city in the world," said the teacher. "New York," promptly came the reply, "New York."

"But," expostulated the teacher, "I did not say the largest city in the United States, but the largest city in the world. You surely know which is the largest city in the world."

"New York," persisted the boy. "London has a larger population than New York," said the teacher. "If I do not have the correct answer this time, I shall have to punish you. Come now," coaxingly, "tell me the name of the largest city in the world."

"New York," "Stay in during recess and write me fifty lines."

He wrote the fifty lines, and every line read: "The biggest city in the world is New York."—New York Tribune.

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When Coal Was Prohibited. It makes the present generation smile to read the accounts which have come down to us concerning the prejudices which were formerly entertained against certain articles which are of everyday consumption. For instance, it is said that when coal was first used in England the prejudice against it was so strong that the house of commons petitioned the king to prohibit the use of the "noxious" fuel. A royal proclamation having failed to abate the nuisance, a commission was issued to ascertain who burned coal within the city of London and its neighborhood, to punish them by force for the first offense and by the demolition of their furnaces if they persisted in transgressing. A law was finally passed making it a capital offense to burn coal in the city and only permitting it to be used by forges in the vicinity. It is stated that among the records in the Tower of London a document was found according to which a man was hanged in the time of Edward I. for no other crime than having been caught burning coal. It took three centuries to entirely efface the prejudice.

Strange Facts About Animals. Have you ever noticed that all animals which chew the cud are cloven footed? Also that most of those which drink water by suction are herbivorous, the carnivorous variety lapping it with the tongue, like the cat, dog, tiger, etc. Sheep have no teeth in the upper jaw, and tortoises and turtles are without altogether. Unlike most animals, horses have no eyebrows, and hares are minus eyelids. Consequently the eyes of the latter cannot be shut, and a thin membranous substance covers them when asleep. The eye of the owl is also very peculiar, seeing that it is immovably fixed in its socket and cannot stir in any direction. To compensate for this seeming disadvantage it can turn its head almost completely round without moving its body. If you were to keep a frog's mouth open many minutes, it would soon die, as owing to its peculiar construction it can only breathe with the mouth closed.

On the other hand, fishes are compelled to keep opening and closing their respiratory organs full play. It is also a strange fact that the deer has additional breathing places besides the nostrils, as if nature had foreseen his great need of free respiration when forced to flee before the hounds. Snakes usually have their teeth in the hind, but one variety in Africa, whose principal food is eggs, is provided with a substitute for them in its stomach.

Mr. Wheeler Got Rid of His Rheumatism. "During the winter of 1898 I was so lame in my joints, in fact all over my body, that I could hardly hobble around when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. From the first application I began to get well, and was cured and have worked steadily all the year.—R. Wheeler, Northwood, N. Y. For sale by G. A. Harding.

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