

CORRESPONDENCE

Carus.

In memory of Mrs. Mary Turner, who died at Carus September 30th, 1902, and was buried at Mountain View cemetery, Oregon City, Oct. 2nd. Mary Turner was born April 15th, 1853, at Oromback, North Abercane, South Wales, and the daughter of John and Hannah Evans, of Victoria Inn, Cronbach. She came to Oregon in 1886 and engaged in the hotel business at Albina, where she married William Turner, who is left to mourn his loss. They moved from Albina to Kansas, and after residing there one year they moved to Carbonado, Wash, at which place they resided for eight years, and made many friends. They left Carbonado four years ago for the Klondyke country, when she was taken with cancer in the breast, and after undergoing several operations, and trying everything possible for a remedy her life ended on Sept. 30, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. J. R. Lewis, of Carus, who attended her for the last two months of her long sickness. She was a Christian since she was 13 years of age, and was always willing to help the needy, and could always make friends, wherever she went. At the request of the deceased William Roberts prayed at the house, and a few Welsh hymns were sung of her own selection, after which Rev. Elmer, of the Evangelist church took for his text, Amos, 4th chapter, 12th verse, "Prepare to meet thy God." He spoke very effectively, and of the sisters readiness to meet her God. She left to mourn her loss an affectionate husband, an adopted daughter, father, mother, three sisters and two brothers in Wales and one sister, Mrs. J. R. Lewis, of Carus, Or. At the cemetery the Daughters of Rebekah, of which she was a member, took charge of the service, and was buried according to their rites and ceremonies. The funeral was well attended with friends of the deceased and family. About 30 vehicles were in line. May the Lord bless each and everyone of the bereaved family.

Union Hall.

L. P. Burns made a business trip to Portland last week. Mike Harris and uncle were the guests of Joseph Ferringer and family last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Helvey visited J. H. Burns last Sunday. Mr. Riderman, of Portland, visited his sister, Mrs. Joseph Ferringer, one day last week. Our school will begin on the 3rd of November. Mr. Snider, of Aurora, will be the teacher. Mrs. Caroline Thomas visited Mrs. McIntosh one day last week. J. Robbins and family went to Oregon City last Saturday on business. Frank Hilton called on J. L. Thomas last Sunday. Charlie Thomas, who has been employed at J. Adkins' sawmill for the past year, is taking a vacation. He is spending it at home and passing away the time by hunting. J. H. Burns and family attended Pomona Grange at New Era on Wednesday. Misses Olive and Katie Friedrich, of New Era, were the guests of their cousin, E. Iza Burns, last Sunday. Jacob Crader, who is visiting his son, Samuel Crader in San Jose, Cal., is expected to return in a few days. Mr. Crader's health has improved some since he left Oregon. Potato digging will soon be a thing of the past for this year. James Adkins went to Portland one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas went to Canby one day this week. Joseph Briggs gave a dance at his residence last Saturday night. The dance was well attended.

BACKWOODS.

Beaver Lake.

Miss Tessa Larkin, of Marquam, was doing business in this section one day last week. N. J. Thomas has a new house under construction which gives matters a serious turn. Norris is an energetic young man and means business. Mr. Dodson had the misfortune to lose a valuable lot of timber through the forest fires. Rhice Gunn also suffered some loss. Mr. Haun and Mrs. Vorhies and families returned from the hop fields Wednesday last. They report that they had a good time and earned lots of money. The crack of the hunters rifle can be heard on all sides. Bert Wade has taken the contract to cut a hundred cords of wood for F. W. McLearn. Raymond Wyland was visiting his sister near Scotts Mills last week. Mr. Fox, of Rock, had a desperate encounter with a bear a few days ago. A. Crosin had the misfortune to have a number of cattle badly burned during the late fire. Mrs. B. Wade was doing business at the county seat one day last week. Mrs. Murphy was visiting relatives near Monitor Mills during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Groshong were visiting relatives at Jefferson last week.

WHISKERS.

Needy.

Miss Leona Mohr visited Fred Smith Sunday. Mr. Fish, daughter and son, of Waiteburg, are visiting relatives here. Miss Alice Ritter will teach the Rural Dell school this winter. Vern Ransdell went to Antelope last week. George Kinzer went to Oregon City on business Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Stowe, Tena Stowe and Miss Sophie visited the county seat Saturday. Miss Wilda Elliott, who has been quite sick, is convalescent. Mrs. Roeder returned to Portland Sunday.

Frank Bagby's baby is quite sick. Henry Osterholz is hauling off his hops. Mrs. W. Palmer, of La Grande, and Mrs. Mills, of Hubbard, visited Mrs. Molson Tuesday.

Barlow.

Will Tull, the road boss, is busy now with a few teams putting gravel on the roads. George Zeigler had \$200 stolen a few days ago. The thief has been caught and will be brought to trial. The Barlow school opened Monday with a good attendance. We now have a ninth grade with Miss Barlow as teacher. It was a boy that came to the home of Ed Lindolm's last Friday morning and he wears a broad smile. Col. Blanchard is quite low. The saloon was robbed a few nights.

Colton.

A. E. Wright was a caller in Colton on the 1st. He has purchased a fine team of iron greys. Misses Beatie and Media Hubbard, of Portland, are spending a few days visiting friends here. Jesse James started for his old home in Nebraska on the second. E. C. Palmer, of Oak Point, Wash., was in Colton on business on the 1st and 2nd. Miss Ida Wilson took her departure

L. Funk and family have returned from Ocean Park, Or., where they have been on a vacation. Lots of fish at 2 1/2 cents.

James Fullam has a force of men getting ready for laying plack. The mill expects to finish cutting in about one week.

Willie Stone is nursing a rheumatic leg since he has returned from the hop patch. We hope he will soon be around again.

D. C. Richardson has just completed painting the school house, district No. 75. He has done a good job. L. F.

Meadowbrook.

R. P. Cooper has his chop mill running at full blast. Mr. Bonacher is working for A. Guild at present.

Miss Belva Shaw visited Miss Lena Kay during the week. J. W. Standinger made a business trip to Oregon City Monday.

Mrs. A. L. Larkins and family visited Mrs. T. R. Orem Sunday.

Miss Ann Noyer, who is working at Linn's Mill, visited her parents a few days last week.

Quite a pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Mrs. E. Mansby in honor of her 70th birthday on Tuesday, October 7. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Seiver Ramsby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Kay and family, Miss

Richard Wright has rusticed his house and built a kitchen onto the same. Another shingle mill is to be built soon in this section.

J. E. Coates raised the roof of Grandma Wright's house one story and had the shingles on before the rain.

Mrs. Whites, Mrs. Graves and daughter, Ivy, visited Mrs. S. Wright last Thursday.

Gilbert White has quite a taste for strawberry blouses.

Mrs. S. Wright visited her sister, Mrs. Martha White, and family, who are to leave for Malheur county soon.

H. L. Barnes and wife visited Grandma Wright Sunday.

Ida Bowie, of Portland, is visiting relatives here.

Louis Cusick, of Oswego, and sister, Mrs. G. W. Martin, of Oregon City, passed through Liberal Saturday.

Ernest Jones says it is dangerous to be in a neighborhood where it rains shot.

B didn't get the rat last week, but C got it this week. Isn't it funny that an old man would get frightened at a light shining through a funnel? Well, Bunchy, have you returned from the Klondyke yet, or are you dead? SYLVIA.

Mountain View.

Miss Eletha Cummins was up from Portland Sunday and is well pleased with her situation there.

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from Colton for a few weeks' sojourn at Clarkes. Bird Lamb, of Marquam, was calling on friends here this week. Mrs. Gerber is having quite a serious time with a felon on her hand. Mr. Hunter and family returned on Monday from Mission Bottom hopfields. Frank Countryman and family went to Oregon City on business the fore part of the week. The school trustees were putting in a flue and otherwise finishing up the schoolhouse preparatory to the opening of the fall term of school, which will be conducted by David Miller, of Highland. Mr. Miller is an excellent teacher and means what he says and is just what our school needs, and the directors are fortunate in securing him. Mr. and Mrs. Hammet, Mr. and Mrs. Gorbett, Mrs. Gottberg, Mrs. Mary Wright and Mrs. Oile Wright were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James last Sunday. Geo. Roberson, of Ostrander, Wash., spent a few days of this week visiting relatives at Turkey Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson returned home from Alaska last week. They look like they had been sojourning in a healthy country. A. B. Z. Redland. N. H. Smith and brother-in-law are putting in a sawmill on the former's place, and they intend to have the mill in operation by November 1st. Miss Anna Hicinbotham will teach a four months' term of school at Washki on the 13th. Mrs. Demoy, of Washington, was visiting relatives here the past week.

which the members adjourned to Mrs. Roth's home, where an enjoyable time was spent. George Rauch is putting up a new house on the lots he recently purchased, adjoining his livery stable. Ralph Knight, who has been running a cigar store in Portland, has sold out and returned to Canby. Mr. Rosenkrans has some friends from Michigan visiting at his home this week. John Bones, of Portland, came up last Monday to visit his parents. Mr. Dobyns, of Ione, Or, was shaking hands with old friends last Friday. Mr. Cummins has started up the large prune dryer. He has about a two weeks' run. Our school commenced last Monday with a fair attendance. Professor Winches and wife will teach this winter. Medames Wolgamot and Clayton have moved from the farm in with Mrs. Rydman. They will rent their farm to Mr. May. Mrs. L. L. Holms and baby are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Blanchard, for a few weeks. Dr. DeLman and mother, from Clackamas, came up last week for a few days' visit. Mrs. Henry Hedges, who has been in the East for the past few months, returned to her home in Canby last week. Jim Kocher, son of Andrew Kocher, is very sick with sciatica rheumatism. Dr. Ben Geisy, of Aurora, and Dr. Strickland, of Oregon City, are attending him with small hopes of his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Turner returned home from a month's visit at Dayton, W. Va., where they have been visiting relatives. John Noble, of Oregon City, was visiting Sharp Bros last week, and spent a few days hunting. Charles Turner had the misfortune to chop off his first finger on his left hand while cutting out oak for single trees last Tuesday. He was taken to Oregon City and Dr. Sommer dressed wound. Miss-Katie Weed, of Jefferson, is staying with Mrs. B. F. Weddle. J. Q. Gage was seen driving a few cows through the burg Saturday. Jake Peters and Dick Aden was visiting at Tnalatin Sunday. B. F. Weddle, of Stafford, sold his famous draught horse, Polly, for \$125. J. L. Kruse has commenced digging his potatoes. Justice Aden is busy at spare time studying law. Henry Elligson is busy drying rums. Marcus Baker has returned from the hop fields. Henry Oldenstadt, of Prosser, Wash, who recently had a car load of horses stolen from that place, located them at Sherwood, Or. The men were arrested and are waiting for extradition papers to remove them to the state of Washington.

Stringtown. A Mr. Anderson, a Swede gentleman, has moved with his family into the small house this side of Mr. Ganong's place. Mr. Lindsey's patch of squash will turn out several wagon loads. The large yellow and green spheres suggest squash pie one inch thick, such as made to make. The railroad company is building a new fence between its track and the wagon road, near Mr. Schmitt's place. Frog Pond. The Frog Pond farmers are waiting patiently for a "soaker" of rain to moisten the ground to plow.

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