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W. L. BLOCK THE HOME FURNISHER OREGON CITY, OREGON

CORRESPONDENCE.

Mountain View.

Mrs. Leatherwood and daughter, of Oakland, Oregon, are visiting with the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ray, this week.

Frank Francis, of Marvsville, Snohomish county, Wash., is visiting relatives here this week.

The pie social at Nash's hall last Saturday evening proved a success socially. Not many were present. The pies were auctioned off by Brother Nash and brought \$2.95. After the pies were disposed of the following program was presented:

Singing, "Grange Song," audience.
Recitation, "To the Bachelors Union League," Mrs. Gillett.
Recitation, "Young Husband's Dilemma," F. C. Francis.
Recitation, "Salvation Army," Mrs. Griffin.

Mr. Ray and family have moved from Mr. Duvall's house into the Moffatt house, where Mr. Seely lived before he moved into his new residence near the Moran place.

Mrs. Shepard is going to move down on Seventh Street near Shively's hall.

Little Frankie Curran is quite sick this week. Dr. Stuart in attendance.

Mrs. Frank Albert and children have gone to Jefferson to spend a few days with her mother. Frank is boarding down on Seventh St. with his mother.

Mrs. Mellein is able to be up about the house again and her daughter, Minnie, is sick.

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Mr. Mellein is papering the Cross house, lately vacated by the Jefferson family.

S. V. Francis spent Sunday with relatives at Hillsboro.

A quiet wedding occurred in this burg last week, the contracting parties being Miss May Lewellen and John Fairclough. Not even a charivari. He took his bride to his residence on Seventh Street previously prepared for their occupancy.

Mountain View Fire Company, No. 4, has about a dozen exempt firemen. They have served seven years.

There will be services at the Mountain View church again next Sunday at 3 o'clock, November 23. Rev. Arnold, of Clackamas, will preside.

SALINA.

Maple Lane.

The days have passed from green to gold.

The sunset of the year has called The flocks to see the fold From pastures brown and serene.

Dr. Beard with his wife and son, were here from the East last week, as the guests of the former's brother, William Beard, and family.

John B. Jackson carried off the honors at the shooting match at Carus last week.

Horace Williams has purchased Mr. Schilling's team and brought it home on Saturday.

John Gaffney has treated his house to a new coat of paint, which has greatly improved the appearance of the place.

Miss Otis Jackson is the proud possessor of a fine shepherd dog.

Miss Anna Shortledge, we are glad to hear, is improving, and we hope to see her out soon.

Ben Beard returned last week from Grants Pass, where he has been for some time.

Poultry John has serious time with his game chickens.

Mrs. James Gale and Gibbs were knitting a race one afternoon this week; but perhaps they would have accomplished more, were they alone for women must talk.

PANSY BLOSSOM.

Logan.

Mr. Editor: Your correspondent's time is pretty well taken up with other duties, but he is so well pleased with the prospect for a bustling democratic newspaper, well edited by a good writer strong in the faith, that he wishes to help it along and will occasionally give some items from this place.

Let us begin with a description. Logan is between the Clackamas river and Clear Creek, on the south of the former, and is adjoined by Springwater, Steeland and Stone with no distinct lines of division. Logan post office is about 13 miles from Oregon City and is near the center of our territory. We have a good gravel road from here to Oregon City.

We think this is one of the most prosperous and progressive localities in Clackamas county. There are three good modern school houses in our boundaries, also three two-story halls and two neat churches. The Grange building is perhaps as well equipped as any in the state and accommodates an active membership of about 75. One store, a flouring mill, a blacksmith shop and sometimes a sawmill are active in their lines. Most of our people have good houses, barns and other improvements and those that have not, are hustling to get them.

We have a cheese factory that is modestly successful and scatters considerable money among its patrons each month. Considering that most of the patrons were beginners in dairying, they have done well, and are building for the future. We are glad to hear of the success of the sister industry at Stone. Many silos are in use. Useless, dangerous horns are being removed. We are studying the problem of cheap feed, the year round, in fact, trying to keep up

with the procession. To jump to politics, we have a Republican club at Logan.

Redland.

Died, at his residence, near Viola George W. Lauroy, on November 17, at the age of 69 years, 10 months and 1 day. Mr. Lauroy was a native of Scraper county, Iowa, from which place he moved to California. After a year's residence in California he came to Oregon in the 60's, and settled on the place where he has lived ever since. He leaves a large family to mourn his loss. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathies of the entire community. His remains were laid to rest in the Redland cemetery. Services were held at the Redland M. E. church last Sunday.

Charles Gaskell is hauling potatoes to Portland. He is getting 72 1/2 cents per cwt.

Mr. Editor, last week we noted a comment on the difference in price of potatoes between Canby and Oregon City. If you would investigate the matter I think you will find that Canby pays more for all lines of produce than Oregon City merchants, that at least has been the experience of those who have traded at both places. Now, why is this the case? Oregon City merchants depend on retail trade, while the Canby merchants ship.

Russellville.

For a long time the weather was too dry for the farmers to plow, but now so much rain has fallen that the farmers are waiting for the dry weather.

Many of the teamsters of this place have laid off for a time waiting for better weather.

Russellville School is in progress being taught by Miss Rastal.

Rich & Co. have a snit on hand with L. Nightingale. Law is costly business.

O. S. Boyles contemplates going to Southern Oregon soon on business.

Some beef cattle are still among the farmers in this vicinity.

Messrs. Johnson and Scott Carter are to have a telephone between their houses soon.

Mulino.

Fred Erickson spent a few days in Portland last week.

Eva Wallace is on the sick list.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school last Sunday.

James Nelson is moving to Oregon City.

Albert Erickson spent last Thursday evening at Mr. Nelson's.

Mrs. Fred Erickson was a welcome visitor at our school one day last week.

Mrs. Woodside and daughter visited friends and relatives near Silverton last week.

Lernetta, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Williams, died at the home of A. Erickson last Sunday evening. The cause of her death is not known. The funeral was on Tuesday and the little one was buried at the Graham cemetery.

Albert, Elma, Elmer and Pearl Erickson visited at the Murphy home last Wednesday evening.

Blue Bell.

Nick Poindexter and J. Kunz went to their ranch on the Abernethy, the Draper place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Heckart have arrived from Seattle and are visiting among relatives and friends here this week. Mr. Heckart has sold his possessions in cattle and is going to try his fortune.

Grandpa and Grandma Frost are both quite poorly this week. Grandpa Frost has had a serious setback. Drs. Stuart and Carl are in attendance.

Frank Curran is recovering from her sickness, but her mother is quite poorly.

W. W. May is moving a building which he purchased from H. B. Nickles, to the back part of the store. They are also making other improvements.

Mount View Fire Co., No. 4, have elected a new foreman, G. B. Jefferson.

J. W. Currin, the former foreman has entered the retired list.

Gambling seem to be the order of the day at the fire house. Authorities of the city, please investigate.

Liberal.

J. E. Coates was digging a well Monday. At the depth of five feet he struck a pile of burnt rock with the charcoal still there. In this rock and coal he found a beautiful arrow head.

The farmers are all anxiously waiting for good weather to finish their seeding.

Everybody is or has been butchering hogs of late.

A wild goose has made the acquaintance of Mrs. Deck Skeen's tame geese, and is getting quite tame.

Mrs. Dick Skeen, S. Wright and family and Miss Conrad were the guests of Mr. Simmons and family Sunday.

L. Wiles and Miss Lida Simmons called on Miss Gans Sunday evening. Lewis has become a Baptist.

J. O. Morris made a pleasant call Sunday. He looks as young as ever.

Mrs. G. W. Martin, of Oregon City, spent several days of last week with her sister.

Mrs. Albert Woodside and daughter, of Mulino, passed through Liberal Monday on their way home from Silverton.

James F. Nelson butchered his "lot hog" at last. The swine went on an exploring trip as far as the mouth of the Molalla, then became disgusted and returned.

Miss Effie Morey, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is improving.

Messrs. Gray, Robbins, Farr and Robbins left here Saturday morning for Clackamas Station, with a hundred head of cattle. But Warren forgot the "pig."

N. H. Darnell and son, Johnnie, returned home from their mountain ranch with some cattle on Monday.

School closed Tuesday evening until next Monday.

Our blacksmith, J. Atkins, has been working the past week on hooks and chains for Atkins logging crew.

Mrs. J. Atkins has been sick the past week, also Mrs. E. Austin. Both are getting along nicely.

Fred Woodside, of Mulino, was seen on our streets last Friday.

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. D. Skeen at their home last Tuesday evening. When the guests were ushered in, the astonished look of Mr. and Mrs. Skeen told that the surprise was complete. The evening was passed with games, etc. A dainty lunch was served at which all departed for home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. W. Skeen, Misses Sadie and Lida Simmons, Edna Conrad, of Marquam, Della Glover, Lillian Gans, Alta Skeen; Messrs. G. White, A. Zweifel, P. Wright, W. Wiles and Cassie Skeen.

Our genial mail carrier, Patrick Duffy, has a good joke on sale, but when he gives him the lodge grip he laughs and forgets the joke.

Billy Vaughan, who went to Eastern Oregon last week, returned Saturday with four horses.

Newt Earr left here Wednesday morning with a drove of mutton sheep for Charles Albright.

Say, it seems strange to see how some will take small jokes on themselves, when they are not on them at all. Nothing like being wise!

SYDIA.

Carus.

Mrs. Erickson visited Mrs. Metzger Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Stevens spent Sunday with Miss Bertha Spangler.

A dinner was given by the Tassel trimmers at the home of Mr. Spatz Sunday. A good time was enjoyed by those present feasting on turkey and other good things. Those present were Misses Edith Sackson, Hazel Fanton, Edna Irish, Kate Jones, Iva Irish, Emma Jones, Tilly Thomas, Mrs. Minnie Fanton, Mrs. O. Spangler, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Spatz.

Mr. Bleam, of Washington, was visiting his niece, Mrs. Spatz last week.

Allen Edwards is quite ill with typhoid.

Mrs. Bowers and daughter, Mrs. Nellie Bergstrand, of Portland, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Spangler.

Jacob Spangler has purchased Joe Eaton's farm.

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The Courier will distribute among its subscribers \$150.00 in gold on the afternoon of New Year day next. We have secured a mammoth pumpkin which is on exhibition in the window of the Courier office. Its weight exactly 100 pounds. Every subscriber to the Oregon City Courier who pays one year's subscription will be entitled to make one estimate upon the number of seed in this splendid specimen of the genus pumpkin. An additional guess may be made for each additional subscription paid. Subscribers who have paid their subscriptions and made one estimate may take additional estimates at fifty cents each. To the subscribers making the closest estimates as to the number of seeds in the pumpkin the following prizes will be awarded:

- For the First Best Guess.....\$50.00 in gold
- For the Second Best Guess..... 25.00 in gold
- For the Third Best Guess..... 15.00 in gold
- For the Fourth Best Guess..... 10.00 in gold
- For the Fifth Best Guess..... 10.00 in gold
- For the Sixth Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Seventh Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Eighth Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Ninth Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Tenth Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Eleventh Best Guess..... 5.00 in gold
- For the Twelfth Best Guess..... 2.50 in gold
- For the Thirteenth Best Guess..... 2.50 in gold
- For the Fourteenth Best Guess..... 2.50 in gold
- For the Fifteenth Best Guess..... 2.50 in gold

In event of two or more persons guessing any winning number that prize will be divided.

On the after noon of New Year day at two o'clock P. M. the pumpkin will be cut and the seeds counted by a committee of well known citizens of Oregon City and the prizes awarded to the successful estimators.

We want 2,000 paid up in advance subscribers to the Courier by the first day of January, 1903. Can't you help us to get them. We are giving you an elegant opportunity.

Drop into the office, take a look at the pumpkin and leave us an estimate on the number of seeds that it contains together with your subscription. If not convenient to come to the office send us a check or money order for the amount you want to invest in the Courier. All subscriptions in arrears are entitled to participate to the extent of one estimate for each subscription paid. If you are already a subscriber, pay up the old score if behind and renew for one year in advance and make as many estimates as you pay subscriptions, if you are not on our list get on as soon as you can, and take a lesson in agriculture by estimating the number of seed in the pumpkin.

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