

CORRESPONDENCE

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Dick Skinner and family moved back to Canby this fall. They are living in the Billy Kruger house.

Mr. Gobel is still sawing wood in the bottom for different parties.

James Wilkerson and wife, who live in Polk county, were in Canby a few days ago. Mr. Wilkerson carried the mail here for a number of years.

There have been some Christmas trees shipped from here already.

Folk Gribble was in Canby on Friday. He has raised a fine band of turkeys this year.

Irvin Wheeler has a real estate office in Canby at present.

We understand that some people from Oklahoma came to Canby a few days ago, and several of them had the influenza. Don't know how they are at present.

We are having a lot of rain here lately. It is claimed that it is healthy for Oregon. We hope it is.

Harvey Bissel has come back to Canby.

Mrs. Cochran was calling on friends Sunday.

Lillian Wheeler is staying with Mrs. Rape at present.

Oliver Bailey, who lives on the Canteratte place, was in Canby trading on Saturday.

Mr. Coe is still peddling apples in these parts. He had a large crop this year.

MACKSBURG

School has again been closed on account of several cases of "Flu" in our district.

Julius Ganske came home on Saturday after spending one month with relatives in Canada. During his absence his family were ill with the "Flu" but have now fully recovered.

The family of Adolph Kraxberger is ill with the Spanish Influenza.

Rudolph Etzel has gone to Oregon City to work in the mills.

Rufus Kraxberger, George LaMour and John Kummer, who were with the "colors," have come home to stay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Etzel have received word that their son, William, has been seriously ill, but is now getting along nicely. He is stationed at Camp Lewis.

The first toll of influenza victim in our vicinity was that of Henry Goebel, who passed away on Sunday, December 15.

Charles Kraxberger and daughter, Charlotte, were in Portland two days last week on business.

Rev. Lucas was an Oregon City visitor several days last week.

Miss Elsie Kraxberger has gone to work at Milwaukie.

CHERRYVILLE

Merry Christmas to all and sundry. All soldiers who get back in time will surely be shown a Merry Christmas.

We are ostensibly Christians but we have so far failed to live up to the sublime doctrines of the Prince of Peace. Perhaps we shall do better in the future. Let us hope so at least. It is to the credit of humanity with all of their faults and frailties that they admire and reverence the character of Christ, miserably as they have failed to live up to the Golden Rule.

Carnegie's daughter is about to be married and will fall heir to more than \$50,000,000. Let's see, wasn't it Carnegie that said it was a disgrace for a man to die rich?

How absurd sound some of the ex-kaiser's speeches, uttered in his pride five or ten years ago. "I will lead you into glorious days," he says when speaking to his people. Instead he led over a million of them into bloody graves and more than twice that number into a crippled condition for life, besides heaping on the rest of them a mountain of debt.

W. G. Webber went to Portland last week and was treated for a dislocation of one of the vertebrae of his spinal column by a chiropractic doctor, and says he has never felt so well in many years.

The cases of the "Flu" are nearly all over here. As soon as people

quit talking about it they don't have it.

Archie Averill writes from France that as soon as news of the armistice reached our lines the soldiers went wild with joy. All work was stopped and a parade was formed, which led to a nearby town, where a splendid ovation was given them, and a speech was made by the French mayor, who told the "Yanks" that they saved his country from destruction by the bloody Huns. The French helped us in the Revolution and now they are paid back.

What did Yankee Doodle do, do, do? Oh, what did Yankee Doodle do? He flew across the ocean With the Red, White, and Blue!

He fought on land and in the air And on the deep blue sea And everywhere and all the time He fought for Liberty.

He did not fight for glory, Or land to claim his own, But to hurl the bloody kaiser From his high and lofty throne.

He carried the lofty banner Through the pleasant land of France, And many a gallant Frenchman Gave it a joyous glance.

He fought the brutal Hun On many a bloody field, And always won the fight, Nor not an inch did yield.

All honor to this gallant band, Who fought in land and sea And won great and high renown, And made the whole world free.

And now they are coming home— The ships are on the main— We'll welcome them with open arms And give them glad acclaim.

SOLDIER WANTS WORK

WANTED:—Work, by discharged soldier. Has Ford car that can be used in work. Phone 29F11, or address B, Courier Office, Oregon City.

TWILIGHT

Really your correspondent has been flattered. Several in our community have missed the Twilight items.

A more favorable fall and early winter is difficult to conceive, and the growing grain evidences that fact. It has also been appreciated by live stock and the farmers short of feed.

Herman Scheer, wife and two children, have returned to this county after a two-years' residence in Wyoming.

Mrs. Curtis Dodds spent the latter part of last week in Portland with her husband.

The Pacific highway road work being completed in this section will be felt by a number of our community who have benefitted thereby the past six months.

Brad, King and Jenison are having wood cut, for the market, in this vicinity.

It requires feed to make pork and, if a disbeliever of this doctrine, you should visit a "town farmer's" hog lot in this neighborhood.

L. E. Bently and family recently visited the former's father in the Marquam district.

A stag card party at A. H. Harvey's, a "Flinch" game for the kiddies at Mrs. King's, together with a social event given at the home of Miss Florence Bently to the sixteen-year-olds, aided in passing the stormy weather of the past 10 days.

As a community, we claim the distinction of a chairman of the Board of Education, who sends his first-grade children to another school, and still claim is made of our hostility, and lack of confidence.

Our "Flu" victims are all making a rapid recovery.

The F. C. Helm property recently disposed of at public auction, brought considerably less than its real value. A case of inclement weather, light attendance and purchasers of commodities they did not need.

Mrs. Tom Kelland and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kelland, of Portland, last week, and incidentally, flirted with Santa Claus.

Your correspondent has been plac-

ed at the head of the Red Cross effort for this district, and is hopeful of his ability to make a one hundred per cent record for our community. We have passed over the summit, in every war request made on us thus far. Some have surpassed their ability, while an extremely small minority have said "Let George do it," but as a whole we shine, and to the great majority, let me express my appreciation of their reception, to me and my deputies, whenever approached on the needs of our Uncle Sam. As a whole no more generous community exists, nor more enthusiastic Loyalists. Actually we were met at the front gate, purse in hand awaiting our dictation as to how much we wanted.

Mrs. King is entertaining the "school mom," and is succeeding immensely, judging from the teacher's affable greeting each morning.

Old Germany thought it was crippling France for life, when in 1870 it assessed an indemnity of a million dollars in addition to the cession of Alsace-Lorraine. What must be the subject terror of the German people on approaching the peace conference of the Allies, with the prospect of inheriting a burden in excess of a hundred billion, a result of their world empire aspirations, and it taking preference to their own war debt of approximately thirty billion.

The Red Cross society has recently finished a quilt, which will be sold at auction New Year's Eve, when an entertainment, followed by refreshments, occurs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harvey will be entertained Christmas by their son, Clyde, at Seattle, their first vacation together for a good many years.

The old Oregon worm fence, unhappily betrays the meanderings of many well thought of people. In fact the most of us can recall some of its crooks, and still out of jail.

A. E. Little has recently added a fireplace to their already cozy home.

With the object in view of connecting the South End with the Central Point road, viewers will shortly make a survey of the proposed highway, which has its western terminus at the Twilight school building. It will be a great convenience to the community from both a school and social viewpoint. The right of way has been largely donated, further evincing the excellent community spirit.

There is some talk of a new community hall for this neighborhood.

A question for discussion before the literary society is: "Is a wife's Refusal to Dig Up the Price of a Pig, Sufficient Grounds for Divorce?" The neighborhood is about equally divided on the subject.

Henry Scheer has completed a new garage at his home, that excites approval of his handiwork.

FARM BUREAU HAS ANNUAL MEETING

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the county agent next year will be a corn-growing contest. Prizes will be awarded the best acre of corn, and there are a large number of farmers already getting ready to capture the first prize. Mr. Seymour, the Industrial Club leader, warned the Farm Bureau that the boys and girls would give the older men a close race for this prize. In addition to these projects, demonstrations of the best methods of draining will be given.

In addition to the county agent work, Mr. Seymour outlined the work that is planned for the Boys' and Girls' clubs. Mrs. McComb, of Corvallis, and Mrs. M. C. Young, of Willamette, spoke of the program of the Home Demonstration agent, Mr. J. D. Brown talked on the labor situation as it concerns reconstruction, and showed the value of the U. S. Employment Service for farmers. Mr. Kaderly briefly outlined the work of county agents throughout the state.

The following officers were unanimously elected for the coming year: President, H. G. Starkweather, Concord; vice-president, H. C. Stephens, Estacada; secretary, Mrs. John Gaffney, Oregon City.

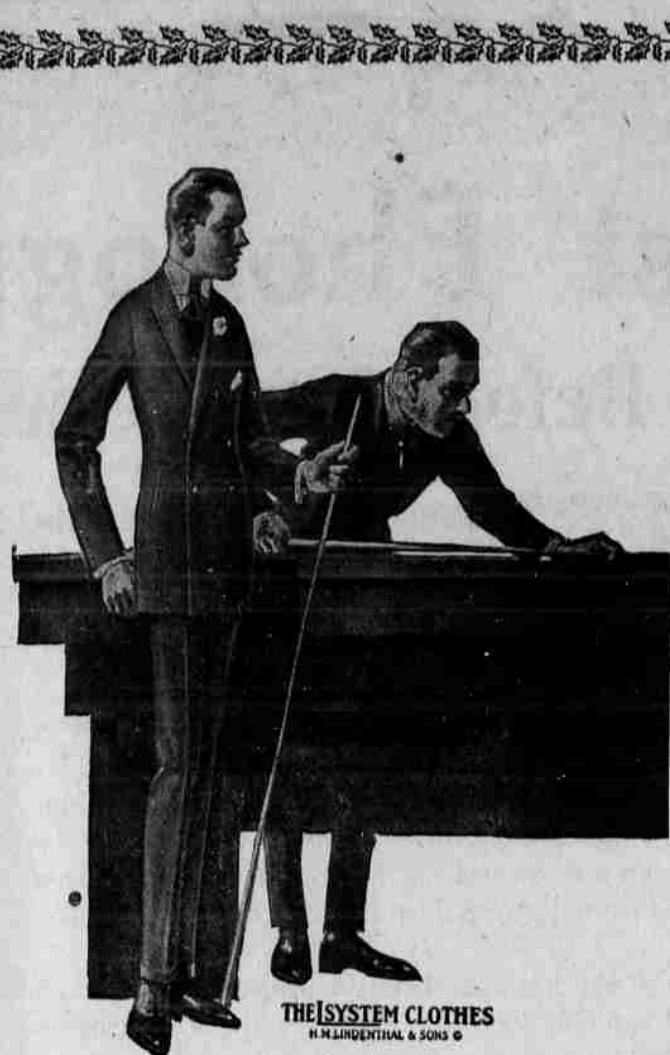
ADDITIONAL OBITUARIES

Dan Colson Dan Colson, of Willamette, died at the home of his son, Harry Colson, at that place, Sunday from influenza. He had been ill but a short time. Mr. Colson was 50 years of age, and leaves a wife, one son, Harry, and three daughters. One daughter lives in the East, and funeral arrangements will not be made until word is received from her.

Dudley Woodward The funeral of the late Dudley Woodward, who died from pneumonia at the St. Vincent's hospital, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Holman & Pace chapel, with Rev. E. E. Gilbert, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The deceased was a member of the Knights of Security and the Royal Order of Moose, and members of the two orders attended the services. Interment was in the Mountain View cemetery.

Zacharia Conrad The funeral of Zacharia Conrad, who died at his home at 1014 Fifteenth street, Monday night from paralysis, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Brady funeral parlors. Rev. S. W. Seeman, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated. Mr. Conrad had been a resident of this city for nine years, coming here from Franklin county, Kansas, where he was born 54 years ago. He was a member of the Fraternal Brotherhood order, and members of the lodge attended the services. Interment was in Mountain View cemetery. Mr. Conrad is survived by his wife, and son, Raymond, of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Mollie Simpson, of Centerville, Kansas; Mrs. Lillian Conrad, of Anaheim, Cal.; three brothers, Franklin, of Salem; Dow, of Oklahoma, and John, of Iola, Kansas.

Fifteen thousand automobiles since August 1 have been shipped to France for the Red Cross.



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JOE SWARTZ

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TRAINING LITTLE CHILDREN

Suggestion by mothers who have been kindergartners. Issued by the United States Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C., and the National Kindergarten Association, 8 West Fortieth Street, New York.

(By Mrs. Alice Barton Harris)

I sometimes wonder what the child is able to show in the way of self-dependence and initiative when the inevitable day arrives that he must stand on his own feet. It seems to me that he is never left alone. In well-to-do families he usually passes from the teacher's hands directly into the hands of his governess or tutor, who instantly assumes the responsibility for his safety and well-being. He works and plays under supervision, and has no opportunity to develop initiative or a sense of responsibility. In the name of education we are crippling what we should cultivate. The best way to develop initiative is to let the child alone for

self-respecting servant would dream of setting foot. There was a rough little cabin in it, which was quite adequate for a summer home. Our object was to have a place where the children could stretch their bodies and souls, and incidentally where their parents could also—where light and heat and water did not come by means of taps and buttons.

We had to do all the work ourselves and the boys, then 5 and 6, were expected from the beginning to do their share. They fetched the milk from the nearest farm, a half mile distant, realizing fully that if they did not get it there would not be any milk, a crisis which could not exist in town. We have most of our dinners outside over a camp fire, which, of course, the boys soon learned to make. They often serve us doubtful meals, over which they labor joyfully for hours beforehand. They have absolute freedom to wander over the mountains with only their

dogs for protection. There are hours and hours when I have no idea where they are, and they come home with the most wonderful adventures to recount. For four months out of every year they live the life of the pioneer boy.

To Guard Against Influenza Don't let the dread influenza get you. If you have even the slightest cough or cold, better begin using Foley's Honey and Tar at once. Henry Willis, Sandy Point, Texas, is one of many thousands who consider this remedy "just fine." He says: "I suffered severely with a bad cough; after using four or five dollars' worth of different medicines decided to try Foley's Honey and Tar. One bottle gave relief. Best medicine I ever used." Contains no opiates.—Jones' Drug Co.

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