

CORRESPONDENCE

Shubel. SUREL, Feb. 12.—It has been a long time since our illustrious burg has been prominently connected with your great field of general correspondence. Now I think we ought to shine as bright in the firmament of news as any of our neighbors, and so will renew our relations with you, by sending a few items. Miss Calla Hornschuh is very sick. The doctor says it is a gripe mixed with a little fever. Laura Gintner has been confined to her bed for a week on account of sickness. We had a very entertaining spelling school last Tuesday evening, and the best of order prevailed. Miss Henrietta Muldenbauer spent last Wednesday evening with her friend, Millie Gintner. E. W. and Christ Hornschuh went to Carus today on a visit. Martin Massinger went to the examination last week. Miss Ivy Harrington taught the primary department meanwhile. Edward Hettman was a visitor at the home of Christ Hornschuh today. Our school will soon come to a close. Miss Harrington has proven herself an efficient teacher. Charlie Moelnke went to town yesterday to spend Sunday. Quite a number of coons lost their lives during the recent snow. Emil Hornschuh and Oscar Gintner killed three one day. Miss Pearl Harrington, of Highland, spent a few days with friends in our neighborhood last week. Call again, Pearl. Miss Mary Wittrock, who has been sick for some time, is almost well, we are pleased to note. Mr. Bluhm has his pond dammed again and is ready to chop all kinds of grain once more. Eagle Creek. EAGLE CREEK, Feb. 12.—The last freeze was very severe on fall grain. Some may have to be re-seeded in this section. Edward Chapman left last week for Eastern Oregon. There was an enjoyable surprise party at H. F. Gibson's last Wednesday night. Last night there was a farewell party at J. W. Douglass, in honor of Albert Douglass, who expects to start for Dufur tomorrow to work at his trade, blacksmithing. Mr. Houghan and wife are visiting at Mr. Rowen's, Mrs. Hogan's father and mother. They have been away several years. Wm. Cooke, of Damascus is visiting friends at Eagle Creek. Hood View. HOOD VIEW, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Jane Baker is improved in health since last reports. Mrs. Schulpius, who died in Oregon City last week was the mother of Mrs. Wagner, of Wilsonville and Mr. Max Schulpius, of Oregon City. She was buried at the pleasant Hill cemetery last Saturday. Mrs. C. T. Tooze returned home last week after a week's visit with friends in Oregon City. C. T. Tooze, who has not been very well recently, is quite ill again. Rev. A. Brady, pastor of the Hood View church, is holding a protracted meeting this week. Wm. Olier is erecting a new fence around his residence. G. Jeager has erected a new wood shed and shed to his barn this winter. The children of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Young have a new bicycle, but have to wait for good roads before they can ride it. Amiel Jeager is clearing another piece of land this winter. Many sacks of potatoes were frozen in the neighborhood during the last freeze. Carus. CARUS, Feb. 14.—The farmers conclude the late freeze has not materially damaged the fall sown wheat. The trouble with Fred Hornschuh's knee instead of erysipelas as we stated last week has proved to be an abscess. Dr. Carl and Sommers came out last Tuesday and lanced the swelling. At a special school meeting held Saturday Feb. 11. M. E. Londen was elected director, vice Mr. Lewis resigned. At that school meeting the bill creating a separate board of commissioners for Clackamas county was fully discussed and it was agreed by all present that it was a good bill. Mr. Byland will continue in the school during the spring term. Rev. Burns an evangelist with his estimable wife is holding a series of meetings in the Evangelical church. Much interest is manifested. Fred Hornschuh is still a great sufferer from his injured knee. Miss Mattie Jones returned to Portland last week after a somewhat lengthy stay with her mother, Mrs. David Jones. Miss Katie Jones has been visiting her sister Mrs. Will Evans in Portland, but

is expected home this week. Mrs. R. Richardson has been visiting her son, John Stedam, and family in Oregon City. Marquam. MARQUAM, Feb. 13.—The weather is fine, it seems like spring to have a few warm days again. The body of Mr. Hanson has not been found yet. Mrs. Minier died February 10th, and was buried at the Miller grave yard Sunday, the 12th. A large crowd attended the funeral. Our Mail carrier was sick the other day and sent his eldest daughter out with the mail. When on her way back, about five miles from Marquam, her team ran away and threw her out. Fortunately, she escaped being seriously injured. The harness and buggy were badly wrecked. C. E. Young and Walter Thomas are engaged in breaking bunch-grass horses. It is fun for the boys. Damascus. A small dancing party gathered at the residence of A. M. Cook's Friday evening and enjoyed themselves until almost break o'clock. Among those present were Mr. J. E. Dearford and bride, and we all join in extending to them the heartiest congratulations. J. W. Hilleary is having a dwelling house built adjoining the hall which will be very convenient to the store and Postoffice. The Valentine dance will not be had until next Saturday evening, when a very large crowd is expected. The Maccabees are making a very poor showing, and the churches no better, so nothing is accomplished nor will they ever succeed until they work in harmony. Sunnyside. SUNNYSIDE, Feb. 12.—The Sunnyside literary society met as usual last Friday night and had quite an interesting program; the house being crowded, quite a number attended from Clackamas and Damascus. Mr. Stalaker made a flying trip to Oregon City on Saturday. The roads are very bad here and some of the places are almost impassable, especially the culverts, which are in a very bad condition and need a few new boards on them. Mr. and Mrs. Conklin, who have both had a severe attack of the grip are reported a little better. Mr. James Reed and Charles Hunter have been blowing out stumps on the place of Mr. Henderson's with a new kind of powder which they say is far superior to any other. For sale by McFarland, of Clackamas. Mr. Hunter has been away on a visit to his mothers at Beaverton. There is a large Swale close to Clackamas and the Sunnyside boys had better not go too near. There are rumors of a snug little cottage being built not far from here, and we think that one of the Sunnyside maidens knows all about it. Salmon News. SALMON, Feb. 14.—The Sheeny Creek Mining Co. is working very persistently on their claim. They have tunneled into the mountain about 40 feet and have struck some very good looking quartz. We all hope they will strike something rich. W. E. Welch is having bad luck with his sheep. He lost 19 heads, three from coyotes, and 16 from the effects of leeches, caused from the sheep running on swail land. Our roads are in a very bad condition. The wind blew a great many trees into the road and the water has washed out the roads five or six feet deep in places. It will give Road Supervisor Walkley something to do. Mr. Walkley has gone into the trapping business. He caught a coyote the first night he set his trap and his dog the next day. He is quite proud of his reputation. An Honest Medicine for La Grippe. George W. Waitt of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one 50-cent bottle and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Geo. A. Harding. Christian Homes Wanted. For one boy babe, four months; one boy, two years; one boy, three and one-half years; one boy 10 years; one girl, seven years; one girl, 11 years; all excellent children. For further information concerning them, address L. F. Tobey, superintendent Oregon Children's Home Society, 603 Marquam building, Portland, Or.

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ECONOMY IN TABLE LINENS.

How to Prevent Wear and the Best Methods of Laundering. A fastidious, careful housekeeper always prides herself upon her table nappery, and unless she understands the art of darning and mending it carefully, she has to replace quite often. Then, if she has to consider ways and means, this is quite an item. The first requisite for preserving table linen articles is to learn how to launder them, and a great saving, I have found out, is in having tealcloths, carving cloths and centerpieces (or individual pieces) for your vegetable dishes, etc. Make them of heavy butchers' linen and do not put much work on them. Still they should be made attractive. You can save your big damask dinner cloth by placing these about after it is soiled somewhat—washing it so often soon wears one out, but these little pieces can be laundered every week, and then you can replace them with so little cost. A good way to launder them is this: First mend any thin places carefully, and look to see if there are any fruit or stains of any kind. If so, pour boiling hot water through the stain, then let it dry. Then, instead of using soap (which yellows fine linen), dissolve a tablespoonful of pearlina in a quart of hot water and rub lightly, then rinse. If you just wash the carving cloths and centerpieces, rub lightly with your hands, as they are never soiled much, and rinse in clear water, then iron on wrong side while damp. Your table linens should be washed in the same way, but of course you use your washboard and add more water, but the usual quantity of pearlina is a tablespoonful to a quart of water. It whitens them a pearly white, and you have need of but little bluing. Until you have tried using these little table pieces you will never realize how much saving there is in it, especially if you have company staying in the house and have to change your tablecloth often. It saves in the wear and tear and also in the tablecloth being laundered, which is a difficult and hard thing to get laundered properly, especially in the country.

How to Make Soft Gingerbread.

One cup soft milk, one cup dark rich molasses, one-half cup butter, one-half cup sugar, one egg, one teaspoonful soda, one tablespoonful ginger, two cups bread flour. Warm the butter, molasses and ginger together, add the milk, flour and egg and a pinch of salt, and last the soda dissolved in one tablespoon of warm water. Bake in shallow pans.

How to Keep Children From Toeing In.

The little tots who are inclined to "toe in" when they begin to walk can have this fault quickly rectified if attended to in time. The mother or nurse should rub at least twice a day the

outer side of the little legs with a firm upward stroke. This can be done regularly when putting baby to bed and at such other times as convenient. When the little one climbs into your lap for a "cuddle" or a story is a good time. Hold the little foot in your hand in the correct position. Recollect, do not rub down, and not on the inner side of the leg. The object is to nourish and strengthen the outer muscles, which are proportionately weak. Begin below the ankle and rub to the knee, slowly and quietly, but not too lightly. This treatment faithfully persevered in will soon correct the trouble.

How to Fasten Shoestrings.

To tie a shoestring firmly begin as though an ordinary bow (no knot) were to be tied, but before drawing it up pass the right hand loop through the knot. Then give a steady and simultaneous pull on both loops, and the shoestring will be tied fast. To untie it pull the right hand string.

How to Pot Roast Beef.

About four pounds near shoulder or from round. Put into an iron pot a large spoonful of drippings. When sizzling, put in beef, which has been dusted on both sides with a tablespoonful of flour and half a teaspoonful of pepper. Brown on all sides, raise from pot, invert a small saucer on bottom of pot, pour in a pint of boiling water, replace meat, surround with four young carrots scraped and sliced small, cover closely and simmer slowly for one hour, when sprinkle with a teaspoonful of salt and cook with cover off until almost dry, then remove meat and stir into gravy in pot a scant tablespoonful of browned flour, boil up briskly and serve separately from meat. The carrots remain in gravy.

How to Make Ham Muffins.

Make a light batter of a pint of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a scant cup of milk, one well beaten egg, a little salt and a half teaspoonful of sugar. Chop about a cupful of cold boiled ham very fine and stir into this batter, which, it will be seen, is slightly stiffer than that usually made for fritters. The mixture is baked in muffin tins for 15 or 20 minutes and is more wholesome than the grease fried fritters.

How to Make Sweetbread Salad.

Thoroughly wash the sweetbreads, cover with boiling water and simmer for 20 minutes. Drain; cover with cold water. As soon as cold enough to handle remove all skin and cut in pieces with a silver knife. For each pair of sweetbreads one-half cup of mayonnaise dressing will be required. Mix the sweetbreads with the dressing and serve on lettuce leaves or garnish with celery tops. Celery cut in pieces as for chicken salad can be mixed with sweetbreads if desired.

How to Make Hickory Nut Cookies.

A cupful of butter, two cupfuls of sugar, four cupfuls of flour, one-half cupful of sour milk, a cupful of chopped nuts and a small teaspoonful of soda and three eggs. Dip in sugar before baking.

How to Find Out.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order. WHAT TO DO. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. At druggists fifty cents or one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail, if you send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing be sure and mention that you read this generous offer in the Oregon City Enterprise.

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