

CORRESPONDENCE

Shubel.
SHUBEL, Feb. 20.—Mr. Jack Wallace, of Highland, was a visitor in our neighborhood yesterday.

Several of our farmers attended the Grange at Beaver Creek on Saturday last and reported a pleasant time.

E. F. Guenther hauled potatoes to Oregon City last week for Peter Boblander for which he realized 75 cts a sack.

We are pleased to note that our primary teacher Martin Massinger has passed the recent teachers examination.

Friday is the last day of school. There will be a short program in the afternoon accompanied with graduating exercises.

E. W. Hornschub's family is on the sick list.

Joe Kirchen, of Logan, was in our neighborhood last week, trying to purchase a good work horse somewhere. There are scarce somehow.

Valentines were quite plentiful in this community last Tuesday.

There was a dance given at the home of Mr. Beeson on last Tuesday night. All report having had a pleasant time.

Emil Hornschub has gone to Salem to spend a few days. When he returns his sister Lena will come with him.

Grain has suffered considerable in our community also by the recent frost.

Sandy.

SANDY, Feb. 19.—Max Kleigel and Thos. Dunn are employed decorating the interior of the Catholic church.

Mr. Shay, of Pleasant Home, grandfather of C. S. Chase, of this place, is past recovery from dropsy.

A. Katzer and wife are confined to their house with la grippe.

S. E. Stone and A. W. Peck each intend building saw mills at once.

Wm. Phelps, superintendent of the Bull Run Pipe line headworks was in Sandy today.

Robert Jonsrud, of Sandy, has just been awarded a patent for an improved cable grip very useful in stump pulling.

R. Stucke a young man, of Firwood had his right hand severely bruised last week, a gun exploding in his hands. He evidently had a narrow escape as there was nothing left of the gun.

J. H. Revenue has been commissioned a notary public by Gov. T. Geer.

Thomas Slinger, of Portland, has been giving Sandy River a thorough inspection with a view to driving logs and reports condition O. K.

Barton

BARTON, Feb. 20.—It has been a long time since our illustrious burg has been prominently connected with your great fields of general correspondence.

There was a Valentine ball at Damascus hall on the 18th. Quite a number of young people were in attendance from Barton.

La grippe has been quite prevalent around here lately.

Miss Annie Henkle, is visiting her sister Mrs. Brackett at Eagle Creek.

Mr. Gabel and Chas. Norris are working at Mr. Johnson's mill.

The school will be out the 3rd of March. Under the management of Miss Myrtle Griffith. Some of the young people are going to leave for Eastern Oregon before long. You know who.

Harmony

HARMONY, Feb. 21.—Our school will close after next week for a week's recreation.

Mr. Clark has sold his timber, recently purchased, to Mr. Kribs.

The grip visited us recently and claimed a number of victims, all of whom recovered.

Quite an acreage of wheat was sown here last fall, which the recent freeze made look quite yellow in spots, but most of the farmers think it will come out all right, which it is already doing, and that but little damage will result.

Our school library of some 500 books is still growing, and nearly all of the books now registered are in constant circulation.

Pastor R. D. Streyffler preached an able and interesting sermon to a well filled house last Sunday morning.

Stafford

STAFFORD, Or., Feb. 21.—Died, George Pappenburg, on the 19th inst., at 5 o'clock p. m., at his old home in Washington county near the Willamette meridian. Mr. Pappenburg was born at Einberg, Germany, Jan. 6, 1824, came to America in 1848 and settled in Illinois, later mined in California for four years, then came to Oregon and lived on his farm continuously for 33 years. He married Mrs. Martha Alberts in '82, she died in '93 leaving no children. He had been a Mason and a member of the Fountain Grange. The interment took place in the cemetery on the corner of his farm Tuesday afternoon.

Born, at Samuel Mosers on the 13th, a boy. Also a boy at John Johnsons on the 14th.

Carl Elligman, aged 8 years, on the 18th fell off a picket fence while climbing over and broke his leg. He had thrown his ball over the fence then started after it, gaining the top of the fence he made a spring, his pants leg

caught and cramped his leg until it broke. Dr. Seaman was summoned and reduced the fracture. At present writing the boy is resting easily.

Mr. Weisenborn and family is very sick with la grippe.

Miss Edna Larson is reported to be improving.

Miss Ida Frances has been moved to Oregon City. She has been confined to her bed at Mr. Weddles for most three weeks with la grippe and nervous prostration.

Miss Julia Spooner is teaching school during Miss Frances's illness.

Some very nice weather is now with us and it brightens us up and makes us feel quite spirited.

A new heating stove at the school house now takes the place of the old box one. Base burners take the cake and do not use nearly as much wood as the old style.

Notices are up that at the annual school meeting there will be some business, a woodhouse and cistern are contemplated. Now you taxpayers in district 41 had better be on hand this time or you may go about again scratching your back hair.

Frank Weddie has felled all the trees that stood in the south end of his field and is clearing the piece up.

Mr. N. B. Gage is spending a few days with his sister-in-law, Mrs. J. J. Howard, at Oregon City.

Jacob Schatz and family spent Sunday with his friends and relatives. About six months ago he moved to Portland to engage in the harness business on a larger scale, not doing well there he removed to Oregon City, where he has been located since. This is their first visit home.

Potatoes have again begun to move. Several are hauling to Oswego and shipping by car, while many more are hauling to the river.

Oswego.

Oswego, Feb. 22.—Dr. Gue gave his lecture "Reminiscence of the Civil War" at Grange hall last Saturday night. After the lecture an oyster supper was served by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church. The affair was a success socially and financially.

The building purchased by the M. E. church for a parsonage has been moved on the church lots and will receive some necessary repairs before being occupied by the minister.

The potato market seems to be quite brisk in Oswego at present. Several car loads have been shipped recently, and farmers are still busy hauling to the cars.

The public schools had special exercises yesterday in honor of the birthday of the father of our country.

Dena Prosser, who fell out of a swing and broke her arm about a week ago, is getting along nicely.

Last Thursday night was a red letter night in the history of Dena, Rebecca lodge of this place. Ten applicants were initiated into the mysteries and mystic workings of the order. After the ceremonies a bountiful supper was spread to which ample justice was done by all, especially by those who had been exercising on that gay and festive animal, called the goat.

Freddy Meyer, the 8-year old son of Conrad Meyer died last Friday and was buried Monday in the Catholic cemetery. It is claimed that the little fellow got a fall while playing at school which resulted in his death, although the doctor in attendance said that death was caused from bronchitis. Mr. Meyer, who has been working for some time at Keswick was wired the news of the death of his son and arrived home Sunday at one o'clock.

Mrs. George Shipley, who died in Portland last Sunday morning, was buried here yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Shipley was the daughter of Wm. Miller, a well-known resident of Oswego. She was married to Geo. Shipley on the 12th of Nov. 1890. She leaves a little boy about five years old and her husband to mourn her loss. The funeral services here were under the auspices of Myrtle Lodge, D. of H. Oregon City, of which Mrs. Shipley had been an honored member, Mistletoe Lodge, D. of H. of this place also assisted in the ceremonies. A large number of friends followed the remains to their last resting place. Mr. Shipley has the sincere sympathy of his many friends in his sad bereavement.

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.

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Dandruff is Dangerous

When dandruff appears it is usually regarded as an annoyance. It should be regarded as a disease. Its presence indicates an unhealthy condition of the scalp, which, if neglected, leads to baldness. Dandruff should be cured at once. The most effective means for the cure is found in AYER'S HAIR VIGOR. It promotes the growth of the hair, restores it when gray or faded to its original color, and keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

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NOT THE ONLY ONE.

Spencers in That Locality Were as Thick as Blackberries.

A half yearly meeting of the directors who manage the Northampton private asylum had just broken up, and Lord Spencer, a member of that body, desiring to reach Althorp Park somewhat more quickly than customarily, determined to return home by a route which intersects the grounds of the asylum and which is rarely used save as a summer parade for the unfortunate lunatics. Arrived at the gate which separates the asylum from the outer world, Lord Spencer, much to his annoyance and disgust, found it securely locked. A keeper, however, happening to come in sight just at that moment Lord Spencer lost no time in explaining to him the nature of his wishes.

The man surlily replied that his orders were to the effect that no one should pass through that gate except due notice were given to him to the contrary by the authorities, and that, being a married man with a wife and a large family, he failed to understand what special advantage was to be gained by transgressing the rules and thus placing his situation in jeopardy. Observing that the fellow was growing obdurate, Lord Spencer thought it best to reveal his name and rank, imagining that a knowledge of the same would recall the man to his senses. Nothing of the sort happened, however.

The stolid features of the keeper simply relaxed into a broad grin, and as he turned to depart he gently explained that Lord Spencers in that particular locality were as plentiful as blackberries in the autumn time. Explanations and expostulations were useless, the discomfited earl being forced to return the way he had come.—Wit and Wisdom.

THE LADY THE WINNER.

Amusing Occurrence in an Office Building Elevator in Chicago.

People who ride in "lifts" in this city acquire some queer experiences at times. The calling of the floors where passengers desire to embark or disembark not infrequently produces some amusing situations. It all depends upon the style of the person making the announcement. Of course conductors are mute participants in the game. Here is one happening of yesterday which is certainly out of the usual run.

Half a dozen passengers entered an elevator in a big downtown office building. Doctors office there almost to the exclusion of other professions. One boy with a package asked to be deposited at the second floor. A woman stood mute while a medical man thought he would leave at the fifth. The conductor turned an inquiring head and the remaining passengers with one voice chiming in full chorus shouted: "Tenth."

"Seven up," murmured a gentle voice as the car reached the indicated floor.

Two men seeking the tenth floor glanced at each other with grins of appreciation as a stenographer, and a pretty one, by the way, entered the car. She seemed unconscious of having created more than passing interest, but the conductor was alive to the situation. "The lady wins," he muttered to himself as he gave the lever a yank and the car shot upward again.—Chicago Chronicle.

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When Rosette Died.

Horace Walpole is a great lover of dogs too. Patapan, Tonton and Rosette (the last the legacy of Miss du Deffand) are certainly the most spoiled of the species, and run all over Strawberry after their master, to the detriment, one would have thought, of the prin gardens and the vertu.

When Rosette dies presently, Horace sends the most touching epitaph on a dog ever written, perhaps, to my Lord Nuneham. "It has no merit," he says, "for it is an imitation, but it comes from the heart if ever epitaph did, and therefore your dogmanity will not dislike it."

Sweetest rose of the year sizz around my Ross's bier. Calmly may the dust repose Of my faithful, pretty bier.

The opening lines at least have the oddest unlikeness to the popular conception of Horace Walpole, if they have some affinity with the man who is the friend and playfellow of little children and can't find it in his heart to turn off an old servant or to give up an old ally.—Longman's Magazine.

How to Dissect a Mosquito.

A needle held in the left hand is passed through the thorax, the legs and wings are pulled off, and, if necessary, the scales of the body brushed off with a camel's hair brush. The tail is then lowered into a drop of water, salt solution or weak formalin placed on a glass slide, and with another needle held in the right hand the last two segments of the tail are partially separated and held down upon the slide. The left hand is then moved in such a manner as to draw away the insect.—Major Ross, I. M. S., in Indian Medical Gazette.

Greatness Thrust Upon Him.

Teacher—Now, then, boy No. 1, who wrote "Macbeth?" Boy No. 1 (trembling violently)—Please, sir, I didn't.

Teacher—I know you didn't, but who did? Boy No. 1 (with a spasm of virtue)—Please, sir, I don't want to be a tattler, but it was Bob Buster, over in the corner seat. I seen him a doin' of it.—Illustrated Record.

Two of a Kind.

Teacher—What is tautology? Boy—Repetition.

Teacher—Give me an example. Boy—We are going to have sheep's head for dinner, and my sister Elsie's young man is coming to dinner also.

Teacher—Go up top.—London Fun.

Cause For a Razor Duel.

Miss Johnson—Don't Mistah Jeffahson look swell. Jes' see de flash ob his diamond stud!

Mr. Jackson—Diamond nuffin! Dat am a disabled papahweight from de bank wha' he am potah!—Jewelers' Weekly.

The use of coats of arms as a badge for different families did not come into practice till the twelfth century. The Germans are said to have originated it, while the French developed the science.

Who is to Blame.

Kidney troubled has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, and it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not a habit as most people suppose.

If the adult has rheumatism; pain or dull ache in the back; if the water passes in irregular quantities; or at irregular intervals or has a bad odor; if it stains the linen or vessel the color of rust; if the feet swell; if there are puffiness or dark circles under the eyes; your kidneys are the cause and need doctoring. Treatment of some diseases may be delayed without danger, not so with kidney disease.

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