# CORRESPONDENCE

Barton

BARTON, Oct. 30 .- Cold weather is the usual greetings now.

Mr. and Mrs. Burghardt were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gorden Sunday. Mrs. Mary Bartlemay is slowly im-

Many of our young people attended the dance at Damascus ail report a good hood Saturday last.

Willie Richey has been visiting friends and relations at Sycamore.

Harry Thorp, of Dundee, has been visiting his many friends here.

E. Preston is working at Troutdale. Miss Dollie Forman returned home

from St. Paul, Oregon. Mr. Gorden is suffering severely from an attack of rheumatism.

Gus Gard returned to his home in San Francisco. We were sorry to see him leave us. Specially Miss - was. O. Aemisegger makes flying trips to

Eagle Creek every Sunday. What does it mean? The road between Barton and the

Douglass farm must be a well beaten track. Listen for the bells.

The mill has been running for two Second street.

Salmon trout are quite plentiful now. Guy and Clyde White are home from Washington where they have been work- and Hubbard, during the past year; ing all summer.

### Sunnyside.

people think that Sunnyside is dead, but than half their original size, interspersed to assure them that it is not, I take every six or eight feet with a new three pleasure in writing the news.

ging their potatoes and getting in full crops.

Mrs. Hubbard and daughter, Ollie, have gone to California to spend the winter.

Mr. Becker and his two sons Fred and John, started to Portland in great style the other morning. They passed along the road with their high-stepping team, but it was not a very long time until they were seen coming back yery muddy and crest-fallen. The kid gloves had vanished and their hands looked very much like they needed a wash pan of water instead. The cause of their condition was that the wagon parted in the middle and the horses went on with the front wheels while the back ones remained in the road. The horses were soon caught and no further damage was

Mr. Robert Dayis and son Claud, from Washington, are visiting relatives here.

here last Sunday. Mrs. Lillian Hunter has been quite rotting.

sick for the last two or three weeks but is some better now.

ing at Logan last Sunday. Born, to the wife of Mr. Gillam, a

daughter. Mr. Marion Reed has been quite sick

but is improving rapidly now. Mr. Wise has sold his place here and

has moved to Clackamas.

## Milwaukie.

MILWAUKIE, Oct. 29-Mr. R. Scott is Mother and child doing well. much improved in health and able to attend to business.

Mr. Ed. Bottemiller has rented his Ellen J. Lawrence. mother's farm and wants to buy a good team, but finds good big work horses chronic stomach trouble. scarce. The farm produced a good crop of prunes this year and 4,000 boxes of tomatoes notwithstanding the season was unprofitable.

Mr. P. L. Brown, who is part owner in the Silverton electric light plant, was visiting Prof. L. L. Moore this week. He reports business flourishing in Silverton and additional machinery necessary.

Those of Milwaukie attending teachers monthly association meeting at Oswego were Misses Ross, Sleeper, James and Oliver and L. L. Moore and wite. They praised the dinner very highly.

Thirteen pupits of Milwaukie school attended the exposition on Telegram day.

The United Artisans will give a free entertainment in the town hall on Monday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Rev. G. W. Grannis, of Salem, will be the main speaker. There will be good talent from local assemblies. Everybody welcome.

Miss Mabel Morgan of Martinez, Cal., is visiting Mrs. Moore. She will leave for California Monday next. She speaks very highly of the Willamette Valley and says it is far superior to Cal.

A large number of Milwaukie's lovers of good plays went to hear that popular play "Yon Yonsen."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clark, of Clackamas, were visiting Milwaukie friends during the week.

## Stafford,

STAFFORD, Oct. 30,-The past week has been very rainy a few more days like the past and ditches will begin to oarry water.

Many are the cases of colds.

The annual tooth ache time is at hand and those without an aching jaw are an

Plowing has been commenced in

Gross' have a lot of oats standing in

Gage's buckwheat looks rather the worse for the weather. It is not cut. Henry Schatz has bought a new plow, a Bissell.

The Oswego butcher did not make his regular rounds through this neighbor-

This has been the best season for young clover there has been for years, as all that was sown made a good growth and also all fields that had ever been in clover has come on volunteer and in many it looks like a shame to turn such a splendid stand under.

Notwithstanding the evening was stormy the A. O. U. W's had a good attendance at their last meeting.

### Needy News.

NEEDY, Nov. 2 .- Everybody and all his friends are digging potatoes.

An assistant has been added to the school and both rooms are now in ses-

The new bridge at this place is completed and is a credit to the town as well as the supervisor, who had charge of its construction. The grade on the west, months day and night till Saturday end of the bridge has been minimized, night when everything was quiet on so that it can no longer be classed with the many steep hills of the county.

Clackamas county has rebuilt its part of Pudding river trestle, between here while Marion county's part of the same trestle is patched and repatched until the original is completely lost sight of SUSSYSIDE, Oct. 29.-Perhaps some Two inch plank, worn to a little more inch plank does not make a very agree-Most of the farmers are very busy dig- able road to drive over. But, if Marion county officials have other use for their funds we will not complain if we have to lash our mortal trames to our buggy seats to prevent being thrown out by its corrugated trestles

Great was the consternation and widespread was the fear during the past ten days caused by the terrific roars of some could be produced by no other animal will soon be home again. than a panther or his cousin the cougar. Bold hunters scoured the forests with the able management of Mr. Vincent. gun and dog while the women and children bolted the doors to prevent an attack by this animal. The animal however remains uncaptured, but it has been so definitely located that all fear has left us.

## Wilsonville.

WILSONVILLE, Oct. 31.-Pague says 'rain" but the weather here is fine and potato digging is the order of the day, Prof. Stalnacker, who is teaching the the crop is a large one, but the tubers Clackamas school was visiting friends are very knotty as a rule and a good deal of complaint is made about the potatoes

Wheat is below the cost of production and as there is but little doing in the Mr. and Mrs. Norris Davis were visit- hop business, and that little very unsatisfactory farmers are far from flush with

M. C. Young has shipped his crop of hops to New York.

& Co, of London, England has shipped his residence. about 300 bales of the 1899 crop of hope to London.

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Mrs. W. A. Crisell, wno has for some wild beast. The woods echoed and re- time been sick with typhoid fever in the echoed with screams and moans that hospital in Portland is much better and

Our school is progressing finely under

Charley Ritter, who has been in bed for nearly three months with a diseased hip bone, is we are pleased to say better and will soon be able to walk again.

J. B. Seely had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse lately with the colic.

## Ely.

ELY, Nov. L-Mr. Moran is much better. He is entirely free of fever and resting easy, but is still confined to his bed by his injured leg which is too weak to use, though it is gaining steadily.

The condition of Mr. Pierce's amputated finger not being satisfactory Dr. Carll deemed it necessary to remove Mo., writes: "Six weeks ago I began another portion of it, taking it off between the knuckle and the hand. Mr. Pierce is able to go down to the doctor's office, every other day, to have it dressed. from scarlet fever. Thick, glossy hair is

Frank Bullard is having lumber laid now coming in, and I am positive the C. T. Tooze, agent for Thos. Usborne down for a new yeranda on the front of

C. Schuebel went hunting Friday afternoon, returning Saturday bringing one pheasant and two quails as trophies

of his skill. Robert Bullard having lately taken to himself a helpmate is moving out on his rauch near Carus, intending to become a granger and grow up with the country.

Mrs. Benell adn Mrs. Mathews took

They were informed that the tides were higher than they had been for 23 years.

an outing to Ilwaco to see the ocean.

### Orwego

Oswego, Nov. 1 .- The Teachers' Association held their monthly meeting last Saturday at the school house. About thirty teachers were present from different parts of the county and a pleasant and profitable day was spent by all, The ladies of Oswego with their usual hospitality, prepared and served a fine

An Epworth League has been organized by the young people of the M. E. church.

The last meeting of the Artisans was signalized by the reception of five members and a splendid lunch.

Rev. H. L. St. Clair, who has been appointed to the pastorate of the M. E. church, preached last Sunday morning in the M. E. church.

The ghost walked-yes there was a whole procession of ghosts at the Congregational church last night. The the young people of that church gave a Hallow'en social, the leading feature of which was a procession of Hallow'en ghosts. There were tall ghosts, and short ghosts, ghosts of substantial breadth and petite ghosts, staid and sober, and ghosts full of vivacity, but when unmasked great Caesar what an array of feminine loyeliness. But from ghosts and angels we must descend at one bound to soup and clam chowder, cake, coffee and confections, which was served by the aforesaid ghosts and angels and in all it was a time long to be remembered by those present and netted a sum for the Sunday school treasury.

There has been a change of management at the works of the Oregon Iron & Steel Co., Mr. Addis retiring from the general superintendency and Mr. Gardiner from the local superintendency. A gentlemen whose name your correspondent has been unable to obtain will fill both places made vacant by the retirement of Mr. Addis and Mr. Gardiner. The pipe foundry is not in operation at the present time.

Helena Anderson who broke his arm two weeks ago is improving rapidly. Grandpa Davis is nursing a crushed

Mrs C. H. Nixon was taken ill very suddenly on Monday morning, but is

much better at this time. Mrs. Ghormly who has been sick for

some time is slowly improving. (Continued on page seven)

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