CORRESPONDENCE

Oswego.

(Too late for last week.)

OSWEGO, Feb. 21.—On last Saturday the house of Olaf Anderson that stood about one mile west of the R. R. station, was entirely destroyed by fire. Mr. Anderson had been up nearly all night looking after the comfort of his wife and two days old babe. About six o'clock in the morning he built a fire in the cook stove and replenished the fire in the heater, and then went to the barn to feed his cows, when he returned he found the roof in a blaze having caught presumably from a spark falling upon the roof. A high wind was blowing at the time. Mr. Anderson barely had time to get his wife and little ones out of the house, into the barn before the roof had tumbled in. Mr. Anderson had $250 in paper money and $40 in gold in the house. After the fire he recovered the gold in small nuggets,—lesson learned never keep paper money except it be in a fire proof safe.

The public school will give an entertainment on next Friday evening in the Grange hall, proceeds to be used in getting a library for the school.

The pipe foundry is again closed down, there are rumors of a change in the near future.

Jas. Coon jr. is traveling in Linn Co., for the Pacific Coast Supply Co.

There is beginning to be just a little slumber in the political pot here.

Sunnyside.

SUNNYSIDE, Feb. 26.—The basket social held at the school house last Friday evening was a great success. Everybody went home well pleased with the evening's work. The sum of $23.95 was raised for the purchase of getting an organ for the school.

Miss Kesiah Wiles, who has been home for the past two months has returned to her work in Portland.

James Besselen has been on the sick list for some time, but is improving now

The Sunnyside band is improving very fast and have had several invitations to call and play for the neighbors which they gladly accepted, as a good supper was generally expected.

Mr. Reed and family have moved to Lents.

Mr. Moll received the contract of building the fence around the school yard.

Mr. Christain has sold his place here and is going to move away soon. They expect to go to Washington.

Frank Griffith had a hard chase after a fox the other night, but finnaly got left.

Shubel.

SHUBEL, Feb. 25.—Martin Massinger is home for a short time.

Wm. Guenther had a break-down on Weidner's hill last Friday.

Miss Ada Moehnke closed a successful term of school in the Clarke district, on Friday last and is home again.

Charlie Grossmiller, lately of California, has been visiting his brothers here for a few weeks.

Miss Millie Guenther, of Oregon City, is visiting her parents for a few weeks.

The women of the German Congregational church formed a women's organization of some kind, during the week. Mrs. Steiner, president; Mrs. Hettman, vice-president; Mrs. E. F. Ginther, secretary; Mrs. Anna Grossmiller, treasure.

Fred and Henry Steiner have completed their contract of cutting 200 cords of wood for Mr. Munsey. Henry intends leaving for Walla Walla in a few days.

Emil Hornschuh has gone to Oregon City to attend the conference of the Evangelical church.

Mr. Fisher has rented a part of the Parry farm.

Last Thursday, while coming home from town Fred Moehnke's wagon upset as he came down the Weidner hill, and Fred was dumped into the mud. He found everything except a few bars of soap.

Milwaukie.

MILWAUKIE, Feb. 27.—Mr. Julious Brotje, our popular flourist, is pruning trees at present.

Several Milwaukie parties attended "Won Back" at the Marquam last Thursday evening.

H. A. Henneman is working in Portland.

Miss Sadie James was presented with a beautiful gold watch and chain on her birthday.

E. W. Bonnell visited Tigerville last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Frank Wills will soon leave to take a job on the O. R. & N. as bridge carpenter.

Mr. J. Keck is on the sick list.

Mr. Stalnaker, principal of the Clackamas school, visited Milwaukie last Thursday.

Several parties in these parts have been notified to spray their orchards.

There was a very quiet wedding in Milwaukie this week. You have the best wishes of ye correspondent.

T. J. Gary attended the drama play.

The One Hunnred, who were going to attend the drama from Portland failed to materialize. The "all wise's" pull must have failed him.

Mr. Bunnell, of Tigerville, was in Milwaukie Saturday.

Miss Elgiva Mullen, who has just finished a successful term of school at Canby as assistant to Prof. Shirley Buck, has returned home.

Marquam.

MARQUAM, Feb. 26.—George Taylor was born in Lincolnshire, England Sept. 20th, 1824, died at the asylum for the insane in Salem, Oregon where he was confined for insanity caused by the excessive use of tobacco. The cause of his death being ceretral hemorrhage. In 1882 he came to Ontario, Canada, where 10 years later he married Rachel Triggerson, who died in 1895. To them were born four children two of whom are living, one a daughter in Ontario, Canada, the other a son in Oregon. He moved to Oregon in 1882.

I. D. Larkins bought a span of horses to replace the ones he sold a short time ago.

George Bently went to Salem on the 24th to be gone a short time.

A. B. Marquam made a trip to the county seat.

Rev. C. A. Luse is assisting Rev. Pedersen at Howell in special services.

Frank Ridings is digging and shifting nursery stock.

Mr. Gray, of Forest Grove, is in town trying to organize a lodge of Artisans.

Harmony.

HARMONY, Feb. 27.—The fall sown grain is "all right." Prospects for fruit are good.

Mr. Higgins is clearing and otherwise improving his place.

Mr. Biddle has broken up several acres of new ground this winter.

Washington's birthday was celebrated by the school last Thursday.

The secretary's report last Sunday, for the Sunday school showed an average attendance of 63 for the month of February.

Wm. Wise has moved with his family to a large farm near Highland.

Wm. Karr, who is teaching school near Eagle Creek came down Friday returning Sunday. While looking over his strawberry patch he found a large berry nearly ripe.

Rev. Charles Heil, of Santa Anna, California, who has been attending college near Chicago, is visiting with relatives here for a few days on his way home.

Miss Ethel Clark, of Clackamas was visiting with relatives here last Sunday.

Isaac Weston, of Springwater, was making calls in this neighborhood today.

Mrs. C. Battin, of Portland, was visiting here Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Duther, who has been quite ill during the past six weeks, is now recovered sufficiently to be about again.

Redland

REDLAND, Feb. 28.—From the appearance of everything spring is at hand. The crowing of the chimney cock, the hoot of the grouse, the drumming of the partridge and the whistle of the quail all are a sure sign of spring. Say Oregon isn't all right when it comes to fine winters.

The social and entertainment given by the children and teacher of the school at Dist. No. 75 was an elaborate affair. The proceeds, $14, will be used to add more books to their library which now contains 90 or more volumns all of which have been earned by the children. Next in importance in a school room to a good teacher and a dictionary comes a good library says our men of education. I wish more could see as we do for it is from books and good literature that is placed into the hands of the children, that do much in shaping their after life and forming in them a desire for good and wholesome reading instead of trash that is circulated broadcast over our country. It is a good library that keeps hundreds and thousands of boys and young men from seeking the saloon and card table, and thus we should take pains to put books that are of value in building up the mind into the hands of the young, whether they be books of fiction or truth. We hope the day will come when all schools will have a library, as our school has, and in this way let the lights of our wise and noble men that have passed and gone shine out that they may be seen and caught by some of our young that are growing up that they may make this world brighter and better by their having lived in it.

Miss Ethel Jones was visiting Miss A. I. Hicinbothem, several days last week.

Miss Maude Stone, who is attending High school at Oregon City was home Washington's birthday and stayed over Sunday. She will soon be home to stay.

Services at both churches were much appreciated by all last Sunday.

James Linn, of Eagle Creek, was visiting his brother B. F. who is quite sick, the first of the week.

Several of the boys from this place took in the dance at Beaver Creek, the 22d Looking up a girl, we suppose, as they did not take one with them. Several also attended the hop given by Harvy Mattoon at Viola, the 24th.

F. W. Sprague is in Portland being attended by a physician for sciatic rheumatism the latter part of last and the first of this week.

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Schuneter has been clearing some land on the Shank place this winter.

Well, it looks as if we should get some help on our road this year as we have been thrust aside with a very small amount heretofore.

Miss Hattie Wilcox left today for Liberal where she is engaged to teach the spring term of school.

Damascus.

DAMASCUS, Feb. 27.—A. C. Newell was home on a visit from Washington, where he has been traveling as agent for a yeast company.

There will be a dance at the hall the 17th of next month.

Earl Tong has purchased a colt lately which he broke without any trouble.

The boys of this place chiviaried John Skirvin at the home of William Skirvin near the Hatchery, they also raised the neighbors along the way.

There was a candy pull at Mr. Tong's the 15th; fortunately there was enough snow so that the crowd got a sleigh ride.

Miss Janette Newell was visiting Miss Lucia Barton, of Portland.

There was singing at Mr. Cooke's last Sunday.

Miss Delsie Newell was out from town and attended the dance Saturday night.

George Feathers is breaking his new horse.

Edward Cox is home from Salem.

Mrs. Bahr received a letter from her son, lately, who is at Manila.

William Cooke gave a hard time party at his home on the 22nd. The evening was spent in playing games until a late hour, when all had a good time pulling taffy. Those present were: Mabel Cox, May Newell, Earl Tong, Elmer Tong, Irvin Houk, Mary Tong, Frank Cox, Rosie Feathers, George and Harry Feathers, Janette Newell, Pletcher and Marion Tong.

Mr. and Mrs. Howlett, of Eagle Creek, were visiting A. W. Cooke.

The Rock Creek school opens Monday, the 26th, with Miss Younger, of Oregon City as teacher.

Ely.

ELY, Feb. 27.—Quite a number of our citizens, headed by Sheriff Cooke went over to Mount Pleasant Sunday afternoon and made a diligent search for the missing Mr. Hendrickson, but could not find any trace of him.

Mrs. Charlotte Bullard has purchased the Pease property, in Holmes' addition, on the installment plan.

Mr. Heater, who has been visiting his cousin, Joseph Lock, left yesterday for Washington, he will make a tour of observation through the Sound country.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schuebel have gone to Portland, to see the elephant. Mrs. Schuebel will visit friends a couple of days.

Graeme.

GRAEME, Feb. 26.—Rev. Parrot and family moved into the parsonage at Hood View and conducted a series of revival meetings the past two weeks.

J. A. Moores' sister, Mrs. M. Rusk, and adopted son, Paul Rusk, arrived from Brimfield, Ill., last week. They are well pleased with Oregon and expect to make it their future home.

The Hood View nine played ball with the Mountain nine last Sunday and the former won.

Messrs. Baker Bros. have their saw mill in running order. They are prepared to fill any bills at the lowest price.

The Dewey debating society gave an entertainment on Feb. 22nd, which was a grand success.

Mr. Chas. Hanson's school, in district No. 82, will close in two weeks, for the present term. Mr. Hanson has taught a good school.

Registering voters is progressing slowly in this precinct.

There is strong talk of a cannery at Wilsonville.

Mr. J. Peters, our worthy young merchant of Wilsonville, is doing a rushing business.

J. A. Moore expects to move away in the near future.

John Baker has rented A. and E. L. Baker's hop yards.

E. G. Jones sold his hops last week for five cents per pound.

Carus.

CARUS, Feb. 26.—Washington's birthday was celebrated in this place by the raising of a flag at the school house. We are informed that this flag was purchased by the contributions of the pupils. On the evening of 22nd, in the M. E. church, the program published in a recent issue of the Enterprise was rendered with great enthusiasm by the pupils, and much interest and appreciation on the part of the audience. Where singing, recitions, dialogues etc. were all so good, criticism must be impartial. The flag drill by several young girls was very prettily executed. A pleasing and unique feature was the "Continental Congress," representing the discussion and signing of the Declaration of Independence. Twelve youths dressed in colonial style with wigs, knee breeches, and low shoes rendered the piece very realistic. The admission fee of 10 cents amounted to about four dollars and fifty cents, which will be used for the benefit of the school.

A large number of Carus young people went to the dance at Beaver Creek on the evening of the 22nd.

A. O. Hayward moved his family from Oregon City to the farm in Carus, week before last.

Molalla

MOLALLA, Feb. 26.—A week's meeting has just closed here under the the work of Elders Moore and Stewart, with one addition by immersion. Mr. Moore handles the scriptures very cleverly, not leaving much base for standing outside of the New Testament.

A reform club was organized here last Saturday night to get in working order for the coming election.

Hon. Geo. C. Brownell gave one of his nice talks here last Saturday to a good audience.

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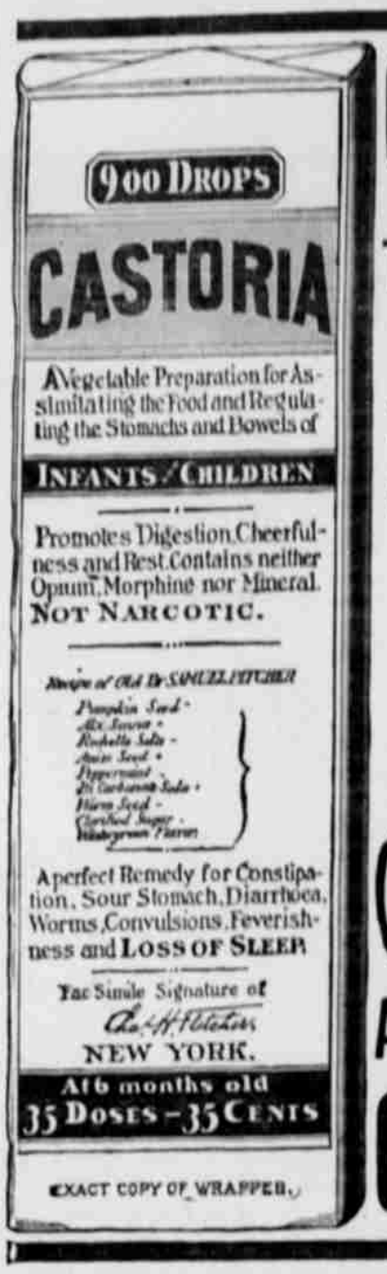

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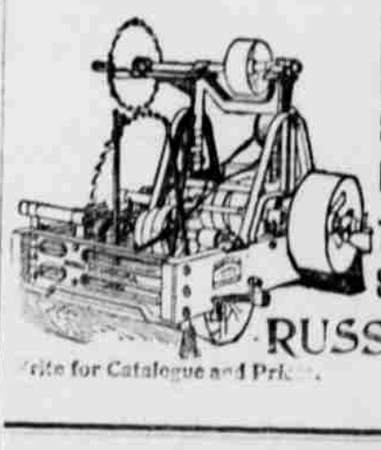

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