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and a couple of lady friends attended the entertainment at the Middle Valley school house Friday evening. The exercises were enjoyed by all present.

The grange met Saturday afternoon in regular session, attended to the regular routine business and initiated one candidate in the third and fourth degrees. Miss Lizzie Cooper, E. C. Miller and Miss Laura Purcell were elected delegates to the county convention at Pine Grove March 5th.

Mr. Clark and wife went to Hood River last Friday and returned Saturday. They went in a sleigh to Odell, then transferred to wagon. They are well pleased with our winter as compared with the old Rickland home in Illinois, where the thermometer has played near zero most of the winter with ice 27 inches thick in the river.

The directors of the hall have come to the conclusion that if the ball boys can't furnish a couple ricks of 24-in wood they will put a stop to the game.

Don't forget the horticultural institute March 9th at 10 o'clock, and don't forget the baskets filled with something to eat.

**PARKDALE**

Washington's birthday came in with a blizzard, as near as we have them here. We had about two and a half feet of snow, but the snow turned to rain and the rain and accompanying chinook have melted the snow considerably.

The goodly number of enterprising citizens of the Upper Valley who have been attending the short course at the O. A. C. at Corvallis, have returned very much benefitted and expect to put much more intelligent work into the development of their fruit farms.

We are pleased to learn that Grandma Wishart is very much better. The nurse who was attending her has returned to Hood River.

R. J. Melsaac went to Portland last Tuesday on a business trip.

Mr. Rogers and wife who have a place on China Hill, came up Tuesday to take a look at their possessions. Mr. Rogers expects to go to work in earnest on his place this spring. They have been attending the O. A. C. short course.

Chester Walton has returned to the Upper Valley after spending the winter months in Corvallis and Portland. Mrs. Walton and little son expect to return soon.

Rev. VanNuy's returned Saturday from a short trip to Hood River.

**ODELL**

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. McCoy a daughter, Feb. 23, 1910.

Miss House of Hood River is visiting the Luffertys of Odell.

Miss Alice Davenport of The Dalles is visiting Mrs. R. H. Kemp.

**Answers Mr. Absten**

Editor News:—Bro. Absten's exceptions to the plan for the consolidation of our schools for high school work are interesting. I have not time to write an extended article, yet must offer a few thoughts for Bro. Absten's consideration.

He says it is a physical impossibility for the high school children from his district to be transported to Hood River. But he does not state why. The Frankton school building is but one and a half miles due west from the Hood River high school. If the roads are impassable application to the county court for relief should be made. I saw small grade children as well as high school boys and girls transported a greater distance in Indiana last winter, where they had to throw down the fences and go across fields on account of the snow drifts. Yet the residents there cannot say too much in praise of their consolidation of schools.

Brother Absten thinks I am wrong in my statement last year that Frankton's high school work cost them over \$100 per student. I have lost the figures given me a year ago,

but here are some more obtained from the county records and from the Frankton school clerk, M. R. Noble.

Salary of Prin. last season	\$ 900
4-11 salary of 7th & 8th grade teacher (who taught 4 high school classes using 4-11 of her time)	212
of incidental expenses	30
of fuel expense	40
of 6 percent interest on \$6000 capital invested in buildings grounds and equipment	360
Total high school expense	\$1272

Bro. Absten states that they had an average attendance of 12 students

in their high school last year. Thus the cost per scholar on that basis was \$106.

I suppose Bro. Absten will say that part of the principal's salary should be deducted for supervision. But I imagine that with 12 high school recitations, while the average high school teacher has but six the Frankton principal has but slight time for supervision. Supervision of necessity is very, very limited.

I frankly admit that you have an excellent principal at Frankton. But your people do not appreciate his

efforts by paying him \$125 per month to try to do more than the work of two men.

Before this controversy is over I think it will be proved that the consolidation idea is not only better for the pupils and teachers, but also cheaper for the taxpayer. I hope that we all can think this matter over carefully and see if we can cooperate in securing one of the best school systems in the state.

Respectfully,  
A. I. MASON.

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**Correspondence**

**MOSIER**

Miss Alice Davenport stopped off and spent a few hours with her brother Jonnie Thursday. She was on her way to Hood River to visit her sister, Mrs. R. H. Kemp.

Several land deals have been made during the past week. C. A. Hage sold to Mr. Stitts and Geo. Sellinger sold to Portland parties.

Harold Fosberg sold his team, wagon and other belongings to Ed. Reeves and left Saturday for Portland to be with his mother.

Mrs. E. L. Graham has gone to Ruthton, where she was called on account of sickness in her son Will's family.

Lee Evans, Jr., made a flying trip to The Dalles Friday.

Born—Feb. 16 to the wife of Ernest Evans, a girl.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Choun, a son, Feb. 26th.

Born—Feb. 21, in Portland, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stroup a son.

Mrs. Frank Macey returned Tuesday to her home in Hood River, accompanied by Geo. Harrison, who will make an extended visit with them in hopes the change will benefit his health.

Mr. Smith has returned to his home in Portland and Wilbur Denny is now telephone central.

Mrs. Eva Craven Wheeler, state lecturer for the Y. P. B.'s of W. C. T. U., gave her recital Tuesday evening and lecture Wednesday evening, at the Christian church. On account of bad weather there was not a large crowd attended these meetings, but those present were well repaid.

Mr. Wright, one of Mosier's chief carpenters, spent several days in Portland last week.

Monday afternoon of last week the school had a Lincoln and Washington program in Mrs. Gove's room. Songs, reading and recitations with the school paper edited by Stark Akers, was the order of the program. A good number of visitors were present who thoroughly enjoyed the program.

**PINE GROVE**

The ladies at their entertainment, "The Old Dis't School," Tuesday

evening of last week realized a good sum which will be applied on the pastor's salary. All those participating in the play have the sincere thanks of the society.

Rev. H. C. Clark of White Salmon was the guest of Rev. Spaulding last week.

The Ladies' Aid will meet for business Wednesday afternoon of this week at the home of Mrs. E. E. Lage.

Mrs. Homer Redfield was a visitor among friends in this vicinity Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Bert Lewis from Portland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vannier this week.

Mrs. Anne Dragseth left the latter part of the week for a visit with her mother living near Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lage and little son spent several days last week at Blingen visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice from New Hampshire, are occupying the house owned by Mr. Hawkes which the latter vacated when the new home was ready for occupancy.

Rev. E. L. House spent last week on his farm assisting in the work and preparing for the opening of spring.

Mr. Decker arrived home last week after an extended visit in the east.

A force of men are busy on the the roads trying to take care of the surplus water that is running wild in many places.

There will be a grange entertainment at the hall in the near future. Watch for dates.

The grangers will hold a dancing party on the evening of March 11th.

**MOUNT HOOD**

Miss Mae Davidson of Hood River took supper with her uncle at Mount Hood last Wednesday evening.

The rumor is going the rounds that D. R. Cooper is going to build in the Parkdale neighborhood.

D. R. Cooper has sold his farm to P. S. Davidson. We understand the consideration was \$275 per acre.

Earl Newman spent Monday and Tuesday with Jim Davidson on his homestead.

A. T. Allen of the Henderson real estate firm took supper with Jesse Davidson Wednesday evening.

George Dimmick, Earl Newman