

### Correspondence

#### MOSIER

Ira Evans left Saturday for his home in Abscon.

W. A. Husbands was a visitor in Hood River Sunday.

Miss Nellie Weberg stopped over on her way to Portland to visit her sister, Mrs. W. M. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Graham have moved up on the Sundberg place, where they have employment.

Mrs. R. McGregor left the fore part of the week for California, to make an extended visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. E. Cole and children have returned home from Portland, where they spent Thanksgiving with relatives.

Stark Akers is kept home these days nursing the chicken pox. There are several other cases reported, but all are doing nicely.

Wm. Davidhizer, of Haines, Or., who has been spending several days with his cousin, E. W. Davidhizer, and family, left Thursday for Portland, and from there will go to Nappanee, Ind., to spend the winter.

The Ladies' Aid held their annual Bazaar at Stroup's hall Tuesday afternoon and evening, and the interest everyone took in it was made known by the great success that resulted. At the close of the evening's work the proceeds were counted and it was found that they had taken in over \$120, which will be used for church work.

#### PARKDALE

P. H. Mohr is "twisting out stumps" on his homestead.

Col. and Mrs. Tucker spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Keeling.

Mrs. S. Babson was a passenger for Portland on Friday's train.

Mr. Joles, a cousin of Mr. Candee, left last week for his home in Eastern Oregon.

A new R. F. D. route is about to be established in the vicinity south of Parkdale.

Valley Crest school is making every effort to have a nice program and tree at Christmas time.

J. Thompson was called to Vancouver, Wash., last week on account of the serious illness of his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rawson, of The Dalles, arrived on the noon train Friday and expect to visit relatives here.

#### FRANKTON

Ruben Way has been night watchman at Ruthton the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. La Mar and family have moved back to Ruthton, from Hood River.

The traveling public extend a vote of thanks to our road supervisor, Warren Miller, for fixing the approach to the bridge near the Spring Dale Farm.

Frank Cady, who recently sold his ranch, is moving to the Willamette Valley. Mr. Cady has been an esteemed citizen of Hood River for many years and will be missed by many.

A large majority of the members of the Four Leaf Clover Club attended the reception given by the Woman's Club of Hood River to the east and west side last Wednesday afternoon. A splendid time was enjoyed by all.



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One of our

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### Boys' and girls' Xmas Gifts Books

Encourage the children to read. Splendid Gift Books here for Boys and Girls.

Rover Boys' Series at \$50c  
Alger's Series, each at \$25c  
Henny's Series, each at \$25c  
Boy Scouts, each at \$35c  
Boy Aviators, each at \$30c

Magnolia Library Series, "Good Luck," "Bad Letters," "Hannah," "The Time of Roses," "The Pony Riders," "Folly in Fairy Land," etc., besides books of Poems, Bibles and Albums.

### Holiday Goods

We have an exceptionally fine lot of Holiday Goods for old and young, and they are all being eagerly sought by the early buyers. Do your buyers. Do your buying as early as you can and get the choice of the finest assortments.

We have a splendid line of very fine Japanese Drawn Work Hdkfs. for ladies for 10c, 18c, 20c, 25c

Then we have a splendid lot put up in nice individual Xmas Boxes; fancy embroidery and lace

in designs, in all pure linen and silk. Also a fine line of initial handkerchiefs for ladies and gentlemen that will make the nicest kind of presents. Then there is Mufflers, Neckties, Ladies' Wool Gloves, Kid and Silk Gloves, Silk Auto Scarfs, Men's Wool Gloves and Boys' Wool Gloves.

Ladies' nice Lace Collars, all styles in lace and embroidery, for 10c, 15c and up. Children's Fur Sets Muffs and Boas; Ladies' large Pillow Muffs and Collars, Lace Curtains for 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and up; Toys of all kinds; Dolls, Doll Buggies, Toy Trunks, Toy Stoves, Toy Dishes, Chairs, Rockers, Tool Sets, Felt Slippers for ladies, gentlemen and Children; Magic Tricks, Games, Rocking Horses, Shoo Flies, Silverware, Cut Glass, besides hundreds of other articles both useful and ornamental.

### Rugs

One of the largest and most reasonable priced assortments you could wish to see.

We want you to come in and look around --we will be pleased to show you.

The Four Leaf Clover Reading Club was delightfully entertained last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. John Hinrich and Mrs. Stanton, at the home of the former.

Mrs. Eva Bellamy went to Portland last week to spend the winter. Mrs. Bellamy came here last April, from Southampton, England, and has been a guest at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Taxwold. While in our midst she has made many warm friends, and all regret her leaving us.

#### DIED

MRS. NANCY BANKS

Mrs. Nancy Banks, wife of Wm. G. Banks of Hood River, died Saturday morning at the Cottage hospital after an illness of some time, aged 65 years.

Mrs. Banks was formerly a resident of Minnesota, having removed to Hood River about two years ago. Although a resident here but a comparatively short time Mrs. Banks had endeared herself to all who knew her, and in her home place of residence is said to have had the love and esteem of all.

Beside her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Doletta Mortimer and Mrs. Mattie Johnson of Hood River, a son, Charles Banks, who lives in Minnesota, and two grandchildren, Mrs. Robt. Carter and Banks Mortimer of this city.

The funeral of Mrs. Banks was held at 10:30 Tuesday morning from the residence of her granddaughter, Mrs. Robt. Carter, Rev. Edward Tom Simpson, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church, officiated and burial was in Idlewild cemetery.

MRS. GEORGIANA SLOCOM SMITH

Mrs. Georgiana Slocom Smith, wife of E. L. Smith of this city, died at her home here at 11:30 o'clock Sunday night after a long illness.

Mrs. Smith was 69 years old, and had been a resident of Hood River since 1870. She was widely known and esteemed throughout Oregon.

Mrs. Smith was married in Illinois in 1861 and shortly after left for the Pacific coast by way of the Isthmus of Panama. Mr. and Mrs. Smith arrived at San Francisco just as the civil war broke out and she was a witness of striking scenes in California for several years. Afterward she removed to Olympia, Wash., and from there came to Hood River.

In addition to her husband she is survived by four daughters, Mrs. J. F. Watt and Mrs. W. M. Stewart of Hood River, Mrs. J. E. Rand of Portland and Mrs. Oscar Nelson of Goldendale, Wash.

The announcement of her death threw the community into mourning. At the hour at which the funeral was held the business places all over the city were closed and every mark of respect paid her sterling worth.

The funeral was held from her late residence at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. J. A. MacDonald, pastor of the Unitarian church, assisted by Dr. T. L. Elliot of Portland. Interment was in the family plot in Idlewild cemetery.

#### HOOD RIVER VALLEY LADIES GUESTS OF CITY

Wednesday, Dec. 6, was the occasion of a very enjoyable gathering at the Commercial Club rooms, when the Woman's Club entertained the east and west side clubs. The visitors and club members filled the rooms, which were beautifully decorated with Christmas bells, and a cheery, old-fashioned fireplace with a glowing fire added to the spirit of the coming Christmas which prevailed throughout the afternoon.

The entertainment committee had provided the following program: Christmas carol by ten children, accompanied by Mrs. E. O. Hall. Recitation, Dickens' Christmas Carol, Mrs. Campbell. Violin solo, Mrs. Chas. Hall, accompanied by Mrs. P. S. Davidson. Ode to a Plum Pudding, recited by Mrs. Campbell, a genuine English plum pudding being held aloft by Mrs. Keir.

A scene representing a happy family at Christmas time was enacted by Mrs. Schmeitler and five little girls, Mrs. Schmeitler singing a lullaby, accompanied by Mrs. E. O. Hall.

At the close of the program light refreshments were served by the social committee.

The next meeting will be held January 3, in charge of the press committee.

The Hood River high school basketball team and the team of Jefferson high school in Portland will try conclusions Friday evening. This is the local school boys first game of the season and is attracting much interest.

#### Schubert Trio Tonight

The Schubert Trio, composed of William Chandler, violinist, Culver Osgood, baritone and Hans Hoerline, pianist, will appear at the Unitarian church this evening. The program follows:

Sonata.....Haydn  
Mr. Chandler and Mr. Hoerline  
Mennett B Minor.....Schubert  
Mr. Hoerline  
Invletus.....Bruno Huhn  
Mr. Osgood  
A Aria (1890).....Franz Tenaglia  
Gavotte (1734).....Gossec  
A Menuett in G No. 2.....Beethoven  
Mr. Chandler  
"The Two Larks".....Leschetzky  
Mr. Hoerline  
"Till Death".....Angelo Mascherone  
Mr. Osgood  
Legende Op. 17.....Henri Wieniawski  
Mr. Chandler  
Selected, Ensemble.....  
Messrs. Osgood, Hoerline, Chandler

#### Dean Has Skull Fractured

Commodore O. C. Dean's skull was fractured Monday morning by the escape of the windlass on the ferry scow, and that he was not more seriously injured or killed outright was probably due to his quickness in dodging the whirling handle.

Com. Dean was lowering the apron when the windlass slipped from his hands. He sprang away from it as it started to whirl, but it caught him a glancing blow on the top of the head, tearing off a bit of the outer skull and fracturing the inner layer, also tearing a gash in his scalp several inches in length.

Mr. Dean hurried to the city immediately and had the wound dressed. Then he went back to work instead of taking to his bed or a hospital cot--for the commodore is a "tough customer."

#### Grace Church Notes

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Sermon and communion service at 11 o'clock. The Christian vesper service at 4 p. m. This is developing into an afternoon mass meeting. The best in devotional music is being rendered.

J. B. Parsons, Minister.

Miss H. Fairfowl from the Upper Valley, is the guest of Miss Teal.

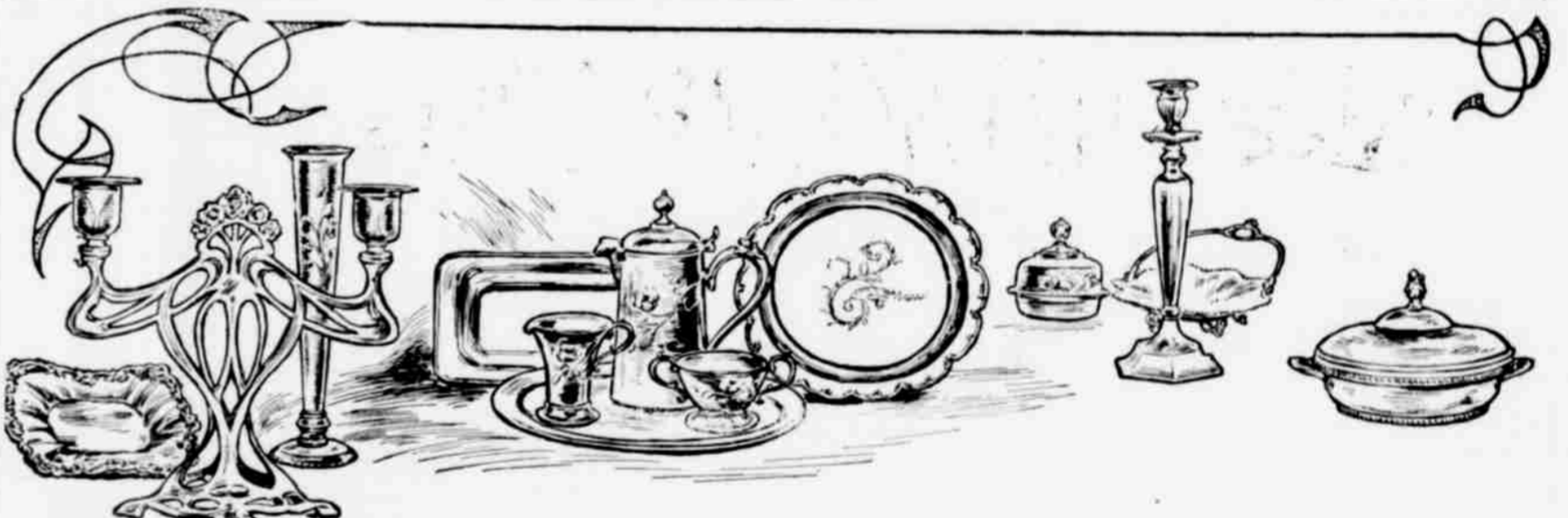
### AND NOW IT'S PEANUTS THAT GROW IN OREGON

Oregon enthusiasts sometimes claim to be able to raise almost everything that grows in the Beaver state, and their claims seem extravagant some times. But from time to time another product is added to those that are proved to grow here, until it seems almost as if there scarcely were a limit to the range of Oregon's possible products.

The latest is peanuts. The last issue of the Hillsboro Independent contains the following:

"F. A. Haines brought to the Independent office this week a quantity of peanuts grown on his property on Washington street. They were planted by him a year ago and forgotten, and it was only by accident that he ran onto them. Those brought to the office are still attached to the roots. They are of average size and prove that with a little attention the goobers can be successfully grown here. While it is generally believed a sandy soil is required Mr. Haines says these were planted in a heavy black loam. D. B. Benson exhibited peanuts grown on his place at the last street fair, and with Mr. Haines' experience it would appear that Washington county can cause importation of the toothsome nuts whenever somebody gets ready to start in the business."

L. G. Hogmer and Max Burkhardt Chicago men, arrived here Saturday and are looking the valley over. Mr. Hogmer has decided to make Hood River his home and expects to be joined by his wife today.



## We Are Ready for Christmas ARE YOU?

This is the month of good cheer and gift giving. Better take stock early; don't wait until the joy bells are ringing. We are happy to state that we can make you happy in your selection of

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