

Correspondence

OAK GROVE

Mrs. Ellen McCurdy spent the week end in Portland.

Albert J. Capron of Portland spent the week end at his ranch.

Earl and Vernon Hackett of Portland are visiting with their uncle, G. A. McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Wedemeyer are to be congratulated on the arrival of a baby girl May 3rd.

Art Cuning, who is living on a homestead back of Cooks, Wash., spent several days last week with his brother, H. A. Cuning.

Miss Bess Albright returned to Portland last week. She has secured a position there and expects to remain in the Rose City.

Mrs. Swift and Miss Mary Fenwick will give a 10c tea next Thursday, and the proceeds will be turned over to the Ladies' Aid of the Oak Grove church.

J. W. Church of Walla Walla made a flying trip to Hood River Saturday and returned Sunday with his family, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Albright.

Miss Marie Lemmon, who is attending school in Portland, came up Friday to visit her parents and to attend the Blossom Festival. She returned to Portland Sunday.

Sidney B. Vincent, president of the Portland Press Club and Portland manager of the Associated Press, stopped while en route around the valley Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ravlin. Mr. Vincent and Mr. Ravlin were closely associated when they were in San Francisco.

A meeting of the apple growers of this district was held in the Oak Grove hall Friday evening and they were addressed by several of the directors of the Union about what they were doing and were expecting to accomplish, and urged that the growers cooperate with them as much as possible. Considerable stock was subscribed, following which refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in getting better acquainted.

The May meeting of the West Side Improvement Club was held in the Oak Grove hall Tuesday afternoon and was well attended. E. N. Benson addressed the growers on the subject of "Strawberries," and his remarks on such topics as the advisability of spraying, effect of rust on yield, early and late topping, spring cultivation, when to irrigate, etc., were very instructive. Some of the Willow Flat growers were in attendance and felt well repaid for their trip.

WHITE SALMON

The friends of Miss Mabel Peck will be sorry to learn that while riding Sunday she fell from a horse and suffered a broken leg, two fractures just above the ankle.

Miss Rand received a dislocated arm in a strange way Monday. When she turned from looking out of the window she struck a piece of furniture with her shoulder and a bone was thrown out of "alignment."

Reports made by banks of the Pacific Northwest, in response to the Comptroller of the Currency last week, show that they are in exceptionally good condition. Since the former call, Seattle banks have increased their deposits more than \$6,000,000.

Fruit Commissioner F. A. Huntly was in this section recently to pass on some pear trees. He upheld the local inspector, N. A. Ingram, in pronouncing the affection "fire blight" and advised immediate attention. Growers are advised to watch for any pear blight symptoms as keenly as a chicken for a hawk.

With continuation of favorable weather the strawberry crop promises to be 50 per cent better than last year. The recent rains have done much good and the plants are whitening thick with blossoms. Growers are already beginning to haul out crates, and it is expected that berries will be coming in fast between the 10th and 20th of this month.

The "mail order election" held in White Salmon two days of last week resulted in the selection of A. R. Hayes as a delegate to the county division convention. There was but one vote against division and that appears to be a mistake. With the exception of one precinct all delegates have been selected, and the meeting will be held in the immediate future.

Fraternal Men, Attention! Increased assessments have been declared by many of the leading orders. If yours hasn't it will be next. Will you stand for it? If interested in opposing higher rates with no better advantages, communicate at once with C. N. S., care Hood River News, Hood River, Oregon. 18 2ic

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J. H. FREDRICY, Agent

ODELL

G. Haskins' new meat market is now under construction and he expects to have it completed in the near future.

Mrs. J. T. Cranke has been ill for the past week but is now slowly improving.

The Ferguson Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. Ferguson next Friday evening, May 10, for their regular meeting. The boys of the class are to furnish the entertainment and also the "eats."

F. A. Oberist and wife made a pleasure and business visit to The Dalles this week.

Next Sunday morning at the Sunday School hour the Sunday School will celebrate Mother's Day.

J. T. Cranke made a business trip to Portland the first part of the week.

R. H. Weber of the R. H. Weber Nursery Co. of The Dalles, has shipped in furniture to furnish his residence, and expects to spend a portion of his time here during the summer.

Next Sunday evening, aside from the regular Epworth League services, the installation of officers of the League will take place.

F. A. Martz of Woodburn made a visit to Odell during the week to call on friends and look after business interests here.

The famous Leak Sisters expect to visit Odell some time during the latter part of May and give one of their celebrated entertainments.

BARRETT

Miss Peterson, Mrs. McLaughlin and Miss Black attended the Institute at Pine Grove Saturday.

Mrs. McClanahan entertained the Wanda Circle last week.

F. M. Pugh is quite ill with influenza.

Mrs. J. A. Bennett will entertain the Ladies' Aid of the Christian church on Thursday.

Leonard Hoagland, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mrs. E. B. Dyer of Winona, Minn., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rodwell.

The Ladies' Aid will give a play at the Grange Hall on Wednesday, May 15, at 8 p. m.

FRANKTON

Mr. and Mrs. Hall of White Salmon spent Sunday with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich.

Mrs. Robert Elliott was called to Nordan, Ore., last week by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. W. C. Trigg and two children left last Tuesday for Corydon, Ky., to spend the summer with her parents.

Mrs. Geo. Stokoe and daughter, Vivian, of Wyeth visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Noble, Sunday.

W. C. Trigg left Monday for Hermiston, Ore., to attend to business interests.

Mrs. Fred Hinsel of Wyeth is a guest of her brother, J. M. Elliott this week.

The home of E. R. Absten was the scene of a merry party last Friday evening, the occasion being the twenty-first birthday of Miss Alma.

Our Union Bible School was organized Sunday afternoon with W. L. Price superintendent. We wish both old and young of our neighborhood would come and join us in the Lord's

work. The Bible school will start promptly at 2:30 p.m. and preaching will be at 3:30. Rev. Parsons of Hood River will preach for us. Remember all services are in the Frankton High School building.

J. I. Morland is being visited by his mother, who came up from Salem recently.

Mrs. Hugh Elliott and two children left for Spokane, Wash., Sunday for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John McManis were in Portland the early part of last week on business.

VALLEY CREST

Ward I. Cornell went to Hood River Saturday to attend the banquet given by the Commercial Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newman have returned to the Upper Valley after spending several weeks in Portland. Eugene C. Ewer has moved into his new log bungalow.

Mrs. Marlon Shearer is visiting friends in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hannum of Portland arrived the latter part of the week to spend the summer on their ranch.

Mr. Mosely of Hood River, a former proprietor of the Mt. Hood Hotel, has been visiting at the G'wan-G'woff ranch.

BOAT LANDING CHANGED

Beginning this week and continuing until about July 15th, the Steamer TEAL will dock at Underwood Ferry Landing, opposite railroad station.

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