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Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Rhoades were visitors in The Dalles Friday.

Dr. Stanton Allen and wife are spending a few weeks visiting friends in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reed went to Portland the last of the week to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tompkins left last week to spend the holidays with relatives at Salem.

If you want insurance in companies that pay losses promptly and in full call on A. W. Onthank.

Crawford Lemmon expects to leave the first of the week for Corvallis, where he will take the short course.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rand left Saturday for Los Angeles and will spend the winter on the coast near that city.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Waldie are here from Washougal, Wash., to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Blagdon.

Mrs. J. E. Paulson of Hillsboro, Mo., is spending a couple of weeks as the guests of her sister, Mrs. A. O. Anderson, at Oak Grove.

Have installed an up-to-date picture framing machine in my shop on the Heights, 1112 Pine street. See my line of samples. A. B. Cash, Phone 285-X. 50-52c

Mrs. Caroline T. Cram, who has been making her home with her son, Frank B. Cram, left Friday to spend the winter in California and later at St. Louis.

A. J. Nelson left a few days ago to spend the winter at his former home near Chicago. Mr. Ainslie will remain during the winter in charge of their ranch at Odell.

Mrs. Alice Poole Kemp and daughter, Mrs. Nettie Crockett, left Thursday for Los Angeles to spend the winter with Dane Kemp and Mrs. T. F. Roberts.

Record Cabinets at Waggener's Music House.

Dr. E. W. Mills is reported to be quite ill.

Ed. Vannett has been suffering with an infected finger.

Mrs. Fred Rand submitted to a minor operation Monday.

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Miss Gretchen Hoerlein is here from Portland to spend the holidays.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. K. McLaren at Oak Grove last week.

Mr. Galligan, who lives on Alameda Way, sustained a stroke of paralysis last week.

Guy Crapper of Lyle has been undergoing medical treatment here during the past week.

Mrs. Marion Jicks of Underwood submitted to an operation at the local hospital yesterday.

Little Dorothy Doane of the Belmont district fell last week and sustained a broken nose.

Frank Carnes has been confined to his home on the Heights by illness during the past week.

Mrs. B. F. Moses expects to leave Saturday for San Diego, Cal. She will spend the winter there in hopes that the milder climate will benefit her health.

Mrs. H. F. Davidson will accompany her husband on his trip East. They will start Saturday and Mr. Davidson will attend the convention of the National League of Commission Merchants, which convenes at Cincinnati on January 8.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Church, accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. J. Gleason, left last week for a trip to Southern California, including the cities of San Jose, Los Angeles and San Diego.

Mrs. Louise Boyden went to Portland the last of the week to spend the winter. Mrs. Boyden harvested a big crop from her place at Oak Grove this year and is much pleased with orcharding.

Start the new year right by subscribing to the News.

M. E. Mack and family left the last of the week for Iverness, Mont.

R. W. Kelly is spending the winter at the Hotel Oregon.

Attorney Albert P. Reed spent the last of the week in Portland.

E. L. Smith went to Portland Monday for a short stay with friends there.

Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Accordions, Harps, etc. at Waggener's Music House.

Regular Sunday excursion to Parkdale. Pleasant trip for yourself and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Pooley went to Portland Saturday to spend Christmas with her parents.

Brooks Hawthorn of Portland is spending the holidays as the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Bancroft.

Mrs. G. O. Brice and Mrs. C. A. Richards were visitors the first of the week in Vancouver, Wash.

W. G. Snow and wife are spending the holidays as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Upson at Silverton.

Mrs. C. H. Henney and Mrs. B. E. Wright went to Portland Monday to spend Christmas with their husbands.

A. W. Stone of the Upper Valley was in town the last of the week to meet his daughter, who is home from St. Helens Hall for the holidays.

J. M. Armstrong of Corvallis and Miss Mabel Francis of Portland came Saturday to spend the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Anderson, at Oak Grove.

Mrs. C. D. Hinrichs went to Portland the last of the week to spend the holidays. Mr. Hinrichs joined her yesterday and they will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiedrick.

Among those who have recently left for distant points are the following: J. R. Caldwell to Kansas City, J. L. Evans to Denver, Charles M. Daly to Green River, Wyo., and W. R. Amon to Los Angeles.

Invitations have been issued for a parish party to be given at Heilbronner Hall New Year's Eve by the ladies of St. Mark's Guild. Dancing will begin at 8:30. The committee in charge includes Mrs. R. D. Gould, Mrs. H. F. DeWitt and Mrs. G. A. Clarke.

Mrs. Wilmer Sieg left Sunday for a visit with friends in the East. She will visit her daughter at Marquette, Mich., and also spend sometime in Milwaukee and Cincinnati. Mr. Sieg leaves Saturday on a business trip and they will return together by way of New Orleans and Southern California.

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Warren and Mrs. J. C. Crandall of The Dalles were among the out-of-town guests at the anniversary celebration in honor of Bishop Paddock.

Knights of Pythias who came from The Dalles last week to attend the convention here included the following: O. H. Hawley, J. A. Douthit, F. S. Gunning, Sam Thurman, John Gavin, A. R. Graham, Dan Zachary, C. M. Walston, J. E. Anderson, C. J. Bright, John Milne, Charles Wakerman, O. T. Shepard, M. E. Pillars, Paul Darnielle, F. P. Moody, William Hill, L. V. Watrus, Jack Doherty, C. C. Creighton, W. L. Bradshaw, A. A. Keller, F. D. Creighton, H. S. Berryman and R. C. McClure.

Frank McFarland of Portland was greeting friends here Sunday.

F. Norberg and family of Willow Flat have gone to Minnesota to spend the winter.

A. R. Nickels of Dee left the last of the week to spend the winter in Southern California.

Mrs. R. J. Melsaac returned Saturday from a two-months visit with relatives in Iowa.

Miss Helen Davidson came from Portland Saturday to spend the holidays at her home here.

John Copper, a student at the University of Washington, is spending the Christmas vacation here.

Miss Vernia Weaver of Eyota, Minn., arrived Friday to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Shockley of Eugene are spending Christmas with Mrs. Shockley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Simmons, in the Upper Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gribble came down from Parkdale Monday to meet their son and daughter, who came from Portland to spend the holidays.

True-to-Name Nursery has opened an office in town on corner opposite from Oregon Hotel and samples of trees can be seen in tree yard adjoining office. Mr. Galligan will be at the office Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Marking the passage of 50 years as husband and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cutler, who are spending the winter in Portland, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary there last week. Their daughter and five sons were all present at the celebration. D. B. Cutler came from Benton, Illinois, Rev. Alexander Cutler from Magregor, Iowa, and F. S. Cutler from Pasadena, Cal., besides Frank and Asa of this place.

The reunited family partook of an elaborate dinner, which was followed by scenes of the half century that has passed. Mr. and Mrs. Cutler were married at Princeton, Ill., in 1862. Both still enjoy robust health and have many friends here who will extend congratulations and best wishes for many more happy years to come. The entire family spent the last of the week at the ranch here.

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Oh, that Mysterious Rag!

Everybody will be sneaking to those dances today, December 25, at Parkdale and the Hard Time Masquerade Dance to be held December 31 at Mt. Hood.

Penalty for Defacing Books

Section 4354. Whoever willfully or maliciously writes upon, injures, defaces, tears or destroys a book, plate, picture, engraving, map, newspaper, magazine, pamphlet, manuscript, or statue belonging to a law, city or other public or incorporated library, shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$5.00 nor more than \$50, or by imprisonment not exceeding six months—Laws of Oregon.

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ADVISES ABOUT IRRIGATION

Professor Lewis of the O. A. C. Points Out Important Facts

In carrying out experiments with irrigation, Prof. C. I. Lewis, of the agricultural experiment station at Corvallis, Oregon, found that in "all cases cultivation is a most important feature in connection with irrigation. If the ground is given thorough cultivation in spring and a mulch maintained during the growing season, the soil will be in a better condition to receive the water, and a more economical use of the water is allowed. Irrigation should merely supplement good tillage, and the importance of thorough tillage during the growing season cannot be overestimated.

"Good drainage, natural or artificial, is necessary where large amounts of irrigation waters are used. Where the drainage is poor seepage waters and alkali often destroy many of the orchards. Often the excess irrigation does not injure the lands of the man practicing it, but those of his neighbors at a lower level.

"We found the temperature of the water to be a subject requiring more attention. With well water there is a tendency toward fairly constant temperature throughout the season. It may be made to increase its temperature, however, quite materially by various methods of distribution. In one test we found that the water increased 8.5 degrees in flowing in open furrows from the well to the point of distribution. It was still further increased in passing through the distribution rills in the orchard. There was a much greater increase in the afternoon than in the morning.

"When the water was used from a large irrigation ditch during July and August, the water was found to be of the same temperature as the soil early in the morning, but was greatly increased in the afternoon, in some cases 15.5 degrees over the morning temperature. This would mean, where the soil tended to be a little heavy or where the water tended to run a little too cold that injury would result from irrigation."

On Thursday evening the young people of the Upper Valley gave Miss Lora Puddy a kitchen shower. The girls furnished a delicious luncheon, while the generous-hearted young men contributed the shower, a very unusual feature on such occasions.

J. Calvin Skinner, who bought the Osborne house opposite Frank Cram's on State street last August, has sold the property to Chas. Hall. Mr. Hall expects to move next week and Mr. Skinner will move into the Brosius house occupied by Mr. Hall, assuming the lease, which expires in March.

The Hood River delegation at the Oregon Agricultural College came home Saturday in a body. They include the Misses Roberta Friday, Addie Freeman, Helen Cox, Helen Orr and Joy Mason, also Forrest Moe, Raymond Nickelsen, Floyd Nunamaker, Almont Ferguson, Earl Franz, Claude Thompson and Mr. Page.

Wilmer Sieg manager of the Union, will attend two large conventions or fruit men on his trip East. The first will be the National League of Commission Merchants, which meets at Cincinnati January 8. The second is the convention of the Western Federation of Fruit Jobbers to be held at the city of New Orleans January 15. These two conventions will bring together between 1000 and 1200 fruit merchants. Mr. Sieg was formerly president of the National League of Commission Merchants and a director of the Western Federation of Fruit Jobbers. The latter will bring together many of the leading fruit shippers of California and the Northwest.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Keziah S. Walton

Mrs. Keziah S. Walton, widow of the late Lieutenant Walter Walton of the United States Revenue Marine Service, died at her home in this city Saturday morning, December 21, aged 66 years. Mrs. Walton had been an invalid for some time occasioned by a stroke of paralysis which occurred about two years ago. From this she never fully recovered and gradually declined.

Mrs. Walton was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., and was the daughter of Cornelius Marcardell, a well-known Eastern editor and journalist. Her early life was spent in the big metropolis of New York. After her marriage she traveled extensively and successively lived in many of the large Eastern cities. Her husband, who served with honorable distinction in the Civil War, was detailed by the government to superintend the erection and installation of the first life-saving stations in America. He died in 1882 in Milwaukee, Wis. Mrs. Walton came to Hood River in October, 1905, and has since made her home here. She is survived by three children—W. H. Walton and Amie R. Walton of this city and Wm. R. Walton of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Walton was the mother of Mrs. Helen Kay, who died at Hood River August, 1908, and Miss Suzanne Kay of this city is her granddaughter.

The funeral services were held at her late home Sunday afternoon, Rev. Edmund Trew Simpson of St. Mark's Episcopal church officiating, and interment was made in Idlewild Cemetery. The pallbearers were Leslie Butler, G. R. Castner, John M. Wilson, C. A. Bell, A. C. Buck and C. A. Cass.

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