

Pipe Organ Being Installed

E. G. Beitel is here from Highland, Ill., installing the new pipe organ for Asbury M. E. church. It had been hoped that the organ would be installed in time for the dedication which was held recently, but this was impossible on account of unavoidable delays. Mr. Beitel says that he will probably have it ready for use in about three weeks.

Some Realty Transfers

Transfers of realty made during the present week include the transfer of a tract in Willow Flat from the Central Orchard Company to C. R. Bone and transfer of 10 acres in the Middle Valley from George W. McIntosh to P. O. Bonebrake.

ODELL

The weather is very cold and the roads frozen hard, but they are good roads this winter. Supervisor Lacey's faithful work insures fairly comfortable travel even at this season of the year. He has put the last of the fine gravel on the schoolhouse hill, which is very much improved.

The joint meeting of the Methodist and Union congregations in Christian Endeavor last Sunday evening was a most enjoyable occasion. The house was filled with happy people and the singing of old familiar songs was thoroughly enjoyed. There was also a duet by Mrs. Guy Smith and Mrs. Stanyon and solos by Miss Mapes, Miss Sheppard and Mrs. Dutro. The choir was composed of attendants at both churches. A large number of persons took part in the service. The secret of the success of these meetings is that they belong to the people and they are never twice alike. The aim is to set forth the vital things of religion in the simplest way.

Joseph Post, the prominent stockman of Post, Oregon, is here for a few weeks visit with his sister, Mrs. B. T. Young. We are always glad to see him.

R. R. Lewis has taken a grubbing contract with H. H. Riddell.

Dane Kemp is much improved by his change to a ranch in Imperial Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Shelley and daughter left for Sandy by way of Portland Monday. The pretty, black-eyed little girl attracted much attention as her mother was Miss Wilson, formerly principal of Odell School.

Get-together meeting at Mrs. O. L. Walters' tonight.

Almont Ferguson, Miss Roberta Friday and Miss Nell Shelley have returned to college.

The Parents'-Teachers' Circle meets Friday night at the schoolhouse. This is arranged so that the men can be present. The program will consist of a talk on "Home and School" by Miss Reed, reading by Miss Marguerite Walter, talk by Dr. Dutro on "Why Some Children are Backward in School," and a dialogue by the schoolchildren. This program will be supplemented by some of the best music there is in our community.

B. T. Young's fine 10-roomed house has been wired for electric lights.

Teachers are all home again from their vacations and hard at work. Mrs. Polts has most of them boarding with her now. Miss Reed will soon board at the DeWitts' and the other teachers with Mrs. Boyd. Miss Eva Boyd will return to the O. A. C. in a few days.

Rev. C. M. Carson preaches next Sunday evening.

BELMONT

Wedding bells are ringing. These holiday occasions afford the good housewives an opportunity to demonstrate their skill in the culinary art and happy are the lucky ones who are invited to partake of the seasonal feasts given at this time of the year. The old saying "the proof of the pudding is the eating thereof" was proven by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eby and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rugg when Mrs. H. Allen invited them to dine at her home on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Nunamaker were among the guests at the B. E. Helfer home last Sunday. The dinner table sparkled with cut glass and polished silver and was beautifully decorated with cut flowers. All this was delightful to see but the bountiful repast consisting of roast fowl and its accompanying viands were all that the inner man could desire.

Our schools have again taken up their work now that the holiday season is past.

Peter Nelson, manager and foreman of the Belmont planer, has returned from a visit in the Grand Ronde Valley.

Mrs. Forden has returned from her holiday visit with her parents in Portland.

Mrs. H. Glass and children returned last Sunday from their holiday outing with parents and friends in Portland.

Rev. Mr. Anderson is holding special meetings in the church every afternoon. His subject for next Sunday morning will be "Excuses." It has been suggested that we all come with our lightning rods.

The musical club was entertained by Mrs. M. B. Gilles at her home Tuesday, January 7.

We Are Offering

does not sound so large as some others would lead you to believe, you will find upon investigation that the values you buy of us are much greater.

AVIATOR SET

Cap, Muff and Scarf, white with grey trim, made of heavy 8-fold Eiderdown wool yarn. Big value at the set, \$4. Special for the set... **\$3.00**

MUFFS

DOLL MUFFS for children, made of white bear cloth with doll head on top, lined with good grade white silk with small purse on the inside, at \$1.60. SPECIAL... **75c**

Child's Lamb and Angora Set—Muff and collar trimmed with white angora; muff and collar lined with best of white silk; muff has neat coin purse on top. Regular price \$6.50. SPECIAL... **\$2.50**

Misses' High Top 3-Buckle Artics, sizes 9 to 2. The very best of value at \$1.50 and \$2 a pair. Special while they last, the pair... **83c**

HATS FOR MEN

Drummer's Samples, about all colors in the lot, sizes 7, 7 1/8 and 7 1/4. regular \$3 values, while they last, your choice... **\$1.50**

INFANT'S SOFT SOLE SHOES

About all colors and sizes, values from 25c up to 50c. Your choice while they last, the pair... **10c**

CHILDREN'S TAN AND RED SHOES

with good leather soles. There are not all sizes in this lot, but you will find them exceptional bargains at, the pair... **49c**

CHILDREN'S SHOES

Of light box calf, and kid uppers. A shoe that is suited for wear at this time of year. Has a good medium sole and is well made in every way. SPECIAL, the pair... **97c**

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS

We have a fine assortment of Ladies' Dress Skirts, in colors, brown, blue, black and grey. Extra good values at the regular price, but we wish to close them out and will sell you a \$10 Skirt for \$5—\$8 Skirt for \$4—\$5 Skirt for \$2.50—\$3 Skirt for \$1.50—\$2.50 Skirt for \$1.25.

DRESS GOODS REMNANTS 1/2 PRICE

On this table you will find some splendid bargains. Having just completed invoicing we find a good many short lengths in all classes of Dress Goods, suitable for any kind of a garment you might wish to make. There are Wool, Silk, Silk and Wool mixed, Lawns, Linen and all kinds of Cotton Goods. Lengths from 1 to 5 yards.

Your Choice Just 1/2 the Regular Price

Men's Suits At Reduced Price

We have placed on sale a nice assortment of Men's Suits, including HART SCHAFFNER & MARX Suits and CLOTHCRAFT Suits.

\$22 SUITS FOR... \$17.77
\$20 SUITS FOR... \$15.98
\$18 SUITS FOR... \$14.78
\$15 SUITS FOR... \$12.43
\$14 SUITS FOR... \$11.93
\$12 SUITS FOR... \$9.47
\$9 SUITS FOR... \$6.98



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CENTRAL VALE

The new year has been ushered in with appropriate merrymaking and now that the holidays are over each has the chance to settle down to good hard work in making good his resolutions.

School was resumed Monday after a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Paul Hansen entertained the card club at her home on New Year's Eve. Progressive whist was played, delicious refreshments were served and the New Year was welcomed by a jolly crowd who were thoroughly enjoying themselves.

Charles Jensen returned Thursday from Portland where he had been for a few days.

Elmer and Omar Creson were in Portland several days last week.

Mrs. Mark Cameron of Odell pleasantly entertained six young ladies of the neighborhood one afternoon last week.

Miss Edith Winchell visited for a few days of the vacation with Mrs. F. McDonald.

Ray Creson returned last week from The Dalles where he had been for some time.

Miss Olive Moss returned Friday to Eugene to resume her school duties.

Miss Lula Hunt of Pine Grove is visiting Gertrude Hansen for a few days.

A number of the young people gathered at the Moss home New Year's night and spent a jolly evening together.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen and family spent a few days of the vacation visiting friends in Pine Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Durham returned Sunday from Eastern Oregon where they have been for a couple of weeks.

Miss Bessie Johnson spent a couple of days in Pine Grove recently.

Court Allen left Monday for his former home in Oklahoma.

Miss May Smallwood visited with friends in Hood River during the vacation, returning in time to start to school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jarvis have returned from a week's visit with Mrs. Jarvis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Redfield of Bucoda, Wash.

Miss Bell has been spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Furrow of Willow Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hale have returned from a week's stay in Portland.

Miss Zoe Newman of Pine Grove spent a few days with Miss Bessie Johnson of Willow Flat.

Wm. Sylvester has been ill but is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Mascoe and son spent Sunday with the Hagen family.

Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Smallwood returned Saturday from a visit to Winlock, Wash., where they spent New Year's Day at the home of Mrs. Smallwood's parents.

Immanuel Church

Immanuel church on the Heights, Sunday, January 11, Vesper service at 4:30 p. m. Music by chorus choir. Rev. Hargreaves will preach.

Methodist Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m.; preaching services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Themes: morning, "The Way of the Cross;" evening, "Rescued." Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

All are cordially invited. W. B. Young, pastor.

WANT RIVER ROAD DONE NEXT YEAR

From a long, first page article in the Oregonian yesterday the following paragraphs are reprinted:

Discussion of plans for the construction of Multnomah County's end of the Portland-Hood River road has occupied considerable of the time of the county court for the past week with the result that within the next few days the court probably will declare its intention to expend \$75,000 on the project this year and whatever balance may be necessary in 1914, the object being to have the road ready for travel at the end of the latter year. This is partly in anticipation of a large tourist trade in 1915, the year of the San Francisco Exposition, it being the expectation that this beautiful scenic boulevard along the Columbia River will prove quite a drawing card for Portland.

On a basis of free labor County Road Superintendent Chapman estimates that the project will cost approximately \$127,000 and that with convict labor this can be cut 25 per cent. In some places where the working gangs will be spread out over long distances or the country is timbered, it will be impracticable to use the prisoners because the cost of guarding them will be too high. Mr. Chapman explains, but a camp will be established near Oneonta, where it will be necessary to drive a tunnel 110 feet in length. Just a little east of this there is a mile which it is estimated will cost \$20,000 to construct and prisoners will be used on this as they can be kept together. The tunnel will cost \$6000.

Court Proceedings Avoided

The O. W. R. & N. Co. right of way has encroached in places on an old survey of the road laid out under state auspices in 1872, in which year \$50,000 was appropriated for the project. A few years later the Legislature appropriated an additional \$50,000 and this was spent also, but neither amount, apparently, to good effect, as little in the nature of permanent improvement was effected. The county has definitely laid out its survey and by a process of give and take an amicable arrangement, precluding the necessity of court proceedings, is being made with the railway company.

The first part of the project calls for the relocation of four miles of road between Rooster Rock and Bridal Veil. The grade on this stretch of road is now as great as 19 per cent and it is proposed to cut it to a maximum of 5 per cent. If it were necessary to go over Latourelle Hill there would be a grade of 18 or 19 per cent, but here the railway has agreed that the outer edge of the road may come within 10 1/2 feet of the center of its track provided that the county builds a fence between 200 and 300 feet in length as a precaution against accidents. The road here will be 16 feet in width.

Morrow-Rand Wedding

Randolph L. Morrow and Miss Hazel Rand were married Monday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rand. Rev. W. B. Young of the Methodist church performed the ceremony. The bride's mother has been seriously ill and it was at her request that the ceremony, which has been planned for some time, was held sooner than had been intended. Both young people are well and favorably known and will have the best wishes of many friends.

NEW ASSOCIATION FORMED AT MEDFORD

The Rogue River Co-operative Fruit Growers' Association was formed at a meeting of a number of interested growers Saturday. The new association was formed primarily to take care of the smaller growers in the valley and those who feel that co-operative marketing is the most efficient way to handle the fruit crop. J. A. Perry was elected chairman and S. A. Nye was elected secretary.

S. C. George extolled the co-operative plan and declared that the present Rogue River Fruit & Produce Association is on the wrong tack in selling and, moreover, does not co-operate with the majority of the growers. Others said the most important thing to be considered was the control of the association by the members and the way that the voting power should be separated. This, it was maintained, could be brought about best by allowing to one man only one vote, no matter how much stock he might own.

THE "CREAMERY PROMOTER."

Reports from the dairy commissioners of Kentucky, Tennessee and some other southern states seem to indicate that within the past two or three years dozens of co-operative creameries have been built under the influence of the professional "creamery promoter" in localities where the conditions do not warrant the establishment of such a plant. These promoted concerns cost the stockholders all the way from \$4,500 to \$6,000 and in most cases were later sold at auction for one-third of the original cost. The promoter, who was looking out for No. 1 chiefly, got a rakeoff of \$2,000 from each one of the creameries built. The experience with the above class of southern creameries should not be construed as an argument against establishing creameries in new territory, but it ought to serve as a most emphatic warning for farmers who are interested in establishing the dairy business to give the professional creamery promoter a wide berth. He is not in the business for his health, and his victims are always painfully aware of this fact before they get free from his hook. If the responsible farmers of any locality make up their minds that they really want to start a creamery the wise thing to do is to ask the state dairy department to send a representative into their midst, with whom they may confer. In addition to getting disinterested advice from him it would be well to pay the car fare and hotel bills of some thoroughly practicable and reliable man who is managing a creamery under conditions that would likely prevail in the new place. If this plan is followed out not only will creameries not be started where they ought not to be started, but if it is decided after thorough investigation that the circumstances justify starting one the plant when completed will cost less than half what it would if built under the advice and direction of a promoter.

If a sow has acquired the habit of eating her little pigs the best thing to do is to fatten her and send her to market. In this as in many other cases an ounce of prevention is worth nine pounds of cure. The way to prevent sows from eating their pigs is to give them half a pound of tankage with a bran and shorts pood a week or more before farrowing time. In fact, the protein ration should be paramount during the period of gestation. If a little oilmeal is added to the ration just prior to farrowing it will produce a laxative condition of the bowels that will be beneficial.

WHEN A MAN'S SICK.

That's the Time a Woman Does the Boss Act to Perfection.

When a woman has charge of a sick man she feels as important as the marshal of the day at a country Fourth of July celebration, and however amiable she may be at other times she is very "bossy" when she has medicine to give a man or lotions to put on him. If he wants a drink of water she expresses the opinion that he is drinking too much and remembers that her Aunt Harriet's husband once drank a great deal when he was sick and had convulsions.

If the sick man becomes impatient and says the medicine is doing no good she reminds him curtly that "time" is necessary. She has even been known to dip into the classics and say that Rome was not built in a day. The air of wisdom with which she examines the doctor books convinces the sick man that, however intelligent his medical adviser may have been, after his recovery he will be informed that he would have been sick much longer had she not used her homemade lotions. Whatever she does at night the doctor will agree in the morning that it was very good.

The sleepiest woman in the world will stay up all night cheerfully if she can get a chance to doctor somebody, and if a man has medicine to take at an unusual hour he will get it if there is a woman around. — Ed Howe in American Magazine.

USE OF "TURKISH" WORDS.

Ottomans Themselves Don't Know the Meaning of Them.

"Sublime portie" is one of those European expressions for Turkish institutions which are never used by the Turks themselves. The Ottoman government's official title for itself is Hukumat-ı İstislahiye, the glorious government.

Turks do not speak of "the sultan," but of the "hadsishah," a Persian term meaning the father of monarchs.

Turkey is a geographical expression used outside the land it denotes, but unknown to those who dwell in it. The Turks talk of Roumelia Anadol. The foreign residents may speak of Anatolia, Albania or the Lebanon. They will tell you they live at Smyrna, Saloniki or Beirut or elsewhere, but the word Turkey never crosses their lips. In the realm itself there is no collective name for the territory of the sultan.

Albania, Bulgaria and Roumania, although contiguous to one another, speak three totally different languages. The Bulgarian tongue is that of an ancient Russia, and Roumanian resembles that of ancient Rome more closely than modern Italian does. Albanian has no marked affinity with any other language, though philologists have discovered in it some slight traces of Basque and Hungarian influence. — New York Sun.

IMPORTED POTATOES.

They have a good joke on a large class of fashionable hotel and restaurant proprietors in New York city. It seems that for several years past these folks have been persuaded to pay a fancy price for what German importers called a special "salad potato," which was of a rather small size and supposed to possess especially good quality for making salads. Recently several thousand bags of these salad potatoes were seized and condemned by the government for being shipped in violation of the new plant disease quarantine. On notifying the German exporters that the potatoes were held subject to their order the government officials received word that the spuds were not worth shipping back to the fatherland, being small culls that were not salable there. It appears from this that the New York consumers were worked as suckers to make a market for a worthless German byproduct.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For Rent—Two furnished rooms with bath, steam heat. Pleasant location. Phone 373-K. 53tc

Fine 7-room cottage on Cascade Ave., west of 7th street, for sale cheap. 3 chambers and a sleeping porch, bath, pantry, attic and basement. Inquire at office of A. W. Onthank. 36tc

For Sale—One and two-year-old apple trees including Delicious, Winter Bananas, Ortleyes, Newtowns, Spitzenbergs, and other leading varieties. Also Burbank potatoes. Write or phone J. T. Nealeigh, Hood River. Phone 218-K. 48tc

For Rent—Two and three-room suites for light housekeeping. Modern conveniences. Apply Mrs. H. G. Frederick 1215 Sherman, or phone 69-L. 49tc

For Sale—Seasoned wood. Oak or fir. Phone J. J. Knapp, 3232-X. 50tc

For Rent—After January 1, new home at 409 Pine street. Modern plumbing. \$16 a month. Phone 266-M. 52tc

For Sale—An 18-inch Charter Oak wood heater, with 8 feet of stove pipe and elbow, all in good condition. A bargain. Phone 266-X. 2-3c

For Rent—New store room 25x62. Good location on main street. Phone or call 283-L. 2tc

EMPLOYMENT COLUMN

Wanted—Girl for general housework. R. W. Pratt, Phone 337-L. 53tc

Wanted—Neat girl for Dickerson House. 53tc

Wanted—To take contracts this fall, to work apple orchards next year. West Side orchards preferred. My prices cheaper than what it will cost you to do the work yourself. W. T. Forry, Phone 323-K. 51-63p

LOST AND FOUND ADS

Notice—If party who took lady's umbrella from 912 Sherman Ave., Dec. 15, will return same there will be no questions asked as they are known. 53tc

Found—In front of News office three volumes of Centennial History of Oregon. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this advertisement. 53tc

Unitarian Church

The services at the Unitarian church next Sunday are as follows: Sunday School at 10 o'clock; morning service at 11 o'clock; Young People's Religious Union at 6:30 p. m. The meeting at 6:30 will be unique. The theme will be Brotherhood, and many poems or selections on this subject will be read by the members. Also a short talk will be given. The young people's social will be held Saturday night instead of Friday.

LIVE STOCK AND FOWLS

For Sale—One team of young horses. Price \$325. Also one 150-egg incubator. Price \$15. Phone Odell 298. 51-54c

Wanted—A No. 1 cow and all-round young horse. Phone 213-X 53-54p

S. C. Rhode Island Reds—A few very fine cockerels. Prizes Portland Show: 1st and 5th cockerels; 2nd, 4th and 5th pullets; 1st on best pen of Reds; \$50 silver cup for best pen of Reds and sweepstakes for best pen in show, all varieties competing. Eggs for hatching after January 1. E. F. Batten, Phone 2012-M. 51tc

For Sale—Three first-class Jersey cows, \$45 and \$75; One Sharpless separator used three months, cheap. C. C. Walton, Parkdale, Phone Odell 18X3. 2-4c

For Sale—One well-matched team, bay mares, weight 2800. Sound and gentle also wagon and harness. P. S. Wilkinson, 1119 9th street, south of Pine street. 2-3p

BUSINESS ADVERTISING

Oakdale Greenhouses—Geraniums, salvia, verbena and other bedding plants. See the roses in bloom this summer and have stock reserved for Fall or next spring. Plants and cut flowers at Franz's, Fletcher & Fletcher, Hood River. 19tc

Founder of the Japanese Navy.

The founder of the Japanese navy was an Englishman named Will Adams, who went to the eastern seas as pilot of a Dutch fleet in 1598 and was cast away in Japan a couple of years later. He became a Japanese noble and constructor of the navy to the tycoon, but was never allowed to return to England. He died about twenty years afterward, very ingeniously leaving half his property to his wife and family in England and half his property to his wife and family in Japan. After his death he was deified.—Exchange.

Some Big Numbers.

If you fill a tiny vessel one centimeter cube with hydrogen corpuscles you can place therein, in round numbers, five hundred and twenty-five octillions of them. If these corpuscles are allowed to run out of the vessel at the rate of 1,000 per second it will require seventy-seven quintillions of years to empty it.

One of the Ways.

"Who was that steady individual I saw you give a dollar to?" "An old literary friend of mine; author of 'Ten Thousand Ways of Making Money.'" —

Mind and Matter.

Teacher—Is there any connection between mind and matter? Small Boy—Yes; if a boy doesn't mind there'll be something the matter.—Chicago News.

Men are born to succeed, not to fail.

—Thoreau.

Minister—Young man, do you know how to dance?

Young Man—Well, parson, I know the holds, but I don't know the steps.