

Correspondence

OAK GROVE

Miss Irene Irquhart came up from Portland to spend last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nichols.

H. A. Cuning spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week in town and on a short trip down the Columbia River.

Mr. Pierson and family moved to Oak Grove from Portland last week and are living in the Charles Stranahan house. Mr. Pierson expects to build a residence in the near future on his ranch next to the Sutthoff property.

Miss Hazel Stanton spent the week end in Portland.

Mrs. V. J. Blackburn and children arrived recently from University Place, Nebraska, and are staying on the Simons ranch.

Miss Gertrude Irwin has resigned her position as teacher of the primary grades of the Oak Grove school on account of ill health. Miss Irwin has been suffering for the past month with pleurisy, but is now somewhat improved. Miss Alma Hinrichs of Barrett has been elected to fill the vacancy in the school.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Gladen are spending the week in town. Mr. Gladen serving as juror in the present term of court.

Mrs. Osborne and two children, who have spent the winter in California and Hood River, returned Friday to their ranch for the summer.

The plans for the teachers' meeting and dedication of the Oak Grove school house are about completed and give promise of being successful in every way. It will be an all-day affair and Oak Grove people are asked to bring enough lunch for their own families and for two or three extra, as there will be visiting teachers and friends. They are also requested to bring cups and silverware for the number of people they are furnishing food for. Coffee, plates and paper napkins will be supplied at the school house. Don't forget the day, Saturday, April 12.

The Ladies' Aid will give a dime social tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. T. Crapper. All are cordially invited to be present.

UNDERWOOD

J. M. Snowden and his daughter, Gladys, accompanied by Miss MacManer of Portland, are spending a few days on Mr. Snowden's ranch.

A. J. Haynes, M.S. Smith and Henry Love were elected telephone directors for the ensuing year.

C. W. Gibbs, a prominent jeweler of Wallace, Idaho, is on his ranch for a few days.

William M. Rafter of White Salmon spent a few days with the Hewetts last week.

Mrs. E. M. Cummins entertained the Heights Music Study Club Friday evening, April 4. A very interesting time was had.

Mrs. H. A. Hussey and Mrs. H. S. Adams gave an April Fool party Tuesday at the residence of the former and



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The PARIS FAIR

It was enjoyed by most of the ladies of Underwood.

After spending a few days in Portland Mrs. L. F. Stickney returned home last Tuesday.

Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Collins on the arrival of a son, Sunday, March 30.

Another dam is to be built by the Northwestern Electric Company higher up on the White Salmon River.

Mrs. A. J. Haynes entertained the Ladies' Aid Society at her home on April 3.

Mrs. Florence Holmes Rafter has sold her ranch to Dr. H. K. Weber of Salt Lake City, who will move on it in the near future.

Miss Ruth Vinton spent part of last week with Mrs. H. M. Griener.

Among the visitors to the Grand Opera from this place were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Griener and Frank Hogg.

PINE GROVE

Mrs. Susan Campbell attended the Grand Opera in Portland last week.

Mrs. Hunt is having an addition built on her house.

Frank Menefee of Portland was a Pine Grove visitor Sunday.

Mrs. R. S. McDonald, H. P. Lage and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lage spent Sunday in Mosier.

Miss Anna Godbersen was called home Saturday by the death of her brother Thomas. Mrs. E. E. Lage filled her position in the school the first of the week.

Real estate is still moving. W. H. Maher having sold his place. The Wal-

lace and Marshall places have also changed hands.

Mrs. James Taylor, who has been in Portland for the past week having her little son treated, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cameron of Odell spent Sunday with J. G. Jarvis and family.

We are glad to report that John Mohr is able to be out of the house again.

There will be church services next Sunday morning, but none in the evening as Mr. Carson will preach at Odell.

Miss Mattie Cochran has gone to town to live at the home of Doctor Pinea.

The Pine Grove mandolin club played at the musical given by Mr. Harmon and pupils at the Baptist church last night.

BARRETT

The concert given by the church people Friday night was very poorly attended owing to the bad weather, and it is planned to repeat the program next Tuesday, April 15. The program consists of old songs and readings. Every one is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong of Peoria, Ill., are spending the week with their son, Leonard Armstrong.

A. L. Paddock, who has been employed on the Union Pacific Road all winter, returned to the ranch last Tuesday.

Mrs. Boyce and son, Shelly, are both ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cauller spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Forbes at White Salmon.

Mrs. F. M. Peugh, who has been suffering with a severe cold, is improving. Miss Vera Taylor of Albany is a guest of Mrs. B. L. Murphy.

CENTRAL VALE

The Priscilla Club was very pleasantly entertained last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Butchart. The next meeting on April 17 will be at the home of Mrs. Sheppard.

Arthur Rand of Portland spent the latter part of last week with his friend Walter Niehans.

Mrs. Ogden of Madison, Wis., arrived last Friday and expects to spend the summer with her son, George.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fernyough were up from Portland over Sunday visiting friends and looking over their ranch. They have rented their place to Mr. Durham for the summer as they do not expect to return.

W. B. Price of Portland moved his family into the house vacated last fall by the Norbergs when they moved to Duluth.

DEE

Miss Cecelia Ford spent Saturday and part of Sunday at home.

The ladies of Dee spent a pleasant afternoon with Mrs. Shannon Saturday. They organized a sewing society from which all of them expect to derive much pleasure and benefit. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Emmett.

Miss Shannon came from Hood River Saturday morning, returning Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Jensen, a former resident of Dee, is visiting friends. Her home for the past winter has been in Kent, Wash., but will move to Minnesota in May, where Mr. Jensen expects to engage in farming.

A pleasant surprise was given to

Miss Coral Hadley on Tuesday evening when a party of her friends assembled to spend the evening with her. On the following day the family moved to Hood River, but Miss Coral returned on Sunday to spend the day with Mabel Green.

Byron Robinson has returned from Coos Bay where he has been spending the winter.

Mr. Damon, who was formerly the barber in Dee, has returned after an absence of several months.

Mr. Yates was a Hood River visitor on Friday.

ODELL

The Ladies' Aid of the Federated church met at Mrs. G. E. Bowerman's last Thursday. Many visitors were present. The society voted to be known as "The Sunshine Guild." On Friday evening, April 18, the Guild will give a supper and entertainment. Definite announcements next week.

The officers are: President, Mrs. Mary More; secretary, Mrs. Eade.

A large audience assembled to hear Leslie Butler Sunday evening at the Union church. As he did not come the Endeavor meeting, led by A. J. Lacey, was continued through the evening. The singing of old-time hymns led by the fine choir was a delightful feature.

Chas. Ehrck, a cousin of the late William Ehrck, came some time ago from his home in Iowa. He was present at his cousin's death and burial. He will remain here for about three weeks and from here, accompanied by his daughter, will go to California, returning possibly to see Hood River in her autumn apple glory. He owns a fine place here which is now leased to James Eggert.

Next Thursday evening, April 10, Rev. C. A. Phipps will hold a Sunday School Institute for all the neighborhood at the Odell Methodist church. Mrs. Guy Smith and Mrs. Bertha Young will have charge of the music. Mr. Phipps has another institute at Hood River Friday night and then one at Cascade Locks.

J. E. Ferguson has been to Astoria and Portland.

Was there ever a lovelier home place than this? And the flowers are here already.

Almont Ferguson, who is attending the O. A. C., has been quite ill at Corvallis, threatened with pneumonia, and will return home this week. We hope the odor of our pine trees will do for him what they have often done for other returning sons of Hood River and restore him speedily to health.

Mrs. Dane Kemp and daughter have arrived at Eugene on their way home. They will visit there awhile and may wait there for Dane Kemp. Mrs. Crockett will return with her brother when the weather is favorable. He has a case of "Heimweh" that impels his return.

Rev. Carson will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday night. Other services as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutler and Miss Lucy have returned home here. Mrs. Cutler is slowly recovering from an operation which it is hoped will give her renewed strength in his after effects.

Mr. Witte, who traded for the Richter place, has moved with his family to Lyle. He sold to a Portland real estate firm.

Rev. Troy Shelley preached Sunday morning to a good audience from Phil. 4:7, the text and sermon being specially adapted to our present needs. Mrs. Dutro sang a beautiful solo.

Rev. J. R. Hargreaves has announced that he will preach next Sunday evening. The sermon subject will be "When the Practical and the Formal Meet." The Men's Bible Class recently organized will meet tonight (Wednesday) and Mr. Hargreaves plans to be present.

Mr. Williams has returned from a trip to Yakima and reports the financial conditions there like they are here.

Mrs. J. E. Ferguson went to Belmont Sunday as she had a part in the program there. Her class gave a successful social at her home last Friday.

Miss Hope Shelley went to Portland to attend the Michigan University Glee Club concert Tuesday evening.

Congregational Church

The following persons were received into membership Sunday morning: Mrs. Irma Metcalf, George M. Galloway, Mrs. Bessie H. Galloway, Miss Louisa M. Galloway, John DuBois, Mrs. Marjorie VonLubken, Phillip VonLubken, Miss Leona Thayer, James H. Hazlett, Miss Lillian Brock, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Campbell, was received in baptism.

The members and friends of the church will meet Wednesday evening for a social which will be in the nature of a reception for the new members in the church parlors. All are invited.

Remember Dr. Drake's coming. She will speak in our pulpit next Sunday morning. In the evening the pastor will speak, by request, on "The God of the Flood and the Storm."

The annual meeting of the Portland Association of Congregational Churches will meet at Atkinson Memorial Church next Tuesday and Wednesday. Programs can be had by applying to the pastor. Edward A. Harris.

Unitarian Church

The subject at the morning service next Sunday will be "Authority in Religion." Is the church or the Bible, or Jesus our authority? Can we trust an outside authority of any kind? To trust any single outside authority is to believe what someone else says we should believe. Have you come to your religious belief through careful study or have you taken them ready-made? This sermon will consider the three great religious authorities—the church, the Bible, the reason. This is important because it involves our intellectual honesty.

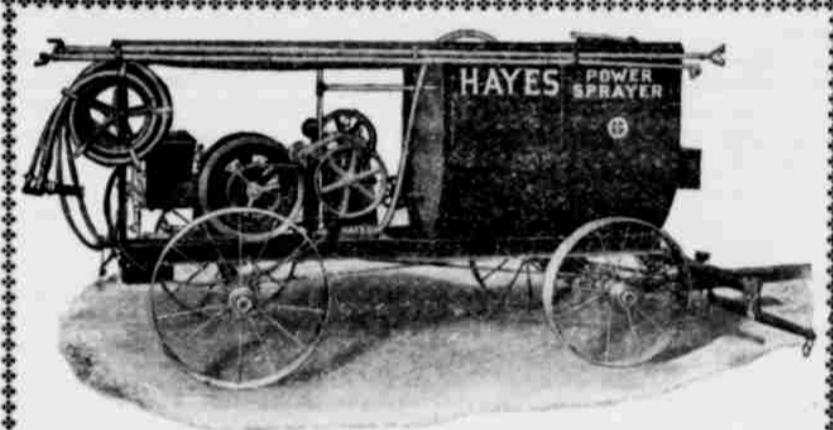
At 6:30 the young people will hold their usual service to which the older ones are cordially invited. Mr. Mac Donald will give a reading entitled "The Promise." The special music will consist of a violin solo by Dr. Sharp, a cornet and violin duet by Will McQuire and Joe Johnson and a piano solo by Miss Myrtle White. At both services collections will be taken for the sufferers in the Middle West.

Grace U. B. Church

Sunday School at 10 a. m., G. A. Partis, superintendent. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. on "Genuine Guides for Life." C. E. at 6:30 W. B. North, President. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Every Sunday gives larger hope for the 100 per cent increase for the year. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, conducted by Mrs. Hubbard. Grand Union Sunday School Rally Friday night.

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