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 The Continued Story of Current Events at Neighboring Points,  
 as Recorded by our Wide-Awake Newsgatherers

1905 NOVEMBER 1905

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**Myrtle Creek Musings.**  
 Myrtle Creek is still booming.  
 Farmers are taking advantage of the nice weather.

Rev. W. M. Lyons, the new M. E. South minister, arrived here Thursday. J. D. Cornelison has rented a cottage. Looks suspicious, doesn't it?  
 Born, Thursday, to the wife of Ben Southworth, a boy.

T. B. Burnett has moved to Ruckles, but his daughter, Maggie, will remain in town during the winter to attend school.  
 Miss Della Chaney returned to Myrtle Creek Thursday, after an extended visit at Wilbur.

C. O. White is doing some fancy improving on his residence property.  
 The Rattler Mining Co., have just completed hauling a car-load of high-grade ore for shipment.

The big mill at the Continental Mine is in operation now.  
 G. W. Crews returned to his home at San Jose, Cal., on Wednesday.

The Public School is still increasing in interest and numbers.  
 J. L. Chaney and family have returned from Woodland, Cal., after an absence of two years. He will remain here during the winter, at least, and will locate permanently if he can find employment to justify him in doing so.

T. N. Humphrey and family have returned to Myrtle Creek to remain indefinitely.  
 The W. O. W. reception given Head Consul, I. I. Boak at this place Tuesday night was a howling success. The following program was well rendered: Instrumental Duet by Williams Bros; Address of Welcome by Thurman Chaney; Instrumental Duet and Song by Miss Verna Chaney and Mrs. Nettie Smith; Lecture by Head Consul, I. I. Boak; Song by a special choir; Solo by Miss Verna Chaney; Instrumental Duet by Williams Bros. After the entertainment a sumptuous supper was partaken of, and a good social time enjoyed by all. An immense crowd was present, quite a number of Woodmen being present from Roseburg, Riddle and Canyonville.

The W. O. W. of Myrtle Creek, at their regular meeting night, elected the following officers: A G Wright, C C; H A Adams, A L; A C Sherman, E; S W Bayless, C; H Dyer, B; Dan Watson, W; T E Strode, S; Thurman Chaney and F V Hoover, managers. Sycamore of the Unipqua.

**Edenbower Items**  
 F. S. Calkins has got the roof on his fine new house. The late shower just got footed.  
 All you have to do in Oregon is to wish for rain and it will come.

Mr. Hewett raised six hundred bushels of corn this year.  
 W. S. McConey had the misfortune of losing his cow. A freight train ran over her.

C. M. Hermann, a brother of Congressmanlinger Hermann, has moved into his newly purchased home.  
 A surprise party was given at Mr. Williams' Wednesday night. The order of the evening was eating pie and cake.

**Winchester Writings**  
 Grant Taylor returned from up the river Thursday and was in Roseburg Friday.  
 Mrs. L. G. Dumbleton and daughter, Maude, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Smith the latter part of the week. They attended the dance at Winston Saturday and returned home Monday.  
 Albert Abbe leaves next week for his timber claim.  
 Miss Jessie Walters, the competent teacher of our school, was a Roseburg visitor Saturday.

Miss Flossie McMullen leaves next week for a visit with her parents.  
 Nelson Miller was in Roseburg Thursday. Work on his ranch is progressing nicely.

Mrs. Vial was a guest of the Dumbleton family Wednesday.  
 Miss Beryl Atterbury was in Roseburg Saturday.

Mr. Blosser, our enterprising new merchant, is doing nicely. His store is well stocked with a fine line of goods.  
 Mrs. Geo. Steele, who has been ill with grip, is rapidly recovering.

Miss Campfield has returned to her home in Portland.  
 Miss Maude Birdsall has been in Roseburg for the past week.

Mrs. Reeves came in on the local Wednesday morning.  
**YOURS TRULY.**

**Elkton News Notes**  
 An entertainment and box social will be given at Hedden Bluff school house on Saturday night, Nov. 25th. All are invited to attend.

Prof. Victor Boyd, who has been teaching in a district a few miles from Elkton, passed through here a few days ago, en route home. He was obliged to close school on account of measles.

Our school board is having oil put on the floors of the school building. An excellent idea.  
 Dr. J. W. Strange, from Roseburg, who has been doing dental work in Elkton, has left for other points down the river.

The ball game last Saturday between the town team and the school nine, resulted in favor of the school nine. After the game, the town challenged the school for a game next Saturday. The school boys accepted and a very interesting game is expected.

**Red Hill Report**  
 Albert Cockeram attended the dance at Yoncalla Saturday night. He reports a good time.

Oscar Langdon and Ralph Westenhiser were attending to business matters in Yoncalla Saturday.

Miss Mildred Haines visited friends and relatives in Oakland recently.  
 Alvin McCarty was at Red Hill a few days ago buying cattle.

Quite a number from here will attend the grand masquerade ball at Yoncalla, Thanksgiving.

H. Cockeram made Oakland a professional call Friday.  
 About a dozen of our best markmen were out hunting Sunday, but we believe all failed to "down" the animal that has visited our farmers so often, lately.

Bert Seales, of Yoncalla, was in our midst last Sunday.  
 Miss M. M. Trump came up from Pleasant Valley Friday evening, and remained over Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hermiston are still at Yoncalla. The speaker has been greeted with large crowds and also had several new members from that place.  
 —Weary Willie.

**Camas Valley Matters**  
 Camas Valley is located in the Coast Range of mountains, in the southwestern part of Douglas County, Oregon.

This valley is about seven miles long, and from two to three miles wide, in the widest place. It is surrounded by mountains, from five hundred to one thousand feet above the level of the valley. The ranges lying to the west are steep, while those to the east have a much more gentle slope. The lower valley is level bottom land with two streams winding their way through it—one in the western edge, while the other flows through the center. These streams are the head waters of the middle fork of the Coquille river. The soil is most all very good, that along the streams being the richest. The soil on the west side of the valley is not so well adapted to fruit growing as on the coast. The chief timber of this county is fir, pine, cedar and live oak, which is very valuable for furniture. The products are grain of all kinds, fruit, vegetables, lumber and dairy products. The natural advantages of this place are great for sawmill, box factories and sash and door factories. There is also a fine location for a flour mill. There was one here in former years, but it was burned.

**Canyonville Echoes**  
 A. H. Henson of Galesville was in Canyonville Tuesday.  
 Mesdames J. O. Pierce and Walter Cornutt visited friends on Days Creek Thursday.

A. W. and James Stearns, now of Grant's Pass, were in Canyonville this week, having come by wagon.  
 Mr. J. M. Watson of Turner, has arrived at P. S. Wilson's, Riddle, Oregon, with a carload of choice young Jersey milk cows, which are offered for sale.

Mr. Slater, who lives on Corn Creek, while felling a tree Thursday, had his hand badly crushed, and it was found necessary to amputate three fingers, leaving the index finger and the thumb. Mr. Slater is a recent arrival from the East.—Echo.

**WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT**  
 U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, LOCAL OFFICE, ROSEBURG, OREGON  
 Week ending Wednesday, 5 p. m. Nov. 15, 1905  
 Maximum Temperature .....58  
 Minimum Temperature .....34  
 Rainfall for Week ..... .00  
 Total Rainfall since 1st of Month .....0.01  
 Average precipitation for this month for 28 years.....4.43  
 Total rainfall from Sept. 1, 1905, to date .....3.70  
 Average rainfall from Sept. 1 to date .....5.77  
 Total excess from Sept. 1, 1905, to date .....2.07  
 Average precipitation for 28 wet seasons .....33.13  
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**Thanksgiving Ball.**  
 There will be a Masquerade Ball, at Hunsaker's Hall, Myrtle Creek, Ore., on Thanksgiving night. You are all invited to attend.

Dairying would be a profitable business as there is plenty of pasture in the surrounding country for enough cows to support a large creamery. We have two school houses in the valley, one in the upper district, where there are about twenty children of school age. The other is a large two-roomed house in the center of the lower district. There are about ninety children in this district. We have a church, owned by the Methodists. There is a store and a hotel on the Roseburg and Myrtle Point stage line. We have a daily mail from both Roseburg and Myrtle Point. There is a telephone line connecting Roseburg and Myrtle Point, via this valley, which makes quick connection with the outside world. There are about three hundred and fifty people here and most all of them are good and industrious.—By a Pupil.

New members are being received at the Baptist church right along. Last evening one new member was added to the growing list. Such occurrences would rejoice the heart of any pastor, and of course, Rev. Hicks is human.  
 "The Chronicle," is the name of a new paper which has just been started at Laidlaw, Crook county. It starts out with good prospects and ought to be given loyal support.

Now that the rains have come, those bad colds will soon disappear, and the doctors will be able to take a rest, for Roseburg is one of the healthiest of places—if the rains only come.  
 Notice is hereby given to the public that the business houses of Ashland will close next Wednesday afternoon from 3 o'clock until 5, to enable employes to attend the football game between the S. O. State Normal School and Roseburg High School teams. This will be the game of the season, and no doubt a large crowd will witness it.—Ashland Tribune.

**Mail Schedule, ROSEBURG POSTOFFICE**  
 Mail closes for northbound trains at 9 a. m. and 10:30 p. m.  
 Mail closes for southbound trains at 5:35 p. m. and 4:15 a. m.  
 Outer doors of postoffice open at all times.  
 Registry and Money Order Windows are open from 7:30 a. m. to 5 p. m.  
 Stamp and General Delivery Windows open from 7:30 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.  
 Above hours daily, except Sunday.  
 Stamp and General Delivery Windows open Sundays 9:30 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.  
 C. W. PARKS, P. M.

  
**Time of Trains at Roseburg and at Other Points in Douglas County.**

SOUTHBOUND LEAVES		Overland Daily Express Trains	NORTHBOUND LEAVES	
No. 15	No. 11		No. 12	No. 16
5:00am	5:45pm	ROSEBURG	9:35am	11:35pm
8:30am	9:15pm	Corvallis	11:20am	
9:15am	9:50pm	Yoncalla	11:55am	1:00pm
10:00am	1:15pm	Oakland	12:35pm	12:15pm
11:15am	2:30pm	Winston	1:55pm	
12:30pm	3:45pm	Portland	3:05pm	10:50pm
1:45pm	4:30pm	Myrtle Creek	3:55pm	10:35pm
3:00pm	5:15pm	Riddle	4:45pm	10:20pm
4:15pm	6:00pm	Groendale	5:35pm	10:05pm
5:30pm	6:45pm	Portland	6:25pm	9:50pm
6:45pm	7:30pm	San Francisco	7:15pm	9:35pm
8:00am	8:45pm		8:05am	9:20pm
9:15am	9:30pm		9:00am	8:05pm

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**WEATHER STATISTICS.**  
 U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Data for Twenty Years Station at Roseburg, Oregon

	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Average highest temperature.....	48	50	57	61	68	72	80	80	74	64	53	48
Average low temperature.....	35	35	38	41	45	48	52	52	48	43	38	36
Mean average temperature 24 years.....	41	43	47	51	57	61	66	66	60	53	46	42
Average total rainfall.....	5.79	4.82	3.76	2.48	2.08	1.20	0.35	0.37	1.20	2.81	4.11	6.15
Greatest rainfall.....	12.23	11.50	8.61	5.14	4.63	5.94	2.20	2.23	3.81	5.90	9.91	12.02
Lowest rainfall.....	1.06	0.70	0.28	0.63	0.73	0.51	0.25	0.19	0.19	0.25	0.19	2.73
Average No. days .04 of rain fell.....	14	13	15	11	10	5	1	2	7	8	13	15
Average snow fall in inches.....	3	4	2									1
Hottest day on record.....	71	72	81	90	102	98	102	10	99	91	74	66
Cooldest day on record.....	6	3	18	26	30	36	40	40	35	22	14	7
Highest hourly velocity of wind.....	0	96	36	36	30	28	24	41	24	25	39	48

Prepared by Thos. Gibson, U. S. forecast official, Roseburg, Oregon.