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CORRESPONDENCE

MONMOUTH.

William Addison, of Ashland, was a business visitor in Monmouth this week.

Miss Elsie Allen, of Norton, Lincoln county, visited friends in Monmouth, Monday.

Messrs Boothby & Lewis shipped a carload of hogs to the Portland market

Friday, and will ship another load this week.

T. A. Riggs' new moving picture show which was recently installed in this city is meeting with excellent patronage.

Mr. Radick is preparing to rebuild his bakery which was destroyed by fire last week. The new structure will be built of brick.

W. H. Ireland and Ellis Ireland went to Dayton, Monday. The latter will remain in that place this winter, while the former will travel for his health.

Mrs. Nettie Boehle gave an enjoyable party to a number of the children of this city Saturday in honor of the fourth birthday of her little niece, Manita Guilliams.

Mrs. Augusta M. Powell died of cerebral tumor at the Salem hospital, Monday evening. She was 27 years of age and leaves a husband, Jay F. Powell, and two children. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mulkey, well known pioneers. The deceased had been ill for some weeks and was taken to the hospital in an unconscious condition last Thursday. The remains were brought to Monmouth, Tuesday, for burial in the K. of P. cemetery.

Mrs. J. H. Fream and daughter, Bertha, have been visiting in Portland.

Miss Ruth Nunn, of Dallas, has been visiting her cousin, Miss Ruby Fream.

Misses Claire and Berta Bentley have returned from a few days' visit in Portland.

A miscellaneous shower was given Monday evening in compliment to Miss Bertha Fream, who was married yesterday to John L. Robinson, of Alma, Michigan. The evening was spent in a most delightful social manner and light refreshments were served. The prospective bride was the recipient of many beautiful presents.

BRIDGEPORT.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes are in quite poor health.

J. T. Guthrie has his fine new residence almost completed.

A. J. Shipley has been engaged to teach the Antioch school.

Mrs. B. B. Riggs visited her sister near St. Helens last week.

Harry Chapin has moved to the farm recently purchased from W. L. Gilson.

George Remington is building a new residence just north of the Guthrie schoolhouse.

Mrs. Frank Laws is reported to be recovering nicely from the effects of her long and dangerous illness.

Henry Byerley Jr. is moving into the Wilbur Lewis house. He is to have charge of the Strong ranch.

Nine new residences and five up-to-date barns have been built or are in course of construction in this vicinity.

The road improvement in this vicinity has been temporarily stopped by the heavy rains of Monday and Tuesday.

H. Fern, Frank Laws and a number of the other hop growers of this district have recently disposed of their entire crops at a price a fraction over 7 cents.

Frank Morrison has charge of the rural mail route in this district during the absence of M. B. Grant, the regular carrier, who is away on a hunting vacation near Junction City.

Jess Gilliam and family, of Garfield, Washington, visited relatives in this vicinity last week. Mrs. Gilliam, who was formerly Miss Rachel Scott, has not been in the Willamette Valley for nearly 30 years. They left Monday for Roseburg where they intend to make their home in future.

INDEPENDENCE.

Mrs. W. H. Craven was a Dallas visitor Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Conkey visited relatives in Dallas, Sunday.

I. M. Butler was a business visitor in Dallas, Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Whiteaker was a Salem visitor, Monday.

Mrs. E. J. Hosler, of Olympia, Washington is visiting friends here.

Gus Sperling, of Portland, is spending the week here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Corwin Townsend, of Seattle, Washington, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. P. H. Drexler and daughter, Mrs. Percy Dickinson, were Salem visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stumberg, of Vancouver, Washington, visited in this city last week.

Travis McDevitt, of Corvallis, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. G. W. Conkey, Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Irvine has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Oregon City and Portland.

Mrs. Martha McCloud, who has been visiting at the home of D. W. Sears has returned to her home in Portland.

Mrs. Mossell, who has been visiting at the home of her cousin, E. E. Paddock, has returned to her home in Seattle.

Miss Grace Damon, of Salem, was an over Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Damon.

D. G. Dove, of the firm of Dove & Williams, has purchased Mr. Williams' interest in the drug business and will continue the same.

Miss Frankie Dougherty has returned to her home in Portland, after several weeks' visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. M. Kirkland.

POLK.

The rain of the past few days is greatly appreciated by the farmers in this vicinity.

The public school in this district commenced October 5, with Miss Alta Savage as teacher.

E. L. Harris recently purchased 10 acres of the W. C. Brown property near Dallas at \$150 an acre.

No plowing has been done in this vicinity as yet but a considerable amount of cheat and vetch has been disced in already.

Hunters have been plentiful in this neighborhood since the first of the month and the China pheasants are becoming quite scarce.

The Enns prune orchard produced about 30,000 pounds of fruit this year. This is the estimated weight after the prunes had been dried.

A. L. Windover came home last Saturday for a visit over Sunday. He is the engineer at the county rock crusher near Falls City.

P. P. Buhler and family moved into their new home last Friday. The finishing work on the house will be completed within a few days.

FALLS CITY.

(Falls City News.)

The newly established Electric Theater gave its first program Tuesday evening.

Miss Emma Christenson has returned to her home in Little Falls, Minnesota, after an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Vick.

William Southwell has been installing a hydraulic ram near Black Rock to supply water for the engines of the Dallas and Falls City railroad.

F. K. Hubbard carried the registration book up to the mills and camps at Black Rock last week, so that the men might be able to register without having to leave their work.

Mrs. Ida Smull and brother, F. S. Barker, of Portland, have rented Dr. L. Pfandhoefer's hospital and will have charge of it in future. Mrs. Smull is a graduate of the Nurse's Training School of Iowa, and Mr. Barker has had several years' experience as a naval surgeon.

BALLSTON.

Grandma Chapin has been quite ill. Mrs. Kimsey is suffering from a severe attack of heart trouble.

One of Mrs. R. A. Campbell's sisters from Minnesota is here for a visit.

Mrs. Clara McCann, of Seattle, is here at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Kimsey.

Miss Ida Anderson has gone to Portland, where she will attend business college.

Henry Butler, Charles Spagle and Arthur Burleson have been putting a concrete foundation under the Woodman Hall.

Miss Viola Reynolds and Henry Thompson were married in Dallas, Monday. They will make their home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Mulkey, of Sheridan, Mr. and Mrs. Gregg and Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller spent Sunday at the home of N. M. Conner.

Two Indians Arrested.

Sheriff J. M. Grant arrested, Monday night, Albert and Louise Ferris, and Indian man and woman who were wanted in Clackamas county for robbing and brutally beating an old woman near Oregon City. The crime was committed last June, and the couple succeeded in eluding the officers and escaping to California. From that time nothing was heard of them until they appeared in Dallas, Monday and camped on the LaCreole near Henry Dimick's barn. Sheriff Grant had a full description of them and effected their arrest, holding them until Constable Miles, of Clackamas county, could come to Dallas and positively identify them as the ones wanted for the Oregon City crime. Mr. Miles arrived in Dallas, Tuesday, identified the couple and returned with them to Oregon City, Wednesday morning, where they will be held for trial.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will hold its annual Rally Day services next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. A special program will be given by the primary and junior departments. All are cordially invited to be present.

Sales on dress hats and children's ribbons at Bertha Toner's millinery store Saturday, October 17. One day only. Do not fail to call and examine the stock we have on sale at reduced prices.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Henry, of Spring Valley, are in Dallas attending the Teachers' Institute.

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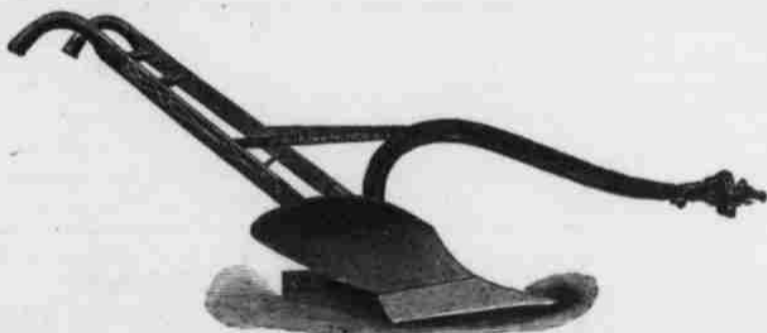
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