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NEWS OF POLK COUNTY

ITEMS CONTRIBUTED BY RUSTLING LOCAL CORRESPONDENTS.

Happenings of Interest in Various Neighborhoods Told in Interesting Manner.

BUELL

George Neely is attending school here.

A. W. Fletcher has painted his house.

George Hills made a business trip to Sheridan, Saturday.

Mrs. B. R. Jones and family visited relatives at Butler, Sunday.

Quite a crowd of voters met at the store and registered last Saturday.

A large crowd attended the dance at Jones' Saturday night, and all report a fine time.

Everyone here was surprised to hear of the marriage of Will Hill and Miss Lela Syron last week.

HARMONY

Lynn Jones is hauling his hops this week.

Hugh Walker spent Sunday at the home of Cyrus Hill.

Miss Nina Graves visited in Sheridan, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Edna Caldwell visited Mrs. A. A. McLean, Saturday and Sunday.

Harmony was well represented at the ball game in Sheridan, Sunday.

The pupils of the Harmony school had their pictures taken last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tabbutt, of Butler, visited at A. A. McLean's, Sunday.

Isaac Eades, of Pateros, Washington, is visiting his nephew, William Eades.

Miss Janie Guttery, of Amity, was visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Guttery.

Zena--Spring Valley

R. C. Shepard was a business visitor in Dallas, Saturday.

W. N. Crawford was a business visitor in Hillsboro, Saturday.

Mr. O'Reilly attended the teachers' institute in Dallas last week.

Wayne Henry and Lynn Purvine are visitors in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crawford spent several days in Dallas last week.

Mrs. Knutson and daughter, Hilda, left Thursday for South Dakota. Mrs. Looney accompanied them as far as Portland.

Fred Carothers went to Hillsboro, Friday, and returned Sunday with the mare that was taken from his barn several weeks ago. A reliable farmer had bought the mare from a stranger, and now the sheriff and the farmer are in pursuit of the fellow, who, it is supposed, went toward Roseburg.

BALLSTON

Norman Barnett and family, of Boring, visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. T. J. Short, Monday.

Rev. W. B. Hollingshead, of Portland, gave a temperance lecture in the Methodist Church, Thursday night.

The first quarterly conference for this year of the Ballston circuit will be held in the Methodist Church here Monday afternoon.

T. J. Short and family attended a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Short's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barnett, in Sheridan, Sunday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Harriet Orchard was held at the Methodist Church, Saturday morning. The services were conducted by Rev. G. W. Weather. The remains were buried by the side of Mrs. Orchard's first husband in the cemetery near their former home North of Williams.

AIRLIE

Mrs. C. E. Staats visited in Dallas, Monday.

Harry Chapin is assisting E. R. Conn with his Fall plowing.

John Miller, who has been quite sick for some time, is better.

A. R. Lewis is digging a well near his newly-leased barn.

Yere Staats has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Ritter, of Pelee.

The United Artisans met in the Airlie city hall Saturday night.

Clyde Turner, the depot agent, has a new telephone in his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Harrington made a business trip to Albany, Monday.

A great number of city sports are hunting in the regions around Airlie.

Mr. Toedtmeier is harvesting his crop of potatoes. He has nine acres to care for.

John Brinkley is here visiting his father. He is a traveling salesman for a Portland firm.

Ballard Taylor is moving into his new house. Ballard still says "no wedding bells for me."

Iris, Rally and Lacey delivered their hops at this place last Saturday. Lee Fenton, of Dallas, received them.

The new pump for the Airlie city schools is here. Repairs and improvements are now being made about the school grounds.

We have had several days of sunshine, and hope it will continue a few days longer, as the farmers are all busy putting in their Fall grain.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Rose and son, Gordon, of Philomath, have come back to Airlie to stay. He will assist his mother, Mrs. William Rose, in keeping the hotel.

R. S. Hastings and family arrived here Sunday for a few days' visit with relatives. Sam is the owner of a large wheat ranch in Washington, where he has resided for several years.

Mr. Caughy's brother-in-law, Mr. Alrick, has arrived in Airlie from south Dakota and will make his home here. He brought considerable personal property with him. He has bought land near Airlie and intends to build.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray attended the funeral of Mr. Harrington's only

LEWISVILLE

A. Mr. Brown, of Minnesota, after having resided a short time in Suver, is moving to the Joe Brown place, one mile West of Lewisville.

Preaching at Lewisville next Sunday, at 11 a. m., and at Bridgeport at 7:30 p. m. At Bridgeport, an address will be delivered on the vital points of the temperance issue.

Rev. and Mrs. E. E. McVicker went to Dallas, Monday, where she will visit the children while he makes a visit to Portland. They will return in time for Sunday services.

MONMOUTH

W. C. Pollan is building a new home. Mrs. Clarie is very ill and is not expected to live.

J. C. Johnson, of Salem, was in town on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Walker, of Philomath, were in town Friday.

Mrs. Hedegpeth, of Airlie, was the guest of Mrs. B. Hastings over Sunday.

Mr. Phillips returned home Friday from Eugene, where he had been on a visit.

L. C. Hoover went to Tacoma, Monday, on business connected with the church.

Mrs. James Staley, of Salem, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Graham over Sunday.

Milton Force, of Portland, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Force.

Mrs. Mary Ryan, of Tacoma, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Coleman, and her brother, S. A. Work.

Mrs. Martin Sacer and son, Edgar, went to Portland, Friday. They returned home Tuesday.

Phy Simpson, of Airlie, one of the leading logging men of Polk County, was in Monmouth on business the latter part of the week.

The Southern Pacific Company has remodeled the depot building, which adds to its appearance and makes it up to date in every respect.

Hartley Mulkey sold his 13 acres, with a 12-acre orchard on it, just North of Monmouth, for \$4350. A Mr. Harvey, of Columbia County, was the purchaser.

Reverend McInturf will fill the pulpit in the Evangelical Church next Sunday morning and evening. Everyone invited to come and hear the evangelist.

The Sunday School rally was well attended and the program was good. The solo by Mr. McInturf, Jr., was especially enjoyable. The young man has perfect control of his excellent voice and shows he has had skillful training.

The Peterson-Johnson-Eker Real Estate Company has sold its business, contracts and lists to French & McInturf. The new firm will be known as the Monmouth Real Estate Company. The building will be enlarged and a department of insurance, loans and investments will be added.

Mr. O. A. Wolverton and Mrs. Irene Dalton, both of Monmouth, were married October 18, at 7 o'clock p. m., at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed by Elder Wood, pastor of the Christian Church. Mrs. Wolverton is one of Monmouth's best women and Mr. Wolverton is well and favorably known in the county. Their friends join in their congratulations and good wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Wolverton will continue to reside in Monmouth.

BUENA VISTA

Henry Knighten was an Albany visitor Sunday.

R. Peterson was a McMinnville passenger Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stiles were Albany visitors Saturday.

T. P. Ogilvie is making some noted improvements in his dwelling.

Elmer Hall, of Dallas, attended A. Anderson's funeral in this city, Monday.

Thomas Fennell, of Independence, was transacting business in this city Thursday.

L. W. Moore returned home Saturday after a several days outing in the mountains.

Harley E. Prather and Miss Maggie Black, both of Buena Vista, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony, Saturday evening October 15, Rev. E. E. McVicker, officiating. The young couple are both highly respected and move in the best of society. We wish them a long and successful career.

A. Anderson died at his home in McMinnville, October 14, of heart failure. His heart stopped suddenly without a moment's warning. Mr. Anderson was a former resident of Buena Vista, and an active member of the Evangelical church. He was a good citizen and was highly respected by all who came in contact with him. The funeral will be conducted from the Evangelical church of this city to the E. O. G. P. cemetery, where the last rites will be administered. The bereaved family has the sympathy of the entire community.

PARKER

Fred Wells went to Buena Vista, Sunday.

Mrs. Connett was an Independence visitor Friday.

R. Davidson sold two carloads of hay last week.

Mr. Wilson, of Independence, sawed wood in this vicinity last week.

Ralph Davidson helped Mr. Russell with his wood sawing Saturday.

Miss Bush, of Independence, visited in our burg Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. P. T. Peterson and children were Independence shoppers Friday.

P. J. Dickson and family, of Independence, came up to their farm in their auto Sunday.

Saturday was an interesting day for birds. Hunters could be seen and heard in every direction.

Miss Ethel Lewis attended the teachers' institute in Dallas last week.

returning to Parker, Sunday evening. Esten Bevens has moved to the De-Haven place and another renter is to move in soon. We did not learn his name.

Rev. McCain came up from Independence, on the 11 o'clock train Sunday morning. He gave us a good, sound temperance talk.

P. R. Alexander, Isaac Compton and Gale Alexander were hunting round Parker all day Saturday. We did not learn with what success.

Gale Alexander was out putting up posters Tuesday for the rally to be held in the Highland schoolhouse Saturday, October 22, at 7:30 p. m.

Guy Peterson has been tacking up bills for the rally to be held at the Parker schoolhouse October 22, at 2:45 p. m. A good turnout is desired. The Miller family quartet, of Salem, will furnish the music, and able speakers will be present.

EOLA

Roy Ferguson is working for G. W. Chapman.

Byron Brank is working for Thomas W. Brank.

Highland Trent is staying with his sister, Mrs. Antican.

G. W. Chapman is in Portland, serving a Federal grand jury.

Ed Mitty is hauling gravel from the bar under the Salem steel bridge.

Mrs. Stanton, Flossie Knowler and Miss McMillan are cleaning apples for Mr. Hamer.

George and Emily Cromley, of Astoria, and relatives here the first of the week.

E. T. Hamer has a large portion of his apples to pick yet, and he wants more pickers.

Miss Ethel Brank is out of school, and will probably have to stay out several days, on account of a sprained knee.

The special school election, which was to have been held last Monday, was called off, as it was found not necessary.

R. I. Ferguson and Thomas Brank attended the school officers' meeting in Dallas, Saturday. Mr. Brank was for the second time elected President of the Association for the union of districts for a high school.

RICKEAL

Peter Cook went to Salem, Tuesday.

Mrs. B. F. Lucas went to Salem, Friday.

Mr. L. C. Sherwood went to Salem, Tuesday.

Orval Price was a visitor in Salem, Friday evening.

Joe Casteline, of Tillamook, is visiting friends here.

Ike Dempsey returned from Mabtown, Washington, Monday.

Mrs. Charles Iratcher, of Perrydale, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. I. A. Dempsey and son returned from Portland Sunday.

Albert Cadle, of Portland, came up Saturday to hunt pheasants.

Miss Mattie Koser and Miss Mira Lucas drove to Salem, Tuesday.

Mrs. Percival, of Monmouth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. Dempsey.

Mrs. A. M. Jones, of Portland, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kirkland, of Independence, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clark.

OAK GROVE

Birds seem very scarce this season.

Earl Way, of Salem, visited at J. E. Allen's last week.

Mrs. Nelson is visiting at the home of her father, I. A. Allen.

Arthur Allen has gone to Portland, where he expects to study law this winter.

Miss Melba White, of Portland, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Texella White.

A Reverend Stone has been chosen to take the place of Rev. Oliver at the M. E. Church.

G. G. Roberts has sold his farm north of Salem and is moving back to the old home place.

Mrs. Sarah Hill has gone to Corvallis to visit her daughter. She was accompanied by Mrs. J. C. White.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Williamson spent Sunday at J. W. Edgar's, and Isaac and Mandy Robertson at Mrs. Texella White's.

Grandma Stevens, who has been staying with her son, Thad, this Summer, has gone to Independence to visit her daughter, Mrs. Huntley.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

The Brush College school opened Monday.

George Adams is working for his brother, Harley.

Harley Adams has returned home from Southern Oregon.

W. T. Bennett and family have moved to Newport to live.

G. W. Norwood sawed wood for himself and Mr. Schindler, Saturday and Monday.

Mrs. Lena Sumpter and children are spending the Winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Adams.

Miss Mary Allen was married to Mr. Irinkman at the home of Mrs. Hunt, in West Salem, Wednesday.

Miss Jennie Moll and Mr. John Ferguson were married in Salem last Wednesday. They are on a short trip to Newport, and will reside with Mr. Ferguson's parents.

PERRYDALE

J. A. Baxter was a Dallas visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Snelling was a visitor in Dallas, Wednesday.

Miss Walker, of Dallas, is visiting at the home of her uncle, H. J. Elliott.

Mr. Holman, the blacksmith, and family have moved into a vacant house here.

Miss Kate Jennings, who is teaching school at Pioneer, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Conrad Steffen, of Dallas, who

was visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Elliott, returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Enes returned home Thursday from their honeymoon trip and are living in their new home, formerly owned by J. Brown.

A Halloween social will be given in the schoolhouse in Perrydale, Saturday evening, October 23. The proceeds will be used in buying song books for the Christian Church. All are invited to attend.

POLK

The farmers are all busy.

A big acreage of Fall grain is being sown all over the country.

T. R. Crook and family have moved to the Lewisville country.

Miss Susan Warkentin came home from Menno, Washington, last week.

The Harvest Festival at the M. B. Church last Sunday was well attended.

Mrs. C. H. Warkentin has gone to Redley, California, for a few weeks' visit.

Charles Teats is moving to the Doctor Hayter place, recently vacated by T. R. Crook.

The two-year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Rempel has been suffering from an abscess in her thigh.

Ewing Brothers lost a valuable horse last week. The animal dropped dead in its tracks while at work. The cause of its sudden death has not been ascertained.

INDEPENDENCE

E. E. Paddock was a Dallas visitor Monday.

Mrs. A. Sanford, of Forest Grove, is visiting friends here.

K. C. Eldredge was a visitor in Portland the last of the week.

Miss Clara Purvine visited in Sheridan the first of the week.

D. W. Sears, of Portland, was an Independence visitor this week.

Mrs. P. M. Kirkland went to Portland Monday for a few days' visit with her parents.

J. Harris and L. Lechmann, hop buyers of Salem, were business visitors here Wednesday.

Mrs. Lillian Eaton and daughters, Francis and Helen, returned from Hillsboro, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore returned the last of the week from Portland, where they spent a few days.

L. Patterson, of Portland, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Patterson, during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Merwin returned from Portland, Sunday evening, having spent a few days with friends and relatives.

The Leisure Hour Reading Club will give a Tag Day for the benefit of the Independence Free Library on Saturday, October 29.

United States Senator George E. Chamberlain addressed a large and appreciative audience at the Opera House, Wednesday evening.

Clover Leaf Rebekah Lodge celebrated the 59th anniversary of the instituting of that order in the United States. A large crowd of members of the order and invited guests were present and enjoyed an excellent program, during which ice cream and cake were served and a general good time enjoyed by all.

DEATH COMES SUDDENLY

Old Resident of Buena Vista Passes at Age of 37 Years.

LEWISVILLE, Or., Oct. 19—A. Anderson, an old and highly-respected resident of the Buena Vista neighborhood, died at McMinnville, Oregon, October 15, 1910, aged 37 years, 5 months and 11 days. The funeral services were held in the Evangelical Church in Buena Vista, Monday, and burial took place in the cemetery on the hill, Rev. E. E. McVicker, the pastor officiating.

Mr. Anderson was born in Stramway, Denmark, May 4, 1873. He married Mrs. Emma Prather, October 26, 1890. He had been a Christian for many years, being a member of the Evangelical Church for over 18 years. He is survived by his wife; one son, Nelson C. Anderson; five stepdaughters, one stepson, two brothers and four sisters.

Mr. Anderson decided about a year ago to sell his farm and retire. Since that time he bought a place in McMinnville for his own home, and a small dairy farm just outside of town for his son. He moved to his new home about three weeks before his death. He had not been well the greater part of the Summer. Although he continued to do his work he complained of being tired. While this condition continued to increase, his family did not think seriously about it.

The night before his death, he said to his wife: "I must retire earlier, and get more rest." The next morning he arose as usual and left the house. When he did not return as the wife expected, she went to the door and called to him, but received no answer. She then hurried out and found him dead a short distance from the house.

Mr. Anderson stood in the highest esteem of all who knew him, and his death has left sadness among the people of this community.

AGED MAN FALLS IN FIRE

'Uncle' Joseph Polley, of Buena Vista, Is Severely Burned.

BUENA VISTA, Or., Oct. 19—Joseph C. Polley, of this City, was seized with a sinking spell Sunday morning and fell into the fire. He was badly burned, his right forearm being cooked almost to a crisp.

'Uncle' Joe, has reached the ripe old age of 78 years and is quite active for a man of his age. He is also an old pioneer, having immigrated to Oregon in the year 1847.

The attending physician advances the opinion that the old veteran will survive his injuries,