

## Local and Personal.

Get Westfall to do your paper hanging.

Allen Johnson has baled hay for sale.

Peter Springer made a business trip to Salem last week.

Riddle Bros. have just finished sowing a large field of wheat.

C. C. Lowe and bride are visiting John Remington's for a few days.

Miss Hazel Squires a graduate of O. S. N. S. June '08, is teaching near Beaverton.

Mrs. M. A. Stine has gone to St. Helens for a couple of weeks visit with relatives.

Mrs. Maude Chapman arrived Sunday and is visiting at the home of J. B. Wright.

Farmers are taking advantage of the late dry fall, by seeding and dry sowing their fields.

Mrs. Chamberlain, of Falls City, visited friends here last week enroute home from Brownsville.

Ed Griffa came up from St. John Saturday for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Griffa.

Monroe Mulkey and wife have returned from an extended visit to Sheridan and other small towns in Yamhill county,

Cletus Butler has returned from Portland. He will remain at home for several weeks, but will then return to the metropolis.

Mrs. L. A. Wilson, from Angus, Minnesota, is visiting at the home of P. Springer. She is accompanied by her daughter Leatha.

George Murdock came over from Salem Saturday for a visit with the home folks and incidentally to get a few more Mongolians.

Agate Rebekah Lodge No. 117 held a special meeting last Thursday night for drill practice. The evening was pleasantly and profitably spent.

The members of the Eastern Star Lodge who went to Salem to the banquet given by the lodge there last week, report a very enjoyable trip.

Only a short time remains to register and those not having done so from any reason, should do so at once, if they want to vote next month.

S. A. Davis, who is farming in Polk county, arrived here Monday and will spend several days looking after his interests in this section.—Madras Pioneer.

B. F. Smith, one of the prosperous farmers of the Luckiamute valley, passed through here Saturday enroute home from a business trip to Independence.

A. R. Lewis was down from Airlie Friday. He brought down several large bolognas, or something that looked like them, filled with silver and deposited them in the Polk County Bank.

Mrs. M. E. Percival, who has been visiting with relatives in the valley for several months, arrived at Heisler Tuesday, and will visit a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Brown, before returning to Madras.—Madras Pioneer.

Henry Brooks, foreman at the cannery, was called to Fresno California, Friday, by the news of the sudden death of his father. The cause was apoplexy. Mr. Brooks was accompanied by his wife, who is a daughter of C. H. Ebbe, of this place. The elder Mr. Brooks was here this summer and was seemingly in the best of health.

Zook the Painter, will hang your paper.

Miss Agnes Campbell returned from Corvallis Monday.

Arch McNeil, of Cove Oregon, is attending school again.

M. A. Rickard, of Corvallis, visited with friends here Sunday.

James Love, of Hebo, Oregon, visited with the Grahams over Sunday.

Miss Lillie Springer, is working as an apprentice in the millinery store.

Mrs. Bowden, Mrs. Bowden and Dick Babbitt, went to Salem by carriage Saturday.

Have you voted? If not then get busy and cast a ballot for your favorite student.

Read the announcement of the voting contest. The prizes given are both useful and handsome.

Archie Hosner who is employed as bell boy in the Hotel Corvallis, was a weeks end visitor here.

Clarence, Hyde who is employed in the postal service in Seattle, Washington is visiting his parents here.

John Remington and wife have rented their farm west of town to Mr. Wheeler and will soon move here to live.

The citizens as a body extend their deepest sympathy to Messrs. Radek & Smith in their loss by fire last Friday night.

Miss Bertha Bohannon, of Independence, spent Sunday evening with her sister, Miss Hazel, who is attending school here.

The friends of Edward Pierson commonly known as "Ted" will be grieved to hear of his severe illness at his home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Boots left Tuesday for Hot Lake where Mr. Boots will test the virtue of the water of that famed sanitarium.

Miss Rowena Sperling, of Independence, was the guest of Miss Mabel Ellis and Miss Emma Henkle during the early part of the week.

Did anyone say "a hose cart for Monmouth?" We need a fire apparatus of some kind to help the energetic cool headed fire fighters of our town.

George Boothby, our local stock buyer, took a car load of fat hogs to Portland the last of last week. He reports the market very low on live stock at present.

Joe Oswalt and Earl Austin left Friday for their home in northwest Arkansas after spending two months with their aunt, Mrs. Lottie Graham of this place.

Babe Graham and party returned last week from a trip to the Coast. Not caring to place temptation in his way we didn't ask him how many fish he caught, nor how large.

Mrs. Ella Z. Mumper, of near Salem, was here last week looking after business interests and visiting with Mrs. Rachel Hall and Mrs. Wm. N. Boots. Mrs. Mumper will be remembered by many as a former resident of Monmouth and she still retains considerable property here. The Herald will visit her regularly for the next year.

Mrs. S. R. Smith returned Saturday evening from an extended visit with relatives in Salem and Portland. While away Mrs. Smith visited some of the big prune orchards in the vicinity of Liberty She remarked a great amount of development that had taken place in that section during the past few years. She visited with her daughter and grand-daughter in Portland and enjoyed the

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sights in the city very much.

Zook, the paper hanger will do your painting.

Dr. Lowe the well known optician and eye specialist will be in Dallas, October 19 and 20. Don't fail to have him test your eyes for glasses.

Fred Huber reports that Claude Lewis and his father, D. W. Lewis, of the Lewisville district are among those who appreciate rural delivery and are willing to make life as easy as possible for the carrier. They have been hauling gravel and fixing a turning out place at their mail boxes, so that there will be but little mud. He also reports some good work being done in the "Uncle Billy Burns" district, where some of the steep pitches have been cut down and fills made and about 18 inches of crushed rock spread on top. There is about a quarter of a mile of this kind of road in the Bridgeport neighborhood. It is what we need more than any other one thing. Plenty of crushed rock judiciously applied will make fine roads in the Luckiamute country and then there will be no better country on earth.

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