

FROM OUR RURAL CONTRIBUTORS

MONMOUTH.

Mrs. J. L. Murphy returned to her home on the Yahats last Tuesday. Mrs. H. K. Sikafoos of Central Point visited her father, Monroe Mulkey, last Sunday.

Jesse Simpson and bride visited the parents of the former, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Simpson, while en route from the Seattle fair Thursday and Friday.

Dr. W. H. Parrish took his wife and daughter, Winifred, and went to California to spend the winter.

Our school is progressing nicely and increasing in attendance.

Professor H. B. Buckham, accompanied by his wife and daughter, Miss Bertha, left for Portland Tuesday. Professor Buckham taught for fifteen years in the O. S. N. S. and we are sorry to have them leave us.

HIGHLAND

Mr. Joseph Moore, who has been quite ill for a number of months, quietly passed away Tuesday, October 22, at 3:00 a. m. His obituary will be found elsewhere in this issue.

Fred Featherstone drove to Salem Monday night of last week to meet his sister, who came from her home in eastern Oregon to be at the bedside of her father, Mr. Moore, during his last hours, but Fred missed her in Salem and the angel of death had visited her father before she arrived.

Mrs. A. E. Shafer, her daughter, Ethel, and her son, Emerson, Frank Patterson and wife, Ed Valliere and C. E. Nash of Highland took in the masquerade, skate at Independence last Wednesday evening.

Frank Patterson, Lenor Compton

and Art Lacy left last Friday by wagon for Cascadia where they intend enjoying for a few days Oregon's favorite pastime of deer hunting. All join in wishing them good luck.

Miss Ethel Shafer is now working for Eston Bavena.

Mr. Gile and son were Independence visitors Thursday of last week. Emerson Shafer and C. E. Nash were in Independence Thursday evening.

The farmers of this vicinity have been endeavoring to get ahead of old Father Time, as a number of them have been dry-plowing this fall.

The China season certainly opened here early this year, as several hunters were out shooting at day break. The pheasants are as scarce here as elsewhere.

Bud Alexander and a number of his neighboring farmers were engaged in dipping sheep and goats, Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Bixby is rapidly recovering from her operation.

Rev. Osborne accompanied the body of Mr. Moore to Wilsonville to conduct the funeral service.

A number of Highland boys drove over to Buena Vista Sunday to see the three convicts that were captured south of that place and brought there on their way to Salem.

Mrs. A. E. Shafer and daughters, Myrtle and Ethel, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner of Hopdale.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hannon took their daughter, Bertha, to Salem Monday, where she will take treatment under Dr. Clay.

Mrs. A. E. Shafer was transacting business in Independence Monday.

THE OREGON FIRE RELIEF

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Antioch

Miss Minnie Litchford of Monmouth visited Mrs. E. Clark and family Sunday.

The recent rain was fine for the farmers.

John Sumpter of Falls City was a guest of R. M. Bosley the first of the week.

Will Fishback, who is working on Black Bros.' new house near Independence, visited his folks Sunday.

John Walker purchased some shakes of John Sumpter of Falls City Wednesday.

Andy Johnston was a Monmouth visitor Saturday.

Mit Bosley went to Independence Monday to transact business.

James Goodman and Jay and Roy Clark went to Suvor Saturday to work on a road fill.

Mrs. Belle Sullivan and daughter, Bessie, of Monmouth, visited relatives and friends here the first part of the week.

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Great deeds compel regard. The world crowns its doers. That's why the American people have crowned Dr. King's New Discovery the King of Throat and Lung remedies. Every atom is a health force. It kills germs and colds and la grippe vanish. It heals cough-racked membranes and coughing stops. Sore, inflamed bronchial tubes and lungs are cured and hemorrhages cease. Dr. Geo. More, Black Jack, N. C., writes "It cured me of lung trouble, pronounced hopeless by all doctors." 50c, \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

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The Portland Chamber of Commerce has just had issued from the press one of the most beautiful advertising booklets ever sent out from Portland. The edition comprises 50,000 books and is by long odds the handsomest thing of its kind ever attempted in Portland or on the coast as an advertising booklet. The book is six by nine inches and contains about eighty pages. The greater portion of the matter of this booklet is devoted to the state of Oregon at large, the object of the circulation of the booklet being to assist in the settlement of all parts of the state. The Harri-man system was largely instrumental in the financing of the undertaking and will assist in the circulation of the booklet.

The Best Plaster.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains and is certain to please anyone suffering from that disease. Sold by P. M. Kirkland.

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