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In Memoriam.

The following lines are written in memory of Alex Kerr and dedicated to his bereaved family by Mrs. R. W. Swink:

O'er our home the clouds of sorrow
 Hover like a midnight pall,
 For the father who has loved us
 Answers to the Master's call.
 Oh the cruel blow that smote him
 Crushed our hearts in sudden woe
 When the tired hands were folded
 Smoothed—the hair like crimson
 snow.

When the reaper with the sickle
 Gath'ring flowers and golden grain,
 Paused beneath our sacred portals
 All our hearts were rent in twain.
 Then He spared the little children
 In their youth, to comfort home:
 But He called the name of "father,"
 And He whispered "will you come?"
 Then he left us in life's evening
 As the sun sinks in the west.
 In God's Acre on the hillside
 We have laid him there to rest.
 We will meet him when the angels
 Call to us from heaven's shore;
 Let the broken hearts find comfort,
 He's not lost but gone before.

BORN.

JOHNSON.—To Mr. and Mrs. John K. Johnson, at Monmouth, on Friday, May 22, 1903, twins, both boys.

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PARKER.

James Hiltbrand has just finished shearing Mr. Fuqua's sheep. Mrs. B. H. Pillar spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Mary Kerr.

Mrs. J. T. James and daughters, Julia and Lizzie, of Suver, visited Tuesday with Mrs. Wm. Fuqua.

Mrs. A. B. Lacey and family and Mrs. Mary Kerr were business callers at Independence Saturday.

Miss Louisa Wohlers has returned to her home in Portland after a short visit with her cousin, Mrs. Fuqua.

The music rendered by Mrs. Ellis Davidson at the Highland school exhibition, was greatly appreciated.

School was dismissed last week on account of the sadness prevailing here. The exhibition was postponed until the evening of the 29th inst.

Miss Nettie Cotton, who has visited with Mrs. P. J. Dickinson for the past year, left Friday for her home in Marion, South Dakota.

Mrs. D. C. Harris, Mrs. J. W. Patterson and Mrs. W. J. Greenlee, of Independence, visited friends at Parker Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bradley returned to their home in Eugene after a pleasant visit with their Polk county friends.

A. D. Grigsby, Pearl Alexander and Miss Lucy Bolter scored successes in music and were heartily encored at the Highland school exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fuqua and daughter, Valena, and Joseph Anderson were the only parties from this vicinity who went to Portland to see the president.

Andy Madsen, president of Longshoremens, and Jasper Johnson, attorney-at-law, of Portland, and both relatives of Wm. Peacock, were business visitors at Parker last week.

Attorney Hayter, of Dallas, was over looking after the property belonging to Wm. Peacock. The cow and yearling calf were sold to Mr. Fuqua for \$40, and Mrs. Lacey bought the half dozen chickens.

Another friendly hand stretches forth to help us mount another round toward ambition's summit. We cannot fail to appreciate these little kindnesses that serve as stepping stones, and we hope Mr. Calbreath will proceed to like ping pong as well as he does chess that in the future we may boast a ping pong club.

Quick Arrest.

J. A. Gulleage, of Verbena, Ala., was twice in the hospital from a severe case of piles causing 24 tumors. After doctors and all remedies failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly arrested further inflammation and cured him. It conquers aches and kills pain. 25c at Kirkland Drug Co.'s.

ANTIOCH.

Antioch now has a milk wagon, F. C. Haynes being the proprietor.

Frank Smith sold to Mr. Johnson, of Salem, 72 hogs at \$6 per head.

Maggie Owen, formerly of this place, is now working in a hotel in Eastern Oregon.

F. C. Haynes bought a good work horse at the W. C. Brown sale Saturday for \$42.

Sick Headache?

Food doesn't digest well? Appetite poor? Bowels constipated? Tongue coated? It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills; they cure dyspepsia, biliousness. 25c. All druggists.



Walter Butler, deputy assessor, has been in our neighborhood valuing our property.

Frank Smith has purchased a new Moline wagon from Bridwell & Craven, of Monmouth.

D. M. Calbreath and wife attended the funeral of Alex S. Kerr at Parker last Wednesday.

Ora Towns and Rida Chamberlain will cook for Black brothers' threshing crew this year.

Ora and Katie Towns visited their sister, Mrs. Eva Barnes, at Monmouth, the latter part of last week.

We are pleased to hear that Rev. Wigmore will preach for the Christian church at Monmouth another year.

Many of our people have had the grip. Mabel Wheelock dismissed her school at Parker Thursday on that account.

A large delegation from here attended the annual teachers' picnic at Rickreall Saturday and report having a most enjoyable time.

Clemmons Fishback made a special trip on his wheel to Dayton Wednesday and returned home by the way of Salem to see the president.

Allen Towns and wife celebrated their pearl wedding anniversary. They were married May 17, 1873. They have been looking forward to this anniversary for a number of years and were fully prepared for the occasion. Only relatives were present. They were Forest Barnes, wife and daughter, Katie, Ora and

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