

Monmouth Correspondents.

Measles are quite prevalent.

A. L. Chute is having his house repainted.

Rev. Siewert and wife went to Salem Monday.

B. F. Mulkey and family, of Ashland, were in town over Sunday.

A. D. Butler and wife, of Napa, California, are visiting at I. F. M. Butler's.

S. D. Coats and son Carl and Lorin Bedwell returned from Southern Oregon Friday.

Walter Griffin, wife and daughter, of Dallas, were visiting friends in town Sunday.

Mr. Hiatt has rented the house formerly occupied by Mr. Pettit and has moved into the same.

The family of W. P. Fisher is having an outing at the Sulphur Springs, on the head waters of Soap Creek.

Mrs. Edleman and daughter, of Moro, Sherman county, are visiting with her uncle, D. Hampton, and family.

Mrs. Robert Percival is here visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Guthrie.

Miss Estella Melrath, of Portland, is visiting at Mr. John Murphy's.

Miss Alice Grant, of Dallas, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Doughty.

Mr. Monroe Mulkey is looking after the tearing down of the old Mulkey house.

Mr. Lewis and sister left Tuesday for their claims, expecting to be gone two weeks.

Mr. John Howell returned home from Nevada, where he has been for the last two months.

Mr. V. O. Boots has bought the old store building of Mr. Hembree and is having it torn down.

Mr. S. D. Coats and son, Carl, returned from their mines in Southern Oregon last Friday.

Loring Bedwell and Lloyd Waller are at home again, after a few weeks' outing in Southern Oregon.

E. E. Yarnell and wife were Monmouth visitors last week. He is improving fast and hopes soon to be able to walk without the use of a crutch.

Mrs. Hattie Ball, of Hillsboro, was here this week, making preparations for a new house to be built on the corner where the old one now stands.

AIRLIE.

J. M. Staats was an Albany visitor last week.

S. M. Daniel, of Monmouth, was on our streets Monday.

H. R. Nehrbas, D. D. S.

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Over P. O. Monmouth.

Mrs. Adna Hastings is down from Roseburg on a visit with relatives.

W. E. Williams is having his house treated with a new coat of paint.

W. J. Turnidge, of Crab Tree, was a business visitor here this week.

Miss Edna Tom, of Alsea, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Thomas Gross.

PARKER.

Mr. Walter Aeock is working for B. H. Pillar this week.

Mr. Fuqua was a business visitor at Independence Saturday.

Mrs. Helmick visited at the home of M. Scrafford last Friday.

Mr. P. J. Dickinson and family spent Sunday with friends at Parker.

Ralph L. Davidson was a business visitor at Independence Saturday.

Misses Maggie Kerr and Emma Mogford were guests at Parker Thursday.

Mr. Munkers and family, of Scio, Ore., were guests of friends at Parker Saturday.

Amy Kelly has returned to Independence, after a pleasant visit with friends here.

Clay Bush is spraying his hops this week. Mr. Cockle is helping him with his work.

Forest-ranger A. B. Lacey came home from Detroit, Ore., on Tuesday's south bound train.

The haying season has closed. The crops were a good average, and damage by rain was slight.

Mrs. E. V. Dalton and two children, of Dallas, are spending the week with Mr. Jas. Helmick.

Mrs. A. B. Lacey, Mrs. Mary Kerr and C. R. Parker enjoyed Rev. Poling's sermon at Suver Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Tillery has returned to her home in Independence, after a pleasant visit at E. Evans'.

Mr. Peterson is cutting his wheat. The grain is in fine condition, and the yield is far above the average.

Mrs. Grace Hall and daughter, Mildred, and Miss Alice Knighton, of Buena Vista, called on friends at Parker Saturday.

W. J. Turnidge, of Crab Tree, Ore., visited with friends at Parker Monday. Mr. Turnidge was formerly a Polk county merchant.

Prof. and Mrs. A. P. Herons and daughter Inez, of Shelburn, visited with friends in Parker Sunday. Mrs. Herons is a sister to Mrs. R. W. Swink.

Choice watermelons at Wagoner's.

BUENA VISTA.

Grant Nixon was in Buena Vista one day last week.

Ed Pratber and family were Independence visitors Friday.

Levie Moore was a Sulphur Springs visitor two days last week.

Roy Woodcock of Corvallis was a business visitor in Buena, Wednesday.

Rupert Hall came from Oregon City last week, for a visit with relatives.

Clarence Kays is operating the ferry, during the absence of the owner, William Steele.

Newton R. Adams, of Corvallis, was the guest a part of the week at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. L. Hall.

Binders are a-field this week, in this locality, the grain is first class, and the growers are well pleased with the outlook.

William Steele and family left the middle of last week for Newport, for a two weeks' outing. The trip was made by rail.

Charles E. Brown returned a few days ago from a trip to Lebanon, Scio and other points, where he was in search of hop pickers.

J. L. Coutu was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Harry Squires was a Sunday visitor in Salem.

A. J. Richardson was a Portland visitor last week.

Henry Winn is recovering from an attack of mumps.

Carter Lee, of Albany was a Sunday guest of Buena relatives.

Harry Squires returned Monday from a business visit to the capital city.

Mrs. Tyler, Mae Picket, Mr. Picket and Harvey Nash were Corvallis visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. L. Coutu and Miss Grace Thompson went to Gervais Wednesday, for a brief visit.

Artie Starr and N. R. Adams returned to Corvallis Sunday evening, a wheel, after a brief visit in Buena.

Mrs. Morris returned to her home at Astoria Tuesday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert Emmons, in Buena.

George Kreutz is repairing the

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local warehouse this week, preparatory to the usual wheat hauling season which is near at hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson and a niece of the former, all from Albany, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Pillar, west of town Sunday. Mrs. Simpson was formerly Miss Altha Pillar.

J. H. Knighton was a business visitor in Independence, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. H. Knighton and daughter, Ethel, were Wells visitors Monday.

The work of tearing down the old school house, to make room

for the new, is in progress this week. Thus another familiar land mark vanishes and one is again reminded that even so must the most faithful eventually disappear from life's field of action.

Bids for Buena's new school house were opened at the cash store Saturday. The contract went to F. H. Morrison, of Dallas the architect. His bid was \$1743. Next was the bid of N. R. Adams, of Corvallis, at \$1829, while a Monmouth constructor figured the probable cost of construction at something over \$1900.

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