

County Correspondence.

PARKER.

Charles Allen was a Saturday visitor from Suver.
 Miss Mattie Lee came up from Portland Monday.
 Joseph Anderson is digging his potatoes this week.
 Mrs. Ruth Cauthorn was a passenger to Corvallis Friday.
 Oscar Warren was a business visitor to Parker Friday.
 Mrs. Helen Frye was a passenger to Independence Tuesday.
 Mrs. Kerr and Mrs. Lacey visited at Peterson's Wednesday.
 Mr. Wm. Fuqua transacted business at Independence Thursday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Peterson and family, from Highland, visited Sunday at Mr. Peterson's.

Mr. P. T. Peterson was a business visitor at Independence Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Conn and family from Airile visited at Mr. Peterson's Sunday.
 Andy Torgeson is hauling baled hay to the station for shipment to Portland.
 Miss Lois Osborne, of Highland, visited Sunday with friends at Parker.
 Dr. Ketchum, of Independence, made a professional call to Parker Saturday.
 Messrs. Gleason and Ivor Davidson, of Highland, visited Sunday at Mr. Lacy's.
 S. P. Carpenter crew to unload a car of steel at the Lucklanute bridge Wednesday.
 Miss Mary Murphy, of Monmouth, spent Saturday and Sunday at Mr. Helmick's.

Mrs. D. C. Harris and Miss Whiteaker, of Independence, visited Thursday with friends at Parker.

R. F. D. carrier Joseph Anderson officiated at the depot Sunday, during the absence of the agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Veness, from Winlock, Wash., were incoming passengers on Monday's train.

Miss Marie Helmick, who has been attending school at Monmouth, spent Sunday at her home near Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Dickinson, of Independence, visited Sunday at the home of Percy J. Dickinson, near Parker.

H. S. Smith, of Loniaville, came down to Parker Monday. He is shipping baled hay from this section to a firm in Portland.

Rev. Wignore, of Eugene, visited at Mrs. J. O. Davidson's Saturday. He missed the train at Corvallis and was obliged to make the trip afoot.

School is progressing nicely under the able management of Miss Mabel Wheelock, of Monmouth. Miss Marguerette Kerr expects to finish the eighth grade with this term.

Baby Winnegene Peterson is the proud possessor of her first pair of shoes. Those dainty blue beauties accompanied by a pair of baby blue hose, is a present from Grandma Frye.

Gained Forty Pounds in Thirty Days.

For several months our brother had been troubled with indigestion. He tried several remedies but got no benefit from them. We purchased some of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and he commenced taking them. Inside of thirty days he had gained forty pounds in flesh. He is now fully recovered. We have a good trade on the Tablets.—HOLLEY BROS., Merchants, Long Branch, Mo. For sale by Kirkland Drug Co.

BUENA VISTA.

David Baldwin is visiting near Independence this week.

Jacob Nash is building a woodshed this week for A. J. Hall.

H. L. Hall, of Corvallis, was a Buena visitor Monday. He returned

home Tuesday, taking with him his band of Jerseys.

Miss M. J. Lee arrived Monday from Portland where she has spent the past few months. She will remain here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Veness, of Winlock, Wash., are guests this week of the latter, parents Mr. and Mrs. David Baldwin.

Instead of a ranch on the Lucklanute, Sam H. Baldwin will occupy a farm near Dixie, the coming year. He is removing to the latter this week.

Mr. Porter, who operates a hop yard across the river from here, has bought the residence property of Mrs. M. Getty, in this place, and is to occupy the same with his family.

An Oklahoma man was in Buena Vista seeking to buy a home. He was unable to secure any sort of a dwelling, owing to the demand for houses that is on here, this winter.

The Buena Vista public school did not open until Monday morning of this week. Every thing is now going forward without a hitch, and Polk county may well be proud of Buena's excellent school and handsome new school building.

Miss Marie Smith, a graduate of the O. A. C. and a former starplayer of the basket ball team of that institution, is the assistant instructor in the high school here, this winter. Buena citizens are glad to welcome Prof. Goins, and family, and Miss Smith, to this community.

E. C. Cole left this week for the home of his parents. Mr. Cole has resigned his position as manager of the Cash store, a fact that will be regretted by the host of warm friends whom the young man leaves behind him in this locality. We wish him unbounded success wherever he journeys.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedy. Deafness is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound, imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A Kind Deed.

Special from Suver.

The members of the M. W. A., of which Albert Ruef is a member, turned out last week and hauled his wood for him and dug his potatoes, showing their esteem for him in this visible manner. Mr. Ruef is still in the Salem hospital but is rapidly improving.

Mr. Rafter, an old Eastern acquaintance, was visiting U. G. Hefley's, at Talmage, this week.

Wanted.—Several persons of character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$21.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash direct each Wednesday from head offices. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Colonial, 332 Dearborn St., Chicago.

E. T. HENKLE,

Barber Shop.

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But we are going to stay here and continue to sell new and up-to-date goods at a small profit to ourselves and a saving of money to our patrons. We do not believe in putting out baits to deceive the public, selling one article at cost and charging two prices for another. We believe in the old adage of "live and let live," to give our customers one hundred cents worth of merchandise for every dollar spent with us, and we are here to build up our business [on this method, and will stand back of all goods we sell.

We Are Receiving New Goods

Most every day and ask the public to call and examine our goods and get our prices. We shall always be pleased to show you our goods and give you our prices. We call special attention to our new line of men's clothing, boys' clothing, ladies' shirt waists, skirts, undershirts, mackintoshes, rain coats, men's, boys', ladies and children's rubber boots, also a complete line of rubbers. Also our line of wool blankets, cotton blankets and comforters are excellent values. A word about our shoes. We believe we are handling the best lines that can be bought for the money. Our shoes have style as well as quality and

we know we can please you in the shoe line. Don't overlook our Grocery line. We can furnish you in this line as cheap as any house in the city. We want your butter, eggs, chickens, geese, turkeys, etc., and will pay you the highest market price for them. Soliciting your valued patronage, I am,

Yours for Business,

W. A. Messner,
INDEPENDENCE.

