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secretary, Rilla Powell; treasurer, Florence Woodside; literary secretary, Helen Enderby; thanks offering secretary, Edith Floyd.

Floyd Ober, who has been at Arlington some time, came home recently and will remain during the summer with his father, Carl Ober.

W. A. Dane is serving on the jury at The Dalles.

G. A. Teschner has constructed a new garage near his residence here.

Miss Dorothy Doane was a guest of Miss Crystal Hartman Sunday last.

Heavy rains fell several days recently. The creek was quite high, but did not go over its banks.

John Powoyowtt was over from Simnasho Sunday.

Rev. Matthews and Wm. Drake were over from the agency Monday. Rev. Matthews continued on to Portland and Mr. Drake returned to Simnasho.

H. E. Hammer has been carrying the mail to the upper end of the Flat recently.

NEWS OF PINE GROVE

Mr. Dane left Sunday for The Dalles, where he will serve on the jury.

Ed. Davis and Orlando Walters each was so unfortunate as to lose a horse last week.

Several Pine Grove people attended the party at the Woodside home at Wapinitia last Friday evening. The function was given in honor of the 18th birthday anniversary of Miss Anna West.

Little Irma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield, is very ill.

Melvin Walters was a guest at the Newton S. Hedin home Sunday.

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Preaching following at 11:00 a.m. Evening services at 8:00 p.m. All are cordially invited to attend.—A. D. Sprouse, Pastor.

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Picked Up About Town

The Bible has been translated into 572 languages. And Jimmy Chalmers wonders if the sheepherders' tongue is one of them.

"They say that 19,777 people die every year in India from snakebite," declares Jack Staats. "I wonder why some of the bootleggers who use Maupin as a salesroom don't move to India?"

George McDonald states that "Caesar as a young man owed equivalent to \$1,360,000." And our young bank clerk compares him to the modern Por za.

"I suppose the song of the aviators who are to make a dash for the north pole in planes will be 'How cold I am,' is the view of Verne Fischer.

"It has about gotten so in this country," says Service Station Richmond, "that if you are able to speak in three minutes after you take a drink of it, they call it pretty good whiskey."

"The only reason why some men work is they're too dignified to beg and too nervous to steal," is the way Hank Harpham puts it.

Joe Riggles is authority for the statement that "the loveliest spot on earth is the spot commonly called an ace..."

According to Jno. McMullen we could help the corn growers of this country some if we would all take to smoking corn-cob pipes and cut out the Camels and Chesterfields.

Dick Johnson says that a better understanding of the Bible and a closer following of its teachings, would materially reduce the number of churches.

Jack Morrow says that maybe the reason they call it "alimony" is because it comes after a broken-down alibi.

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Rev. Sprouse Goes Away

Tomorrow morning Rev. A. D. Sprouse and family are billed for departure for their new home at Woodburn. During the past year and over Rev. Sprouse has been pastor of the Free Methodist church at this place and during his pastorate he and his family have made many friends. He has been a sincere teacher of the precepts of Jesus Christ and his family have been of great assistance to him in his work. That they leave Maupin is cause for sincere regret of all.

Rev. Sprouse has acquired a tract of 30 acres near Woodburn, in the heart of the berry section of the Willamette Valley. The farm contains a fine five-room house and big barn as well as several acres set out to berries and alfalfa. The new purchaser will not take possession until October 1st, and in the meantime will cultivate a small tract which he has rented for the season. Mr. Sprouse will devote his time to market gardening this season.

The household goods will go by truck and the family will follow via Ford and be there when the truck arrives.

Maupin people regret the departure of this estimable family, all will join in wishing them all kinds of good luck in their new home.

Fulfilled Own Prophecy; Died With Boots On

"Shorty Saunders," as he was known to many Maupin people, but whose real name was Orville Townsend, was one of two men shot and killed by a half breed Indian in the wilds of the Blue

moutains on January 28, and who then set a barn on fire and cremated the bodies of his victims. The shooting grew out of a quarrel brought on by a drinking bout in the homestead cabin of Fred Knowlton, the homesteader.

Joe Perry, the murderer, is now in the jail at Pendleton and has made a full confession of his crime.

Townsend, when he lived here, was known as a hard character. He often was under the influence of liquor and at such times showed he was a tough man. He and his wife lived in a shack opposite the rooming house. Lew Wilhelm arrested him at one time for abusing his wife and raising a disturbance and Townsend then said that he expected to "die with his boots on." That prophecy was fulfilled with his murder two weeks ago.

WAPINITIA NEWS

WAPINITIA CHURCH SERVICE
Sunday School 10:00 a. m., Mrs. Josephine, Floyd, Supt. Preaching 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. W. A. Mershon, Pastor.

Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30, Sunday evening.

Miss Anna West was tendered a birthday party at the home of L. D. Woodside last Friday evening. The fore part of the evening was spent in playing games, then dancing occupied the rest of the time.

An Otterbein Guild was organized as a girls' missionary society at the church last Sunday with the following elected as officers; President, Ruby Powell; vice-president, Evadna Halburd;