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Hood River apples for sale.

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A line of ladies, gents and childrens' gloves at Akers.

I have the Doyle place, of 480 acres for rent.

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For a complete line of postals go to the Wasco Pharmacy.

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Mrs. L. G. DAVIS, Wasco.

Shorts, bran, rolled wheat and barley at the Sandow Milling Company.—EUGENE LEONARD, Agent.

Dr. Hartley, the dentist, is in the rooms formerly occupied by S. W. Stark as a law office.

Go to the Wasco Pharmacy for formaldehyde. It will completely destroy the spores and prevent smut.

SANDOW FLOUR—It is not necessary to cut prices to sell Sandow Flour. Once used, always used.

R. S. Ward, proprietor of the Wasco Restaurant, paid a visit to his ranch on the John Day river the latter part of the week.

A social evening was enjoyed by the participants in the dance at the Akers Opera house on Christmas night. The weather was very disagreeable but not so bad as to keep away a fair sized crowd.

I have for sale the Thos. E. Sink land East of Wasco, being north $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec. 11, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 12, T. 1 N., Range 17 E., on easy terms. A fine place and well improved.

C. J. BRIGHT,

Wasco, Oregon.

For Sale—1,200 acres of good farm land 12 miles south of Lone in, Morrow county, 600 acres of fall grain sown on summer fallow; also 480 acres eight miles southeast of Wasco, in Biglow neighborhood. Apply to Wm Froebe, Wasco, Oregon.

Herbert S. Ward, who was until a few months ago connected with the Eastern Oregon Land Company at Moro, has for some weeks been business manager of The Dalles Chronicle. This will be news to many in Sherman county, as Mr. Ward has many friends here, including The News.

Willie Huck had the misfortune of losing his saddle horse by death last Saturday afternoon. The boy had mounted his pony and set out for the home of a neighbor, intending to haul home some small farm implement. The horse became frightened and while running fell in such a way as to break its neck, causing death instantly. Fortunately the rider escaped without injury.

A number of the leading business men and farmers of Wasco and vicinity are making plans to hold a market day once a month. On this day the farmers will gather at a certain place in Wasco, bringing with them anything, such as harrow, drill, stove or horse, that they wish to sell. Seeing anything that he needs, one can make the purchase at second-hand price.

The weather report kept for the government by J. R. Howell tells that this county has had 2.79 inches of rain. This does not include five inches of snow which fell, making the amount of moisture equal to about three inches of rain during the month of December. From September 1, to November 30 there was a precipitation of 2.42 inches, making a total for the season to date of approximately 5.42 inches.

The Epworth League Reading Circle will meet next Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Crosfield. While, as announced, the league did not hold a regular social meeting last Friday, the young people embraced the opportunity to enjoy a sleigh ride and also the kind hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. VanGilder, spent the evening most pleasantly at the VanGilder's.

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E. S. CATTRON, Sherman County Agent, Wasco, Oregon

Ed Hutchinson spent Christmas in Wasco.

B. F. Hailey was in Portland the first of the week

I. P. Hardin of DeMoss was trading in Wasco Monday.

J. C. Renfrow of Biggs was in Wasco on business the first of the week.

J. A. Johnson, of the firm of Johnson Bros., Blalock, was in Wasco the first of the week.

Eugene Leonard is playing bachelor this week, while Mrs. Leonard is home for the holidays.

George Eaton of Portland is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Eaton.

Earl and Iva Clark, of Hood River, came up Sunday to spend Christmas with the family of Bert Eaton.

Miss Nell MacPherson held the lucky ticket, number 76, which drew the doll given away by Webber & Company.

Miss Murdina McLeod, her brother Angus, and little sister, are spending the vacation week at their home in Wasco county.

The stormy weather kept a large number of farmers home from town last Saturday, but, as it was, business was very good.

Geo. N. Crosfield did the Christmas act on Christmas eve by presenting Mrs. Kasiah Gray and family with a load of groceries.

Mr. Boyle, of the O. R. N. Co., is taking a vacation with friends in the East, and Mr. Young is filling his place as agent for a few days.

Frank Medler, a citizen of Sherman county, who now resides in The Dalles, was in Wasco this week on business. He expects to return to The Dalles Saturday.

A business letter from W. H. Ragsdale of Moro brings merry Christmas wishes to the sanctum, which are gratefully acknowledged and returned with New Year's greetings.

Joshua W. French, a well known banker of The Dalles, died at his home at that place on last Monday afternoon. Mr. French was 77 years of age and has lived at The Dalles since 1864.

Read the announcement in the editorial columns concerning the future arrangement of business items in this paper. It would be a favor if our patrons would give their opinion upon the subject.

The doll given away by Geo. N. Crosfield belongs to the holder of ticket number 306. The holder of this ticket was not present at the drawing and it has not yet been learned who the lucky one is.

Wasco merchants are not objecting to the parcels post movement because they are not afraid of competition. In conversation with the writer, Mr. Freeman of the McCoy-Atwood Company said that as far as his firm were concerned, they were selling goods, quality considered, just as cheap as were the mail order houses of Chicago or any other place.

The entertainment at the Methodist Church on Christmas eve was a most pleasant Christmastide affair. Short addresses were made by Rev. F. E. Smith and C. S. Bright; also Mr. Russell rendered a solo in his usual pleasing manner. But it was Christmas time and the audience, which filled the main auditorium of the church, was to be entertained mostly by the children of the Sunday school, under whose auspices the entertainment was held. Songs, recitations and dialogues were all so well rendered by the children that each little one deserves special praise.

The Christian Sunday school gave a Christmas entertainment on Christmas eve which was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by all. An old fashioned fire was arranged and attractively decorated with Christmas stockings and other tokens of the time of giving. Presents were distributed from the fire place by Santa Clause. The program consisted mainly of songs and recitations by the children and the little ones did their parts so well as to merit praise.

A Merry Christmas Party.

Twenty-five guests were present at the party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bright on Christmas night. Mr. Bright, acting as Kris Kringle, drove around to the different homes and gathered the young people. This event was an appropriate beginning of the holiday season. The home was decorated in a fitting manner with holly, mistletoe and Oregon grape. The dining room was decorated with Oregon grape and red crepe paper. The evening was spent in playing appropriate games, and the gentle hostess so dispensed the Christmas spirit that all present declared by word and action that they were enjoying the time as only one can at Christmas. A feature of the entertainment was a selection by Mr. Kimsley of the Robley Orchestra, Boston. Refreshments were served on tables decorated after fashion of the gay season. There stood at the outer door a decorated Christmas tree and as the guests departed they were presented with a souvenir, consisting of a neat box of home-made candies.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Crosfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Disher, Dr. and Mrs. Morse, Misses Coffey, Davis, Nell MacPherson, Florence and Marie Barnett, Florence Tate, Annabelle Lucas, Inez VanGilder and Maude Bryant; Messrs. Fortner, Kimsley, MacPherson, Hutchison, Danlap and Sargent.

BRINGS EASTERN MONEY TO THE PACIFIC COAST

The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company Has \$3,421,185 Loaned on Mortgages in Oregon and Washington.

In the year 1906 it sent to these two states nearly one million dollars (\$941,500.00) which was so invested. Here is the 1906 record, Oregon and Washington business only:

New loans made \$ 941,500
Cash paid policy holders or representatives \$ 162,104

Money Sent to Pacific Northwest \$ 1,164,192

Premiums collected 519,800

Excess of money sent over premiums collected \$ 584,392

In the single year 1906 the Northwest Mutual sent to Oregon and Washington \$584,392 more than it collected there.

E. C. GOODWIN, District Manager, The Dalles, Oregon.

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