

Troubles of the Mail Carrier.
The rural mail carrier has many troubles, which begin when he gets his commission and assumes his duties. One source of his woes is never-ceasing exactions of the "boss" along his route. They expect him to find out "what Jones is paying for wood," and to let a know tomorrow without fail to expect him to find out who pigs for sale, and "what the other is paying for calves, and the storekeeper would recommend for a sick baby." A rural carrier in Saginaw county, Mich., lives the following communication: "Friend Fred: As you run free delivery by my house, I'd like you to bring me on your trip a barrel of salt, two sacks of flour, also a ton of coal, and a spool of wire, then throw a pair of whiffletrees and an evenor on the seat. When you come Marion Walker's get get two of the largest chicken coops and bring along; then I can have my eyes caught so you can take a trip to town. I think this free delivery is a great thing for us rural folk."—Harper's Weekly.

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Lucas, Real Estate, Troutdale.
D. Mahone, Lumber, Portland.
National Hotel, Portland.
Vollie Snashall, Achitect, Montavilla.
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FAIRVIEW

Councilman R. W. Wilcox met with the Portland Light and Power company with a petition of 105 names asking said company to make a flag station at Peterson's crossing on the O.W.P. line through our town and was assured of immediate consideration. One queer thing about this petition was that every man in the town signed it that it was presented to excepting one. He positively refused to sign without giving any reason whatever and his actions will be remembered by our townspeople.

By mutual consent the partnership existing between Cree and Axtell, contractors and builders, has been dissolved. About June Mr. Axtell will engage in other business. Mr. Cree will continue in the carpenter trade.

The stork visited the home of C. E. Cree last Monday night and deposited a ten and a half pound girl to cheer Edd in his old days.

Garrick and company of Portland finished moving J. H. Schram's house to his lots last Wednesday. Mr. McManes will at once begin remodeling and fixing it up for occupancy.

Seeing our write-up and editor's comment on the naming of farms and homes C. E. Cree has had a nice sign painted showing to people that his place hereafter will be known as Cozy Corners, which is a very appropriate name indeed as it is a cozy place.

Actual construction on the main building of the county farm has begun. Mr. White, the contractor, is giving several of our citizens employment and rapid progress is assured.

Mrs. Green, who has been sick so long, is able to be up once more. The little girl is now sick with pneumonia and under the doctor's care.

Cat fishing is becoming quite a pastime Sundays along the sloughs. Crowds from Gresham, Troutdale, Rockwood and Fairview were gathered along the sloughs last Sunday and all went home loaded with fish.

Lloyd Schrem is spending a few days at home at Highland during the close of high school in Gresham.

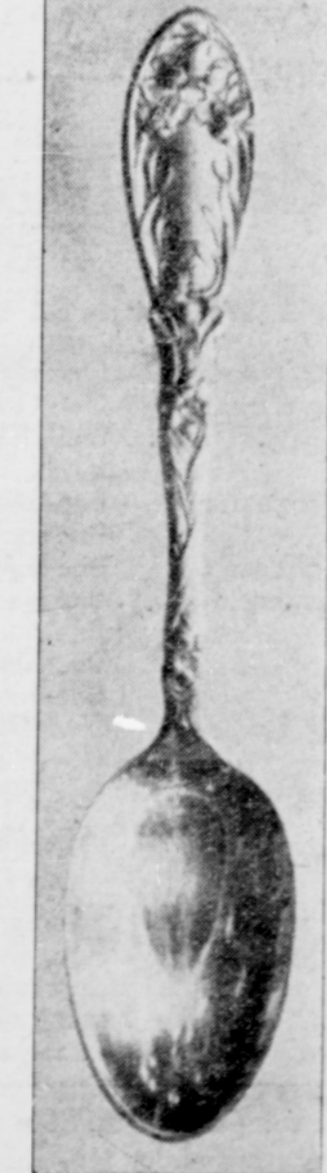
P. G. Smith, who has had a camp on the Mt. Hood line, has finished his work and moved to portland.

Mrs. J. H. Schram is attending to Uncle Sam's business along mail route while Carrier Schram is looking after work on his house.

Archie Campbell and family entertained his brother, Earnest, and bride of Brush Prairie, Wash., the first of the week.

A. G. Schantine of Rockwood got two wagon loads of farm machinery also a new wagon from the depot Wednesday. Times are prosperous with Anton now. Good crops with lots of work.

W. H. Coons, an old resident of Troutdale, has been quite seriously ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Laura H. Scott, in Portland. He is reported to be improving.



The Oregonian's tea spoons, made by Wm. A. Rogers of the firm of Rogers Bros., are very neat in design and are desired by everyone. See the special offer on the first page.

PLEASANT VALLEY

Miss Antonia Neppach, Irene Stanley and Miss Lottie Burny of Portland were guests of Mrs. Kronenberg Friday.

Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Schiller made a business trip to Portland Saturday.

Mr. Campbell has leased his place on the Powell Valley road to his brother, Mr. Boraen, who has been in the fire department in the city of Portland for the past fifteen years, and is making quite a few improvements about the place.

Percy Giese and sister Cora were guests of Mrs. E. S. Jesmore on Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Mann, Mrs. Dan McCall of Portland, were guests of M. Kronenberg and wife over Sunday.

W. H. Snashall made a business trip to Forest Grove recently in the interest of the Bankers and Merchants Fire Relief association.

Mr. Lawrence of Seattle a brother of Wm. Lawrence, is making him an extended visit and is welcomed to our midst.

Mrs. Zinger made a trip to Portland, combining business with pleasure.

Mr. Schiller is proving himself to be quite a farmer by the way he is working and preparing the soil for planting.

It is becoming so that a person cannot leave their garden tools lying around without some light-fingered person making away with them.

The Morning Oregonian has been missed quite frequently of late from Jenne station and the party who owns it doesn't want it to happen again. It is a serious offense and the offender can be prosecuted by law.

Patrick Lynch made a trip to Portland one day last week and while there called on his daughter, Mrs. Herbert Lewis and Jno. Long at Russellville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruegg were Sunday callers at Mr. E. S. Jenne's home.

Young Mr. Westphal, son of Mrs. Westphal of Gates Crossing was buried last week.

Mrs. Eliza Wing was buried from Mr. Stapleton's, East Portland She was the aunt of Donald Furry and Mrs. Mary Gilbert. They are her only living relatives.

Mrs. Aurelia Weatherly, mother of George Weatherly and a pioneer of the state of Oregon, died at the home of her son, 412 East Yamhill street, in Portland Monday. She was 80 years old and had been ill a week with pneumonia.

Mrs. Weatherly was born in South Carolina, March 12, 1831, and came to Oregon across the plains with her husband, Warren Weatherly in 1864 settling on a farm near Sycamore which is near the city of Gresham. Mrs. Weatherly was well known here by all the pioneer residents who are grieved to learn of her death.

Did Not Want Advice

The story is told of a sturdy little fellow who was digging a hole by the roadside. He got along very well until he came to a heavy stone which was too much for his strength. He carefully removed all of the dirt about it and tried in every way to get it out, but in vain. At this juncture a large man came along, and seeing what the boy was doing stopped to give him some advice. But the boy replied: "Well, sir, your advice may be good. But it isn't advice I want just now. It is a lift." With a laugh the man saw the point and quickly helped the boy lift the stone out of the hole. There are many times in life when strong men and women waste time in giving advice to people who do need advice half as much as they need a "lift."—Exchange.

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