

Columbia Heights

A few mild cases of smallpox has caused quite a stir in this vicinity. School has closed, and the members of the grange did not hold their regular meeting on Saturday. The bazaar, which was to be held in the hall December 13, has also been postponed indefinitely. However, we believe that the trouble has been checked and it has been exaggerated no doubt, as such cases generally are. No new cases have been reported the last week.

Mrs. Howard and two little children, who spent several months with Mr. and Mrs. A. Tricky, left for Idaho to join her husband, who has a position with the railroad company.

Mrs. Perkins, of Hurburt, spent last week with relatives in the metropolis.

Gust Puren was in the city for several days last week. Mr. Puren is planning to go to Alaska early in the coming spring.

It was a splendid speech, the last message to congress by our president. It proves that we farmers have a friend who will use his time and ability to better the condition of the American farmer. We pray that Woodrow Wilson will hold his high office a good while.

Miss Ruby Rasmussen and Miss Zimmerman at Troutdale, left for Monmouth on Sunday.

Mrs. Larssen, of Troutdale, is receiving congratulations from a large host of friends here upon the honor bestowed on her by the people of that little city. We all wish her a splendid success, and may the people of Troutdale profit by her counsel.

Mrs. Benfield and daughter Annie, called on Mrs. Graham near Troutdale a few days ago. Mrs. Graham is in poor health.

The discovery of copper near Rooster Rock, has caused some excitement. Several carloads of ore were shipped to San Francisco last week and it is said that it beats all expectation. Rumors claim that Mr. Smith has an offer of \$500,000.

READY RELIEF.

Doctor—"Have you any aches or pains this morning?"

Patient—"Yes, doctor; it hurts me to breathe. In fact, the only trouble now seems to be with my breath."

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CANDY IN BOXES.

NOVELTY SHOP

Mrs. Boughner Powell St.

Rockwood

Rev. Thomas Robinson, of Fairview, visited the Rockwood school Thursday.

Rolland Quesinberry, who is attending the North Pacific Dental college, spent Saturday and Sunday with the home folks.

One day last week several of the grange ladies met and gave the hall a good old fashioned cleaning.

A. G. Schantin has purchased the old A. H. Bell place and was moving his family there last week.

Geo. Lee has moved to Mr. Zeller's old place for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickenson entertained Sunday as follows: Mrs. Ledora Dickenson and sons, Henry and William, Miss Gladys Cooper and Ruth Smith, all of St. Johns, Oregon, Mrs. Mary Pitchford, of La Center, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Harvey and son and Mr. and Mrs. W. Cook and sons Harold and Francis, and Edward Dickenson, all of Rockwood.

Mrs. Dickenson is getting along as well as could be expected since her operation.

Kenna Harvey has his new house nearly completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Quesinberry entertained at dinner Thursday the Rev. Thomas Robinson, of Fairview.

The school board has decided to change the steps at the schoolhouse instead of leading from each side of the porch as they are now they will lead from the front of the porch and a cement walk will lead to the gate.

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FARMING BOOKS ARE IN DEMAND

Miss Cornelia Marvin, state librarian, states that farming literature is in great demand. The state library has recently purchased 40 additional units to supply the calls. She says:

"Here, for example, is one that is in constant demand. We have 40 of them loaned out right now. It is 'First Principles of Soil Fertility.' We have 40 copies of 'Feeds and Feeding' in constant use. We have had to constantly secure additional copies of 'Dry Farming' to meet the demand. This series of books on irrigation, drainage, fruit-growing in arid regions, growing of small fruits, are also wonderfully popular. We have some authority select a standard book and then we purchase 50 of this standard for use, rather than have a large variety of books on the subject.

"When we had our traveling libraries going in good shape we discovered a new seed. There were constant requests for material for debates. If we can encourage the thinking and studying habit we are doing good work and making good citizens. We notified all of the schools and debating societies in the state that if they would debate certain questions, we would secure material for these debates. We made up a list of 25 questions and submitted this list. Almost without exception they were glad to accept our suggestions. The beauty of the whole thing is that we select subjects that are worth while instead of the foolish questions formerly debated.

THERE IS ONLY ONE RIGHT POLICY

From the standpoint of building up our state and developing its business and industries, there is only one right policy to pursue.

That is for the citizen and corporations and public officials to buy from the home merchant and from the home manufacturer.

To force the retailer and jobber and manufacturer to compete with the whole world is frequently only a sure-thing plan to drive them out of business.

Everything possible that is needed here and can be had at anywhere near the price it is offered at from other sources should be bought at home.

Frequently the home article is cheaper in price and the quality better.

It is good business policy, even though the price is a little higher and the quality not quite as perfect as the "imported" article.

Those who buy abroad, whether it be building material, clothing or food, are not working for the best interests of the community where they make a living.

A city council, school, county or state official who will split hairs and let a labor-employing, tax-paying business go to the wall is very shortsighted.

The home merchant and the home industry are deserving of better treatment, and their success is shared by every citizen.

This policy is the right policy and is advocated in Oregon by The Oregon Manufacturer and is producing greater prosperity.—Col. L. Hefer, The Oregon Manufacturer.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah.

Ida A. Stewart, Plaintiff, vs. Aaron A. Stewart, Defendant.

To Aaron A. Stewart, the above named defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit and court on or before December 12th, 1913, that being the date fixed by the court for you to appear and answer herein and being six weeks from the date of the first publication of the summons, and if you fail to answer within such time, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in her complaint; for a decree of this court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant; leave to resume her former name of Ida A. Hunter, on the grounds of gross habitual drunkenness, cruel and inhuman treatment and desertion, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable in the premises.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable T. J. Cleaton, judge of the above entitled court, made on October 29th, 1913, directing that the same be published once a week for six successive weeks in the Gresham Outlook, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published at Gresham, Multnomah county, Oregon.

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M. C. KING, Attorney for Plaintiff. First State Bank Bldg., Gresham Ore.

Pleasant Home

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy have requested the reporter to express through this column their sincere thanks for the donations left at their door on Thanksgiving morning by work and request of the Epworth League.

The Rich brothers have rented the Hoffman and Johnson houses and the two families will take possession soon.

Mrs. J. A. Stevens, of Portland, is spending a few days in Pleasant Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. S. Shinaman, of Cedaredge, Colorado, arrived Saturday to spend the winter with their son, L. F. Shinaman and family. They left Colorado just in time to escape the big snow storm that covered that state.

Last week saw the addition of some new books to the library.

Preaching services of the M. E. church will be held next Sunday at 11 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thierer, of Manhattan, Kansas, are visiting at the Bramhall home. Mr. Bramhall is also receiving a visit from his mother from Portland.

Mrs. Geo. Blackburn entertained the Embroidery club last Tuesday. The next meeting will be on the regular date with Mrs. M. McLaughlin.

The Baptist minister, Mr. Lucas, will soon be located in the Stevens' property.

Mrs. Layman returned Sunday from Troutdale where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Surber.

Orient

Mrs. Hale has gone to town to be with her mother who is quite sick.

Grandpa Russell was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson at the store.

Good prices were got at the Underwood sale on Saturday. P. H. Rook was auctioneer.

James Hillyard, our road supervisor, has a number of teams hauling gravel from the depot to Johnson creek bridge, and is a much needed improvement.

Floyd Hale is back to school after being absent for nearly two months with his broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip have bought a rig for taking them up and down to school where they are janitors this season.

The potato harvest is now over and a fair crop is reported all around and fine prices are being obtained.

Cottrell

Mrs. Fred Wagner and Dan Robertson attended the funeral of their niece Vera Camp at Oregon City.

Mrs. George Blackburn entertained the embroidery club last Tuesday afternoon.

Lonnie Radford has moved to J. B. Fowler's place.

The Baptist Aid society met with Mrs. N. G. Hedin one day last week. Mrs. Anna Bonham, of Tyler, Washington, is the guest of Mrs. Ella Schneider.

Mrs. George Blackburn will leave Friday for an extended visit to Idaho, Michigan and Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hutchins were Portland visitors one days last week.

Scenic

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beyers were week-end visitors at Portland, returning Sunday after attending church at that place.

Miss Dora Meyers, of Lents Junction, visited Mrs. J. R. Duncan and Mrs. William Beyers one day last week.

Alice Jack, who has been quite ill, is able to up but will not attend school for some time.

Fred Colborn is helping Guy Robertson build a house.

Nels Soli, who has been working for B. C. Altman left Saturday for Wisconsin, where he was called on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. Gust Staffenson and daughter, Hilda, were visitors at the Carlson home Sunday.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah.

In the Matter of the Estate of Sven August Nystrom, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Sven August Nystrom, deceased, by the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah County, and has qualified.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at Gresham, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified within six months from date hereof.

Dated and first published November 21, 1913.

MINNIE NYSTROM, Administratrix. WILLIAM A. CARTER, 603 Corbett Bldg. Portland, Oregon, Attorney for Administratrix.

Haley

The Ladies' Aid society will have a sale of fancy and useful articles at the Baptist church Friday evening, December 12, at 7:30. Refreshments will be served. All are invited to attend.

PORTLAND MARKETS. Grain, Flour, Feed, Etc.

WHEAT—Track prices: Club, \$1c; Bluestem, 91½c; red Russian, 79c; 40-fold, 82c.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$22 per ton; middlings, \$31; shorts, \$24; rolled barley, \$26.

FLOUR—Patents, \$4.40 per barrel; straights, \$3.80; exports, \$3.55-3.70; valley, \$4.40; graham, \$4.30; whole wheat, \$4.50.

BARLEY—\$24 per ton. CORN—Whole, \$37; cracked, \$38 per ton.

OATS—No. 1, white, \$26 per ton. HAY—Eastern Oregon timothy, choice, \$15-16; alfalfa, \$13.

Dairy and Country Produce.

POULTRY—Hens, 14 cents; springs, 15c; ducks, young, 12c; turkeys, live, 20c; dressed, 25-26c.

EGGS—Oregon ranch, 41c.

BUTTER—City creamery, cubes, 34c; prints, 35c.

CHEESE—Triplets, 17 per lb.; Daisies, 17c per lb.; young Americas, 18c.

VEAL—Fancy, 13½c per pound.

PORK—Fancy, 11c per pound.

Vegetables and Fruits.

ONIONS—Oregon, \$2.15 per sack.

POTATOES—Oregon, \$1.10 per hundred; sweet potatoes, \$2.00 per hundred.

VEGETABLES—Cabbage, 1-1½c per pound; cauliflower, \$1-1.25 per dozen; cucumbers, 40-45c per dozen; eggplant, 7c per pound; head lettuce, \$2-2.25 per crate; peppers, 5-7c per pound; radishes, 10-12c per dozen; tomatoes, \$1.75 per box; garlic, 12½c per pound; sprouts, 11c per pound; artichokes, \$1.50 per dozen; squash, 1½c per pound; pumpkins, 1½c per pound; celery 50-75c per dozen.

GREEN FRUIT—Apples, 60-\$2.25.

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