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Pleasant Valley

PLEASANT VALLEY, Aug. 6.—I. P. Coffman of Lents is building a neat cottage on his property which is located near the old Wing sawmill.

H. F. Sims of Lents was a visitor at the home of C. F. Kesterson on Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Nichols of Portland spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. E. Pinckley.

Mrs. Elwood and daughter, Miss Lora, have returned from a few weeks' stay at the beach.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Rogers spent the week end at Barview beach.

Mrs. J. S. Titus of Eugene visited a few days this week at the home of W. U. Moore.

H. C. Restorff has treated his house to a new coat of paint.

Section Line

James Kelly had the misfortune to cut the end of his thumb off Saturday.

Arthur and Victor Hendrickson are visiting their cousins at Amboy, Wash.

James Kelly is having a house built to be occupied by his tenant who has rented the barn and adjoining land for a dairy.

Mr. Ellingham is building a house in Glendora.

Henry Moll is also building him a house.

Orient

A remonstrance against the division of the school district by the creation of a new district at Pleasant Home is being circulated and largely signed. In fact, with one or two exceptions, it is getting the support of practically the whole community. E. Nasshann and C. H. Johansen are going around with it. All this trouble about the school matters seems to have arisen after the meeting of the Orient tax payers when they resolved to go ahead with a building for a high school. It seems then to have dawned upon the minority that they should pull out and try to form a new district. The meeting before the Boundary Commission takes place in Portland Monday next when the matter will probably be settled.

Muriel Harris spent last Sunday at home with her parents.

Mrs. Hale went to Portland on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Owen preached at the Baptist chapel on Sunday night.

Clarence Jackson went to Portland last Friday and bought a new wagon for his wood hauling.

Morris Wheeler and a large crew of men and teams are unloading gravel at the depot and teaming it into Clackamas county towards Borling.

John Nelson, who has been on a deer hunting expedition, has returned home from the mountains. He reports a very fine time but says the deer had the best of it.

Scenic

Mrs. Anna Tyrell of Portland visited her sister, Mrs. J. R. Duncan a few days this week. Her daughter, Effie Tyrell, who has been spending her vacation with her aunt, returned to Portland with her mother.

Herman Beyers and Mr. Butzer of Portland were guests of Wm. Beyers this week.

Elbert Killin of Grass Valley is a guest at the home of his aunt, Mrs. D. D. Jack.

Miss Alma Bauder, who has been on the sick list for some time, is gaining steadily.

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LATEST WAR BULLETINS

Advices from the foreign countries now engaged in war give brief accounts of the situation. No very decisive engagement has yet taken place either on land or sea, although Liege, on the Belgium frontier, is the scene of the first conflict. The fall of Liege seems certain, which will give Germany the first important victory but at great cost. The Belgians will make another stand at Namur if it abandons Liege.

The following are the important events of the past three days:

TUESDAY

Great Britain has taken over all the railroads and is under a mild sort of martial law.

Retail prices of provisions have advanced 50 per cent in all foreign countries. Many stores have had to close.

Wireless shipping announcements have almost ceased from every quarter of the civilized globe including the United States.

At the battle of Liege yesterday the German mortality amounted to 10,000.

The Turkish government has announced that it will remain neutral.

Great Britain has taken possession of several battleships building at its yards for other nations and will rush them to completion for its own use.

Great Britain declared war on Germany on Tuesday evening.

Two German cruisers were destroyed and one captured by a French fleet.

Russian troops have invaded the German frontier in northern Prussia and the Germans are falling back, burning their villages over a great stretch of country.

WEDNESDAY

Canada will levy a war tax and will raise and mobilize a division of 25,000 men to repel any threatened invasion.

All foreign nations at war have called on their reservists in this country to return home. They number more than a million all told.

All trans-Atlantic liners are scurrying to friendly ports to escape capture.

More than 30,000 American tourists are stranded in the foreign countries and are undergoing many hardships.

The Belgian government has invited the co-operation of the French troops and will not regard their presence as a violation of the frontier.

The state department at Washington cabled to the American ambassador at London to draw upon American banks for \$300,000 to aid the stranded Americans.

An early landing of English troops in Belgium is expected.

King Albert has assumed command of the troops in Belgium.

Food riots have broken out in various parts of England.

A German squadron is bombarding Sveaborg, Finland.

Two regiments of German Uhlans have been destroyed by the Belgian army.

THURSDAY

A French mine ship has captured and towed into Cherbourg a 5000-ton German steamer.

The fortress of Liege is still holding out but is being bombarded by heavy shells, while the Belgians fire in working havoc among the Germans.

The British fleet is driving the German fleet towards the Dutch coast where a naval engagement is anticipated.

All the resources of England are being impressed for the coming conflict.

Turkey is reported to be ready for the fray and may become aggressive at any moment.

According to official advices more than 50 German steamers have been already captured by the British.

The Russian cruiser Iskodel and the German cruiser Emden sank each other in an engagement yesterday.

Rapid progress is being made in American relief plans for those abroad.

Foreign residents in Oregon are reported to be against Germany in their sympathy.

Boy scouts are destined to play an important part in the European war.

Lusted

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton returned home Sunday after several days' visit with relatives in Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Somersault visited the latter's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sester last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. Bramhall and son Carl visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hosner last Friday.

Miss Marian Robertson returned home from Monmouth where she has been attending normal for the past six weeks.

Mrs. Martin and daughter, Mrs. Edwards and baby, started for their home in California Tuesday, after several weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson. They would have made their stay longer but for the expected strike on August 7.

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Representative Lafferty Shows How 1-Cent Letter Postage Is Prevented by Magazine "Mail Subsidies."



A. W. LAFFERTY

In the House of Representatives six bills are pending for 1-cent letter postage and two in the Senate. The Postoffice Department says that if second class mail shall be required to pay the cost of transportation, not only will 1-cent letter postage be made possible thereby, but that the entire postal service will be improved.

Has any voter been told anything about this situation by the daily newspapers? He has not.

On page 26, the editorial page of the Saturday Evening Post for March 7, 1914, appears this statement:

"It is pretty definitely settled that we shall grant no more ship subsidies. The notion of taxing the public for the benefit of ANY special interest no longer appeals."

Yet the Curtis Publishing Company, which owns the Saturday Evening Post, receives a mail subsidy amounting to more than \$4,000,000 a year. These are the figures of the Postoffice Department. That sum represents twice the amount involved in the question of "free tolls" at Panama, over which the entire nation has been stirred for months. The total amount of tolls on coastwise vessels at Panama will be less than \$2,000,000 annually, while we are donating each year to the Curtis Publishing Company alone more than \$4,000,000 in mail subsidy.

Half your letter postage is a tax to pay for carrying at less than cost the merchandise of corporations publishing magazines and daily newspapers. I favor requiring all mail to pay cost of transportation, and no more. When we do that we shall have 1-cent letter postage.

Now as to the "Congressional Frank." I have used that frank more than most Congressmen, and I have sent out less than four tons of mail a year. The "Journal" and the "Oregonian" send out by mail over a ton each per day. The "Journal" admitted editorially, August 28, 1912, that it mails 50 tons a month. Those two papers will average 600 tons each by mail per year. They pay the Government only 1 cent a pound, or \$20 per ton. The Government loses on the 1200 tons it transports annually for the "Oregonian" and the "Journal" at least \$4 per ton, or \$48,000. The "Oregonian" is making a quarter of a million clear a year and the "Journal" is making almost as much. Yet these papers yell because I send out four tons of the people's mail per year, which is carried free, while they send out 1200 tons per year of their private merchandise, which is carried four-fifths free.

The garden seeds which I sent out were the property of the people themselves. Each Congressman is allotted 22,000 packages. I have sent out 52,000

packages annually, because I paid for the addressing of 30,000 extra franks each year, and had them on deposit with the Agricultural Department on April 1, the day the regular distribution closes. The rule is that all seeds left over will be sent out under the direction of the Secretary of Agriculture, and by taking my chances and having the extra franks addressed and on hand I have received for my district 30,000 extra packages each year. Because I went to this extra trouble, extra work and personal expense I have been criticised for "sending out too many seeds."

As to the speeches I have sent out, I paid for the printing of all of them out of my personal funds. The Government Printing Office will not print a speech for a Congressman unless he puts up a check in advance against his salary account for the cost of the same. My account for printing at the Government Printing Office the first year I was in Congress, and the cost of addressing the speeches out to the people of Oregon, was \$3700, or a little more than half my salary. I sent speeches on the railroad land grant to each voter in Oregon, whether in my Congressional District or not. I was making a fight to win. That is the kind of a fight I shall continue to make.

Very sincerely,
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