BRIEF LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. J. R. Wilcox was a Hood River visitor on Thursday.

Pruning Saws, all kinds, and Shears at Chown's.

W. E. Huskey was a business visitor Thursday in The Dalles.

Frank Ginger was transacting business in The Dalles on Tuesday.

BURPEE'S SEEDS NOW HERE, at Chown's.

G. L. Carroll was in The Dalles Friday on business.

Hans Kollandsrud was in Hood River on business Saturday.

Mrs. C. Ruscher went to The Dalles Saturday for a few days' visit.

A good ROOFING at CHOWN'S for $1.50 per roll.

Lloyd Fisher was a Hood River visitor on Wednesday.

Geo. Chamberlain was in Hood River last Saturday on business.

S. D. Fisher transacted business in Hood River yesterday.

F. A. Allington spent yesterday afternoon in Hood River.

Hot Point Electric Irons at the drug store, now $3.00. tf

Mrs. V. C. Young went to Hood River yesterday for a visit.

J. O. Beldin was in The Dalles the first of the week on business.

L. Lamb was a visitor the first of the week in The Dalles.

J. E. Cole was in Hood River Tuesday morning between trains.

All sorts of electrical appliances for sale, including electric light globes, at the drug store. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Evans and son, Darrell, were visitors Saturday in The Dalles.

Special prices on men's woolen shirts, mackinaws and woolen underwear for cash. See Strauss.

The Ladies Aid society will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Husbands.

J. M. Carroll, Miss Clara Carroll and Willie Carroll were visitors Wednesday in Hood River.

Don't forget that by paying your taxes at the Mosier Valley Bank you help keep some county money at home.

Mrs. C. A. Brown, of the Greenwood district, is visiting with friends and relatives in Portland.

WATCH for the DELAVAL SPRAYER DEMONSTRATION in Mosier soon. Chown will know the date soon.

Let us finish your films. Same may be left at the Bulletin office. Slocom & Canfield. Hood River. t-

Mrs. H. A. Woods has as her guests this week her brother-in-law and sister and baby daughter from Ritzville, Wash.

The Mosier Valley Bank will be closed all day Tuesday, February 22, on account of Washington's Birthday, legal holiday.

Do not fail to see my spring shoes for ladies and children. Cloth and leather tops. From the Brown factories. Strauss.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dunsmore spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Eastman in the Grandview district.

Ed. F. Reeves went to Portland Tuesday afternoon on business where he expects to remain for a week or ten days.

Mrs. M. E. Gray, mother of Mrs. Fred Evans, and her little grandson, Lynn Green, returned to The Dalles yesterday after a few days' visit here.

Trade at home. At least give your home merchant a chance to figure with you on the same basis as the outside firm. Fair, is it not? Strauss.

The Parent-Teacher association will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock. All interested and all who should be interested are urged to attend. Mrs. C. G. Nichol, Secretary.

Time to think of spring sewing. I have a good stock of ginghams, percales, prints, sheeting and pillow tubing, as well as worsted dress goods. Strauss.

Mrs. S. D. Fisher came up from Hood River Thursday after an extended stay with her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Winkler. She brought her baby granddaughter up with her.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCargar and son, Donald, returned Saturday from Portland where they have been visiting for some time. They were accompanied by Mrs. Anna Craven, mother of Mrs. McCargar.

E. J. Middleswart, of Hood River, was visiting friends and relatives here Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Middleswart, who is quite a sportsman, is anxiously awaiting the opening of the trout season.

W. J. Wollam, of Hood River, contractor and builder, was here the first of the week inspecting the apple house of the Misses M. and A. Shogren, which had caved in last week while laden with the heavy snow. The house was built by a Portland firm.

Before you send away for a bill of groceries at "wholesale prices" bring your list to me and get my cash price on the same items. You will find you can do as well at home on the average, and a dollar spent here circulates and you may get hold of it again; a dollar spent away from home never comes back. Strauss.

Some of you who think it wise to send your orders out of town do not think what it would mean if all business was done that way. What if there were no local stores with a stock on hand in a time like we have just passed through, with no train running for about a week. Think it over. Strauss.

Home-made candy, made by Mrs. Ed. F. Reves, has been placed on sale at the store of Nichol & Company. The colorings used are from fruit and vegetables and are guaranteed to be pure in every way. This candy has has been prepared under the most cleanly conditions and contains the juices of fruits, with jam and jelly used for filling. The boxes now on sale sell for twenty-five cents.

Mrs. J. P. Tryon was operated upon at The Dalles hospital Saturday for appendicitis by Doctors Reuter, Thompson and Robinson, and the report is that she is getting along nicely. Mr. Tryon, who accompanied them to The Dalles, remaining for several days, left the children, Mary, Ruth and Frances, with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary F. Hopkins.

R. J. Taylor was up from Portland Saturday on business and visiting with friends. Mr. Taylor, who has been here for the past two summers as inspector at the rock crushing plant for the O.-W. R. & N. Co., and the Pacific Bridge Co., is now employed in the draughting department of the former company in their offices in the union depot in Portland.

W. C. Stone, who left here the first of the year after severing his connection with the Pacific Bridge Co., as superintendent of the rock crushing plant located here, is now employed by the Good Roads Machinery Co., of Portland, and at present is in Boise, Idaho, where he is negotiating with the county commissioners for machinery. He reports good success.

Rev. C. E. Swander, state secretary of the Oregon Christian Missionary convention, will preach in the Christian church a week from Sunday, February 27, at both the morning and evening services. Rev. Swander will be remembered by local residents as the man who dedicated the Christian church here six years ago.

Albert Medenwald, after a month's visit with friends in Heppner, returned the first of the week to his home in the Grandview district. He states that the heavy snowfall, of which there was about three feet, caused many cattle to starve because it was impossible to get feed to them. With the melting of the snow he stated that floods followed and many wagon and railroad bridges were washed out.

H. Hansen, of the Columbia River Lumber Co., of The Dalles, was here the first of the week conferring with E. L. Root regarding a lumber deal. Mr. Hansen, who formerly owned a mill in the Dukes Valley district of the Hood River Valley, stated that the lumber business is going ahead with rapid strides, and that many of the mills in the Northwest have all the orders that they can handle. He expects to return soon to complete negotiations.

John Elder returned Thursday morning from a business trip to The Dalles, Fairbanks, Dufur and Wrentham. Mr. Elder, who owns some stock pastured at Fairbanks, was detained Wednesday night near Wrentham by the floods which have hindered railroad traffic. With another detained passenger he began the walk to The Dalles at nine o'clock that night, reaching the latter place at 12 o'clock, a distance of 16 miles along the track. He stated that his livestock were in better condition than he expected, but that the floods from the melting snow had caused some suffering, as well as doing considerable damage to the interior railroad system, washing out tracks and bridges.

Letter Sent to Corn Growing Boys

Corn club boys are in receipt of the following letter from Clyde T. Bonney, county school superintendent:

"The purpose of this letter is to advise you that Mr. A. R. Chase, county agent for Wasco county, plans to devote time to helping the boys in the corn growing project. 'The first step,' says Mr. Chase, 'in the matter of growing a good crop of corn is to secure pure bred seed.' French & Company and the First National bank, of The Dalles, have agreed to buy whatever seed corn Mr. Chase needs and this will be furnished free of charge to all who take up the corn growing project. Every boy will be expected to pay back at the end of the year, the exact amount of seed corn which was furnished him at the beginning of the year. In addition to this, he will be expected to make an exhibit at at least one of the local fairs.

"You doubtless know that Wasco county last year came very close to winning first prize in the corn growing project at the Oregon state fair. This prize was won by a Jackson county boy who worked under Mr. Chase's supervision. Mr. Chase has set his heart upon winning the prize this year for Wasco county. Every boy who takes up the work, will be given every possible assistance.

"In my opinion, corn growing is destined to be one of Wasco county's leading industries and nothing that a boy can learn will be of more practical benefit and do the county in which he lives more good than to demonstrate the fact that Wasco county is that county of the state of Oregon in which corn can be grown to the best advantage. I am depending upon you to help."

Entertain Bridge Club

The Auction Bridge club was entertained last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Strauss with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Amaden and Mrs. G. P. Christie acting as host and hostesses. Prize winners were P. L. Arthur and Mrs. W. E. Chown. The next meeting will be held tonight at the Strauss home with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chown acting as host and hostess.

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PROCEEDINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL

The following bills were allowed at the February meeting of the Common Council:

Tryon & Clay, hauling bathhouses, $1.25.

L. J. Merrill, agt American Surety Co., bond city recorder, $2.50; bond city marshal, $5.

Jas. Camp, shoveling snow Mosier Creek bridge, $1.25.

E. L. Root, work with grader on street, $3.

Library board, lights, $2.50.

Mrs. W. A. Husbands, janitor library, $1.

Pacific Power & Light Co., street lights, $36.40.

P. L. Arthur, salary recorder, $10.

Councilman Merrill moved that the mayor be appointed to represent the city's interests in connection with the proposed bond issue and that he be empowered to appoint one or two citizens to act with him. The motion was seconded by Councilman Husbands, and was carried.

The street committee were ordered to report at the next meeting regarding the stumps and trees that should be removed from the city streets.

The meeting was then adjourned.

RECENT ADDITIONS TO MOSIER LIBRARY

The following ten volumes of books were received this month at the local library:

Reference

World's Alamnac and Encyclopedia, 1916.

Educational

U. S. Bureau of Education, Vocational Guidance. (Gift)

Costume

Winterburn, Principles of Correct Dress.

Biography

Keller, Story of My Life.

Fiction

Grey, Heritage of the Desert.
Johnston, Fortunes of Garin.
McCutcheon, Beverly of Graustark.
Richmond, Mrs. Red Pepper.
Stevenson, Penelope's Postscripts.

Juvenile

Keyes, When Mother Lets Us Play.

DAD EPPING SCORES WITH VAUDEVILLE

(From The Dalles Chronicle)

A real vaudeville show, equal to many of the famous city circuit programs for which theatre goers pay much greater prices for seats, was The Dalles high school alumni entertainment, which was presented Wednesday night of last week in the Vogt theatre to a well filled house. The show was presented under the able direction of J. Adrian Epping, of Hood River, and it was a credit to his producing efforts.

Mr. Epping sang several solos which proved his ability as a vocalist. His voice is rich in quality and pleasing to the listener and displays a splendid knowledge of technique.

Only 14 Register Past Week

The registration books of P. L. Arthur, registrar, show that only 14 voters have registered during the past week in Mosier precinct. With only 60 days left until the books will be closed this means that during the last few days before registration there will be a grand rush, if history is any criterion; consequently County Clerk L. R. Fox is urging all voters to register early. The following is the registration taken on the morning of February 17 in the Mosier precinct:

Republicans, 22; Democrats, 14; Prohibitionists, 3; Progressives, 1; Socialists, 1; and Independent, 1. Total, 42.

Immanuel Church Social

The ladies of Immanuel church extend a cordial invitation to the people of Mosier and vicinity to attend their first of the season's socials to be given at the Immanuel church on Friday evening, March 10.

A good program will be rendered and a pleasant evening's social entertainment offered to all.

Mothers, special arrangements have been made for the care and amusement of the children.

Refreshments will be served.

Everyone welcome.

Special School Election

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 52, of Wasco county, State of Oregon, that a special school meeting of said district will be held at the schoolhouse on the 25th day of February, 1916, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon for the following objects:

For the election of one director to fill out the unexpired term of J. E. Higley, and discussion of certain high school problems.

H. W. Danielson,
Dist Clerk,
Dr. David Robinson,
Chairman Board of Directors.

Tahoma Freed from Ice

The People's Navigation Company river boat, Tahoma, was freed from an ice jam Saturday. The boat, which has been held by a jam near Cape Horn since January 6, was safely berthed at a Portland dock Sunday night.

Members of the boat's crew, who had remained by the craft, had not seen their families since the boat became icebound. Capt. Nelson, well known to local people, suffered an attack of boils while the vessel was tied up.

MOSIER AGAIN DEFEATS ODELL

It was a hotly contested game of basketball that the Mosier team won from Odell last Saturday night. From start to finish the score was close, standing at the end of the first half 15 to 11 in favor of Mosier. After a rest both teams started with renewed vigor and the game see sawed back and forth until five minutes from the finish the score stood 26 to 26. Stellar plays brought the crowd to its feet more than once, and feeling was tense with no baskets tossed for four minutes. With one minute remaining the Mosier forwards succeeded in dropping the ball in the basket for two successive goals, ending the game 30-26. Ray Bailey scored 15 points for Mosier and Haskins the same number for Odell.

The line-ups follow:

Mosier—Ray Bailey, c; Ivers, r. f; Carroll, l. f; C. Bailey, r. g; and Sturgess, l. g.

Odell—Haskins, c; Davis, r. f; Cutler, l. f; Vose, r. g; Krohn and Myers, l. g.

After the game about 20 couples enjoyed dancing with music furnished by W. C. Vensel on the piano, Ira Huskey, guitar, and Myers, of Odell, violin.

Tonight the Mosier team will meet the Hood River high school second team. A mighty good game is promised.

CHERRY GUMMING OFTEN DUE TO SCALE

"Growers finding their cherry trees not in a thrifty condition, or with a tendency to excessive gumming, should examine the bark very carefully for the presence of San Jose scale," says Professor A. L. Lovett, acting entomologist of the Oregon Agricultural College. "The base and main crotch of the tree should be examined very carefully for scale, which, to the casual observer, will appear as small grayish or blackish specks scattered over the bark. A heavy infestation of the scale appears not unlike wet ashes spread over the bark. Where such condition occurs the back of the thumb nail should be drawn across the bark, when, if there is a yellow, oilish exudation, you may rest assured that the scale is present.

"For this pest there is nothing better than the early spring application of the commercial lime-sulphur spray. This spray should be applied in the spring just before the leaves put out, using it at the rate of one part of the commercial lime-sulphur to ten parts of water. It is advisable to add the commercial Black Leaf-40, a tobacco spray, to this commercial lime-sulphur, as by this practice one may also control the plant lice which are usually present on the tree in the spring. This should be used at the rate of one part of the Balck Leaf-40 to eight hundred parts of the lime-sulphur as diluted ready for spraying, or at the rate of two tablespoonfuls of Black Leaf-40 to twelve and one-half gallons of the lime-sulphur spray solution."

CARE OF CHERRY AND PEACH TREES

"The Care of Cherry and Peach Trees" will be the subject under discussion at the meeting of the Mosier Horticultural society on Saturday in the office of the Mosier Fruit Growers association. E. W. Davidhizar will lead in the discussion.

Manager R. D. Chatfield at the last meeting read an article written by E. H. Shepard in the last issue of the Better Fruit magazine on the cost of marketing. The growers followed each detail closely and several who had kept close account of this data the past season stated that this low cost had been equalled by them. In some cases the cost would average a little higher and in others a little lower, while some of the growers segregated the various items in a little different manner.

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REGULATOR LINE PLANS 4 STEAMERS

The Regulator line plans to operate four steamers on the mid-Columbia this season. The Dalles City and Stranger began their schedule this week, running on alternate days to The Dalles from Portland. On March 1, the State of Washington, recently purchased from The Dalles-Columbia line, will be put on the river as a night boat from Portland. On May 15 the Bailey Gatzert will begin a daily schedule.

This is the most elaborately planned service ever undertaken by a river line.

The recent enforced tie-up has been of benefit to the company, in that crews of men were able to thoroughly overhaul the boats.

A new ladies' cabin will be added to the Stranger, making her passenger accommodations equal to the larger boats of the fleet. The Stranger will leave Portland on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and on alternate days will make the down river trip.

The changes made in the Dalles City will increase the capacity of her freight room about 30 tons. She will leave Mosier for Portland on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays about 8.00 o'clock. The up river trip will be made on alternate days.

The Bailey Gatzert this year will only come as far as Stevenson, Wash.

APPLE NOTES

A recent service and regulatory announcement of the Bureau of Chemistry contains the following, which should be of interest to shippers of berries, peaches, and tomatoes when ordering their crates for next season's shipments.

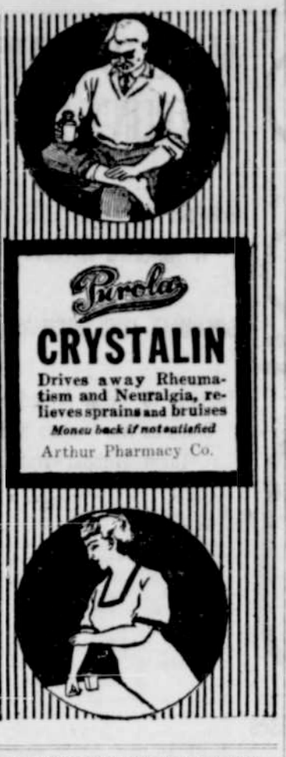
The department is of the opinion that berries, peaches, or tomatoes in small open containers which are packed in crates and arranged within the crates in layers or tiers, constitute food in package form within the meaning of the net-weight amendment, and that consequently the law requires that the crates shall be marked with a statement of the quantity of the contents. Each such statement should include the number of small containers and the quantity of the contents of each. Pending a determination of the question whether the net-weight amendment applies to berries in small open containers (such as those which usually hold 1 quart or 1 pint each, and which are commonly placed, without covers, in crates, each crate holding a number of the small containers,) and unless public notice of not less than two months be given, the department will not recommend any proceedings under the Federal Food and Drugs Act solely upon the ground that berries in such small containers, shipped in interstate commerce or otherwise brought within the jurisdiction of the Food and Drugs Act, bear no statement of the quantity of the contents upon each such container.

Returns so far received from a post card vote being taken by the Pacific Fruit Produce company, of North Yakima, indicates that an overwhelming majority of growers desire the company to test in the supreme court the horticultural law under which the company was convicted of shipping infected apples out of the state. The company sent out 3000 inquiries. Of the first 400 replying, representing 600 acres of orchard, 285 favored a test and 52 favored compliance with the law. Others did not answer this question, which was one of five submitted. Three hundred and twenty-seven favored allowing worm stung apples in C grade pack, as was permitted last year, and 164 favored putting apples with two healed-over stings in the C grade.

Eighteen owners of the largest cherry orchards in Wasco county gathered last week at The Dalles to discuss methods of pollination of their orchards. The growers have accepted a proposition from the Oregon Agricultural College to work in conjunction with an advanced class from the institution, the members of which will make graftings of 18,000 fertilizing scions to be furnished free by the Business Men's Association, of The Dalles.

The growers of the White Salmon district have voted to amalgamate their selling agency with that of the Underwood district. The latter association of growers took such action several weeks ago. Last year the two agencies were under the management of a joint agency.

Apple exports for the week ending Saturday, January 29, were 4,790 barrels against 66,077 barrels the same week a year ago. Exports for the season up to that date were 1,046,935 barrels against 1,939,305 barrels the same period last year. Boxes are figured in the above three to the barrel.



DAMAGE TO ORCHARDS WILL BE SMALL

From the Hood River Glacier

So slowly has the deep snow melted during the past week that damage to orchards, according to reports from all districts, will be comparatively light. Grave fears existed among growers Sunday night a week ago, when rain formed an ice crust a half inch thick on the surface of the snow blanket; for this heavy crust, if a sudden thaw had followed, would not only have stripped young trees, but would have taken many limbs off five and six year old orchards. This crust, however, was melted before the snow began to settle, and damage caused was negligible.

Growers have reported the breaking of young trees by shifting snow on hillsides and tracts of young trees in the Upper Valley will be made to look very raggedy for several years because of stripped branches. In older orchards the damage will be no greater than that of a normal winter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS OF CANDIDATES

(Paid Advertisements)

To the several voters of Wasco county, Oregon:

I hereby desire to announce myself a candidate for the nomination of county sheriff, subject to the will of Republican voters, at the coming primary nominating election.

Should I be nominated and later elected to said office, I will continue, as in the past to enforce the laws, and conduct the office in a courteous and economical manner.

LEVI CHRISMAN.

To the Voters of Hood River and Wasco counties:

I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for representative from the twenty-ninth district subject to the will of the people expressed at the primary election, to be held May 19, 1916.

If nominated and elected I pledge myself to discharge the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

J. E. ANDERSON.

To the electors of the several precincts comprising the county of Wasco:

I hereby announce myself as a republican candidate for county clerk of Wasco county, Oregon, subject to the will of the people expressed at the primary election to be held in Wasco county, May 19, 1916.

If nominated and elected, I pledge myself to conduct the office to the best of my ability, working at all times as in the past, for more efficient and economical methods of conducting the same with due courtesy to all and for the best interest of all parties concerned.

L. B. FOX.

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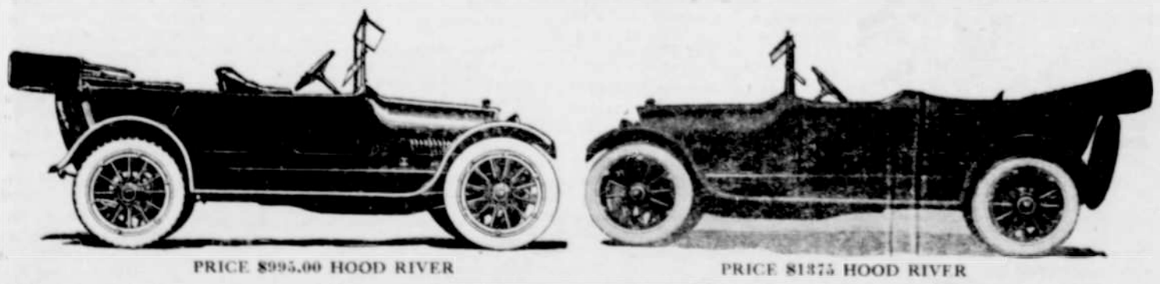

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