

CORRESPONDENCE.

ODELL.

The political hive swarmed last Sunday alighting in Hood River valley, gathering honey here and there in promises of support, election day.

Last Saturday while we were busy loading lumber teams for the big west side ditch at the water front in town, the extremely busy scene that was presented reminded us in a small way of the water front at Seattle during the Nornie rush in the spring of 1900.

Hood River certainly occupies a unique position in the Northwest. I doubt if there is a spot in the United States, so well advertised and so exceedingly prosperous as is our little valley.

The little white store people are taking an outing by hauling lumber to the best gate of the big west side ditch near the falls. The stillness of nature and the leafy bowers along the roadside is restful and goes a long way toward restoring the tired body and strengthening the weak nerves.

Last Saturday the writer had the unexpected pleasure of meeting Mr. Hinkle and wife of Antelope and Mrs. B. F. Laughlin of The Dalles, while lunching at the Mount Hood hotel.

"We were boys and girls together" away back in the early seventies, during my cowboy days on John Day Range near Antelope. Although thirty years have passed since we met and raven locks were turned to gray, yet the recollection of sunny, youthful days were fresh and green in our memory, and in a short hour we found ourselves traveling quickly over the years that had gone by all too soon.

Mrs. Booth returned today from a brief visit to The Dalles. Prof. J. L. Touney of Portland, is spending a day or two with his family on his ranch near here.

Mr. Clarke gathered a pair of strawberries from his acre one-half mile west of Odell. These are the first of the Odell crop and not much behind the West Side.

A picnic party spent Decoration day on Mill Creek. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor were active in making arrangements for a good time.

William Ehrek last week, purchased a large team from Mr. Welshart near Mount Hood. Mr. Ehrek is a successful rancher and realizes that the best article is the cheapest. He has abundant work for a team.

T. H. Williams, proprietor of the Royal Bakery, was not feeling the least bit in good humor Monday. His baker got drunk, he says, and spoiled a batch.

Miss Bess Isenberg, who has spent the last month in California as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McCoy, returned to her home in Belmont last Sunday. Miss Bess says she had a grand trip traveling through San Francisco and the surrounding towns, also Santa Barbara, Ventura, Pasadena and Los Angeles.

Miss Bess thinks California a beautiful flower garden where one can spend a few weeks in pleasure, but for a real home, Hood River with its natural beauty, fine fruits and its many resources is a much more desirable place to live.

C. Tyler picked two crates of berries Saturday. Mrs. Joseph Frazier, Sr. went to Portland Tuesday to be present at the commencement exercises of the Portland high school, from which her daughter Anna graduates.

J. K. Kling and M. H. Nickelsen picked their first berries on the 27th. Captain Sherman sold his ten acres at Sunnyvale farm. Consideration \$83,000.

Edith Mulkins is sick with the measles. Myrtle has just recovered from the same affliction.

Miss Pearl Eby is at home again and will work in the berries. Belmont was favored with a special entertainment on Saturday evening. Through the kindness of Mrs. M. B. Potter they were privileged to assemble on the beautiful lawn in front of her residence with no "keep off the grass" notices posted. The lawn was given for the use of the Hood River band, to hold a concert social, and the band boys were there in all their glory, dressed for the first time in their new uniforms, and playing for the first time on their new instruments. Lights were arranged on the trees, benches, chairs and tables were provided for the occasion and ice cream was served. The people of the entire neighborhood were there and applauded the band, laughed and talked, ate ice cream and

laughed again. The band played a number of good selections and all the people present declared they "loved" them. Well, and no one is so strange that between pieces the boys would glance with pride at their new suits and burnished instruments. Twelve young girls served the ice cream in a reversible manner. When near midnight the company reluctantly separated, it was difficult to tell who had enjoyed the meeting most. Mrs. Potter, the band boys or the people in attendance.

Willie Tomlinson, brother of Mrs. Sam Eby, met with a very serious accident about three weeks ago, which resulted in the loss of his left arm. He was out hunting and in climbing over a fence the gun dropped to the ground, discharging both barrels and shattering his arm so that amputation was necessary.

Olaf Olsted, who recently arrived here from Norway, is sick at the home of his uncle, A. O. Lindas with typhoid fever.

C. G. Metcalf, engineer of planer B is laid up with an injured hand. B. S. Swengel of Grand Forks, called at the home of E. G. Church and E. G. Nicholson Tuesday, and his call was like a letter from home.

The strawberry pickers are coming. Reed Anderson brought out a load of eighteens.

The Belmont girls felt highly honored on receiving an invitation from the band boys to assist them in serving ice cream during the evening of Decoration day.

A. O. Lindas, who has been working in the saw mill at Astoria, is now at home for a couple of weeks. While at work he had the misfortune to fall on a pile of lumber and broke one of his ribs.

Luther Miller was up from Portland and stayed a few days on his claim near Mount Hood but when he saw bear tracks he thought it time to make tracks for home.

UNDERWOOD.

Mr. Orser of Chenoweth, was in Underwood Monday.

Mrs. Ed Underwood and children arrived home from the Indian school at Yakima Saturday.

Uncle Amie Underwood's boat which arrived last week is a little beauty.

Two men came up Sunday from Portland to look at land here.

Mrs. Mills and daughter of Chenoweth are camping at Underwood.

Messrs. Goddard and Kelly of the shoe firm of Portland, spent a few days at Acorn Lodge, the summer home of Mr. Goddard.

MT. HOOD.

J. W. Matthews and family from Tygh ridge, Wasco county, are visiting Robert Leasure and family.

Those who attended the Williams trial from this neighborhood have returned home.

Last Sunday a number of candidates were in evidence.

Berries will be ripe in about two weeks. Last year the acreage was two acres and this year twenty acres, 3,000 apple trees will be planted this year.

P. F. Knudson has one load of apples left, which he will ship this week. He is well pleased with the apple business.

A Happy Birthday.

Anna Laura Rand entertained 20 little maids Saturday afternoon to make merry the celebration of her 8th birthday. Soon after arriving the children hunted four-leaf clover. The one finding the largest number received a prize. E. J. McDonald was the lucky one. The balance of the time was spent in playing games until 6 o'clock, when the children gathered under the cherry trees and were served with ice cream and refreshments. Those present were: Kitty Bragg, Ruby Shall, Margaret Reid, Ethel McDonald, Florence Brooks, Ruth Small, Kathryn Hartley, Lois McElain, Anna Laura Rand, Ella McDonald, Wilma Thomson, Mildred Huxley, Hilda Held, of Pendleton; Marie Bartness, Lelah Prather, Anne Mae Chipping, Marie Whitman Whitehead.

Wasco County Road Fund.

In compliance with section 34, session laws of 1903, the county court has apportioned 50 per cent of the road fund to the several districts of the county in proportion to the amount of taxable property in each. The section referred reads as follows: "That the county court or commissioners court of each county in this state may levy a tax not to exceed 10 mills on the dollar on all taxable property of said county, at the time of making the annual tax levy upon the previous year's assessment, which shall be set apart as a general road fund, to be used in the building and improving the public or county roads or bridges on county roads of the county in which the property is located. Said tax shall be paid in money and collected in the same manner as other county taxes are collected, and when so collected shall be used for road purposes, as provided in this act, and fifty per cent thereof shall be apportioned to the several road districts in such proportion as the amount of taxable property in the county, and the remaining fifty per cent shall be applied to roads in such locality in the county as the court may direct."

W. J. Cowherd returned Sunday from Crook county, where he has been employed several weeks on his homestead, located about 30 miles northwest of Prineville. Mr. Cowherd brought with him a fine collection of beautiful opals, which he gathered in Crook county. Mr. Cowherd built a house and made other improvements on his homestead. E. M. Mortimore, a nephew of Mr. Cowherd, arrived in Hood River Tuesday with his family, making the trip from Crook county in their own conveyance. They are here to pick strawberries and to put up fruit for winter use. A number of the families from Eastern Oregon are coming to Hood River for the same purpose. Cowherd says crops of all kinds are doing well in Crook county.

Adolf Ascholf, formerly head ranger of the northern division of the forest reserve has been promoted to the position of supervisor of the same reserve. This is much merited appointment and is in line with the policy of the government to promote its good men instead of making them a matter of political preference.—Dufur Dispatch.

The David Marnell Comedy company gave two entertainments Friday and Saturday nights that were enjoyed by the large audience. The entertainments were of a high standard and deserved packed houses.

Half Man Still Lives.

A person who is only half alive to the world and society will not succeed in business. He should go to Williams' Pharmacy and get some Palmo Tablets. They are guaranteed for all weakness.

Good Market Outlook.

The strawberry harvest in Hood River is now well under way. The weather continues warm, and the berries are ripening rapidly. There were berries enough on hand to make a local shipment Monday night, but owing to the heavy demands from carload markets where prices still continue good, carload shipments will not be made until the latter part of the week.

While the season gave promise early in the year of being later than usual, the first shipment was made May 19, only three days later than last year. The berries are ripening more rapidly than in former years, which gives the growers the benefit of a higher price, a prevailing early in the season. Four dollars a crate has been the ruling price so far.

The market outlook and weather conditions are very favorable. Berries are up to their usual high standard of excellence, and with plenty of irrigating water, no heavy rains or excessively hot weather this year's crop of strawberries should leave the Hood River farmers a neat little bank account at the end of the season.

"Of course we don't like to predict too far into the future, for unforeseen conditions may play havoc with the market of berries without a moment's notice," said H. F. Davidson Fruit Co., a Glacier reporter, "but just now the outlook is very favorable, indeed. The Milton and Walla Walla berries are ripening in the latter part of the season, but the Hood River berries, and while they are of a fairly good quality, the Hood River berries have brought 50 cents more on a crate in the same market."

"The Pasco county will be a great strawberry country next year. Hood River exported berries plants to that country by the hundreds of thousands last year. The berries ripen earlier on the sandy soil of the Pasco country, but it remains to be seen whether the berries hold up on long distance shipments, as berries grown at Hood River. Colorado will have a larger crop than in former years. The Denver Fruit and Produce Co. have just informed us that they expect to handle 175 cars of strawberries over and above the local demands. The crop will be at its height about June 15 to 20."

The Arkansas berries will be out of the way in a few days, says Mr. Davidson, but the Missouri berries will hold out for a couple of weeks yet. Mr. Davidson says his company expects to put a carload of berries in the market every day for the first two weeks in June, provided the weather will permit it. Hood River berries in the World's fair city should afford a distinct advertisement for Oregon and Hood River.

While shippers of Hood River fruit do not expect a car shortage this year, as was the case last season, Mr. Davidson of the Davidson Fruit Co. says the Northern Pacific is not making the freight rate something over 20 per cent. Last year the charges on a car of strawberries from here to Grand Forks was \$330, with \$20 additional for refrigeration. This year the price is \$400 for the car, but the freight is \$200. The railroad company, of course, is not responsible for the rise in the price of refrigeration charges, but it is for the increase in freight rates, and as Mr. Davidson says, it looks as though the Northern Pacific company was determined to kill off the strawberry business in Hood River.

E. A. Shepard, manager of the Hood River Fruit Co., has had two very neat office rooms fitted up in the warehouse on Railroad street. A new bookkeeper's stand and stenographer's desk has been added to the office. The new building is on the floor and neat paper on the walls. The new fixtures make a decided improvement, and give a much more business-like appearance to things.

Mr. Shepard's first experience as a manager of a fruit and berry business was to have the situation in hand, and with the office assistance of C. E. Markham and Mr. H. F. Ienbergh, he is securing for the patrons of the union brand the best in top notch prices for strawberries.

"The berries so far are coming in in splendid shape," said Mr. Shepard to a Glacier representative. "The union brand is the best in the market, and an examination is made of all fruit sent from Hood River with the union label. The union brand means a standard of excellence, and if a farmer's berries fail to meet our requirements they are excluded from the shipment with fruit that does."

"Yes, the market outlook appears very good. The only hindrance to continued high prices will, of course, be competition from other sections. While Hood River berries can't be beat for quality anywhere, if the people here had an over supply of a fairly good berry, it is difficult to convince the market with a high priced article. It is in this manner that Hood River feels the effect of Eastern home-grown berries."

"The redeeming feature with Hood River berries is the way they stand up after shipment. It is a matter of miles. Take the Wisconsin berry for instance. I am told this berry is not fit for shipment of over 250 miles. This leaves the Dakota and Iowa markets to the Hood River berries."

"We expect to have plenty of cars this year. Having made arrangements with the railroad company early in January, the traffic department knows just what to arrange for. As soon as carload shipments are made to the East, a special engine will leave with a train of fruit cars shortly after No. 6 at night, and make passenger time to Granger, where the California fruit special will be met, and the two trains consolidated. A striking example of how individual strawberry shippers can demoralize the market was furnished last week at Seattle, where the Underwood and White Salmon growers dumped their berries into the hands of commission men and knocked the bottom out of the market in two days. Davidson Fruit Co. and the Hood River Fruit Growers' union do not ship their berries on commission. They arrange with the fruit dealers in the various markets before the shipping season opens to receive Hood River berries at stipulated prices. The dealers are supposed to make a legitimate profit, but the growers themselves here know just what they will receive for their berries before their fruit leaves their hands. There are no sleight of hand commission men tricks to explain when the berries come in."

Mr. Davidson and Mr. Shepard have made the usual arrangements for the Hood River berries, and last week the price revealed at \$2.50 a crate. Growers at Underwood and White Salmon began dumping berries into the Seattle market indiscriminately, and the dealers who were handling the Davidson Fruit Co. and Union berries were forced to sell below the stipulated price for that day to get rid of the fruit. The price went down with a jump to \$1.50 on Saturday, and by Wednesday of this week it had reached \$2.50 a crate. Consequently the Davidson Fruit Co. had to leave the Seattle market to the individual shippers, and let them with their poor judgment get what they can out of it.

The growers north of the Columbia were shipping as many as 20 or 30 crates a day to Seattle," said Mr. Davidson, "but it wasn't the fact of there being too many berries in Seattle that brought down the market. More berries could have been sold at a higher price, but the commission men who do not deal with us were able to manipulate the market and they did. The price dropped and our Seattle customers felt that they had a grievance against us."

"Commission men are always anxious to receive fruit on consignment, but we do not permit them to do business with us on that basis. This recent market smacking at Seattle shows plainly enough the unwise policy of independent shipping."

She Gave Him a Thrashing.

Among the large number of passengers that arrived Tuesday on the Spencer, were a man and woman evidently from the slums of the city, and both under the influence of liquor. The man dropped on to a log after getting off the boat, while the woman proceeded to look up a place where she could camp out temporarily. She handed the man a package near Stranahan & Bagley's warehouse, and then hailed her male spouse with a sharp command to "come up here, you dirty loafer." He paid no attention to her, and after calling a few times, she went over to where he was. Putting on his hat, she proceeded to pound him with the hat and cuff him soundly. He took his medicine very meekly, and by this time a good sized crowd had gathered. The man was crying while she went on with cries and jeers. The woman had a large bottle sticking out of her bosom on one side, a package of smoking tobacco on the other. A more disgusting sight than this is hard to come across. She continued to beat him and address him in language unfit for publication. This continued, with but feeble resistance on the part of the man, who was too drunk to put up much of a fight, until she finally landed them both in the city jail. This seemed to work the woman into a frenzy, and she proceeded to thrash her husband in a manner that left no doubt as to her capabilities as a fighter. The marshal had to put the man in a cell to save him from being pounded to a jelly. An opportunity was given them to get out of town before morning, which they did.

At the Churches.

United Brethren.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sermon by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Junior at 3 p. m.; Senior Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Praying meeting each Sunday evening. H. C. Shaffer, pastor.

Belmont Chapel.—Sunday School at 10 a. m., class meeting at 11. League at 7 p. m., preaching at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Unitarians.—Corner of State street and Park avenue. W. G. Elliot, minister in charge. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Dr. T. L. Dill of Portland will preach at 11 a. m. Methodist.—11 a. m., The Light of the World. 8 p. m., Dr. Booth, the presiding elder of The Dalles district, will preach. All are cordially invited.

Union.—Rev. Tracy Shibley will preach at 11:30. Special singing by the ladies of the Columbia school house next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

Congregational.—Rev. J. L. Hershner the pastor will conduct preaching services, with worship at the usual hour. Sunday school, A. C. Starry, pastor, at 10 a. m. C. E. services at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. All are invited to these services, especially strangers.

Resolutions.

Whereas, it is with the deepest sorrow we are apprised of the death of young of Kitty Ellis, beloved wife of our worthy and esteemed neighbor, Gideon L. Ellis,

and whereas, after long suffering, deceased has been called to our heavenly home, we, the friends and neighbors, do hereby express our heartfelt sympathy in this, his great loss.

Resolved, that the removal of such a life from our midst will be deeply felt by all who knew her, and that a vacancy is left that will be realized by all her friends and neighbors, and we express our hope that God in His infinite mercy will bestow his blessings commensurate with the suffering and anguish endured by the deceased while here on earth.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of Camp No. 702, Modern Woodmen of America, a copy for publication be forwarded to the bereaved husband.

J. C. SYDNER, A. H. KINGSLEY, Committee.

I. E. McHolland, who died in Portland a few days ago, raised the largest crop of strawberries which the Hood River valley has ever seen. Mr. McHolland was a brother-in-law of the late W. J. Magoon and planted a tract of several acres of the now well known Magoon strawberries before other growers had done more than to commence experimenting with the variety. The writer visited Mr. McHolland's strawberry field when it was in full bearing and saw the pickers securing an average of four boxes of berries to a crate at one picking. Mr. McHolland's berries were picked by Magoon strawberries that year ran over 13,000 pounds per acre, and if the whole field had been equal to the part which yielded four boxes at one picking, his sales would have been much larger. W. K. Newell reports that in his boyhood days his father raised a crop of strawberries on the slope of Mt. Tabor which turned off four to five boxes of berries per vine at one picking. Such crops are worth seeing.—Rural Northwestern.

Encampment Program.

First day of G. A. R. Encampment. Reception of guests June 15 at 8 o'clock p. m. Music by Hood River band.

Presentation of the freedom of the city to G. A. R. guests by Mayor Blowers.

Response by Post Department Commander Gates.

Welcome by Hon. E. L. Smith on behalf of the citizens of Hood River valley.

Response by Department Commander Turner.

Address of welcome by Hon. M. P. Leach on behalf of Canby Post No. 16, G. A. R.

Response by Post Commander Calkins. Welcome address on behalf of the Canby Woman's Relief corps by Mrs. J. W. Rigby.

Response by department president of W. R. C.

Address by Captain J. P. Shaw on behalf of the executive committee.

Address by department president of the Ladies of G. A. R.

The above program will be interspersed with appropriate music. Programs of other days of the entertainment will appear later.

By order of organizing committee. W. P. Hooks, Chairman.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, May 10, 1904.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Geo. T. Prather, U. S. Commissioner at his office at Hood River, Oregon, June 20th, 1904, viz:

WILLIAM H. DAVIS, of Hood River, Oregon, H. E. No. 610, for the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 8, T. 1 N., R. 1 E., W. 2. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Emil D. West, J. H. Rogers, John West, Etileph C. Rogers, all of Hood River, Oregon, June 20th, 1904, viz: MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the County of Clatsop, State of Oregon for Wasco County, in the matter of the estate of John W. Murphy, deceased.

To Charles C. Murphy, W. H. Murphy, Lynn Alta Barnes, William F. Dennis, John Gregg, John Carroll Gregg, Hilda Gregg and Glenn Gregg, all of Clatsop county heirs of John W. Murphy, deceased, if any there be. In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Wasco, at the July term of said Court at the court room thereof at Dalles City in said County on Tuesday the 5th day of July, 1904, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any exist, why an order should not be made as prayed for in the petition of Geo. T. Prather, administrator of the estate of John W. Murphy, deceased, for the sale of the south half of the northeast quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter of section eleven, Township 11 north, Range 10 East, belonging to the estate of said John W. Murphy, deceased, for the purpose of paying charges and expenses of administration and claims against said estate and further to show cause, if any exist, why the Court should not find that said property cannot be divided without probable injury and loss to the estate, and should not order that it be sold as a whole—whether necessary to pay charges and expenses of administration and claims against said estate or not.

Witness the Honorable Geo. C. Blakely, Judge of said County Court with the seal of said court affixed this 2nd day of May A. D. 1904.

Attest: A. E. LAKE, Clerk (State of Oregon), County of Wasco.

I hereby certify that I have carefully compared the foregoing copy with the original thereof, and that the same is full, true and correct copy of said original and of the whole hereof.

W. H. WILSON, Attorney for Adm.

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A. L. KNISELY, Chemist. CORVALLIS, Or., May 18, 1904.

Mf. E. L. Williams, Hood River, Or. DEAR SIR—Your letter and the sample of arsenic have been received.

The arsenic has been examined and I should consider it as being one of the best commercial articles. The analysis shows that the sample contains 99.65 per cent pure arsenic. Probably the small amount not accounted for would be made up mostly by moisture, which was not determined. I should consider the sample as being one of the best. I am, Very truly yours, A. L. KNISELY.

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