

ODELL
RED LETTER DAY
FOR ODELL PEOPLE

By Roswell Shelley.
Odell, East Hood River Valley, Nov. 15.—Last Saturday was a red letter day for Odell. The county teachers' institute brought crowds of people, the county being well represented. There were about fifty teachers present. About 9:30 a. m. tennis began to rain, and by ten o'clock, when the meeting was called to order, every seat in the lower east room was occupied, and people standing. The program was well rendered. Mr. Wiley of Hood River and Mr. Landon of The Dalles were both on the program and acquitted themselves with credit. In the afternoon after a musicale, Rev. D. V. Poling of The Dalles delivered an excellent address on the following subject: "Is Life Worth While." The weather was ideal and the teachers seemed to enjoy the day. All ages and sexes were represented by the teachers, from the blossoming young maiden to the gray haired veteran. My brother, Troy Shelley, seemed to share the honors when it came to gray hairs and years of service. From the view point of the writer there were many charming, capable young women and several men who are worthy of their calling, yet the women predominated in numbers. Among the teachers present we noticed the following gentlemen: Messrs. Wiley and Landon, Thompson, Shelby, Eunis, Brown, Felock, Crouse, and among the ladies we saw Misses Thompson, Heull, Boserman, Wright, Pitney, Cooper, Hendrichs, Deits, Stewart, Huckle, Norman, and a host of others whose names I do not now recall.
At 12 o'clock lunch was served in the upper west room of the building. This part of the program proved an agreeable one, for everybody had a chance to take part. Two long tables were spread with a seating capacity of more than fifty persons. My, my, such a spread. After everybody was filled with good things there still remained enough for many more. About 100 people were fed, and were we to believe the statements of the pedagogues present we would say it was good enough for a king. It was truly a feast where a jolly good time was had. Toasts and responses were indulged in, and altogether it was Odell's big day, and one long to be remembered. The teachers of Odell school are entitled to much credit for the successful planning and carrying out of the free lunch scheme. Miss Thompson and Miss Hull worked exceedingly hard and to their efforts, assisted by the good women of Odell, the lunch was a great big success. The grounds were neat and clean, as was the building, both of which were complimented.
We take pleasure at this time in saying that Odell can now truthfully boast of one of the very nicest school buildings in all the valley, and honesty compels us to say further that we are of the opinion that we have as good a school as can be found in the valley.

Another important event of Saturday was the voting of a 10-mill special road tax for the improvement of our roads. Quite a lot of practical road work has been done this season, the result of which was a stimulus to the voting of a tax. For three years we have been working for good schools and good roads in the valley, and now, having secured a good school with good prospects for good roads, Odell will soon be entitled to a seat in the front row.
And still another matter is worthy of mention. Recently a moral war has swept Odell with the result of a new organized church of sixty members or more. This is the harvest of nearly three weeks' hard work on the part of Rev. Handsaker. We understand that the new church, in connection with the Hood River church, has employed a pastor whose time is to be employed in the work of these churches. Such a membership with united effort will surely leave its impress upon the community, and while not in position to counsel, we beg to commend this work.
Last Friday evening a literary and musical association was organized, which will meet on each Friday evening hereafter. Odell has plenty of talent which if developed will form an interesting chapter in the winter history of Odell. Director W. L. Carney was made president.
Last week our neighbor, Alfred Wood, celebrated his 77th birthday. Mr. Wood is a typical Westerner, having been a California miner in the days of '49. His mind is still bright and his body vigorous, and he bids fair for many happy returns of these milestones that mark the road from the cradle to the grave. The lives of such men enter largely into the history of the state—of Oregon. Mr. Wood is now about completing a comfortable new house, in which he expects to spend his declining years. By an honorable life and frugal living he will have an easy chair for the rest of his days. We wish him all the comfort that this world can give.
On last Wednesday, the 8th inst., the county judge, A. E. Lake, rendered a decision in the will contest, concerning the will of J. W. Black, deceased. In September last the will was contested by Virgil Lohr Black, brother of the deceased, and who resides in Texas. The court by its decision sustained the will, and as executor of the will, we hope that an expensive, disagreeable matter is settled.
The result of the recent elections throughout the East and particularly in Philadelphia, point clearly to the fact that the rascals must go. The machine politician is about to lose his job. We trust that other states and cities will follow suit. With Foulk of Missouri, Weaver of Philadelphia, Jerome of New York, and others who are coming to the front in behalf of their country instead of their party, there is hope of political reform. The rights of the people cannot always be trodden under foot, and the land frauds, political grafts and life insurance companies had best take warning, for when the people become thoroughly aroused something is always doing.
The invincible John Lawson has leased his ranch for three years and is going to California for rest and recreation. John has worked hard, and

Ayer's
Give nature three helps, and nearly every case of consumption will recover. Fresh air, most important of all.
Cherry Pectoral
Nourishing food comes next. Then, a medicine to control the cough and heal the lungs. Ask any good doctor.
Health demands daily action of the bowels. Aid nature with Ayer's Pills.
for Consumption

WINANS CITY
Bright sunny days, fine November weather, dusty roads, wild strawberries in blossom, bees and butterflies on the wing, railroad rapidly nearing completion to the city, when men from the East buying 1-1/2, \$10,000 mountain pleasure resort nearly finished, are some of the doings at Winans City.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Valzy and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Weidrick of Buffalo were recent guests of the City. Mr. Weidrick has invested in business and residence lots, and will immediately build, and stock a general merchandise store, and buy and sell all products of orchard and farm. This enterprise will be gladly welcomed by all, and Mr. Weidrick is now doing busy business. He brings with him his charming family, consisting of wife and four daughters, who will be heartily welcomed by the social circles of the City.
Mrs. Edith T. Weathered of Portland chaperoned a party of six to the City last week, who went with her to her home and family, and spending some time as guests of the City. The party consisted of Mrs. Edith T. Weathered of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Perkins of Massachusetts, who had charge of the Massachusetts state building at the Lewis and Clark fair, Wallace S. Shaw of Canton, Mass., chief advertising agent for Walter Baker Chocolate Co., Mr. Hingley and Miss Helen C. Sun-son of Lincoln, Neb. They were a jolly set of people and will be welcome members of the City's society. Mr. Perkins and Mr. Shaw bought business lot and the other members made selection, to be heard from later.

ONE HOUR SALES
Friday and Saturday, November 17th and 18th

Commencing Friday morning at 9 o'clock and continuing for two days we will hold "One Hour Sales," and offer to the public a large assortment of the latest and most up-to-date merchandise, at prices that can not be duplicated, direct from the factories, even were you to buy them in large quantities. Look the list over carefully and you will realize at once that money can be saved by taking advantage of these "Hour Sales." Practically every article listed below represents a loss to us, but that is a secondary consideration if our efforts will be appreciated, and more permanent customers gained as a result. No goods will be charged on our books at these prices.

Hosiery Sale
Friday and Saturday
9 to 10 a. m.

10c values.....	.07
12 and 15c values.....	.10
20 and 25c values.....	.15
35 and 40c values.....	.25
50 and 65c values.....	.40

Ladies' & Misses' Skirts
Friday and Saturday
2 to 3 p. m.

3.00 and 4.00 values.....	2.25
4.50 and 5.50 values.....	3.00
6.00 and 7.00 values.....	4.00
8.00 and 9.00 values.....	5.00

Underwear Sale
Friday and Saturday
10 to 11 a. m.

MISSES AND CHILDREN

25c value.....	.18
30c value.....	.22
35c value.....	.25
40c value.....	.30
50c value.....	.40
60c value.....	.45
75c value.....	.55

LADIES' GARMENTS

25c values.....	.20
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Infants' & Misses' Cloaks
Friday and Saturday
3 to 4 p. m.

1.25 and 1.50 values.....	.85
2.00 and 2.50 values.....	1.35
3.50 and 4.00 values.....	2.75
5.00 and 5.50 values.....	3.90
6.00 and 7.00 values.....	4.50
8.00 and 9.00 values.....	6.25

Table Linens, Napkins and Oil Cloths
Friday and Saturday
11 a. m. to 12 m.

45c values.....	.37
50c values.....	.38
60c values.....	.48
85c values.....	.63
75c values.....	.58
1.25 values.....	.95

Napkins

1.00 values.....	.70
2.50 values.....	1.95
3.50 values.....	2.85

Oil Cloths

20c values.....	.15
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Ladies' Waists
Friday and Saturday
4 to 5 p. m.

1.00 and 1.25 values.....	.85
1.50 and 1.75 values.....	1.05
2.00 and 2.50 values.....	1.50
3.00 and 3.50 values.....	2.50

Sheetings and Muslins
Friday and Saturday
12 m to 1 p. m.

8-4 bleached sheeting.....	.20
9-4 bleached sheeting.....	.22
9-4 unbleached sheeting.....	.20

Muslins

8c values.....	.06
9c values.....	.07
10c values.....	.08

Embroidery and Laces
Friday and Saturday
1 to 2 p. m.

5 and 6c values.....	.03 1/2
8 and 10c values.....	.06
12 1/2 and 15c values.....	.08
16 and 20c values.....	.11
25 and 30c values.....	.18

Saturday evening we will sell any and all goods advertised at prices quoted in the "Hour Sales."

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Are You in Need
Of a good plaster to draw out that soreness from your chest, limbs or back—a plaster that is strong enough to do the work quickly and well, but which will not draw or blister the skin? If so, we have it.
Our Belladonna and Capsicum Plasters
are a scientific preparation made especially for this purpose. They are easily applied, can be worn any time, day or night, and are guaranteed to be one of the best plasters for coughs, colds, lameness and nervous spinal trouble, that you can get, by
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TIME AND PATIENCE SAVED
—BY GOING TO—
LARAWAY'S
THE NEW JEWELRY STORE
Over forty-five years' experience in our line stands behind our guarantee, that we can give you the best goods and do your work in the most satisfactory manner.
Goods we sell will be engraved free of charge.
We do our own Diamond mounting at home.
No watch so complicated we cannot repair it.
Our long experience, superior equipment and methods of fitting glasses places us on an equality with any house in the large cities. Being a graduate of three colleges, the latter as Doctor of Ophthalmology, we understand the eyes; their defects and their relation to human ills. For headache, nervousness, etc., resulting from eye strain, we invite you to call.
Why not add your name to our list of satisfied customers?
Our motto: **Honest goods at honest prices.**
LARAWAY
Smith Block, Hood River

MOSIER
After having spent the summer in Hood River, Mr. Mosier and family returned on last Thursday to their home in Mosier.
Mr. Hanks, who has had the management of Dr. McCrum's farm, has been superseded by Peter Henningson.
Mr. Bailey, who has been in the milling business in Mosier for some time, has moved his mill machinery to Vancouver, Wash., where he has made a disposal of it.
Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame of The Dalles are in our city attending the protracted meetings which are being held in District No. 3 school house.
Mrs. Rozella Jones and Miss Vera Root have gone to The Dalles, at which place they expect to remain for some time.
Mrs. Pepper and infant daughter were passengers on Thursday's train for Hood River. Mrs. Pepper went to consult medical advice concerning the condition of her child, which has been quite ill for the past three weeks.
Mrs. Geo. Carroll, who has been confined to her bed for the past three months with serious heart trouble, is able to be up once more.
James Carroll shipped a carload of apples on last Wednesday to a North Dakota firm.
Mr. Haack is getting another carload of apples ready for shipment in the near future.
The Davidson Fruit Co. has bought up all the apples in Mosier which are for sale at the present time.
Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McGregor were visitors in Hood River on Saturday.
The Sunday schools of Mosier, having united into one Bible school, are now in a thriving condition and excellent work is being accomplished under the efficient superintendency of G. L. Carroll. Much enthusiasm is being shown by the teachers, and new scholars are coming in from Sunday to Sunday.
Rev. Spight held service on Sunday last in both the morning and evening. The morning service was particularly well adapted to the needs of the churches at large. His discourse took into question the systematic plan in directing the finances of the church—a plan to be highly commended, as we are taught to believe that "order is Heaven's first law." Mrs. Spight accompanied the Rev. Spight on his trip here last Sunday.
After a two months' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wood, Mrs. Decker, accompanied by Mrs. James, left on Tuesday's early train for Oakland, Cal.
WHITE SALMON.
Mr. Chapman, city engineer of Portland, has planned into town lots the railroad station addition to White Salmon, and has put the lots on the market. Mr. Chapman has appointed R. Field his agent to sell them for him. Already twenty lots are spoken for and we expect lots will go very lively the next two weeks. The addition is close by the ferry landing. All indications are that the depot will be there; also there is a movement on foot now to put a cable elevator up the bluff for freight and passengers. Town lots below and up on the flat will move very rapidly now, and White Salmon has a very bright future, indeed.

E. Watson, teacher of the Lock district, went to Stevenson last week for examination before the state board of education, which met at that place.
Mr. and Mrs. Gullor of Trout Lake were in White Salmon last Sun. ay.
It is reported that the electric railroad from Trout Lake is an assured thing now, the citizens of that place having subscribed about \$10,000 as a bonus to the company.
The railroad camp close by the steamboat landing is well established now. Many tools and scrapers have arrived and work will begin at once.
It is reported that Mr. Upright, the right of way man, has made little progress through the strawberry fields.
The following real estate transfers have taken place during the past week: Z. B. Turner sold 120 acres; consideration \$4000. R. Lantz bought five acres for \$1500. J. C. Clarkson 20 acres for \$2000.
There was a surprise party at G. Thomas' last Friday evening, it being the birthday of Mrs. Thomas. Most of their neighbors and friends gathered there and all had a good time until they went to the night.
Mr. Lock is shipping the fine lot of apples he raised on this place, three miles from White Salmon.
G. Rain is putting up a fine new residence in town on the lot he bought of Mr. Chapman.
W. Ferguson has just completed the harvest of his potato crop and cleared his strawberries up for winter and left last week for the logging camp.
Mr. Ward of Oco's addition was in town this week after a load of provisions.
The Ladies' Sewing Circle met at Mrs. Smith's last week.
H. S. Clyds was out at Trout Lake last week surveying the new ditch for irrigation there.
Rev. Gilmore of Hood River was in White Salmon last Sunday. He exchanged pulpits with Rev. Lewis. Mr. Gilmore is a bright, up-to-date speaker, and we enjoyed his sermon very much. Come again, Mr. Gilmore, and we will take you on top of the highest hill to look over the beautiful valley of Hood River.

his house and fixing things up in general.
Grandpa Dodson was home and staid over Sunday with his family last week.
Mrs. W. C. Dodge was visiting her niece, Mrs. Fred Chandler of Crapper for a few days this week.
Thompson and Hansen were down from The Dalles last week looking after their mill property and attending to other business.
There was no meeting of the Dukes Valley literary society last Saturday night on account of sickness and other things. One of the debaters was sick, the musician got his finger mashed, the editor failed to get any items, one had a headache, one the toothache, one had the rheumatism, and we don't know what the rest of them had, but all come out next Saturday night and hear the debates and the paper read and have a good time. You will not regret it.
Roll of honor for Dukes Valley school, for the month ending November 10.
Wilbur Carnahan, James Cook, Tommy Dodge, Chester Dodge, Arlet Dodson, Floyd Dodson, Perry Murphy, Vera Dodge, Meda Murphy, Maud Dodge, Winnie Kessell, Alva Malcomb, Harry Smallwood, May Smallwood. TROY SHELLEY, Teacher.

BARRETT.
The Barrett school will give an entertainment Friday evening, November 17, at 8 o'clock. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the library. Let everybody attend so as to swell the number of library books.
Rockford has just received a large new stock of candy and crackers of the very best quality.
Mrs. P. M. McCreery and two little daughters are now visiting with Mrs. Ingalls at her home on Rockford avenue.
Albert Gibbons, with his brother Frank from Walla Walla left on Wednesday of last week for southern California. Frank's health is rather poor and he expects the climate will help to build him up again.
Ladd & Warrens had a carload of feed and wheat hauled to their ranch last week.
The harvest is past and the summer is ended, the busy time is over, the little chipmunk and the active squirrel have laid away a good store of nuts for winter, the sound of the croaking toad is heard no more in the land; all these in some way or other have made provision for the future, yet man speaks of old age and the next world, and of God. Now if there is a world of happiness after this life of toil, the question naturally forces itself upon us, what preparation have we made for the life to come? We are surely traveling to some place. Have we no definite place in view, or are we traveling in darkness? If all be true of the world to come, it seems to me that we should turn our feet into that path which will lead us into the land of light and not into darkness. The day of separation will surely come, so will Judgment day, and as the shepherd divideth the goats from the sheep, so will the good be separated from the bad.
Would like to say for the benefit of any one that is ruptured that they can be cured by using Dr. Collins' truss. I was ruptured myself on both

the Italian never worked but he wanted his spine straightened as soon as possible so that she could do the work and let him hunt, therefore he dug a good root for her, for that was their great remedy for female weaknesses.
Dr. Pierce uses the same root—called Blue Cohosh—in his "Favorite Prescription," which are chosen because of their excellent shipping qualities. The Manchurian order of apples began coming in the day the peace treaty was signed, showing that the market was ready for the fruit and was only waiting for the resumption of shipping facilities.—Oregon Statesman.
Twelve carloads of Oregon apples will be shipped from Portland to Oriental markets this fall, a larger quantity than the buyers on the other side have ever before taken. The fruit will be distributed between the various ports of Japan, China and Manchuria. Most of the apples are of the Ben Davis variety, which are chosen because of their excellent shipping qualities. The Manchurian order of apples began coming in the day the peace treaty was signed, showing that the market was ready for the fruit and was only waiting for the resumption of shipping facilities.—Oregon Statesman.
Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not only a "patent medicine," but it is the carefully wrought out and thoroughly tested real prescription of a real physician in a real practice. Dr. Pierce's unparalleled success with this remedy was such that more wanted to use it than any doctor could attend to in a private practice. This induced him to manufacture it on a sufficiently liberal scale to meet the demand.
His own special processes, he extracts, combines and preserves the medicinal qualities of the several ingredients without the use of alcohol (using chemically pure glycerine instead, thus rendering it absolutely safe for any woman of any age and in any condition to use freely). The names of the ingredients are: Lady's Slipper root, Black Cohosh root, Unicorn root, Blue Cohosh root and Golden Seal root.
Miss May Rollback, No. 73 Amsterdam Avenue, New York City, Treasurer of the Woman's Progressive Union, writes: "I had headache, backache, and was very nervous; scarcely able to sleep more than two hours at a time. I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and was delighted with the result. Within a week I was sleeping splendidly. Continued using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for eight weeks, and then stopped, for I was perfectly well. Ever since then your medicine has been my Favorite Prescription." See the testimonials to it on every box.
Constipation although a little ill, benefits big ones if neglected. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.