

**CORRESPONDENCE.**  
**ODELL.**

Miss Dora Plughaupt and Mr. C. B. Covert were married Christmas day at the M. E. parsonage in Hood River, Rev. W. C. Evans, officiating. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Covert left for Portland for a short trip after which they will be at home in Odell. Mrs. Covert is well known here this having been her home for a number of years. She is known as one of the best when one is considering the calling of cook or housekeeper and will be a good help mate. Mr. Covert is a stranger here but comes well spoken of. Friends extend congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Ghormley, of Spokane, visited S. J. Ennes and family last week. Mr. Ghormley is a brother of Mrs. Ennes.

Horn—To Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Strang, December 25, a girl.

Frances Toney came home from Portland for a visit with her parent, Prof. and Mr. J. L. Toney. She will remain here during the holiday vacation.

Miss Lurline Fisher is spending the holiday vacation at her home in Mosier.

Mary McCoy came up from Portland Wednesday and will remain with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Eggert until Mrs. Eggert is quite recovered from her illness.

Mrs. McClane, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis, visited her parents a few days last week.

A number of the friends of Rev. Troy Shelley met at his home Friday evening to show their appreciation of Rev. Shelley and his life work for good. It was a complete surprise. The evening was pleasantly spent in conversation, recitations, etc., and a delicious lunch was one of the good parts of the program. All who were there went home feeling glad to have been present.

Those who attended literary Friday night report a fine program. O. S. Ghormley, of Spokane, who has the gift of song, favored the audience with several beautiful vocal and instrumental selections. He also recited and his wife read, for all of which those who were so fortunate as to hear were grateful.

Those who attended the masquerade ball at I. O. O. F. hall at Odell, report a pleasant time and the largest crowd ever.

Mrs. Mae Ehrke went to Portland Saturday and will visit there this week.

**MOUNT HOOD.**

Joe Hess left Saturday for Canby to spend Christmas with relatives.

Miss Mildred Cooper came up from Portland Monday before Christmas to attend the Christmas tree, and visit her sister, Miss Nan Cooper.

Miss Lizzie Cooper is expected home Wednesday to spend her holiday with the home folks.

William Tower, a former citizen of Mount Hood, was married recently to a lady in the East.

There was a school meeting Saturday to levy a tax for carrying on the school. A ten mill tax was carried without a dissenting vote.

There was quite a downpour of rain last week. It was quite hard Thursday morning for the school children to get to school. Some of the boys with rubber boots gallantly carried the little ones over the waters.

Owing to the stormy weather there was not a large attendance at the literary society Thursday night. But there was an interesting meeting held by those who were brave enough to get there. Five new members were voted into the society.

At a meeting held Thursday the telephone company decided to borrow \$1,000 to extend and complete the line, and get in the phones which have been ordered.

James Johnson and family arrived Sunday from Nebraska to spend the winter visiting relatives here. They are at present visiting Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Puddy. There are four brothers of the Johnsons here now, gathered from different quarters of the world. They met for the first time in a long while here, in the forests of Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hess left last Wednesday for Canby near Portland, where they expect to remain for at least a year.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Craft came up on the stage Tuesday last week to attend to affairs on their homestead. They left Thursday to spend Christmas in Sherman county after which they expect to return to Mount Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keeling left Sunday by way of Dee for Stevenson, Wash., to spend Christmas with the Andrews family.

Miss Josephine Biddinger, one of the teachers in the school here, was a passenger on the stage Saturday morning for Portland, where she will spend her two weeks vacation with her brother.

The Grilble family were all together this Christmas except Mrs. James Cooper. Martin came home from school at Corvallis and Raymond

**BARRETT.**

Roswell Shelley, who lately sold out the Little White store, made a short call at the Rockford on Christmas day. We enjoyed his visit, as it is a pleasure to converse with intelligent and well posted men. Call again Brother Shelley.

On Wednesday of last week Charley Gibbons returned home after an absence of several months spent in the lumber camp of Kelsay & Co., down in Douglas county, Ore., Charley tells going one time to Coos Bay, Myrtle Point, Coqualla City, Bendon and other points. Charley says he is very plentiful in that county and that the natives live on deer meat. Well, you are welcome to the suburbs of Rockford.

Miss Maggie Carnes has been visiting with Miss Emma Gibbons for a few days at the home of J. J. Gibbons, the corner of Rockford avenue and Clark street.

We omitted to make mention in our last week's correspondence of the entertainment in the Barrett school house on Friday, December 21. Great credit is due to the teachers for training the children in their parts taken in the entertainment. Quite a number of parents were in attendance.

L. Dart killed the fatted calf last week. It was surely fine, for Rockford got a few pounds, and being English beef eaters, we were able to judge, and our decision is that it was fine.

Andy Battey and wife took dinner on Xmas with Mother Battey in town.

**Advertisement.**

Rockford is now selling rubber foot wear at way down prices and ladies' fine slippers at below cost and the delivery wagon is ready to deliver. By the way, we were called again to the Crapper district to H. D's and I suppose we stirred up the mud a little; of course there is not much mud in that district but rest assured that the Rockford team can go through anything and out the wind a little some times.

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in their bereavement. The child was born on October 30th last.

The first grades of the public school gave an entertainment in their room on Friday afternoon which was highly spoken of by those who attended, but as it was held just at the hour the paper was in press the entire force was busy so we could not have a representative there. The program was somewhat marred by several of the performers being sick, but those present performed very nicely indeed. This room is under the very efficient management of Mrs. Briggs.

Mrs. Lewis returned from her extended visit with her relatives in California Christmas afternoon. She started with the children on Saturday with the expectation of reaching home in time to be with us on Christmas but the trains were badly delayed and so he did not get to Portland until late Monday night and could not catch the evening train. Mr. Lewis met her at the Oregon metropolis Christmas eve and that is why he was absent from the church. Many warm friends are glad to have Mrs. Lewis among us again, as things at the parsonage went rather slow during her absence. Mr. Lewis is also much pleased at her return.

The entertainment at the church on Christmas eve was a grand success in every particular. The absence of Mrs. Lewis marred the proceedings somewhat but Mr. H. S. Clyde filled his place very acceptably. The program was all that could be desired. The recitations by Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. Briggs were especially fine and would have done credit to a town many times the size of White Salmon. The Christmas tree also was a thing of beauty and a joy to the children. It was loaded with presents and all the children present received something. The church was tastefully decorated and the tree prettily lit up. Much of the success of the entertainment was due to the energy and determination of Miss Bunny Biggs and Miss Florence Wilcox, who worked through the rain and waded through the mud to make the affair a success. The young ladies deserve much credit.

**Cured Lumbago.**  
A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with lumbago at different times and tried one physician after another, then different ointments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of sufferers." Sold by Chas. N. Clarke.

**Advertisement Letter List.**  
Advertised letter list for week ending December 31, 1906: Barnes, Miss A.; Douglass, Miss Minnie (2); Meyer, F. C. Mrs.; Morse, Mrs. Samantha; Pendleton, Vera; Schotzman, Miss Laura; Smith, Mrs. Marie; DeLaney, Jesse J.; Dix, H. C.; Fowkes, Henry; Gardner, T. H.; Hermann, James; Howell, C. W.; Jansen, Will; May, Frank; Munn, F. E.; Neeley, Mike; Smith, Otis J.; Swanson, Petos (2).  
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came from Montana.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Kelley and family back to Mount Hood. They arrived Friday from their homestead near Dale, Ore., after a five day's trip by private conveyance stage and train.

Rev. Clark preached here Sunday. He gave us a splendid Christmas sermon.

Mrs. Tom Driver and daughter, Edna, came up today by way of Dee to spend the holidays at the home of D. H. Cooper.

The Christmas tree was well attended and every body was happy. It was a neighborhood affair and nearly everybody got there, in spite of the muddy roads and the rain. An interesting and appropriate program was rendered, consisting mostly of singing, after which Santa Claus appeared and distributed the gifts from the well laden tree, much to the delight of the children. The hall was beautifully decorated and well lighted and the weather outside was forgotten in the enjoyment of the good times inside. All departed at an early hour, happy and well laden.

The dance the evening of the 25th was a great success. There was a large crowd and many maskers. There were many interesting and grotesque characters. The prizes for the best sustained characters were given to Miss Lizzie Davis, representing a Japanese lady, and John Cooper, as Happy Hooligan. After the prizes were given the unmasking took place and the surprises were many. Toward midnight supper was served by J. Vauthier, after which dancing was resumed. The company departed at a late hour, declaring that they had had a very good time.

Miss Nan Cooper and her sister, Mildred, left for The Dalles Friday to spend the rest of the vacation with the home folks.

J. B. Lafferty, of Weiser, Idaho, visited his brother, T. U. Lafferty, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carter spent Xmas on their farm near Hood River.

Mrs. Drivers and daughter, of The Dalles, are visiting old friends at Mount Hood.

Miss Lizzie Cooper made a flying trip home from Clifton, Arizona, where she is teaching school, coming one day and going back the next.

A day and night given at the Mount Hood hall on the night of January 1, 1907. Everyone cordially invited. Numbers, supper included, \$1.25.

The Society of Progressive Thought had an interesting meeting last Thursday night. Four new members "rode the goat". The program committee furnished an interesting program.

Joe Hess returned from Canby, Ore., where he spent Xmas.

James Johnson, from Nebraska, arrived last week to visit Messrs. Puddy and Johnson.

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**WHITE SALMON.**

From the Enterprise.

The White Salmon Valley bank reports business still growing. Deposits on the 20th of the month amounted to \$34,614. They expect to pass the \$35,000 mark by January 1.

During the absence of Mrs. Lewis in California the parsonage has been repaired and renovated so that she had a nice bright home to come back to. It was a complete surprise to her as she was kept in entire ignorance of the improvements going on in her home until then.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Peck died at the home of its parents in Cook's addition Saturday morning and was buried from the White Salmon church Sunday afternoon. Interment was in the city cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Peck have the sympathy of a large circle of friends

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