

# Its an Ill Wind that Blows Nobody Good

The people who own the building we occupy have decided not to build for the present, and have extended our lease, but we have a lot of WINTER GOODS THAT WE'VE GOT TO TURN INTO MONEY, and to do this we realize that we must SACRIFICE PROFITS, and we will offer inducements in Price and Quality, that people who know what goods are worth will appreciate.

In Dress Goods we are offering Special Low Prices, also Overcoats and Suits for men and boys. Look at them, it won't cost anything to look and very little if you buy.

Furs must go. If you want a good fur we will make the price so low that you can't afford to delay buying. The stock is all new and reliable goods. Come in and see them.

Only four Misses' Coats left, two in Brown Beaver sizes 14 and 16 that are worth \$10 of any body's money, will make them \$5.50 each. Two in Blue, sizes 10 and 12 that are worth \$7.35, take them for \$4.50.

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## R. B. Bragg & Co.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

#### ODELL.

Alfred Wood has been very ill, but is now improving. Mr. Wood has been a resident of Odell about 20 years and has seen its growth from a few scattering houses in the forest to the present thickly settled community.

Bills are out announcing the coming entertainment at Odell Improvement Company's hall Friday evening, February 14. D. C. Henry, principal of Odell school, is directing the preparation of the program. The ladies of the Christian Endeavor will serve refreshments.

A. C. Klaus and family left Odell last week expecting to go to Seattle to reside. The little children have left a vacant place that will be hard to fill, as they were of unusually lovable ways and had won the hearts of all who knew them.

Odell basket ball team went to Hood River Saturday evening to play a game with the high school boys in the afternoon and one with Barrett in the evening. The game in the afternoon did not materialize and in the evening the game Odell vs. Barrett resulted in a score of 15 to 13 in favor of Odell. This was the third game of Odell vs. Barrett, Odell winning two of the three games.

We notice in last week's Glacier the Mt. Hood correspondent thinks they have the Odell basket ball boys scored out. We talk to see why our boys should be in the least afraid, their record for games won being taken into consideration. We rather suspect it may be as we once knew when members of two neighborhoods were engaged in a friendly trial of skill. The one party of contestants came to the place selected shouting as if victorious, but alas, after the contest they were dumb. They had no need for a yell. They had been beaten. Boys, let's have the game, then let him who may laugh.

Mr. Wood, of Mosier, visited his brother, Alfred Wood, of Odell, several days last week.

Odell was so fortunate as to be enabled to listen to two splendid sermons Sunday morning and evening. Rev. Ashley Cash, of Hood River, having been secured for this day. Rev. Cash sang a solo at each service and also met with the choir in the afternoon and assisted them in a manner that was appreciated. It is to be hoped that Odell's days of one sermon a month are over and that we may soon point to our church service with pride, that every Sabbath may witness one or more preaching services. Our home Sunday school and Christian Endeavor are good as far as

they go, but let us bring some one outside our little community to teach us and to help us, and let us not quibble over the little differences of name or creed, but remember that all Christians should be working for one result and unite in bringing Odell to the position to which she is entitled.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coe and little son came out from Hood River Sunday for a few days' visit with Mr. Coe's sister, Mrs. G. E. Bowerman, and her family.

F. E. Strang is selling his team and other personal property, preparatory to moving to his new home near Central Point, Oregon.

Iva and Violet Masiker came out from Hood River Sunday via Mt. Hood railroad, attended Sunday school and church, dined with Mrs. Wm. Kemp and returned to Hood River on the afternoon train. Iva is employed in W. D. Rogers' studio at Hood River and Violet is one of the popular clerks at the Paris Fair.

E. T. Folts has been unable as yet to secure a suitable home for himself and family. At no time is it a simple matter to find a house for rent anywhere in the vicinity of Odell. This is as it should be and speaks well for the valley in general and Odell in particular.

A good Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening with Marie Lockman as leader. Marie Lockman and Gertrude Crosby were elected delegates and Dana Kemp alternate to represent Odell Christian Endeavor Society at the Christian Endeavor State Convention to be held in Eugene February 20 to 23.

Mrs. Emma Galloway, of McMinnville, Oregon, will visit Hazel Rebekah Lodge No. 156, I. O. O. F., Monday evening, February 24. Mrs. Galloway is president of the Rebekah Assembly I. O. O. F., of Oregon, and our lodge will naturally receive much benefit from her visit.

Mrs. Reed, of Menominee, visited her brother, G. E. Bowerman, and his family several days last week.

O. L. Walter was a Portland visitor last week. He went down for a visit with his brother, George, who is in Portland for medical treatment. Your correspondent knows where there is one of the neatest little homes, accomplished, comfortable and—but this is not a matrimonial advertising bureau, so she won't tell another word.

Remember the entertainment and supper next Friday night. Come prepared to laugh and you will not be disappointed. There is but one way to find out about the evening's program and that is to go and listen. Proceeds to go to the horse shed fund.

Little Laura Folts, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Folts, was taken to the Cottage hospital Monday and it is feared she suffers

from appendicitis. We hope such may not be the case and that she may rapidly regain health.

#### MOSIER.

Miss Selma Vickers returned to her home in The Dalles, after a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. Dick Evans.

T. R. Evans, of Troutdale, has purchased a ten-acre tract of land formerly owned by Mr. Dundas.

Mr. Littlepage, of Graham, Ore., being so favorably impressed with our pretty country, has purchased a tract of the Dundas farm.

One of our oldest settlers of Mosier and a native by the name Jimmie is enjoying a visit from an older sister of hers. The age of these Indians is not known exactly, but it is over a hundred.

Horn, to the wife of Sam Emmett, a girl. We hope this babe may live as long as her great grandmother, Jimmie.

Mr. Miller, of Portland, has bought a ten-acre tract of land of the Dundas farm.

Mr. Norman, of Westmore Valley, Wash., having been much impressed with the country, purchased a 5-acre tract of land.

W. A. Dimmick, of Vancouver, was up looking after his interests here last week. He was accompanied by a friend.

George Chamberlain, our prosperous real estate man, made a trip to Portland last week.

Rev. W. A. Wood, pastor of the Christian church of Hood River, has been delivering some very interesting sermons during the past week and expects to continue during the coming week.

Miss Evelyn Hayes went to The Dalles Saturday to spend Sunday with her mother.

Messrs. Gordie Graham and Ira Evans made a trip to The Dalles Friday.

Messrs. Roy Thomas and Ernest Evans were Hood River visitors Friday.

Mrs. G. H. Rorden and son, Carl, who have been making a visit with her parents, left for Hood River, where they expect to make their home.

Mr. Kruss, who has been in our community for some time sketching for the R. R. Co., left for Portland.

Rev. Brown, of Cascade Locks, delivered a very interesting sermon Sunday morning. He expects to be with us again the second Sunday of March.

Stanley Eastman, of Iowa, has bought the front 100 acres of the Stoneham farm, four miles east of town.

Mr. French, of Portland, accompanied by two friends, were up looking over the farm owned by Mr. Huston.

Miss Parrish made a trip to The Dalles Saturday.

Messrs. Geo. Ireland and W. E. Huskey were Dalles passengers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of the Dalles, made a short visit with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McClure.

Mr. French has taken the management of the farm.

Mr. Ormsby, of The Dalles Chronicle, was in our town Wednesday shaking hands with old friends.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Miss Bertha Godbresson, at The Dalles.

J. P. Bailey was taken to The Dalles hospital, where he expects to undergo an operation in a few days.

Mrs. J. M. Denny died at her home Monday morning at 2 o'clock.

#### BARRETT.

W. T. Gardner, superintendent of the Boys' and Girls' Home in Portland, was in our neighborhood on Saturday of last week and made a contract with Messrs. Dean Wellhart and Miner for the clearing and plowing of his ten-acre tract on the Rockford avenue. More improvement for this district.

Dr. Wright has had several hundred boxes of apples packed and shipped to Portland during the past two weeks. Big Charley has superintended and done them up in good shape.

There are a few delinquent water taxes and the sale of land is already announced by the collector to take place this week.

One man is so enthusiastic over the telephone that he actually forgot the number of his own phone and reported himself in town when he was actually four miles out of town, but we suppose by the time he has recovered his money and found the telephone number.

We noticed in the News-Letter an item setting forth that the Rockford men had secured a half interest in the business. Well, we state right here now that the statement was not true and it would be well for Mr. News-Letter editor to investigate before he publishes such items. The man would only have a skin milk job in taking part in the Rockford business—would be more likely to sell out than to sell an interest.

We suppose our road supervisor, B. P. Eastman, is going to move the earth in a few days, having secured a large quantity of dynamite, caps and fuzes and some men, picks and shovels for the road work. Well, B. F. is just the man to move the dirt and rocks when he gets at it.

K. Dieck and wife were up from Portland spending a few days with their rustic home lately built on a 2-acre tract purchased from F. W. Angus.

#### MOUNT HOOD.

Mrs. D. R. Cooper returned home last Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with her son, J. T. Cooper, at The Dalles.

Miss Lottie Jones came up from Hood River Sunday and spent the day with the home folks.

Roy Hen-on went to The Dalles last Sunday, whither he was summoned on jury duty.

James Davidson spent a few days at Mt. Hood this week, returning Thursday to Skamokawa, where he has been working this winter.

Walter Gribble went to The Dalles Saturday to visit his sister, Mrs. J. T. Cooper.

Our new road supervisor, E. L. Good, began work on the new Neal creek road last Monday.

A Christian Endeavor Society was organized at the church last Sunday evening. The full quota of officers were elected and committees appointed to carry on active Endeavor work.

We are glad to learn that R. B. Morton and family are going to stay in Mt. Hood settlement. Mr. Morton has bought ten acres from Mr. Puddy and is at work getting clearing done, so that they can occupy the place as soon as possible.

The meeting of the grange last Friday night was an interesting one. The debate was postponed, but there were so many candidates to initiate that the evening was well taken up. The matter of improving the cemetery was taken up and in consequence as many of the men as could go went Monday and worked at clearing and making more attractive the little cemetery of the settlement.

#### BINGEN.

"On the Columbia."

Mr. Stottle sold his valuable lot last week to Harris Wetherell and expects to go farther west.

The P. & S. depot is located right in front of Bingen and will be named Bingen. The Jap tank house is down in front of Joslyn. The electric light plant and Buck creek water works are up on the hill.

Harris Wetherell has moved up from Stevenson and has joined the bunch of Bingen boosters.

Penn Conser, who has held the barber shop down for the past three months, has left for Hoquiam, Wash., where he has a better position awaiting him. Good luck to Penn.

Mrs. R. A. Page has gone to The Dalles sanitarium, where she had a very painful operation performed under the care of Dr. Belandouffer.

Isn't it funny we have no real estate office here and men here every

day looking for some kind of report and the man who runs the town is too busy to show them around.

The way J. E. Reynolds is leading up farm wages with feed and groceries looks like the people will come to the railroad to trade. While the railroad is not doing any business yet, Mr. Reynolds is.

Melvin Wetherell took a trip to Carson and we don't know what he did, but hope he had a good time.

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#### DUKES VALLEY.

We are having fine weather again and everybody is busy.

We were sorry to hear that our teacher, Miss Hilda Hinrichs, will have to give up her school the last of February. She has given us good service as a teacher and we would like very much to have her finish the school.

T. A. Boles and family were visiting relatives in the valley last Sunday.

Harry Whisler made a flying trip to The Dalles the first of the week.

J. E. Whisler loaded a car of wood last week at the Dukes Valley sawmill.

L. E. Roberts got word from the Columbia Lumber Company at The Dalles that they had bought a mill saw mill at Mosier and they would see about 175,000 feet of cut lumber this spring. Mr. Roberts will take the money and go to Mosier to buy the mill.

#### CRAPPER.

Your correspondent has been apt of commission for several weeks. First on account of a severe attack of neuralgia and later he had a gripe.

F. W. Angus went to Portland on Monday of this week.

Miss Myrtle Learning, of Portland, is visiting with Miss Freida Prege.

Mrs. W. C. Martin is on the sick list.

S. M. Lambin is pruning apple trees for P. H. Martin.

The Oak Grove Hall Association commenced work on a hall near the school house on Monday of this week. It will be 26x30 feet, the walls to be 24 feet in height. Who says that Crapper is not on a boom?

Alton Canning and Fred Taylor opened their stump puller on K. D. Martin's ranch several days recently.

Mrs. Prege reported to home folks that she and her son, Louis, arrived at San Bernardino, Cal., all right.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Hurrett, former Crapperites, report that they are as happy as big sun flowers in their new home in Marshfield Oregon.

Alex McKelvey, who spent several weeks in Hood River recently, writes that he experienced 23 degrees below zero weather after reaching his home at Carson Falls, Minn.

Six new pupils have entered the school within the last two weeks.

The chief-squop is quite prevalent in this neighborhood at present.

The Ladies' Aid Society had a business meeting and tea at the home of Mrs. E. E. Lyons on Thursday afternoon of last week. They had a very enjoyable time.

A gripe and gripping quite a considerable of the Crapperites at the present time.

#### WHITE SALMON.

From the Enterprise.

The north wing to the east pier of the new railway bridge across the White Salmon river collapsed this morning. The pier was very poorly constructed and the concrete was of an inferior quality. The bridge would always have been dangerous and it is better to have it fall at this time than at some future date when it might cost great loss of life. This accident will delay the completion of the bridge several weeks and will cost the railroad company several thousands of dollars.

A committee appointed by the White Salmon Commercial Club is today engaged in surveying a route for a wagon road between White Salmon and Joslyn. If this road is put through it will greatly shorten the distance between the depot and the town.

Booth & Co., of Hood River, have opened up a branch store in White Salmon in the Lanterback building on Main street. They have a fine stock of goods on display and we bespeak for them a fair share of the patronage of our people.

For bargains in real estate see Roswell Shelley, Carson, Wash.

MOSIER Fruit Lands. In large or small tracts. Some very good land at low prices at present. Good growing community. Six miles east of Hood River. Also homesteads and relinquishments. Parties wishing to buy will do well to write or see GEO. CHAMBERLAIN Mosier, Oregon.

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