

CORRESPONDENCE

ODELL.

One day last week W. A. Lockman and son Austin were clearing out the chimney at their home. Mr. Lockman standing on the ladder that rested on the ground while Austin was on a ladder on the roof and held in place by his father. The lower ladder slipped and Austin's wrist was severely sprained and both he and his father were bruised and shaken by the fall, but altogether they were fortunate in not sustaining more serious injuries.

One of the Zeller brothers was struck by the sweep of the stump puller which he was operating on their forty acre tract last week and received injuries so serious as to confine him to his bed for a time.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Puchas was ill a few days last week and Dr. Shaw was called. At the last accounts the little boy was improving.

J. J. Krumenacher's house is in process of construction, the foundation having been completed and the frame is now being raised.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Klemer arrived last week and have since been receiving congratulations of their Odell friends.

Last Friday was A. J. Friedley's last day as carrier on the R. F. D. No. 1 and the patrons will not hear the jolly greeting he always had ready for those who appreciated faithful service. Our new carrier is performing the trying duties of his position in a highly satisfactory manner so far as your correspondent has been informed.

A. H. Manley of Portland was up Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Sarah E. Touney. Frances Touney returned to Portland with Mr. Manley and she will attend school in that city. Mr. Manley and the late J. L. Touney were cousins.

Mrs. Father A. Covill, formerly of Burlington, Kansas, left none of Tacoma, Wash., came Saturday for a short visit with the family of L. A. E. Clark. Mrs. Covill expressed herself as well pleased with our valley and its beauty, as well as with its prospects in a business way.

Lee Strong of Newport, Oregon, was here Sunday on a visit with the home folk. Lee is in business at Newport and friends here join in wishing him success.

Mrs. Murphy spoke to the people of Odell Sunday evening. She was here in the interest of a fund for building a home for working girls in the city.

W. A. Lockman and L. A. E. Clark went to Carson, Wash., and L. A. E. Clark returned on a business visit.

O. L. Walter was called to The Dalles last week by the death of his brother George.

After an illness of several months duration during which every known means of staying the progress of that dread disease—consumption—was tried but without avail, George Walter died at his home about nine miles from The Dalles the night of Monday, September 7th. George had passed his twenty-first birthday and was a young man of unusual promise and his untimely death causes great sorrow where he was known and loved for his many good qualities. As he had attended school at Odell several terms he was one of Odell's boys and his loss is keenly felt. To the parents and brothers we extend sincerest sympathy in this their time of great grief.

MOUNT HOOD.

Misses Nan and Mildred Cooper left last week for an extended visit with their parents in The Dalles. We are very sorry to have them leave Mt. Hood.

Mr. Hobart is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. S. Gribble. We are glad to learn of Miss Alda Puddy's return home last week.

Joe Hoss returned Wednesday from The Dalles.

Miss Battle Cooper left Saturday to attend the state normal school at Monmouth. She was accompanied by her sister, Lizzie, who will return in a few days.

Zora Puddy and Donnell Larwood left Saturday to attend school at the

Presbyterian academy at Pendleton. Our young people must receive higher education, but we miss them at home. The box social at Mr. Candy's was a complete success. All report a good time. The receipts were over \$20.

The lecture, "Twentieth Century Woman's Buildings," by Mrs. Murphy, was well attended and appreciated. She represents a great cause.

Mrs. Larwood and daughter, Helen, have returned from Portland, where Miss Helen has been receiving medical treatment. We are glad to know Helen's health is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have moved to Texas, where they expect to make their future home.

Work on W. S. Gribble's house was begun Friday and Lou Baldwin will soon have his beautiful home built.

CRAPPER.

Married, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. B. Hunt, Mr. William A. Miller and Miss Leona E. Hunt, by Rev. Mr. Titus of Springfield, Oregon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hunt, Mr. Joe Hunt, Misses Lena Meyer, Bertha Hunt and Irma Miller and Messrs. Ashly and Ivan Miller, Mr. B. Hunt and Misses Grace and Jennie Hunt. After refreshments the happy couple left for Portland and points in Washington for a short trip. After their return they will be at home to their friends in their new house at Pole Flat. The worthy couple are well known and highly respected young Crapperites and start in life enjoying the best wishes of all who know them.

W. J. L. Kelsch made his first trip as carrier on R. F. D. No. 2 on Friday last week.

Edgar Hunt, who had typhoid fever, has suffered a relapse. It is reported that Ed Hunt has the walking typhoid fever but is convalescent.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hooker on September 13 and left a wee lassie to add to the joy and happiness of the family.

I. A. Vansandale and family went to Missouri on a visit a few weeks ago and in a letter of recent date, Mrs. Vansandale states that Tom has a light attack of typhoid fever.

Rev. Mr. Titus, of Springfield, Oregon, preached at the Oak Grove hall on last Sunday afternoon.

G. A. McCurdy and P. H. Martin made a trip to the East side of the valley on last Sunday.

Rev. Charles Sherman preached in the hall on Sunday evening.

FRANKTON.

School opened August 3 with an enrollment of 110 pupils, which exceeds last year's enrollment. The teachers are Prof. Stubbs, principal, Miss Vanette, Assistant; Miss Bush, intermediate; Miss Clapp, primary; Miss Merrill, Menominee.

The burning of the Menominee mill almost depleted the attendance of the Menominee school this year. There is an enrollment of eight there thus far.

Frankton is preparing to play basketball this year, both boys and girls are organizing teams. The Student Body election was held September 14; results will be published next week.

Frankton has the largest eighth grade class they have had in several years and they are planning to do some good work this term.—Student.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe, easy, pleasant, sure, little river pills. Sold by Keir & Cass.

WHITE SALMON.

White Salmon. R. E. Ware reports that he found a Yellow Newtown apple in perfect condition last week in an open house on the Headley ranch.

The apple was picked in the fall of 1907, and shows how White Salmon apples will keep without cold storage. Mrs. Wilson, of Cook's addition, has an apple tree that was set out last spring and now has a nice well developed apple on it. The tree is too small to bear the weight of the apple, but Mrs. Wilson let it stay to see if it would mature.

W. B. Ramsey sold his ranch to a man by the name of Abbott, of Hood River, consideration, \$3,100. Mr. Abbott has since sold 20 acres for \$30

per acre, which goes to show that Hood River people know good land when they see it.

Mr. Harton, while out hunting with his little boy the first of the week, accidentally shot the boy with No. 7 shot. Twenty-seven shot entered the body but the little fellow is doing nicely and will soon be all right again.

A. S. Gregg stole a march on many friends last Wednesday and proceeded out to Mrs. Wilson's home in Cook's addition with Rev. Tate, who joined him and Miss Lotta Wilson in the holy bonds of matrimony. They took the boat for Portland and the seaside, where they will spend a week before returning.

A train load of salmon passed over the North Bank railroad this week en route to Chicago and New York. This train contained forty cars with 450,000 cases of salmon.

H. N. C. Rhin and wife and John Harper came in from Missouri this week and will make their home here. We are glad to welcome them to our midst.

Friday afternoon the pupils of the high school organized a literary society. The following officers were elected: President, W. Woodport; secretary, Clara Sampson; treasurer, Emma Balsiger. The society expects to have a name soon.

Little Earl Dean played too far away from home Saturday morning and was lost for half an hour. The whole town joined in the hunt till he was found.

Some of the stockholders of the Maine water system met and chose A. B. Groshong for temporary manager.

*Mrs. Edw. Hunt, of Hood River, spent several days last week visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hall, of this city.

The people of White Salmon have bought the Maine water system and will form a stock company in the near future.

According to unofficial count the following candidates were nominated in this county on the Republican ticket: Senator, W. L. Jones; representative, Kuyper; assessor, Bunnell; clerk, Hornbrook; commissioner, Breckinridge; Morgan; surveyor, Richardson; auditor, Gunning.

BARRETT.

F. Fenswick came up from Portland and is staying on his ranch with his family for a few days.

We hear Lee Morse has been appointed road supervisor by the county commissioners in place of Mr. Woodworth who has resigned. Lee will make a good supervisor.

Be on the lookout for a notice which will shortly be made announcing a special sale of mens', womens' and childrens' shoes at Rockford store. This will be a genuine sale as we have to make room for a new line of shoes.

We wish to congratulate B. F. Eastman, our road supervisor, upon the most excellent work done in this district. The main road has been put in fine shape for the winter.

BINGEN.

C. M. Douglas, of Hosum, was in Bingen Tuesday. There is an option on his large ranch which he has for sale, and there is every indication that the 480 acres will soon change hands.

Mrs. E. M. Drows, of Portland, visited here Sunday and Monday. They brought their little grandson, Charlie, with them, who several months ago was kicked in the forehead by a horse. The little fellow has an ugly scar, but his recovery seems permanent.

John Peterson, of Trout Lake, brought about two tons of cheese to the dock on Wednesday for shipment. This happens about once in two weeks but it is now probable that the Trout Lake Co-operative Creamery Co. will send butter instead of cheese.

The primary election at our town of Bingen last Tuesday passed off very

quietly. The offices elected were as follows: Theo. Sukdorf, justice of the peace; John Terry, constable; and J. A. Henderson, precinct committeeman.

As we go to press we learn that an error of 32 votes in favor of Richardson for surveyor had been made in White Salmon. There is very close race between Richardson and Borden.

The county tridge over the track near Joslyn was commenced last Monday.

This townsite in all probability will be abandoned shortly.

Meade and A. R. Byrket, H. Clay Eversole and Geo. Coleman went to Hosum Friday, where they will stay a week at the Carter hotel.

The funeral of the infant twin of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman took place Wednesday the interment was in Good Will cemetery.

Low Rates for Fruit Fair.

Chas. T. Early, chairman of the transportation committee of the Hood River Fruit Fair, has received word from Wm. McMurray, general passenger agent of the O. R. & N. railroad, that rates of fare and one third will be put in effect for the fair from all points reached by that road in Oregon.

October 17 has been selected by the fair association as Portland day and on that date round trip tickets will be sold at the rate of one fare. The cheap rate made by the railroad for visitors from Portland is expected to insure a good attendance from that city.

Bourne Returns to Oregon.

After an absence from Oregon of over two years United States Senator Jonathan Bourne, Jr., returned to Portland last Friday to remain until after the November election. The senator was accompanied by Mrs. Bourne and drove immediately to their residence on Seventh street.

Sensor Bourne was met at the depot by a small delegation of friends, consisting of Thomas McCusker, A. W.

Orton, state representative-elect; Major J. P. Kennedy, chairman of the Republican county central committee; W. E. Williamson, chairman second district congressional committee; Surveyor-General G. A. Westgate, N. J. Sinnott, state senator elect from Wasco county, and Frederick V. Holman.

Apple Crop for 12 Years.

The following figures are those of the United States department of agriculture and show the decrease in the apple production of this country during the 12 years ending 1907:

1895, 60,510,000 barrels; 1896, 60,070,000; 1897, 41,530,000; 1898, 28,570,000; 1899, 37,500,000; 1900, 47,960,000; 1901, 26,970,000; 1902, 47,625,000; 1903, 450,000,000; 1904, 45,300,000; 1905, 23,500,000; 1906, 26,130,000; 1907, 25,000,000.

Found Not Guilty.

Geo. Bauer, an Austrian, was arrested Thursday by Deputy Sheriff Morse near The Dalles, charged with the theft of a watch last winter in the lodging house of the East End saloon. The complainant was John Dark.

Bauer was given a hearing Friday before Justice Buck, but the evidence failed to substantiate the charge the and he was discharged. Bauer was represented by Attorney A. A. Jayne and A. J. Derby and District Attorney Fred Wilson prosecuted the case.

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