

ODELL.

Mr. Pierce and family who have occupied the Davies & Lehrkind property, left last week for Eugene, where they will reside.

Mrs. P. A. Reed, of Ruthton, visited at the home of her brother, G. E. Bowerman, from Friday until Sunday.

The first basketball team of the Athletic Club of Odell played two games last week, one on Wednesday evening in Hood River with the Collegiates, of Hood River, and one on Friday evening with a team from The Dalles. In both games Odell was defeated, the first game resulting in a score of 22 to 27 and the second 23 to 29. Both games were so close as to be very interesting. This week, Wednesday, the Collegiates of Hood River played Odell in the gymnasium at Odell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crosby expect their son, Don, home soon. Don has spent the past two and a half years in the Philippine Islands and now his term of enlistment in the United States Army has expired and he is coming home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Bowerman went to Hood River Sunday for a short visit with Eleanor Coe, of Camas, Washington; Miss Coe having come up Friday night for a visit with her father, G. F. Coe, who is ill.

Quite a number of school friends were invited by Master Claude Davidson to a Washington Birthday party at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Davidson last Thursday afternoon. The rooms were decorated with American flags. Games were provided, also dainty refreshments; and all present enjoyed every moment of the afternoon.

Mark Cameron has installed an electric pumping plant for supplying water in his residence.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mansse and son arrived home last week from an extended visit with relatives in Wisconsin. They are glad to return to Hood River Valley and its seasons which have not such extremes of temperature as are to be found elsewhere.

Miss Lilla Barker, of Hood River, has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Ash.

After an extended visit with relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crosby, Miss Mae Peterson returned last week to her home at Buxton, Ore.

Violet Masiker returned last week from an extended visit with relatives at Grants Pass, Ore.

Brown & Gardner, the blacksmiths, are now at home in tents in the tent village on the P. T. Shelley tract.

T. A. Boles and family are at home in the Walter Bradley house recently occupied by Brown & Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sheirbon returned this week from Portland, where they have been spending the winter.

R. Lee Black and his sons, who have occupied Mr. Sheirbon's house during his absence, will be at home in tents in what is known as "The Park."

More houses for rent are needed in Odell—the demand exceeds the supply.

Delpha Neal and Ruth Young invited their school friends to a party at the home of Delpha Neal's parents last Saturday afternoon in honor of their birthdays. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by those who attended.

The Boys' Intermediate, Girls' Intermediate, and Junior Classes of the Methodist Sunday School are preparing for an entertainment to be given on Friday evening, March 8. The program will consist of songs, a drill, recitations, also "Dr. Cure-all" and "The Hebeasall" and will prove both amusing and entertaining. A small admission fee will be asked. Full announcement next week.

Harold Sexton, of the Basketball team from The Dalles, remained over Friday night for a visit with his friend, Tom Cameron.

CENTRAL VALE

Gertrude and Bernice Hanson left Sunday for Eugene, where they will attend school.

There was no service at the Methodist church last Sunday evening, the pastor remaining at Pine Grove where he is conducting a series of meetings.

Sunday School next Sunday at 10 a. m. There will be good music, good teachers, and interesting lessons.

Rev. Troy Shelley spoke at the Union church last month on "The New Life." Next Sunday morning, his theme will be "The Old Death," at 11:30 a. m.

Miss Gertrude Hansen left Sunday for Eugene, where she will make an extended visit.

Mrs. Kingwell, of Eugene, spent last week with Mrs. Hansen.

Miss Ruth Clark spent Sunday with Mrs. Paul Hansen Saturday night.

The card club met with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hansen Saturday night.

Miss Bessie Johnson spent two days last week with her sister, Mrs. Joe Vannier, of Pine Grove.

The Misses Bessie and Della Cameron and Roxie and Lexie Roles have discontinued their school work.

W. A. Durham's father, of Eastern Oregon, is visiting W. A. Durham.

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A few of the young people met at the home of Mary Sheppard Saturday evening to bid farewell to Gertrude Hansen.

W. D. Linsley and family who came to Central Vale last fall, left Sunday for their home in Portland to be near medical attention for Gilbert, their small son, who was thought to have typhoid fever.

Miss Laura Turner and friend, of Hood River, was visiting in the valley Sunday.

A crowd of prospective buyers were looking at the B. Wirth ranch now owned by W. E. Vaughn.

PINE GROVE.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Mark Friday afternoon of this week.

There are being held revival meetings which will continue for several days. Regular services next Sunday at the church.

Gertrude Johnson, who has been in Portland for several weeks, returned home Sunday morning.

Edna Jones, who was operated upon for appendicitis, is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cameron, of Odell, visited at the Jarvis home Sunday.

Mr. Austin and family left for Underwood last week where they expect to make their future home.

Gene Lewis, a member of the Hood River High School basketball team, went to Portland Thursday in the interests of the game, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Stevenson went to Portland Saturday.

Mrs. Barrett, formerly of Belmont, is now a resident of Pine Grove. She was warmly greeted by old friends last Sunday at church.

Last Saturday evening was the scene of much merry making when the beautiful new home of August Paasch threw open its doors to a large number of young people, the occasion being the twenty-first birthday anniversary of Hugo Paasch. Unlike most surprise parties, the victim was really surprised, although he said he "suspected." The evening was spent with merry games and songs and after partaking of the bountiful supper which the young man's sisters had prepared, congratulations were showered on Mr. and Mrs. Paasch for their fine home and the young ladies as entertainers—and last but not least of Hugo in honor of his birthday.

Temperance Sunday in connection with Frances E. Willard Memorial Day was observed last Sunday morning. Much appreciation was felt by the W. C. T. U. for the help they received in recitations, singing and chorus selections from Miss Willard, which were read by persons in the audience. Mrs. Amy Gove, principal of the school, gave a fine recitation which was immensely enjoyed by all. All those who recited are promising speakers and gave good satisfaction. Rev. Carson had charge of the program.

MOSIER.

Mrs. David Robinson returned home Tuesday from The Dalles.

Mrs. Pierce, of Baker, Oregon, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Thos. King.

The members of the Ladies' Aid gave a farewell party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. H. G. Kibbee in honor of Mrs. George Haack, who expects to leave soon for Portland. The ladies presented Mrs. Haack with a beautiful crocheted center-piece, which came from London, England. Ice cream and cakes were served. The gathering was a complete surprise to the lady in whose honor it was given, thus making it the more enjoyable.

Owing to the caring of a small tunnel on the North Bank railroad the first of the week the trains were transferred to the Oregon side of the river for a few days.

E. J. Middleswart went to The Dalles Tuesday evening to attend a lecture.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Snyder went to Hood River Tuesday afternoon.

G. F. Morden has been confined to the house for the past couple weeks with a badly sprained ankle.

J. M. Davis, of Walla Walla, manager of the Tum-A-Lum lumber yards, spent a few days in Mosier this week.

Mrs. C. Ruseher was called to The Dalles Wednesday to see her little grandchild, who has fallen from a horse and suffered a broken arm.

Mrs. Sarah McVey came from The Dalles Wednesday afternoon and will remain here for a while, having secured rooms at Mr. Hudson's for housekeeping.

A number of small tracts of land are being cleared this spring, as well as a few larger ones in different parts of the valley.

The basketball game Thursday evening was quite interesting being almost an even battle. The score at the finish was 18 to 15 in favor of Mosier. The Hood River team returned home immediately after the game.

Mrs. Helen Decker and little daughter arrived Thursday morning from Oakland, Cal., to see her mother, Mrs. Geo. Wood, who is still very ill although much improved.

FRANKTON.

Dan Malner had a tumor removed from his ear Saturday. His ear has troubled him for the past two years.

The Misses Lena Baker and Alma Absten visited at the home of F. M. Slavens, in Hood River, Sunday.

Mrs. George Stokoe and daughter, Vivian, of Wyeth, have been guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Noble, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCusker, of Ruthton, entertained a number of their friends Friday evening after a merry evening. Light refreshments were served.

The Washington birthday program rendered by the Frankton school Friday was splendid. A large crowd, consisting of parents, the Columbia school and County School Supt. Thompson, were present to hear the program.

WHITE SALMON.

A session of the Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F. will be held in their hall in White Salmon, at 2:30 p. m., on March 6, at which time any Past Grand in this jurisdiction may take the Grand Lodge degree, which they are entitled to without charges.

The big winds of recent nights broke off large branches along the route of the wire of the Pacific Power & Light Co. and deprived the town of light service for day and a half. With a line running through the trees there is bound to be frequent breaking of the wires and the town thrown into darkness and users of motors driven to curs words. On Locke hill the road was blocked for a time by big trees having fallen across the highway.

Two gold-crowned human teeth were found in the gizzard of a hen belonging to Chas. Premo, living on the heights northwest of this place. As the Premo family all have sound teeth the only way in which the gold in the gizzard of the pullet can be accounted for is that the sweepings from the workroom of a dentist became part of the stock of the crushed bone-supply house for poultry. Another theory is that they may be the property of a man who had such or these teeth knocked out while at work on a thrashing machine east of Bickleton and came with the screenings which Premo recently bought for chicken feed.

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