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The percentage of the food digested is shown as follows:

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67 Per Cent. Digested

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ODELL

Mrs. E. G. Hagey went to The Dalles last Thursday for a short visit with relatives. She met Mr. Hagey, who was returning home from a four-months' stay near Wasco, and they came home Friday.

Twenty-seven local Odd Fellows attended the district convention in The Dalles last week.

Mrs. Elmer Chapman went to Corvallis last Thursday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Prather and daughter, Lulu, expect to leave soon for California where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. C. C. Chapman returned last week from a visit with her parents at Olex and Mr. Chapman's parents in Fossil, Ore.

Miss Susie Crapson, formerly a teacher in the Odell school but now of Rowena, Ore., spent Sunday here, the guest of Miss Rush.

Miss Irene Fisher and Master Laddie Fisher, of Mosier, came down Sunday for a short visit with their grand-

mother, Mrs. Matilda Wood, and their uncle, Clinton Wood.

Abe Ensminger returns this week from a several months' stay in Pennsylvania.

Guy F. Smith went to Portland Friday for a visit with relatives. He will attend the apple show.

Chas. Gunn is again with Conaway Mercantile Co. Mr. Gunn has the qualifications necessary for a good salesman and he has also the advantage of former experience along this line and is a valuable man for any firm.

A meeting will be held in the school house Saturday afternoon, November 30, for the purpose of voting a tax for the maintenance of the school. Taxpayers attend this meeting and voice your sentiments, or forever hold your peace, at least until another day for voting special tax.

A meeting will be held in the Odd Fellows hall on Monday, December 2, for the purpose of voting a special road tax. This is the time and place to decide what amount shall be placed in the hands of those who direct the matter of maintenance and improve-

ment of roads. If you want the tax to be present and vote it. If you do not want the tax this is your opportunity to vote against it.

The class banquet of the Ferguson Bible class last Friday night was a very pleasant affair. The young men of the class, directed by Mrs. Ferguson, worked faithfully until every detail as to light and heat and decorations had received their careful consideration and the result was the basement was a place of beauty and of comfort. The refreshments, planned for and provided by the Ladies' Aid society, were delicious. Now, as this was in honor of the passing of the first milestone for this class, we wish them many happy returns of their fine class spirit, and many good deeds to their credit.

Prof. E. C. Knapp delivered a splendid address on Sunday evening instead of on Friday evening as was previously announced. His coming is an added incentive to better work. He gave the school a dare which was accepted and as a result the school must pass the one hundred mark on the second Sunday in December. This mark has been passed before, but this is to be in weather perhaps not the best and will mean greater effort. All interested help meet this challenge.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Make a special effort to be on time. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. at the Methodist church next Sunday.

Some one removed the collar from Alex Lacey's dog's neck some days ago. The collar is described as tan leather with silver skids and Mr. Lacey requests that it be returned.

The following members of the Methodist Sunday school of Odell, attended the county Sunday school convention in Hood River this week: Mrs. S. N. Hutehart, Mrs. Job Sheppard, Mrs. E. T. Hull, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, Mrs. L. A. E. Clark, Miss Susie Moore, Miss Mary Sheppard, Miss Viola Mapes, Miss Florence Moss, Miss Ruth Clark, J. E. Ferguson, Lloyd Moss, Geo. Ogden, Horace Sylvester, Algie Weinheimer.

PINE GROVE

Miss Paula Keller, of Portland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Hans Lage.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Radford are entertaining friends from Letoy, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. King Benton have as their guests friends from Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock are attending the horticulture exhibit in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Mason attended the National grange held in Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Thorne have opened a store at their home and are prepared to do a good business this winter.

There will be services as usual at the church next Sunday morning.

The Ladies' Aid spent a pleasant afternoon at the parsonage last Friday.

They will meet there again next week, Friday, and arrange for a supper and sale the first of part of the month.

A good congregation greeted Rev.

Schoenberg, a field missionary of the Lutheran denomination, last Sunday morning.

The Sunflower class has organized a psychological society. Also has joined the state Sunday school association.

Allene Clark returned from White Salmon Saturday.

Arthur Hale returned from Collins Springs last week much improved in health.

Will Jarvis, youngest brother of J. G. Jarvis, arrived from Fisher, Minnesota, last week, Tuesday, and may remain during the winter.

MOSIER.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. West returned Monday afternoon from Shilko.

W. D. Matthews was a business visitor in The Dalles Monday.

Meers, C. A. Frey and Al Behrens left Monday to attend the apple show Spokane.

R. W. Simpson and Wm. Stevenson walked to Hood River Monday afternoon to attend the Masonic ceremonies of Tieman day.

G. L. Carroll is doing jury duty in The Dalles this week. Mrs. W. Marsh returned Tuesday evening from Portland.

Mrs. J. H. DeBussey attended to business in Hood River during the week.

Christine Godbersen went to Portland Wednesday for a few days' visit with her sisters.

A large crowd of local I. O. O. F. members attended the district convention held in The Dalles Tuesday afternoon and evening, as follows: Dr. Robinson, Gus Godbersen, A. Grosser, O. E. Wilson, T. J. McClure, R. W. Simpson, J. E. Higley, Chas. Bennett, G. Wyss, R. Abernathy, Alex Stewart, L. Lamb, D. W. Hudson, Lee Evans, Sr., Frank Munroe, Frank Ginger, C. J. E. Carlson, R. P. Hardwick, Benj. Veatch, J. E. Carpenter, Wm. Wright, Geo. Chamberlain, Wm. Davis and Thos. Gordon.

Mrs. W. A. Stark, and Mrs. Geo. Emery came from Hood River Thursday to spend the day with Mrs. Cobb.

Rev. Clark was a business visitor to Hood River on Thursday.

F. E. Whitney, post office inspector from Portland, spent two days in Mosier this week, looking over road for a proposed rural route, and while here he checked up the local office and gave instructions concerning the new star route which began operations on the 16th.

Mrs. N. Johnson returned to Hood River Thursday after spending several days with Mrs. P. L. Arthur.

Geo. Chamberlain was in The Dalles Thursday.

Mrs. C. A. Frey was shopping in Hood River Thursday.

W. A. Davis and W. H. Kerslake were in The Dalles Saturday between local trains.

Miss Irene Fishre and master Ladd were in Hood River Saturday afternoon.

W. H. Evans and wife left Sunday to visit their son John at Ruthon.

J. M. Carroll returned home Sunday morning from Spokane and continued on to Portland in the evening, accompanied by his wife.

Mrs. Chas. Graham left Sunday for a few days stay in Portland.

S. S. Stearns and family moved to Portland Monday.

W. E. Vessel attended to business in The Dalles Monday.

Mrs. Garrett, of Portland, who has visited her relatives here for a week or so, left Monday for The Dalles, where she will spend some time.

The Ladies' Aid is preparing to hold the annual bazaar, Dec. 5.

BELMONT.

Mrs. Will Chubb took her departure Saturday for Eight Mile, Morrow county, where she will teach a six months' term of school.

Will Davis returned from The Dalles Friday and went to White Salmon, Wash., Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Eastman and daughter spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marsh Isenberg.

J. R. Nunemaker has gone to Heppner on business.

Mrs. Ross, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. W. Bishop, returned to her home, Sherwood, Ore., Tuesday. Mrs. Bishop and daughter accompanied her.

Mr. Kettering has leased his ranch and will soon be leaving for Portland, where he and his wife will make their home for some time.

Mr. Lenz is having an addition built to the house on his ranch. Mr. Bowers and family are living there.

Mr. Farrell helped Will Somerville move the wood shed at the parsonage Thursday.

Quite a number of the ladies of Belmont met at the parsonage Thursday afternoon and gave the pastor and wife a canned fruit shower. A social time was enjoyed. Dainty refreshments were served. These present thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The Henney ranch, better known as the Kingsley ranch, was sold to Portland parties last week.

Mrs. Carpenter has gone east for the winter.

Mrs. Chubb visited at the homes of Mrs. Nunemaker and Downing Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Sherrieb invited a few friends to their home Tuesday evening for a farewell visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hodges and family who leave Sunday for Crook county. Very dainty refreshments were served. Miss Ethel Farrell and Lora Sherrieb waiting on the guests.

Mrs. Hill, at the place, visited several days last week in Portland.

Mrs. Goodman returned last Tuesday from California, where she has been visiting since last September.

There will be a cottage prayer meeting and Bible study at the home of Mrs. E. J. Nicholson Thursday evening. Everyone is cordially invited to come and enjoy them.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell and Miss Ethel visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Forrey and family Sunday.

H. H. Jantzen and family attended morning services at Belmont Sunday.

Miss Aileen Eby played for Sunday morning service at Belmont church.

CENTRAL VALE

Mr. Durham has commenced work on a grubbing contract in the Mount Hood district.

A Mr. Trotter from the east has purchased 40 acres of the Bloom place.

Miss Palma Hagen is spending a week or two in Hood River.

I. O. Van Osten moved his family to Pine Grove Monday, where they expect to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Cameron, of Odell, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massee on Willow Flat.

Miss Bessie Johnson spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister in Pine Grove.

George Lester began school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Harmon and son, of Hood River, spent Sunday at Paul Hansen's home. Miss Zena Miller was also there Friday evening and Saturday.

Miss Ruth Clark took dinner Sunday with Miss Mary Sheppard.

Mr. Nerberg performed a work of charity in fixing up the road on the straight hill.

Mrs. Milligan is in Portland and is coming out to spend a week or two with her cousin, Mrs. J. O. Cameron, if it does not storm this week.

Paul Hansen and family spent Sunday in Pine Grove.

Tom Cameron took Sunday dinner at the home of his brother, Oscar Cameron.

Mrs. Simpson is here from Dakota visiting her son. She brings a report of two feet of snow there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernyough drove to Hood River last Wednesday, returning on Thursday.

Will Jarvis is here from Minnesota visiting his brother, Ralph. He expects to stay here during the winter.

Miss Mary Sheppard and Lloyd Moss went to Hood River Monday to attend the Sunday school convention. Mrs. Sheppard and George and also George Ogden went down Tuesday, so our neighborhood was well represented.

Nathan Simpkins has just returned from a week's trip along the coast and to the cities of the Willamette valley.

Chas. Hounsell was kicked by a horse last week, but fortunately was not seriously hurt and is able to be about now.

UNDERWOOD.

The Underwood dancing club gave the first dance of the season Tuesday evening, Nov. 12, at A. J. Haynes' apple house. The music was excellent and the floor being in fine condition a very enjoyable time was had.

E. M. Cummins spent a few days in Portland last week.

The Northwestern Electric Company is erecting a bank house to accommodate one hundred men.

The Ladies' Aid society met with Mrs. P. I. Packard Thursday of last week.

Mrs. W. A. Wendorf was called to Portland Friday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Dickover.

Hunter Vinton is now taking care of the books at E. A. Franz' store.

Mrs. W. F. Cash and son, Rolland, were Hood River visitors Saturday.

Miss Zimmerman, of Portland, is visiting Miss Ruth Cooper.

A jolly crowd of young folks went to Hood River Friday night to attend the dance given by the St. Marks' Guild at Heilbronner hall.

WHITE SALMON.

(from the Enterprise)

The big 60x100 building for the White Salmon Fruit Growers' Union is nearly completed. It is all enclosed and the elevator for lifting stock to the second

floor is being put in.

Walter Freeland, the night watchman who was accidentally shot while on duty, claiming to have tripped over a wire, is making satisfactory recovery. This is rather remarkable inasmuch as the bullet went through his body, and plowed a hole through his lung.

Leslie Swan and Beatrice, the youngest daughter of Rufus Eyrick, of this place, were married at the home of the bride at 3 o'clock Sunday, Nov. 10. Rev. Lowden performing the ceremony. It was a pretty little wedding, with only the relatives of the respective parties in attendance.

The Northwestern Electric Co. have dug their post holes and laid their poles through town, though the poles have not yet been erected. They have about 30 men on the construction gang and they help to make things lively around town—Stevenson Pioneer.

Rev. Young, of Hood River, has been conducting a series of revival meetings at the M. E. church the past week and they will continue a few days longer. This accounts for the ringing of the bell at six o'clock every morning when early prayers are said at the church.

S. C. Graham and C. C. Hutchins are in Portland in charge of the White Salmon exhibit at the Pacific Northwest Land Product show, which opened Monday. The Commercial club has been able to collect forty quarter tier boxes of apples, vegetables, grains and grasses, and there is no doubt that a creditable showing will be made notwithstanding the difficulty of getting the fruit.

At the dinner recently held in the Odd Fellows hall, the occasion being the annual meeting of the members and friends of the Congregational church, Rev. Tate was engaged as pastor for another year.

Rev. Tate gives the greatest satisfaction to the members of the church and is of much help to the town of White Salmon in more ways than one. He says he has sometimes thought of making such arrangements for the care of his Hood River orchard, or the disposition of it, that he can make his home in this place. Nobody would be more welcome.

O-W & N. Time Table.

WEST BOUND

No. 9, Fast Mail (Mail Only) 4:53 a. m.
No. 7, Portland Local 7:35 a. m.
No. 11, Soo-Spokane-Portland 9:37 a. m.
No. 5, Ore. & Wash. Exp. 10:23 a. m.
No. 1, Portland Local 3:00 p. m.
No. 17, Ore. & Wash. Limited 5:43 p. m.

EAST BOUND

No. 2, Pendleton Local 10:00 a. m.
No. 18, Ore. & Wash. Ltd. 11:55 a. m.
No. 8, The Dalles Local 6:20 p. m.
No. 10, Fast Mail (mail only) 8:24 p. m.
No. 6, Ore. and Wash. Exp. 10:25 p. m.
No. 12, Soo-Spokane-Port. 10:55 p. m.

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APPLES, PEACHES, PLUMS, PEARS, PRUNES

Construction work upon the dam and reservoir has now been in progress for three months, with Thomas Hawthorne, State Inspector, on the ground. He was formerly with the U. S. Government Reclamation Service on the Umatilla Project.

Send for 32-page illustrated book. Go to Paisley by automobile stage from Bend and see the land. Our agent at Paisley, Hugh K. Gilmore, will show you the land. It is free to those who pay the cost of putting water on it.

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