

ODELL

Mrs. Lella Hoverson, came home last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hoverson. Miss Hoverson, teacher in the schools of Enterprise, who is like schools all over the state, closed an account of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Davis have received a card announcing the safe arrival overseas of their son, Aubrey Davis, of the merchant marines.

After having spent the apple harvest season here Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lafferty, returned last week to Portland where Mr. Lafferty is engaged in the shipping business.

George Haskins, member of the firm Hardy & Haskins, has been ill of influenza the past week. Misses Dorothy and Eleanor Haskins have also suffered from attacks of the same disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bell, who are living just west of Odell high school, have recovered from attacks of influenza.

Six members of the family of L. M. Karietter are reported improving from influenza.

Those are so far as your correspondent has been able to form, the only cases of influenza in Odell.

We cannot state definitely as to when schools and church services will resume activity in Odell, as this question is one to be decided by the state board of health. We feel that all who are interested will agree with us when we state that Odell as a community has been most fortunate in that this epidemic passes with so few cases in this vicinity.

Miss Hazel Bales has been acting as operator at the telephone exchange during the illness of Miss Eleanor Haskins.

H. E. Davenport came up from Portland early in the week for a short stay. His father, S. P. Davenport, was quite ill Monday.

Floyd McCoy and Verne Harris expect to return to Portland next week after having assisted in packing the fruit from Odell, Brook and J. J. Arnold's orchards.

Miss G. W. Lafferty expects to spend part of the winter in Portland. She intends to go to that city early in December.

Not much news this week. Everyone too busy and too happy.

PINE GROVE

Mrs. Holloway, sister of Raymond Thomas, died last week at the home of her parents in Hood River last week. Mrs. Holloway, with her husband and four children, had recently moved here from British Columbia. Mr. Holloway and three of the children have been ill but are reported better.

Influenza takes a fresh start. The Red Cross will work to be resumed next Thursday. Please find out and be there early.

S. M. Dennison has traded his East Side ranch for land in the Big Bend country in Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Dennison have been living in Seattle for nearly a year.

Mrs. R. E. Ferris enlisted with the Red Cross and has been doing her bit at the Cottage hospital for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brownlie left last Sunday for Portland, where they will spend the winter.

The social grange meeting for December will probably be allowed. All those who were to have prepared a number for the last meeting kindly have it ready for this one.

With the flu on the run and people accompanied we will all welcome any of our friends.

FRANKTON

Mrs. Mack and Mrs. Jacobs and daughter, Isabel, have been so unwell at the Mack's summer home, Merrimack, for several days.

The following party motored down the Highway to Vancouver Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eby and daughter, Mrs. and Mrs. Roy Eastman and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee and daughter. The party returned Sunday evening.

Word comes from Mrs. John Brandt that she is nicely settled at Los Angeles and is enjoying the finest weather she could wish.

Miss Carrie Schmorak was up from Sidney calling on friends last Thursday.

Mrs. G. P. Pemberton and children have been quite sick with influenza and are on the mend again.

Mr. and Mrs. Beers have moved into the farm home of Mrs. Jeanne Miller.

Before our items were printed last week the gravel trucks were busy filling in the chack holes along this bit of the Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Calkins returned home from their work on the Boone ranch Tuesday.

Mrs. E. J. Copper is visiting friends and relatives in Roseburg.

Mrs. J. O. Eastman had a very interesting letter from her son, Archie and Gay, who are in Uncle Sam's service. Archie, who is on the Pittsburgh, makes frequent landings at South American ports, where he has found the Y. M. C. A. to be the greatest blessing. He has made many friends through its instrumentality.

Miss Gladys, an old time Franktonite, on the same battleship, Guy Eastman has been stationed in Scotland and England, but at present is in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Rousin are now living in the Jack Hart house.

Floyd Hess helped J. M. Dennison at the blacksmith shop at Parkdale last week.

Ross Ringer and Joe Smulkin have purchased Ford trucks recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cooper have moved to the L. W. Tomlinson place. They rented their ranch to Mr. Latt.

Mrs. W. H. Elick returned from Portland, where she was called by the illness of her mother, last Tuesday.

Miss Esther Wishart is up from Portland for a few days, convalescing from an attack of the influenza.

Misses Hazel Miller and Albin Kitchel returned Monday from the Lower Valley, where they have been helping with the apple harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lenz moved into the L. C. Baldwin house.

Mace Baldwin spent Sunday at his ranch at Mount Hood.

Red Stranahan made his last trip for the season with the stage Saturday.

School will be resumed again next Monday if there are no new cases of influenza in our valley.

George Cronin came home Sunday from Seattle, where he had been taking a course at the officers' training camp.

Mount Hood raised her quota during the War Work campaign.

W. M. Ruch and family have been ill, but are out again.

MOSIER

Walter E. Nichol, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Nichol, of Mosier, left this week for the officers' training camp at Fort MacArthur, Tex.

J. E. Higley came from Portland this week. He had been sick a few days with a very bad cold. Although the doctor told him he did not have the influenza he does not know for sure. He is able to be out and around and feeling much better.

Among Mosier people going to The Dalles Saturday on business were: Mrs. A. A. Marsh, Wm. McCune, Geo. Chamberlain, C. J. Little, Mrs. H. H. Nicklin, A. Kuhn, J. C. Nelson, Ed. Pulamure and Mrs. L. E. Howe.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Anne Halleybarton, who has been very seriously ill at her home in Orley with pneumonia following an attack of influenza, is now getting much better with great hopes of her full recovery.

Mrs. A. W. Ehrlich, who for the past month has been at the bedside of her mother in Portland, returned home Friday evening, reporting her mother is improving.

Old Gardner, who owns property at Orley, returned to his home in Portland for the winter Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Nichol have moved into the smaller cottage of Mr. Hardwick for the present.

W. A. Horn and family have returned to Mosier from Astoria and will remain for the winter. They are settled in one of the Hudson flats.

Chas. T. Bennett and Leslie Root were business visitors in The Dalles Wednesday.

Miss Vivian Ehrlich went to Portland Saturday to assist in nursing her grandmother, who is very ill.

At the city election Tuesday last week the fall-wing officers were elected: For mayor, E. M. Strauss; O. E. Wilson, marshal; W. E. Cronin, clerk; J. E. Cole, treasurer; James Lamp, W. A. Husband, Geo. R. Wood, R. W. Simpson and O. E. Wilson, councilmen.

Friday morning there was evidence of a large white frost, the coldest morning of the fall.

John Fred W. Wilson stopped in Mosier Thursday on his way to Hood River and greeted friends.

Miss Nina Conlee came from Portland Wednesday evening to visit while with her sister, Mrs. Olive C. Clement.

Cecil Rowland and Rowland Depeh left Thursday for Parkdale, where they expect to remain some time.

J. V. Yoshik was pleasantly surprised Thursday to have his brother from Montana come for a visit of a few weeks.

Miss Mabel Ruscher arrived from Seattle, Thursday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. Allington.

Walter Sellinger, of Washougal, visited in Mosier last week at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Sellinger.

Leno Sellinger has come over from the farm at Trout Lake to spend the winter with his mother.

Bernard Nichol went to The Dalles Monday to interview the local board as to transfer of his official draft papers from Butte, Mont., to The Dalles. He was advised to wire for the transfer and unless further orders were received, he should leave for duty November 14.

The Mosier postmaster is proud to announce the fact that the patriotic citizens of this little community have now purchased War Savings and Thrift Stamps to the amount of \$10,975. This shows what united effort can and will do. Let us keep the good work moving along.

Geo. Mathews attended to business in The Dalles Saturday.

E. J. Middlewart, of Hood River, was in Mosier Monday greeting old friends.

The following poem was written by John A. Powell, of Mosier, in honor of his son, Cpl. Raymond A. Powell, who is somewhere in France, fighting for everything that is right:

Pershing's slashing Yankee boys
Have crossed the ocean wide;
They've gone to whip the Kaiser,
Who lives on the other side.

They've chased the huns all out of France—
Yes, they are doing fine;
And while they're away is on they'll
Just chase them clear across the Rhine.

Of all the drivers that Pershing's boys
Will sure want to be,
Is when they drive the Kaiser and his
Huns
All into Bess-E-Low.

We have a son somewhere in France
With shoulders broad and stout,
I know he wants to join the fight,
And clear the Kaiser out.

And when the war is over
And our boy comes home, he'll stay,
Because we'll watch him day and night
And won't let him get away.

Tractors are \$115

Instead of \$1125, as announced in their advertisement, Fordson tractors, handled by Ford & Meritt, are \$115 in Hood River. The advertisement applies to The Dalles. The charge for transporting the popular tractor is \$10 each.

The Fordson has far to become the popular tractor as its predecessor, the Ford, has become the universal car.

OBITUARY

Hosmer K. Arnold, aged 45, died Monday night, just one week following the death of his wife, at his Barrett orchard home, from pneumonia, resulting from influenza. The body was shipped to Portland for funeral services and interment beside his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, who came here from Portland several years ago, are survived by four young children, all of whom have been ill from the epidemic. The children are recovering. The community has never witnessed a sadder set of circumstances, and the deceased couple, who were popular and prominent in every interest of the agricultural community, leave a host of neighbors and friends grief-stricken.

Miss Margaret Elizabeth Sparks, aged 25, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sparks, of Alameda Way, passed away last Friday from influenza. Following graveside funeral services, in interment was made Sunday afternoon at Idlewild cemetery.

Peter Corbett, better known to the people of Hood River as Indian Peter, died at the Indian Village north of the city Wednesday night of last week from influenza. Peter was a friend and tribesman of the late Indian George Chimere. Funeral services, followed by interment at the K. of P. cemetery, were held Saturday.

Funeral services for Harvey Corbett, 15 year old son of Peter Corbett, were held Monday afternoon, interment following at K. of P. cemetery. The father was buried Saturday. Both were victims of Spanish influenza, from which four others of the Indian colony are seriously ill.

The funeral was directed by S. E. Bartsch.

Edwin Harvey, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ward, of Portland, died Saturday at the family home in Portland.

1919 CITY TAX BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that at the regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Hood River on November 4th, 1918, there was proposed and adopted an estimate of the money to be expended by the City during the year 1919, which estimate, together with the report of the present condition of department funds is as follows:

STATEMENT OF GENERAL FUND TO NOV. 1, 1918

Taxes collected	\$13207.92
Licenses, Fines, etc.	751.40
Transfers	273.27
Total receipts to Nov. 1, 1918	\$14235.59

DISBURSEMENTS

O. D. January 1, 1918	\$ 3316.37
Transfer to Road Fund	1500.00
Transfer to Interest	1000.00
Purchase of property, del. sales	957.43
Salaries and incidentals	8129.65
O. D. Nov. 1, 1918	667.26
Total	\$14902.85

GENERAL FUND EXPENSE BUDGET 1919

Salary City Marshal	\$ 1280.00
Salary Night Marshal	1080.00
Salary City Recorder	900.00
Salary City Attorney	500.00
Salary City Treasurer	350.00
Services City Health Officer	250.00
Services Special Police	290.00
Services Garbage man	120.00
Services Engineer	290.00
Expenses City Lights	1510.00
Expenses Park Improvement	300.00
Expense Fire Department	300.00
Transfer to Gen'l Interest	1000.00
Transfer to Road Fund	2000.00
Incidentals	2450.00
Estimated O. D. Dec. 31, 1918	2400.00
Total	\$14750.00

Approximate valuation, \$2,000,000.00

7 mill levy	\$14000.00
Fines and Licenses	750.00
Total	\$14750.00

STATEMENT ROAD FUND NOVEMBER 1, 1918

Taxes Collected	\$ 3771.93
Transfers	1500.00
Licenses, etc.	390.41
Total Receipts to Nov. 1, 1918	\$ 5662.34

DISBURSEMENTS

O. D. Jan. 1, 1918	\$2194.98
Salaries	1695.00
General Street Work	927.57
Care Oil Bound Macadam	324.43
Care Hassam Paving	253.05
Care of Team and Equipment	662.58
O. D. Nov. 1, 1918	485.27
Total	\$6957.61

ROAD FUND EXPENSE BUDGET, 1919

Salary Street Commissioner	\$1200.00
Salary Teamster	1140.00
General Street Work	1710.00
Care Oil Bound Macadam	700.00
Care Hassam Paving	500.00
Care Team and Equipment	750.00
Estimated O. D. Dec. 31, 1918	1000.00
Total	\$7000.00

Approximate valuation \$2,000,000.00

2 mill levy	\$4000.00
Licenses, etc.	400.00
Transfer from General Fund	2000.00
Total	\$6400.00

Estimated O. D. Dec. 31, 1919

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1918	\$ 69.16
Taxes Collected	967.36
Total Receipts to Nov. 1, 1918	\$1036.52
Vouchers Cashd	\$1060.00
Deficit Nov. 1, 1918	53.48
Total	\$1090.00

STATEMENT LIBRARY FUND TO NOV. 1, 1918

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1918	\$ 69.16
Taxes Collected	967.36
Total Receipts to Nov. 1, 1918	\$1036.52
Vouchers Cashd	\$1060.00
Deficit Nov. 1, 1918	53.48
Total	\$1090.00

LIBRARY EXPENSE FUND BUDGET 1919

One half the amount of funds asked for by the Library Board for 1919	\$2100.00
2 mill tax on above approximate valuation	\$1590.00
Transfer from General Incidental Fund	600.00
Total	\$2100.00

STATEMENT OF CITY WATER DEPARTMENT TO NOV. 1, 1918

Receipts	
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1918	\$ 3500.98
Earnings up to Nov. 1, 1918	12652.19
Estimated Earnings for Nov. and Dec.	2100.00
Total	\$18253.17

DISBURSEMENTS

Interest on Bonds	\$ 5290.00
Transfer to Water Bond Sinking Fund	2800.00
Extensions and Betterments	1627.24
Operating Expense	2541.94
Interest due December, 1918	190.00
Estimated Expense for Nov. and Dec.	500.00
Total expense for 1918	\$15960.18
Approximate balance Jan. 1, 1919	2283.99
Total	\$18253.17

WATER DEPARTMENT EXPENSE BUDGET FOR 1919

Salary Water Superintendent	\$1200.00
Interest on Bonds	6480.00
Office Expense	875.00
Extensions and Betterments	1000.00
Distribution Expense	2500.00
Total	\$15055.00

Estimated Earnings for 1919

Estimated Balance Jan. 1, 1919	\$14500.00
Total Receipts 1919	2283.99
Approximate amount that may be transferred Water Bond Sinking Fund in 1919	\$16783.99

WATER BOND SINKING FUND NOV. 1, 1918

Balance on hand January 1, 1918	\$21743.56
Taxes collected	3842.89
Transferred from water earnings	2800.00
Water Bond Sinking Fund Earnings	1168.69
Total amount Water Bond Sinking Fund	\$30555.14

WATER BOND SINKING FUND BUDGET FOR 1919

Deficit to be covered for in 1918	\$935.41
Amount of collections applied	\$810.98
Deficit Nov. 1, 1918	554.46
Annual amount to be set aside	5660.00
Total for 1918	\$6214.46

Estimated Transfer from Water Earnings

Estimated Sinking Fund Earnings 1919	\$1728.99
Estimated Collections Nov. and Dec., 1918	2000.00
1 Mill Tax 1918 valuation	485.47
Total	\$2183.46

Total Millage

General Fund	7 mills
Road Fund	2 mills
Water Bond Sinking Fund	1 mill
Library Fund	1 mill
Total	10 1/2 mills

Said budget of estimates will come up for final discussion and adoption at the regular meeting of the Common Council on December 2nd, 1918, at which time any taxpayer or person interested may appear and present his objection to such proposed expenditures.

H. L. HOWE,
City Recorder.

VICTORY

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The Women who have so well sustained Our Soldiers

The Organizations that have played such a splendid part

The Millions of patriots here at home

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