

**BRIEF LOCAL MENTION**

**Wanted—Competent stenographer.** Hood River Apple Vinegar Co. 18  
Electrical repairing at Dakin Electric Works. 18  
Forbes does painting, sign work and calcimining. Tel. 3014. 18  
Dr. Murphy, dentist, Brosius Building, Telephone 2833. 18  
For electrical troubles and storage batteries, see Dakin, 111-15 3d St. 18  
C. C. Anderson was in Portland on business the first of the week. 18  
H. S. Brackman was a business visitor in Portland last week. 18  
H. M. Scarce was in The Dalles the first of the week on business. 18  
W. F. Laraway's residence telephone number is now 2823. 18  
Mrs. Mary V. Olson, of Underwood, was in the city Tuesday on business. 18  
W. W. Clark, of Parkdale, has left for California to spend the cold season. 18  
J. A. Novacek, of Portland, has opened an architect's office here. 18  
Kenneth McKay was here the latter part of last week from Portland. 18  
Russell G. Pond was down from the Upper Valley last week on business. 18  
Ford touring car, in good shape, and Ford delivery car, for sale. Gilbert Motor Car Co. 18  
Eyes scientifically examined by H. L. Hasbrouck, Optometrist, Heilbrunner Bldg. 18-11  
Public stenographer, room 5, Hall building, Hood River, Oregon. Phone 3291. 18-11  
Demand from your groceryman "Blended Purity Flour" and Shamrock Cereals. Made in Hood River by Highland Milling Co. 18-11  
Henry Steinhauser was down the first of the week from the Upper Valley on business. 18  
Mrs. Geo. A. Disbrow and baby daughter have been here from Salem visiting friends and relatives. 18  
James Henderson, postmaster at Cascade Locks, was here Monday on business. 18  
H. L. Ganoe, of Portland, was here last week visiting his son, C. F. Ganoe, and wife. 18  
G. R. Dickie, who has the Hartwig place just west of town, is planning the construction of a dairy house soon. 18  
Mrs. Edwin C. Eberly, of Bend, has been here visiting friends and relatives. 18  
Mrs. Lou Danforth, of Tacoma, has been here visiting relatives and attending to matters of business. 18  
G. D. Woodworth has left for Mexico on business. He owns interests in Sonora. 18  
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gordon have left for Denver for a visit with relatives. 18  
Mrs. Will Chandler spent the holidays at Everett, Wash., visiting relatives and friends. 18  
Prof. R. V. Wright was at Corvallis last week to attend a conference of county fair officials. 18  
Miss Elizabeth Carson spent the latter part of last week with Portland relatives and friends. 18  
C. B. Harris, of Glenwood, Wash., was a business visitor in the city the first of the week. 18  
Phone your paint and paper wants to Hunt Paint & Wall Paper Co., who will take care of small as well as large ones. 18-11  
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Searches of records and reliable abstracts made by Oregon Abstract Company, A. W. Onthank, Manager, 205 Oak Street. Phone 1521. 18-11  
Examine a FRIEND sprayer at Kelly Bros.' downtown store. Order yours early to guarantee delivery. Hood River Spray Co. 18  
P. M. Hall-Lewis, formerly city engineer here but recently connected with the State Highway Department in eastern Oregon work, was here last week calling on friends. 18  
Elbert E. Nowell, Civil Engineer and Surveyor, located permanently in Hood River, will be pleased to meet and advise with anyone having prospective work. Present headquarters at Mr. Hood Hotel. 18-11

Dr. H. I. Dumble journeyed to Mosier Tuesday on the morning train, returning home on foot over the railroad track. 18  
Miss Beatrice Stone left Tuesday for Buffalo, N. Y., where she will spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives. 18  
F. A. Olmstead and A. B. Bennett, of the Hood River Spray Co., spent the first of the week in the Yakima fruit district. 18  
County Engineer Cruikshank was in Portland and Salem last week attending meetings of highway engineers of the state and Northwest. 18  
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The officers of the Eastern Star will be installed Tuesday evening, January 14. All officers are urged to be present promptly at 7:30 o'clock. 18  
Roger W. Moe, after having spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Moe, has returned to Seattle, where he is in business. 18  
Mrs. Dayton McLain, after a holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gould, returned to her home at Gate-way last week. 18  
Miss Catherine M. Baker, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baker, has returned to the University of Oregon. 18  
Allyn Button and Yale McCarty, after the vacation spent at home, left the first of the week to return to the University of California. 18  
Burliech Cash, who is teaching in the Eugene high school, returned there last week after a holiday visit with local relatives. 18  
J. E. Anderson and family were here from Bend last week on a holiday visit with Mrs. Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cooper. 18  
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F. M. Ireland and family, formerly Upper Valley residents, who recently moved to Sacramento, Calif., are now living at Monterey. 18  
S. S. Turnbull was in Salem the first of the week, having gone there to accompany his small son, Stewart. The latter was returning to school after having spent the holidays at home. 18  
Floyd Rankin and family, who for the past year have lived on the Diamond ranch on Portland Way, moved to Bendleton last week. Mr. Rankin owns an alfalfa ranch there. 18  
Mrs. M. Sue Henderson, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Banks Mortimer, and the latter's little son, plans on leaving soon for a sojourn in southern California. 18  
F. L. Breed, formerly pharmacist at the Kete drug store, was here last week from The Dalles on business. Mr. Breed still owns residence property here. 18  
K. P. Hosier, of Idaho, has decided to make Hood River his permanent home. Mr. Hosier has been engaged in hauling apples the past several months. 18  
Ben Horn purchased an Overland Sedan last week from the Elliott-Overland Co. C. A. Elliott was in Portland the first of the week to secure additional cars. 18  
Mrs. H. L. Dumble, who is spending the winter in Los Angeles, has been ill. Dr. Dumble, however, received word the first of the week that she was recovering. 18  
Mrs. Rose Igl is ill at the Cottage hospital. Mr. Igl, who had returned to Eugene after accompanying his wife for a holiday visit with friends and relatives, was called back to be with her. Carl Humbach, who has been in Portland making a study of the Hardee concern's sprayers and implements, has come here to become associated with the Bennett Brothers. 18  
Word was received here last week that Texas oil properties in which Wil Van Horn is heavily interested have proved valuable. A message stated that two wells, recently bored, are pushers. Mr. Van Horn is now at a Portland sanitarium recovering from a recent light stroke of paralysis. Edw. Van Horn will leave this week to investigate the promising properties. 18

After a short stay at home, Mrs. J. R. Nickelson and twin sons, Ned and Ted, have returned to Portland where they will spend the remainder of the winter with relatives. 18  
W. N. Hugenin, of Mosier, who will be associated with the Baldwin-Swoze obstruction Co., has purchased from W. F. Laraway his residence on Front street. He will move here soon. 18  
Thomas Fisher, who was formerly with C. F. Sumner, plumber, has become associated with B. B. Powell in the plumbing business. Their shop is located on Cascade avenue. 18  
Members of St. Mark's Guild are urged to attend an important meeting to be held tomorrow, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. E. D. Kanaga. 18  
All hats are now reduced one-half. Coats, suits and dresses are reduced 25 per cent below wholesale price. A 10 per cent discount on waists. Sale begins today and will last for a week. Monner's. 18  
H. S. Dumbolton, formerly with the Butler Banking Co. but a resident for the past year of Cherokee, Ia., has returned here with his family to become associated with the Hood River Garages. 18  
Dr. J. F. Watt, for many years surgeon for the O., W. R. & N. Co. and later for the Union Pacific system, has retired from active practice and will devote his entire attention to his orchard and properties. 18  
With the first of the year the name of the Gilbert Motor Car Company was changed to Bennett Brothers. The corporation was dissolved and Ralph B. Bennett and Leigh S. Bennett will hereafter do business as a partnership. 18  
Robt. A. Josling, office manager for A. B. Kern Co., has been visiting in Portland, but on account of his failing health there he returned to this city Saturday to remain the balance of the year. 18  
Walter McDougall spent New Year's in Portland. He was a guest of officers of the Oregon-Idaho Airplane Co., and on the bright, sunny New Year's day enjoyed a ride in a Curtiss plane to the Waverly Country club. 18  
Have party wishing modern house about 6 rooms, with 1/2 acre of ground, and barn big enough to house two cars. Has \$1000 cash available, and will have about \$500 more. No boys and object to going as high as \$4,000. R. E. Scott. 18  
E. M. Holman has just received word that his father, J. T. Holman, was seriously injured when he fell from a load of straw near Gervais, where he now resides. He has been in the hospital for several days and is recovering from the shock. 18  
Mrs. C. H. Castner sustained a painful injury when she fell on an icy sidewalk Thursday night. Friends and the family were alarmed for a time, as the blow on the back of her head left her unconscious for several hours. She is now resting well. 18  
H. M. Cummins, formerly cashier of the Bank of Lane, has come here with his family to devote his entire time to the life insurance business. His territory covers Hood River county and eastern Oregon. He has moved to the Perigo house at the east end of Sherman avenue. 18  
Leslie Butler was host to the Butler Banking Company staff at a dinner party at the Mount Hood hotel New Year's day. Married members were accompanied by their wives, and 18 were privileged to enjoy Mr. Butler's hospitality. Included with the party was E. C. Smith, the bank's attorney, and wife. 18  
J. J. Jordan, who moved from the Oak Grove district to Newberg 13 years ago, was here with his wife last week visiting their daughter, Mrs. L. E. Look, and family. Mr. Jordan and wife were en route to the Willamette valley from Montana, where they have been residing the past year. Mr. Jordan was formerly owner of Oak Grove property. 18  
The installation of 1920 officers of Canby Post, G. A. R., and Canby Corps, W. R. C., will be held at the K. of P. hall Saturday afternoon, following a dinner served at noon. The dinner, an annual event of the patriotic organizations, will be given for members of the Post and their wives and members of the Corps. The Post installation will follow immediately afterward. The Corps installation will follow a regular business meeting. 18

**Old Hearse Probably Burned**  
The mid-Columbia's oldest hearse, perhaps one of the oldest in Oregon, was probably destroyed when J. P. Tryon's garage burned in Mosier Monday night. The old vehicle was placed on the bright, sunny New Year's day from the Cook Undertaking Co. It had been used in Portland for 25 years before it was brought here. 18  
Mr. Bartness has received no report of his loss, but presumes that it was destroyed along with numerous automobiles and other vehicles stored in the building. 18  
He says, however, that he doesn't regret the loss, as the vehicle had never brought him any income from the healthy orchard district. 18

**Independent Telephone Line Up**  
According to Roy D. Smith a movement has been started here to establish an independent farmers' telephone system. Mr. Smith says that a meeting of citizens of different districts was held Monday night. 18  
"We have financial backing," says Mr. Smith, "and several have offered to subscribe \$1,000 each. We do not hope to get relief from the action of the Oregon-Washington Telephone Co. or the Public Service Commission for the reason that the local company is operating with a white elephant on its hands in the so-called auto-manual system. The operation, experts tell us, is entirely too expensive for a district such as ours." 18


**Laurel Rebekah Installs**  
Officers of Laurel Rebekah lodge were installed as follows Monday evening: Lillie Fisher, N. G.; Ruby Gattiel, V. G.; Orva Wiley, treas.; Nettie Moses, sec.; Jo Day, chap.; Earl Shank, cond.; A. L. Vincent, ward; Effa Fredericks, I. G.; Tim Besty, O. G.; Ella Dakin, R. S. N. G.; Elizabeth Higman, L. S. N. G.; Katie Vincent, R. S. V. G.; Mary Mills, L. S. V. G.; Della Johnson, Capt.; A. L. Vincent, Mrs. Susie Lynn and Mrs. M. E. McCarty, trustees. 18  
Mrs. M. E. McCarty was installing officer. She was assisted by Mrs. Della Johnson. 18  
Refreshments were served following the installation. 18

**Commandery Officers Installed**  
Officers for the Hood River Commandery, K. T., were installed as follows Tuesday night: E. O. Blanchard, C. C.; A. G. Lewis, G. C.; C. K. Marshall, C. G.; Truman Butler, treas.; A. D. Moe, rec.; C. W. McCullagh, S. W.; Geo. M. Sunday, J. W.; J. H. Hazlett, P.; E. L. Soeben, St. B.; Glenn B. Marsh, Sw. B.; O. B. Nye, W., and W. J. Baker, S. 18


**Duncan Says Highway is Good**  
A journey from here to Portland over the Columbia Highway is far better than one might expect according to R. A. Duncan, who returned home Sunday with his family from a holiday visit in Portland. 18  
"I drove my car both ways, leaving here Christmas day," says Mr. Duncan. "The going is fairly good except for some rough spots resulting from frozen points that had not been paved." 18

**Stockholders' Meeting**  
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hood River Apple Vinegar Company will be held in the rooms of the Commercial club at 1:30 p. m., Monday, January 12, 1920, for the purpose of electing three directors and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting. By order of the Board of Directors. Eldon R. Bradley, Secretary. 18

The popular Watkins medicinal goods, spices, flavoring, extracts and stock and poultry tones are again available in Hood River. Drop a card to Earl Beal, 1415 13th St., Hood River. 18-11

**NEW NAME**  
  
**THE HOOD CONFECTIONERY**  
will be known after  
May 1st, 1919, as  
**THE PHEASANT**  
No change in ownership

**Buy Shoes Now**  
Our Fall Stock arrived in December and is hardly touched, and is priced to you at figures we could not replace them for, at wholesale.  
We fit you carefully, and these days we can give each one more attention. We show a fine line of  
**BUTTON BOOTS**  
They are New.  
**LA VOGUE GARMENTS ON SALE**  
**FRANK A. CRAM**  
Ready-to-Wear Sale On

**FOREMOST IN THE FIELD**  
  
**OLYMPIC**  
The finest flour made on the Pacific Coast in the finest mill possible. Every precaution is taken to make it always uniform and we guarantee every sack we sell to give perfect satisfaction. Sold in 49 lb. Sacks, 24 1/2 lb. Sacks and 10 lb. Sacks, at

I know a man—  
He's a banker;  
He says he likes to eat at Hicks',  
Because he can get what he wants to eat,  
And also enjoy the company of other business men  
Who also like to eat there.  
And what pleases a banker isn't any too good for you—  
Nor too expensive—  
If you eat at  
**HICKS'**

**The Star Grocery**  
"Good Things to Eat"  
**PERIGO & SON**  
New School Term to Begin Soon  
The second semester of the public schools will open Monday, January 19. Parents who have beginning pupils should see that they enter the Coe school on the above date. Eighth grade examination will be held in the junior high school January 15 and 16. Regular semester examination will be given next week. Mrs. Bashfield had charge of the SA class four days during Christmas holidays. Miss Govette underwent a serious nasal operation during the vacation, but is able to resume her work after holidays.

**WANTED**  
Listings of improved properties in Hood River Valley.  
I have many inquiries for such property, and have been successful during the past year in finding responsible buyers for attractive orchards.  
At this time transfers are not active, but an early spring presages visitors who will be in earnest when looking at Hood River, and now is the time to place your property in the hands of one thoroughly familiar with conditions here.  
**R. E. SCOTT**  
Agent  
Real Estate Insurance Farm Loans

**BUY HOOD RIVER FLOUR**  
Having installed our new machinery, which has brought our Mill up-to-date in every respect, we are now putting on the local market three grades of Flour of our own make. These brands are  
**Blended Purity White Swan Bakers' Extra**  
They are from the HIGHLAND MILLING COMPANY'S MILL, and are of the same high grade as the cereals and stock and hog feeds that have made our Hood River Mill famous in this section.  
The prices of these new brands of Flour are such that every housewife who believes in practising economy should give them a trial, for our own experience has taught us that they are the equal in every respect of any of the high grade patent flours that are on the market today.  
Another reason why you should use these flours is that they are a Hood River product, produced with the most modern machinery known to the milling world.  
**Remember the Brands. See that your Grocer stocks them.**  
We will continue to make the famous Mill Feeds that are so much appreciated by stock raisers and dairymen of this valley.  
Every Sack carries a guarantee to be of "First Class," and on your first Sack you may save 20 cents by presenting the following coupon to your Grocer:

GIVE UNDERSIGNED ONE SACK OF  
**"Blended Purity"**  
Name .....  
Street .....

**Highland Milling Co.**

**Men's Outing Gowns \$1.98**  
Good heavy Outing Flannel, neatly trimmed. A mighty good buy at this time.

**Men's Outing Pajamas**  
Heavy Outing Flannel, one pocket, frog trimmed.  
1 piece, \$2.49; 2 piece, \$1.98

**Boys' 1-Piece Pajamas**  
Sizes 12-16. Good Outing Flannel. A real value at  
**\$1.69**

**Boys' Outing Gowns 98c**  
Sizes 10-16. Just a few left of these. A real buy.

**Ladies' Outing Flannel Skirts**  
A small quantity of these still remain in stock. They are wonderful skirts and are worth much more than we are asking for them. While they last  
**98c**

**Ladies' Ready-to-Wear**  
Now is a good time to pick up some real buys in our Ladies' ready-to-wear department. We still have a few Coats, Skirts and Dresses left from our fall purchases. These are all good numbers and are at least fifty per cent under prices that will prevail in the spring. It will pay you well to investigate.

**J. C. Penney Co.**  
Incorporated  
**197 BUSY STORES**