

ODELL

J. B. Lafferty, of Welser, Ida., has been here for a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. G. W. Lafferty; his brother, I. C. Lafferty, and sister, Mrs. W. F. Young. From here he went to Portland for a short stay before returning to his home.

Mrs. T. A. Boles, of the Odell hotel, left Thursday for San Fernando, Calif., where she will visit her son, Sam, who is ill. She will also visit other relatives.

Mrs. L. A. E. Clark went to Portland Sunday afternoon for a few days' visit with her husband and with friends.

J. H. Eggert and sons, Louis and Fred, of Bend, spent the week end and until Wednesday visiting relatives and friends in Odell, then went to Portland for a short visit with relatives.

George Cutler is planning on erecting a bungalow on the orchard tract leased from Messrs. Rover and Bates. The play, "Aron Slick From Puna Creek," presented by the high school pupils at the Grange hall last Friday evening, was very well attended and was a huge success. Each performer seemed peculiarly adapted to the part played. There is an abundance of talent in the high school this year, both histrionic and musical. The cabaret scene gave opportunity to introduce the very enjoyable Hawaiian guitar duet by Misses Ingham, numbers by the high school quartet, a solo dance by Miss Linda Udelius and a duet by Miss Vienna Annala and Mary Shute. The high school orchestra furnished music between acts. A candy table was conducted by the girls of the school. The door receipts and candy table together netted \$79. The play will be repeated next Friday night at the Odell Grange hall.

Mrs. Paul Hansen returned Sunday evening from Astoria, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Norman Shrum. Mrs. Shrum will remain with her mother until fully recovered.

Mrs. A. B. Shelley and three children were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Boyd.

Clarence Miller and Louis Plog spent Sunday and Monday in Portland, where they attended the auto show.

Miss Helen Coppel is recovering from an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids.

Mrs. G. E. Bowerman, Mrs. L. E. Rhoads and Mrs. Dean, entertained the Ladies' Aid with a valentine party at the home of Mrs. G. E. Bowerman Wednesday. The house was decorated in keeping with Valentine's day. The following program was enjoyed: Piano solo, Miss Irma Bowerman; reading, Mrs. John Wierick; vocal solo, Mrs. A. H. Ferguson; reading, Mrs. J. E. Ferguson. Valentine games were played, followed by dainty refreshments.

The announcements for the Christian church are as follows: Prayer meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:30, teachers' training class in connection Sunday school at 10 a. m., followed at 11 o'clock by preaching by Rev. C. W. Johnson. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 and preaching at 8:30. Beginning next Sunday evening revival services will be held. Rev. Johnson will be assisted by another minister.

The ways and means committee of the Parent-Teacher association will hold a box social and entertainment at the Odell Grange hall Friday, the 13th, at 12 minutes till 8. The proceeds will go for the hot lunch fund at the grade school. Further notice will appear next week.

The Odd Fellows lodge plans on putting up a modern two-story hall in Odell some time in the near future. Details will be decided on and announced later.

The Sunday school night of the M. E. church will be held Thursday, February 12. Supper will be served at 6:30 and at 7:30 the following program will be presented: Prayer and Scripture, A. L. Weinheimer; address, "Opening and Closing Worship," by S. N. Taylor and Allison Fletcher; "The Weekly Bible School," Mrs. J. E. Ferguson, Music in charge of Miss Ferrin.

The executive council of the Epworth League of Lake Institute will meet at the Asbury M. E. church February 10. The Odell league will be represented at the council by Rev. W. S. Gleaser, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McKeown and Allison Fletcher.

At 10 o'clock at the M. E. church Sunday morning, Rev. Gleaser's class will present a short Chinese missionary play, Miss Marguerite Ferrin will play a violin solo. At 11 o'clock preaching services in charge of Rev. Gleaser, Junior church at 6:30, Zoe Scott, leader. Next Sunday evening is "Parent's Night." At 7:15, Epworth League, Horace Gilkinson, leader. The topic is "China." At 8 o'clock Rev. Gleaser will deliver the first of a series of sermons on "Young Men's Affairs—His Education."

The Junior church supper held last Wednesday night was a success, in spite of the unpleasantly wet weather. The youngsters served the splendid dinner and conducted their program as well. This is wonderful training for the Junior church members, preparing them to play an active part in their later church life.

Wednesday of last week some 40 of the local I. O. O. F. attended the district convention in The Dalles. A degree drill was put on by the degree team from Odell.

The Pomona grange met at Pine Grove Wednesday. Representatives of all local granges were present. A delicious dinner was served at noon.

The Ladies' Aid will give a Washington's birthday party Friday, February 20, at 8 o'clock. A very fine program, of local talent will be presented, followed by a cafeteria lunch. Games and a social evening will be enjoyed. Full details, as to place, etc., will appear in next week's paper.

PINE GROVE

Miss Tomkins, with the eighth grade, visited the creamery last Friday morning. They were given a demonstration of every phase of work in connection with cream, butter and ice cream. Mr. Black also made a freezer of ice cream for them.

The dance last Thursday evening was very successful socially and financially. Over \$100 have been turned over to the hot lunch fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blackman and Mrs. Joe Vannier went to Portland last Friday for the week end. Saturday Mrs. Vannier was a guest of Mrs. L. C. Sonnenman at a matinee of "Madame Butterfly."

Miss Florence Clark left last week for California in company with Miss May Davidson.

The Walkover club was entertained by Mrs. H. J. Graff, assisted by Mrs.

ARTHUR GRAFF, last Saturday evening.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Bryan and Mr. Page, and Mr. and Mrs. Radford. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Bickford spent several days in Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Clark were called to The Dalles this week by the death of Mrs. Clark's sister, Mrs. Lulu Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dragseth left for Portland yesterday and will spend the remainder of the week at Seaside.

Mrs. M. A. Scobee entertained Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Yoder. The occasion was Mr. Yoder's birthday and Mrs. Yoder is to leave next week for a three months' visit with her mother in Lansing, Mich.

A masquerade dance will be given by the Grange Thursday evening, February 12. Music by Howard's Aces of Melody.

Howard Shoemaker left Tuesday for Salem in the interests of the experimental station for Hood River county.

Mrs. E. E. Lage and son, George, who has been ill in Long Beach, Calif., for the past month, left for home Tuesday.

Mrs. Howard Shoemaker will entertain the Amicus club Thursday, February 12.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Frank Detman this afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Ross came from The Dalles Tuesday to assist Mrs. Radford and Mrs. Page with the luncheon at the Aloha club.

Social Grange Saturday evening.

BARRETT

Wm. Terrill, of the Mosier district, and Elder A. G. Dix were dinner guests last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. John Griffith.

Mrs. C. E. Nesbit entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Valley Christian church Thursday afternoon. They had a social hour and yearly election of officers.

Mrs. George Mercer has been sick the past week.

Mrs. Guy Crapper entertained the Home and Foreign Missionary society of Advent Christian church Thursday afternoon. Her father, A. G. Dix, gave a very interesting talk on the work in Italy and China, showing pictures of the grounds and buildings belonging to the society.

Mr. and Mrs. David Upton, of Hood River, were visitors at the John Griffith home Sunday.

Elder Dix, conference evangelist, closed his meetings Thursday night in order to commence at Hillsboro Friday night.

Mr. Colvin, who sustained a broken arm while cranking his car recently, is recovering slowly.

Elder Guy Emery and family, of Portland, motored up Sunday and visited at the Roy Hays home.

Miss Bonnie Parker spent the week end with her cousins, Nellie and Dorsey Crapper.

Elder Kuhnly, of Troutdale, was a dinner guest Sunday of Mrs. M. Scroggins and family.

Elder W. L. Cotton will preach at Advent Christian church next Sunday and Elder A. F. Linn will preach the following Sunday.

T. H. Acree is spending a few weeks visiting home folks in Iowa.

Elder Guy Emery and family spent the week end with the Roy Hays family and other friends.

Elder Cotton preached a very interesting sermon at Advent Christian church Sunday.

Miss John Griffith visited Mrs. W. L. Cotton Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Thorsbury, Mrs. Colvin and Mrs. Fred Gilcher visited Mrs. Guy Crapper Thursday afternoon.

Elder A. F. Linn will preach Sunday morning at the Advent Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Crapper and children spent Sunday evening with Elder Cotton's family.

Miss Edith Anderson returned to Portland Sunday afternoon with Elder Emery and wife, after spending the week end with her father, Geo. Anderson, and sister, Mrs. Roy Hays.

Mrs. Geo. Easterly and Mrs. C. E. Nesbit called on Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Linn Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Crapper and son, James, spent Wednesday afternoon at the home of W. L. Cotton.

OAK GROVE

Oak Grove has had two deaths the past week. Last Thursday evening the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Kelzer died of heart trouble at the Hood River hospital. Sunday morning C. J. Chaffee, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Hood River hospital, passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. Eino Jakku are spending a few weeks at Seattle.

Mrs. Clyde Burke, who has been suffering from rheumatism this winter, has gone to Hot Lake Sanatorium for treatment. She is reported as improving already.

Friday, the 13th, is the next regular Parent-Teacher association meeting. It was decided to hold this month's meeting in the evening in order that the men folk might have a chance to attend. There will be the regular business, followed by an interesting program and also a few "extras."

All the patrons of the school are requested to be present, whether they have joined the association or not. Remember the date, the 13th, a week from tomorrow night.

Herman Pregge has rented a place across the river in the Underwood district and will move his family over there in the near future.

Otto Horn is sporting a new Star car and S. Asai has a new Chevrolet. Mrs. Ball is reported on the sick list.

Hella Annala spent a few days last week visiting relatives in Pine Grove.

Arne Tukari is in Portland for a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. Francis Rowling.

A number of the friends of Dorothy Davis surprised her last Wednesday when they called to help her celebrate her birthday.

Misses Erna Annala and Dorothy Davis, who did not attend high school last semester, started again last week.

Mrs. Hakel, who has been having tonsillitis, is much better.

Mrs. Otto Horn and Mrs. Paul Bailey spent Saturday in Portland. Mrs. Gordon Burke has joined her husband, who is visiting his brother, Clyde Burke.

CENTRAL VALE

The regular meeting of the Central Vale Parent-Teacher association was postponed from Monday till Thursday (tonight). It is hoped a large number will be present to discuss club

work as well as enjoy the program. Refreshments will be served. It is desired to open the meeting at 7:30, so please be prompt.

Mr. McCoy and family, who lived on the L. E. Roberts place in Duane Valley, have moved to the Odell district, as the ranch has been sold to H. Osborne, who with his family took possession Saturday.

Elizabeth Jacqueline is the name of the little daughter, who was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Lester January 26 at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lester.

The Mother's club held a very pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. M. D. Downing last Thursday, although not many were present because of the extremely disagreeable weather we had been having. The next meeting will be held February 12 at the home of Mrs. Jas. Fletcher.

Leonard Fletcher was a Portland visitor last week and end.

Miss Ruth Ingalls returned to school Monday, after a week at home recovering from an adenoid operation.

DEE

E. H. Greene returned Tuesday of last week from a month's vacation spent in travel through the southern states and Mexico. Mr. Greene reports a very pleasant trip and that the portions of the south he visited are enjoying prosperity. It was his first vacation in 18 years. Monday morning he commenced another 18-year session and looked happy to be at it again.

Mrs. A. K. West and small sons are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Wierick.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Stauffer will be sorry to hear of the critical illness of their daughter, Evelyn, from complications following an attack of whooping cough at their home in Del Rey, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Church spent several days in Portland the first part of last week, returning home Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Campbell, of Hood River, is visiting at the M. R. Catherwood home.

Mrs. Hoops left Wednesday for Kelso, Wash., to spend a week with her daughter.

If you are complaining about so much rain, try to remember how it was nine years ago when it was all snow.

MOUNT HOOD

January 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Henderson and son, Adelbert, returned to their home at Philomath last Wednesday.

Mrs. Olive Hebard and Mrs. Henry Hardt, of Hood River, spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Ida F. Everson.

J. B. Doggett went to The Dalles Monday evening to attend a federal loan meeting.

Miss Dorothy Johnson has returned from Hood River.

February 5.

George Hanel was a business visitor at Hood River Saturday.

Charles Shaw has a crew of men working on the East Fork ditch.

Donald and Leonard Sheldrake were over from Parkdale a few days visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Ida F. Everson.

George Hanel bought the stock of goods from J. H. Sheldrake at Parkdale and took possession February 2.

Preparations are under way for a Parent-Teacher social in February.

PARKDALE

The new year started with the wettest month on record, there having been only one day without precipitation this year. The monthly summary is as follows: Mean maximum, 43.4; mean minimum, 31.34; mean, 37.35; maximum, 53 degrees on 30th; minimum, 20 degrees, 15th; greatest daily range 25 degrees, 30th; precipitation total, 12.59 inches; greatest in 24 hours, 1.30 inches on the 4th; number of days with rain, 30; clear, 2; part cloudy, 11; cloudy, 18.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kitchell, Monday morning, February 2, a fine boy. Both mother and son are doing well.

Don't forget the big vaudeville in McIsaac's hall next Saturday evening when Walton, Blake and Van Nys will put on their "Evening of Fun." The proceeds from this entertainment will go towards providing the Boy Scouts equipment at their summer camp. A full house is expected, so please be on time, 7:30 p. m. prompt.

Last Saturday Daniel Davies had the misfortune to rip the flesh from the muscles of his arm while playing on the horizontal bar in the high school. A doctor was called from Hood River, who sewed up the wound.

Next Wednesday we are going to have a treat. By special request the former has engaged the First National picture, "Daddy," with Jackie Coogan as the star. This is a picture suitable for all the family and especially for the youngsters.

Next Thursday in the Odd Fellows hall the local Rebekah lodge will give a basket social and entertainment. A good time is promised and everybody is invited. The fun will start at 8 p. m.

The local high school was defeated in their first basketball game of the season last Friday evening by the boys of Cascade Locks. Although they lost by the score of 14 to 8, the local boys showed up very well for the scant practice they have had.

Tom Davis moved his family into the Fred Slaton house last week.

O. M. Bailey received a letter recently from his sister, Miss Hattie Bailey, now living in Washington, D. C., telling him of purchasing a '40 pear grown by A. J. Brunquist and finding them in excellent condition.

J. H. Sheldrake has moved into his house, formerly occupied by T. Davis. Geo. Hanel took possession of the Sheldrake store Monday.

Mrs. Huggins came from eastern Oregon Sunday to visit with her son, Orin Gibbs, and see her new grandson.

We regret to say the first game of basketball played by the high school this year was lost to the Cascade Locks team 11 to 9. Nevertheless it was a good game.

Daniel Davies tore the flesh of the upper right arm quite badly Friday noon while playing in the high school gymnasium.

The Woman's Missionary society held a bake sale Saturday in McIsaac's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gibbs went

to eastern Oregon Sunday. Mr. Gibbs is having his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Basler returned Friday from a two weeks' trip in the eastern part of the state and Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Demmon are visiting Mrs. Demmon's sister in eastern Oregon.

H. F. Goodlander was taken to the Hood River hospital Sunday suffering with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Tod Culbertson underwent an operation at her home Sunday.

The stork visited Hood River Sunday and left a son with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Kitchell.

The attendance at Grange Monday was small. Too nice weather for pruning.

Perhaps friends of the schools would be interested to know that the high school enrollment for this year is as follows: At the beginning of the year, September, 1924, 54; at the end of the first semester, 58; average, 56, while last year for the same period of time, 45 at beginning; 51 at end of first semester, average 48.

Thursday, February 12, the Oregon Grape Rebekah lodge will have a valentine social in their hall in the Sheldrake building. Everyone is invited. Ladies, bring fancy decorated and filled baskets to please the men.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gunn and Miss Wells were all in attendance at the light opera, "Madame Butterfly," in Portland Saturday.

H. F. Allen spent the week end in Parkdale, coming up from Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halvorson, from Dee, have moved onto the Allen place.

No man or woman, no matter what he thinks, and no matter how he feels can afford to stay away habitually from the place of praise and prayer. Public worship humanizes him. It molds us. It quickens the brain. It sweetens the heart. It lightens the load. It smooths the way. It brightens the sky.

Mr. Hutchinson next Sunday morning will convince you that religion is a bridge—not a burden. Don't wait until Easter Sunday—come next Sunday. Church school and forum at 10:15; worship with sermon by the pastor at 11:30. There will be special musical numbers. The young people's meeting at 6:45 and preaching service in the Mt. Hood church at 7:45. Everybody welcome.

At the forum meeting Wednesday evening Frank Wertgen led a discussion on cooperative government in New Zealand and Australia. The meeting voted unanimously in favor of the ratification of the Child Labor amendment. It also favored by unanimous vote the continuation of the state prohibition commission. A resolution was passed requesting our representative at the legislature to introduce a measure providing for the licensing of dance halls and non-houses outside of incorporated cities. Mr. Hazlett has acknowledged the receipt of the resolution and informs us that a bill is before the house to meet the requirements set in the resolution by the forum.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Ottillie Stoll Zweigart

Ottillie Stoll was born in Concordia, Mo., October 10, 1880. She was married to Fred P. Zweigart in Alma, Mo., April 19, 1897. To this union were born seven children. One daughter, Opal Esther, died in infancy. Those living are Dewey Zweigart and Mrs. J. N. Nofzinger, both of Portland, and Sherman, Henry, Clarence and Mariana, of Hood River. These with the husband are left to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Zweigart was an earnest, Christian woman. She had been a member of the Missionary Alliance church for about 14 years, where she was a faithful Sunday school teacher, laboring beyond her strength as teacher of a class of little girls. Her interest in the Lord's work continued until the very last.

She passed away to be with Christ January 27, 1925, at the age of 44 years, three months and 17 days. Mrs. Zweigart will be greatly missed by a large host of friends, and especially by the Sunday school and church where she labored so faithfully.

Blessed are the dead that die in the Lord, that they may rest from their labors and their works do follow them.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2:30 from the Alliance tabernacle, conducted by Rev. A. E. Hall. The text used was Gen. 47:9 and 48:15, 16. The subject was "A Two-Fold View of Life." Burial was in Idlewild cemetery.—Contributed.

Mrs. W. E. Dabney

News was received here Monday of the death in Los Angeles Sunday of Mrs. W. E. Dabney, former local resident. Mrs. Dabney, whose maiden name was Una Canning, moved to California several years ago. She was a large host of friends and her husband, who was in business here many years, were pioneer Hood River residents.

Funeral services were held in Los Angeles Monday.

Manuel Francis Keizer

Funeral services for Manuel Francis, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Keizer, of the Oak Grove district, were held Saturday at the Christian and Missionary Alliance church, Rev. C. H. Hall officiating. Interment followed at Idlewild cemetery.

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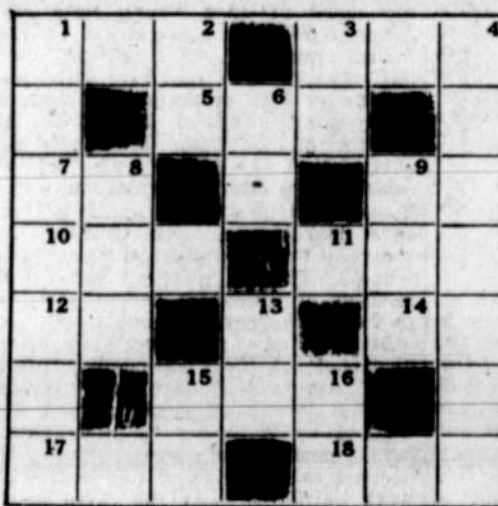
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If you don't like the car we have selected—we will credit you with \$100.00 on the purchase of any other used car we have in stock.

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| 1. Given name of a Pres. of the U. S. (abbr.) | 1. The middle part of a town |
| 2. Hard shell wheat | 2. Behold |
| 3. Net within | 3. Biblical abbreviation |
| 4. A reply | 4. A place where auto trimming is done |
| 5. Engine rating (abbr.) | 5. A country (abbr.) |