

Established 1899



As we approach this year's end look forward toward the beginning of the New Year. It is our wish for the orchardists of Hood River that they may in retrospective mood feel a satisfaction in a realization that they have done their part in producing a portion of the nation's finest apple tonnage. May we tell Hood River orchardists that they should face the coming apple season with a spirit of confidence. The care they expend on their fruit trees deserves and will win ultimate success.

To growers who are our patrons, we wish to express our thanks. To all growers we express the hope that we may become better acquainted. We may, with pardonable pride, we think, point to the stability of our fruit sales organization. Our organization is based on the best business principles and integrity extending over a period of many decades. It is our hope to become a constant, honored and respected factor in the orcharding industry of the Northwest.

We wish you a Merry Christmas.

SGOBEL & DAY

By J. Arthur Riggs and Paul Mc Kercher.

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Christian Church

Come and worship with us next Lordsday. The Bible school at 9.45 a. m. A. B. Cash, Supt. Preaching at 11 a. m. Topic, "The Christmas Message to the Church." The Christmas program will be given by the Bible school at 7.30 p. m. Come and enjoy the exercises and share the Christmas cheer. A. welcome to all. J. C. Hanna, Pastor.

W. L. CLARK SEEKS WATER OFFICE JOB

W. L. Clark, formerly superintendent of the locks of the Columbia at Cascade Locks and for the past two years a member of the staff of the state highway department, has applied for the position of superintendent of the municipal water department here which will be vacant in early January, when the resignation of W. F. Price will expire. Mr. Clark, who is a civil engineer, was engaged in pioneer days with his father in laying out section lines of the mid-Columbia district. Others who have applied several weeks ago for the office are: Thomas Lacey, Joseph Frazier, Jr., and J. F. Johnson, the latter of Junction City. It is reported that an application will also be made by J. K. Carson.

Oak Grove Corner Grocery Club

The club members at the last meeting were disturbed by a six-footer coming into the office and without any formality, asked if we had any pocket books. Mr. Fenwick finally became normal and replied, "Yes." The gentleman of no small proportions said, "Let me see them." The store manager proceeded to show him the stock and the stranger selected the largest book and said, "Thanks" and "Charge it." "And left without any introduction. We think he must be one of the East Side growers, as no West Side grower would have use for so large a pocket book.

The young men of the Oak Grove district are organizing a club of 25 or 30 members to buy a pool table. Anyone who may know of a table that can be bought at a reasonable price address Frank Fenwick. The boys so far have not been able to find satisfactory accommodations and if they are unable to find a place the Corner Grocery Club will arrange room for the boys in the Oak Grove Store.

One of the members of the club received for Christmas last year a beautiful as well as useful and soon after received a bill for same. This gentleman desires to inform his friends that he can have and enjoy a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year without any donations other than cash.

G. A. McCurdy is once more enjoying the winter sports, coasting down the hill to the store. The boys bring the sled back up the hill after school hours.

One of the members of the club, after reading about the auction price on apples at New York and Boston declares he is going to pull his apple trees out and start raising goats for which he can have a home market at The Lakes.

Clyde Birk was seen with a sawed-off shotgun watching the clouds for a flock of lost geese going north. Mr. Birk says that since he had a small slice of the goose his wife shot, he has developed an appetite for more geese.

W. S. Crapper is convalescing after some strenuous service on the jury. This accounts for his being absent at the club meetings. Bill says he will be present at the next meeting to take care of his official duties.

The Green Point road is so free from snow that the ranchers are complaining about having no good sledding. However, the mail is being delivered on regular schedule.

S. L. Banks has intimated that if the club will arrange for an old time hay rack party he will furnish the Eastern oysters. Mrs. Banks endorses the suggestion and says she will assist the Parent-Teachers in serving the oyster soup at the school house. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Dunn.

Mrs. Dunn, Mrs. Banks, Mrs. McCurdy, Mrs. John Stranahan, Mrs. Birk and Mrs. Lemmon have asked for honorary membership in the Corner Grocery Club. The request was passed unanimously by a standing vote. Initiation will take place at the next smoker, February 30, 1923.

A. W. Stone, general manager of the Apple Growers Association, has gone to California for three weeks of business and pleasure. P. S. Goodbye, Christmas checks for the growers. The club members were informed through a reliable source that A. I. Mason, proprietor and director for the East Side, most emphatically refused to permit the county court to grade and gravel our West Side road from the Columbia River Highway to the Country Golf Club. Mr. Mason need not worry as the Corner Grocery Club, Oak Grove, Hood River county, has arranged to pay the bill. Anything worth having we can and will have in the Oak Grove district.

Mr. Lemmon announced at the club meeting December 14 that he was celebrating his 41st anniversary and declared that in 1881 the preacher tied a "not" that was not a slip "not." Mr. and Mrs. Lemmon are enjoying the winter if not the highway. John Baker, district attorney, wrote Mr. and Mrs. Lemmon as follows: "Forty-one years is a long time for a woman to be tied up to the same man. That fact speaks well for you both, and I hasten to congratulate. It is surely fine that you are both so well preserved, in body and spirit, and enjoy life seemingly better than most married people do at half your age. Here is hoping that I may be present at your Golden Wedding, nine years from now, and then again 10 years and 20 years later. Moreover, I want to be your 'best man' at that joyous occasion."

Boy Asks Marriage Annulled

Less than one month of married life was enough for Crawford Wood, 17 years old, who married Catherine Cochrane, 16, in Hood River November 28. The boy Thursday filed a petition in the circuit court at The Dalles asking that his mother, Mrs. Alice G. Wood, be named his guardian, in order that she might file suit for annulment of the marriage. This order was granted by Judge Wilson and the action for annulment was filed.

The children slipped away to Hood River and obtained a license by swearing that they were of legal age, it was alleged in the complaint. J. W. Haynes, said to be the grandfather of the girl, made an affidavit that the age of the marriage applicants were legal, the complaint set forth.

Last Bend Man Found Here

Ernest F. Dick, Bend man, who disappeared Friday from a Portland hospital, was located at the Hotel Oregon Saturday night. Mrs. Dick and her sister, Mrs. J. A. Knight, of Bend, arrived Saturday night to take care of Mr. Dick, who has been suffering from a nervous breakdown. They left Sunday to return to Portland.

Mr. Dick arrived here Friday by train. He registered at the hotel immediately. His actions were normal and attracted no attention.

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YULETIDE AND NEW YEAR'S GREETINGS



IT IS OUR WISH that all of you have a most Merry Christmas and that the New Year may be filled with desires and ambitions attained.

In extending our greetings we would call your attention to the service we propose to offer the Hood River housewives. We have established bakeries equipped with the most modern machinery. We wish to merit your patronage by a service that will win your approbation. We want to be known here at home for the consistent quality of our goods. We ask your approval and support for the general good of Hood River.

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