

CORRESPONDENCE

SCAPPOOSE

J. Boukal lost a cow by drowning in the creek.

Miss Gypsy Johnson assisted in the bank on Tuesday.

The camp people experienced a nice snowfall on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Milloy spent Thanksgiving in Astoria.

Dewey Adams has returned to Scappoose for the winter.

L. G. Allen shipped a carload of potatoes east on Tuesday.

Mrs. Havalak, who has been quite sick, is reported very much improved.

John Cholick has come from Lakefield, Minn., to assist in the Havalak store.

M. J. Butler is confined to his home with another attack of lumbago.

Mr. Strauser has purchased a horse and will enter into the spirit of ranch life.

Mrs. Gordon and children of Knappa visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawson.

Victor Watts spent the latter part of the week visiting his cousin George Hartness in Portland.

Samuel Connell, of Portland, was here looking after the interests of the Northwest Sash & Dood Co.

Mrs. George Grant spent Thanksgiving week with her daughter, Mrs. Cal. Weaver, at McCleary, Wash.

G. Hegele shipped a carload of potatoes last week and still there are some potatoes left in our town.

Roy Freeman has been overhauling and remodeling the meat shop and making several improvements.

L. G. Allen ate turkey with a bunch of the Portland 409 and came home looking fine and reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Watts and daughter Hazel went to Portland Sunday to hear the Symphony Orchestra.

Mr. Crowley is living bachelor style for a few days. Mrs. Crowley is in Portland looking after her 7½ pound grandson who was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mann recently.

What's the matter with Niblock's clock? It has long regulated the sun, moon and stars, and the Rainer Jitney, and all of Scappoose set their timepieces by that everlasting clock, but now nobody has the correct time and the trains are never on time; nobody knows when to go to bed or get up. Niblock says he intends to send it to the clock hospital in Portland. We hope it will happen soon or we will vote to have it laid on the shelf with grandfather's clock.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hill in South Scappoose gave them a pleasant surprise party Thanksgiving night. Mr. Hill's brother, H. Bennett, from Denver, Colo., is visiting at the Hill home.

Miss Ruby Tipton and little Goldie Grewell returned home from their visit with Miss Tipton's parents at Hillsboro during the holiday week.

The Scappoose High School Alumni held its first annual banquet and ball in the Watts & Price hall November 29. The guests were the class of '17 at the banquet, and the high school students joined in tripping the light fantastic.

Ruth Duncan, May Novak, Watts Price, Loren Johnson, Chas. Leonard and Mr. Washburn were all home

for turkey and most of them returned to their school work on Sunday.

A large number of neighbors and friends went to Warren Sunday to attend the funeral of Iona Tompkins. Iona was a member of our school and Sunday school, and the Tompkins family had only moved away a few weeks ago in hopes of finding health for her in a lighter atmosphere. Many friends here extend sympathy to the family.

The Canyon school board has purchased more land to add to their school grounds. The land was bought of Chas. Burgstrom.

James Pomeroy and family spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Pomeroy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colwell, of Portland.

Miss Ellaree Butler and Chauncey Butler, of Portland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Butler, Sunday, bringing with them as guests Miss Isabella King and Al. Hackett.

Mrs. M. J. Watts and Miss Neva Boyle entertained their mother, Mrs. E. C. Boyle; a sister, Mrs. J. W. Lincoln; an only brother, V. J. Boyle and wife and baby, all of Atwater, Ohio; a sister, Mrs. C. M. Hartness, and son George of Portland, at dinner Thanksgiving day. It was a jolly reunion after a separation of twenty-five years.

Mrs. E. M. Watts and daughter Maude, the J. G. Watts family, the N. A. Perry family, and the D. W. Price family held the Watts Thanksgiving in the Watts & Price hall, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spencer, of Oregon City, and Roy Price and wife, of Portland, were guests. Dinner was served at noon, and the afternoon was spent in games and song. Lunch was served in the evening, followed by entertaining friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society held its annual bazaar Saturday, December 1, from 2 to 8 p. m., at the church. The ladies were busy all afternoon, selling fancy work and plain articles. A cafeteria lunch was served at 6 o'clock, after which a very enjoyable program, in charge of Miss Ardath Hager, was given. The chairman, Mrs. Frances Pomeroy, reported that everything had been sold, with more than \$65 on hand, and that the ladies wished to thank one and all for the interest that had been shown.

WARREN

Miss Matilda Carlson was a Portland visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. C. J. Larson and daughter Anna spent Saturday in Portland.

Ernest Anderson is home again, after spending the summer and fall in Bend, Oregon.

Services were held at the Evangelical church Sunday evening.

The Dorcas society of the Lutheran church will meet Saturday afternoon at Aug. Larson's home.

A. L. Larson and daughter Myrtle spent Saturday in Portland.

Messrs. Ross Spalding and Ray Duncan left for Portland Sunday to secure work in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. DeSpain and daughter spent Thanksgiving day with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Tarbell.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the creamery association meeting in St. Helens Saturday. All report a most enjoyable day.

The big benefit concert to be given by the pupils of the Warren school at Erickson's hall tomorrow night promises to be a great success. The

program in part will be the presentation of the minstrel show "Rufus Jackson Brown," and this is sure to make a hit. Another part of the program which will be attractive is the program arranged by Emil Enna, pianist, who will be assisted by Chas. South, violinist, and Mrs. Mabel Ryder Williams, as accompanist. The proceeds of the big show will be used to buy a piano for the school use. The admission is only 25 cents, and all are cordially invited.

The high school has just received several Greek and Roman history reference books from the state library. These, with those already in the school library, make one of the best ancient history reference libraries in the county.

The last apportionment of school library books has just arrived, and the librarian is kept very busy loaning out the new books, checking up, cataloguing, etc.

Prof. G. A. W. Russell, of Washington county and father of Prof. C. J. Russell, visited school last Friday and gave an interesting talk to the student body.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical church will hold a bazaar Saturday, December 16. Don't fail to attend.

Ross Spalding, who is taking an electrical engineering course at the Y. M. C. A. engineering school, spent Thanksgiving with his parents.

Miss Ruth Peterson visited her parents Sunday.

Miss Violet Smith and Hazel Ewing returned to Portland after visiting friends here.

Wm. Hammerback left Saturday for California.

A big benefit concert and musical comedy will be given by the school next Saturday at Erickson's hall. If you haven't laughed since you lost your election bet come out Saturday night. It'll be a "sure nut" gloom chaser.

Frank Deeler has returned to his old school seat. The old seat was beginning to look really neglected, but it has cheered up considerably now.

Tuesday morning the school was visited by Supt. Allen and Miss Cowgill, from the O. A. C., who gave us interesting talks on the industrial work.

WEST ST. HELENS

G. W. Brown and family visited at the home of William McIntyre near Rainer over Thanksgiving.

The pupils of Mr. Lake's and Miss Frantz' rooms will have a joint program next Friday. The sixth and seventh grades will debate the question: "Resolved, that the firemen render better service to a country than the policemen."

Miss Ethel Matthews and mother were shopping in Portland during the week's end.

Dr. Fuller, from Hood River, has been visiting with D. R. Cole and family this week.

Mrs. D. R. Cole was visiting at Wauna with her daughter the past few days.

Miss Marguerite Miller visited at the home of Clarence Masten Tuesday.

Houlton M. E. church has a new pastor. Rev. Sleith will have the work for the coming year.

Miss Weist spent her vacation in Portland with home folks.

Arthur Cox has moved into his new home just completed.

TRENHOLM

Mrs. Mada Griffith spent Thanksgiving week with her mother at Warren, Wash.

Mrs. Eversaul attended a family reunion at her mother's home in St. Helens.

Mrs. Tatro visited her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Kelley, of St. Helens, Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Brockway entertained Thanksgiving day for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. McNabb, Melissa Cullen and Mr. Hunter, of Portland.

H. M. McCallister and Miss Esther Mannus, of Astoria, were married at Vancouver Saturday noon, December 2. Mr. McCallister is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCallister, of Trenehelm.

Mrs. H. J. McCallister and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCallister spent the week end in Portland.

The Brown and McCallister families held a family reunion at the McCallister home Thanksgiving day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. McCallister, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCallister, Mrs. G. E. Lewis, Agnes Brown, Irving Brown, Lane Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Morgan and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown and children, of Portland; Miss Ethel Mannus and H. M. McCallister, of Astoria.

A Thanksgiving program was given Wednesday, November 29, at the schoolhouse.

DEER ISLAND

The members of the Boy Scout Club met in the Artisan hall Saturday evening. The boys enjoy the work done by Mr. Koenig, their leader.

Several of the Deer Island people enjoyed the dance at Goble. They report having had a grand time.

Don't forget the date, December 23—dance at Deer Island.

Miss Hammer is spending a few days home with her parents.

Miss Hamill and her mother have moved to Deer Island, where Miss Hamill is teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Judsch spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Mills.

Jack Appleton and family enjoyed Thanksgiving at the home of S. L. Butler.

The storm Saturday night blew a tree across the Caanan road, which saved the horses.

Mr. Dodson was a St. Helens visitor Monday.

Mr. Brockus was transacting business in St. Helens on Monday.

The wood saw is in town. That is right—winter is coming.

Mr. Hammer has installed a telephone in his home.

Misses Midge Morrell and Ruth Hunter spent Thanksgiving home with their parents.

BACHELOR FLAT

It looked very much like winter this morning, as there was about one inch of snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Carlson, of Rainer, visited last week with Mrs. Carlson's brother, Guy Lillich.

Mr. Nelgie has been real busy of late hauling Christmas trees.

There was a very interesting school meeting here last week. Mr. Jacobson was elected as director to fill the vacancy left by Mr. Morton. Many important matters were discussed. A three mill tax was levied, which is not nearly sufficient to carry on the school. It was decided to dispense with one month of the school term, making an eight-months term. It seems a pity that when people have children they will not try to give them all the advantages in the way of an education that they can. The advantages in the county are poor enough at best without making the term shorter.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Saxton spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. White, of West St. Helens.

Mrs. Ida Lillich and little daughter Minnie visited a couple of days in St. Helens last week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin White.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jacobson visited in St. Helens last Thursday. They came home looking as though they had had a very good dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lillich, of Quincy, spent Saturday and Sunday with their son and family, Guy Lillich. They expect to visit a daughter in Portland before returning home.

Mr. Bumgardner was doing business in St. Helens today.

The dairy inspector has been busy of late, visiting the many homes in this section.

SCHOOL FOR POTATO GROWERS

"About 80 per cent of Oregon potatoes are Burbanks, undoubtedly the best general variety for the state," says Prof. G. R. Hyslop, who will conduct a potato school during the winter short course at O. A. C. Community varieties and types, as well as culture, harvesting, marketing and improving the types, will be studied and illustrated. Details of the course are when and how to plant, how many eyes to the piece, and hill-to-row methods of seed selection, with suitable demonstrations. Protection of the potato crop from the tuber moth and other insects, and from scab, rhizoctonia, wilt and other diseases, will be explained in a plain way that can be practiced by intelligent growers.

"The potato industry is a very important one in Oregon and offers good financial returns to all farmers who are informed on the principles of production," says Professor Hyslop. "It is because there is need of more explicit information on potato production that the course is offered."

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To Exchange—A house and lot 60 x100, 33 3/4 and N street, Vancouver, Wash., valued at \$600.00, to exchange for house and lot in St. Helens. Jan. Dunn, Box 271, St. Helens.

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Lost—An Alredale dog answering to name of Rex. Finder please notify the Mist.

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