

## Jordan Jingles

Mrs. T. H. Thomas and Mrs. Sarah Cox of Stayton are spending Christmas in Springfield with Mrs. Cox's son J. A. Cox of that city.

Mrs. Mary Privet of Washington is visiting her mother, Mrs. Evaline Shelton.

T. H. Thomas, Mrs. Tom Phillips and Mrs. Mary Privet were Stayton visitors Monday.

Wm. Brotherton and wife were in Stayton Saturday visiting at the E. Shepherd home.

Percy Thomas is visiting in Lebanon this week.

Arch Kimsey and Enos Goodman visited at the T. H. Thomas home last week.

## Lyons and Fox Valley

The children in Miss Pruner's room gave a nice program last Friday afternoon. They also had a fine tree.

The Fox Valley school gave a very nice entertainment and box supper last Friday evening.

The Artisans had an entertainment and oyster supper last Saturday evening.

Mr. Wiley has been quite sick but is better now.

Jack Johnston had a runaway last week. No damage done except a broken buggy.

Junior League every other Sunday at 2 p. m. All children are cordially invited.

## West Stayton

Mrs. C. F. Loose and son were Stayton visitors Monday.

Lizzie Dively visited with Stayton friends last week.

Mrs. Jessup, Leona Forrette and brother were Salem visitors Friday.

Mrs. Cassie York, of Portland visited with home folks the past few weeks, returning home Saturday.

Master Andy Tripp, who has been suffering from an attack of appendicitis, is able to be around again.

Vera Mack is staying with her grandmother Mrs. Briggs.

Jessie McInnis was a Portland visitor over Sunday.

Geo. Sherrick made a trip to Stayton the first of the week.

Maharaja

Somebody has called Huerta of Mexico "a man of iron." Scrap iron?

A wise man worries over lots of things that a fool never thinks of.

Everybody in Mexico smokes cigarettes. Possibly that has something to do with the situation.

An aviator says that this is the right time for a flight across the Atlantic. Perhaps the ocean is dryer than usual.

A lock of the poet Goethe's hair was sold the other day for \$2,000. So you see poet's hair is good for something after all.

Automobiles are being used for herding cattle on some of the Western ranches. Might send the speed fiends out there.

President Wilson has been kept from an attack of la grippe by the White House looking for other places to germs.

It is stated that the Congressionaries into the cost of living will be "far reaching." That is because they think the cost is high.

## THE CHRISTMAS TREE

Christmas has come with its sorrows and joys, bringing banty with his loads of toys. Girls and boys both rich and poor, all look for him as they have before. But in whatever station in life we stand, the thought comes back to woman and man, of the times they had in the long ago, when their stockings were filled from top to toe with sled and dolls and skates and knife, candy and nuts and harp and fife.

Then we were as happy as kids could be and each other's toys we'd rush to see. Now whether we're filled with sorrow or joys let us remember the girls and boys, and give them a chance where ere they be to look on the shining Christmas tree.

There was Susan and May and Jenny and Pearl, or the smiling face of some other girl, that filled our hearts with the greatest joys, tis the same today with other boys. So give them a chance, it is only just when we were kids 'twas the same with us. There was nothing then we loved to see as well as we did the Christmas tree.

Now the Aumsville Poet's purse is light, but his heart is big and pretty white so join with me to make life bright for the children all on Christmas night. It's up to us both you and me, to give the children a Christmas tree. Merry Christmas to all and I wish you joy, for the poet himself was once a boy. Aumsville Poet

## PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING A SUCCESS

The Parent-Teachers meeting at the school house last Friday evening was quite well attended. The following program was rendered. Solo, Mrs. Mayo; Dialogue, five of Miss Olmsted's pupils; Instrumental Solo, Miss Wanda Brown; Lullaby, Miss Hollister's pupils; Solo, Mrs. Ringo; Duet, Miss McShane's pupils. The speaker of the evening, Mr. Harrington gave an able and interesting talk on "Industrial Education."

The meeting will be held regularly on the third Friday of each month and everyone interested is invited to attend. Quite a nice program is in preparation for the meeting January 16.

## ENTERTAINMENTS CHRISTMAS EVE

Two local churches, the Methodist and the Christian, will have their Christmas entertainments on Christmas Eve.

The Methodist Sunday school will have two trees and a varied and interesting program. They have made quite elaborate preparations in the way of decorations etc.

The Christian Sunday school will have a tree and a Christmas ship, which will be treated in a unique manner in the way of display decoration etc. A fine program has also been prepared by them.

Anyone who has not made arrangements to attend some other such gathering is cordially invited to attend either of these entertainments.

## WA HI CLUB ENTERTAINED

The annual Christmas Box and Dinner of the Wa Hi Club was held at the P. E. Hirsziefen home Wednesday, December 17.

After dinner the guests were invited into the parlor where a beautiful Christmas tree had been prepared as a surprise by Mrs. Hirsziefen.

The tree was laden with beautiful gifts for the various members.

Mrs. E. N. Downing rendered several instrumental pieces on the piano. Mrs. C. J. Hunt, Mrs. P. E. Hirsziefen and Mrs. F. C. Smith sang several trios after which a most enjoyable time was had, and each departed for home wishing each other a Merry Christmas.

## WILL LOG ABOUT TWO MILLION

E. N. Teague, who secured the logging of about two million feet from the Petzel Lumber Co. of this city, bought a new 45 horse power donkey engine which was taken to the camp several miles up the river one day last week.

It is stated on good authority that Guy Kearns will drive the donkey and that under his management the logs will be snaked out of the woods in double quick time.

Work will commence at the Petzel Camp some time during the early part of January.

Mr. Teague is to be congratulated on securing this contract, and it will probably lead to bigger and better contracts in the future.

## FARMER'S ATTENTION

WE PAY HIGHEST MARKET PRICES for live hogs, calves, sheep and cattle, also country produce of all kinds. Telephone or write our buyer J. D. Densmore, Salem, Ore., Box 35 phone Main 1041. Shipping dates for live stock can be learned by phoning Produce houses at Lebanon, Scio and Stayton. Union Meat Company.

### GET YOUR SOLE FIXED

John Watters the Old Reliable is back at his old stand. Nuff Sed.

### DRY WOOD FOR SALE

A few tiers of dry wood for sale, also other wood for sale. See or Phone E. B. Hunt, Stayton. 1-8

### LIVE WIRE DROPS

A live wire from the electric light plant fell across a telephone wire one day this week and resulted in several burned-out phones and a good chance for a fire in several places.

The light wires of this town are in very poor shape, insulation almost gone, even on the principal business streets. Some day there will be a damage suit and a great big "holer."

### MOVED TO SALEM

W. E. Thomas and wife, together with their household goods moved to Salem this week. Mr. Thomas will continue in the monument business, but on a larger scale. J. W. Mayo will occupy the Thomas residence about the first of the year.

## STAYTON THEATRE

Wednesday night showing 3000 feet of feature pictures Special Matinee 5c. Christmas Day at 2:30 Candy will be given on Christmas night Entire change of show each night Admission 10c

Dr. F. E. Beauchamp was over from Albany Monday.

Mr. Limbeck of Scio was a Stayton visitor Saturday.

Erwin Hosford is home from Corvallis for the holidays.

Mrs. W. A. Weddle returned from Seattle Sunday.

Steam Laundry for sale. E. Dunagan, Stayton, Oregon.

Chas. Crane and father of Aumsville were in town Friday.

Mrs. Effie Miller made a business trip to Lyons Tuesday.

Miss Milca Roy who has been in Portland returned home Sunday.

Sell your produce for Cash to the Stayton Cash Produce Company. tf

Miss Bessie Clow visited relatives in Mill City Tuesday and Wednesday.

S. H. Burson and wife made a trip to Solaville last week returning Monday.

J. B. Frame and wife of Scio were trading with Stayton merchants Tuesday.

John Huber and wife of Linn county were in town one day the first of the week.

FOR SALE—Potatoes by the sack. 45 cents per bushel, delivered. W. B. Allis.

Jno. Thoma and Jno. Bailey started for Idaho Wednesday morning to spend the Holidays.

Emile Jorgusen and wife of Astoria visited at the Charley Brown home Tuesday. They will spend the holidays with Mrs. Jorgusen's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Staiger of near Sublimity.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# MERRY CHRISTMAS

From

# THOMAS-MAYO CO.

With Many Thanks for Your Past Patronage, and Hopes that it will Continue it the Future.

Mrs. Clare McConnell of Aberdeen, Washington, and Miss Alta Hobson of this city were entertained at dinner by Mrs. Arlie Cornish Saturday.

Miss Mabel Gardner was the hostess at a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Maude Dunagan Saturday night.

E. P. Luthy of Bend Oregon visited over Sunday at the home of his brother C. A. Luthy.

Mrs. H. Lilly gave a linen shower at her home Monday in honor of Miss Maude Dunagan.

Highest cash prices paid for your produce at the Stayton Cash Produce Company. tf

Mrs. Louise Beauchamp entertained Mrs. Clara McConnell and Miss Alta Hobson at dinner Friday.

Miss Susie Kearns left for San Diego California, yesterday morning where she will spend the winter.

Buggies, hacks, surries and farm machinery at cost—Wright Hardware and Implement Co., Aumsville Oregon tf

Marion and Raymond Ewen of Portland are visiting their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Korinek during the holidays.

Why not have your umbrella repaired in Stayton? Umbrellas recovered—samples to select from. F. Silhavy's Wagon and Repair Shop. Water St. tf

## North Santiam

Ira Thomas is slowly improving. He has been quite low the past week.

Mrs. E. Jarvis and family of Silvertown spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Bradley.

W. J. Houser of Albany spent Sunday with his daughter Mrs. I. E. Thomas.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bradley Dec. 11 a fine 8lb. girl.

John Miller is running a large crew of men cleaning up some land where he expects to move in a short time.

I. O. Alzman made a business call to the capital last week.

J. J. Bradley returned to his work after a few days visit at home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chance Dec. 14 a fine boy.

A. W. Rankin of Emmet, Idaho was here the first of the week looking for a location.

The neighbors gathered the last of the week and dug I. E. Thomas' potatoes.

Our school had a nice program Friday and closed until Dec. 29th.

Gilbert Beal has his new cottage completed and is moving into it this week.

C. F. Schofield and wife were Stayton visitors Sunday.

John Dencer of this place has purchased a feed barn in Salem and will soon move from the farm to the capital.

"RING OUT THE OLD RING IN THE NEW" AT THE

## DANCE

NEW YEAR'S EVE

WED. DEC. 31, AT

BEAUCHAMP'S HALL

Best of Music Best of Order Best of Crowds

Chicken Supper at the Bon Ton

Tickets 75c

Supper 75c Couple

## Merry Xmas AND Happy New Year

WITH

Good Wishes for the year to come and Many Thanks for patronage in the year that's past.

STAYTON HOUSEFURNISHING CO.

## NEW YEAR'S DANCE

AT

THE OPERA HOUSE

Stayton, Oregon, January 1, 1914  
Music by STAYTON ORCHESTRA

CASH PRIZE

FOR BEST LADY AND GENT WALTZING

A Good Time and Good Management Assured

Supper at Bon Ton Restaurant  
EVERYBODY COME