

CLACKAMAS COUNTY NEWS

Cherryville.

It begins to look very much like winter, as there is plenty of snow on the mountains near here.

T. J. Stone started for Tigardville on a business trip this morning.

Miss Alice Guthridge, of Springwater, who taught the fall term of school at this place, returned home last Sunday.

The smoke of many fires are seen these days where the farmers are clearing land.

George Flynn and Claud Baty attended the exhibition at Eagle Creek last evening and report a fine time.

Dec. 9. J. F.

Liberal.

Steve Philippi, of Silverton, passed through here last Wednesday with 1300 sheep for his place at Silverton. He bought them at Honey Creek, Crook county, and brought them down on the boat from The Dalles to Portland.

Levi Stehman leaves today for Goble, on a business trip.

John Howell and wife, of Monmouth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White.

W. H. White is slowly improving and may not have to have a plate put in where Dr. Goucher removed a small piece of his skull.

Chris Boss has built a new woodshed, as well as a new house.

Deo Bruner has his new woodshed nearly completed.

The play party given by Mr. Morey Friday night was well attended, and it would have been a complete success if Rand and Zip had been there. There will be another given soon at the same place.

The dancing school is all right and new pupils are joining every Saturday night.

Henry Meldrum, of Oregon City, has been in this section for a few days, surveying for Uncle Billy Vaughan and Mr. Sturges.

Ed Boss J. R. Shaver and crew are putting in the new bents at the south end of Wright's bridge.

John Ridings and sister, Dollie, were visiting W. H. White last week.

Some of the girls like apple pie; some of the boys like same as I, but the widows all like Philippi.

Dec. 12. K.

Colton.

There is a little prospect of a day or two of fine weather.

Mrs. Young, of Woodburn, is waiting on her brother, Mr. C. O. Hubbard, who is still very low.

Bert Hubbard went to Oregon City today to see the doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stromgreen were visitors at J. Gorbett's last Sunday.

Emery Gottberg made a trip to Union Mills Monday and reports the roads horrible.

Mountain Home expects to have a Christmas tree.

Our merchant is erecting a horse shed near his store.

The Misses Bessie and Meadie Hubbard were the guests of Mrs. Gottberg Monday.

Dec. 6. Yaw.

Bolton.

We are very sorry to announce that Mrs. Catta's mother, Mrs. Lankins, of Oregon City, is dangerously sick with a cancer in the face.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Greaves was filled to its fullest capacity last Saturday night, as the friends of the Misses Willa and Sarah Hughes planned and carried out a complete surprise party in their honor. All present had a jolly good time. A delicious lunch was served.

Miss Dora Stover, of Oregon City, is visiting at Mrs. Frank Forsburg's.

Mr. Boerner will move in his new dwelling in a few days. It is quite an addition to our burg.

Mr. Dillman and sister, of Oregon City, were visiting friends here during the week.

Dec. 12. J.

Stafford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucy, of Hazelia, spent Sunday with Mrs. Gage.

J. P. Gage has gone to Lyle, Washington.

Mrs. Rinearson is still teaching school here.

Heavy and continuous rains have again made roads slippery, and traffic is hampered by the continuous downpour. Our merchant brought a large load of store goods from Portland Wednesday afternoon.

Plows! Where are they? Where most farmers' tools are to be sure—out in the storm.

It is with heartfelt sympathy that we speak of the death of one of our former neighbors, Mr. August Fisher, at Oregon City. Once again it has come true that the old must die, and the young may die.

A dance in Larson's hall Christmas night is all the talk of the day. It is absorbing all other questions.

Redland.

School is progressing nicely under the able management of Miss Hicinbothem.

Louis Funk had a 2-year old heifer drowned in Cedar Creek high water last week.

Mrs. James Fullam visited friends in Portland last week.

There are several vacant houses in this burg for rent or sale.

Edgar Brock is grubbing and clearing eight acres of land for Mr. Allen.

Mr. N. Smith's father-in-law, after an absence of three years in Dakota, has again returned to Oregon with his wife

to live in the land of plenty (rain and mud).

Rev. Mr. Butler, of Oregon City, preached at the M. E. church here and Viola last Sunday. Brother Butler is an able preacher and your correspondent hopes that he will accept this charge.

Earl Behymer is again on the sick list.

Today while Mr. Lewis, our mail carrier on this route, went to town he upset his back twice. No casualties hereafter, as he intends to go horseback until the roads are so that they can be traveled with team.

Dec. 11. W. S.

Harmony.

Mr. Reuben Dannals, who has been on the sick list, we are glad to learn, is slowly convalescing.

Will Millard is going to leave this neighborhood for awhile to reside in Spokane, Wash.

Mr. Hanna has a cow badly wounded by a shot gun in the hands of someone.

The young folks are beginning to interest themselves in a Christmas tree on Christmas.

I will send you a report of this school, with Mr. and Mrs. Bowland and wife as teachers.

Report of school district No. 49, Clackamas county, Ore., for the quarter ending Dec. 8, '99: Total enrollment, 78; removed, 5; remaining at end of quarter, 63; average number belonging, 56; average daily attendance, 52; total days' attendance, 2970; total days absence, 259. Those neither absent nor tardy during the quarter: Wayne Jones, Will Clark, Herbert Rusk, Bessie Clark, Oscar Wise, Kate Fortner.

Logan.

A meeting was held in Brown's blacksmith shop last Friday, for the purpose of organizing a co-operative creamery.

Mr. Chevalle, the instigator of the enterprise was present and owing to the evasive answers given by him, the meeting was a failure. The meeting voting unanimously in favor of private ownership instead place of co-operation. A good place for a creamery and in the people should take more interest in it than they do. It is a thing that will build up this country, if rightly carried on, more than anything that can be done.

Mrs. Trullinger has been quite sick lately, but is getting better now.

A young man in the employ of one of our citizens, went to Oregon City one day last week and got gloriously full that he lost everything off his wagon, that he had on it, almost including himself.

Leonard Newkirk and wife were visiting the latter's mother, near Linn's mill Sunday.

L. H. Kirchem is buying hay for Smith & Howard, of Seattle.

Garfield.

The Garfield people are still alive, and still wading through the mud. The roads are in a fearful condition in some places.

The singing school is progressing finely. Twenty-eight pupils.

The literary and debating society meets Tuesday evening. Come one, come all.

There will soon be a new sidewalk on the south end of Main street, south of the school house.

Elbert Surface has returned from Du-

fur. He says he has got enough of east of the mountains for a while.

Mrs. E. C. Hackett spent the day with Mrs. J. P. Irvin last Friday.

Some of the ladies of Garfield met Saturday with Mrs. Ida English to make arrangements about a Christmas tree or wheel. The committee is Mrs. Ina English, Mrs. T. Yocum, Mrs. Ella Tracy, Mrs. Sarah Palmateer, Mrs. Ellen Paterson, Mrs. E. C. Hackett and Mrs. J. P. Irvin. The tree will be at Mt. Zion church. Everybody is invited to come and all take part who wish.

Mrs. Ida English was visiting Mrs. Irvin last Wednesday.

Robert Akin was the guest of Alex Irvin a few days last week.

Marion Davis is improving so fast that he has laid aside his crutches and gone to Clackamas on a visit.

Mrs. W. M. Oatfield is on the sick list.

Norman Tracy will soon have his new dwelling ready to move into.

Charles and Mrs. A. J. Hicinbothem were visiting friends in Garfield last week and were at J. T. Irvin's birthday party.

Henry Palmateer made a short visit out to see his children and others last Saturday night. He still works in Portland. He reports the roads between town here and Oregon City almost impassable in places.

Maple Lane.

Mrs. Marion Sampson, accompanied by her son, Paul, and niece, Stella Criswell, visited her sister in law, Mrs. John B. Jackson, and family last week.

C. Spangler and wife, of Carus, called at Mr. Jackson's Wednesday.

Hattie Roman went to town Friday and had three teeth extracted.

Born—To J. C. Niman and wife on the 6th, a fine girl. All doing well under the care of Grandma Bowdish.

Miss Kate Mautz, after spending a few days with her parents, left on Friday for Portland. From there she will go to Goldendale, Wash., where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mattie Hyatt, and family.

C. N. Larkins, of Clarkes, dined with G. F. Gibbs Thursday.

John Lowery and family have moved from our neighborhood and rented a hop yard near Kansas City.

Mrs. M. Parker, recently from Coon Rapids, Iowa, visited her niece, Mrs. J. B. Jackson, Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jackson's sister, Mrs. Mary Hardesty, of Needy.

The surprise party at Mr. Gerber's Friday evening was a grand success. The evening was pleasantly spent in music, games and dancing until midnight, when refreshments were served, consisting of pie, cake and sandwiches. They then retired to their respective homes, wishing the boys would have another party when the roads get better.

Our road supervisor, A. Mautz, had several men on the road last week breaking rock to fill up the chuck holes.

George Mautz and George Shortridge left Monday for a duck hunt on the Columbia. Myo Brayton, who has been at home a few days, returned with them to resume his work.

Misses Edith Jackson and Martha Marlin were not able to attend school Monday.

G. B. Noe, of Needy, visited his uncle, G. F. Gibbs, and family Sunday.

Floyd Watkins, formerly of this place, spent Saturday night with Courtie and Tommy Gibbs.

Mrs. Marlin's sister, Mrs. Akins, of Eastern Oregon, arrived Sunday and surprised her sister, whom she had not seen for a number of years.

The school is indebted to Messrs. Charles and James Forbes for having repaired the organ.

Dec. 13.

Mountain View.

Mrs. Ware and children spent a few days visiting down town while her husband was out at Duffy's wood camp banking wood.

Mrs. Smith, from Washington, arrived here last week Wednesday and will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Hamilton, and family.

A little boy living in Mr. Mink's house, near Seventh street, hurt himself quite badly Tuesday by falling through one of the windows and cutting a large vein in his hand. He was taken to a surgeon and had his wound dressed.

Frank Bullard is nursing a pet boill on his hand.

Mr. Savage had his big dog killed this week, as he had become so cross as to be considered dangerous.

John Gillett is confined to the house with a lame back this week.

Mr. Frederich is putting a new platform in front of his blacksmith shop this week.

There will be no preaching at the church again this month, as the afternoons are too short and the roads too muddy.

Rev. Bollinger will hold services here on the first Sunday in January.

Sunday school every Sunday at 2:30 p. m. SALINA.

Dec. 13.

Canby.

Adkin Bros. are shipping several car loads of piles to Springfield, Ore.

Phegley and son, Fred, have opened a new feed store in the old Hodges building.

John Cook has put a new pool table in his saloon building.

The sick around Canby are all slowly improving.

Sol Garrison has moved to Clackamas when he has a large contract to fill getting out barrel hoops.

The Canby Gun Club will give a grand raffle and shooting a match here on the 23rd of December. Everybody come and have a good time.

H. C. Day, of Forest Grove, is in our city today looking after the interests of the United Artisans.

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