

# CLACKAMAS COUNTY NEWS

### To Correspondents.

Correspondents who are short of stationery, will confer a favor on the paper as well as the community by notifying this office, when a new supply will be sent. Don't keep the events of your neighborhood from becoming public by carelessness. Sections that do not receive mention in this paper should select a person to send in the items and notify the editor of a wish to correspond and a supply of stationery will be sent.

### Motalla.

A 2-mill special school tax was voted by district No. 35 for improvements.

Mrs. E. McDonald-Byland has resigned as principal of the school and O. W. Robbins will fill the expired term.

John R. Cole has recovered from his severe illness.

Considerable property has changed hands here. Recently A. F. Yenny sold his place and will move to Washington. His wife will remain here for a couple of months. Mrs. Robert Baty has also sold part of her farm.

P. P. Murphy, wife and two children, of Washington county, Kansas, has located temporarily on O. W. Robbins' property. He is intending to purchase a farm after looking around. We are glad to welcome Mr. Murphy to our own.

Recently an article appeared in the Oregonian claiming that coyotes could not be caught. James Dickey, Mr. Vaughan and several of our citizens have caught them in traps. Mr. Dickey places part of a sheep or goat in water where coyotes will have to step in water to reach it and puts the trap under water covering it with a piece of moss or roots and the coyote step on this in place of in the water and is caught. Mr. Dickey has caught four in this way lately.

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### Willhoit.

E. McLaren, the enterprising merchant of Willhoit, is making some valuable improvements on our road that will last for years.

F. W. McLaren had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse last week. Bad luck to Rock Creek. This makes two horses this winter that have got their legs broken by another horse.

Leslie Holt, has returned home from Eastern Oregon, where he has been working for the past six months.

Carl Thomas, who has been herding sheep in the bunch grass country, has returned home again. He reports cold weather there.

The rains have flooded Rock Creek. The bridge on the road that leads to Arquam was washed away.

F. W. McLaren had the misfortune to sprain his ankle last week.

Miss Nellie Groshong is visiting her sister in Salem this week.

Rev. Simms, of Scott's Mills, addressed the citizens of Beaver Lake Sunday.

Mr. Ryan and Mr. Slaughter have resumed work on the road during this pleasant weather.

Wonder what has become of News boy? We would like to hear from you again.

Old Jack Frost paid Willhoit a visit last week.

C. G. Vorhies is setting out an orchard of apple trees.

Miss Emma Vorhies' smiling face was seen on Pleasant Hill last week, where she was visiting relatives.

D. F. Fox and G. W. Wyland, of Willhoit, have stopped work on their quartz ledge, as there was too much water to attend with.

N. B. Wade, who had the misfortune while working in Eastern Oregon last summer to slip into the drivewheel of a

combined harvester and have his foot badly mashed, is now able to walk with the aid of a cane.

Jan. 27. J. H. K.

### Stafford.

The past week has been a very pleasant one—regular spring weather with frogs croaking, grass growing and some early flowers in bloom.

A dance last Saturday night at the Frog Pond Grange hall was well attended, and a very enjoyable time was the result.

The Stafford A. O. U. W. boys gave an entertainment, social and supper in their hall Saturday night to celebrate the second anniversary of the lodge here. Songs, recitations, readings, speeches and productions from Shauber Bros.' phonograph, and the best free supper given by any order or society hereabouts for more than a year, kept something like 75 visitors under their hypnotic spell, from 7:30 to 12:15, and as the Sabbath was drawing on, all wended their way homeward with light hearts, pleasant voices and general good feeling toward those that had done so much, gratis, for their welfare and happiness.

Invitations are extended by John Schatz to many of his friends to meet at his home next Friday night and enjoy a farewell party, tendered his aunt, Mrs. Weddell, who will shortly depart for the mountainous regions of Idaho to make merry the remainder of the winter season, where ice and snow abounds.

George Biehle is having a siege of Job's comforters.

Charles Larson is growing a flowing beard.

Our school now numbers above 60.

Mrs. Page and son, of MeCleay, are spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Gage.

David Bradley was out from the coast of the Nestucca region, and reported the winter more severe there than in the valley.

Many farmers are sacking and shipping spuds.

There has not been a sack of wheat shipped from the Farmers' warehouse this season.

Mr. Weissenborn lost his horse that had the staggers.

Candlemas day, Feb. 2, take note, the sun shines on that day there will be six weeks more winter before spring opens. Lock in your barn on Candlemas day half of your grain and half of your hay.

### LENGTHY.

### Shubel.

Phillip Lindaw, of Albany, is visiting his sister, Mrs. E. W. Hornshuh.

Lawrence Hornshuh, of Portland, came home on a short visit last Thursday.

Fred Fisher has rented the McGeorge place at Clarkes.

Miss Laura Shubel burned her foot quite badly last Wednesday, but is able to be about again.

Miss Mary Wittrock has been quite sick, but is improving.

Kilian Schmidt is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Muralt were visiting here one day last week.

Miss Millie Guenther who has been attending school at Oregon City is home for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shubel Sunday.

At a directors' meeting last Saturday evening it was decided to close the school for one week for fear diphtheria will spread among the school children.

Vera, the oldest child of Mr. Emil Hornshuh, died last Wednesday of diphtheria.

Rev. P. Bott and wife were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shubel one day last week.

John Wolf is on the sick list. GENEVRA.

### Canby.

Messrs Carlton and Rosenkrans went to Portland yesterday on business.

Charles Dobbins is at home for a few days.

Frank Zollner has put up a new sign in front of his bicycle shop.

Otto Evans spent last Sunday in Portland with his brother, Henry.

Mrs. Dr. Deadman and son, Craig, went to Portland Monday to spend a few days.

John Enger and wife, from Junction City, came home last week to attend the funeral of Mr. P. Miller, Mrs. Enger's father.

Mr. George Knight, of Hubbard, was in town Monday. Mr. Knight expects to put up a large business block on the corner where the barber shop now stands.

A very pleasant party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Schindler on the evening of January 29. About 25 of the young people were present. Music and dancing were the features of the evening's entertainment. Refreshments were served at a late hour, after which the young folk departed for their homes.

Jan. 31. WERO.

### Macksburg.

We have foggy weather again and a good many people are nursing bad colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Yohann have moved to Sellwood.

Mrs. Martha Klingler is improving the appearance of her residence by building a new picket fence around it.

Fred Yohan attended the masquerade ball at Sellwood the 19th and returned the 21st, wearing a broad smile on his face. There must be some attraction down that way, Fred.

The entertainment and basket social at the Oak Grove school house Saturday night was a grand success. Baskets were sold at from 25 cents to \$1. After the sale of baskets the young people indulged in dancing until a late hour.

Miss Lydia Schoenberg, of this place, and Mr. Schwichtenberg, of Portland, were united in marriage Thursday, Jan. 24th. After the ceremony was over, the happy couple left for Portland, where they will make their home in the future.

The bride is one of the most highly esteemed young ladies of this place, and the groom is a prominent business man of Portland. We join in wishing them a happy journey through life. May their joys be many and their trials all be little ones.

The hum of Carl Damm's machinery is running all the cows out of the neighborhood.

Eddie Moshberger, who was operated on for internal abscess, is convalescing. Jan. 27. D.

### Maple Lane.

Fine weather is the order of the day. Frank Shortledge, his wife and two children, from Washington, are visiting relatives here.

Joe and James Myers are doing a rushing business, hauling hay to Milwaukie.

A few of the young people from this place attended a social hop at Beaver Creek last Friday night.

Dan Gaffney was visiting his brother here Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a basket social at the school house Friday evening.

John Gaffney spent Saturday and Sunday at Clarkes.

G. F. Gibbs was pressing hay for James Partlow of Mt. Pleasant last week. A COUNTRY COUSIN. Jan. 30.

### Liberal.

Feed is getting scarce with a few of the farmers.

Some of the boys are catching coons. It is said that they eat chickens.

Leslie Look and Dan Graves are working in Dodge's shingle mill.

W. H. White and wife went to Portland today.

Pierce Wright's under the doctor's care yet, but is slowly improving.

Apples are not keeping good. There appears to be a dry rot affecting them.

The frogs have begun their spring campaign and are singing merrily.

This is fine weather for the farmers, who are all very busy at present.

Plowing has started up again, and if the weather permits, many of the farmers will soon be seeding.

Gray squirrels are coming out of their winter quarters and several of them have been caught in this neighborhood.

## SPECIAL Clearance Prices

During January and February

### Red Front Trading Co., Court House Block

OREGON CITY OREGON

### Groceries

- Tomatoes, 3 cans..... 25c
- Corn, 3 cans..... 25c
- Sunshine, scouring soap..... 5c
- Good laundry soap, 10 bars..... 25c
- Long bar toilet soap..... 5c
- Armour soap powder, 1 pound..... 5c
- Gloss starch, bulk, 1 lb..... 5c
- Corn starch, package..... 5c
- Arm & Hammer soda, 1 lb..... 4c
- Pure sugar syrup, 1 gal..... 75c
- Jumbo mush, 7 1/2 lbs..... 25c
- Rice, per pound..... 4c to 6c
- Coffee, 25c grades, 5 lbs..... \$1 00
- Lion and Arbuckle coffee, now..... 12 1/2c
- Matches, 1 bunch..... 1c
- Jelly, bulk, nice goods, per lb..... 4c
- French mustard, bottle..... 5c
- Bird seed, bulk, lb..... 6c
- 50c Japan tea, pound..... 40c
- 60c Spider leg and powder tea, special at..... 45c
- 10c bottle bluing..... 5c
- Pure ground pepper, mustard or all-spice, lb..... 25c
- Lemon and vanilla, oz..... 5c

### Ladies' \$3.25 serge skirts, now, \$ 2 25

- 3.00 cheviot skirts..... 2 00
- 2.50 plaid skirts..... 1 75
- 4.75 taffeta silk waists..... 3 75
- 6.00 jackets, to close..... 4 00
- 5.00 tan jackets, now..... 3 25
- Children's \$2.50 jackets at..... 1 75
- Ladies' cloth and plush capes at COST

### The Standard Designer,

America's Best Fashion Monthly, per copy..... 10c

Standard Patterns, seam allowing, always dependable, ..... 5c to 20c

Fashion sheets free.

Don't fail to see them, can save your money.

Dr. Warner's Corset, stylish and perfect fitting—Never rusts or stains, price ..... 50c to \$3 00

- Ladies' \$5 and \$6 mackintoshes, all wool and stylish to close at..... \$3 75
- 50c stock collars at..... 35
  - 40c stock collars, all new shades at..... 25
  - Band bows, 25 values..... 15
  - String ties, 25 values..... 15
  - Dotted velvet ties..... 25
  - Ladies' undressed kid gloves, spec'l 11 00..... 40
  - School umbrellas..... 40
  - Storm proof umbrellas..... 75
  - Steel rod gloria umbrella..... 75
  - Better grades..... \$1 00 and up.

### Gilbert's Famous Linings, standard for years

We carry them. Prices are reasonable.

### Millinery Specials.

A lot of our \$2 and 2.25 Hats fine trimmings..... \$1 00

All of our 3.80 and 4.00 hats will go at..... 2 00

All of the walking hats, Tomoshanters and street hats at 1/2 price.

### Dress Goods, Etc.

- 75c all-wool 44-in serge..... 50c
- 60c all wool cheviot..... 50c
- 90c Toffeta silks..... 75c
- 56 inch waterproof..... 50c
- 36 inch heavy suiting..... 35c
- Daisy flannel, suitable for dressing sacks..... 12 1/2c
- Valonia cloth, just the thing for waists..... 18c
- 12 1/2 grade teal down..... 10c
- 36 inch percale, 12 1/2 grade..... 10c
- Plenty of outing flannel, yard..... 5c
- Heavier grades outing..... 7c and 8c
- Dark and light prints..... 5c
- Dotted net for curtains, 36 inches, yard..... 15c
- A lot of black yarn, a little coarse, but all wool, will close at lb..... 50c

### SHOES.

- Men's tap sole-buckle shoes..... \$1 25
- Boys full stock-riveted shoes tap sole..... \$1.50 and 1 65
- Carpet slippers..... 40c and 45c
- Men's all leather shoes..... 1 50
- Ladies' fine dngola at 1.75 grade..... 1 50
- Baby's shoes from 25c up..... 35
- "tan shoes..... 35

### Do Not Miss This Sale.

### Gents' Furnishings.

- Men's Fedora hats 2.00 value at 1 50
- A few sample hats at cost.
- Boys' wool school caps, 25c value..... 15
- Boys' heavy blue flannel caps..... 25
- Boys' Nobby Caps, reduced to..... 25
- Men's Jersey Knit Shirts, to close, 40..... 25
- Men's Percale shirts, 50c value, at..... 25
- Men's all wool undershirts, 1.25 value..... 1 00
- Men's heavy wool socks, 35c..... 25
- Sample Underwear and broken lots at cost
- Men's heavy twilled shirts..... 45
- Men's sweaters, 50 cents up..... 15
- 25c suspenders..... 15
- Boys' suspenders..... 10

### SPECIAL PRICES on Jackets, Capes, Dress Skirts and Mackintoshes.

We trade for Hay, Butter, Eggs, Chickens and Potatoes.

La grippe is at last dying out in this vicinity. Grandma Puce is slowly recovering from a severe attack of it.

J. Rhodes and H. L. Barnes are cutting saw logs on their place. They intend to haul them to the saw mill in the summer.

J. R. Shaver and Major Hingate passed through here Tuesday with a lot of nice beef cattle for the Oregon City butchers.

Our winter term of school will close Friday.

Rev. Stover, of Mosier, is in this section with charts explaining the Scriptures. His explanations of the Bible are well worth hearing. Jan. 30, 1901. SYVIA.

### Redland.

Judge Meldrum was out Monday and Tuesday surveying the J. J. Kimball road.

J. T. Mason is now living on the Richey place, on the Clackamas bottom.

There will be a basket social at the school house in district No. 75. The proceeds are to be for the benefit of the school. Everybody is invited and a good time is expected.

W. H. Bonney and Louis Funk have put up a line fence, which is quite an improvement.

Ang Funk is putting a board fence along the road.

Word has been received of the arrival of an 11 1/2 pound boy at the home of Mrs. Emma Widie, of Seattle.

A number of the people in this vicinity are sick, but most of them are improving.

James Dew had the misfortune to lose a favorite horse last week.

Some of the people in this neighborhood are talking of delivering milk at the cheese factory in Logan this summer.

N. H. Smith and family have moved onto their place again.

Miss Mande Stone is home from Dover, where she has been teaching school.

D. H. Mosher was over from Frog Pond Sunday. His school will probably close this week. Jan. 29. G. F.

### Frog Pond.

Maybe we had better tell you where Frog Pond is and how it got its name. Well, it lies somewhere between the Willamette river and nowhere, is crossed by the Willamette meridian, and has the populous town of Wilsonville on the south and Stafford on the north, and it received its name in this way: Many year ago, when Johnny Rock ran the Enterprise, their writer, Doc Bird, passed through this place and saw Hon. Thomas Turner draining a swale. He said in an item "that Mr. Turner was draining the last frog pond in Clackamas county, and the people up here will be hard up for meat."

Tualatin Grange, No. 111, held open grange last Saturday, and the attendance was very good.

A grand hop was given at the Grange hall last Saturday night. It was conducted by Henry Aden, Henry Rackman, Herbert and Charles Turner, and all present had a good time.

Kruse's warehouse took its departure during the high water. The one belonging to Aden and Turner came near going too.

## Wake Up?

Don't be asleep

### Our Great Dissolution Sale is Still on

We have 50 of those \$15 Oregon City Cassimere All-Wool Suits left that are going at **\$10**

Also 75 pairs of the same material \$5 pants that we are selling at.....\$2.50

### 25 per cent reduction of all goods

### PRICE BROS.

(Horses taken in exchange.)

P. A. Baker and Julius Richley are shipping potatoes.

The Sharp boys are making use of the pleasant weather by sowing winter oats. Others are plowing.

J. Tyler and Harry Seely of Woodburn, Ida Turner, J. M. Turner and family of Tualatin, Peter Scherner of Garden Home and Miss Lizzie Scherner of Portland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner the first of the week.

Our representative, Hon. J. L. Kruse, accompanied by his daughter, Lorena, and a lady friend from Salem, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Hon. George Aden, of Wilsonville, spent Sunday with his parents.

Walter Sharp and Conrad Preaster are cutting cord wood for the paper mill.

Our school is progressing nicely. A literary program will be rendered next Friday.

Sunday School and preaching every Sunday. Young people's meeting every other Friday. All are invited to attend.

Miss Ola Barnes has gone to Tualatin to visit her uncle, George Gilbrith.

Charles Turner has gone to Woodburn for a few days' sojourn.

Peter Scherner has been riding our burg for fat cattle and sheep the past few days. D. H. M.

### Hood View.

Anear Stowasser, a well known boy of Sherwood, died at his home, January 24th, of appendicitis.

Mr. Coleman, of Sherwood, held services at Hood View Sunday evening, and a large crowd attended.

C. T. Tooze has a force of men ditching and laying tile on his farm.

Jake Peters, a young merchant of Wilsonville, made a business trip to Dayton Monday.

Miss Lillie Todd was the guest of Mrs. E. G. Jones Sunday.

John Batson is shipping his potatoes to the California markets.

### Mountain View.

There is still a great deal of sickness in this place.

Mrs. P. D. Orran's health is quite poorly this week.

J. V. Green's baby has been having a severe attack of pneumonia.

H. Brand's baby was at the point of death Sunday, having inward convulsions. It is a little better at the present writing.

Mrs. Wallace, of Mulino, was in town for a few days last week, where she attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Paquet.

J. M. Gillett went out to Mulino Saturday and attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Paine, who was buried in Trullinger's graveyard.

Ernest Elliott and family have moved into a house at the head of Seventh street.

Rev. T. P. Haynes went to Grants Pass this week. His family expect to move there soon.

George C. Cooper, who is working at Gresham, was expected home last Sunday but failed to come, and his family are uneasy about him.

Mrs. Clara Williams has moved over to her mother's home and has rented part of her house. Mr. Williams is in Idaho.

Hood street has been improved by a new sidewalk, having been laid this week.

Clyde Pierce and wife started to their home in California Tuesday.

Frank Albright has built a chicken yard, and he will engage in raising chickens in the future.

The Fairclough brothers have bought a new piano for their sister.

Another pie social will be given at the Mountain View church next month. It probably will be held on Saturday, Feb. 23. The admission fee will be 15 cents for ladies or a pie and gentlemen free.

Services will be held in the church next Sunday at 4 o'clock. Rev. E. S. Bollinger will officiate. Jan. 31. SALINA.

It is reported that a play will be given at the Parot school house, entitled, "The Alabama Darkies." Jan. 29. C. B.

# Mitchell Wagons

Guaranteed to be the best possible to build. Representing 65 years experience in wagon building, which is a better guarantee of a high grade (best possible to build) than all the talk irresponsible dealers and agents for cheap wagons can possibly give you.

MITCHELL & LEWIS Co., the makers of the MITCHELL WAGONS pay 25 to 30 per cent above the market price of the best grades of wood stock for the privilege of a closer inspection and more rigid examination of each piece and to enable them to skim off the cream of the wagon timber offered in the market—HENCE WE CAN ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE a superior quality of timber in MITCHELL WAGONS