

CLACKAMAS COUNTY NEWS

Mountain View.

The Dickey boys, recently from Iowa, have rented Uncle Joe Myers' place at Highland for next summer, and they will try farming in Oregon.

Died, Feb. 3, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brand. The remains were taken to the Beaver Creek graveyard for burial Monday.

John May is confined to the house with la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Schott have been having an attack of la grippe.

Miss Nellie Swafford was visiting her aunt, Mrs. White, last week.

Miss Myrtle Currin is hatching, as her mother is staying with Mrs. Renner in Oregon City.

Miss Retta Pierce is employed at the courthouse at present.

Mrs. G. W. Grace, Mrs. Seaman and Miss Fairclough were guests of Mrs. McGeehan last Thursday.

Mrs. Walton is again staying at her home in this place.

Mr. Hutson's melodious voice was again heard in our burg after a few week's absence on account of illness.

Parkplace.

The correspondent from here has been asleep all winter and has just wakened up, and will try to report regular after this.

The road supervisor of this district is having considerable trouble keeping the river road open this winter on account of slides and washouts.

Well, the ground hog came out and saw his shadow, and we can expect six weeks more of winter.

Mr. Wilson, an employe of the lower Clackamas hatchery, accompanied by his family, visited relatives, John E. Smith and family, in Parkplace last Sunday.

Mr. Snow, a former resident of this place, has returned and bought a piece of property on which he will erect a residence.

Professor Gray is sick with la grippe and is not able to attend to his duties. One of the directors appointed John Sievers to take his place, and everything is going along as smoothly as ever.

C. E. Smith, who was stabbed by Bert Jewell, is improving, and will be up and around in a few days.

Bolton.

A party of about 30 of the young people of Bolton gave Mr. and Mrs. Michaels a genuine and very pleasant surprise party last Tuesday evening. Mr. Michaels was found in the woods, splitting kindling, while some of the members of the family were already preparing for bed. Dancing and games were features of the evening's entertainment. Lunch was served.

Liberal.

Who said it rained the year round in Oregon? Now, Feb. 6th—Dust flying in the roads.

Plowing and seeding is going right along.

Robins are here in countless numbers and bluebirds have made their appearance so spring is not far distant.

P. M. Graves drove his beef cattle to Oregon City Monday.

Fall wheat is turning yellow. It wants water and less freezing.

A. J. Mavills went to Oregon City today.

We are sorry to report that Leonard Heinz's son, Freddie, that is in Napa, Cal., is no better.

William Skein will soon move his dwelling across the road as the Molalla river washed the bank away near his house.

E. Austen will start his sawmill in about two week. Hope it will be a success.

Steve Phillippi is here on business for a few days.

Grandma Wright has been very sick with sciatic rheumatism, but she is slowly improving.

J. E. Coates, of Portland, visited his wife and mother-in-law Saturday and Sunday.

The Ten Hundred had a grand time at A. J. Mavills' home last Thursday night.

Miss Maud Cochran returned home last Saturday, after closing a successful term of school at Liberal.

S. I. E.

A special meeting of the Citizens' Club of Molalla the following resolution was adopted and mailed to Hon. Gilbert Hedges at Salem:

We, the Citizens' Club of Molalla, Clackamas county, Oregon, do hereby express our unqualified endorsement of the action of the action of the democratic, populist and independent or citizen members of the legislature in refusing to participate in the republican factional senatorial fight and in voting solidly for William Smith.

We therefore, earnestly urge continued action along the same line since the opposition has organized both houses and has full power to elect a senator.

O. D. ERY,
M. H. ENGLE,
GEO. OGLE,
Committee.

Dated this 5th day of Feb. 1901.

Frog Pond.

The following is a report of the Frog Pond school, district No. 10, joint Clackamas and Washington counties, for the three months ending Feb. 1:

No. pupils enrolled, 28.
No. days taught, 20.
No. days attendance, 481.
No. times tardy, 10.
Days' absence, 44.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy were Ester and Amos Moyes, Victor and Ruby Thompson, Arnold and Matty Peters, Ida and Laura Elligson, Harry Gebhardt, Martha, Walter and Ewald Liesman.

A short program was rendered as follows:

Song, "Battle Hymn of the Republic," school.
Recitation, "Kitty's Picture," Ida Elligson.
Recitation, "Thus Spake the Mother Fish," Ewald Liesman.
Song, "The Old School Bell," Martha Liesman and Alma Bockman.
Recitation, "Seekers of Happiness," Ella Elligson.
Recitation, "Her Answer," Minnie Frobose.
Recitation, "The Reason Why," Rosa Elligson.
Recitation, "The Grasshopper," Ester Moyes.
Song, "The Ship That Never Returned," Ana Bockman, Ellen Aden and Ruby Thompson.
Recitation, "Useful Little May," Mattie Peters.
Recitation, "Her Answer," Laura Elligson.
Recitation, "The Boy with the Spade," Roy Thompson.
Recitation, "The Boy Who Wins," Victor Thompson.
Recitation, "The Frog Who Would a Wooing Go," Carl Thompson.
Reading, "A True Story," Walter Liesman.
Recitation, "Little Drops of Water," Walter Coleman.
Recitation, "Christmas," Herman Boetner.
Recitation, "My Kitty," Harry Gebhardt.
Recitation, "Right," Matty Peters.
Recitation, "Glad to be a Girl," Ida Elligson.

Visitors for the month numbered 19. Friends and patrons are invited to call and note the work being done.

D. H. MOHRE,
Teacher.

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School Report.

Following is the report for school district No. 84, Mulino:

During the school year, commencing April 2, 1900, two teachers were employed, Miss Agnes Matlock teaching the spring term with 1245 days attendance, and A. B. Hibbard, the winter term with 1672 days attendance, the total attendance for the year being 2917 days. During the year there were 35 pupils enrolled; 13 boys and 22 girls. The total number of school days during the year was 130. During the winter term, which closed February 1, 1901, there was a total enrollment of 32 pupils and a names of 45 visitors are recorded. Following are the names of the pupils who were present every day during the winter term: Charley Bowman, Elmer, Albert and Elva Erickson, Merlie Adkins, Ross Eaton, Lee Perry and May Erickson.

The school house is nicely situated in a prosperous part of Clackamas county near the famous C. T. Howard flouring mill. The patrons of the school are energetic and alive to the interests of their children. The directors will be glad to consider desirable applications for the spring term, which begins soon after school meeting.

A. B. HIBBARD.

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SPRINGWATER ROAD.

Amounts Subscribed by the Public Spirited Citizens.

Through the courtesy of H. E. Cross, president of the board of trade, we publish the following list of subscribers to the improvement of the road between Logan and Springwater. Mr. Cross is one of the most public spirited men of Clackamas county and to him is due the credit for the starting of several important road improvements during the past two years. The plan is to build four or five miles of the Abernethy road this year if a sufficient number of public spirited citizens will assist. If this county keeps on it will be the banner county in the state for building roads by public subscription. Besides the following amounts several smaller contributions have been promised:

SPRINGWATER, Or., Dec. 15, 1900.

We, the undersigned citizens of Springwater precinct, county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, agree with the commissioners' court of Clackamas county, to-wit:

That, we will give the sum set opposite our respective names, amount to be paid in our work or cash as the subscriber may prefer for the purpose of building and constructing a plank road from Springwater to Logan, said road to extend from the plank road now built in Springwater to connect with the gravel road in Logan. All of said sum of money and work to be under the supervision of the court and supervisor, to be paid or worked out on the above named road at a time and place and at a price to be fixed by the court and supervisor.

O H Guttridge	\$150
Ed Closser	100
J E Green	18
W J Wellen	125
A M Shibley	40
H R Duboise	100
S H Raney	50
D C Howell	50
Wm Bard	50
Geo Cunningham	25
Branch Tucker	50
Al Cary	30
A J Marrs	50
John Wellen, \$25 per mile	50
H E Cross	50
F Millard	20
C S Bard	15
J A Shibley	25
A Lacey \$25 per mile	50
John Stomer	49
W L B Cornett	49
J W Mays	50
W J Snyder	30
W H Kandle	60
A Albright	25
Carl Howell	200
W Crane	20
F P Walker	15
J F Lovelace	10
C Stone	25
J A Randolph	10
Ed Miller	25
T C Jubb	15
Geo Hayden	10
Geo Reed	25
W M Tucker	25
W M Warnock	25
A Geunrowskey	50
Albert Closer	25
W E Cromer	25
Abe Stomer	25
David Closer	25
R E Shunway	25
M Tillison	10
Jacob Gerber	50
T Tillison	25
J C Sprague	25
C N Tracy	15
J M Tracy	25
W Page	10
C Lander	10

Obituary.

Died, at Colton, January 30th Mrs. Ellen Hubbard, widow of the late Charles O. O. Hubbard.

Deceased was born December 11, 1855, on Elliott Prairie, in the southern part of Clackamas county. Her father, John Killin, was one of the earliest pioneers of this county. Five brothers, one of whom is now county commissioner, three sisters and an aged mother are still living. The husband of the deceased died December 9, 1889.

Mrs. Hubbard has been in poor health since her husband's death. She had been confined to her bed since the 10th of December last with inflammation of the bowels, but she appeared to be getting better when she was taken with the measles two weeks ago. Five other members of the family were sick with the measles at one time. Deceased leaves nine children, Mrs. James Marrs, of Springwater, Bessie, Meadie, Mabel, Stella, Josie, Alma, Bert and Lewis are the children left under the roof of the stricken home.

A host of neighbors gathered at the

SPECIAL Clearance Prices

During February

Red Front Trading Co., Court House Block

OREGON CITY OREGON

Groceries

Tomatoes, 3 cans	25c
Corn, 3 cans	25c
Sunshine, scouring soap	25c
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

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

Ladies' \$5 and \$6 mackintoshes, all wool and stylish to close	\$ 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' 1 00	40
Pure umbrellas	50
Storm proof umbrellas	75
Steel rod gloria umbrella	75
Better grades	\$1 00 and up.

Dress Goods, Etc.

75c all-wool 44-in serge	50c
60c all wool cheviot	50c
90c Taffeta silks	75c
58 inch waterproof	50c
36 inch heavy sniting	35c
D sey flannel, suitable for dressing sacks	12 1/2c
Valona cloth, just the thing for waists	18c
12 1/2 grade teal down	10c
36 inch percale, 12 1/2 grade	10c
Pleaty 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

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

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

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.)

The Panama Hat.

"The cheapest straw hat to buy," said a man who owns a beauty, "is, after all, a Panama, like this. Look here." He took down his big white hat, which was creased down the middle like a pair of trousers, and rolled it up tight; then he tossed it in the air. With a cracking sound it spread open and fluttered down to the floor in its original shape, deep center crease and all. "You could soak this hat for a week," he continued, "and iron it out flat afterward, but when you came to put it on again it would be just as you see it now."

"Women in Mexico and doubtless all that region make the hats, using straw that has been selected with more care than I could tell you of. The art has been handed down in their families from one generation to another; and it is a secret art, unknown to any other people in the world.

"These women, living so far away from everything, are ignorant of the fashions, and that is why the hats never change their ugly shape. If they were fashionably made, the demand for them would be enormous. As it is, hatters travel through all that country and buy them up at good prices.

"The perfect Panama hat costs at least \$30, and if you should pay \$50 for a big and unusually light one you would not be getting stuck."—Philadelphia Record.

His Double Fee.

Lawyer Smart—Good morning, Mr. Gull. What can I do for you today?

"I want to get your opinion on a matter of law."

"Yes."

"My hens got into my neighbor Brown's yard, and he poisoned them. What I want to know is, can I recover damages?"

"Certainly. It was malicious mischief on his part, besides being a destruction of your property."

"Thanks. But hold! I stated that wrong. It was Brown's hens got into my yard, and it was I who administered the poison."

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 on the market—HENCE WE CAN ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEE a superior quality of timber in MITCHELL WAGONS and it is just as impossible to build a good wagon without good timber as it is to build a good house without a good foundation. The foundation of a wagon is the timber. We know that everybody claims to have the best, but you can't see under the paint. In buying a wagon you must trust to somebody's word—we claim to be trustworthy and reliable; beside, we leave unpainted the underside of such parts as we can (reaches tongues, etc.) so that you can confirm our statements. We guarantee every stick fully. MITCHELL WAGONS are light-running, well proportioned and well finished, and, taken as a whole THE BEST WAGON ON THE MARKET TODAY. You can't make a mistake if you get a MITCHELL.

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