

CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondents are requested to renew their work. We will supply all necessary stationery. The news from your neighborhood should appear in these columns every week.

Springwater.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to THE ENTERPRISE and its correspondents.

Fine weather for the time of year; mercury 40; have not fed our cattle as yet, and they are in good order.

The Springwater people had a Christmas tree well loaded and a good program, and Santa Claus distributed three dollars worth of candies and nuts, mostly for the little folks.

On the evening of the 26th the young people of the neighborhood gathered in at J. A. Shibley's and had an enjoyable time singing music and games.

On the 23d two of our most substantial and well known young people, Mr. Charles Bard and Miss Flossie Howell, were united in marriage at the parlors of the Electric hotel in Oregon City by Rev. W. Bruce. All of Springwater. May the bride and groom have a look of kind troth and a word of good will.

It's the magical helps on life's road. With rugged road to travel it shortens a hill; With a burden they lighten the load.

Mrs. Geo. Bowditch's baby died last week.

The O. W. P. & R. Co. has laid out a townsite near the high bridge on the Clackamas river.

A Prisoner in Her Own House

Mrs. W. H. Layha, of 10-1 Agnes Ave., Kansas City, Mo., has for several years been troubled with severe hoarseness and at times a hard cough, which she says, "Would keep me in doors for days. I was prescribed for by physicians with no noticeable results. A friend gave me part of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with instructions to closely follow the directions and I wish to state that after the first day I could notice a decided change for the better, and at this time, after using it for two weeks, have no hesitation in saying I realize that I am entirely cured." This remedy is for sale by G. A. Harding.

Union Hall.

William Draper has been working the road for James Adkins the past few days.

John Burns made a business trip to Canby last Tuesday.

The Lamm brothers and Otte Striker furnished the music for the entertainment Christmas Eve at this place.

O. Adkins and wife are home on a visit with their relatives and friends.

Wilmer Fisher's little boy is very low with brain fever.

Mrs. Mary Strejc, of Portland, came up to spend Christmas with her parents at this place.

Several from here attended the dance at Mr. Wallace's, of Molino, Christmas night.

Miss Mary Likes, of Oswego, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. John Burns, at the present time.

John Burns and wife and Miss Likes visited at Mr. John Thomas' last Sunday.

School Report.

Following is the report of school district No. 40 Needy, for the month ending December 25, 1903: No. of pupils remaining enrolled 44; No. of days taught, 19; average daily attendance, 40; No. of cases tardiness, 7. Those who were neither absent nor tardy during the month are August Stewe, Peter Price, Julius Spagle, Edith Johnson, Clarence Johnson. Visitors present during the month were Mr. Carlson, Rev. Gilmore, Mollie King, Echo Kinzer, Stella Kinzer, Garret Ackerson, Wilda Elliot, Albert Elliot, J. D. Ritter, director. Visitors always welcome.

Needy.

We wish the editor and the readers a Happy New Year.

Old St. Nick was very good to the boys and girls here.

Our school has a week's vacation.

The masquerade at Thompson's hall was a decided success. The best represented couple was Wilda and Albert Elliot, who represented a couple of Indians, and carried off the prize.

The Old Fellows dance was largely attended and all report a good time.

Andy Thompson is home on a visit.

Percy J. Ritter, of Russellville, spent Xmas at home.

John and Eddie Herman, from Antelope, are visiting friends and relatives here.

Sour Stomach

No appetite, loss of strength, nervousness, headache, constipation, bad breath, general debility, sour risings, and catarrh of the stomach are all due to indigestion. Kodol cures indigestion. This new discovery reproduces the natural juices of digestion as they exist in a healthy stomach, combined with the greatest known tonic and reconstructive properties. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure does not only cure indigestion and dyspepsia, but this famous remedy cures all stomach troubles by cleansing, purifying, sweetening and strengthening the mucous membranes lining the stomach.

Kodol Digests What You Eat.

Bottles only. \$1.00. Size holding 2 1/2 times the trial size, which sells for 50 cents. Prepared by E. O. DeWitt & Co., CHICAGO Sold by G. A. HARDING, Druggist

Garfield.

Mr. Anders was able to be to Grange last Saturday.

Walter Shriner, of Kelseo, was the guest of Lee Willis Sunday and Monday.

Mr. Wagener, of Salem, is the guest of his son, P. Wagener, for the present.

Immanuel Krighbaum, of Salem, is the guest of Canard Krighbaum for a few days.

John Stevens and wife were up from Portland to meet relatives and friends of their childhood.

John Page and family, of Parkplace, visited her mother, Mrs. C. Porter, Xmas week.

Mrs. Tom Youm goes to visit her mother at McMinville this week. Her mother is in poor health.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to the Oregon City Enterprise and its many readers and reporters.

Ed Bates daughter Maud and husband from near the Blue mountains, were on a visit for a few days to her parents.

We are having quite nice weather. Some fog a little more than usual for up here. We have had as many as 6 days of fog this winter.

The new bell was sounded Xmas night but is not up yet as there has to be a bellfly built to hold it as the building is old and unsafe for a bell.

Gideon Elsworth and wife gladdened their old time friends of Garfield, by a visit Xmas week and were the guests of Gideon Krighbaum for a few days.

Our neighbor, W. P. Nite, was buried at the Zion cemetery Monday. He leaves a wife and one daughter. He was aged 48 years and was a member of the Woodmen. A large number was out to show their respect.

Correction—Your correspondent wrote the name Mrs. Anna Davis Paterson, which should have been Hayes. As no harm was intended, we hope no offence was taken at the mistake in names.

The O. W. P. & R. Co. gave its passengers quite a Christmas treat in the way of a ride in a box car from Boring to Cazadera with the switch engine Christmas Eve, the passenger engine being disabled at Cazadera.

There were a number of family reunions in Garfield Christmas week. I will write the names and number in the family and number of years elapsed since last all the family were together: Wm. Davis, 14 in family, 12 years; Mr. Duns, 9 in family, 7 years; Mrs. C. Porter, 9 in family, 2 years; Ed Bates, 5 in family, 3 years; J. O. Tracy, 7 in family, 2 years; R. G. Palmateer, 7 in family, 3 years.

Garfield Grange No. 317 elected officers Saturday and as so many succeeded themselves in office, I will just say, do not think there were only those eligible. The rest of the Grangers had too much to do and could not attend regular so put those in that they knew could have time to attend. There were 48 votes cast so were not short of material you see, so don't think for a moment that the Jones' and Smith's are all the people here in Garfield as there are no Smith's or Jones' here.

Garfield had two Christmas trees and entertainments as announced and were both a grand success. About all the difference in the two was one tree stood stationary in the corner and had two rows of popcorn on the exposed side, while the other was a revolving tree so all sides could be seen and had a row of popcorn around it and there were plenty of presents on both trees, both useful and suggestive. There were representatives from Cherryville, Mrs. R. Bebebe and family, Bull Run; Asa Thomas and family, Springwater; Mr. Gtridge, Lower Currinsville; Edgar Hiple and family, Kelseo; Sid Elsworth and wife, Parkplace; Mr. Page and family, Currinsville; Hales, Linn, Ely, Shancklin and others. Also some from the state of Washington. John Stevens and wife, of Portland, and young Duns, of Columbia Slough, were present at our entertainments.

A carload of wood got the start of those managing it one day last week. It was backed up and not properly secured till the passenger car and engine ran down a ways and when the engineer and conductor saw it coming for them down grade, they lit out. As they passed Alpaan's siding, two ladies were taken aboard in too great a hurry to get their turkeys on board, and away they sped to avoid the on coming car of wood. The engine and passenger ran to Boring, the wood car running like mad, climbed near Boring when the momentum was lost. It ran back and stopped on the double bridges over Deep Creek. It was a beautiful sight to see it spin over the track and no one hurt.

A Vest-Pocket Doctor.

Never in the way, no trouble to carry, easy to take, pleasant and never failing in results are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. A vial of these little pills in the vest-pocket is a certain guarantee against headache, biliousness, torpid liver and all of the ills resulting from constipation. They tonic and strengthen the liver. Sold by Geo. A. Harding.

Eldorado.

John Paine is the proud father of a brand new baby.

The Xmas dances at Wm. Wallace's was O. K.

Miss Kittie Lyons, of Lyons, Ore., is visiting with Veva Kimmy this week.

Frank Kinney and Ed Jones were hauling freight Monday.

All Jones sold his beef cattle to Portland butchers.

Miss Minnie Fanton is staying with her sister at present.

Clyde Smith was breaking broncos Sunday.

Ern Jones was up in the foothills attending to business the middle of the week.

Well I guess we all had a way up time New Year's Eve at Otto Stryker's dance.

Kittie Lyons and Agnes Wallace took dinner at Mr. Woodside's Sunday.

Well boys I guess "we-uns" that are bashful like will stand some show now—Leap year. Don't be backward girls, because we were.

Ed Jones and wife gave a grand Xmas dinner. Everybody was there and all had a splendid time.

BEARS CAPTURED AT MARMOT.

An Exciting Hunt in Northeastern Part of County.

EDITOR ENTERPRISE—Dear Sir: Thinking you would like to have a few items from this section, I will try and give you a few. The most important event is the catching of two bears by O. and Henry Aschoff. While hunting cattle they came to a big cedar tree, with a big hole up about 20 feet. Henry thought he smelted a mouse by the sign, so he got a stick and poked in a crack and stirred up some bears. He didn't know how many. They tried to smoke them out, but failed, and 'twas nearly dark and four or five miles away; they got some poles, stumped up the entrance, and came home and started early next morning with more help and axes. When they got there the bears were still in the tree. They cut a hole in the tree and killed the old she bear and caught the cub alive and unhurt, brought it home and are going to make a pet of it, and are having lots of fun with it. This makes four bears, a wolf, a wildcat and two dogs the Aschoff boys have caught this winter already. No telling how many more they will catch.

Mr. Aschoff is building a log cabin in the regular old Tippecanoe style. It will be a dandy when he gets it done.

A regular stem-winder Christmas was observed in good style at friend Aschoff's.

Mr. Harry Bramhall and family stayed over night at Papa Aschoff's, and several of the friends of the family were invited and partook of the bountiful repast gotten up by Mrs. Aschoff and her two lovely girls, Misses Emma and Mageret. BENIHADAD.

Congratulations.

John H. Culom, editor of the Garland, News, has written a letter of congratulations to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as follows: "Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croup spells and we would be very uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup, we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results. One good feature of this remedy is that it is not disagreeable to take and our babies really like it. Another is that it is not dangerous, and there is no risk from giving an overdose. I congratulate you upon the success of your remedy." For sale by G. A. Harding.

Molalla.

Our locality is groping in the fog now; and should you be out on the road without fog horn or compass (hot brick) it will not require an over imaginative person to arrive at the conclusion, that of all the weathers the government clerk furnishes us, this is the coldest by far ever produced, in Alaska, Cape Horn, or anywhere else, when the thermometer only indicates the temperature at 30 degrees above zero.

The K. O. T. M. ball given here on Xmas was pronounced a grand success.

The Xmas trees at the German church and Teasel creek were all o. k.

C. W. Herman and lady friends, of Abiqua, spent Christmas with the folks at home.

Charles Scott and family, of Woodburn, overtook Santa Claus at Mrs. M. E. Shaver's. They will return home this week.

Miss Mattie Leavitt, of Vancouver, is taking her holiday vacation with her father. She is much pleased with her school and expects to begin teaching again next Monday.

Carry Herman, of the Bagby Lumbering Co., of Aurora, has been quite ill for a week. His father has been down there waiting on him.

T. M. Cross has been on the sick list for some time with a severe cold. This weather does not agree with him.

Charles Thomas is around again, having almost recovered from his throat trouble.

Isaac and Lester Gipson returned home from the Upper Columbia, where they have been carpeting for several months.

FEMALE WEAKNESS

321-3 Congress St. PORTLAND, MAIN, Oct. 17, 1903. I consider Wine of Cardui superior to any doctor's medicine I ever used and I know whereof I speak. I suffered for nine months with suppressed menstruation which completely prostrated me. Pains would shoot through my back and sides and I soon had blinding headaches. My limbs would swell up and I would feel so weak I could not stand up. I naturally felt discouraged for I seemed to be beyond the help of physicians, but Wine of Cardui came as a God-send to me. I felt a change for the better within a week. After nineteen days treatment I menstruated without suffering the agonies I usually did and soon became regular and without pain. Wine of Cardui is simply wonderful and I wish that all suffering women knew of its good qualities.

WINE OF CARDUI

Helpful Holiday HINTS. Begin your Xmas buying here. We have a superb line of those dainty articles of use and ornament that make the most appropriate and welcome Christmas Gifts. Fancy Goods and toilet articles are here in great variety and all at the very lowest prices. Here Are a Few Samples. An elegant line of Perfumes, all the standard makes—Wright's Palmer's, Lazzell's, Seeley's, Rugu's, Beernei's, Lundborg's, Eastman's, and others, in plain and fancy bottles, from 10c to \$4. Bulk goods fresh this week. You can sample them for the asking. We are especially long on Leather Goods, Handsome Cigar Cases, Card Cases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Purses, Bill Books, Diaries, Music Rolls, Etc., at prices as low as quality will allow. Some of the Neatest packages of Stationery you have ever seen—all sizes, shapes and styles, at prices that are not exorbitant. We are just like other business men, we want more trade. We want your holiday trade. That is why we advertise. It is not to be supposed you will come here simply because we ask it. Common sense indicates that we must do better by you than other dealers, and this we certainly will. HOWELL & JONES RELIABLE DRUGGISTS CHAMBERS HOWELL LINN E. JONES

Clackamas.

On the John Talbot property in this vicinity a stone quarry has been opened which produces a good material for paving, curbing, etc. A crew of men have been at work for several weeks getting out blocks of stone to be shipped to Vancouver.

The people and friends of the Methodist and Congregational churches filled the auditorium of the latter on Christmas Eve, to listen to a program given by the children and youth of both Sunday schools. The program consisted of musical and literary numbers, all of which were a credit to the performers. The Christmas tree was very prettily decorated and well laden with gifts. Santa Claus appeared at the right moment to superintend the distribution. We noted the generous supply of candy and nuts for old and young.

A very pretty family Christmas tree was that of Mrs. Alice Chapman. It stood aight in the bay window, a pleasant picture for the passerby. On Christmas night, Mrs. Chapman entertained a large company of Clackamas young people. Music and games filled the time till late hour.

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hayward and son, the Misses Georgia Wilt, Sadie Smith and Emma Johnson, all of Portland, spent Christmas with the family of A. O. Hayward.

Mr. Alice Chapman left Clackamas on Monday for a trip to Seattle.

Mrs. Cora Cramer, who has been seriously ill with typhoid fever, is now considered out of danger.

Herman Naas has greatly improved the looks of his dwelling house by raising the ell part to another story, re-shingling, etc.

Capt. and Mrs. Wilson entertained a large family party numbering thirteen guests, on Christmas day.

Milo Thompson and sister, children of A. Thompson, are home for the holidays.

Miss Frances Johnson, of Logan, was a visitor in the Hayward family one day last week.

Rev. H. A. Start preached what was presumably his farewell sermon last Sunday. It is not yet decided who will take his place.

Herbert Clark and sister entertained a party of young people Monday evening.

Misses Mabel Towers and Clara Koenner, of Oregon City, are spending a few days with Miss Lillie Hargreaves.

Viola.

The Misses Hamilton, gave a party on Monday evening, which was greatly enjoyed.

Miss Ora Black is home from Willamette University for the holidays.

Mr. Brown, our popular storekeeper, is away this week. Miss Mattoon is in charge of the store.

Chas. Miller is drying the lumber for a new house.

No Pitty Shows.

"For years I was after me continually" writes F. A. Gulledge, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles, causing 24 tumors. When all failed Buckle's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for horses and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Charman & Co.'s drug store.

Shubel.

The Xmas tree at the school house Thursday was a pleasant event. After an appropriate and interesting program the pupils presented their teacher, Mrs. Ada Moehke, with a beautiful tea set. Mrs. Moehke is doing excellent work and is dearly loved by her pupils.

Misses Carrie and Laura Simbel, Elmore, Mildred and Laura Gintner, Nellie Moehke, Della Binham, Minnie Bohlander and Lena Grossmuller are spending vacation at home.

Henry Gintner and Earl Davenport, of Oregon City, spent Xmas at the former's home.

Misses Lizzie and Vina Moehke and brothers Herman are spending a few days with friends at The Dalles.

Dave Moehke is busy sawing wood for the farmers in the vicinity.

A number of our young folks attended the masquerade at Clarks Christmas Eve. All report a pleasant time.

Henry Hettman still wears a smiling face.

P. Massinger lost a valuable cow last week.

N. D. Hill is keeping bachelor's hall. His wife is visiting her parents at Forest Grove.

Henry Hansen is home again.

John Helt has purchased a new engine for his sawmill.

The home of E. T. Gintner was a scene of revelry Xmas day. A number of young folks, among whom were Will Hettman, Chris. Otto, Fred and Will Moehke, Earl Davenport, Henry Gintner, Nellie Moehke, Lydia Hornshuh, Elmore, Mildred and Laura Gintner. Singing, bust and chorocone were the order of the day. Chris and Laura washed the dishes.

Boys, keep away from the girls, especially if you wish to enter the little white church, usually known as the "ten o'clock" on the hill.

Several of our promising young men, accompanied by lady friends, entered the church last Sunday night, and they accordingly occupied the same seats. This, it seems, was more than the "reigning spirit," namely, the preacher, could stand. The young men were ordered to the other side, and complied with all leaving the building. All rejoiced that they had been there and noted the need of missionaries.

We would like to appeal to any missionary, who is traveling to some distant heathen land, to jump off at this place and civilize and Christianize the members of the "ten o'clock" church.

Beaver Creek.

Cold weather seems to be the order of the day.

The Christmas tree at Beaver Creek was quite a success.

Several of the young people of Beaver Creek attended the dance at Clarks and report a good time.

Luke Duffy called on friends here Sunday evening.

Lum Stevens is in our neighborhood again.

Gwill Thomas is laid up with a bad cold.

Elmer Landergon was seen on our streets the other day.

Molino.

Everybody enjoyed a Merry Xmas in our little burg.

Atkins camp will again start up with a new cook at the helm.

Joe Daniels returned home a few days ago for an indefinite time.

Chas. and Ida Boynton spent Xmas Woodburn with their parents.

Mrs. Manning who has been some time has returned home.

Willard Wight is hauling hay to Oregon City from here.

Rev. Blair will start revivals at the all Thursday night, December 31.

Kitty Lons and Agnes Wallace spent few days in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodside spent today and Monday at Molalla.

The chicken dinner was all O. K.

Frank and John Lamm were visitors at the Wallace game Saturday.

Fred Wallace, who has been absent some time, spent the holidays with his parents.

Mr. Johnson died at the home of his grandson, F. Erickson, last Sunday morning. He was 82 years, 2 months and 2 days old. He has made his home with his grandchildren the past 15 years. Being of Swedish descent he never learned to speak the English language. Our greatest sympathy is extended to the bereaved. He leaves two great-grand children, a granddaughter and a son to mourn his loss, besides many dear friends. The remains were laid to rest in the cemetery at Oregon City.

Canby.

Howard Eccles and wife are spending this week in Portland with relatives.

Halsey Phelps and wife, of Portland, are visiting their parents here during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Bridenstein and family of Springwater have been staying with Mrs. Fletcher the past few days.

Miss Cordelia Stevens of Portland has been visiting old friends and relatives here since the day before Christmas.

Each of the three churches had a tree on Christmas Eve; the attendance was very large at all of them.

Mrs. G. Derry and daughter, of Damascus, and Mrs. W. A. Starkweather, of Concord, spent the latter part of the week with Mrs. G. Whipple.

After a three weeks' stay in Dufur, Eastern Oregon, Mrs. H. A. Dedman and family, also her grandfather, Mr. Nolan, have returned home.

Men. H. Evans has moved to the Roth place, near the schoolhouse.

Mt. F. Griffith, of Oregon City, was transacting business at Riverside yesterday.

Miss Anna-Lou Sleight, of Oregon City, is spending her vacation at Riverside with her aunt, Mrs. Hayden.

The four-year old son of Wilmer Fisher of Astoria is very low with typhoid fever.

Daughter of Mr. Linnaburg who died in a Portland hospital last week, was brought here for burial in the Norwegian cemetery Sunday morning.

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