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# NEWS OF THE COUNTY

### REDLAND.

Don't forget the spelling contest at Fir Grove school Friday evening, February 12. Miss Edna Gruel went to Portland Friday and returned Sunday with Miss Mortimer. Clear Creek Creamery paid 40 cents again for the month of January for butter fat. E. N. Brock, with a force of men, has been raising telephone poles in upper Redland this week. George Gill sold his fine span of four-year-old colts last week for \$475. The whole countryside was surprised when it was learned that Mrs. Wm. Anderson was married to Mr. Ordway known here last summer as Will Martin; the young man that had forced her name to a check. It is supposed the lady in question thought law not severe enough and has taken the punishment into her own hands. We sincerely hope the method will be a success.

School has again started at the four corners with Miss Griffith as teacher. Where is that beautiful month of February? The web-feet have been promising us all through the disagreeable weather.

Cascasweet is for babies and children, and is especially good for the little common cold weather. Look for the ingredients on the bottle. Contains no harmful drugs. Sold by Jones Drug Co.

### CLARKES.

Mr. Force has sold his store goods to Mr. Larkin, and Mr. Larkin sold his farm to Mr. Force. There was a railroad meeting last Friday night and they got forty-five thousand shares in Clarkes. Mr. Grace is on the sick list. Mrs. Haag was very sick, but is a little better now. W. H. Wettlaufer and family went to town on business. Mr. Shepard and his brother are plowing on the old Kenry farm. Mr. Hoffstetter had bad luck. His boy, Otto, was plowing when the bridle on one of the horses came off and then the horses ran away with the plow and one horse was badly hurt and they had to kill it. Mr. Krender is moving to Portland from Highland. Mr. Haag went to town on Monday. The Clarkes school will start again the 8th of March. Sam Elmer is plowing for oats. Elmer Lee butchered six hogs and sold them to Mr. Mayfield.

### EAGLE CREEK.

Rain, rain and rain is again the order of the day. Henry Udell resumed work for the Sellwood Lumber Company after a lay-off of some several weeks. L. A. Wood, of Hope, North Dakota, an old friend of E. L. Palfrey, visited with Mr. Palfrey one day last week. Roy Douglass is blasting out some stumps for Dick Gibson. Miss Bina Douglass spent Sunday

afternoon with Miss Armeta Mutt. Dave Hoffmeister accompanied by George Judd, went to Dover and purchased six long-nosed hogs, which he is going to use to do his plowing for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Douglass visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Gibson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howlett called on their daughter, Mrs. Viola Douglass, Sunday.

Claude Malcolm and Mary Woodie called on Miss Elsie Hatz Sunday evening.

Will Douglass was hauling lumber on Monday.

### CASTORIA.

B. E. Shumway, who has owned and resided on the Norton place for several years, died suddenly on the evening of February 6th. He was about 86 years of age and leaves a wife, son and daughter to mourn the loss of a kind husband and father. The remains were buried at Pleasant View cemetery on the 8th.

Word has just been received of the death of the venerable pioneer, Uncle Mark Hattan, on February 14th, at his homestead where he had resided since his settlement there, we believe in 1848. He was widely known as an upright citizen and a genial friend and neighbor. Farwell, Uncle Mark; if all the world were like thee, 'twould be a pleasant place to live in.

As Louis O. Gerber and another young man were going to attend the Masonic lodge meeting on February 13th, they were held up by a man with two revolvers, a knife and repeating rifle and relieved of \$5 in cash and a horse and buggy. The horse and buggy they found shortly after the hold up, by the roadside. We hear that the man went to J. C. Young, afterward and surrendered himself and arsenal to a constable from Estacada. It is said he has been cutting wood near Estacada for some time, and was known to the victims of his seemingly erratic escapade.

There was an attendance of nearly 50 at the February meeting of Harding Grange and a good program was given, consisting of readings, essays and discussions. The discussion on school matters brought out the fact that there was many warm friends of the county boundary board present—warm in collar. The first degrees were conferred on one and two applications were received.

La grip has had the grip on several families of Arthur's Prairie, but we believe all are convalescent. The Simonsen family has moved away, we presume to join Mr. S. in San Francisco.

The birth of a son is reported at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shriner, at Tracey's Corners.

M. H. Riehoff is clearing some leaver dam land on which to raise a crop of onions.

Miss Nellie Riehoff is attending high school in Portland, and was one of the successful ones in the recent examinations for promotion.

Harry Babler carried off the honors of his class at Corvallis, in Algebra.

There was a large crowd at the dance on the 13th, and the ball team realized a neat sum as net proceeds.

### FIRWOOD.

"The greatest good to the greatest number" is the motto which led us to change the place of holding the Farmers' Institute from Firwood to Sandy.

There will be three sessions, morning, afternoon and night, at Junker's hall, Sandy. The principal talks will be during the day, while the night session will be mainly devoted to stereoscopic views.

Four speakers will be present: Professor C. L. Lewis, who will address the people on horticulture; James Withycombe, director of Oregon Experiment Station, who will take up matters pertaining to general agriculture; Professor C. E. Bradley, Station Chemist, who will speak on the chemistry of the soil and; William Schmitz, a successful dairyman of Washington County, who will talk

on the management of the dairy herd. In addition there will be a few recitations, some music and several short talks by some of our successful neighbors. Everybody come; you can't afford to miss it.

A. J. Moxley, who has been building a new house at Firwood Mill, moved his furniture from Sandy Tuesday morning.

J. G. DeShazer and A. Maler have been hauling potatoes to Boring the past few days.

Don't neglect to be at the basket social Saturday, February 20. You will be sure to enjoy yourself.

### COLTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bonney, who had been visiting at the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bonney, at Colton, left for Bellingham, Wash., last Monday.

Mr. Danielson and Mr. Swanson were busy hauling hay from Timber Grove last Monday.

U. S. Dix has his barn nearly completed.

Carl Stromgreen has been busy plowing at Carlsburg the last week.

Mr. Sullivan made a business trip to Oregon City last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beck, of Schuette were visiting at the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Countryman at Colton, last Sunday.

The members of the two telephone divisions, Nos. 13 and 18, of Molalla, were busy putting up new poles from James to Colton last week.

J. A. Stromgreen was busy butchering last Monday.

Mr. Peterson was visiting at Mr. Stromgreen's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Countryman, of Mulino, were visiting at Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bonney's last Sunday.

### GREENWOOD.

Mrs. W. P. Jack has just returned from a week's visit in Portland.

What has become of the owners of the Greenwood saw mill? Are they dead or are they hibernating? If the latter we hope that they will show up when spring comes.

A number of people of this vicinity intended to go to the poultry show at Canby, but it rained, rained, rained.

### TEAZEL CREEK.

Roads are very bad in this section. The road between Anthony Moore's and Fox hill are extremely bad, having been plowed and thrown up last summer without gravel. It has become a continuous mud hole as far as this week went.

Mrs. Ed. Datz was called to the bedside of her father, last Saturday morning, he having been stricken on Friday evening and never regained consciousness. He lingered until Sunday morning when he passed away.

Francis Quinn went to the city on Friday in spite of bad roads and it being unlucky Friday it rained all day, but he got there just the same with twenty-one hundred.

A coyote has been prowling around in the Teazel Creek neighborhood and has been seen by some. It seems to catch goat steak, they say.

We learn with regret that Grandma Bagby is very sick with a gripe.

Aunt Liza Miller, who has been ill, is reported a little better.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dart, of Seio, are visiting here with friends and relatives.

### DAMASCUS AND ROCK CREEK.

Rain, rain, lots of rain, and the evening of the 8th, there was a thin coat of snow. Won't our winter ever be over. We have some prospects of good weather—had two days of sunshine and every woman was out with her broom sweeping cob-webs, some visiting, and sure it rained the next day so you beautiful women don't go out on a sunny day to spoil our good weather.

Mr. T. U. Pirtle's two children have a touch of pneumonia. They were so bad that Dr. Hickman from Portland was called.

Mrs. Geo. Johnston and youngest son have been on the sick list with bad colds.

Mr. Mirrel Newell is fencing the quarry hill for a man in Oregon City and has Percy Winston helping him.

Samuel Koentzer is cutting wood for one of his neighbors. Soon there will be a house built there.

Frank Donley is hauling potatoes to sycamore station to be shipped to Portland, getting \$1.25 a sack for large and small.

Mrs. C. R. Hunter and daughter Verna were visiting their great grand mother, Hunter a week ago on Friday and Saturday were at Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, A. Newell, Mrs. C. R. Hunter and Mrs. Donley attended Mrs. Nancy Tong's funeral at Portland. Mrs. Tong will long be remembered as a good and faithful woman, and is mourned by a large circle of friends.

Lee Hohenbeck has sold his 20-acre farm. Lately there are lots of new comers in Oregon. Soon old Oregon will be new news in Chicago.

Mr. O. Ramsby, the teacher, of Rock Creek School, will give a basket social, February 22. A good program is being prepared. All come and bring baskets.

### MOLALLA.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Miss Inez Snodgrass at her home on Friday evening, the 5th, in honor of her eighteenth birthday, and a very enjoyable time was spent in playing games, after which refreshments were served, and at a late hour the young people departed for their respective homes. Miss Inez was the recipient of a number of gifts and the good wishes of all. Those present were: Mrs. Snodgrass and Mrs. Churchill, Misses Inez and Gladys Snodgrass, Floda Burns, Alice Moore, May Erickson, Jessie Atkins, Nada Lee and Vesta Churchill; Messrs. Robert Snodgrass, Charles Bowman, Arthur and Ernest Mallatt, Lewis Churchill, Walter Waldorf, Bert and Fred Wallace, Archie Dougan and Harold Lee.

Mr. Adkins has moved his logging camp down on Buckner Creek.

Elsworth Myers has been quite ill for a few days.

Archie Davis came home this week on a few days vacation.

Fred Wallace went up to Shafter's mill last Sunday to work for a while. The Molalla school will reopen next

JOHN W. THOMAS,

DENTIST.

Molalla Mondays.

Tuesday, the 16th, a lady from Portland having been engaged as teacher.

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**TWILIGHT.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Donovan and family spent Sunday with Henry Scheers and family.

Mrs. Graves had as a guest her brother, of Sellwood.

The Twilight school is progressing nicely under the able instruction of Mrs. William Critzer.

### BEAVER LAKE.

Last week J. I. Sharp had the misfortune to lose a fine horse.

Mr. Deasie Davidson and Golda Davidson are visiting friends near Willhoit this week.

Mrs. Ben Wade and son made a business trip to San Francisco some time ago.

Miss Ethel Strong spent last Saturday and Sunday with Miss Anna Wade.

Saturday evening a number of young folks gathered at George Wyland's and enjoyed themselves till the late hour of twelve.

We are very sorry Mrs. William Miller is very ill again.

Mr. Ben Wade was visiting relatives near Scott Mills last week.

Frank Hoot and wife are visiting relatives at Salem, Ore., this week.

### MEADOWBROOK.

Professor Dibble returned to his post of duty Monday morning where he will study the birch over the youth and beauty of the community for the next four months, thereby relieving the parents and guardians of much hard work.

Carl Ramsby was seen on Main street Sunday evening.

The Colton merchant made a business trip to town Friday, returning via Molalla.

R. L. Orem has been improving his place by felling some trees and burning them.

Rumor says there is a large force of O. W. P. surveyors on upper Milk creek, headed for the upper Molalla timber belt, commencing at Meadowbrook.

The most interesting thing I've seen for a long time was while I was visiting the legislature at Salem, at the time they were electing a United States Senator. They have always told us that they would like to carry out the will of the people, but they couldn't. This time they (or rather some of them) said we do not like to, but we have to.

Charles Freeman, of Elwood is running Schafe's donkey engine.

A number of our prominent farmers attended County court last week on some road business.

From present indications the Circuit Court may hold a term in our town soon.

The doctors and professors are all busy at present learning the carpenter trade.

### MOUNTAIN VIEW.

Blacksmiths are coming down in this berg, at least Eddie did Tuesday when he went sprawling on the front porch of his house. He then raised up and looked around to see if any one saw him.

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

Dorothy Hamm has the whooping cough.

Mrs. Albright's children and Mrs. Reed are on the sick list.

Otis Roberts hurt his hand at school a few days ago and now has blood poison. Grandma Wase has a sore hand, too, and caught cold in it.

Mrs. Mabel Osmon and two children are quite poorly. The baby fell last week and hurt its left side.

Mrs. Kleinsmith is quite poorly lately and her sister is working for her.

Miss Snodgrass, who is teaching school at Beaver Creek, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Della Gottberg.

Miss Lena Torrence, who worked in the Home telephone office, is at home on a vacation this week.

Mrs. Josie Curran is working days now instead of nights, as "hello girl" in the Home telephone office.

Mrs. Walter Schwack has a brother from Wisconsin visiting with her this week.

Mrs. Pearl Rowe, and two children, who have been visiting here since Christmas, returned to her home in Washington Monday morning.

Mrs. Frank Bullard is able to sit up a little each day.

Joe and Tommy Gerber, of Portland spent Sunday here among relatives and friends.

Mrs. V. V. Kinney, of Mulino, is visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Rholl.

Mrs. Vada King and daughter, of Portland, were visiting her mother, Mrs. Ben Faust a few days last week.

Mr. Ben Faust is driving team for Mr. Torrence this week.

### Farmers' Institute at Estacada.

A farmers' institute will be held under the auspices of the Oregon Agricultural College and Garfield Grange, at Estacada, Tuesday, February 23. First session at 10 A. M. Dr. James Withycombe will speak on General Agriculture. Prof. C. I. Lewis on Horticulture. Prof. Dryden on Poultry. Prof. Brodley on Chemistry of the soil and Wm. Schuler on Dairying. Illustrated Stereoscopic lecture at night.

### Gravel Pit Good Purchase.

P. W. Haley, of Haley Station, on the Estacada electric line, was in Oregon City on business Saturday. Mr. Haley reports that County Judge Dimick has been pleased by all of the people of that section, for purchasing the valuable mountain pit of gravel for the road improvements of the county. The gravel pit was recently purchased for a nominal sum, and there is enough gravel, Mr. Haley says, to last the county 50 years. It is proposed by the county judges to have this gravel placed where the corduroy roads are at present, as the latter are a great expense, and always in need of repair.

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### BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED.

W. P. Burns, Prominent Pioneer, Honored on 80th Birthday

W. P. Burns, of Portland, one of the well known pioneers of Oregon and Clackamas county, formerly of this city, celebrated his 80th birthday on Sunday at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. W. O. Barnes, of East Salmon Street. Mr. Burns birthday occurred on Thursday, but to enable some of the relatives being present the day was observed on Sunday. Mrs. Barnes was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Laura Fuller, in the entertainment of her guests. Mr. Burns being very fond of carnations, the parlors home was decorated with those fragrant blossoms. The living room was in fresh colored carnations and the dining room in pink. The table was decorated correspondingly, and the shades of the candleabra were pink, making a very pretty combination. Many of the flowers used in the decorations were sent to Mr. Burns as birthday gifts from his many friends.

Present at this anniversary were Mr. and Mrs. A. McPherson and son, Irving, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barnes, Mrs. Laura Fuller, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burns of this city, the former being a son of Mr. Burns.

W. P. Burns crossed the plains with an ox team in the year 1852, and came to Oregon settling at Oregon City, where he resided until 1875 when he moved to Portland, where he has since made his home. While a resident of this city he was sheriff of Clackamas county in the 60s, and served two terms in that capacity. In the 70s he was justice of the peace and filled that office for several years.

By occupation Mr. Burns was a wagon maker and followed that occupation for many years. Mr. Burns and his wife, who is also an Oregon pioneer and nearing the 83rd year, are enjoying the best of health, and it is the wish of their many friends of this city that they will live to see many more happy birthday anniversaries.

### Lame Shoulder.

This is a common form of muscular rheumatism. No internal treatment is needed. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely three times a day and a quick cure is certain. This liniment has proven especially valuable for muscular and chronic rheumatism. Huntley Bros. Co.

### Shoot Hearts for Partners.

The students of the Barclay High School gave a party at the Williams Hall Friday night, which was a very successful affair. The evening was spent in games and music. Partners for supper were secured by shooting for hearts, and a most enjoyable time was had. The chaperones of the evening were Robert Goetz, Miss Gertrude Neffger and Miss Harriet Cochran. The hall was artistically decorated with hearts and evergreens.

Present were Misses Laura Ebern, Madge Brightbill, Anna Alldredge, Fay

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### Knew Lincoln Well.

Rev. A. S. Foster, of Portland, who is a cousin of Stephen C. Foster, writer and composer of "My Old Kentucky Home" was a visitor in Oregon City Friday and in the evening addressed the Presbyterian Brotherhood at its Lincoln Banquet. Mr. Foster is one of the few men of the west who have the distinction of having met and conversed with the great president. As a member of the Christian Commission, Mr. Foster, after the battle of Gettysburg, had charge of the headquarters tent of the Commission with the Union army then encamped on the Rappahannock. It was at this time that he had occasion to make a trip to Washington, and it was then in company with another member of the commission that he met and conversed with Lincoln. His description of the great president agrees with that of most others, except that his voice usually described as shrill by those who have heard him only in public address, was in private conversation agreeable and pleasant to hear, "especially as his face was illuminated by that smile which cannot be described," Mr. Foster said. "The president asked us as to the condition at the front and seemed as what we had to say as though he did not know ten times as much about it as ourselves."

### Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our heart-felt thanks to our many friends for their numerous acts of kindness to us in our late bereavement.

MRS. M. SHUMWAY,  
E. B. SHUMWAY.

### Elder Martin Will Answer Dr. Soltau.

The Elder Martin of the East Portland church of the Seventh Day Adventists will answer, as announced Monday evening at the First Baptist church, Dr. Soltau on the Sabbath question, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Woodman hall, to which all are invited.

### CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Unmarried Women Eligible for appointment only as Clerk.

An examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the postoffice in this city on March 15, 1909. The age limit is 18 to 45 years, on the date of the examination. Married women will not be admitted to the examination. Unmarried women will be admitted to the examination, but are eligible for appointment only as clerk. Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than five feet, four inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat or hat.

Mrs. Phyllis L. Nash of this city is secretary of the Board of Civil Service Examiners, and those desiring information can address her.

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