

Enterprise News Service Covers Clackamas County

WILSONVILLE.

The river has been frozen over since Monday, a sight not seen here for many years.

Norris and Doris Young went to the Rose City on Monday by auto.

Mrs. Wm. Hilder and baby spent the week-end in Portland, visiting relatives.

Ed Baker and family went to Aurora by auto, on Monday.

Miss Cady, who has been keeping house for Mrs. Aubrey Wood, went to Vancouver on Tuesday to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents.

Quite a number of Wilsonville people have been sending donations to the "Muts", Mr. Gage taking them free of charge in his auto truck.

Barney Cronin will spend the Christmas time with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Young will entertain with a family house party and Christmas dinner on Christmas eve.

The local school is preparing a Christmas tree and entertainment for Christmas eve, to which all are cordially invited. A playlet in keeping with the season will be given by the scholars.

Services will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. Dr. Brown entertained the local "500" club very delightfully on Wednesday, at luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Graham spent Monday in Portland.

Miss Davis, of Corral Creek school, will have a Christmas tree and program for the pleasure of that school, on Thursday afternoon, to which visitors will be very welcome.

Mr. White has been making some beautiful pieces of furniture for Christmas gifts.

A very nice picture of Paul Jaeger appeared in the Western Stock Journal last week. Paul is one of the fortunate winners of a trip to the Panama Exposition in 1913 and is one of the village boys, who has grown up here, and has already accomplished a great deal by his progressive spirit.

So far Wilsonville seems to be very free from contagious diseases this year.

Mrs. Batalgia has been on the sick list for a few days, but is now somewhat improved.

The Seely pond was bright with merry skaters on Monday, and antics were searched with the hope of bringing out a pair of skates from the shoat of the past, and even home-made skates were pressed into service for the gay and happy throng.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will give a supper on New Year's eve, the proceeds to go to the suffering Belgians. Chicken pie, coffee and cake, fruit salads and other appetizing dainties will be served for 25 cents a plate. These charitable and thoughtful ladies of our community certainly deserve liberal patronage. Supper will be served from 6:30 o'clock during the entire evening.

Bear This in Mind.

"I consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by far the best medicine in the market for colds and croup," says Mrs. Albert Blosser, Lima, Ohio. Many others are of the same opinion. Obtainable everywhere. (Adv.)

STAFFORD.

It is now two days before Christmas and we are still frozen up with the mercury down, a couple of nights, to 16 degrees above but Stafford has plenty of wood and blankets, also potatoes, for which we are, I trust, duly thankful.

The Reo truck man sent phone calls all along the line, and central kept the wires busy notifying those living to one side, that he would take a load of Giant powder to Wilsonville on Monday, and would haul anything, free of charge, that any one felt disposed to send to the needy in Portland, and the majority who got the word responded nobly, so that when he got through Stafford and called at Cook's he had collected nearly the capacity of his truck, two and one-half tons, and the rest of the way to Oswego to be heard from. People came from quite a distance off the main road to bring substantial contributions. If all the Reo trucks did as well, a few of the needy would have something. A great many of us would rather help to relieve the sufferings of those in our nearby cities, than to send a ship load to Belgium, with the uncertainty of its ever reaching its destination.

Ed Sharp's young son, who contracted scarlet fever, or it may be scarletina, a couple of weeks ago, is getting along very nicely and no others have as yet come down with it. The house is quarantined and the school closed until the 4th of January. A few went from here to attend the annual assembly of the Church of God at Falling St., Portland.

J. Q. Gage's wife and children came on Monday to spend the holidays at Mr. John Gage's, of this place.

Mr. Gage and his daughter-in-law motored over to Sharp's with some oats to have chopped and spent a very pleasant afternoon on Tuesday.

Mrs. Zaek Elleksen spent a few hours with Grandma Brink last Sunday. Mrs. Brink is a little better at this writing.

YOUR COLD IS DANGEROUS BREAK IT UP—NOW

A cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to Germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the Germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is fine for Colds and Coughs. It loosens the Mucous, stops the Cough and soothes the Lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your Druggist. (Adv.)

EAGLE CREEK.

Mrs. A. D. McMullan was the guest of friends in Portland, for a few days recently.

Some of the farmers hauled some of their potatoes to the car last week, and some had to re-sort them for they froze after loading them in the car.

Mrs. Katie Douglas has gone to Stevenson, Wash., to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sweeney.

Dick Gibson was a Barton visitor Sunday.

A. W. Coke and wife, of Damascus, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Howlett. Mr. Coke was auctioneer at Guy Woodie's auction sale Saturday.

Claude Woodie, accompanied by Mr. Dillon, of Estacada, attended the auction sale at Guy Woodie's Saturday.

Walter Douglas, accompanied by his daughters, Mildred and H. S. Gibson, made a return trip to Portland Monday in his auto.

Eagle Creek Grange met Saturday with about 50 members in attendance. After a short morning session and partaking of a fine dinner, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Worthy Master, M. C. Glover; overseer, F. W. Bates; lecturer, Mrs. S. E. Bates; steward, Geo. Smith; assistant steward, Will Still; chaplain, Mrs. L. Glover; treasurer, H. H. Hoffmeister; secretary, Mrs. M. C. Glover; gate-keeper, August Gerhardt; care, Mrs. L. V. Gibson; Pomona, Jennie Smith; Flora, Myrtle Hoffmeister; lady assistant steward, Miss Minnie Steinman. All officers were re-elected excepting gate-keeper, Pomona and Flora.

C. T. Dickinson and wife, of Oswego, Miss Echo Wade, of Garfield Grange, and M. V. Thomas, of Sandy, were Grange visitors Saturday.

BROOK FISH.

Why They Do Not Get Carried Away Out into Deep Waters.

If you watch a school of minnows in some stream that has a strong and swift current you will see that they always head upstream. The reason is plain. Only by constantly swimming against the current can the brook fish remain a brook fish and not finally be carried out to sea, as the brook empties into a river, and the river empties into the ocean. But we cannot suppose that the brook fish knows that this will happen if it weakly allows the stream to carry it along. The young minnow is born with the instinct to resist the dow of the brook.

The most natural supposition would be that the instinct amounts to a tendency to push against the pressure of the water, but experiments have shown that it is not the sense of touch, but the sense of sight that plays the important part. The instinct of the brook fish is not to swim against the current, but to keep near the same "scenery" on the banks or bottom of the stream.

The experiments that proved this were performed some years ago by Professor E. P. Lyon. He put some little fish into a bottle filled with water and corked the bottle, which he then placed in an aquarium, whose sides had sea-weed upon them. When he moved the bottle along by the wall all the fish crowded to the hinder end of the bottle. Of course there was no current in the bottle. The fish were trying to keep alongside that part of the seaweed covered wall that was opposite them before the bottle was moved.

In another experiment the professor reversed the conditions. He made a wooden box with wire netting at each end. Its bottom he covered with sand and its inner sides with sea-weed. Then he put the fish into this box and placed it in a stream. As long as the box was kept still the fish headed against the current, but as soon as the box was allowed to float away in the stream the fish inside it swam in any direction. While the box was still the fish, unless they made head against the stream, were carried along past their landmarks on the sides and bottom of the box. But when the box floated along with them they carried their landmarks with them, and so they made no opposition to being swept along by the stream.—Youth's Companion.

Left Handed Men Not Defective.

As left handedness is an inherited characteristic, apparently behaving as Mendelian recessive, it is interesting to note the belief of some investigators that it is one of the stigmata of degeneracy, says the Journal of Heredity. Bardeleben is quoted in German periodicals as saying:

"That a few great men, such as Leonardo da Vinci, were left handed does not neutralize the prevalent belief in all ages that left handedness implies a substandard subject." The percentage of left handed recruits is but 6.5; of school children somewhat higher. These figures are very deceptive, however, for of the left handed children who become right handed the percentage is some 25. This, added to the present left handed, raises the original percentage of left handed considerably.

After pointing out that the gibbon and orang outang are as a rule right handed and the gorilla and chimpanzee left handed the speaker decided there was no evidence at all that a left handed person was mentally or physically inferior.

As She Spoke It.



Mrs. Putton Ayres had picked up a few French phrases. Entering the butcher's shop one day, she inquired if he had any "bon vivant."

"Boned what, ma'am?" asked the butcher, puzzled.

"Bon vivant," she repeated. "That's the French for good liver, you know." —Philadelphia Press.

MILWAUKIE ORANGE ELECTS

Milwaukee Orange elected the following officers for the ensuing year at the annual meeting held Saturday: Master, C. B. Hanson (re-elected); overseer, Ralph Prosser; lecturer Mrs. V. G. Bonvic; steward, Robert Goetz; treasurer, Mrs. M. J. Hanson; secretary, Mrs. Kate Casto; chaplain, T. R. A. Sellwood; assistant steward, Mrs. Laura Rice; gatekeeper, Mrs. Maggie Johnson; trustees, Harvey Starkweather, James Robbins and Miss Ruby Mayor. Officers of Milwaukee Orange and Pomona Grange will be installed jointly at Milwaukee hall January 12.

GLADSTONE

Harley Stevens, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stevens, is ill. Mrs. Warren, of Vancouver, Wash., is visiting Mrs. H. E. Cross. Mr. Plant of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Percy Cross. The L. O. O. F. and Rebekahs of Gladstone will celebrate Christmas next Friday night with a Christmas tree at the lodge rooms.

Miss Georgia Cross arrived home from the University of Oregon Tuesday to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

For the past few nights quite a number of young people have been enjoying ice skating on the lake.

NEW YORK, Dec. 19.—Richard Canfield's will shows that the gambler king left more than \$1,000,000.

Salaries and expenses of deputy game wardens totalled \$47,000 for this year.

Guard Your Children Against Bowel Trouble

Many children at an early age become constipated, and frequently serious consequences result. Not being able to realize his own condition, a child's bowels should be constantly watched, and a gentle laxative given when necessary. Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets are especially well adapted to women and children. The Sisters of Christian Charity, 531 Charles St., Lancaster, Pa., who attend many cases of sickness say of them:

"Some time ago we began using Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets and find that we like them very much. Their action is prompt and we are grateful for having been made acquainted with them. We have had good results in every case and the Sisters are very much pleased."

The form and flavor of any medicine is very important, no matter who is to take it. The taste and appearance are especially important when children are concerned. All parents know how hard it is to give the average child "medicine," even though the taste is partially disguised. In using Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets, however, this difficulty is overcome. The shape of the tablets, their appearance and candy-like taste at once appeal to any child, with the result that they are taken without objection. The rich chocolate flavor and absence of other taste, makes Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets the ideal remedy for children. If the first box fails to benefit, the price is refunded. Ask your druggist. A box of 25 doses costs only 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

The McArthur-Perks Co has 500 men working on the Willamette Falls.

A CHRISTMAS GIFT.

By LANNIE HAYNES MARTIN.

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There's not a creature living Who hath not some gift worth giving.

If he look into that chest Labeled "Everybody's Best" He will find in cashet there Many treasure rich and rare.

Maybe just a loving word, Made to fit a heart that's stirred With deep grief or loneliness.

Or a hand clasp that will bless. Or perhaps that diadem We call "smile," a priceless gem

Which can send a radiant glow. Oft dispelling human woe.

If there love be cannot find, Smiles nor words nor wishes hind.

If in his "chest" such dearth be, Such unheard of poverty, Let him cut this little creed From the page he now doth read.

Give this verse that I have writ And my love along with it!



MYERS

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How About Your Barn Doors?

Do they stick--jump the track or pull harder than they should?

We have the remedy in MYERS DOOR HANGERS—Tubular and Stay-on Styles—Get them now and put them in while the weather makes it bad to work outside.

WHEN WE SAY

WE CARRY EVERYTHING IN FARM SUPPLIES

WE MEAN IT

WE WANT YOUR TRADE ON--

Gasoline Engine Oil, Cream Separator Oil, Axle Grease, Wire Fencing, Post Hole Diggers, Oil Cans, Grind Stones, Single Trees, Hitches, Pitcher Pumps, Pipe and Felting.

Everything in IMPLEMENTS AND VEHICLES ALL AT RIGHT PRICES.

OUR WINNERS



W. J. Wilson & Co. OREGON CITY, OREGON

Canby Hdw. & Imp. Co. CANBY, OREGON

A Christmas Booth For a Fair.

Have the booth all in white, with tufts of cotton scattered about for snow. Ice-cream sprinkled around represents frost nicely. Teicles varied in size and depending from the top of the booth are very effective. They may be made as follows:

Roll strips of paper as you would for lamp lighters and cover them with drippings from a tallow candle. If the tallow is allowed to harden in the raised places a perfect imitation of a real teicle is the result.

In place of the usual "grab bag" have a Christmas tree burdened with little gifts tied in colored tissue paper. Santa Claus, of course, has charge of the tree.

Douglas county will pay \$141,000 less taxes than in 1914.

Why You Should Use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Because it has an established reputation won by its good works. Because it is most esteemed by those who have used it for many years as an occasional remedy, and are best acquainted with its good qualities.

Because it loosens and relieves a cold and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Because it does not contain opium or any other narcotic.

Because it is within the reach of all. It only costs a quarter. Obtainable everywhere. (Adv.)



"George, what does adding insult to injury mean?" "It's when the other fellows laugh at you because teacher makes you have hands as clean as a girl's." —Chicago Herald.

How Oregon canneries on an eight hour and minimum wage can compete in putting up fruit against Hawaiian pineapples produced by Cooley labor was a problem before the Commonwealth commission.

Pendleton building improvements for 1914 total \$170,000.

Surgeons now performing operations by electricity would make a greater hit if they could only discover a way to do 'em by wireless.

If the mission of the automobile is to check the earth's tendency to over-population it is making considerable headway in fulfilling it.

The Esperanto congress advocates peace, and yet in print the language—if that is what it is—looks as if it might be well adapted to war.

Vacations are usually taken during the fishing season. This fact has become so well known to the fish that they usually plan their own vacations accordingly.

The United States is filling up so rapidly with immigrants that it will soon be impossible to find enough vacant space to accommodate the auto mobile race.

The state labor commissioner collects \$21,000 for inspection of factories. The Workingmen's Compensation commission is required to do the same thing. These commissions are to be consolidated.

Miss Fern Hobbs has been appointed by Governor West to be a member of the Workingmen's compensation commission at \$3600 a year.

Advertisement for Castoria, featuring a bottle illustration and text: 'CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co. Lowell, Mass. U.S.A. Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA. Exact Copy of Wrapper.'

Farmers' School at Aurora. Farmer's and Home Makers School extension service O. A. C. Pythian hall, Aurora, Dec. 25, 29, 30 and 31, 1914, from 9:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. each day and evening, 8 to 10 o'clock. Lectures, demonstrations, free moving pictures. There will be instruction in poultry feeding management, care and marketing of poultry products, care and management of the dairy, feeding for milk production, dairy cow judging, hog feeding and management, marketing livestock, needs and benefits of drainage seed selection, corn culture, hop culture. There will also be a bread making demonstration and instruction in vegetable cookery. Everyone is invited to attend. There are no charges of any kind. Everybody come.

KEEP IT HANDY FOR RHEUMATISM. No use to squirm and wince and try to wear out your Rheumatism. It will wear you out instead. Apply some Sloan's Liniment. Need not rub it in—just let it penetrate all through the affected parts relieve the soreness and draw the pain. You get ease at once and feel so much better you want to go right out and tell other sufferers about Sloan's. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief. Buy a bottle today. (Adv.)

HOG RECEIPTS ARE LIGHT IN PORTLAND. Receipts for the week at the Portland Union Stockyards have been: cattle, 372; calves 9; hogs, 4662; sheep, 3200.

GRAIN PRICES RISE IN OREGON MARKET. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 23.—Setting a new high record for wheat price is almost a daily occurrence on the Portland Merchants' Exchange. Today there was a sale of 5000 bushels of prompt delivery club at \$1.24 a bushel, the highest price ever known here for similar offerings. The entire wheat market was firmer and higher. A sale of 5000 bushels of Red Russian, prompt delivery, was made at \$1.19.

PORTLAND MARKET IN EGGS WELL SUPPLIED. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 17.—The egg market continues to show weakness with a further increase in offerings. Perhaps 50 cases of ranch eggs arrived on the street on the first express this morning.

STATE EGG MARKET STILL HAS DULL TONE. PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 18.—While the price of eggs shows a very serious advance outside of the state and yesterday's quotations there stood as

CONFIRMED PROOF. Residents of Oregon City Cannot Doubt What Has Been Twice Proved.

In gratitude for complete relief from aches and pains of bad backs—from distressing kidney ills—thousands have publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills. Residents of this vicinity who so testified years ago, now say the results were permanent. This testimony doubly proves the worth of Doan's Kidney Pills to Oregon city kidney sufferers.

Mrs. Clara E. Cook, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 105, Milwaukie, Oregon, says: "For years I suffered from pain in my back, much more severe if I overtaxed myself or caught the slightest cold. The kidney secretions were unnatural. Doan's Kidney Pills proved to be just the remedy I needed. They gave me quick relief from all the trouble. A few times since then, I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and they have always given the best of results. You may continue publishing my former endorsement of them."