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News of each Community Gathered each week by Our Rustling Associate Editors

Waldport

The Ahwaneda was in this week with a cargo of general merchandise.

Miss Effie Williamson is at Toledo this week taking the teachers' examination. Mrs. Bert P. Lovett is taking the examination at Albany. Quite a number of schools in the south end have to close this week to enable teachers to attend the examination.

Waldport will have its usual Christmas tree with a program and general distribution of presents. It was first planned to have a tree for the children only, but this was changed.

Leslie Evens is installing electric lights for his motion picture show and expects to have them ready by January 1st. Mr. Evens has leased Kents' Hall for one year.

Marvin Williamson has returned from Hebo, where he was employed by the Forest Department.

Martin S. Durbin is spending a few weeks at Eugene.

Fall fishing is fine this season, quite a number of silver salmon and steel heads being caught.

J. P. Wagner of the Oregonian subscription staff has been a Waldport visitor a few days and has gathered in a number of new subscriptions.

Eighteen sacks of mail came down from Newport Tuesday. Uncle Sam's parcel post is making plenty of work for the mailcarriers. Nothing yet has been heard from the increase in pay they were to receive.

Newport

Died—At home in Newport, of apoplexy, December 12, 1913, Mrs. Mary V. Baker, aged 49 years and 5 months. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. S. Smith at the home. The interment took place in the Eureka cemetery. Mrs. Baker is survived by her husband and eight children, five girls and three boys. All the children were present at the funeral except one daughter, who is in the East. Mrs. Baker, with her family, came to Newport fifteen years ago where she made her home up to the time of her death. By her kind disposition and a willingness to help others she made many friends who will greatly miss her. She was an affectionate wife, kind indulgent mother, and a good neighbor. Her place cannot be supplied in that home. No loss is so great as that of a mother. "All that I am and all that I hope to be, I owe to my Angel Mother."—Abraham Lincoln.

Died—At the home of her son, John T. Porter, December 12, 1913, of pneumonia, Mrs. Mary Porter, aged 73 years. Her remains were taken East and buried at Newark, New Jersey, beside her husband, who died in 1904. The remains were accompanied by her son. Mrs. Porter is survived by twelve children, nine girls and three boys. John is the only one living on this coast. Mrs. Porter came to Newport three years ago to make her home with her son. She was hospitable and possessed with a cheerful disposition; had many friends who will greatly miss her, especially her son who made everything as pleasant as possible for her during the time she made her home with him.

The Ahwaneda went to Waldport Saturday with goods for Walker & Lebow, Capt. Charlton, master. The vessel will go to Bandon before returning to Newport. Captain Morse is now engaged in the grocery business and will keep a large stock of groceries right along. He still owns the Ahwaneda. He is selling goods at reduced prices, which of course, is a great benefit to the consumer.

The L. Roscoe, Capt. Errickson, in trying to pass out over the bar, having in tow Porter Bros.' barge,

Frederick, on Saturday at high tide, was, owing to the strong southwest gale that was blowing and the heavy seas that was rolling in, driven to the north side of the channel into the breakers and struck upon the jetty with such force as to knock four or five holes in her hull. The Roscoe, in the heavy seas and wind that prevailed, did not have power to keep the barge off the jetty. She had on board for Porter Bros. 80 tons of oats, 70 tons of hay and 60 tons of dynamite. After the barge struck Captain Errickson, with rare judgment, pulled her off the rocks and beached her near Olssonville in a safe place. The oats and hay is a total loss, but the dynamite can be saved. The barge is insured and I understand the cargo also. Captain Severson and a sailor were on deck when the barge struck and it was feared the concussion would explode the dynamite and at the same time the waves were breaking over the deck. It was a trying time for these brave men, who are familiar with a sea-faring life. It was an experience that they will not soon forget. The loss will be four or five thousand dollars, but the insurance will no doubt more than cover this amount.

Mrs. P. M. Abbey has been very sick but she is now much improved.

Mrs. H. F. Jenkins has returned from Long Beach, California, and reports Mrs. Thomas Leese much improved in health.

Fall Creek.

We are having fine weather at present. The bachelors on Fall Creek are getting ready to make garden.

Miss Hattie Norman of Montana closed a very successful term of school Friday. Quite a large crowd gathered at the schoolhouse. They had a nice program.

Ada Hanson of Alsea was a visitor on Fall Creek last week, as the guest at F. B. Carns.

Grace Howe returned to her home on Beaver creek. She had been staying with her sister, Mrs. Claire Trenholm, and going to school.

Price Hunter was up Fall creek last week, helping the Carns Bros. roll logs.

J. E. O'Brien makes his regular trips down Fall creek with his cream.

Pat Rader was visiting Claire Trenholm one day last week.

B. F. Nix and family were down Fall creek last Tuesday.

Frank Tavor is doing some good work on the road. Good roads and prosperity is what we want.

E. M. Beals has been plowing and sowing grain.

M. S. Durbin was up from Waldport last week on business.

The bachelors of Fall Creek are talking of celebrating Christmas if they get the right goods from Portland. We wish them success.

James O'Brien has gone to Portland where he is going to make final proof on his homestead. He took D. M. Carns and Claire Trenholm for witnesses.

Horace and Pete Spencer are doing lots of work on their places on Digger creek this winter.

T. J. Carns visited the school one day last week. T. J. says he always did like school ma'ams.

Lon Hash of Alsea has gone down to Yamhill county to visit relatives and friends.

Bayview

The Ahwaneda paid a visit to the Alsea Bay Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Twombly and son, Kenneth, were visitors at E. S. Oakland's Tuesday.

J. C. Barnes was in Waldport Sunday and Monday after freight,

brought in on the Ahwaneda.

Roy Twombly was down from Drift creek Sunday.

Ole Olsen and Robert Gienger were Bay View and Beaver creek visitors Sunday.

Henry and Carl Hendrickson, who have been spending a few days at Bay View, returned to their farm on Drift creek Monday.

Miss Sophia Gienger spent Sunday with the Misses Prescott.

John Olson, who has been transacting business in Toledo, returned home Tuesday.

Milton and Randie Hendrickson and Edna Gienger called on Mr. and Mrs. F. F. McWillis Monday.

Mrs. K. Hendrickson called on Mrs. John Walker Monday afternoon.

Edna Gienger, who was visiting friends at Bay View a few days, returned home Tuesday.

Messrs. Carl and Milton Hendrickson and Albert Oakland spent Sunday evening at John Gienger's.

J. C. Barnes has some lovely Xmas presents this year.

The party at Mr. Pesscott's last week was a most enjoyable affair. The evening was spent playing cards and games. The music, furnished by the Misses Dessa and Leona Prescott and Alva Rossi, was greatly enjoyed. A delicious luncheon was served, and everyone present reported a good time.

Kernville.

The schooner Jack Barnem is in here yet. They have sold the boat to the Jackson boys of Salmon river and are waiting for the bars to smooth down so they can run into Salmon river.

Charley Hyde towed a large scow load of lumber to Schooner Creek for the road. The lumber was sawed by D. R. Ring.

Miss Edith Ball, one of the Schooner Creek teachers left the last of the week for Toledo to attend the examination of teachers. She went up the Siletz river with the mail carrier.

Eight men passed through for Newport, from Tillamook.

The sawmill is closed down for a few days, having some repairing done.

The schooners Mirene and Nena-mosha are due here. The Elmore boat is also coming soon.

The Siletz Bay school has an enrollment of 17. Myrtle P. Lockwood is teacher.

A grand dance will be given in Dodson & Cook's Hall Christmas night.

An entertainment will be given in the cannery Saturday night after Christmas. The two teachers, Miss Carnehan and Mrs. Lockwood, are preparing the program. A good time is expected and all are invited.

There are two schools in District No. 50, and they are wanting another teacher so they can have another school. Good for the Schooner Creek country.

Mr. Lowe's people are coming by way of Newport, and by stage to Siletz bay. They are expected any day.

Mr. Bronner has decided to stay here all winter.

Mr. Hespock has rented the Kobinski place. He will go out to the mines to work.

The Kernville postoffice was discontinued the 15th. The Siletz-Kernville mailcarrier will go through to Taft.

Charlie Larson is quite a farmer. Has a house, two head of cattle and is clearing and fencing his place in grand shape.

Ona

Mr. and Mrs. Denny visited at the Hill ranch Sunday.

L. E. Staub, from the Cripple Creek country, Colorado, is visiting his sister, Mrs. L. M. Commons, of Ona. The brother and sister had not met for twenty-four years and are renewing childhood days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lissy were visitors at the Phelps ranch Sunday.

Reynolds Ohmart, Clifford Phelps, Clyde Covert and Fay Selby went to the beach Sunday and took a dip in the surf.

School closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation. The "Klimbers Kub" gave a short Christmas program. Quite a number of the ladies of this vicinity were present.

Miss Hester Hill left Monday for a short visit with Miss Daisy Ferr of West Yaquina. She will go on to Toledo Thursday to write on examination questions.

A. W. Weber and son, Herman, are working for George Selby this week.

Francis Gatens was a visitor at the Covert ranch Sunday.

John Covert, John Hanlon, S. C. Denny, Clifford Phelps and Joe Lissy were trading at Yaquina Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ohmart visited at the Selby ranch Saturday.

Grandpa Williams was able to walk to the postoffice Monday.

Nortons

Chas. Hardesty was out from Rocca Monday.

Henry Tinner came down from the Hiland farm, where he has been clearing land.

Rufus Wood went to Chitwood Friday, where he remained till Monday visiting with his mother at that place.

Ed Hamar went to Nashville Saturday.

Olaf Erickson has been quite busy rounding up his stock.

A special school meeting was held here last Saturday to elect a director to finish out the term of E. G. Jones, who resigned. E. L. Hughes was elected.

Sherlock thinks he was not the only one that got scared at the desperadoes, as he reports finding the Professor one mile east of town and Fred Wagner carries a rifle (which he says is for a dog that is after his sheep), but that is a poor excuse for we know Fred too well for that.

To sleep in Nortons is an impossibility as Ed Hamar has a new piano. An explosion in a tin factory would be a paradise beside Ed's music.

Henry Spindle came over from Raddant's ranch Monday morning.

Lloyd Porter is cleaning out his house and is looking for a cook. He thinks he will be through cleaning by Christmas. Three months of batching seems a long time to him.

Joe Ergish who has been working on the C. & E. here has left for his homestead at Nashville.

If the mud gets any deeper here Art Fendall, the hog raiser, will get rubber boots for his pigs.

Winant

A surprise party and dance was given at the home of Bessie Sherman Saturday night. Everyone who attended reported a good time.

C. A. Hath was a Toledo visitor Saturday.

Jack Vigers returned home Saturday night from a visit to Portland and California.

Miss Ada Lewis was a Toledo visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. C. A. Hath visited Mrs. Smith Wednesday.

Banner Zeek was a Yaquina visitor Thursday.

Miss Alma Boone returned home

Wednesday, accompanied by her brother, Clarence.

Charley Griel has had charge of the cannery during Jack Vigers' absence.

Jay Van Schoick was a visitor at the home of Thomas Brown over Sunday.

Nashville

We see members of the "Club" are still wading the mud across the road in front of their place of meeting. A crossing is badly needed at that place, and although they have many good improvements to their credit, we do not understand why they have overlooked one so necessary to themselves and the community.

Our west-bound passenger train was nearly three hours late last Wednesday. The local section boss resigned to engage in the detective business. No other cause was given.

What is the matter with the truant officer? We see some of the young men walking the streets of our fair village who should be in school. For further particulars see Mr. Paul Baker.

The holiday season is here again and our local merchant has a fine line of present, toys, etc. Now do not send your money away, but patronize home industry. Remember, the money you spend at home helps to build up your own community and thereby your own property, too.

We are pleased hear the welcome sound of our local sawmill whistle again after an extended period of idleness. Messrs. Spilde, Thompson and Davis Milling company are now running a full force of hands, and are busily engaged in cutting ties for the C. & E. Ry. Co. They have several large orders ahead, which will keep them busy for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiland have just returned from a week's visit in Portland, which they made to purchase furniture to furnish their new residence.

We hear that Mr. Shroyer will become a resident of our community. After working here so long he has fallen in love with this valley.

Rev. Burns of Philomath and Rev. Elder of Oklahoma were visitors in this locality, looking up real estate. We were not informed whether or not they made a purchase.

Austin Rosebrook is on the sick list this week.

Miss Grace Davis spent Sunday with friends at Newport.

The C. & E. track laying crew is now located at Toledo.

Remember the masquerade ball at Oddfellow Hall next Wednesday night.

Valentine Thiel is having new roofs put on his cottages at the foot of Fifth street.

George Hoefflin is putting the roof on his new residence on his acreage northwest of town.

Don't wait until the last day before doing your shopping. DO IT NOW. Toledo Drug Co.

Mrs. W. A. Williams went to Co-burg Wednesday morning for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoefflin.

A number of the local boxers met at the skating rink last Saturday evening and pulled off several contests for the amusement of the spectators.

Mr. Link, a millwright of Portland, has been here the past week looking over the sawmill of the Toledo Lumber company, with a view to making changes in the mill.

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