OUR ASSOCIATE EDITORS.

All the County News Graphically Written up by Our Brainy Rustlers.

BALLSTON.

Pete Nairn has returned home.

Bert Conner is home for a few days.

Tom Woodley has been under the weather again.

Mr. Cook has just received his supply of new millinery.

Richard Clanfield has been helping his brother, Will, butcher.

Mr. Long, the Dallas butcher, has been in this vicinity buying cattle.

N. F. Gregg has just finished putting up a new water tank which will hold about 1,700 gallons

Ethel Berry is clerking for Peter Cook.

The merchant from Rickreall was in our town Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Cook is improving from an attack of lagrippe.

Mrs. E. W. Dorton has been visiting relatives in Falls City.

We hear that Peter Cook is talking of starting a tile factory.

One of George Newbill's cows got poisoned and he had to kill her.

Henry Butler has gone to help care for his mother, who is very sick.

Mrs. Henry Savery has been down from Dallas visiting relatives.

Mrs. Mark Sears is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ottinger.

Mr. C. D. Nairn has returned from a six months visit to his old home in Scotland.

Mrs. R. C. Sears, of Hilleboro, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Maxfield.

Henry Butler and family were called to Dallas Monday to attend the funeral of her nephew.

Born, March 14th, to the wife of Prof. Davenport, a daughter. Mother and child doing well.

A. Vernon will move to McMinnville next fall and live on a recently purchased farm of 90 acres.

Miss Ottie Mayfield, who is attending the normal school at Monmouth, visited her parents over Sunday.

Several took in the dance at Sheridan Friday night, given by the Woodmen, and report a very pleasant time.

George McCulloch shot two worthless curs who were eating his sheep. Several more curs deserve the same fate.

Andrew Campbell had a slight runaway, his horses getting frightened at the cars; slightly bruised but no bones broken.

We met Chas. Spagle driving Peter Cook's spirited team the other day and we thought it was an automobile. The drummer was holding on to his hat and looking a trifle frightened.

BUTLER.

Sam Pettyjohn is on the sick list.

Will Smith, of Salem, is visiting his parents here.

Sam Osborne is shearing goats for Glenn Butler.

J. C. Cockerham has returned from a visit to Portland.

Don't forget the basket social Saturday, March 30th.

S. F. Tharp and Wm. Ray were Sheridan visitors last week.

Walter Scott moved his family up from Sheridan last week.

Miss Patterson, of Salem, is working for Mrs. J. C. Cockerham.

August Ford, of McMinnville, is visiting with Louis Pettyjohn.

A baby boy arrived to gladden the home of Wm. Ruy last week.

Oscar Faulconer, of Sheridan, visited relatives here the first of the week.

Ed and John Hodges visited a few days last week with their sister in Gopher.

While driving Dr. Barbur home from a late call Saturday night, Mr. Hendersons team beame frightened and ran away. Very little damage was done.

There will be an entertainment and basket social at the Butler schoolhouse Saturday night, March 30th. Everybody cordially invited. Ladies will please bring baskets.

KINGS VALLEY.

John McCallum was an Airlie visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Grant has been very sick but is convalescent.

Will Graham and John Bulah were Airlie visitors Monday,

A new bunk house was built at the mill last week for the men.

Mr. Polka, of Big Elk, was in the valley on business last week.

Joe Graham has returned from Toledo, where he has been on business.

Miss Rose Neathamer, of Sheridan, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Graham.

Mack Maxfield and wife, of Falls City, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Maxfield.

John Bulah will commence building his mill Wednesday, with Mr. Staats as boss carpenter.

Has anyone around Dallas Buff Orphington chickens to sell. If you have telephone 55-51, Kings Valley line.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ross, of Alsea, are here at the bedside of Mrs. Ross' father, John Miller, who has been very sick, but is now better.

Fanny Dodele and Tillie Rogers report good hatches from their Petaluma incubators. The former 96 and the latter 97 chicks and both reset them again.

Mr. J. L. Newton was through the valley last week for the first time gathering up the cream for our new cream route. Several or nearly all the farmers will not be ready until in April as the the roads are bad yet and they are busy farming and havn't their separators ready yet, and there is a great deal of argument as to which is the best.

BUENA VISTA BUBBLES.

The equinox seems to indicate unsettled weather.

Rupert Hall has been wrestling with an attack of rheumatism.

"Down with the Japs" is the slogan of this community at the present time.

Curtis Thom is spending part of his time here and a part of it at the Magers hop yard.

Chas. Snyder and Harvy Nash have done some good work trapping for mink and coons this winter.

Dr. Stanley is busy almost day and night, his practice extending from Jefferson to Yaquina Bay.

George Molatt, a prosperous farmer of Marion county, has been ill for some time and consulted our local physician the latter part of last week.

The steamer Ramoda loaded 97 bales of boys at this place for Pickett & Merriam Friday morning. We understand the selling price was quite satisfactory.

Mr. B. F. Brannon has recently come here from California, where he is a successful horse dealer. He has some horses suffering with a new kind of distemper.

Jacob Nash has been awarded the contract of carrying the mail from Buena Vista to Parker and return once a day for $250 a year. This is retrenchment with a vengance.

Mr. Sam Brannon has been in our midst for the past week. Mr. Brannon has rented his property here to Mr. Flathead, a most worthy tenant. Mr. F. has materially improved the Brannon farm.

Ed Prather and Ralph Hall have been in the Cascades for the past week looking after timber claims to buy or locate. We understand that they found conditions more favorable to locators than they anticipated.

Ed Prather returned from the Cascade mountains Friday evening with a very sore finger caused by running a splinter into it a week previous Nothing but prompt action prevented a serious case of blood poison. At this writing he is much better, and it is hoped that the worst is over.

The steamer Pomona has her upper decks crowded with passengers almost every trip up or down. Most people prefer traveling by boat. There is a charm about traveling on water that civilized man cannot put down. Give us an open river from Eugene to Portland, and it can be done the year around, and more than half the travel will be by river. Uncle Sam, open up the water ways for your children.

Harvy Nash has returned from the Siletz, where he has been looking after some land. He found a desirable location, but on his return found that the president's proclamation had deprived him of his right to locate. How long will the common people be cheated out of their natural rights by that minion of corporations and plutocrats. It is time the American people should call a halt and see whence they are drifting or being driven. The slogan of Roosevelt seems to be: "Not an acre of land of the public domain for the common people, but millions for the rich and opulent." "Verily to him that hath shall be given, but to him that hath not shall be taken away what he already hath."

PEEDEE.

Frank Gilliam has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Brown and son have been to Portland.

There was a dance at the Peedee hall Saturday night.

Frank Gilliam and Alva Womer have sprayed their orchards.

B. L. Hastings has been very low at Albany but is now better at this writing.

We learn that Tom Vale, who had his leg broken, is not getting along very well.

We learn that B. G. Hastings, who has been very sick at Albany, has had lung fever.

Ernest Bush and wife, of near Parker, visited at his brother, Will's over Saturday and Sunday.

Out of 53 little chickens Will Bush has 12 left. They just disappeared and they think the cats had a good feast.

Reuben Hastings and wife came home from Albany, where they have been for over a week by the bedside of his father, who has been very ill.

Lambert Shepard has bought Mr. Condon's team and Albert Burbank bought the oxen of Mr. Condon Burbank has and about 17 men helping put in logs.

ROCCA.

Miss M. L. Hampton is teaching at Storrs, Lincoln county.

Mr. Radden came in to his claim by way of Rocca. Hitherto he has gone via Siletz.

F. J. Morrison lost a fresh cow, she having got down between the logs and they could not get her up again.

Aaron Maybee will will go to Portland on the 20th to prove up, F. H. Brock and G. B. Hampton going as witnesses.

S. P. Brock, of Shedds, and two of his daughters, Miss Tempy Brock and Mrs. Kate Croft, and little daughter, Edith, are here for a few days visit with F. M. Brock and wife.

BUENA VISTA.

J. M. Prather was shearing goats this week.

Mrs. R. P. Hall was a Salem visitor this week.

Albert Davidson was an Albany visitor Tuesday.

Henry Lee, of Springfield, is visiting his sister, Mrs. A. J. Hall.

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B. E. Harman and M. N. Prather lost a valuable dog by poisoning.

Thomas McLain was doing business at Scio the latter part of the week.

J. R. Loy and wife sold their timber claims near Grants Pass for $3,500.

The Misses Smiths, of Corvallis, were the guests of Mrs. McLain this week.

Ed Prather is carrying his hand in a sling, caused by running a splinter in his finger.

The Bell lineman were moving some of their poles this week that were standin the county road.

Grandma Harmon, of Independence, has bought the McCormick place and will move here next fall.

Mrs. C. Kaw, after visiting with friends and relatives here, returned to her home at Perrydale Saturday.

R. Emmonds and wife went to Southern Oregon Tuesday where she was called to the bedside of her grandmother, who is quite ill.

BALLSTON.

We are now apppreciating a very good shower.

Henry Gregg is spending a few days at home.

Mr. John Mayfield is hauling posts for his hop yard.

Born, at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Davenport, a girl.

Miss Otta Mayfield spent several days at home last week.

N. T. Gregg attended the horticultural meeting at Dallas.

Mrs. C. D. Nairn has returned from an extended trip to Scotland.

George McCulloch has rid the town of several of the worthless dogs.

Mrs. R. L. Sears is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield.

Mrs. Henry Butler is up at Buell helping take car of Mr. Butler's mother, who is very ill.

BUELL.

Bessie Clanfield spent Sunday with Nora Jones.

Lin Braley has sold his stock farm to Mr. Nichols.

Willie Fletcher has bought a new buggy horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols were Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mr. Walker and son, Clarence, were at Sheridan Friday.

Mrs. Tillman Hinshaw has come back from her Dallas visit

Sherd Braley, the Mill creek capitalist, was a Sheridan caller last Friday of last week.

Joe Parker, our genial mail carrier, attended the basket ball game at Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mr. Ford, of McMinnville, was among our farmers last week buying sheep, paying 5½ cents.

While on our way to Sheridan we had the pleasure of seeing a full grown ferret at the farm of Mr. Porter. They are trained to catch rats and gophers, and very useful around the farm and garden.

A teachers' and patrons' meeting was held at Buell school house last Saturday. Owing to the nonappearance of Superintendent Starr, E. B. Swartz was chosen chairman, and in a few well chosen words told of the object of the meeting. Speeches were made by E. B. Swartz, J. W. Butler, J. K. Guttry, Jacob Smith, Mrs. A. M. Fletcher and D. C. Walker. The school fair, consolidation of the schools, a play house for the children in bad weather, agriculture for juveniles, was discussed, interspersed with recitations and singing. A bountiful dinner was served and enjoyed by all. A searching party was formed to go among the Eola hills to find Superintendent Starr, as it was feared he had not returned from the basket social.

SUNNY SLOPE.

Mr. Frank Clarke is very low at this writing.

Our school has closed after a term of five months.

Mr. Johnson and family have arrived home from Idaho.

Mr. Ashford, of Jefferson, visited the Clark boys Sunday.

Mr. Ferguson, of Independence, was in our midst Friday.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark and son, Jay, have gone to Blodgett valley.

Mr. A. J. Shipley visited relatives near Corvallis last week.

Mr. Will Fishback returned home from Portland last week.

Mr. Herman Wunder has recently purchased a fine set of harness.

Mr. R. M. Bosley and Wm. Herren sprayed their orchards Wednesday.

Mr. Ed Rogers is plowing and seeding his farm. He works rain or shine.

Mr. Ernest Bush, of Peedee, is working for his brother, Mr. Bluford Bush.

Mr. Ed Rogers expects to put out 10 acres to English walnuts this spring.

Mr. Bluford Bush and family were guests of Wm. Herren and family Saturday.

Mr. Joe Housman, of Monmouth, visited his fatherinlaw, Mr. R. M. Bosley, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tuttle, of Independence, visited Mr. Wm. Herren and family Friday.

Mr. Grover Pitzer, who has been working for Mr. J. B. Stump is now working or Mr. John Walker.

Mr. Ralph Dodson, who lives in the Elkins district, has recently purchased a new improved separator.

Mrs. Bell Sullivan and daughter, Miss Bessie, will stay at her mothers, Mrs. Lizzie Clarke, while she is in Blodgett valley.

AIRLIE.

Grandma Staats is very poor again.

Mr. O. L. Buchanan and children visited in Corvallis last week.

E. T. Evans drove his fat beef caltle to Monmouth last Saturday.

Al St. Dennis and G. E. Berry visited at Independence last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxfield visited in Dallas the first of the week.

Mrs. J. D. Bevens visited her sister, Mrs. I. M. Simpson, last week.

McCormick Bros. and Dorton have their hop yard nearly all poled.

Messers Link and Brown have their sawmill nearly ready for business.

Walt Bradley is breaking a colt to ride, for Rich Grant, of Kings Valley.

Tuesday's train brought in a new saddle for A. R. Lewis. Mr. Lewis ordered it from Heppner.

Mrs. Burros Rose departed Monday evening for Dallas where she expects to reside in the future.

Mr. Robinson, the Falls City butcher, was here last week buying cattle for the meat market at the former place.

Mrs. C. V. Johnson was a Portland visitor last week where she went to attend the play, "Madam Butterfly."

R. J. Evans went to Dallas Saturday to see the basket ball game, returning Monday after enjoying the game and visiting friends.

Dave Simpson has a crew of men rolling stray logs in the river, the high water last winter having placed a number of logs on the banks of the river.

Mr. J. Parrott, traveling salesman for a Portland grocery house, was here last week, Mr. Parrott was raised near here and was glad to be back after an absence of thirty years.

SUNNY SLOPE.

Jay and Ethel Scott have returned to their home in Colfax, Wash,

Mr. Ed. Richard formerly of this place is in business in Corvallis.

Albert Owen, south of Dallas, has rented and will occupy the Thurston property.

Miss Clara Brant, who has been attending school at Corvallis, was home for a few days last week.

RHEUMATISM

CAN NOT BE RUBBED AWAY

It is perfectly natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when the muscles, nerves, joints and bones are throbbing and twitching with the pains of Rheumatism the sufferer is apt to turn to the liniment bottle, or some other external application, in an effort to get relief from the disease, by producing counter-irritation on the flesh. Such treatment will quiet the pain temporarily, but can have no direct curative effect on the real disease because it does not reach the blood, where the cause is located. Rheumatism is more than skin deep—it is rooted and grounded in the blood and can only be reached by constitutional treatment—IT CANNOT BE RUBBED AWAY. Rheumatism is due to an excess of uric acid in the blood, brought about by the accumulation in the system of refuse matter which the natural avenues of bodily waste, the Bowels and Kidneys, have failed to carry off. This refuse matter, coming in contact with the different acids of the body, forms uric acid which is absorbed into the blood and distributed to all parts of the body, and Rheumatism gets possession of the system. The aches and pains are only symptoms, and though they may be scattered or relieved for a time by surface treatment, they will reappear at the first exposure to cold or dampness, or after an attack of indigestion or other irregularity. Rheumatism can never be permanently cured while the circulation remains saturated with irritating, pain-producing uric acid poison. The disease will shift from muscle to muscle or joint to joint, settling on the nerves, causing inflammation and swelling and such terrible pains that the nervous system is often shattered, the health undermined, and perhaps the patient becomes deformed and crippled for life. S. S. S. thoroughly cleanses the blood and renovates the circulation by neutralizing the acids and expelling all foreign matter from the system. It warms and invigorates the blood so that instead of a weak, sour stream, constantly depositing acrid and corrosive matter in the muscles, nerves, joints and bones, the body is fed and nourished by rich, health-sustaining blood which completely and permanently cures Rheumatism. S. S. S. is composed of both purifying and tonic properties—just what is needed in every case of Rheumatism. It contains no potash, alkali or other mineral ingredient, but is made entirely of purifying, healing extracts and juices of roots, herbs and barks. If you are suffering from Rheumatism do not waste valuable time trying to rub a blood disease away, but begin the use of S. S. S. and write us about your case and our physicians will give you any information or advice desired free of charge and will send our special treatise on Rheumatism.

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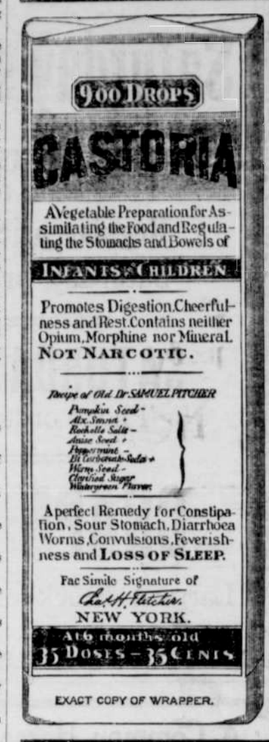

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