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INDEPENDENCE.

Courtesy Enterprise.

Mrs. Eva Wood, of Goldendale, Wash., is visiting her parents here.

Eli. Fluke left yesterday for Portland where he will accept a position.

Miss Hazel Bohannon left Sunday for Portland for several weeks visit.

John Foust returned Sunday evening from a brief visit at Vancouver, Wash.

Judge Geo. H. Burnett and wife, of Salem, stopped in Independence over Sunday for a visit at the home of J. D. Belt, while enroute to McMinnville, where the judge will preside at court this week.

D. L. Pearson, of Albany, is a new man in Cleve Robinson's barber shop. Mr. Pearson has worked at Monmouth and other localities, but for some time has been at Albany, coming from there here.

Mrs. W. E. Mulkey is lying very low with pulmonary trouble at the home of her sister, Mrs. K. H. Sicafoose, in Monmouth Mrs. Mulkey's home is at Soldier, Idaho, from whence she came about six weeks ago.

L. Johnson and R. Ogle with their families were arrivals here last week from Nebraska. Mr. Johnson resided for several years near Monmouth until last fall, when he sold his place and returned to Nebraska where he remained over the winter.

T. B. Clevenger recently sold his shoe repair shop to O. Boyd, who has already taken posession of the shop and will conduct it in the future. Mr. Boyd comes here from Dayton, Washington, having been in Independence now about two weeks. He has a family and all are well pleased with their new location.

Wm. Cadwell, of East St. Louis, Illinois, and Oliver Wagstaff, of Albany, were visiting with Andrew Wagstaff of this office on Saturday and returned to Albany last on Sunday. Mr. Campbell was much amused with the running of the Independence ferry boat, and took the first ride on a ferry of its kind at this place.

The high wind Friday morning played havoc with the hop driers and accessories belonging to J. H. Burton, who owns a large hop yard adjoining the city on the north. The disaster took place about 11:30 Friday morning and two of the four driers which were connected toppled over by the heavy wind and smashed up in a manner that means a great loss to Mr. Burton. The two remaining driers are still standing although they are leaning visibly to the north and have loosened somewhat from their foundations.

Mr. Clow has been visiting Mr. Tuttle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tuttle visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Metzler Sunday.

The Baptist ladies will have an apron sale at the Red Front store March 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walker, Mrs. Newt Jones and daughter, Helen, and Mr. and Mrs. Henkle were out to see Mr. Burton's hop houses Sunday.

KINGS VALLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Ross returned home Monday.

Roll. Maxfield was a Portland visitor last week.

John Miller, who has been very sick, is improving.

Curt Miller made a flying trip to Albany Saturday.

W. L. Price court bailiff, went to Corvallis Saturday.

Frank Miller sheared goats for Bud Alcorn last week.

Frank Plunket has a new separator at work at his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Maxfield were Dallas visitors last week.

Lessie Bush is home on a visit. She is attending O. A. C. at Corvallis.

John McCallum is in Portland stocking up new hardware for his store.

Mr. and Mr. Taylor and son, Teddy, of Wells, are visiting at the home of John Miller.

W. S. Alcorn, our merchant, went to Portland Sunday to lay in a supply of dry goods.

Mrs. Ollie Maxfield visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Word, of Independence, last week.

Dr. Cathey was called from Corvallis Saturday to attend David Riker who is quite sick.

Mrs. Dick Rogers and niece, Novice Rumbaugh, were Corvallis visitors Thursday and Friday.

George Dodele, Frank Plunket, Tom Allen and Ralph Vincent went to Corvallis to serve as jurors this week.

F. H. French, the fruit tree inspector of Corvallis, was in the valley last week, but reports no San Jose scale could be found.

Sefert Ramsdell has returned from Corvallis where he went for medical treatment for his injured ankle and is getting along nicely.

There must be going to be something doing in the dairying business. We saw Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rogers bring home a new Jersey cow and a De Laval cream separator this week.

Baynard Rumbaugh has returned from the hospital in Portland and has nearly recovered from the injuries received in a sawmill at Marcola. He is at the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Rogers.

EOLA.

It snowed here the 25th.

There is a new 12 pound boy at Chas. Knower's.

Tom Holman is trellising a lot more of his hop yard.

Frank Laws and family were visiting relatives in Eola last week.

O. G. Savage has set out about 700 rhubarb roots, also a strawberry patch.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker and son, Edward, visited at the Ebbe home Sunday.

Leona Brown shipped some chickens to Portland and received a fancy price.

Some of our leading young folks attended the opening at Kerslakes skating rink.

Owing to the stormy weather we have not been over to the mill so don't know how the work is progressing.

The people of the valley had some snow but all we lack is the sleight bells of having genuine eastern sleigh rides.

BUENA VISTA.

Harvy Nash has a gasoline launch.

I. C. Rowe was trading at Independence Friday.

Allie McLaughlin was a Corvallis visitor last week.

Henry Conger, of Independence, was here Saturday.

A. Anderson has been plowing the roads for grading.

A. Anderson and daughter, Tressa, were Albany visitors Thursday.

The school board had a call meeting Monday night for special business.

Ed Prather, who has been suffering from blood poison, is out of danger.

There will be Easter exercises at the Evangelical church next Sunday night.

Mrs H. C. Wells, of Marion county, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Kreutz.

Mr. Reynolds has been putting a new wire fence around his farm, which adds greatly to the looks.

Mrs. Southwick and daughter, of Rickreall, have been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Roy.

The Misses Smith, after spending a week here with relatives and friends, here, returned to their home at Corvallis.

Mrs. Getty and son, Willie, who have been living at Corvallis, where he has been attending school, returned home this week.

Dr. O. D. Butler, of Independence, was called to see the infant daughter of of Mr. Becker, who is quite sick, but is reported as better at present.

One of the hardest wind storms for this year visited this place last Friday. It blew down some fencing and timber and racked several buildings.

POPCORN.

A good fall of snow Monday.

Too cold weather for anything to grow.

Chas. Clark is putting up a good deal of woven wire fence.

James Butler has contracted to cut 100 cords of wood for C. Homyer.

Mrs. R. E. Young of Albany, is visiting her niece, Mrs. James Sykes.

Jessie Cavitt returned from her Nehalem school quite sick but is better now.

The cold rains have been very severe for young goats, quite a number kids having died.

Rheumatism has fastened its clutches on George Porter and he is badly crippled most of the time.

Bessie Mitchell returned to her Salem home after an extended visit with her cousin, Mrs. John Sykes.

The revival meetings being held by Captain Branson and wife are a grand success, quite a number having claimed conversion.

AIRLIE.

Crosby Dalton, of Monmouth, was at the bedside of his grandmother last week.

Roscoe Staats, who has been visiting at his home, returned to Independence Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, of Dallas, were at the bedside of his sister, Mrs. O. M. Staats.

Mrs. Asa Taylor, of Independence, visited at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. O. M. Staats.

Miss Hart, of Independence, visited at the home of Mr. J. M. Staats from Saturday until Monday.

The weather still continues winterish and snow decks the hills surrounding our city quite frequently.

A 10 pound girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tethrow last week. Both mother and child doing well.

The axe handle mill at this place will soon move from the Hastings place to the Brown where they expect to have enough timber to run all summer.

Wm. McLaughlin, foreman of the Spaulding logging camp near here, was in town Monday. He was here look after the logs in the river which have started to move owing to the recent rains.

Mr. J. S. Buchanan, of Portland, who has been visiting at the home of his son here for the past week, returned home Sunday. Mr. Buchanan was under the doctors care before leaving Portland and was obliged to submit to his care again. His son, O. L. Buchanan, accompanied him as far as Independence.

Mr. A. H. Harris is to soon erect a a modern cottage on the Levens place near Scott Loughary's.

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