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"The Store that Beats 'em All"

Shoes! Shoes!!
—THE FAMOUS HAMILTON - BROWN SHOES—

JUST RECEIVED! The largest shipment of SHOES direct from the factory that ever came into Eastern Clackamas County at any one time, thereby cutting out the middleman's profit so that it enables us to give you a better shoe for less money than elsewhere.


Wednesday is our MARKET DAY. Bring your VEAL, PORK, CHICKENS, HIDES, EGGS, BUTTER — CASH OR TRADE —

R. E. Jarl,
The Store of QUALITY as well as QUANTITY

SANDY STAGE and LIVERY
NEWTON ORR, - PROP.

LEAVES Sandy for Boring at 6:30 a. m. and 2:00 p. m. Boring for Sandy at 8:35 " and 4:45 " Schedule subject to change without notice.

AT SANDY makes connections with Salmon Mail Stage. Also makes connection for Aschoff's and meets first car at Boring.



Correspondence

UPPER LATOURELL

R. P. Rasmussen, our new road supervisor, has been very busy lately looking after the thoroughfares of this vicinity.

The heavy rains of late have caused many wash-outs and landslides which make the roads almost impassable.

The New Year was ushered in at the Columbia grange hall in good old fashion. All present reported a jolly time. Mrs. Lottie Benfield has returned from the hospital.

Mr. Alvin Floss, the money king of this section, has just sold his beautiful farm for \$8000.

Columbia grange met at its usual session Saturday evening, being well attended. The new officers were installed. C. J. Littlepage acting as installing officer.

PLEASANT HOME.

Mrs. Cannon has returned home after a long visit with her sister at Albany.

The M. E. Sunday school held their regular meeting, electing their officers for this year as follows: Superintendent, Mr. Calvin; assistant, Miss Etta Shriner; treasurer, Mr. E. E. Van Fleet; secretary, Miss Minnie Shriner; organist, Miss Edith Louderback.

Mr. Elmer Meserve from Gray River, Wash., made a short visit with his sister, returning Monday.

Mrs. Blanch Stephens Flemmings of Centralia, Wash., was recently visiting her friends in this vicinity.

BROWER

Frank Knapp, of Portland, spent a few days with his cousin, Wm Knapp, and enjoyed a very pleasant rabbit hunt in the snow, although we failed to see the rabbits he killed.

W. W. Sharp made a trip east of the mountains looking after timber claims.

Miss Laura Burkholder and Miss Irene Knapp, of Gresham, spent the vacation with their parents.

PLEASANT VIEW

There was several family Christmas trees in the neighborhood besides the public tree at the schoolhouse.

Misses Bertha and Emma Lambert spent a few days last week at the home of their mother.

Mrs. Clark and her father spent Christmas at Mrs. Alma Chamberlain's.

H. G. Ogden made a business trip to Portland last Friday.

Mrs. Henkle entertained her mother, brothers and sisters on Christmas day.

Elder Aaron Preston called on his friends in this neighborhood last week.

Miss Winona Ogden is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cameron in Troutdale.

Mrs. Frommelt, who was taken ill at the schoolhouse Sunday night, is much better we are glad to report.

Mrs. Henkle and children, Mrs. Tracy Wand and Miss Josephine Lambert were pleasant callers at Mrs. Allie Richey's last week.

Harry Federspeil has been ill with tonsillitis. There seems to be a great deal of throat trouble this winter.

Chas. A. Ogden and family visited their uncle H. G. Ogden on Sunday last.

Chas. Ogden is going to California soon to benefit his health.

NELLY CREEK

Kelly & Wihlon's mill has shut down for a few days on account of snow and

some of the men are still celebrating New Year's.

Elton Kelley, who is attending the O. A. C. at Corvallis, has been home on a short visit, returning to the school on Tuesday morning.

George Harper has returned for the winter and will act as brakeman on the slab car.

The town is building up fast there has been two new houses built within the last month and rumor says Arthur Johnson has a permit for the third one.

There is some talk of a cougar hunt up here and if there is there will likely be something doing for the animals are plentiful and the hunters game.

GAGE

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Roy Emily, former residents of this neighborhood, are the happy parents of a little girl.

Mrs. G. W. Kelly, of Umatilla, was seen in our midst last week.

Miss Olive Preston has been visiting her parents for a few days.

Mr. Soule delivered us a fine sermon last Sunday after Sunday school.

Mr. Erickson has finished shipping his potatoes.

Mrs. W. Harding attended Sunday school Sunday.

J. Richardson has returned from a flying trip to California.

C. Neilson is loading wood for Harlow Bros at Troutdale.

Mrs. Tufford and Mrs. Northway made a business trip to Portland last week.

We were glad to see M. Preston's happy face in our vicinity again.

We see Lew Bates has quite a rick of wood piled to the side of the road.

Wm Northway was delivering hay to Mr. Fox in Troutdale last week.

C. Christenson was plowing for Mr. Canzler the first of the week.

Mr. J. Crowston has moved into the Dressel cottage.

A number of people of our vicinity attended the Grange bazaar Monday eve and reported that they had a jolly time.

Willie Northway has gone to work for Jones & Co.

Mr. Bieberg is building a new house on his place.

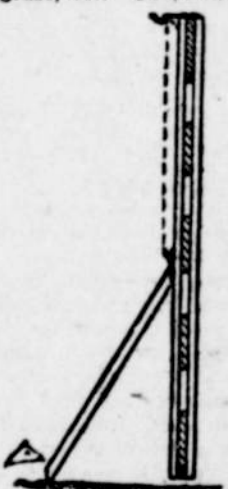
Control of Weeds.

The margin of supply ditches on most irrigated farms is the breeding ground of weeds. The seeds of these fall into the water and are widely scattered by the irrigation stream. The banks of ditches should be graded and smoothed so that the weeds which grow along the sides can be readily cut and burned. A rapid growing forage crop like alfalfa also tends to keep down the weeds and may be sown along the banks for this purpose.

To Hold a Gate Open.

The illustration shows a very handy method which I invented to hold a swing gate open any width. Most gates are hung so they swing upward a little in opening, to clear snow, grass, etc. They swing shut of their own accord; hence something to hold the gate open at any place while driving through or letting out stock is a necessity.

To meet this need I devised the brace shown herewith. It is simply a piece of wood 1 by 2 inches and a little longer than half the height of the gate. One end is fastened by a spike passing through it and driven into the edge of the vertical board at the end of the gate, or it may be put on with a hinge. The dotted lines show its position when not in use, it being swung upward and snapped beneath a spring nailed to the top of the gate, says a writer in American Agriculturist.



Horse Talk.

Many colts are given ugly tempers by cruel and careless currying. To scratch and hurt a colt or horse will cause him to hate the operation and the operator.

Many currysoms are knocked all out of shape, and some of the teeth cut like knives.

Look at your currycomb. It is often an instrument of torture.

Tench the boys to use it gently and keep it in order.

Be generous in the use of the brushes, but sparing in the use of the comb.

Good grooming should be done every day to keep the pores open, the skin healthy and the hair silky. Soft hair is very warm and is a nonconductor of heat.

Never leave a long mess of wet straw and manure under the horses. It ruins the health and eyes and is a disgrace to any horse owner.—Farm Journal.

Is Mr. Rockefeller's modest diamond an oil stone?

Children think that they are forbidden by their parents to do certain things just because they are chuck full of fun.

Clackamas County
GLEANNINGS

SANDY.

The country is full of surveyors looking up locations for the two different proposed railroads.

Martin Thomas sold his farm for \$6000 to the Mt. Hood syndicate.

Frank Holms sold his farm on Sandy and bought the John Tracey farm near Eagle Creek.

The Cascade Debating society met in Junker's hall Saturday eve. The question, Resolved that education is of greater value to humanity than wealth, was debated in a lively manner. The judges rendered their decision in favor of the negative, led by F. E. McGreggin. It was decided to hold the meetings in Junker's hall hereafter instead of Meinig's.

Jack Jones came over from Ains Monday to get a load of provisions for the Jones' sawmill.

C. W. Kern was down from Welch Monday, he reported a lot of snow in the mountains.

Andross and Williard, saw-mill men of Ains transacted business in Sandy Tuesday.

H. L. Chalker passed through here Tuesday enroute to his home at Cherryville.

Wm. O. Rugh of Cherryville, was a Sandy visitor Monday.

John Vanderhoof is carrying the mail to Marmot.

J. B. Tawney left last week for McMinnville to visit friends and relatives.

The W. of W. held a public meeting in Meinig's hall Saturday eve January 6th. New officers were installed and a supper given by the circle.

Mrs. W. R. Allen made a trip to Portland Friday and Saturday.

Miss Molly Mitchell who has been visiting her folks went back to Oregon City Sunday.

Mr. C. Yunker made a business trip to Portland the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Buell have taken charge of the cook house at Proctor & Beers saw-mill.

Mr. Henry Ashoff was seen on the streets of Sandy Friday.

LUSTEDS

Last Saturday while W. Carpenter was walking along the Sandy river he came across some articles of clothing and thinking may be he might find some trace of the ill-fated man he walked about two hundred yards and found some part of the remains what is reported to be Mr. Millsted. Mr. Wihlon, the father-in-law of Millsted, was notified and summoned Coroner Finley, about twenty two went down Sunday to identify the remains and make further search. They identified him by his shoe that was still on the foot and part of his clothing. All that was found was the lower part of his body.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ormsby returned to their home in Washington last Friday, after visiting her mother for the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. McClean spent the evening with E. D. Hamilton and family Monday evening.

School has commenced again with a good attendance after two week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lusted and Miss Goulet spent Sunday evening with Ralph Neibauer and family.

Mr. Hunter, of Pleasant Home, has purchased the R. R. Carlson ranch.

Mr. Hunter has moved to the John Sleret's old farm, he has rented it for two years.

FIRWOOD

Will Alt made a business trip to Sandy last week.

Percy Kitsmiller, of Dover, has been roaming through the country to see what timber he could get an option on.

Miss Susie Alt has returned to the city, after spending the holidays at home.

Frank Gessler and friend are spending a few days with H. Clack.

Little Master Gibbons, of Sandy Ridge, had quite a snow ball fight on the streets of Firwood last week and he didn't get the worst of it either.

Peter Peshal was out trying his sled on the snow.

Gus Hoffman and Gus Stuckie went hunting up to Welch last week.

Peter Stone will soon have to have a sleigh if it snows much more.

Dick Gibson, of Eagle Creek, made a business trip to Firwood last week.

ORDINANCE 33.

AN ORDINANCE fixing the compensation of the recorder and providing for its payment.

Be it ordained by the common council of the town of Gresham:

Section 1. That the recorder be and he is hereby allowed for his services a salary of one hundred and twenty (120) dollars per annum, payable quarterly.

Adopted January 2, 1907. Approved January 2, 1907.

J. M. SHORT, Mayor.

Attest: D. M. ROBERTS, Recorder.

and Mrs. Baxter on the anniversary of his birthday. Also a social visit to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Petty on his return home after a long absence as cook on the U. S. dredger Ladd, to which position he returned Monday.

Mrs. Bowman and some of her children are quite sick.

J. G. Petty has purchased a house in Lents and contemplates moving his family there in the near future.

J. H. Willdee is getting his wagon ready for the berry season.

Wing & Sager are putting some new machinery in their saw-mill.

Johnson creek overflowed as a result of the heavy rains, and several buildings were flooded along the creek bottom. The neighbors gave Mr. and Mrs. Frost a surprise New Year's night.

Shopwork.

"What do you think of Irene's husband?"

"About what you might expect, considering she always was a bargain hunter."

Watch the Watch.

If you desire to upward go, Don't watch the clock—it might be slow— But save a week or two and buy a watch on which you can rely.

COTTRELL.

Mrs. Hattie Kolsky returned home from the city Sunday but her sister remained in town.

Randolf Spiers is home for a while.

Misses Ida and Virian Radford gave a card party at their home last Friday evening which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

John Dickenson is at home.

Cena VanFleet visited the Misses Radford last Friday and Saturday.

All enjoyed Christian Endeavor at the Baptist church last Sunday evening.

Orland Zeek, GENERAL Blacksmithing AND DEALER IN HARNESS, FARM IMPLEMENTS, BUGGIES and WAGONS Pleasant Home, Ore.

A Bargain Every Day IS OUR MOTTO

We try to give our Customers the long end on every deal.

SMALL PROFITS and QUICK SALES This is especially so in

Groceries and Feed

Get our prices on

HARDWARE, DRY GOODS, LOGGERS' and MILL SUPPLIES.

S. W. SCOVILLE
COTTRELL, - - - OREGON

BORNSTEDT'S

The Store that Made Sandy FAMOUS Money refunded if goods not as represented

We have some **Real Bargains in Leftover Xmas Goods** such as Silk Handkerchiefs, Fancy Pops, Mantle Clocks, Etc.

Also a few REMNANTS OF DRY GOODS which we are selling at reduced rates.

This week we have added to our constantly growing stock of Dry Goods a line of

Danish Cloths

They are sold at a modest price and look and wear as well as many high-priced goods.

If you are in need of "a lid," just hold your horses till our stock of

"J. B. Stetson" and "Tiger" Hats

arrive. They'll be here soon.

More Tips NEXT WEEK **BORNSTEDT'S** Sandy, Ore.

The Sandy Hotel
FIRST-CLASS ACCOMODATIONS
Commercial Trade Solicited : : : Clean Beds and Good Meals
Feed Stable in Connection
Casper Junker, - - Prop'r
SANDY, - - ORE.



Big Leftover Sale
— STILL CONTINUES —
AT THE **Douglass Cash Store**
PLEASANT HOME, - OREGON

First-Class Ladies' Wrappers from 60c up
All other things in proportion. Five clerks employed during the Holidays could not wait on customers fast enough.
BARGAIN PRICES TELLS THE STORY.