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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

**Shoots Ducks on Klamath River.**

L. J. Tolls returned home from southern Oregon last week, having been taken with a case of the grip which will keep him on his back for a day or two.

While in Klamath county, Mr. Tolls disposed of two chemical engines, similar to the one at Ashland, at Bonanza and Merrill. While stopping in Klamath Falls he was the guest of Professor and Mrs. Crofts, who were formerly at Russellville, this county. Mr. Crofts is engaged in real estate and doing well, he is also connected with the M. E. Sunday school as superintendent and seems well satisfied with the location they have adopted.

An experience Mr. Tolls enjoyed very much was shooting ducks out of the door of a mill on Klamath river, by throwing wheat into the river the ducks would be attracted and the game was his. Mr. Tolls says that Klamath Falls is having a boom as a result of the big government irrigation venture.

Everything seems to be wired more or less around Montavilla, and the shade trees have lost their limbs to a considerable extent as a result of the ice storm. It is a very easy matter to get the feet tangled after night without the aid of any tanglefoot.

L. J. Tolls who represents the Good-year Rubber Company was the successful agent against several competitors in supplying the McMinnville fire department with 1000 feet of Keystone hose, the first of the month.

The Womens Home Training Association was addressed Friday afternoon by Dr. A. C. Smith of Portland.

J. W. Spiller has commenced building a residence for himself on Hibbard street near Albert Ehlers' establishment.

A horse belonging to a news boy ran against a live wire injuring itself severely.

The sentiment for the improvement of Hibbard street is increasing. The remonstrance that was started seems to lack sympathetic supporters, some of the signers of which are enquiring how to get on the other side. A misunderstanding of the costs and conditions of payment was no doubt the cause of the remonstrance.

The Home Training Association appreciates very much the enthusiastic interest the school teachers take in the public library.

The ice king worked havoc among the shade trees on the school campus.

It is anticipated the fence around the school campus will be taken away, thereby relieving the boys of the temptation to climb over the fence.

Mrs. A. H. Burkholder who is a kindergarten teacher in Irvington gave a demonstration of the art of instructing children at the Odd Fellows hall Friday January 18, under the auspices of The Home Training Association.

The high school scholars in Montavilla found it difficult to reach their school during the ice storm.

Mr. E. Laurison, who is erecting a unique residence on Hibbard street near Villa avenue, appreciates the fact that good streets greatly enhance the value of such property.

The city engineers office is preparing drawings for the proposed widening of Villa avenue. The apparent delay is due to lack of help in that office.

Engineers have set viewers stakes as far west as 28th street and are working west from that point.

**Montavilla and Vicinity**



MONTAVILLA'S SCHOOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS  
The trees on the school grounds were badly damaged by the recent ice storm.

The final examinations for the present term are being held at the Montavilla school.

Quite a stir was made in the Villa last week by the presence of a couple of pound deputies in the true cowboy attire, mounted, each having a lariat attached to his saddle, calling at nearly every house and enquiring whether a cow was kept there, and notifying every body to keep their cows up, they found very few persons who admitted they kept cows. As a result of the order several have been talking about taking their fences down.

Mrs. W. C. Aylworth is suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

W. R. Moser, the woodman, is doing a thriving business.

Mrs. Albert Ehlers was among the number subpoenaed on the Burdette trial last week.

G. E. McCurdy, who bought M. Moulers interest in the grocery store on Villa avenue, is getting nicely settled and says he will soon be ready to satisfy the wants of the people.

The Montavilla Artisan assembly has divided itself into two sides, the brothers on one, the sisters on the other. Some interesting meetings are looked for.

Mrs. J. E. Seifer, of Boring, is visiting with her sister Mrs. A. D. Allen.

The electric snow plow was very much in evidence in the Villa last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Russ are both sick with the grip at their residence on Hibbard street.

Theodore Roy, successor to G. W. Farrier and Son, has the contract for the plumbing on the houses of Souveigneur and Wilson, on Villa avenue.

G. W. Farrier made a business trip to Vancouver Washington, last week.

Mr. Riley started for Washington D. C. last Saturday. He was called as a witness on the land fraud case.

Mrs. J. L. Yarnell returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit to her parents at Mosier Oregon.

Mrs. Adams, who was hit by the falling wire at Third and Morrison streets, is in a very serious condition she has no use of her back at all. Her father is also very low.

John Weibusch received a shock from one of the fallen wires on the Base Line.

Sunday the motormen and conductors on Montavilla cars were melting the ice

Albert Ehlers is the proud possessor of a brand new gutter and square pipe machine. It is of the Dries and Krump make, does any and all kind of fancy turning and was bought by Mr. Ehlers to help him care for the rush of business caused by fourteen or more houses for all of which he has a contract to furnish the gutters and do the tinning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Herman were



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from the windows with candles. Isn't that the limit for Oregon?

The Portland Hardwood Floor Company unloaded a car of maple at the side track in north Villa last week.

Dr. Gillespie's horse was killed by stepping on a live wire near his residence at Mt Tabor last Thursday morning.

Allen Marshall, foreman of McCready's sheep farm near Cleveland, Klickitat county Washington, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Copenhaver last Saturday. Mr. Marshall says the thermometer dropped to 13 below zero at Goldendale and Cleveland during the recent cold snap up there.

called as witnesses in the Burdette case, last Saturday.

Miss Abra Ehlers is undergoing treatment for her eyes.

J. E. McCaslin has been among the number complaining of the grip.

E. Epton helped The Herald along by adding his mite to the rapidly growing subscription list.

Elden Herman came near losing a valuable dray team on account of live wires last week.

Dan Dougherty is authority for the

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- Blake & Son, Grocer.
- D. McMillan, Dry Goods.
- L. J. Tolls, Shoe store.
- Frank Sperger, Grocer.
- Albert Ehlers, Hardware store.

McMillan & Sloan report a thriving business in all their lines.

Roy Quick and family are again at home to their friends at their old residence 511 Base Line road.

George Barringer is now comfortably caring for his increasing business with the assistance of a new roll top desk.

G. K. Howitt & Company are doing the grading of Rose City's new streets. Rose City is the new suburb on the Saudy road.

Dr. E. Warren has not been immune from sickness this winter. He has recently been suffering from stomach troubles.

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