

**MOUNT SCOTT AND LENTS DISTRICTS**  
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Frank Snuffins has been awarded the contract on the Niblin road. He expects to go to work clearing the way next week.

H. W. Scott is having the entire side of Mt. Scott cleared and prepared for cultivation. He intends converting it into a stock farm and is having a barn, 40x80, built.

The entertainment given by the Women of Woodcraft in Davis hall on Saturday night was well attended despite a pouring rain. A fine program was rendered, after which dancing was indulged in until after midnight.

Chicken thieves are getting busy. Mr. Packert reports the loss of a half dozen fine white Plymouth Rocks.

Cone Bros. sawmill is again operating in full force, having been closed since the beginning of the banking holidays.

Wm. Thurston narrowly escaped a broken leg last week by having a ten-foot fall while at work in the mill. As it is, he will be laid up for some days.

Miss Helen Malby, who has been spending the past year with Mrs. Overman, left last Wednesday for Denver.

Dr. and Mrs. Joss spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Barnall.

A call of local Odd Fellows is out to learn the wish of the members on organization of a branch of the Rebekahs.

Mrs. French, recently returned from a visit in Indiana, reports that Oregon suits her well enough.

Mrs. Tyler, after a long illness, was able to be out Sunday the first time in 10 weeks.

Miss Rita Prier, who has been in the hospital two weeks, is reported much improved.

Real estate in these parts is moving quite freely, both acreage and lots.

Schools are now suffering an epidemic of mumps. Mrs. Ed. Rayburn's sister, Mrs. Buckingham of Corvallis, has been spending the past week in Lents.

**Russellville Doings**

Mrs. S. E. Phillips, Mrs. Tibbits and baby were guests of Mrs. Howitt and Mrs. Pitts on Thursday.

Mr. Gates is improving very slowly. The Russellville grange served a fruit supper at their last meeting. Although the night was stormy, a number of members were present and all report a very enjoyable time.

E. M. Van Schoek visited relatives in Everglade on Wednesday. Mr. Van Schoek is planning to start east next week on a visit with friends and relatives in Iowa.

Miss Bertha Pollock was presented with a fine new piano last week by her parents.

**CORBETI**

Mrs. Ostrand of Portland was in this vicinity Friday on business pertaining to her residence property.

Roy Meralon, who holds a position as watchman on the steamer Bailey Gatzert, came Saturday for a short visit with his parents and other friends.

Mrs. Zula Bell Latourell was a guest of Mrs. Clara Smith Tuesday.

Of the twenty-six country schools in the county we are pleased to note Corbett school district No. 39 ranked first in non-tardiness last month.

A slide across the O. R. & N. track near Bonneville delayed trains several hours Sunday.

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**MONTAVILLA**

W. L. Shanklin is building a two-story house, 22x30, corner Eby and Hunter streets. T. H. Blencoe will oversee the work.

Lewis Blumenthal will start for Innyon, Kansas, next Monday. His friends all wish him a pleasant trip.

Mrs. M. Rhoads and daughter Mary of Grays Crossing were visiting friends at Montavilla last week.

Orpha Rebekah lodge held their regular meeting on the night of March 12. Three candidates were initiated and two more will be initiated next meeting night. Omega lodge of East Portland, numbering about 250, visited this lodge last Thursday evening. Orpha lodge is doing excellent floor work. Visitors are always welcome.

G. E. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Hattie Johnson of North Yakima, made a short visit in the villa last week.

Mrs. Reasonor spent a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Young, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Barringer presented their son Frank and his wife with a new piano last week.

Misner street is now on the boom. There are six new houses being built and cement walks are being put in by nearly all property owners on the street.

The Woodlark is being remodelled and the first floor is being put into one room for a large dry goods store.

Lawson Parker has sold his store on the Base Line road to A. C. Seifert.

Mr. Young spent Sunday at Seaside with his father.

The ladies of the Degree of Honor were entertained last Friday at the home of Mrs. W. G. Smith, corner of Misner and Hunter streets. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Antonson, these ladies entertaining together. The company were favored with several selections of music by Miss May Sisly which all enjoyed. Mrs. Platt rendered a solo and Mesdames Allen, Bryson, Wallock, Winger, Bryson, Young, Wallock, Allen, McKisson, Platt, Dawson, France, Flowers, Daniels, Small, Hooker, Bosier, Jensen, Vilas, Just, Farrier, Evans, Abbott, Lovejoy, Gardner, Mary Lewis, Maggie Lewis, Myrtle Lewis, Parmer, Smith, Antonson, Sissy, Ryder, Lydia and the Mesdames Ella Antonson and May Sisly.

Work is still progressing on the Base Line road. Three Montavillans and the property owners got together and drew up a petition asking the commissioners to extend the macadamizing eight feet on each side of the street which was very much in need of repairs.

Mrs. A. Young's new building is being rapidly completed and when done will be a credit to Montavilla.

Chas. Watts has been doing some concrete work for J. E. Redmond on Misner street. Mr. Watts is a hustler and did a good piece of work.

Leander Lewis is building six fine cottages on Misner street. Contractor Higgins is doing the work.

P. A. Engle has his new house on Hibbard street nearly finished. Frank Lang has the contract.

Barringer & Armstrong sold the Viato property on Curtis street and Grand avenue. Home Fessler expects to occupy the same at once.

Those who went to hear the rose carnival speakers March 6 at Warren's hall were disappointed as the speakers for some unknown reason did not come. The management are very sorry.

Mrs. Bertha Blumenthal gave a birthday party Thursday eve, March 12, her fifteenth anniversary, at her home on

Hoffman's Drive, Montavilla. A very good time was enjoyed by all present. Her youngest son, Irvin, a sailor off the cruiser Colorado, now lying at Seattle, was present.

Mr. Groons has improved his property on the Base Line by putting in a sidewalk which was very much needed.

A. C. Seifert has had his name, also the number of his store placed in the window, which adds materially to the looks of his business place.

Leslie Giles had the misfortune to cut his hand a few days ago, but is now able to be at work.

On Tuesday last Barringer & Armstrong sold the Caples property on lot 3, corner S. Eby street, to Mr. Hubson of Oregon City, who will move his family here at once.

D. H. Perkins is moving the wood he recently purchased from J. Youashita to his woodyard on Hibbard street.

J. C. Miller sold his lot on Misner street to Homer Prusty the first of the week.

C. H. Armstrong was at Sellwood on business Tuesday.

There was a meeting in North Villa on the evening of March 3 for the purpose of reorganizing the old Board of Trade of Montavilla. Full particulars will be given next week.

P. A. Engle informs the writer that Barringer & Armstrong sold his new house on Hibbard street Tuesday to Fred Robins of Portland, who will move in as soon as the house is completed.

Mrs. Fred Ryder gave a party at her home Friday in honor of Teddy's third birthday.

Mrs. James Miller is again very ill with pneumonia.

By request Rev. Gilman Parker will preach on "The Unpardonable Sin," in the Grand Baptist church Sunday, March 24.

Mrs. O. S. Olson and Mrs. Fred Parker of Seattle are visiting at Rev. Gilman Parker's.

The digging of the holes for the electric light poles gives the people of the villa a hope that they are not always to be in the dark. The lights were much needed.

Sack Parker is here from Vancouver, B. C., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Parker.

Jacob Mann is wearing a broad smile. Woodmanzy Jake has a brand new girl at his home now.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewell are the happy parents of a daughter, born Sunday morning.

Miss Caples is preparing to move her small house on Eby street to the lot south of where the house now stands.

At the Baptist church Friday night occurred the sixth of a series of free public entertainments given by the Crescent club, which is composed of the young men of that church. The entertainment was under the management of W. N. Morse and consisted of vocal and instrumental music. Arnold Smith and Miss Mertz entertained the audience with a violin solo. Miss Just also sang a number of selections. The Veteran male double quartet of Portland, consisting of Judge Bullock, leader of the club, W. N. Morse, Captain Powell, Comrades Tracy, Mills, Bestow and Cummins rendered several selections. Judge and Mrs. Bullock sang "Mrs. Tribble" and were encored, after W. N. Morse announced that Judge Bullock was the oldest rooster in the bunch and was by far the best crower and would sing as a solo "The Shanghai Rooster," and the judge certainly did crow. Those who were present expressed themselves well pleased and termed it a first-class entertainment.

Charley Blencoe, who has been ill for several weeks, is improving.

**Additional Local Items**  
(Continued from page 1.)  
Dr. A. Thompson made us a pleasant call on St. Patrick's day this morning, leaving us a reminder some of the beautiful shamrock.  
Mrs. Sylvester Barnes is assisting Mrs. Widener in the restaurant.  
Several of our leading citizens started on Thursday for a few days' fishing.  
Miss Essie Crenshaw has been suffering with tonsillitis for a few days but has now resumed her place in the Gresham Central.  
L. R. Metzger is planning to build a cottage to rent on his property in south Gresham.  
Sylvester Barnes is working in Portland.  
Francis George of St. Helens visited the home of E. C. Lindsey early in the week.  
Miss Jessie Francis, who has been quite ill with the grip, is recruiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Luedt at Pleasant Home.  
A set of cartoons for each month of 1927 were placed upon the walls of the reading room this week.  
Mrs. J. H. Spain visited her daughter, Miss Jessie Francis, last Saturday and Sunday.  
Burn-to Mrs. and Mr. Edgar Colvin, on March 4th, a boy.  
The opening of the millinery department at Stuart's store was well attended, there being 99 ladies and two gentlemen present.  
Fire drills have been practiced in the Gresham schools the past two weeks.  
Joe Patenaude of Chippewa Falls, Wis., who has been visiting with Arthur and Al. H. Dowsett the past two weeks, left Monday for southern Oregon enroute east.  
Geo. Dooley reports that specialists claim there is no hope of saving the eyesight of his little boy that was injured by the explosion of a dynamite cap last fall.  
D. C. Ross has commenced the erection of a house on his property in Gresham. Mr. Ross has bought a ten acre tract on the Section Line near Taylor avenue.  
John Canley has purchased the city property of Roy Gibbs on Roberts avenue.  
Miss Alice Manning left for her home at Oakland Wednesday, after spending the winter with her aunt and uncle. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Manning.  
Two or three families arrived this week from Montfort, Wisconsin, and will make their home here. They are old neighbors of the Fieldhouse families.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. Dowsett have returned home after spending a two weeks vacation at Long Beach.  
The Portland Railway, Light & Power company have a gang of men digging holes and preparing poles for erection

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Dated and date of first publication of this notice, February 21, 1927.  
N. MEYERHETER, Administrator of the Estate of Lorenzo Winters, deceased.

**COLUMBIA VIEW**  
Dave Fisher has just finished a new fence along the front of his place.  
A. Lidbury is spraying his fruit trees this week.  
Mr. Wilson of Rockwood finished building a new fence around the No. 3 school grounds last Friday.  
E. Baker of Terry has been hauling hay from the Lee farm.  
B. P. Reynolds is having a cobble stone fence built along the front of his place, the work being done by Mr. Bean of Rose City Park.  
Cal. Powell was a visitor at the Reynolds ranch last on Thursday, with his daughter, Miss Powell, and Miss Booth Henderson.  
Miss Vera Camp attended the drama at Rockwood Friday evening.  
Theo. Stensland is hauling cotton-wool on Government island.  
Mr. and Mrs. Stockton and family were visitors at the Hamilton ranch Sunday.

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Mrs. Hardin made a business trip to Portland last Tuesday.  
Ed Woodard passed through Aims on Saturday enroute to Johnson's mill.  
School will open here Monday the 10th with Miss Blackenger as teacher.  
Duck Channing is reported to have sold out, the consideration being \$1200 cash.  
**DOVER**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kitzmiller were visitors at Bull Run last week.  
C. A. Keith went to Sandy Monday.  
Grace Wolfe, Kate and Clarence Kehres started to school Monday.  
We are having "March weather" in Dover.  
Willie Odell of Cherryville is working for J. W. Exon.  
M. Laughlin bought two cows from N. P. Gleason.  
A. Woodward and daughter Cecilia spent Sunday here with their folks.  
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