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News of City and County

"Hall's Ferry is now open."
Miss Lillian Lawrenson was a visitor in Portland over Sunday.

Oscar Hayter, Lawyer, rooms 5 and 6, Uglow building.

Holman's Dairy milk, 7 cents per quart, beginning March 1. 2-28-pd
George Gerlinger is attending a meeting of lumbermen at Seattle this week.

Miss Vera Wilbane, of Salem, was a guest of Rev. Mr. Miles and family last week.

Mr. Mahr, one of Falls City's leading merchants, was in Dallas Wednesday, on business.

Mrs. D. M. Metzger is spending a few days with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Hoberg, in McMinnville.

Dallas Wood and Coal Yards, W. L. Barber, proprietor. Office phone 334. Residence phone 663.

John Knox, of Fossil, Oregon, passed Saturday and Sunday at the A. B. Muir home, leaving Sunday for Grants Pass.

Mrs. H. L. Fenton accompanied Mr. Fenton to Portland yesterday, while Mr. Fenton was attending to some business matters.

The Sunday school of the Presbyterian church will give a cafeteria supper Friday evening, beginning at 5:30, in the basement of the church.

Dr. McNeel, Osteopath, licensed by State Examining Boards of Illinois and Oregon. The only licensed non-drug physician in Dallas. Office corner Court and Levens streets.

J. W. Quick was here from Ballston Wednesday, on business. He reports Mrs. Quick, who has been undergoing treatment and an operation at Portland, as being now at her home, and rapidly improving.

The formal dedication of the Carnegie library at McMinnville will take place to-morrow night. The building was completed at a cost of \$10,000, and is constructed much on the same plan as the one at Dallas.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Polk County Oil, Gas, Coal and Land company, known as the "McBee Oil Well," will be held at 415 Oak street on Tuesday, March 4, at 2 p. m. D. D. Peters, Pres. 2-28

Rev. and Mrs. D. L. Fields have returned from their trip to Anity, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Fields' father. They were accompanied by Mrs. Fields' mother and sister, who will remain at the Fields' home for some time.

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POLK COUNTY NEWS

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all stiffened up. His mother asked him what ailed him. "Well," said Joe, "I jumped off of the shed roof out in the chicken lot to see if I could turn a double somersault as I came down; well, you needn't laugh so, I had turned one and was on the second when I lit."

Assistant Superintendent Parsons visited the school Monday.

Clyde Robbins visited the Dennis boys over Sunday.

Melvin Green is still confined to his bed by lagrippe.

John E. Mason is trimming and staking his loganberries.

Mrs. Joe Sherwood and children of Dallas, visited at Clarence Sellers' over Sunday.

Clarence Sellers is hauling hop poles to the Lot Brown homestead, he having sold 2000 poles to Mr. Brown.

John and George Robinson have been building quite an extensive brooder plant.

Lert Miller has come home from Cedar Creek, where he has been running a logging engine. He is putting in his grain.

J. S. Macomber is sowing grain, pruning, spraying and grubbing.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bird, of Liberty, visited at Charles Bird's Sunday.

Thomas Butler is grubbing with dynamite, and says it beats stump pullers all out.

Rav Butler is building a wireless telegraph apparatus. He is going to be a mechanical genius.

BALLSTON

Warren Gould, who has been quite sick at Coquille City, Ore., for some time, returned home Sunday night.

Mr. Bray is still quite sick.

Mr. Harmon, who has been working for C. A. Ball, will leave for Eastern Oregon soon.

F. W. Royal was a Portland visitor Saturday.

There are several cases of scarletina in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Quick returned from Portland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis are preparing to move to Bellingham, Wash., soon.

Mr. and Mrs. King and daughter, from Canada, are visiting Mr. Bray and family.

While enacting krait Thursday Mrs. Alice Harris had an artery in her wrist cut in two by a broken jar.

Dr. Gilstrap, of Sheridan, was called at once and dressed the injury.

G. W. Morgan went to Portland Saturday to see his brother-in-law, who is quite sick in St. Vincent's hospital.

Miss Bertie Ross, of Perrydale, has been staying with her sister, Mrs. Richard Clamfield.

Mr. and Mrs. York, of Dayton, have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bray.

Mark Sears came up from Hillsboro Sunday to see his little daughter, Grace, who is sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Martha Conner died at her home south of town Monday.

The Epworth League has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. L. F. Tatom; first vice-president, Herbert Poynter; second vice-president, Mrs. L. B. Boebert; third vice-president, Mrs. H. J. Peary; fourth vice-president, Mrs. H. S. Fudge; secretary, Jesse Butler; organist, Mrs. Sarver.

Mrs. I. F. Tatom visited her parents at Sheridan Saturday.

SMITHFIELD

Miss Ratsel Wiebe is working for Mrs. S. T. Smith.

This weather is very pleasing to the farmers, and they are busy plowing.

J. H. Rempel is blasting trees so that he can plant orchard afterwards.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wiebe were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Neufeldt near Crowley.

John Diehm did some grafting for Charles Winters on the Vazie farm.

Mr. Clausen, of Dalman, Sask., was visiting with his former friends, J. F. Kliever's family, recently, but does not like Oregon. He says "it's too wet for me."

Bernhard Wiebe is to be married to Miss Katherine Buhler, of Salt Creek, February 26. He is a son of B. Wiebe, Sr.

Several of the farmers have their incubators running.

Several cattle buyers were around in this neighborhood trying to buy cattle, but to no avail; didn't succeed.

An organ was bought and set up in the German Mennonite church, which is appreciated by all. Elizabeth Diehm is the present organist.

George and Edward Richmond were changing sheep pastures recently, bringing them to the home farm now.

Misses Anna Baxter and Norma Smith are ill.

Miss Anna Enns, of Salt Creek, was assisting Mary Friesen in dress-making.

John Diehm is selling good apple cider vinegar around in the neighborhood. While tasting it he choked and was "short on wind" for a few minutes. For several days Johnny was very hoarse.

John Diehm has moved into his new home now, and has all the conveniences possible. The old house is partly torn down. The fireplace still stands as a monument. Anyone wishing for a fireplace may have it.

BETHEL

Joe Grabel recently did some carpenter work for C. C. Graves.

Rev. Whitley, of McMinnville, visited the school Friday afternoon.

Dan Stairs will leave with his family soon for Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sears made a recent trip to the Capital City.

Harley Shields spent Sunday at the J. W. Jenkins home.

A play will be given in the near future by the Twelfth grade, under the direction of Mrs. Marsh.

Mr. Wood, of Portland, has been visiting in this community.

Literary will be held Friday night with a good program.

Preaching services will be held Sunday at 11 a. m. by Rev. Jenkins.

Eolalia Davis spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday at her home in Spring Valley.

A number of the high school students, as well as the teachers, will attend the institute at Monmouth Saturday.

Mrs. Marsh is able to resume her teaching again, after several weeks' sickness.

Clarence Booth and Phoebe Wyatt, who were teaching at Black Rock, have resigned their schools, and will spend the remainder of the winter at their homes here.

The automobiles are spinning about again, and if this good weather continues they will be flying thick and fast.

It was decided at the Saturday meeting that a fence should be placed around the school building, so flower beds and trees can be planted, and not be molested by the stock. Hurrah for Bethel!

The rally held in the school building Saturday was a very good success. A fine dinner was eaten at 1 o'clock on two long tables in the basement, everyone seeming to enjoy the repast. After the noon hour a short program was given, after which questions were discussed, taking up the evening until 4 o'clock. County Superintendent Seymour and Jay Brown, of Dallas, were present.

RICKREALL

Mrs. Basket is reported as being quite sick again.

Mrs. Byers, of Independence, is down with her daughter, Mrs. Rowell, who is quite ill.

John Koser came up from Portland and spent Sunday with his father and sister.

I. W. Goodall was in Portland Monday on business, returning the same day.

Mrs. F. A. Koser and son Paul were in Salem several days last week.

Mr. Stonehocker, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bratcher returned to Perrydale, after visiting for a couple of weeks with relatives.

The social club dance, which was given here Saturday night as a hard-times dance, was a success and was much enjoyed by all attending.

Mrs. E. A. Stenson returned Sunday from Portland.

Pauline Nesmith came up from Portland last week and spent several days with relatives and friends, returning Sunday.

Blaine Southwick, of Spring Valley, took in the dance here Saturday night.

Mrs. McArthur was over Sunday from Salem, to see her nephew, Robert Ankeny.

Joe Castline has a crew of men helping him put out and trellis the new hop yard he is putting out for Robert Ankeny.

HARMONY

Roy Boyer and family moved on to their farm, recently vacated by Mr. Wabstons.

Mr. Nye and son, of Newport, Ore., are visiting their kinsman, Fred Moritz. They are looking for a permanent location.

J. B. Hayes and Allen McLean will complete their contract for clearing land for Hugh Guttry this week.

The meetings still continue at the Harmony church.

Miss Leith Bilger will attend the teachers' institute held at Monmouth Saturday, March 1.

The attempt to organize a parents' and teachers' association last Friday was somewhat discouraging. Four parents and interested parties were present. Those who have the biggest interest in the school—directors, for instance—were conspicuous for their absence. Of course it was a lovely day, and we would all have liked to be at home working, but parents, ten years from now we'll never miss the time—two or three hours out of one six weeks—that we give to our children's welfare, and we are just liable to reap untold benefits from the interest we've taken in our children. Now, parents, you'll have another chance soon. Miss Bilger will give you notice in plenty of time so that you may arrange your work so it will not suffer from two or three hours' rest some Friday afternoon. Let's show other districts that we're alive.

EOLA
G. C. Farmer, while working with a drag saw, mashed his thumb nail off.

B. L. Ferguson and son, Roy, are spraying W. H. Patterson's young orchard, and their own cherry orchard.

T. Holman is preparing to set out 50 more Royal Ann cherry trees.

E. T. Hamer has resigned his position as teacher here, as his farm work needed his attention. W. A. Fletcher, of Beall, has been employed to finish the school.

Tuesday, Mrs. Ruby Thacker was called to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Reese, of Gates, who is very ill.

Rufus Rucker, wife and brother-in-law, Mr. Clark, of Tennessee, are visiting T. L. Aenff. They think of locating here.

Ike Yoakum had an order from Edgeland for hop roots. They were shipped this week.

Mrs. Ferguson and Mrs. Carlson entertained at the Ferguson home on Saturday evening. There were 22 present.

Mrs. Carlson's sister-in-law, of Portland, who has been visiting her, has returned home.

Mr. Youngbird has bought ten acres of the McNary farm for a poultry ranch.

Mr. Landon is preparing to set out strawberries and loganberries on his place.

PEDEE

Bluford Bush is on the sick list.

Elsie Bush visited at Eva Womer's last Friday night.

Kenneth Williams, of Lewisville, attended a party at Lester Brown's last Friday night.

Hazel Yost visited Elsie Bush last Tuesday night.

Levi Burbank went to Airlie one day last week on business.

Jimmie Dyer has been hauling goods for Mr. Love.

Bernie Freer visited Sam O'Brien last week.

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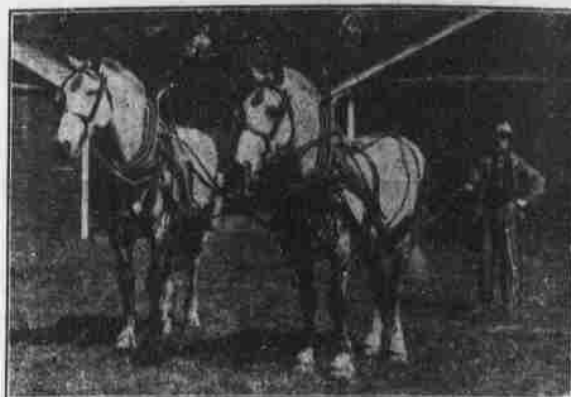
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