

DOINGS IN POLK COUNTY

STORIES BY THE OBSERVER'S CORRESPONDENTS.

Personal Paragraphs Pertaining to Movements of People Whom You All Know.

OAKDALE.

There was a Christmas dinner at the residence of George Robinson's Highland home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and daughter Norma, and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. Malinda Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bird and son Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Don Miller and sons, all of Oakdale, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson and daughters Bessie, Frances and Grace and son Clarence of Antioch. Mr. C. Nelson lived up to his reputation as an eater.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murphy and sons spent Christmas with the family of D. Shepherd of Bridgeport.

C. J. Burley has exchanged his farm here for a farm in Idaho and will soon move there to live. A few of the neighbors gathered on Sunday for a farewell dinner to Mr. and Mrs. Burley. They took their lunches with them and a good time was enjoyed by all. Those present, were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bruce and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Card, Mrs. Southworth and daughter Bessie, and Mr. and Mrs. James Ross.

Estley Farley, Jamie Wilson and Earnest Robbins have been visiting the Dennis boys.

John Dennis of Portland visited at home over Christmas.

There was a dance at Ab. Burnett's Saturday night.

Mrs. Mina Murphy is quite sick with a cold.

Leland Murphy and family are visiting at Willis Frink's, Joe Murphy's and Mrs. Mina Murphy's.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Frink spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Price of Falls City.

Chas Bird and Roy McDonald are cutting cordwood.

M. D. Miller and Bruce Miller combined Christmas dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Miller and sons went to Perrydale to visit his sister, Mrs. G. A. Lee, over Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Skinner and family of Independence and Abe Bartholemew of Oak Dale spent Christmas with Mrs. Rhoda Green.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hughes visited over Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Newton Guy of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sellers and son and daughter spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Sellers, of Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Card spent Christmas with the family of D. Shepherd.

G. D. Robinson writes from Portland that he is going to Spokane to spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. John Kahill.

OAK GROVE.

R. J. Williamson brought a load of lumber from Dallas for J. W. Edgar last week.

Charley Mangus was hauling oats to Rieckreall for Seth Fawk last week.

Fred Wells was an Oak Grove caller one day last week.

Mrs. Herbert Fawk and children went to Portland to spend Xmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Oliver went to Portland Thursday for a visit over Christmas with his mother.

Mrs. Fawk was a Dallas visitor on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Melia White of Portland spent Christmas at Mrs. J. C. White's.

Frank Fawk and family were Christmas visitors with his mother here.

Isaac Robertson and sister were callers at J. W. Edgar's Monday.

Rev. Yarnes of Salem has been holding revival meetings here the past two weeks.

Allice and Cecil Riggs were Sunday visitors in this vicinity.

Frank Edgar came over from Salem Sunday to visit his parents here.

Mrs. Ida Williamson has been on the sick list the last few days.

Mr. Vandervert of Salem was an Oak Grove caller Monday.

CROWLEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hodgers were Dallas visitors last week.

Miss Etta Edgar attended the Christmas tree at Bethel Wednesday evening.

Several from this vicinity attended the Christmas exercises in Rieckreall Wednesday evening.

A. H. Dennett and Fred Dennett have been hauling gravel on the road between their place and Crowley station.

Finley Edgar and Jesse Williamson were business callers in Dallas one day last week.

Claud Lewis was a caller at C. H. Farmer's last week.

Mr. Valliere and family were Independence callers Thursday.

Mrs. Gath came from Virginia the middle of last week to join her hus-

band who has purchased land here, he having come several months ago.

Ben Cooper of Salem has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Henry White.

Mrs. Knower came over from Salem last week to see Mr. Knower and children here.

Miss Verda Williamson, who has been caring for Mrs. J. W. Edgar the past month, went to Wells Saturday to visit her uncle, J. A. Carter and family.

Mrs. Ida Williamson is caring for Mrs. Edgar during her absence.

C. H. Farmer was a business caller in McCoy this week.

Kaner Trent and wife spent Christmas at M. F. White's.

Guy Ott of Forest Grove spent Christmas at the Smith home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mallicoate were Dallas visitors Thursday.

Miss Stella and Vina Smith were Dallas visitors one day last week.

R. J. Williamson and family spent Christmas at J. W. Edgar's.

Mrs. M. F. White has been sick for the past few days.

Mrs. J. W. Gay and Miss Cora Gay spent Christmas with Malcolm Pewtherer and family.

ZENA-SPRING VALLEY.

The Christmas eve program at the church was enjoyed by a large audience. The children hailed in delight the advent of Santa Claus, who proceeded to distribute candy, nuts, and gifts to all present.

Francis McKinlay and his father, G. A. McKinlay, went to Portland Friday morning to spend the day with Arthur McKinlay and family.

Chas Scott and family of Portland, are spending the vacation here at the farm.

Miss Grace Zinser, who is teaching near Molalla, spent several days of the Christmas vacation visiting here at the home of G. H. Crawford, returning Monday to her home in Oregon City, where she will spend the remainder of the week.

The young folks are anticipating a good time at the party to be given at Lynn Purvine's on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Worth Henry of Salem, spent Christmas here at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Henry.

Edgar Crawford and family took Christmas dinner here at the parental home, where the entire family gathered to celebrate the day.

Earl Brant has returned home from Ranier, his brother Roy remaining to work in a logging camp.

Rev. G. A. McKinlay preached at Whiteson, Sunday, and Rev. W. T. Scott preached here. The regular pastor, Rev. Fred Stoetzel is absent, being in California for a few weeks.

Professor Arthur McKinlay came down from Portland Saturday to spend the vacation here at the farm. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Muriel McKinlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Purvine and baby arrived in Salem on Wednesday from Colorado. They went there expecting to stay, if satisfied, but did not like the country, so are glad to be back in Oregon again.

BOWERSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Peters are the proud parents of a girl. Both are getting along nicely.

Mr. Penner is very busy building a house on the place he bought from H. Volheim recently.

P. Rimer of Dallas and Mr. Buller are erecting a house on the Brown place.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson and little daughter of Portland spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Byerley.

Mr. H. Robin's son-in-law, Mr. Charley Hill of Portland, is down to stay all winter.

Mr. D. M. Kaegi spent Sunday afternoon at Lou Mortenson's.

Rev. Friesen and wife and Mr. Herbert and wife visited at Sol Edigar's Saturday.

Mr. Remple and family visited at "Grandma" Peter's Sunday.

Mr. D. Reddekopp and family of Alberta, Canada, visited with G. E. Kliever a few days last week.

Mr. Seimnes and wife of Ritzville, Washington, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. D. D. Peters.

Miss Elizabeth and Justine Neufeldt of Polk Station spent Sunday at Enne's.

G. Kliever is grubbing a piece of ground which he will put out to some more prune trees this spring.

MONMOUTH.

Good-bye, old year; good-bye. We bid you an everlasting farewell, and we rejoice to think we are able to see another new year. And we must not look back to the year that is gone, but we look ahead for better things that are in store for us.

S. Scantlin of Portland, a former engineer on the narrow gauge railroad here, was in town last week.

On Thursday, the 24th, the Butlers were seen coming into town to be present at their thirty-fourth annual reunion. There were fifteen present, which is only a small part of the big family. They always have a tree and

a Santa Claus, and the presents are many and costly. Then the banquet is immense, such as only Mrs. J. B. V. Butler knows how to prepare.

Miss Rosa Smith, teacher in the Vernon high school of Portland, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smith. She has been teaching in the same school for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Boche of Portland are guests of his mother, Mrs. Nettie Boche and grandfather, S. Guillems. They will return home this week.

Soon, the students of the Normal will begin returning from their homes, where they have spent their holidays.

Amos J. Sellers of Hermiston is the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Halleck. He is also visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Poole.

Mrs. Lee Irvin and son of Portland are visiting relatives in town. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Halleck and a niece of Mrs. A. N. Poole.

C. P. Copeland of Newberg, formerly of Monmouth, was in town Monday. He has bought property in Newberg and will make that place his future home.

Mrs. J. Winegar, who has been sick for some time, is convalescing, and will be up again in a few days. Doctor Hewitt of Independence is treating her.

A. N. Poole and Amos Sellers made a business trip to Salem Wednesday.

Howard Bush of Airline was in town Wednesday on business.

Eugene Bogart and family of Salem was visiting friends and relatives in town this week.

AIRLINE.

Phil Simpson and wife returned from Washington, where he has been superintending a logging camp.

Frank Linderman has returned from Newport for the winter.

Mary Hedgepath is visiting her mother.

Rose and family of Dallas is visiting his relatives there for a few days.

Frank Birle and wife visited relatives here this week.

F. M. Shuck made a business trip to Independence on Thursday.

W. C. Williams and family of Maple Grove, went to Monmouth to spend Christmas with her mother, Mrs. Gannas.

Our Christmas exercises were nicely rendered, and was appreciated by the audience. The hall was full to overflowing, and good order prevailed.

Lester and Carl Wood has been confined to the house for several days with measles.

Mary Kemp and daughter of Independence is visiting her son-in-law, Harry Blodgett.

Elsie Bule of Whiteson is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Crowley.

Mary Whitman and Pearl Sandler of Falls City are visiting here this week. They taught school here last year, teaching in Falls City this year.

Ben Caughey spent the holiday at Albany.

Tom Williams of Independence was a business caller here on Tuesday.

Hugo Weneart of Newport is visiting his relatives this week.

Potatoes suffered the worst of anything on account of the cold. Some parties lost nearly all they had. A few water pipes bursted also.

Carl Bush has the measles.

WEST SALEM.

Born, on Christmas day, to Mr. and Mrs. Jane Johnson, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simon spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rex of Independence.

Mrs. D. Cade, who underwent a serious operation not long since, is at home and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brock returned Saturday from Dayton, where they spent Christmas with the Andrew Nicols' family.

Mrs. Jane Wilson is in Portland visiting with her son. Her visit will probably extend over several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bean are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son.

Mrs. Mary McCollum and small son, of McLeod, Canada, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Wurm.

Among the families who entertained relatives and friends for Christmas dinner were those of J. H. Eaton, Carl Wood, J. R. Belford, Adam Wurm and F. L. Wood.

The last regular meeting of the council for the year will be held Monday evening, January 4, followed by the first meeting of the new council for 1915 on the 12th, the second Tuesday in January.

Miss Lydia Rex, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Mr. James Shields, who was laid up for several weeks with a carbuncle on his right knee, is able with the use of a cane, to walk to town and back.

Rev. Mr. Ganes is conducting revival services at Oak Grove and during his absence the West Salem church pulpit has been supplied by students from Kimball college.

Mrs. D. T. Yarnes and family are

visiting Mrs. Yarnes' mother in Newberg.

BUENA VISTA.

Mrs. Alice Batton and daughters, Ruth and Thelma of Portland are guests of Mrs. Batton's mother, Mrs. F. M. Donaldson.

Perry and Marwin Wells, students of the Capital Business college at Salem, are home for the holidays.

Ray Ground, who is attending Dallas high school, came home Thursday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Ground.

Mrs. Hallie Cormier of Lebanon and Mrs. Dena Dennis and daughter Leta of Falls City, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Reynolds this week.

Roscoe Bales of Iowa, a nephew of Mrs. G. A. Wells, who has been visiting for several weeks at the Wells home, left Monday for Portland.

Carl Neal spent the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Neal.

Mrs. Crowley of McMinnville spent several days of the past week with her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Leonard and family. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Carlotta Crowley, who is a teacher in the McMinnville schools.

Arthur Smith of Moro visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wells and family the last of the week.

Mrs. M. S. Bevins, in company with her sister, Mrs. Sarah Collins of Dallas, left Thursday for Halsey, where they will visit their brother, Wm. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schrunck and family went to Salem Sunday, where they attended the wedding of Miss Edith Schrunck and Mr. Arthur Sperling.

J. M. Prather and family of Corvallis spent Christmas with relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. Elder have sold their property to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mensor and will leave soon for Oklahoma, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Eider is a pioneer and old-time resident of this place, and her many friends regret very much to see her leave.

Miss Gladys Reynolds, who is attending high school in Salem, is home for the holidays. She will return to Salem Monday, to resume her studies.

Martin Conger and family of Suver were guests on Christmas day of Mrs. Conger's mother, Mrs. E. J. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude South of Independence spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Wells and family.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that Paul Fundman, the administrator of the estate of Lawrence Davis, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk County, and that Saturday, the 30th day of January, 1915, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the Courtroom of the said County Court, in the county Court House, in Dallas, Polk County, Oregon, has been appointed by said Court as the time and place for the hearing of objections to the said final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated and first published, January 1, 1915.

PAUL FUNDMAN, Administrator aforesaid.

OSCAR HAYTER, Attorney. Jan. 1-Jan. 29.

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Saturday January 2, Dr. Freeze, the eye specialist will be in Dallas all day, prepared to fit and furnish glasses. All old patients whose glasses may need adjustment or change are invited to call. Also all those afflicted with astigmatism, hyperopia, myopia or other eye troubles are assured of expert examination and advice. The stylish solder-on mountings and the new Kryptok lenses made for both far and near vision without any lines, also any special lens or mountings made to suit the hardest cases. Free demonstration.

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We are just in receipt of a letter from Dr. Harvey Freeze the well known Portland-eye specialist. The doctor and family have been away from Portland for over a year on account of the illness of one of his little girls. He has opened an office again at Sixth and Washington streets and intends to come to Dallas again next Saturday and every thirty days as formerly.

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If you have a complicated case of eye trouble or have been unable to get glasses properly suited to your case call on Dr. Freeze, the eye specialist at Stafrin's drug store, Saturday January 2. Consultation free.

Dates can be stuffed with cream cheese filled with nuts.

Drs. Lowe & Turner, eye specialists, will be at Hotel Gail, Dallas, Tuesday, and Wednesday, January 12-13.

Notice.

The annual school officers' convention will be held in Dallas, Saturday, January 9th. As this is legislative year, there are some things to come up that pertain to the next session of the legislature. It is hoped that we will have a greater number in attendance than we ever had before. Last year nearly every district in the coun-

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ty was represented and this year we should have more. Dr. Winship of Boston, an educator of national reputation, who is spending the week of January 4-8 in Portland, will be with us in the afternoon and will give us an address. This will probably be the only school officers' association in the state to be addressed by Dr. Winship. Superintendent Churchill will also be with us.

T. W. BRUNK, Chairman.
H. C. SEYMOUR, Sec.

THE MODERN METHOD

While it may be considered unethical to advertise to secure patients, I believe it a duty to let sufferers, who reside in this community, know something of chiropractic, the modern method of treating chronic diseases. In the first place, the majority of people know absolutely nothing of the results obtained by scientific spinal adjustment. Then, on the other hand, there are people who, no doubt, have contemplated taking a course of adjustments, but have been discouraged by some person or persons, who know absolutely nothing of the methods or the results obtained by chiropractic, or are so narrow-minded and egotistical that they have not even investigated, but are trying at every opportunity to poison the minds of the public against new methods.

I accept no cases unless, after a thorough examination, I conclude that their condition can be either cured or relieved by chiropractic adjustments. Since my arrival here from Portland, I have adjusted the cause of a good many chronic ailments. The people who have taken adjustments are sat-



DR. W. L. HOLLOWAY

isfied. Possibly you have a disease that is pronounced incurable and have been treated by a number of physicians without having obtained required results. If you have a disease that is pronounced incurable do not give up in despair. You would not like to admit that you were so strongly prejudiced in favor of old methods that you would not give new methods a fair trial, would you? Yet this is what people who are in poor health and are looking for vigor and health are doing when they do not find out what chiropractic will do for them. "Get in harmony with nature." Think right, be contented, keep your skin clean, your chest active, kidneys free and bowels open and in order to do this you must have a perfect backbone.

Ninety per cent of the women of our country are afflicted with female weakness in some form, and will suffer untold agonies before submitting to the local treatment in vogue for these troubles. All female diseases are caused by a luxated vertebrae in the lumbar region of the spine, and to affect a cure it is as unnecessary as it is distasteful to undergo local treatments, because relieving the impinged nerves allows the diseased organs to resume their natural functions. In no line of disease do we have better success than in the various diseases which afflict womanhood.