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Andy Wilson is slowly improving from his long and painful illness.

The Cantata, "Second Santa Claus" at the Presbyterian church Christmas eve.

Geo. Murphy, a former Independence boy, is principal of the Oakesdale, Wash., school.

Mrs. R. A. Harding and family, of Seattle, Wash., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Paddock.

Floyd Totten returned from Niles, California, Tuesday. He is at his home that of J. D. Watson's.

Christmas service at the Presbyterian church Sabbath morning and a Christmas Praise service in the evening.

Mrs. Susie Fennell-Pipes leaves Portland the 28th of this month for Chicago, where she will spend six months studying violin music.

Miss Mary Scott and Miss Mabel Cooper, who are attending the university at Eugene, are spending the holidays here with relatives.

Among the democratic following E. V. Dalton, now county treasurer, is talked of being the next nominee of his party for county clerk.

Miss Louise Waller and Miss Kate Ketchum came from Mt. Angel Wednesday, to spend the holidays.

Mrs. Susie Fennell-Pipes made a short visit with her father, Thos. Fennell, Thursday, going to Portland Friday.

Business

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Monmouth, Oregon.

The Maccabees are to give a New Year's ball Friday evening, January 1st, at the Auditorium. An orchestra from McMinnville, consisting of seven pieces will furnish music, and the Maccabee ladies will serve supper. A special motor from Dallas and possibly from Corvallis will be run. All are welcome.

T. J. Fryer certainly holds a unique record. On the 15th day of this month he celebrated his 59th birthday, and on the same day he had been in Oregon, a constant resident, for 58 years. We believe no other man of the age of Mr. Fryer, not born in the state, has spent as many years of his life in this state as he has.

Gen. Gibson Post, G. A. R., have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Post Com., J. G. Barber; S. V., W. J. Huff; J. V., S. DeCamp; Surgeon, Levi Jones; Chaplain W. P. Fisher; O. D., M. Scrafford; O. G., H. D. Goster. Delegates to state convention, W. J. Huff, D. M. Hampton and M. Scrafford. A joint installation of Post and W. R. C. officers will be held at the Post rooms on January 9th, at 2:00 P. M. Both orders are in a thriving condition and feel highly elated over having erased the indebtedness written against the building.

Fine box stationery at Wagoner's.

All the magazines at Wagoner's are neatly trimmed—no rough edges.

A few of those nicely framed pictures left at Wagoner's. They are cheap, too.

Ben Johnson returned from Jefferson to spend Christmas with his family here.

Lost—bunch of keys on ring. Finder return to Geo. Brey and receive reward.

A dance was given at Monmouth last evening, and a motor load from here attended.

Mrs. Beeskove and daughter, Miss Frederica, left for Albany today to spend Christmas.

G. A. Forbes, principal of physical culture at Monmouth, was an incoming passenger Monday morning.

You, Shriners, have you seen that handsome shrine picture at Wagoner's. It would adorn any home.

The road near Brunk's is almost impassable. A single buggy can hardly make the trip. The county court should do something to remedy this.

Mrs. Herren and daughter, Lela, Mrs. Percival and daughter, Pearl, Mrs. Ella Irvine, Mrs. L. Dorris, Claude Hubbard, Will Mattison, Will Craven and Sammie Damon were passengers to Salem Wednesday.

For underwear just call and let us show you our line. We have some very fine, all wool and fleece lined underwear, all sizes, and our prices are as low as any one. W. A. Messner.

See R. M. Wade & Co's., display ad on page 4. Given away—We have a full line of nickel plated ware, table cutlery, carving sets, scissors, shears; with every \$1.00 purchase of the above articles we give one 15c boy's pocket knife; \$2.00 purchase one boy or girl's 25c knife; \$4.00 to \$5.00 purchase one boy or girl's 50c knife. At R. M. Wade & Co's.

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INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.
A. J. GOODMAN, Mgr.



OAK POINT.

A birthday party was given last Monday evening, December 22, in honor of Ralph Martin. The occasion was Mr. Martin's seventeenth birthday. Many of their friends were present, and enjoyed themselves by dancing, playing games and music. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Huntley rendered some well chosen selections on the violin and organ, and Miss Ida Moore sang "The Good Old Summer Time." A most delicious repast was served. A birthday cake with the date of Mr. Martin's birth, his initials and the date of the present time was the comment of all. Seventeen little candles were lighted around the edge. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Manley Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Link, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Huntley; Misses Clara and Iva Martin, Ida Moore, Clara Rex, Mary Link, Leona Becker; Messrs Ralph Martin, Ray and Frankie Martin, Walter and Frank Simons, Loren and Dell Barley, Homer Link, Homer Holmes, Ed Rex, Ed Osburn, Alban Becker, Elmer Chamberlain and—Brown.

A birthday party was given in honor of John Simons, at his home Saturday evening, December 19th. Their charming home was the abode of pleasure, and laughter rang throughout the house until a late hour. Cards, dancing and games were the leading features of the evening. A most delicious lunch was served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Simons, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Becker, Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Huntley; Misses May and Hilda Simons, Bertha Holmes, Ellen Brown, Leona Becker, Ida Moore, Clara and Iva Martin, Mabel Becker, Clara Rex, Clara Barley, Vidie Rex; Messrs Walter and George Simons, Frank Simons, Alban and George Becker, Mart, Dell and Loren Barley, Fred Young, John Young, Will Simons, Rudolph Simons, Ralph, Ray and Frankie Martin and Ed Rex.

Mr. and Mrs. Link, Mary and Homer Link have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Manley Martin.

Ed Osburn has returned from Baker City.

Lawrence Simons and Theodore Becker are spending the holidays at home.

Wednesday morning the Altona and Modoc collided near Oregon City, and the Altona was severely injured. The Pomona made the trip in place of the Altona.

WANTED—Trustworthy lady or gentleman to manage business in this County and adjoining territory for house of solid financial standing. \$20.00 straight cash salary and expenses paid each Monday direct from headquarters. Expense money advanced; position permanent. Address Manager, 605 Monon Bldg., Chicago.

LITTLE LUCKIAMUTE.

Pleasant weather and the grain grows fast.

Our school has closed till January 7th, 1904.

M. Scrafford was an Independence visitor Wednesday.

H. Cogle took a fine lot of poultry to Monmouth Monday.

Archie Tetherow recently sold some good hogs to Mr. Nelson.

N. Steele shipped two coops of fine geese to Portland Monday.

A. E. Tetherow and Willy Williams spent Sunday at J. P. Tetherow's.

S. B. Tetherow is on the sick list, being confined to the bed with Lagrippe.

J. K. Morrison has finished putting up a fine lot of wire fence on Mr. Cottle's farm.

County Clerk U. S. Loughary and family visited Sunday with his brother, J. T. Loughary.

R. D. Scrafford left Thursday for Newport, where he will spend Christmas with his aunt, Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. E. Hiltbrand went to Falls City Monday, to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Graham.

A good number from here attended the shooting match at Parker Saturday. Most of the boys brought home turkeys.

Jas. Hiltbrand sold to Geo. Brey, of Independence, 1200 pounds of good evaporated apples at 5 cents per pound. The dried fruit market seems quite dull this season.

Several from here attended the basket social at Parker December 18th, and all report the best of times. Ed Steele says he will help to buy the organ all he can at \$5.00 a lunch.

The Fairview literary society is progressing nicely with some thirty good active members. The program for next Saturday night will be as follows: Opening address, Gus Siderholm; Solo, Miss Daisy Steele; Recitation, Nellie Fredrickson; 5 minute speech, M. Scrafford; Recitation, Chas. Lehman; Dialogue, Sadie and Fred Cogle; Minute

Sick Headache

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speech, Fred Cogle; Recitation D. Steele; Solo, M. Scrafford; address E. Hiltbrand. A warm invitation is extended to all.

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