

LAUREL.
Miss Estella Campbell is spending part of the winter at this place.
Several persons are afflicted with blood poisoning and erysipelas.
Mr. and Mrs. Wallan of Scholls, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sutton Sunday last.
Mrs. Patterson, the nurse at Mr. Saunders, is reported ill. Mrs. Sutton has taken her place.
Mr. Tom Sutton visited Scholls Saturday evening expecting to attend a dance but instead attended a dance.
We understand there will be a Christmas tree at Scholls in the Evangelical church but failed to learn what night it will be.
Miss Jennie Hoodenpyl, the Union Ridge teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near Gaston. She will close her school next Friday.
Miss Hoover, Joe Henton and John Fee the young men who went to eastern Oregon last spring have returned home. We see three young ladies smiling over the return.
There was a dime social given by Mrs. McFee in the old McFee house, the proceeds to be used for an oyster supper, and the proceeds of that to be given for lamps and seat in the new Evangelical church house. An invitation was extended to the young folks at Scholls. Those present from Scholls were: Misses Hattie Skeels, Mollie Miller, Aggie Ross, Cassie Rowell and Emma Emmel. Messrs. Dick Taylor, Bud Taylor, Fred Adams Eddie Brooks, Charlie Miller, Frank Rowell, Will Taylor, Will Hunt, Will Fletcher, Will Morris and Will Hanson. There was a large crowd of the Laurel people present but we are sorry to say they were so un sociable that the Scholls young folks think they will have a oyster supper at home.
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REEDVILLE.
Joel York spent Sunday with friends in Cornelius.
Mrs. Wheeler is sojourning with friends in the metropolis.
Miss Christina Imlay visited friends in Portland last week.
Mrs. Sadie Johnson is quite ill with lung fever at this writing.
Prof. H. E. Coleman transacted business in Portland Saturday.
Mrs. Schube, of Ilwaco, is visiting with her parents at this place.
Mr. T. L. Masters and son, of Goldendale, Wash., is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Lystrup.
Rev. Hurlburt, of Beaverton, is holding a series of revival meetings at the school house this week.
Mr. J. A. Miller, who has been employed as stenographer in a law office at Ilwaco, Wash., the past six months, arrived home this week to spend the holidays with his parents.
"Excuse me," observed the man in spectacles, "but I am a surgeon, and that is not where the liver is." "Never you mind where his liver is," retorted the other. "If it was in his big toe or his left ear DeWitt's Little Early Risers would reach it and shake it for him. On that you can bet your gig-lamps." J. C. Clark, druggist.

BUXTON.
The popular sports seem to be duck hunting during the day, and parties in the evening.
A pleasant surprise was given L. W. Traver last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Matod. The party was composed of about 50 persons and the evening was pleasantly passed with games, songs and dancing, and last, but not least, a lunch was served at an appropriate hour.
Mr. L. W. Traver closed another successful term of school here, this being his third term at this place. The children appreciate the advantages they have had and have improved the time well. School closed Friday the 11th of December, and will not open again until after the election of directors in the spring.

All Recommend It.
Ask your physician, your druggist and your friends about Shiloh's Cure for Consumption. They will recommend it. For sale at Clark's drug store.

GLENWOOD.
Mr. A. L. Smith made a flying trip to the Grove Friday.
Homer Smith went to the Grove Friday returning Monday.
Mr. A. L. Smith and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Brice Wilson's.
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Merrill were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin Sunday.
Mr. Luster went to the Grove Wednesday to visit his daughter Mrs. L. L. Todd.
Mr. A. H. Schofield lost a horse last week and has another one sick. Mr. F. Allen also has a sick horse.

THATCHER.
Mr. Vern Mow, of Nehalem, was the guest of Mr. A. Tilden's family last Sunday.
Miss Blanch Sears who has been quite sick for the past two weeks is able to be up and around again.
Those desiring to have a Christmas tree are invited to come out to Sunday school and talk the matter over as it would encourage the little ones and reward them for their good attendance all summer.
There has been a literary organized at the new school house in Thatcher. The officers elected were: Franklin Thatcher president; Austin Tilden vice president, Allen Hayden secretary, Minnie Tilden, Allen Hayden and David Raymond the literary committee.
The postmistress has laid in a full supply of unstamped envelopes and writing paper so hereafter when called for can be purchased very cheap, and also 700 weight of the best flour for the accommodation of those coming to the creamery and post office and to be sold at the lowest market price.
To cure all old sores, to heal an indolent ulcer, or to speedily cure piles, you need simply apply DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve according to directions. Its magic-like action will surprise you. J. C. Clark, Druggist.

MOUNTAINDALE.
Mrs. T. Fowels is quite sick.
Hunters are plentiful and ducks are plenty.
School closed at Mountaindale last Friday week.
Mr. Willis transacted business in Hillsboro Tuesday.
Mr. Thompson transacted business in Portland last week.
Dr. J. Thompson is talking of going to St. John's Islands soon.
Mr. Charles Miller was visiting friends on Pumpkin Ridge Tuesday night.
Mr. T. Meachem gave a grand McKinley ball at his residence last Tuesday night.
Misses Lucy Miller, Addie Uglov and Emily Essner, who have been very ill are slowly recovering.
The Andrews Lumber Co. have completed the new mill on the creek and began sawing Thursday.
Miss Maud Uglov who had been home about six weeks on a visit has returned to her work in Portland.
As George Miller has closed his school I suppose he will spend the most of his time down to Mr. Burgett's, hunting ducks.
Mr. Miller was in Hillsboro Wednesday. He reports the roads in a miserable condition between the saw mill and Barrett bridge.
DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the blood. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. J. C. Clark, druggist.

HAYWARD.
Mr. Nic Bothman is doing a good business.
Ulysses Phillips returned from a trip to Iowa.
Two or three fresh cows for sale. Apply at Alex. McWilliams.
Mr. Staver preached an excellent sermon last Sunday to a large audience.
The length of lifemay be increased by lessening its dangers. The majority of people die from lung troubles. These may be averted by promptly using One Minute Cough Cure. J. C. Clark, Druggist.

CREHALEM.
Mr. Clark has been called away on the jury.
The people here are preparing for a Christmas tree.
Percy Clark has been visiting his parents but now has left for Portland.
Mr. Hopkins' two daughters have returned home to remain until after Christmas.
Mr. Clark started last week for Middleton but on account of the frozen ground was compelled to return and leave his buggy on the road.
The old lady was right when she said the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. J. C. Clark, druggist.

FIR.
Mrs. Wm. Busse returned from Portland last week.
Chas. Penno will stay on his brother's ranch this winter.
Mr. J. Haines will return from Baker City in the near future.
Elmer Penny, of Bridal Veil, is up on a visit to old neighbors.
Mrs. Haycock is convalescing from a severe attack of asthma.
George Rose will stay on the ranch this winter with his father.
Miss Pearl Haycock is not attending school at present on account of bad road.
We are glad to note that Mr. James Patton is again on his homestead where

he is making considerable improvements.
Miss Josie Heisler will close a very successful term of school December 24th.
Mr. Standtler, recently from Minnesota, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Anna Lathrop.
Elmer Benny has been visiting the old home and his many friends in this vicinity.
Chris Rose was called to Portland Friday on business and returned Monday.
There is some talk of a carding mill in our little burg. We hope it may be a success.
Mr. Eli Smith is having some repairs done on his house. Mr. Scott Smith is doing the work.
Mrs. Rose spent a week on her ranch on Gales Creek, also a week with her friend Mrs. Heitzhausen, of Forest Grove, before returning to Portland.
Mr. Haycock has had a streak of bad luck. He lost four horses, all he had, and it leaves him in a bad condition; but it had better be so than to have been one of the family.

A Fact Worth Knowing.
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SCHOLLS.
Born—To the wife of Julius Widekinge a son.
There is talk of a dance at the club hall in the near future.
Mrs. Carrie Miller is visiting her mother at McMinnville.
Lonie Hesse is again attending Business College in Portland.
Mr. Jess Guild, of Laurel, was a guest at Mrs. Rowell's Sunday.
Will Morris is visiting relatives and friends at this place once more.
Mrs. Seelye has been entertaining friends from Newberg the past week.
Mrs. Elmer Schmeltzer spent the latter part of last week in the metropolis.
D. B. Emrick and Chas. Koerber were attending court at the county seat Monday.
Fred Stark was in Cornelius several days last week where his wife is still very low.
Charles Miller, who has spent the past six months at Hood River, has returned home for the winter.
Mr. Edwards has a daughter visiting them from Frisco where she has been in a hospital receiving medical treatment.
The lyceum at Flint's school house had an unusually large attendance Friday evening and the program was well rendered.
Nelson Bros. are occupying the Shepley residence since theirs was destroyed by fire. They contemplate rebuilding immediately.
Three carriage loads of people from here attended the party at Mrs. McFee's near Laurel Tuesday evening and report a pleasant time.
The dance at Mr. Edwards Saturday evening was not well attended owing to the incessant down pour. The few who were there report a pleasant evening, though.
There will be a Christmas tree at the Evangelical church Xmas eve to which all are cordially invited. The program promises to excel anything of the kind that has occurred here of late.
Scholls is just recovering from the recent deluge. Preparations are being made to commence the construction of the ark which we hope to see anchored here before the next inundation.
Literary has been reorganized at Mountaindale and has been unusually interesting this winter. It meets every Tuesday evening with spelling school and debating alternately after recess.

Something to Know.
It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids these organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at the Miller Pharmacy.

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CITATION.
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, for Washington County.
In the matter of the last will and testament of John Kay, deceased.
To Mary Jane Kay, Melissa K. Wills, Ben K. K. Adams, Mary Ellen Butcher, Elizabeth Ann Bannin, Emily Kay, Helen B. Kay, John Wesley Kay, Joseph Leroy Kay, Milton Kay, David S. Kay, Ora E. Kay, Joseph Clyde Kay, John Ralph Kay, Guy Leslie Kay, Emma Odessa Kay, Earl Norbert Kay.
IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, at the Court room thereof, at Hillsboro in the County of Washington, on Monday the 8th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order of sale of the following described real property, situate in Washington County, Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit:
Lots 8 and 9, in Cornelius Enclaves. Also the following: Commencing at a post on the West boundary line of the Donation Land Claim of Joshua Dickson, and Edlin Dickson, his wife, in T 18 R 4 W of the Willamette Meridian; said commencing point being South 20 degrees West and 23.00 chains from the N W corner of said claim; thence South 80 degrees E 20 chains to a post in the County Road; thence South 63 degrees E 10.50 chains to the N W corner of land conveyed by Jacob Butts and Sarah M. Butts to W. C. Johnson by deed now of record on page 487 of book "U" of deeds for Washington County, Oregon; thence South 8 1/2 chains thence South 23 degrees E 12.10 chains to the West line of the right of way of the Oregon and California R. R. Co. thence North on said West line of said right of way to the N E corner of a tract of land conveyed to said W. C. Johnson by J. L. Hallett and wife by deed now of record on page 389 of book "U" of records of deeds for Washington County, Oregon; thence West 13.28 chains to the East line of said Joshua Dickson Donation Land Claim; thence North 23 degrees W on said East line 12.00 chains to the N E corner of said claim; thence West to the S E corner of lot 4, Section 25, T 18 R 4 W; thence North to the N E corner of said lot 4; thence West 40 chains to the N W corner of said section 25; thence South 60 feet; hence East to a point North 20 degrees E of the place of beginning; thence South 23 degrees West 32.00 chains to the place of beginning, containing 220 acres. Excepting a small tract contracted to Huston Halstead and the five acre tract conveyed to Joseph Atkinson and wife December 29, 1890, should not be made as prayed for by Milton Kay, one of the Executors of the last will and testament of John Kay, Deceased, as filed in this cause and Court.
Witness, the Hon. B. F. Cornelius, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, with the seal of said Court affixed, this 24th day of November A. D. 1896.
Attest J. A. IMBRIE, Clerk
By W. W. McKinney, Deputy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
In pursuance of a decree and order of sale rendered in the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Washington, on November 22d, 1896, in the cause of The German Savings and Loan Society, plaintiff, vs. William Elen, et al. defendants, I will sell at public sale and sell to the highest bidder at the door of the County Court House of said county in the City of Hillsboro in said county, on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m. the real property described in said order and decree situated in Washington County, Oregon, to-wit:
A part of the Donation Land Claim of Orange S. Hall and wife in section two (2), Township one (1) north, Range one (1) West of the Willamette Meridian, said part bounded by, beginning where the west line of John Carlson's land intersects the south line of the County Road from Portland; thence running easterly along the south line of said County Road 14.16 chains to the intersection of the middle line of said Carlson's land with said county road; thence south 14.16 chains along said middle line to a point which is 14.13 1/2 chains west from the East line of said Carlson's land; thence westerly 14.13 1/2 chains to the west line of said Carlson's land; thence north along said west line 14.16 chains to the place of beginning in Washington County, Oregon, excepting out of the above described land for the purpose of a roadway a strip ten feet in width along the east side of the tract herein described.
Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, December 9th, 1896.
W. D. BRADFORD,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.

Notice Administrator's Sale.
Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Washington county and State of Oregon, I, the undersigned, duly appointed administrator of the estate of B. H. Catching, deceased, will sell at private sale on and after the 15th day of December, 1896, the following described real estate belonging to said B. H. Catching, deceased, and situated in Washington County, Oregon, and particularly described, as follows, to-wit: North-east quarter of the north-east quarter, the south half of the north-east quarter and the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section 25, in township 2, north of range 3, west of Willamette meridian, containing 160 acres. Also lots No. 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, all in Block 24, in West Portland Heights, according to the recorded plat on the County Records of Washington County and State of Oregon. That said sale will be made in lots to suit purchaser. The terms of said sale to be one-half cash in hand, one-half payable in one year from date of sale, to draw 6 per cent. interest per annum, and deferred payment to be secured by mortgage on lands sold.
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E. B. CATCHING,
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W. M. LANGLEY,
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