

Country Correspondence**TIGARDVILLE.**

Tigardville, Aug. 19.—Mrs. Voegelin and family will leave on the 19th inst., for Nebraska for a visit with relatives and friends.—Mr. Bertram Frewing, Miss Florence Koener and Mr. and Mrs. Frewing have gone to the Coast for a short vacation.—We are glad to hear of the improvement of Mrs. A. W. Smith, who has been on the sick list for the past month.—Mr. John Hohman has returned from a trip through the Eastern states. While on the trip he visited the interesting points and old historical places of the Eastern cities.—Miss Gustena Randall, who was visiting at Mrs. Pollard's place, has returned home.

FARMINGTON.

Farmington, Aug. 20.—Harvesting is on in full blast around here. Threshing has commenced and reports are that quantity and quality are above the average. Some sales of new oats at \$1 a hundred have been made.—Long needed improvements are being made on the Harris bridge and will be rushed to finish as fast as the mills saw out the lumber.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jack have returned from Sauvie's Island, where they spent a few days camping on the beautiful Willamette.—The directors of School District 58 have engaged Miss Agnes Dellsman to teach the next term of school, which will commence on Sept. 21. Miss Dellsman comes very well recommended and a successful term is anticipated.—There is talk of having a little tar and feather party on the Hillsboro plan right here, the principal party being a young man who has bilked quite a few Farmington people out of a snug little sum, all on false representations, he having also a few other matters against his score which demand settlement.

—Mr. Wm. Schulmerich has returned from a successful hunting trip from up the mountains, showing us three new notches on the stock of his trusty rifle, counting for so many deer that he has killed this time.—Mr. Wm. McQuillan has the frame up of his new house and judging from all appearances it is going to be a beauty, and happy be the bride that will reign over it.—Miss Annie Withycombe, ~~was engaged from the Seaside~~, having had a very enjoyable trip.

MIDDLETON.

Middleton, Aug. 20.—Threshing is in full blast. Wheat and oats are turning out fine.—Langer's threshing engine broke through the Hays bridge across Cedar Creek Monday evening. Engine only slightly damaged and no one hurt.—Winter's barn, containing 40 or 50 tons of clover hay, was destroyed by fire recently, supposed to be caused by spontaneous combustion.—C. True has his large prune drier nearly completed.—Wm. Montgomery and H. Holmes started for Little Nestucca this morning.

BEAVERTON.

Beaverton, Aug. 20.—The Beavertonites are returning. There is no place like home, it seems. James Hunter arrived from Seattle on Saturday; W. E. Barnes and family from the coast on Saturday; Carl Evans, Eddie Morton, Harry Morton, Clarence Alberts and Martin Alberts from the coast on Sunday; Clarence is suffering severe pains which struck him while in bathing on his way home.—

The S. P. Co. is making quite an improvement here by putting in two thirty-foot stone crossings.—Mrs. John Henry and daughter returned Wednesday from Seaside, where they have been taking an outing.—Mr. Brady, from Oklahoma, has purchased some timbered land south of town. He intends erecting a house and will "batch it" until his family arrives.—

The farmers all seem to be in a rush to thresh their grain, now that the sound of the thresher is heard.—A representative of the Portland Seed Co. has been advertising "So-Boss-So" in this vicinity the last few days. He seems to have the proper thing to rid the cows of flies.—Our butcher speaks well for the appetites of the people of Beaverton, saying he gets rid of a beef every day.—F. W. Cady has just had a house completed in the south part of town, built for a lady from Vancouver, Wash., who will move into it in the near future.—Mrs. Anderson and two sons from near Livermore's mill have gone up the Columbia on a two weeks' visit.

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has been in Portland working, during the past year or two, is at home visiting with her mother and sister in Shady Brook.—Miss Nora Miller has returned to Portland after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Miller, in Shady Brook.—Mr. Wescott and family have returned from Garibaldi, where they spent a few weeks.—Mrs. Grace Connell has gone to Portland, where she will accompany her son Samuel to Long Beach, Wash.—Miss Lizzie Gordon is at home from Portland, where she has been staying during the past year. She will remain home for a few months before returning to her work.—Messrs. O. G. Barlow and J. W. Sewell passed through town today on their way up in the mountains hunting.—Miss Cornelius, of Hillsboro, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Mays.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schomburg was the scene of a very pretty wedding Sunday evening, when Mr. Hiram Smith, engineer for the Oregon Condensed Milk Factory, and Miss Minnie Turney, of Watsonville, Cal., were united in marriage by Justice of the Peace John Vanderwal of Greenville.—Mr. Alex Donaldson is visiting with his cousin, Mrs. J. W. Connell.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hall's little daughter Zynith has the smallpox.—Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Davis, who lived in Shady Brook, have moved to Portland.

CORNELIUS.

Cornelius, Aug. 20.—The residence of Mrs. Annans, 5 miles south of Cornelius, burned one night last week with all its contents. Mrs. Annans being away in Idaho, it is supposed to be the work of an incendiary. No insurance.—Mrs. Musie Connell and family, of Fossil, came to Cornelius today to visit her mother, Mrs. S. E. Montgomery.—D. W. Phillips, a son of A. A. Phillips, who is employed at Baker City, is visiting his parents and relatives this week.—John Aplin made a flying trip to Portland yesterday.—Misses Varley and Walton were in Cornelius yesterday from Forest Grove.—Mr. and Mrs. John Neep left here last Sunday for Stella, Wash., to visit their sons and their families for a few weeks.—A. A. Phillips says he has a few more nice lots in Cornelius to sell.—Mr. and Mrs. Sirard of Portland, are visiting with Mrs. Sirard's parents, N. Noland and family, of Cornelius.—Mr. George Melinger, of St. Helens, is visiting Mr. Lewis this week.—It is reported in Cornelius that there will be wedding soon, from not far distant.—Scott and Ed. Wolf have moved into the house lately vacated by Mr. Poe.—A. A. Phillips and wife and daughter and son will leave Cornelius Friday for a visit in Wasco county, where Mr. Phillips has a daughter. They will perhaps be gone a week.—Miss Jessie Hatch took a trip to Portland today.—M. H. Henderson took his son down to Hillsboro this evening to have his arm dressed, which was broken last week. Amos McCurdy also took a sick boy to the doctor in Hillsboro.—Mrs. L. S. Fairchild returned from the coast on this evening's train.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Department of the Interior, Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 1, 1903. Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, at Oregon City, Oregon, on September 15, 1903, viz.: Charles Hall, H. E. No. 13,961, for the northeast quarter of section 12, township 2 north, range 6 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz.: W. A. Hall, of Clifton, Oregon; Fred C. Whitten, J. J. Kenney, L. R. Houston, of Portland, Oregon.

ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

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Miss Myrtle Stephens, of Amity, came up Sunday to attend the Ross-Whittaker wedding, and is a guest at the home of Prof. G. B. Hardin, her brother-in-law.

H. H. Stuart, Forest Grove, was registered at the New Grimes, Clatsop Beach, last week.

W. Phillips, Cornelius, and J. Booker, Greenville, were in Portland Monday.

Lumber.—We are prepared to deliver all kinds of undressed lumber on short notice. Stock on hand at prices reasonable. Call or write Shipley Mills, Banks, Or.

Senator W. A. Wehrung, superintendent of Oregon's St. Louis exhibit, and president of State Board of Agriculture, of Hillsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Neep, of Cornelius, were in Portland Sunday.

William Sidney Shlach, a graduate of Pacific University, in the class of '95, now employed as writer by a Spokane firm of history publishers, was married in Portland August 12 to Miss Winifred Eleanor Miller, of that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Curran, Forest Grove, Dr. J. P. Tamiesie, president of the Hillsboro Condensed Milk Co., Hillsboro, and B. Henderson, Cornelius, were in Portland last Friday.

Lost.—Sorrel horse, star on forehead, lump on right hind foot, iron-gray mare and colt, strayed from Banks; last seen east of Greenville, heading east. Reward for return or information leading to recovery. E. B. Fair, Banks, Or.

For Sale.—5-room house, 2 lots, in Cornelius; known as Lafe Wilson's. Good water. Apply to Mrs. M. Wilson, Cornelius, Oregon.

Mr. C. E. Bailey, formerly a Forest Grove druggist and later a newspaperman at Beaverton, where his father now resides, was in town Thursday. He expects to start East in a few days on an extended trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Bloodgood and family of Huron, South Dakota, are looking over the country and visiting their relatives, Thos. Lewis, Wm. Langley and M. H. Bloodgood, of Gaston.

Councilman and Mrs. Grant Hughes have gone to Tillamook for a two weeks' outing.

John Johnson, of North Yamhill, a former resident here, is visiting his brother, H. B. Johnson.

Mrs. and Miss Sweet, of Oregon City, Salvation Army special officers or evangelists, held open air meetings and services in the M. E. church Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church here visited the Hillsboro league Saturday evening. In the party were Misses Lou and Hattie Starrett, Lennie La Chapelle, Virginia Varley, Vina Walton, Edna Bellinger and the Misses Knight, Messrs. Lloyd and Alvin Baldwin and Chester Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Banks were driven over to Harris' ranch on the Wilson river, by Jack Latta, Tuesday, where they will probably spend ten days. Mr. Banks is special agent of the Underwriters' Insurance Co.

Frank Brown went to Portland Monday to study life in the metropolis which he will depict for the edification of the Evening Telegram readers.

Dr. Nixon, Will Gerrish and Bertie Nixon returned Wednesday from a month's stay in Idaho.

Dr. Weber, a metallurgist with the U. S. Steel corporation, that notorious trust, was in the Grove Monday seeing Mayor Kane about the sale of his Northern copper interests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Gildersleeve, of Alma, Nebraska, are visiting Mr. John Baldwin's home, looking over the country with a view to locating here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Campbell, former residents of the Grove, but for many years living in Iowa, are visiting in the Grove. Mr. Campbell was president of the company owning the Keeley Institute when it was located here.

Newell Macrum and two Portland gentlemen are going to the headwaters of the Trask Saturday, under the leadership of Harry Wescott, fully equipped for a fortnight's hunting and fishing.

Lieut. W. H. H. Myers has just received notice that on July 19 he was granted \$8 a month pension as an Indian War Veteran, to date from June 27, 1902. Mr. Myers was his own attorney. And thus a life-long Democrat comes identified in an official way with a Republican administration.

Born.—To the wife of Wm. Long, of Forest Grove, on the 19th, a son, Dr. C. L. Large attending.

Attorney J. N. Hoffman has a relinquishment on a valuable homestead near Forest Grove, which he has been authorized to sell. This is certainly a rare opportunity for some one wanting a good stock claim.

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are pushed up and disappear into a division wall of the floor above, making a banquet hall suitable for the largest gatherings. Architect Jerome has the details all settled and the building will go on rapidly to completion by the last of the year.

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