

Correspondence

PATTON VALLEY.

Willie Lee's brother-in-law is staying with him this winter.

Ed Bates drove down the valley for a sleigh ride last Sunday.

Fred Robertson brought a number of goats from Yamhill last week.

John Allen sold the company that H. W. Scott is working for, a number of Angora Goats.

Mr. Brown of Gaston, said he bought upwards of \$80.00 worth of hogs from A. C. Davis last week.

Pleasant Smith has about 20 head of cattle out in the hills. John Boyd brought in 15 or 20 head of his from the mountains last Saturday.

Tom Williams, of Alaska, who has been out here visiting, thinks this is no place for a workingman. I guess he had an idea that he could go along the streams and find money washed upon the banks.

Pem Patton has made a wonderful improvement in opening a lane from Red bridge to the church. He is planning on having R. F. D. at his door, which will be a great benefit to a number of others.

Willie Lee visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bates last Thursday. While there Mrs. Bates told him of the terrible accident that befell Francis Kerby. Just before he got to Yamhill the horse stumbled and fell on him, breaking his leg.

Pleasant Valley

Finley McLeod has improved things by a new fence.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Porter visited in Patton's Valley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks from Wapato is running the cook house.

Some of the young fellows have been enjoying the snow by taking their best girls sleighing.

Tommy Gerrish has been putting up fence for Mr. Purdy which makes a very neat appearance.

George Callahan spent several days at Forest Grove but is back again and able to resume his school duties.

Mr. Lamb is still head sawyer at Callahan & Herring's mill. Mrs. Lamb is stopping at Mrs. Freeman's in Patton's Valley. We understand that about 500 ties got away from the mill during the freshet.

Buxton Items.

Lewis and Clark Tent of Maccabees meets next Saturday evening.

Wild cat and coon hunting are popular amusements since the snow fell.

Our telephone system has been greatly improved by the addition of another line into the central office at Forest Grove.

A semi-comic drama in three acts, entitled the "Lost Heifer," was presented by local talent in Grange Hall, at this place, on Saturday night January 14. The proceeds were given by the Ladies' Aid Society to one who is in need through a long continued sickness. The attendance at the play was large and appreciative, all speaking in praising terms of the manner in which the characters were represented. The following is a list of the characters: Ernest Inglehart, manager; Eph Crucebox, of Swampscott Holler, Louis Klink; Carlton Da Ruyter, of Rogue's Gallery fame, P. H. Buxton; George Guicebox, Eph's son, Lewis Myers; Willie Smith, a farm hand who stutters, D. L. McPherson; Weary Waggles, a tramp, Fred Klink; Detective Holcombe, of Pyrene o' Force, Fred Klink; Squar Brown, a miser, Will Hiddink; Rube Miller, town constable, Bazil Blum; Fiddler, Ralph Hannon; Mrs. Arabella Sumpkins, a fascinating widow who is deaf, Mrs. Lewis Myers; Betsy Brown, a simple country maiden, Luna Peterson; Scraps, a waif from New York, Lola Blum.

SCOGGIN'S VALLEY.

Louise Wilcox took a sleigh ride to Forest Grove.

Viola Perry is nursing a felon, which keeps her plenty of company.

Coon hunting is the favorite sport now, but it generally proves to be deer.

In anticipation of a siege of snow, the farmers have been getting their stock in from the hills.

The last few days have seemed like real winter weather to us.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. LaFollette took dinner with Mr. Wahl on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. LaFollette, of McMinnville, are visiting with their daughters, Mrs. H. W. Scott and Mrs. S. L. Wahl.

Alex Hoodenpyl is helping Newt Hall on his milk route while the roads are so bad, they each take it a day about on the road.

CORNELIUS.

Frank McGinnis made a flying trip to Corvallis Saturday.

to make a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Phillips.

The Base Line Mill has been shut down on account of bad weather.

G. W. Phillips and wife, of Wilbur, Washington, came out Friday evening.

William Vickers, who is employed in Portland, is at home on a two weeks' lay off.

Miss Ross, of Portland, visited over Sunday with the family of Mrs. G. Vickers.

M. Cook, who lives a mile north of town, has been sick for several days but we hope to see him around in a few days.

James Page, a brother-in-law of William Bennett, who lives at North Yamhill, stayed over Sunday in Cornelius and returned Monday.

Wm. French accompanied by a gentleman of the Electric Railway came down from the Grove to-day to look after the interests of the road.

N. Wilcox and granddaughter went Saturday to Independence to visit his son George, who is the S. P. agent at that place. They will return in a few days.

Mrs. Maggie Hendricks, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Nupp, of this place, went to Portland last Saturday evening, where she is employed.

John Hartman lately purchased the old planing mill and will at once tear it down. He will build a residence on the corner lot opposite Mrs. Burnitz's residence.

A. S. Hatch has his blacksmith shop partly built on the Base Line street near the A. C. church. He expects to have it completed as soon as the weather will permit.

D. J. Barrett and A. A. Phillips went to McMinnville last Thursday to attend a K. P. meeting in regard to having a K. P. convention this year which will be held at McMinnville. Mrs. Phillips accompanied them and she was the guest of George Hendershott and wife, of the Commercial Hotel.

HILLSIDE.

Chas. Staley has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Neil Sohren of Buxton, Mrs. C. B. Curtis visited at the homes of Messrs. A. F. and N. J. Baker last Wednesday.

Ralph Watkins of Forest Grove and Ruel Baker were out coon hunting Saturday and got three coons.

The doctor was called to the home of W. T. Newhouse, Sunday evening, to see his son Charles, who is ill with intermittent fever.

Jamie and Emma Fleck have been visiting with friends and relatives at this place and the Grove but have now returned to Beaverton.

Several of the young folks spent a very pleasant evening at the home of J. J. Soynes, last Wednesday evening with music, games, etc.

On account of a break, the mail did not reach this part of the route Thursday, and now the carrier is seen in a fine combination sleigh and buggy, which he uses according to the weather.

Rev. and Mrs. Barber are conducting special services at Beaverton, therefore services were omitted here Jan. 15th. Sunday school was also omitted on account of sickness and bad weather.

Anderson Baker while duck hunting, had the misfortune of an explosion with his gun, bursting the barrel and blowing the lock off. He escaped without injury, but several of the ducks did not survive.

FERN HILL

Joseph Cooper and wife have settled on the old Wellman place.

Leonard Dixon visited Portland Tuesday to have some dental work done.

John Hein is progressing rapidly in his civil engineering correspondence course.

Miss Hall, Fern Hill's school teacher has been purchasing books for the school library.

J. Pidcock is looking for his son-in-law and family to arrive from Oklahoma in the near future.

Mr. Hendricks has sold his sawmill to two parties residing in Portland, who are to take possession in April.

Joseph Boyd's new house is going up fast, we are looking forward to the time of "house warming" with interest.

A surprise party was given Joseph Hullsman mid-winter's night. Cards and dancing were the evening's amusements.

Miss Clarice Dixon gave an "At Home," to a number of friends last week, those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Archie Duncalf, Misses Mina, Clara and Jessie Pidcock, Miss Alma Reitzel, Miss May Cooper, Messrs. Joseph, John, and Miss Mary Hack, Messrs. Michael and James Boyd, Messrs. Leonard and Albert Dixon, and Freddie Kellogg.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Verryl Johnson has entered the First grade.

Paul Knox has entered the Third grade.

Dora Johnson is absent from the Eighth grade.

Arlington Rishell of the Third grade has pneumonia.

Fred Watson is a new pupil in Miss Jackson's room.

Ellis Watson, of Greenville, has entered the Sixth grade.

Mabel Leopold being sick so much of the time, has stopped school.

Many of the pupils are sick with colds on account of the cold weather.

The Third grade does not suffer from the cold now, for they have a stove.

Board of Trade Meeting.

The following letter addressed to the members of the Board of Trade, was issued by the secretary, January 17.

"The annual meeting of the Board of Trade will be held at the Council Chambers Saturday evening, January 21, 1905, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may arise.

"The greatest opportunity for doing effective advertising, in the history of our city, will present itself during the coming season and we should be prepared to improve such opportunities to their fullest extent.

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Sheriff's Sale

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington, dated the 23rd day of December, 1904, in favor of Josephine N. Patton, plaintiff, and against James J. Patton, defendant for the sum of \$31.00 costs with interest thereon from the 10th day of December, 1903 at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to make sale of the real property hereinafter described, I have levied upon and pursuant to said execution I will on Monday, the 30th day of January, 1905, at the South door of the Courthouse in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property, lying, being and situate in Washington County, Oregon, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:—The undivided 1/2 interest of the defendant James J. Patton in and to the following described real property:—N 1/2 of the N 1/4 and the S 1/2 of the N W 1/4 of Section 26; also the N E 1/4 of the N E 1/4 of Section 27 Township 2 North of Range 5 West to satisfy the hereinbefore named sums and for the costs and expenses of sale and said writ.

Said sale will be made subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon. Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, this 23rd day of December, 1904.

J. W. CONNELL,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.

By F. T. KANE, Deputy.

H. T. BAGLEY, Attorney for plaintiff.

Administrators Notice to Creditors

In County Court of the State of Oregon, Washington County.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors of the estate of Matilda J. Zeigler, deceased. That by virtue of an appointment made by the County Court of Washington County appointing the undersigned administrator of the estate of said Matilda J. Zeigler, deceased, and that he administer the estate of said deceased.

All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present them with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice to the administrator at the office of J. N. Hoffman, at Forest Grove, Washington County, Oregon.

The first publication of this notice is made this 5th day of January, A. D. 1905. Jacob Zeigler administrator of the estate of Matilda J. Zeigler, deceased.

J. N. HOFFMAN, Attorney.

Winter Rates to Yaquina Bay

In order to accommodate the many people who wish to make a winter trip to Yaquina Bay, the Southern Pacific Co., will sell, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, of each week, until March 31, 1905, round trip tickets, at low rates, to Yaquina and return, limited to sixty days from date of sale. Those who desire to take advantage of this rate should apply to nearest Southern Pacific agent for tickets.

Dr. J. J. Wiggins

Osteopathic physician, of Portland, continues to visit Forest Grove and may be seen at Mr. David Smith's residence on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

For Sale

I will sell 63 feet, fronting the Sloan Hotel for \$700. One half cash, 1 year's time on balance at 8 per cent. E. P. Cadwell, Leaburg, Ore.

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