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WATT'S DISTRICT

John Stevenson of Portland Sundayed with his parents.

Mr. A. Rueter is having an addition built to his house.

Wm McCoy and John Monner left for Tillamook last week.

Miss Tessie McHale of Portland is visiting the Bisbee family.

Wm. Boyd, Ruel Bisbee and Thad Stevenson are camping in the hills.

Miss Elsie Rueter is in Portland visiting relatives and attending the Fair.

A most enjoyable dance was given last Thursday night at the home of Dick Holscher.

Mrs. Miller of Aberdeen and Mrs. Johnson were guests of the Bisees one day last week.

Mr. Rosenstock and family from Manila are here visiting his father-in-law, Henry Chesmore.

Mrs. Jas. Burk and daughter Jessie are spending a few days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams at North Yamhill.

Hon. W. K. Newell spent a part of last week at home returning to Portland Monday.

Hop-picking is all the go now. Jas. Hill finished his yard Saturday after three days picking. The other yards are starting now.

Frank Van de Hey is hauling cord wood to Forest Grove while the boys make it at home. They keep him busy too, for there are a lot of them.

A party of young men, among whom were Ed and Bert Buxton, Dave Ibrig and Alba Lamont, came down from the mountains last week. Evidently they had a good time and lots of venison as they were in very high spirits when seen.

EAST GASTON.

Jas. Pollock Sundayed with his family at home.

Bush & Bayliss hauled grain to Forest Grove last week.

Jno. Allen and family spent Sunday with the Bayliss family.

Mr. Hardebeak and family are camping at Miller's hop yard this year.

Prunes are beginning to fall and Mr. Newell will start his dryer the middle of the week.

Mrs. H. D. Jennings returned from Portland the first of the week after a two weeks' visit.

P. J. Ritchey went to the Grove Friday and got a supply of fruit boxes to gather his prune crop in.

E. J. Shotwell went to the Grove Wednesday and brought out a load of shingles for his new house.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Shotwell and their grand son Cecil attended preaching services at Dilley Sunday.

Frank Ralston with his crew finished the threshing on the East side last week and the farmers are busy storing their grain.

George Bush who has been working for Jesse Martin in Scoggins Valley, is back with his brother on the Loomis ranch.

Pat Ritchey, Jr., spent a week at home with his father and brother. He has been fighting on the Columbia all summer and will return in a few days.

Portland Dogs Doomed.

After many vexatious delays, the band of head-hunting, dog-eating Igorrotes from the Island of Luzon have arrived at last, and the Lewis and Clark Exposition is now a scene of daily tomtom dances and frequent dog feasts. Poor Fido and his brother Carlo are hiding out, but the Igorrotes will get them sooner or later, for they have less than six weeks in which to devour all of Portland's surplus dogs; and we understand that the local authorities are making a list of delinquent dogs in the county for the purpose of shipping the collection to Portland.

The Igorrotes, forty in number, male and female, arrived at Vancouver, B. C., aboard the United States steamship Athenian, direct from Manila. They were taken to Manila from their homes in the remote hills of the island, never before having seen a civilized city. These Igorrotes are not the ones who were at St. Louis last year; they are quite new to America, and their first taste of United States dog was enjoyed in their village at the Portland exposition a couple of days after their arrival.

The village awaited them in what may be called skeleton form, and they set to work and covered the frameworks of their houses with material which they brought along. An Igorrote would not feel at home in a house entirely made by other hands.

The Igorrote village is located next to Homer Davenport's pheasant farm at the edge of the Trail, where the weird music of the tomtoms is heard every day and evening.

Tax Notice.

The Tax payers of Washington County, Oregon, are hereby notified that the last half of their taxes for the year 1904, and levied in Jan'y 1905, are now payable, and will become delinquent on the First Monday in October, 1905, at which time interest at rate of 12 per cent per annum will be charged in addition to 10 per cent penalty, which interest charge will be computed from the first Monday in April, 1905.

Dated at Hillsboro, Oregon, September 1st, 1905.

J. W. CONNELL,

Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.

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