

Correspondence.

GALES.

George Beal Jr. intends to ship his hops this week. Our Gales school will soon open for the spring term. Miss Hazzel Cummins is visiting friends in Portland. Earl Tupper and family of Dilley were guests of George Beal's last Sunday. Roy Tolson intends to move to Dilley this week. L. J. Magoon and Ward Tolson are getting along nicely with their clearing land contract. W. W. Lewis and Claud Alemball have been cutting their next winter's wood on J. G. Boos' place. Ed Boos and wife of Forest Grove, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Boos of this vicinity Sunday. Phillip Porter of Patton valley, is moving to Gales Creek. John Beal was in Forest Grove one day last week on business. The W. E. S. club of Gales intends to introduce several people to the William Goat next Saturday night and after the ceremony of introduction they will fill their newly initiated members with a fine oyster supper which will prepare them for the second degree.

GASTON

Miss Anna Turner called in Portland Friday and Saturday. Albert Porter made a business trip to Portland Wednesday. H. L. Russell will return from Seattle the latter part of this week. Miss Sadie Ward and Miss Wescott are taking special course in music at St. Marys Academy. W. Barrett and wife, recently from Nebraska, relatives of G. W. Moore, are visiting here for a time. Mr. and Mrs. Nicoli, recently from the East, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Turner of this place. A series of revival meeting is in progress at the United Evangelical church, all are invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Purdy are now located at the Gaston Lumber Co. where it will be convenient to over-see the work. Fred Johnson has been quite sick and was removed to Good Samaritan Hospital Monday afternoon. Dr. Coffeen of North Yamhill, was the attending physician.

Gaston is to have a free Traveling Library due mainly to the kindness and influence of Mrs. Walter Paget. At a regular meeting Mrs. H. L. Russell was elected president and Fred Everest secretary and treasurer. Up to date word has not been received as to Mr. Henry's whereabouts. Mr. Henry was supposed to have been one of the many in the wreck that happened near Dilley, in fact Mr. Henry was intending to return and bought his ticket, however, it is supposed he bought a ticket toward Portland. More light will probably be shed on this matter little later. Miss Georgia Moore gave a pleasant party to her many friends Saturday evening, George Washington's birthday. To say that all enjoyed themselves would be putting it mild. Games and refreshments, and at a late hour the young people disbanded. It is stated that Mon. Mercilleo Trampas, Miss Wallula the bewitching Cheyenne were among those present. Miss Moore received her friends at F. A. Everest's residence.

THATCHER

Farmers are busy putting in their spring crops. Work commenced at the stone crusher last week. E. J. Bonshu went to Hillsboro today to pay his tax. Mr. J. H. Demoss and wife, of Watts, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dakin. Mrs. Lambert, of Forest Grove, is visiting her cousin Mrs. W. A. Buckley. Miss Martha Henkey and B. S. Bennett were united in the holy bonds of wedlock last Tuesday. C. U. Dakin and W. W. Dakin of Hood River, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Dakin.

GALES CREEK

E. J. Lilly has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Mrs. Hiram Naylor is visiting on Gales Creek. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pierce are the proud parents of a fine 10 pound girl. Mrs. Hiatt is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McClaran of Gales Creek. William Thrapp and family, of Reedville, are visiting relatives of Gales Creek this week. Mr. and Mrs. Penny, of St. Johns, are visiting with their son Elmer Penny, of this place. Frank Ranes, who came through the mountains from Astoria, arrived at Gales Creek Monday. Miss Frances Lyda, of Forest Grove, is visiting with her brother, Elmer Lyda, of Gales Creek. Mr. Beimrohr, our saw mill man who has been doing business in Portland, returned home last Wednesday. Mrs. Brown, who has been visiting in Forest Grove, passed through Gales City Saturday, on her way home to Wilson River. Robert Lilly, who has been visiting relatives at Gales Creek for the last few days, returned to his home in Portland last Monday. Mrs. Fletcher, who has been visiting with her daughter Mrs. Vincent, of Gales Creek, for some time, returned to her home in Forest Grove last Saturday.

BANKS

Mrs. McGraw's baby is improving rapidly. Will Schneider and family have moved one mile north of Banks. Mr. Joe Schulmerick and daughter Eva went to Hillsboro to visit relatives. Mr. J. M. Miller of Banks went to Portland Wednesday on a business trip. The Banks M. E. church and parsonage are a great improvement to our city. The parsonage will soon be completed and ready for occupancy. Mrs. L. Bunn, formerly Miss Mabel Atlee, has resigned her school and joined her husband in North Yamhill, where they intend to make their future home. The Misses Agnes and Clara Miller of Banks entertained the Misses Bess and Flossie Eberly Tuesday afternoon by serving fudge, cocoa and other refreshing dainties. Miss Mabel Watson of Buxton, was the guest of the Misses Bess and Flossie Eberly, and also attended the Rag dance given by the Banks Brass Band Feb. 22, which was a successful event.

FOR SALE—Thirty Ewes. Inquire of C. N. Johnson, Spring Hill Farm. Also 1 Yorkshire boar, 18 months old cheap.

WATT'S DISTRICT.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Buxton called at M. Bisbee's Sunday. Mrs. Weston from town visited at M. Bisbee's several days last week. Mrs. Adams called on Mrs. de Vlaeminck Thursday afternoon. Ernest Purk is hauling oats to Albers Bros. warehouse for Mrs. Nancy Watts of Forest Grove. Mrs. I. P. Senger of Forest Grove spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Burk and Mrs. Rogers. Frank Johnson is having a siege of rheumatism. Mrs. McCoy, who has been spending the past few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Martin, returned to her home on David's Hill, Sunday. A social dancing party was given at Rockefeller Hall Saturday evening by Dick Holscher. Mrs. Frank Maury and daughters Misses Elsie and Merle of Dilley were visitors at B. E. La Mont's part of last week.

FOR SALE—Good seven-room house completely furnished, lot 100x100, good location, 1/2 blk from car line, price \$1750. Will sell unfurnished. Fifty dollars to any person who sends me a buyer. E. S. Sparks, Forest Grove, Ore. 34t 2.

—Water & Light Meters. S E Todd.

Let THE NEWS do your job work. We guarantee good workmanship good stock and most reasonable prices. We print everything.

—Don't forget that Hoffman & Allen Co. are offering rare bargains this month.

—Now is the time to get your Views of the Wreck at the Pacific S. d. o, Forest Grove.



George Washington

Was a patriot and a wonderful man

We Have a

George Washington Patriot Window this week

And are displaying the wonderful PATRIOT SHOES in Men's, Ladies', Youths, Misses' and Children's.

Did you ever see a Pink Stork?

If you desire to see one look in our south window. It is there and calls attention to our line of Infants' wear, such as Underwear, Hosiery, Shoes, Toilet Articles, etc

HOFFMAN & ALLEN COMPANY FOREST GROVE - - - OREGON

Liner Column

It is all smooth sailing when you place a Liner Ad in this column. A few words here will reach 5,000 readers and the results are certain. 5c line 1st insertion, 2 1/2 cents each subsequent insertion. Minimum charge 10 cts.

FOR SALE.—Pedigree strawberry plants: Texas, Glenn Mary, Brandywine, Improved Wilson. Address Fern Leaf Fruit Farm, Cornelius, Ore. R. S. Alexander. 26-12

For sale close in—Some choice small tracts. Several desirable houses and lots. T. H. Littlehales Forest Grove National Bank Building. 27 tf

LIST your farms and other properties for sale with T. H. Littlehales, Forest Grove National Bank Building. 27tf

NOTICE—I have 6 lots in the city of Cornelius. Good house, new barn, good water, some fruit. Five of the lots are on Ash timber land equal to Beaverdam. Price, \$1000. Will take a good team and wagon as part pay if taken soon. W. E. FITCH, Cornelius. 30t4*

FRESH COWS FOR SALE—Having bought a herd of registered Holstein-Friesian cattle, we are selling off our grade milk cows as they come in fresh, and have several good fresh cows for sale now, at prices which ought to sell them.—Carmichael & Co., Gaston, Ore., 30tf

WANTED—Young girl to do light house work for two months for family of three. Phone 523. 29tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. W. N. Ferrin, Forest Grove. 32

EGGS FOR SALE—Black Minorcas, and Bred Plymouth Rock, pure bred, 50c for 13. Pure bred Mallard Duck, 50c for 10. Leave orders at Abraham Bros. or Hughes phone 415, Gales Creek. 34 tf.

FOR SALE—Good 7 room plastered house, brick foundation, good barn, lot about 1/2 acre, 1 block to car line, \$1800. Terms. T. H. Littlehales, Forest Grove Nat'l Bank Building. 34-tf

FOR SALE—Good 8 room house just outside city limits. Barn, lot 1 acre, plenty of fruit, good well. Furniture goes with the place, \$1800. Easy terms. T. H. Littlehales, Forest Grove Nat'l Bank Building. 34-tf

FOR SALE—Good 6 room house in South Park, corner lot, 1 block to car line, \$900. T. H. Littlehales, Forest Grove Nat'l Bank Building. 34-tf

8 room house on Pacific Avenue, \$800. T. H. Littlehales, Forest Grove Nat'l Bank Building. 34-tf

FOR SALE—Black Minorco eggs, \$1.50 a setting at Miles Watson. Also several roosters 34-2t*

Report of the Condition of The First National Bank at Forest Grove, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, February 14, 1908. Resources: Loans and Discounts \$93,814.32; Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 308.02; U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 25,000.00; Premiums on U. S. Bonds 825.00; Bonds, securities, etc. 30,641.50; Banking house, furniture and fixtures 3,483.80; Other real estate owned 3,282.92; Due from State Banks and Bankers 1,662.46; Due from approved reserve agents 16,797.11; Checks and other cash items 267.94; Notes of other National Banks 510.00; Fractional paper currency, notes, and cents 25.66; Special deposits 9,360.70; Legal tender notes 1,073.00; Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation) 1,250.00; Total \$188,262.43. Liabilities: Capital stock paid in 25,000.00; Surplus fund 10,000.00; Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 1,141.51; National Bank notes outstanding 23,800.00; Due to approved reserve agents 9,360.70; Individual deposits subject to check 69,678.12; Demand certificates of deposit 7,289.37; Time certificates of deposit 39,953.90; Cashier's checks outstanding 1,629.37; Total \$188,262.43. State of Oregon, County of Washington, ss: I, R. M. Dooly, president, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. R. M. DOOLY, President; C. M. PETERSON, Director; E. M. DOOLY, Jr., Director; FRANK E. DOOLY, Director. Correct Attest: Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of February, 1908. W. H. HOLLES, Notary Public.

FOREST GROVE Real Estate Co K. N. Staehr D. F. Fleck OFFICE AT THE BAZAAR, NEXT TO POSTOFFICE

Some of this week's Bargains

Eleven acres of fine land with good house and barn, orchard, only one mile out for sale or exchange for town property. Five acres of land, 2 miles from Forest Grove. New house and barn. Only \$1000. This is a bargain. A fine 100 acre farm with good buildings, between Cornelius and Hillsboro at only \$75 per acre. 15 acres of land all cleared, with house and barn. 10 acres cleared, 6 acres bottom land. 1 1/2 miles out. \$2400. New six room house 2 blocks from the P. O., with 1/2 of an acre of ground for sale cheap or for a small tract of land close to town. 5 acres of land with good new house and barn, one mile from town for \$1650. 5 upstairs rooms for rent for \$5 per month. 3 partially furnished rooms in fine location for rent at \$5 per month.

Houses for Rent

—Hoffman & Allen Co. can supply your wants in blankets and comforts at low prices. —Cotton Blankets 10-4, 11-4, 12-4, prices 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, at Bailey's. —Money to loan on farm security W. H. Hollis. —Don't you think a nice Wool Blanket would feel good these cool nights? Bailey's. —News and Pacific Monthly \$2.00. —A full line of Comforts at Bailey's. —Your wheel should be put in proper shape for winter. Carl and Son will do it. 23tf.

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