

## Correspondence.

### THATCHER

Mrs. A. J. Raymond is visiting her mother in Oregon City.

Prof. Hazard and family enjoyed a week at their country home.

Mrs. Alex. Raymond has gone on a visit to her sons, in Vancouver, Wash.

From the appearance of the orchards there will be an abundance of fruit, this year.

Thatcher farmers are busy putting in their crops, and looking after their dairy interests.

The farmers having proven the value of kale for cow feed, will plant an enormous crop this year.

Rev. Hayes, of Hillsboro, preached in the Thatcher church, Sunday, and in the evening spoke to the Christian Endeavor.

Miss Blanche Hazlett has just closed a successful seven months' term of school in the Purdin district. Miss Hazlett was well liked as a teacher. Her pupils were sorry when school closed.

Miss Pechin closed a seven months' term of school the 16th. She returned to her home in Gales Creek. Miss Pechin has purchased a piano in Forest Grove, and will take music, both vocal and instrumental.

### BUXTON

Mr. Carper is moving to Portland.

J. H. Fisher took a trip to Forest Grove Sunday.

Miss Nellye Brown is working for Mrs. E. Baker.

Miss Lota Laughlin spent Easter Sunday near Buxton.

A dance will be given at Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz's Saturday, May 2.

Miss Christina Elling of Portland, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Tolke.

Miss Nellye O'Donald who has been in Portland returned to her home above Buxton last week.

Miss Nina Casper who is going to school in Portland, spent Sunday at her home near Buxton.

Frank Bellingier who has been in New York, returned to the Donald mill two or three weeks ago.

Robert Bullock and son and Mrs. S. H. Bullock took a trip to Hillsboro Monday, returning the day following.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warren who have been visiting the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. Casper, returned to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper and son Oren, took a trip to Portland last week to meet their son whom they had not seen for some time.

### GALES CREEK

Mrs. Carpenter has been very sick for some time.

Miss Ethel Pierce of Forest Grove, spent Sunday on Gales Creek.

Miss Madge Chapman of Gales Creek is visiting in Portland this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hines of Forest Grove, spent Sunday on Gales Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Adkins of Gales Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Parkins of David's Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Killin of Banks have been visiting with their daughter Mrs. Elmer Lyda of Gales Creek.

A good many of our Gales Creek people went to Hillsboro Sunday to see an imaginary horse race.

Mr. Doms who has been visiting at Hammond, Wash., returned to his home on Gales Creek Monday.

Our new deputy sheriff Mr. Quick of Hillsboro, ran against a stump up here last week. He don't want any sewing machines on Gales Creek especially when he has to look down a Colts' revolver. Deputy Sheriff Kane and two others came up after the man

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that wields the revolver Monday and took him to Hillsboro. Now is your chance Mr. Quick to get the sewing machine.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith of Gales Creek were called to Hillsboro Sunday to see their daughter Mrs. Thomas Varley, who is very sick.

### GALES.

George Beal is very busy tending his hops.

Bailey Lewis plowed John Beal's garden last week.

J. G. Boos and Earl Tupper were Dilley visitors Sunday.

W. W. Lewis has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. Anderson of Portland, was a visitor of Geo. W. Beal Sunday.

Ward Tolson of Gaston, took dinner with Earl Tupper one day last week.

Andrew Boos has his newly grubbed land plowed and is ready for the disk.

Miss Edith Wese of Scoggins Valley visited Mrs. John Beal last Wednesday.

J. G. Boos has lately filled an order for stone for Mr. Byers of Forest Grove.

The hard rains last week drove a good many farmers home from their seeding.

Dexter Sain of Scoggins Valley, walked to Forest Grove last Thursday and surely got the benefit of the hard rain.

Miss Lottie Hammerman and Miss Bush of Dilley, visited with Claud Alembaugh and Miss Hazel Cummins last Sunday.

Mrs. Wes Patton of Cornelius accompanied by Miss Emma Martin of Scoggins Valley, called on Mrs. May Beal one day last week.

### GASTON

Mr. Butler has the finest garden in town.

Glenn Raymond of Portland, came out to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Carter.

Dr. Everest, who has been suffering with an attack of rheumatism, is improving slowly.

Mrs. H. W. Scott of the Grove, visited her daughter Mrs. Chas. Wescott one day last week.

The old pioneers are passing on to their long rest, two going in four days. Alvaris Matteson and Annette Carter.

Thos. Carmichael seems to have the right man in the right place. Mr. Fleming surely knows how to take care of dairy cows.

Those who went to the log rolling at McMinnville from the Gaston camp W. O. W. were, W. W. Lewis, Bailey Lewis, Geo. Beal, Fred Everest, Wade Everest, H. Kraemer, Ben Dennis and Frank Kerton.

Alvaris Matteson, who died at his home near Gaston, April 16, 1908, was born in New York May 19, 1825. He came to Oregon in 1854 coming across the plains with an immigrant train, enduring the hardships and trials common to those who crossed the plains many years ago. He was known as one of the greatest hunters of his day. Nothing suited him better than to relate to his friends the many stirring incidents of his life. He will long be remembered by the old timers as being one of the brave and noble men who withstood the perils of early days. He leaves to mourn his death four sons and two daughters, Rodol, Herbert, Ernest and Elba Matteson, Mrs. Florence Russell and Mrs. Eva Hamrick, all living near Gaston, besides several brothers and one sister, Mrs. Fidelia Tupper, who by her devotion and care of him in his last days much credit is due. The funeral services were held Easter Sunday, April 19. A large congregation gathered to pay their last respects to an old pioneer. He was buried beside his wife at the Hill cemetery.

### EAST GASTON.

W. K. Newell has had new posts set on his vineyard and has also wired a new yard.

One of Jennings' mules was taken sick and died the other day. Mr. Jennings has lost several horses and mules since he began hauling milk.

M. J. Crunican's brother and wife have been here on a visit remaining about a week. Mr. Crunican spent the summer here about six years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke and May went Saturday morning to visit relatives and friends near Forest Grove and Cornelius. Mr. Burke returned Sunday but Mrs. Burke and May will be absent until the last of the week.

Another surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Edwards Saturday evening, the occasion being their second wedding anniversary. Nearly thirty-five friends were present and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Cake, coffee, etc., were served at the proper time.

### DILLEY.

Carl Tupper was a Portland visitor the past week.

Miss Edith Roberts of Patton Valley, is visiting her uncle, Arthur Roberts of this place.

# Men's Boys' and Youths' Clothing

Are the absorbing topics of the hour these days, and we Take Pleasure in announcing that this year we are in a position to offer you

## Better Values Than Ever Before

We also call your attention to our immense stock of

## Dry Goods

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Ladies' Shirtwaists, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Groceries, etc., etc.

Our Shelves and Counters are loaded with good things for you.

Remember that YOU LOSE AND WE LOSE if you do not trade with us.

### OUR MOTTO IS:

"Satisfy Your Customers or Return Them Their Money."

## The Progressive Store

# HOFFMAN & ALLEN COMPANY

FOREST GROVE

OREGON

Mrs. C. W. Mowe left Saturday for Deep River, Wash., where she will be assistant cook for the Pacific Logging company.

J. W. Hughes received a fine Ludwig piano from San Francisco last week which he purchased through his brother George, who is in the employ of a piano house in that city.

The "Carnations," a base ball aggregation representing South Forest Grove, crossed bats with the Fern Hill nine on the Dilley ball grounds Sunday and when the game was over the score stood 8 to 20 in favor of the Fern Hillers. The batteries were as follows: Carnations, Long and Long; Fern Hill, Roberts and Kuhn. Umpire, C. Wilkes; time of game 1:30.

### Notice.

Sealed bids for the erection of a new school building at Dilley, Oregon will be received by the Board of Directors of School Dist. No. 10. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the clerk of said Dist. at Briggs Bros's store. Building must be completed by Sept. 1st, 1908. Bids will be opened May 30th. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The successful bidder will be required to give 50 per cent of his bid as bonds.

By Order of the Board,  
ABNER BRIGGS,  
43-15 Clerk.

THOSE WANTING—wagons, buggies or harness, can save a little money by calling on Wm T. Gray, Dilley, Ore. 43-19".

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

## DR. CHAS. HINES

Republican Candidate for

## Representative

A Taxpayer will work for the Best Interests of the Taxpayer.

## Liner Column

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

FOR SALE—1 1/4 acres just outside the city limits. Fair house, barn, chicken house, all kinds of fruit. A bargain; \$1200. T. H. Littlehales, National Bank Building. 39-tf

FOR SALE—Homer pigeons. 42-4" Mrs. M. J. Shaw.

FOR SALE—Two thoroughbred Duroc sows due to farrow soon. Also two well bred colts one year old. John Allen, on old Carey Porter place 38-tf.

FOR SALE—Full-blooded Jersey bull. Inquire of O. L. Doane, Forest Grove, R. F. D. No. 1. 41-tf.

FOR SALE—Good 2 year old bull, just south of Daniel Baker's between Cornelius and Forest Grove. G. B. Webb. 41-14"

ICE—Always on hand. Walter Roswurm. 41-tf.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow 3 years old, and calf. Inquire G. S. Allen, So 5th St., Forest Grove, Ore. Ind. phone 812. 42-tf

WINE FOR SALE—by the bottle, jug or barrel. For particulars call on or write to Grant Bailey, on the F. W. David place. 42-14

### Notice of Disolution.

To whom it may concern:— This is to certify that the partnership of V. S. Abraham and E. K. Abraham known as "Abraham Bros" is this day dissolved, and that the business will be conducted by V. S. Abraham, who will assume all debts and is entitled to collect all accounts due the said firm.

V. S. ABRAHAM,  
E. K. ABRAHAM.

—Dr. E. H. Brown, Physician and Surgeon. X-Ray and all electrical appliances in office. Calls answered night or day.

## FOREST GROVE

# Real Estate Co

K. N. Staehr

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## Some of this week's Bargains

1 acre of land just outside of city limits with new 8 room house. The land is all planted in fruit trees and bushes. If sold soon, this can be had for \$1600.

5 acres of land with good new house and barn, one mile from town for \$1650.

65 acres of land, all level on good county road, only 2 miles out, for \$60 per acre. Terms.

Seven-room house on large lot Good location. \$1400. Half cash.

A 50 acre farm 1 mile from Gales Creek. 20 acres bottom land all in crop, 4 acre orchard in fine shape, balance in timber. Running water on place. If sold soon this can be had for \$2400, \$1300 cash, balance on time to suit.

A beautiful 10 acre tract with good buildings and fine variety of fruit; close to town. For sale cheap.

House and 2 lots in town to trade for farm on milk route. Will pay difference.

6 room house for rent cheap. 2 beautiful located lots in South Park with large Oak trees Easy terms.

A well improved 280 acre farm 7 miles out for \$40 per acre. This is a snap.

Good new 7-room house with two lots on car line for only \$1000.

Here is a chance for you to get a farm with a little money. 60 acres of land, half of it cleared, 5 room house and barn, orchard. Good spring close to house. Only 1 1/2 mile from new R. R. line to Buxton. \$35 per acre. Only \$500 down, balance on 5 per cent.

80 acres, 2 1/2 miles from R. R. station; 20 acres cleared, 10 acres slashed, balance in good timber. Good house and barn and 300 bearing fruit trees on place. Owner has other business and must sell at once. Horses, cows, hogs, chickens and all farm implements goes with place. Price \$4000; half down.

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