CENTRAL OREGON NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

HAMPTON

HAMPTON, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Alma Kins and Miss Whittaker of Dry Lake were in Hampton on business on the 9th.

Mrs. Hurley Hogue, who has been confined to her bed for several weeks, is again able to be about.

T. C. Ewing of Rolyat made a business trip to Hampton on Saturday.

L. C. Peck and family moved into their new residence, directly opposite the store, on Saturday.

Isaac Zierolf and John Whittaker are spending the winter on the old home farms in the Willamette valley.

D. R. Dunn and son Tom made a business trip to Maury mountain recently.

Real winter weather has been the portion of this section for several weeks and on Sunday a good chinook came up, raising the hopes of the settlers that a thaw was at hand; but Monday morning the snowflakes were again falling thick and fast.

Mr. Bezona and daughter, Mrs. Lucy Hicks, who have homesteads in this neighborhood, arrived here Saturday and hope to get settled in the near future. Mrs. Hicks is a school teacher and musician of some reputation and we welcome them as a valuable addition to the community. She is accompanied by her small son Gerald.

W. T. Harrison and Burr Black left for Bend Saturday for loads of freight.

H. H. Hogue and wife moved into their new residence today. It is located on the Bend-Burns road, near the 60 milepost, and is among the larger houses of the valley.

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Cook from Rolyat were Hampton visitors on Friday.

Eggs have brought a good price all winter and at present bring 45c a dozen. Butter is still scarce in this section.

LAIDLAW

LAIDLAW, Jan. 21.—"Judge" Thorp and Jack Wimer have bought the Laidlaw ice plant and intend putting up ice to supply the market next summer.

Rev. A. O. Walker and Grover Gerking came in on Sunday's train from Portland, Mr. Walker being a delegate to the irrigation congress and Mr. Gerking having been to Portland on a pleasure trip.

Neil Ray is visiting in Portland for a fortnight.

Carl Marion has been hauling hay from their farm to town.

Charles Wiley and wife of Gist were in Laidlaw on business last week.

Mrs. Allie Baker returned from Portland Sunday for a short stay on business.

Byron Cady and Earl Updike returned from a hunting trip on the Metolius river last week, having killed a number of ducks.

Jack Wimer has moved his office building from the Becker lot to the back of his store.

Jerry Richardson has moved from here to his farm near Gist.

J. C. Thorp has been having repair work done on his residence, Geo. Bell being in charge.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Hunnell, who live near Laidlaw, a boy.

Mrs. Swalley and son have both been quite ill.

Fred Wilson and A. F. Ramsay came to town with a load of pork on Wednesday.

Miss Mollie Nichols has been on the sick list.

Ruby and Laura Marion have both been very ill.

The weather has been very cold here of late.

George Simmons, a former resident near Laidlaw, was married again in Idaho on December 30.

PLAINVIEW

PLAINVIEW, Jan. 20.—Mrs. John McKinney of Sisters spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Pulliam.

Will Leverenz received the sad news Wednesday that his father in Texas was dead. The deceased was also the father of Alex Leverenz and Mrs. Mandy Schumacher of this community.

Miss Mildred Sess returned to Bend Monday.

George Girtson and wife and Ralph Lanbeck were in Sisters Friday.

A very good time was had at the literary society meeting Friday night. A program was given, after which there was an oyster supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Leverenz were dinner guests of John Strahm and family Sunday.

Ed Strahm and sister were visiting in Sisters the first of the week.

CLOVERDALE

CLOVERDALE, Jan. 20.—Miss Mary Fryrear entertained at an informal affair Friday evening. The girls' shadows were thrown upon a screen and the boys guessed the name of the person whose shadow was shown, as a novel way of choosing partners for supper.

Those who went to Redmond to attend the poultry show Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. Templeton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kruchek and Mr. and Mrs. Grube and Mr. and Mrs. Hodson.

Election has been called for next Saturday to decide on removing or building a new school house on Cloverdale Corners.

Mr. Cyrus and Ed Troyer have been hauling logs for wood lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Grube called at the Burnside home Sunday evening.

Several people attended the lecture on farmers unions at Sisters on Tuesday.

TUMALO

TUMALO, Jan. 17.—We are having some winter out in these parts.

Mrs. Allie Baker is visiting her parents here. She has recently returned from Albany where she went to place her daughter, Miss Melba, in school.

Charles L. Wimer went to Hood River on business Wednesday.

George Gertson was doing business at this place Monday.

Millard Triplett was out from Bend Tuesday. He will soon commence work improving the place he purchased of G. W. Wimer & Sons.

G. W. Horner will build on the land he bought from John Wimer at this place.

TUMALO, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Millard Triplett, formerly of Bend, is the new postmistress at Tumalo, and all welcome her to this community.

Hubert Scoggin and Phil Smith recently returned from Black Butte ranch and the Metolius country with cattle which strayed away during the summer months. Ellis Edgington of Sisters, formerly of Tumalo, also recovered some of his strays.

The people of the west side are much elated and enthused with the future prospects, since the report has come that it is practically certain the state will do something toward financing the old Columbia Southern irrigation project.

There is some prospect of the Farmers National Telephone Co. extending its line into the Sisters vicinity.

Ed Mills has been spending a few days with Ellis Edgington the past week.

Myrtle Scoggin was a caller at the Richard home Jan. 15.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Leverenz spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. Gillett. Music and singing were the main features of the entertainment.

These snowy days seem to be a jollification time for the rabbits, as they come from the east, west, north and south in plentiful numbers and enjoy great feasts around the hay stacks.

An additional five inches of snow fell here last Thursday.

FREMONT

FREMONT, Jan. 19.—Fremont is having quite a snow storm. In some places the snow is as high as the fences, and it is still snowing.

Claude Stewart and family left for California last week.

J. B. Fox and wife and Mrs. E. F. Pearce and son Lee attended the second rabbit drive at Fort Rock last Wednesday. The number of rabbits killed was about 400.

Mr. Stingley went to La Pine last week, returning Friday night. He said he had a very rough trip.

Mrs. J. S. Pollock of Kansas, the daughter of Mr. Olmstead, has returned to Fremont to live on her homestead.

The McCoy brothers went to Bend last Thursday for a few days.

AMONG THE SETTLERS NORTHEAST OF TOWN

BEND, R. F. D., Jan. 21.—R. M. Elder and C. E. Smith attended the meeting of the directors of the Water Users Association in Bend Friday evening.

Mr. Ralph went to Redmond today to look at some cattle.

Mrs. C. E. Smith is taking treatmen from Dr. Ketchum this week.

William Hodges entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cole E. Smith Sunday.

Died, Monday at 8:30 a. m., the infant son of Mrs. Linnie Edwards.

The Ladies' Juniper Club met last week with Mrs. O. C. Cardwell The next meeting will be on January 30 at the home of Mrs. R. M. Elder.

FORT ROCK

FORT ROCK, Jan. 20.—Mrs. L. B. Drake, who has been visiting with friends and relatives in Illinois and Kansas for the past four months, arrived home last week.

A. H. Carnes had the misfortune to lose a valuable horse the first of the week.

Mrs. M. M. Wilson came in from Portland the first of the week.

The worst storm of the season visited this section of the country the past week. While the mercury has not been low, there has been lots of snow, about 12 inches on the level.

Mrs. Roy Foltz, who spent the winter at Violeta, Kan., visiting her parents, arrived home Saturday.

Mrs. H. F. Swingle has been on the sick list the past week.

Hr. and Mrs. Lawrence Frizzell of Warm Spring flat were Fort Rock visitors Sunday.

Stage Driver Nelson battled with snow drifts from La Pine to Fort Rock Saturday and Sunday, leaving La Pine at 1 p. m., arriving at the Summit station eleven hours later and reaching Fort Rock at 10 a. m. Sunday, making 21 hours going the 35 miles.

POWELL BUTTE

POWELL BUTTE, Jan. 20.—Some of the ranchers are now hauling and storing their potatoes in the large warehouse built at Redmond for that purpose. They will be kept there until there is a market for them outside.

Eighth grade examinations conducted at Butte Valley school last Thursday and Friday were taken by Miss Hattie Frost, the only eighth grade pupil this year. Joy Morrill and Edward Frost took the final examination in hygiene.

The pupils who took the eighth grade examination in the Shepherd school were Pauline Truesdale and Dewey Johnson.

Word has been received here that Pearl Fulkerson, who very recently sold out here, has gone down into Curry county to look over the country with a view to investing in land.

CRESCENT

CRESCENT, Jan. 17.—Frank Hammer and wife came in from their ranch this week.

Tom McCord is in from his camp in the mountains. He reports snow seven feet deep.

Mr. Peterson of the La Pine Mercantile Co. was in Crescent on business this week.

J. L. Ringo has installed a telephone in his house and now has communication with Bend.

George Gottlieb came in from Cellers Marsh for a few days.

Word has been received from the Tyler family at Culver that Mrs. Elmer Tyler and her small son John are ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Hans Zimmerman, a trapper from Crescent Lake, is in town for a few days.

Alfred A. Aya and Fred Lafollette of La Pine were passengers on Friday's stage, which was delayed several hours owing to the recent heavy snowfall. Fred Errington, the stage driver, was obliged to change horses at the Masten mill as his own team was completely exhausted. The drifts in places came to the breeching on the horses.

HIGHWAY OF THE FUTURE.

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All road builders are now engaged in trying to devise a road which will stand motor traffic. Many new methods have been tried with varying degrees of success, but none of them seems to be perfectly satisfactory.

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It would seem that the most promising kind of road for heavy automobile traffic is what is called durax in England. It is a pavement of three inch irregular cubes of hard stone laid in small segments of circles.

These stones can be cut by machinery and are comparatively inexpensive. They are laid without grout, but there seems to be no reason for its omission except the cost. Great quantities of this kind of pavement have been laid in Germany.

RECORD OF TRANSFERS

Deeds and Other Instruments Filed With County Clerk at Prineville.

The Bend Co. to John Theis, Sr., lt 3, blk 17, Park Add., Bend.

Bend Park Co. to Mrs. Linda Wieseman, lt 1, blk 114, 1st add. Bend Park.

The Bend Co. to Eva L. Slack, lt 3, blk 31, Center add., Bend.

La Pine Townsite Co. to Frederick J. Brown, lt 2, blk 34, La Pine.

C. M. O'Neil to Mary E. Knotts, lts 9 and 1, blk 14, Deschutes add., Bend.

Northwest Townsite Co. to James E. Woodmansee, lt 4, blk 32, Northwest Townsite's 2d add to Bend.

Columbia Southern Irrigation Co. to Jesse C. George, w½sw¼, sec. 16-16-12.

La Pine Townsite Co. to M. Chris Larsen, lts 5, 6, 7, blk 28, La Pine.

H. D. True to L. W. Martin, ne¼, sec. 36-22-18.

Fred H. Sherwood to city of Bend, right of way across sw¼ne¼, sec. 28-17-12. $25. (For sewer).

S. C. Caldwell to L. C. Whitted, ne¼se¼, e½nw¼, sw¼nw¼, sec. 29-17-12. $2500.

Bend Park Co. to C. A. Stoddard, lts 2 and 3, blk 102, 1st add, Bend Park. $300.

Bend Park Co. to Mrs. Katherine Kuch, lt 1, blk 102, 1st add Bend Park. $160.

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