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Notary Public  
Cloverdale, Ore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mallory have moved into quarters in the Kraner block.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rock and sons, of Oretown, were in Cloverdale Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burke, of Tillamook, are Cloverdale visitors this week.

Mrs. L. M. Dennis returned Wednesday evening from a short visit in Tillamook.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Messner and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meitzke were Sunday guests at the Albert Darby home in Tillamook.

See us for your Christmas candies. Christmas mixed, Chocolates, Burnt peanut, 20c per pound; 5 pounds, 90c. Cloverdale Mercantile Co.

Frank Wilehart, of the Nestucca bay country, was in Cloverdale Monday evening, on his way home from a trip to Portland and Oregon City.

See the wireless message sent to the Cloverdale Mercantile Co., by Santa Claus on editorial page. It means a present for every boy and girl in the Nestucca Valley.

The Parent-Teachers association held a splendid meeting last Thursday evening. The date of the meetings have been changed from the first to the second Thursday of each month.

A deal was closed yesterday through the Taylor Real Estate Agency for the Cloverdale Hotel. Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Antrim, of Amity, are the purchasers and they are expected here shortly.

Mrs. Hannah, of Newberg, delivered a patriotic lecture tinged with temperance, at the Presbyterian church last Sunday evening. Those who were fortunate to hear her express themselves as having heard one of the most inspiring patriotic lectures they ever listened to.

Lionel Pike, well known here, a brother of Mrs. Archie Gist, was married at Salem on the 29th of last month to Miss Stella Keast of the above place. Mr. and Mrs. Pike arrived in Cloverdale the latter part of last week and will make their home this winter with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gist.

Despite the fact that the mud is quite deep in the Grand Ronde district Roland McGinnis, Webb McGinnis and Oscar Carver left Tuesday morning in Roland's Saxon for the valley. Not having heard from them we believe they are either stuck in the mud or have safely reached their destination.

The latest in regard to the hospital is that the promoters have leased the R. D. Werschkul residence and that plans have been drawn to convert this building into the much talked of hospital. There seems to be a few that want to hold to the incorporation plan, while others favor contributing the cash and making a donation affair of it. The matter will be settled in a few days and active operations will soon begin.

Considerable excitement occurred here last Saturday after Mr. Ball, of Meda, had been relieved of an aching tooth. After the tooth had been extracted and Dr. Shearer was on his way to Tillamook the patient began bleeding profusely and in spite of all efforts nothing could be done to stop the hemorrhage. Grover Witt, with his Ford, hastened Mr. Ball to Tillamook where the doctor soon had the bleeding man out of danger.

It is with pride we speak of the beautiful holiday display windows of the merchants of Cloverdale. The Mercantile Co. have a representation of a fireplace that is pleasing to look at and a little further along the street is the attractive display of the V. F. Learned confectionery store. Still further along the street is the inspiring display of our druggist. He has the largest line of gift goods in Cloverdale and it would seem that anyone who could not be satisfied with the selections to be had here would be very hard to please.

Sad is the news that comes to us this week from Dallas. Jasper Dimick, a former rancher here, passed away Sunday from pneumonia and two days later his 16-year-old son, Clayton, followed him from the same trouble. It has not been over a month since Mr. and Mrs. Dimick lost their youngest child. Mrs. Dimick has been sick, but is reported to be improving. The sympathy of all go to the bereaved woman.

Dr. Turner, the well known eye-specialist, of Portland, will be in Cloverdale again Thursday, December 21st at the Cloverdale Hotel. Don't fail to consult him about your eyes and glasses. Headaches relieved, cross eyes straightened, satisfaction guaranteed. You could not make a more appropriate Christmas gift than to have your father, mother, sister, or brother's eyes examined by a specialist of experience and standing and if needed present them a pair of up-to-date glasses, which would be a durable and lasting gift, besides at the same time, preserve their eye sight which is the most precious sense they have. Dr. Turner makes no charge for consultation, and he most positively will not recommend glasses where they are not needed. You can order then and have them delivered at Christmas time if desired. Consult him. Don't forget the date.

**Has Located Here.**

Dr. B. F. Smith arrived in Cloverdale Thursday evening, having been invited to locate here through Mr. High informing the wholesale drug houses of Portland to send us a first-class physician. This authority was given Mr. High by the commercial club some time ago.

Dr. Smith is a graduate of Tulane University, Louisiana; practiced medicine in California, where he was district surgeon for the S. P. R. R., and at Clatskanie, from which place he moved Cloverdale.

Dr. Smith appears to us as a man who understands his profession well.

The following clipped from the Clatskanie Chief, the local paper of that place, will introduce him to the people of Cloverdale:

**"FAREWELL RECEPTION"**

A farewell reception was tendered Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith on Tuesday evening at the Methodist church.

The local lodges of Oddfellows, Rebekahs and Eagles joined with the members and friends of the church in this expression of the appreciation of the pleasure had in the acquaintance and friendship of the doctor and his wife, and of regret in their departure, also in good wishes for the future in the new field to which they were going.

A delightful social hour was followed by a short program. Miss Agnes Tichenor favored the company with two songs; Geo. B. Conyers, Miss Bertha Lewison, Dr. J. L. Wooden spoke in behalf of the lodges; Mrs. G. A. Kely in behalf of the M. E. Ladies Aid and Rev. S. Darlow Johnson in behalf of the church.

Rev. H. F. Gelvin paid a tribute to the genial doctor's interest in athletics.

Dr. Smith responded to these brief addresses in his usual modest manner.

Dr. Smith can be reached by phoning the drug store

**A Woman's Honor.**

A four-act drama will be given at the the Cloverdale Hall, Thursday evening, December 21, accompanied by the Cloverdale orchestra.

Following is the cast of characters:  
Gen. Mark Lister..... Harry Thomas  
Olive Glen..... Carrie Stevens  
Sally Glen..... Helen Beals  
Gregory Grimes) In love with  
Sally) ..... Ben Joy  
Pedro Mendez..... Dick Ward  
Mrs. Mendez..... Mrs. Thomas  
Robert Glen (Olive's father)  
..... Mr. McCabe  
Dr. Gilbert Hall (In love with  
Olive)..... Forest Gist  
Ebenezer (Negro comedy)..... Vic Learned  
A small admission of 15 cents will be

# Christmas Shopping

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We have a beautiful line of Gift Goods and every day nice things are going out or being laid aside for those that came in and saw Just the Gift they wanted.

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**A Beautiful Calendar for Every Lady Coming into our Store. Ask for one.**

**WM. A. HIGH,**  
Druggist and Stationer

Cloverdale, Oregon

charged adults to cover the expense of enlarging the stage. This play, given Thursday instead of Friday evening, will take the place of the regular literary program.

The drama is filled to the brim with laughable and pleasing situations. You can't afford to miss it.

The curtain will rise promptly at 8:20 and the ushers will seat no one during acts.

**Pomona Grange.**

Tillamook County Pomona Grange met in Cloverdale yesterday and continued in session until 2 o'clock this morning. There were members present from every corner of the county.

Among the officers elected were W. Christensen, Master; Mrs. Dunstan, Overseer; R. Y. Blalock, Secretary; Geo. R. McKimens, Treasurer. The names of the balance of the officers we were unable to get.

The county budget was discussed and a resolution passed recommending the passage of the \$15,000 for the Little Nestucca road. They also recommended the cutting out of the budget the \$2000 for a county library. They went on record as not favoring paying \$500 for county veterinary and a motion to disperse with the county agriculturist was defeated by a small majority. They recommended that the budget contain \$4000 for the completion of the Sandlake road.

The program and entertainment were pleasing features of the session.

They adjourned to meet at Pleasant Valley the first Wednesday in March.

**Cloverdale High School Now Standard.**

The many friends of the Cloverdale High School will be pleased to know that the Cloverdale High School has been recognized as a standard high

school by the state department of education at Salem.

Our school, being standard, gives our graduates the same standing that they would have if they had graduated from any other standard high school of the state.

The high school, however, is in urgent need, as the small crowded rooms and insufficient space for storing the necessary apparatus will testify.

The teachers of the high school will be pleased to have every one interested in the high school to visit the school.

Come in and see what we are doing and what we need.

J. R. Bidgood, Principal.

**Elected Officers.**

Cloverdale Lodge No. 126, A. F. and A. M. elected officers last Thursday evening as follows:

E. K. Gilbert, W. M.; J. H. Holgate, S. W.; F. J. Aver, J. W.; E. G. Anderson, Sec.; J. L. Lawrence, Treas.; J. M. Baker, S. D.; S. C. Wood, J. D.; R. D. Werschkul, Tyler; G. W. Wallace, S. W.; C. F. Murphy, J. W.

The installation will occur Thursday evening, December 21.

**"Drop In and Look Around."**

Your Christmas shopping will not be complete unless you see the magnificent line of gift goods on display in Lamar's Variety Store, Tillamook. In this store you will be able to find gifts for every member of the family at a price within the reach of every pocketbook. Toys for the children and fancy articles of every description for the girls. Plenty of useful gifts for the father, also the mother. You are specially invited to visit this store and see the elegant display of Holiday Gift Goods. Anyhow, "Come in and Look Around."

Lamar's Variety Store, Tillamook.



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