

## SANTIAM FARM NEWS

Jan. 23

Steve Phillippi, of Providence, came down one day last week for an old-fashioned chat with the old man, to console him and tide him over his spell of blues from being confined in the house the past month, which visit was highly appreciated.

We called a telephone meeting last Saturday night for the purpose of electing a new set of officers, there was a small attendance, so few taking any interest. One delegate will investigate matters and call another meeting, so we can make arrangements to put our line in first class shape, as it has been bum for the past year.

David Horsburgh is laid up with a fearful cold, also an attack of pleurisy, not being able to be out.

Geo. Griffin was laid out two days from using stump powder, and is still quite damaged.

Uncle Tom Smail was on the sick list, not being able to come to our telephone meeting.

The old man and good wife ventured out to Scio Friday as it was a nice warm day, and took dinner at the free bummer's hotel, and the lady of the inn treated us royally, which was highly appreciated.

Mrs. Rebecca Morris is billed to call in at the Santiam hospital for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. S. W. Gaines, as she is getting short of grub.

Mrs. Ina Stoddard, of Larwood, called in Sunday for a short visit with her uncle, S. W. Gaines, as she learned he was on the down grade and could not reach the brake.

Mr. Shieman and wife, of Kingston, called in at the farm for a short visit, and to get better acquainted with the lady's grandfather, S. W. Gaines, as this was the second time they had ever met, although they only live a few miles apart. Mrs. Shieman is a daughter of Theodore Gaines, who returned home with them.

We had Sunday school and church services at our school house by Rev. Leslie, of Crabtree, with a full house. Will have preaching service next Sunday, and all are invited.

We have a rushing president on our phone line, No. 18, as Ed Kalina was elected, and he and the clerk, Geo. Griffin, met Monday night at Ed's home and drafted by-laws so as to make a go and have better service.

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## SHELBURN NEWS

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Mrs. Archie Bates and children of North Santiam came over to visit her mother, Mrs. J. L. Oglebee Monday returning home Thursday.

The friends of little Mary Gibbons are happy to know that she is recovering from her operation so nicely.

Mrs. Martha Hobbs, mother of C. D. Lefe and Donna Osborne passed away at C. D. Osborne's home late Thursday evening. She had been in a critical condition for several weeks. She was laid to rest in the Miller cemetery Saturday afternoon, a Baptist minister from Lebanon conducted the services.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Powell and daughter, Beryl Maxine and Walter Rice were Sunday visitors at the John Merritt home.

Mrs. Carrie Gooch returned from Salem Saturday where she had been doctoring with an ear specialist.

H. O. Shilling was visiting his brother-in-law Jim Hayes and family in Silverton last Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Bilyeu and Miss Ella Jiroch were shopping in Albany Wednesday.

## Larwood Items

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Mrs. Grace Vaukman and Mrs. Willie Costello called on Mrs. Wm. Smith last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Elliott, of Portland, took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schmitt on last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith were callers at the home of Jess Chastine on last Sunday evening.

S. P. Stringer has infected his ranch with goats. The goat industry is a fine business, but beware lest the flock make a goat out of the man.

We are very well pleased to be informed that Wm. Gilkey has been appointed as our road supervisor for the ensuing year.

We are anxious to know what has become of the timber cruisers and civil engineers of the Ballin Lbr. Co. as we have not heard of them for some time. We thought that they would have been constructing their logging road before now.

The last high waters took out a part of the Larwood dam.

Walter Woods and family, of Lebanon, were visiting at the home of Wm. Smith on last Sunday.

S. P. Stringer and wife and Con Westinhouse and family visited at the home of George Westinhouse on last Sunday.

Wm. Larwood butchered several hogs last week.

Geo. Tiegen is making improvements on his ranch since his return from San Francisco.

Con Westinhouse is busy these days plowing. Con seems to be quite an industrious chap.

## High School Notes

A Parent-Teacher's meeting was held Thursday evening. Refreshments which consisted of cake and punch were sold by the basketball girls. This cake was given to the team by Mrs. Thomas.

There will be a basketball game here Jan. 31. Scio boys vs. the mute boys of Salem. This game was advertised before but the mute boys failed to come because of the flood, and the game was postponed.

The H. S. students are very sorry to know that Ernest Tucek is so ill.

The girl's basketball team played the Lyons girls team Friday evening. The Scio girls won by a score of 6 to 4. The game was very slow as the ball was continually out of bounds.

Crabtree sent us a very cordial invitation to attend the basketball game there between Mill City and Crabtree on Friday evening but only a few could attend because of our games on that date.

The first semester exams will be given next week.

It has been reported about town that the boys were not in condition to play the night they lost to Gates. The boys report they did not break training rules that night. Ask Mr. Tobie if you doubt them.

The first defeat which any team has really earned against the boy's team was inflicted upon them when they went to Corvallis last Friday afternoon. The Scio team took the lead at the start because of the excellent team work which the Corvallis boys used. The Scio team did not stay ahead long. This would have been a very fast game had it not been for the college player who should be played just as rough as a college game. Consequently only a few fouls were called on each team. The final score was 26 to 14 in favor of the Corvallis team.

You have got to make the best of things to get them.

## GILKEY STATION

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Ralph and Helen Godwin have returned from Eddyville, where they went to visit their sister, Mrs. John Attridge. During high water a tunnel caved in making it impossible for them to come home for some time.

Mrs. Walter Morris entertained last Thursday evening with a surprise party in honor of her daughter Lona's fourteenth birthday. A jolly time was had at games, taffy pulling, etc. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gilkey drove to Stayton Sunday afternoon to visit at the Mrs. Sylvia Titus home. They met Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Montgomery, of Horse Heaven, Wash., who formerly lived here and are visiting their mother.

E. F. Gilkey visited home folks here Monday. He came out to bid them farewell as he is soon to leave for Aberdeen, Wash. The many friends here wish him Godspeed.

Farmers Union met Saturday evening. Officers for the ensuing year were elected. For president, S. B. Holt; vice president, James Johnston; secretary, Mrs. John Shepherd.

Mrs. Joe Quinn, of Stayton, was a recent visitor at the J. G. Holt home.

Mrs. Minnie Smith, of Albany, is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Mespelt.

A number from here took in the dairy meeting in Albany last week.

S. B. Holt and wife visited at the M. S. Allen home in Jefferson Sunday.

The women's club had a delightful session Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. P. Crenshaw. A shower was given the hostess. The president, Mrs. S. B. Holt, presented the gift in a few well chosen words. Mrs. Edna Gilkey read, "Little Homes," by Charles Alexander, the Albany writer. Mrs. C. E. Gibson, of Salem, Mrs. Ella St. George, of Spokane, and Mrs. Erwin, of Albany, were visitors. Mrs. Ed Smith also attended from Albany. The hostess served delicious grape juice and cakes to nineteen. Although Mrs. John Reiley, of Crabtree, is not a member, she sent an invitation for the club to meet with her next time, which will be Feb. 1. The invitation was accepted.

## JORDAN ITEMS

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Ed Jungwirth returned from Newberg Friday.

Miss Veronia Hilgar, who has been working in Portland the past year, is spending a vacation with the home folks.

Mrs. K. M. Chronic accompanied Gail Phillips to Scio Wednesday to get some dental work done.

Mrs. Rosa (Schnider) McCray, who has been here attending her father's funeral, started for her home in Colorado the last of the week.

Nick Enders went to Gooch Thursday to help the Jungwirth boys load some lumber out.

Mrs. T. L. Phillips and M. Fink called on Mrs. J. H. Wortman Friday.

Mr. Joseph Fink is not well at present on account of the injured limb of long standing.

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Ernie Tucek, who has been quite sick for some time, is reported as improving. A brother from the east has arrived, and he and his parents are quite consoled.

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