

DOINGS IN THE CLACKAMAS COUNTY TOWNS

BORING

BORING, Ore., January 11.—Claude Cross has closed out his restaurant and confectionery, and expects to engage in the raising of ginseng. He has quite a patch which is now maturing and requires much of his time. Mr. Cross is quite enthusiastic on the subject and predicts a great future for the ginseng roots.

Mrs. E. L. Thompson was in Portland from Tuesday until Friday visiting friends.

Miss Pearl Lunday has returned to school at Salem, also her friend Miss Cleo Vinyard who was a house guest at the Lunday home during the holidays.

The Woman's Social club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Kl Stone on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Rehberg left Thursday morning for Eugene on business to be gone indefinitely.

Louie Maulding has returned from

Sheridan, Oregon, where he spent the holidays with his aunt, Mrs. L. S. Dinsmore.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Palmer, of Portland were in Boring last Wednesday inspecting the work being done on their residence here. They expect to make Boring their home after the first of February.

Boring has a new grocery store owned by the Herz Brothers which is very neat and up to date.

Carl Gregson, of Kenniwick, Washington, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Gregson.

A. D. Wills, of Portland, was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Shultz last Monday.

Henry Beck and family have moved from the farm to their residence in Boring.

NOTICE

Boring, Ore., Jan. 12, 1915.

Having sold my restaurant and confectionery, the public is hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any bills or accounts in connection therewith after this date.

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once.

Thanking the public for former patronage I remain, Sincerely,
C. F. CROSS.

SANDY

SANDY, Jan. 12.—The Sandy grange held its regular monthly meeting Saturday with a hundred in attendance. During the morning hours twelve new members were initiated in the third and fourth degrees. Installation of officers filled the afternoon hours, both sessions were solemn and impressive and proved highly interesting to old and new members as well as visitors.

Frank McGugin, who has been ill for some time, is recovering rapidly which will prove joyful news indeed to his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bell are now comfortably settled in their new home on Main street.

C. D. Purcell was attending to business in Oregon City and Portland early this week.

Miss Effie Keusse, a niece of Mrs. Purcell, who assisted in the P. O. during December, departed for her home in Portland. Her place is now being filled by Miss Hazel Mills.

The Sandy band will give a concert and dance at Gresham January 15. A good many Sandites will accompany the boys to Gresham.

Mrs. C. D. Purcell entertained the members of the Women's club at the last meeting. The attendance was large, notwithstanding the inclement weather. Roll call was answered with quotations by great American authors who lived during the Revolutionary period. This was followed by papers and discussions regarding the growth of our country, great inventions, great authors, patriotic songs, literature and art from 1800 to 1850. As most of the members came prepared to discuss this period of American history, the afternoon was both profitable and highly interesting to all. A pleasing feature of the afternoon was the singing of Miss Mary Yunkers, who sang a group of songs by American composers in a delightful manner. Miss Yunkers has a promising soprano voice which she handles with ease and great flexibility for one so young. Mesdames R. E. Esson and C. D. Purcell played a piano duet which was composed in the middle part of the 18th century. The next meeting will take place January 20, when Mrs. Bonnet will be the hostess.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM MULTNOMAH CO. TOWNS

CORBETT

Several of the young people of this vicinity enjoyed a social dance at Chanticleer Inn Saturday evening.

Miss Helen Coulter spent the weekend in Portland.

Oscar Deverell's bungalow, which is under course of construction, is nearly enclosed.

Mrs. Clara Smith was in the city Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. S. Knighton, of Springdale, visited Mrs. M. E. Reed Saturday.

J. Howse, of Portland, spent Sunday here greeting old friends.

Fred C. Reed was in Troutdale between trains Sunday evening.

Sig. Knighton has traded his farm in the vicinity of Springdale for property in Rose City Park.

Crown Point, one of the most beautiful scenic spots along the Columbia Highway, has been deeded to the city of Portland for park purposes. This point is located on Thor's Heights just east of Chanticleer Inn. From the top of the point when the air is clear, can be had one of the best views of the gorge from any place along the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Emily visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith at Washougal Sunday.

The January meeting of Columbia grange was the most interesting and instructive meeting which has been held at the hall for some time. State Deputy Dickenson and wife, of Osvego, were in attendance and installed the officers and instructed the members in the regular work. Mrs. Dickenson assisted the lecturer to make up the program for the February meeting and each member should be present as there is a surprise awaiting at the February meeting.

PLEASANT HOME

Messrs. Frank and Thomas Hale spent the week-end in Portland visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Henry McGinnis spent Wednesday with Mrs. R. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bartsch and son Harold spent Sunday with Mrs. Bartsch's father Mr. Stone of Boring.

Mrs. John Bramhall has been quite sick but is improving.

Those who visited Portland this week were, Mrs. C. H. Sloop, Miss Bessie Hale, Mrs. August Bartsch, C. H. Sloop, H. McGinnis and Grant Sloop.

C. H. Sloop visited with his father in Montavilla Friday.

Mrs. M. L. Dolan, who has been sick, is improving.

D. J. Sloop, of Astoria, visited his daughter Miss Electa, who is staying with her uncle Grant Sloop. While here he presented Miss Electa with a fine gold watch for her birthday. He made a very short visit and then returned home.

POWELL VALLEY

Paul Palmblad, returned to Portland on Sunday to his work with the Dornbecker Furniture factory, after a two weeks' vacation spent with the home folks.

The young people of Powell Valley gave a surprise party last Saturday night on Miss Ellen Unis in honor of her birthday. A pleasant evening was spent.

John Palmblad has been confined to the house for a few days with sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Magnuson are on the sick list. They are quite old and have the sympathy of their many neighbors and friends.

Mrs. John Palmblad and son Oliver were Gresham visitors on Monday.

Notice

Gresham Shoe Shop has moved from the old location to John Metzger's building beside the Tallor Shop.
CARL DAHL, Prop.

TROUTDALE

The Ladies' Aid society will give a tea Wednesday, January 13, at the home of Mrs. C. I. Raker. All are cordially invited to attend. Members of the two Aid societies of Fairview will be cordially welcomed.

At a meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association at the school on Friday, a program was furnished mostly by boys and was splendid indeed. A goodly lunch was served and appreciated by all.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Berry are visiting with their sister Mrs. G. P. Lumsden.

Guests at the C. I. Thomas home last week were George and Clifford Thomas of Hood River, Miss Mildred Cooper from The Dalles and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper of Pendleton.

The whist club of Troutdale was entertained by Mrs. Jennings last Thursday evening. The next one will be held at Mrs. Bert Edmundson's, January 21.

The Troutdale society club of last year, gave a whist party Saturday,

MELROSE

Roy Buxton, of Troutdale, is visiting his mother Mrs. Nina Buxton.

Miss Ethel Wood has left our community to work near Gresham.

There will be a neighborhood social in the Cedar schoolhouse Saturday, January 16 at 8 p. m. A short program and singing by the young people will be a feature of the evening, also the light refreshments and social time following. As there will be no charges the ladies who are interested are requested to bring cakes. Everybody is welcome. Come help have a good time.

The new bridge the county is building near Mrs. Grace Fritz' home will be open to travel the first of the week.

The Embroidery club met last Thursday with Mrs. Henry Fritz. In spite of the bad weather there were eight ladies who braved the rain to enjoy the pleasant time which their hostess had prepared for them.

Captain and Mrs. Branson have gone to their work at Sandy.

Russell Gentry, who has been sick is now on the road to recovery.

There will be a class especially for young people at the M. E. Sunday school and the superintendent and teachers extend a cordial invitation for all to come and join.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stafford expect to move into their new home the first of the week.

There have been a good many suffering from colds and similar ailments during the past week but most all are reported better now.

The young people are requested to come to the home of Mrs. I. T. Wood Thursday evening, January 14 at 7 p. m. to practice singing for the social.

ORIENT

Oregon City Baraca club team was victorious over the local five, in a very fast game of basket ball upon the Orient floor Saturday evening by a score of 37 to 17.

The Orient boys were out-classed in weight and basket shooting as the visitors averaged 165 pounds while the locals 140 pounds. The home boys were also unfortunate in losing Bramhall, their center, after the first few minutes of play. He received a blow upon the knee which caused him to become very sick and leave the game.

At the close of the first half the score stood 15 to 12 in favor of the visitors who placed a new man on the floor and raised the score through his superior basket work.

The referee probably officiated one of the fairest games ever witnessed on the local floor.

Stone starred for the home team, scoring 10 points.

Greene, Miller and Hankins did the largest score getting for the visitors, Greene scoring 8 points, Miller 10 and Hankins 8.

The Baraca club consists of players from the Oregon City high school except one, he being a star ex-player, so it can be seen that the visiting team was far from being in the minor class. The visitors conducted themselves as true sportsmen and received the approbation of all who attended the game.

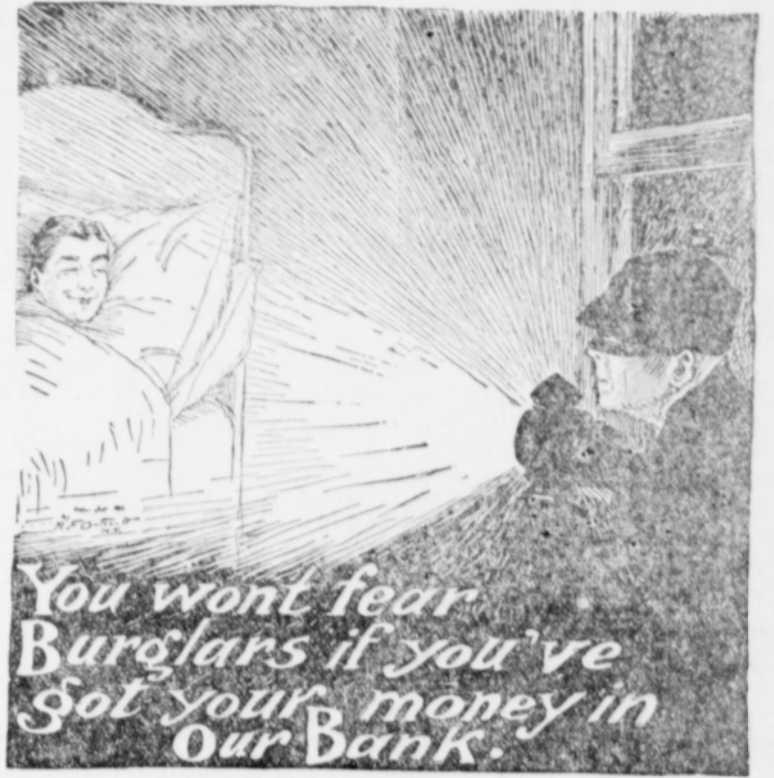
The Orient boys wish to thank the people for their loyal support and aim to give them their very best at all times.

COTTRELL

Mrs. Fred Wagner will give a tea for the benefit of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society Thursday afternoon, January 21.

Hood & Hutchins are having their store repapered and painted.

Rev. Mr. Gray, of Portland, will preach at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, January 17.



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Whenever Eric W. Allen, head of the department of journalism at the University of Oregon, speaks in a town, he urges the citizens to get behind their home paper in both a business and a news way on the ground that the newspaper can be made a wonderful agency for building up a community. By a "successful community," Mr. Allen means not merely the community whose business men are prospering, and whose laborers are all at work, but the community that is a real social and intellectual center. He looks to the home paper as the most powerful means within reach of bringing about this kind of "success."

"If you can once get all your people into the way of voluntarily pouring these interesting scraps of news into the weekly paper, you will add immensely to the general friendliness of the community," says Mr. Allen. "You will be helping to make your town the kind of place where people want to stay and to which former residents will want to come back."

"So try to get ideas into the paper. Write a little for it once in a while. Don't let the editor do all the thinking for the town. If you publish ideas, you start others to thinking, and you raise by just so

much the general level of intelligence.

"Encourage the home paper to be a business, social and intellectual center of the community. It will richly repay."

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List of Letters.
Remaining letters uncalled for in the Gresham postoffice for week ending January 10, 1915.

Letters—Norval Emmon, Mrs. Amelia W. Olson, Mrs. Rae West, Miss Adeline Gasser.

Cards—Peter Rhoads.
These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on January 24th, 1915, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "advertised," giving date of list.
I. McCOLL, P. M.

Biliousness and Constipation Cured
If you are ever troubled with biliousness or constipation you will be interested in the statement of R. F. Erwin, Peru, Ind. "A year ago last winter I had an attack of indigestion followed by biliousness and constipation. Seeing Chamberlain's Tablets so highly recommended, I bought a bottle of them and they helped me right away." For sale by all Dealers.

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