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State Historical Society

### Cornland and Athol Gatherings

First of all, we want to wish every one of the readers of this paper a "Mery Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year."

Miss Willa Floyd, of near Metz, is the guest of Sylvia Vaughn this week.

There will be an entertainment and Christmas tree at Cornland schoolhouse the 24th. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

C. I. Burk threshed for M. S. Simpson first of the week.

Misses Ethel Boyer and Juanita Rankin wer Butler visitors, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Connors, of near Pleasant Gap, spent Sunday and Sunday night at the home of Jerry Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Critchfield, of the Tygard neighborhood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Everman last Thursday.

Mrs. Shay and Mrs Simpson visited the school one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Boyer visited friends at Virginia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Gibbs, of the Duvall Ranch gave a party Saturday night was attended by most all our young folks and they report a pleasant time.

Miss Flossa Medley, of Star, visited at her brother's, Mr. and Mrs. Ila Medley, from Thursday 'til Saturday.

Mr. Callahan and daughter Agnes, attended church at Rich Hill Sunday.

Mrs. G. S. Carnie was a business visitor to Kansas City one day last week.

Miss Retta Kelley and parents are entertaining Mrs. Geo. Albin, at their home for a few days. She lives in the west but is spending the winter with friends and relatives here.

Last Thursday while returning home from school Marshall Callahan had the misfortune to be shot in the right eye with a bow and arrow at the hands of another boy, Charley Simpson. The wound is a very serious one and will require very tender nursing. Dr. Foster was called and made daily trips untill Sunday. He rendered all the aid he could to save the eye as they thought the boy would never perhaps be able to see out of the eye. Mr. Callahan took the little fellow to Butler Monday to a specialist and he thought with proper care and treatment that he could restore its sight. Marshall is getting along as well as could be expected and we hope will have a speedy recovery.

We hope that no one will eat too much turkey Christmas.

### Virginia and Grand View Pick-Ups

Everybody in this community is getting ready for Christmas.

Ovid Barr spent last week with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phibbs, of Mulberry visited at Sam Roberts Wednesday.

Mrs. C. F. Lent spent Saturday with Mrs. Tom Dunlap of Nyhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Constable and family spent Monday at the home of T. S. Grimsley.

Carrie and Ralph Harper spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lent visited at Robt. Orear's Sunday.

Miss Winnie Wheeler visited with friends and relatives in Butler Thursday.

Ola Ayres spent Wednesday night last week with her teacher, Miss Luella Conrad.

Tom Grimsley and family visited at Sam Roberts' Sunday.

Geo. Butler and family spent Sunday at Charley Wisdom's.

Miss Iva Ayres spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Fred Roberts spent the latter part of the week with friends and relatives near Mulberry.

There was no school at Grandview Monday, the teacher being called home on account of the death of her grandmother.

Mr. Alfred Markley, of Humbolt, Kansas, visited Monday and Tuesday, with Sam Roberts and family.

[illegible] Grimsley spent Wednesday [illegible] of last week with Mayme Sacre.

SCHOOLMATES.

### ON THE WING.

Judge Hedger doctored a sick cow for Sis Browning Sunday.

Mrs. Grant Oldham, wife and children visited at the home of Ralph Hughes.

Mrs. N. M. Nestlerode and son and Mrs. Ledic Durst and son ate goose at Judge Hedger's last Sunday.

Miss Irene Puffer is visiting her graudfather, T. Balgum, and her aunts, Mrs. Alice Harper, Mrs. Eve Hedger, Mrs. Luke Ashbaugh from up north.

Mrs. Perry Fritts called on Mrs. Hedger Monday.

Mrs. Cyrus Nestlerode is on the sick list.

Douglass Browning and family visited Jule Heckadon Friday.

Ross Garren, wife and son visited with Fred McCall Sunday.

Irwin Engles came in from Fayette, Ill., on a short visit with relatives.

There will be a pie supper at Miami Center Dec. 18.

John Hedger lost a young horse Sunday morning.

Mrs. Denning was shopping in Amoret one day last week.

The debate for Friday night is, "Resolved, that a man would go farther for the love of woman than money."

Ed Wigger had a very sick horse Saturday and had the veterinary. It is some better at this writing.

There will be Xmas services at Virginia at the M. E. church Christmas Eve and Christmas night.

Ray McCann's little boy is about the same at this writing.

There will be a pie supper at the Lost Corner School House, Friday night, December 19th. The entertainment will be a play, "For Love or Money."

Grandma Minton is visiting her daughter in Butler this week.

Mrs. Jennie Darr is not quite so well at this writing.

The Epworth League topic for Dec. 21 is, "How can I Make a Glad Christmases for Those who Made Many Christmas Glad for Me." Miss Ida Englehart, Leader.

Dollie Oldham and children visited Mrs. Ada Oldham Tuesday.

Miss Olive Judy is preparing a program for Friday Dec. 19. All patrons of the school are invited.

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### Pleasant Valley Items.

Yes, Pleasant Valley is still on the map, but we have been keeping mum for you know the tax collector is abroad in the land and we thought he might overlook us, but alas, not so. Mr. F. Blankenbaker is a jolly good fellow, but that is one visit we do not look forward to with great rejoicing, especially we Riverside farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Eckles are rejoicing over the birth of a son and heir December 12, 1913.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wix and son Elmer of Lanark, Montana, visited his sister Mrs. D. G. Smith and family over Sunday. They are here for the winter after a seven years' abscence and are thoroughly enjoying their visit among their many friends and relatives.

Mr. N. M. Nestlerode of Route 5, was in our midst Thursday and Friday taking pictnres and delivering finished ones. The post card pictures of the Pleasant Valley scholars and their teacher were real good.

There will be an entertainment and Christmas tree on Monday night December 22nd at the Pleasant Valley school house.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Lyle and little granddaughter of Peru, called upon Pleasant Valley friends Thursday afternoon. They expect to stay among us until spring if Mr. Lyle's health permits. They have many good words for their adopted state of Colorado but we believe Bates county is "Home Sweet Home" to them still.

Mr. John Cameron is moving out from Butler to his country home recently purchased of Mr. Ed Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker hope to get settled in their new home before Christmas. They have a commodious cottage and no doubt are looking forward to spending their first holiday since their marriage under their own "vine and fig tree."

Ralph Snelgrove and Fred Harcourt have begun their Christmas shopping. They have each purchased a goose and Ralph carefully carries his to roost in a safe place each night for fear of those hungry wolves.

The wolf chase of Monday was a wild goose chase it seems. Remember the old adage, hunters, "If at first you don't succeed, try again." The wolves are getting quite numerous and bold.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bolin spent Saturday night and Sunday with W. H. Smith and family in Summit.

Mrs. Harry Latham and Mrs. Will McGuines called upon Ned Eckles and family Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Visa Gough is in Kansas City taking treatment of a specialist for throat trouble. Her relatives and friends surprised her with a birthday dinner just before her departure to the city and all hope to have her with them again for the holiday season, much improved in health.

Prentiss Bolin delivered hogs to the Butler market Monday. He reports the stock yards full of them.

Messrs. Homer Jenkins, Grover McCoy and Charley Walters were hauling shock fodder from the Bolin farm last week. Getting ready for winter which will surely come soon.

### Mt. Zion Gleamings.

Mr. Rhodes was a Butler visitor Wednesday of last week.

Mr. Sylvester's sale south of Worland was well attended last Wednesday.

Mr. Jessie Detty of Kansas City, and Miss Maud Bowers of Worland were married Tuesday December 8th.

Mr. Coyet Mullies and wife spent Wednesday night and Thursday with Mrs. Chas. Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Brayton were in Amoret shopping Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Myers were in Amoret Thursday.

Mr. Shirley Board called on Toney Dolbow Wednesday evening.

Mrs. W. S. Mullies called on Mrs. G. L. Brayton Thursday.

Miss Eva Spence called on Miss Edna Brayton Sunday.

Mr. L. S. McCall marketed turkeys at Hume last Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah Farrell called at the Denny Bright home Wednesday.

Mrs. Raleigh Farrell came to see her mother and from there went to visit her sister in Sprague last Thursday.

There will be a Christmas tree and program at the Mt. Zion school house Christmas eve. Every body invited.

Miss Iva Ayers and Miss Connie Rankin called on Mr. Lawson Brayton Saturday morning.

Mr. T. B. Jones took a load of hogs to Pleasanton last Wednesday.

Mr. Hedrick shipped three car loads of cattle to Madison the past week.

There will be a pie supper at the Worland school house December 19th. Everybody invited.

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### North New Home.

Our friends and neighbors have missed our scribbling. We are glad they appreciate our writing and will try again.

Wm. Sproul and family left for Montana the first of December for their future home.

Mrs. Ollie Conley came down from Kansas City last week to visit her sister, Mrs. John Ehart and family.

E. C. Trahoun shipped a car load of hogs from Nyhart to Kansas City last Thursday.

Several of the neighbors butchered hogs last week.

There will be a pie supper at Lost Corner school house Friday, Dec. 19. Everybody invited to attend.

Mrs. John Phelps spent the first of last week visiting her brother J. C. Bracken of Butler who has been in poor health for some time, and is growing weaker. Smith See is staying there and taking care of him.

Mrs. Lamasters moved back to her farm from Butler one day last week.

Mrs. Brick McCoy and children visited with Mrs. Linendoll Thursday afternoon.

Will Thorp left Saturday for a few days visit with his brother east of Butler.

Bailey and Snider the Butler telephone linemen worked on line 29 two days last week. They have the line and phones in better shape than ever before.

John Jones hauled hedge posts from Mr. Linendoll's Monday.

Mrs. Perry Osborne was shopping in Butler last Thursday.

Lon Smith and family spent Sunday at Jim Bradley's.

Homer Linendoll and wife visited at Mr. Craven's Sunday.

Henry Ehart and wife, J. W. Jones wife and son were Butler visitors Sunday.

Mell Campbell visited with homefolks Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Orval Pickett visited her parents, Homer Linendoll and wife, Monday.

John McKissick was helping Walter Strein haul logs Monday.

Cliff Ehart, wife and son, Milt Reeves and wife spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Keeton.

Cliff Ehart and Mr. Keeton went to Amsterdam Monday.

Mrs. Joe Mye and daughter returned to their home in Butler after visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCormack.

Mr. Sherman is bailing hay for J. S. Pierce this week. COR.

### Pleasant Gap Items.

George Makinson returned to his home in Rich Hill from Idaho Monday. He is helping W. A. Baker shuck corn this week.

The box supper and spelling match at the Pleasant Gap school house Friday night was well attended. Miss Heelia Deffenbaugh got the cake for the most popular young lady. The net proceeds were a little better than $29. The money will go for library books and a dictionary.

Mrs. Dan'l Stubbs and daughter, Nellie, and son, Clee, returned home from Kansas City Wednesday. They have been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. M. McGrew.

Lena and Sallie Wix visited their sister, Mrs. Claudie Baker, Sunday.

Jess Brooks had several loads of hogs taken to Butler Monday.

Jim Merchant has sold his place to John Lee and bought the Old Cox farm. They are both making preparations to move by the first of March.

Lee Baugher sold his driving horse Wednesday to Mr. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merchant and little daughter, Iva Cloe, were Butler visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee and little son, Walter, and little daughter, Lizzie, were Butler visitors Monday.

Misses Sylvia Merchant and Myrtle Stubbs and Mr. Lee Baugher attended prayer meeting at Grandma Diehl's a week ago Sunday.

We wish you all a "merry Christmas and a happy New Year."

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