

Local News In Brief

er here—Murray Spencery will be a successful man and poet, as in the future on business.

Codgman Here—Alice Codgman arrived here last night from Portland. She will be a guest of friends for several days before returning to her home in Portland.

Caldwell Improves—P. Caldwell is reported to be improved. Mr. Caldwell has been quite ill at his home for the several days.

Ammon Returns—William Ammon returned to home here last night after spending several weeks in Boise as the guest of friends.

Visits Union—E. Duffy is in Union today and the way he talks this is nearly as trip that he will make to that. The Union Hotel is coming nicely, he says.

Davidson Here—Sarah Davidson arrived this morning from Portland. She will be a short time here as the guest of friends.

Bill III—William Driskill, a conductor on the R. & N. came in on east bound train No. 6 this morning. He is confined to his home for a few on account of illness.

Rhinehart to Joseph—G. O. Rhinehart left this morning for Joseph, where she will spend a few days as the guest of her two sisters, E. D. and D. M. Peale. Mrs. Rhinehart is a former resident of La Grande, now living at Nampa, Idaho.

Presbyterian Church Repair—The Presbyterians have been busy the past week making some needed repairs and general cleaning of the interior of their church. They do not feel justified in spending very much money on building, as they are hoping to be able to build a new church when conditions become normal in the financial world. The present repairs will be welcomed by the entire church.

Wright is Appointed—Mrs. J. K. Wright who has been appointed a member of the library board, and Mr. Wright, the Observer stated a few days ago. The mistake was made in a listing of a resolution before the Commission. Mrs. Wright will be a member of the library board for four years.

Knowles Home Again—Judge J. W. Knowles stepped on the train which was headed toward La Grande once more. He has been spending the past several days in Portland and Salem and he claims his health called him there.

Leton Getting Information—Information on the handling of contagious diseases in The Dalles, Walla Walla, La Grande and Baker has been obtained by the City of Pendleton, in connection with the organized effort to stop smallpox and other contagious diseases. In replies from the two named cities, they said that in hospitals are used and that a considerable degree of success in coming the spread of disease has resulted. Baker and La Grande have replied. It is understood that they

COMING EVENTS—Jan. 29.—Pendleton high school girls' team plays local team at high school, 8:30 o'clock.

Jan. 31-Feb. 5.—Income tax deputy collector will be at room 222 Federal Building to assist persons in making out their tax returns.

Feb. 4, 5, 6.—State Christian Endeavor Society Convention in La Grande.

Announcement—OLD-TIME DANCES will be given in Rex Hall on Wednesday evening. Nothing but the graceful old-time dances will be danced. Music by Lindzey's superb orchestra. Everyone enjoyed the first dance; be sure and attend those to be given. Lessons by appointment. Call Main 42.

Mr. & Mrs. P. J. Powers

DANCE—TUESDAYS SATURDAYS—Giving Each Lady Dancer a Free—To be Given Away Each Tuesday Night. Drawing at 10 o'clock.

REX HALL—N. A. Dastlet, Mgr.

LIVE STOCK

COLLEGE EDUCATION FOR BOY

Kentucky Lad Saves Enough From Sale of Litter of Fine Pigs to Pay for Schooling.

Here is the story of how a litter of pigs produced an agricultural college education, a system of farm water works and general improvement on a backwoods farm that had only primitive advantages.

The education went to Jeff Anderson, a Kentucky boy of Pulaski county.



Pigs Almost Ready to Root for Them-selves.

Jeff belonged to a boys' club which had been organized by the county agent. He was encouraged to raise a litter of fine pigs under the club system by which the boys applied approved methods and kept account of the results.

He had been used to seeing his mother and other women carry water 150 yards up a hill for washing and cooking.

At the agricultural college he realized the convenience and benefit to be gained by running water conducted to a tap in the kitchen.

When he returned home he persuaded his father to let him put in a water system.

A stand pipe 60 feet high which gave sufficient pressure to force water to the dwelling 100 feet away.

He rigged up a gasoline engine and pump at the spring under the hill. He had learned a little about plumbing so he did most of the pipe fitting in the house.

One month's work at odd times, coupled with a little of the knowledge he had gained at the State College of Agriculture put the water right into the kitchen.

Jeff has gone back to complete his college education; and they will still raise better pigs at the Anderson farm.

RANGE STOCK IS IMPROVED

All Kinds of Sires, Bulls Especially, Are Receiving Close Scrutiny by Breeders.

In the Western range states all kinds of sires—bulls especially—are receiving scrutiny by live stock owners. There is increasing evidence that good purebred males have wide influence on the quality of young stock and on the returns from stock-raising operations.

One day recently the United States Department of Agriculture enrolled in the "Better Sires—Better Stock" movement several ranchmen, each of whom had more than 1,000 head of live stock.

The flock of sheep contained 250 purebred ewes and 3,450 crossbred, ewes, the sires being all purebred. A cattle raiser who enlisted in the campaign the same day notified the department: "I have disposed of two grade Hereford bulls recently, having decided to run nothing but purebred sires."

This remark is typical of the progress of the movement in Montana.

TO RESTORE MORGAN STRAIN

Efforts of Department of Agriculture Shown in Recent 300-Mile Test for Horses.

Efforts of the United States Department of Agriculture to restore the Morgan strain of horses, which had become nearly extinct, showed their effect in the recent 300-mile test for army horses.

Out of 25 entries, only ten finished, and of these the sixth and seventh were Morgan horses, one of them raised on the department's stock farm in Massachusetts.

PROFITABLE TO RAISE MULES

Plan Suggested to Farmers Who Experience Difficulty in Selling Young Horses.

Men with good-sized farms, who are having a hard time disposing of young horses will find it more profitable to raise mules than to raise colts.

Pellish Melodies

The Poles have retained singularly free from eastern influence. Their melodic invention is something rather limited, but their tunes are always wonderfully embellished, and they often make use of difficult intervals which would seem to be more suitable for an instrument than for the voice.

A Winter Catastrophe

Little Howard had been accustomed to going for milk to a neighbor who kept a cow. One winter day he was told that the cow had gone dry and he could have no more milk until spring.

NEWS AT SALEM

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the state behind a comprehensive business-like plan to encourage and assist people to own their own homes with a long-time amortization payment plan.

The housing problem is recognized today as one of America's greatest. Apartment houses were expected to solve the problem, but, instead, they acted as a hindrance to the development and growth of the American family.

There are no apartment houses vacant at that. The country is piling up with population and no new homes are being erected. The continued curtailment of housing causes unrest beyond question.

The man who pays a payment on a home is a better citizen. He ceases to be Bolshevik in his tendencies, his children are happier. In New York state the best minds have been selected as a committee on housing and their contention that no longer can people build homes to rent as a business proposition is correct.

The increasing taxes and more to come before this war is paid for prohibits owners of buildings from having profitable properties. The next move is to induce everyone to own his home and carry a part of the government responsibility. If the resolution mentioned prevails and we succeed in working out bills for its operation, it will, to our mind, be one of the best pieces of constructive legislation ever enacted in the state.

Get the name of "Senator Albin Norblad," and don't forget the "Albin." He is here from Clatsop county, and say, when the port question is mentioned, he shuts his eyes and gives up round after round of deep-water talk in a rhythm that makes the buying of Joe Carr's "Jerry" seem tame and abbreviated.

Senator Norblad lives and breathes the Port of Astoria. He can tell how much water every port in the world possesses, and he always gives his remarks as follows: "And, thus, you see, gentlemen, that right here in our state at the mouth of the Columbia we have the largest deep-water port in the whole world and on that port has been built the great city of Astoria—a great work of God and man combined."

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

FREE—1921 list of Santa Cruz Co. Ranch Bargains and Literature. Wilson Bros., Santa Cruz, Calif. 1-29-11p.

Alikeness in Unlike Things

Watches and rivers seldom run long without winding.

NEW TODAY

LOST OR STRAYED—A Scotch collie pup about 3 months old. Finder, please return to 2018 First St., or call Red 5282, toward 1-29-11p.

WANTED—Man with team or auto to handle the products of this county. For particulars address: McCann & Company, Winona, Minnesota. Mention this paper. 1-29-11p.

FOR SALE—Eight room house with bath, with or without furniture, easy terms. Inquire 7402 O Ave. 1-29-11p.

FOR SALE—Five room house and lot on Monroe Ave. Newly painted and papered inside. Bath, electric light, barn, woodshed, cement walks and nice shade trees. 1-29-11p. PYRAMID LAND CO.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A four room house and five large lots in Island City for house and lot in La Grande. Price \$3000. 1-29-11p. PYRAMID LAND CO.

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