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LOCAL NOTES

A. L. Chitwood was in town today.

T. C. Espey is putting up a neat and substantial barn at his place here.

Mrs. S. A. Kisor, of Philomath, came over last Saturday on a visit, and returned Tuesday morning.

W. L. Davis and family have moved to Newport this week. Their household goods were taken down on a scow today.

Mrs. C. G. Copeland left for Portland last Tuesday, where she expects to go to a hospital for a short time for medical treatment.

B. F. Jones returned from Portland last Friday considerably under the weather. He was taken with an attack of lagrip and has not yet recovered.

District court was in session at Corvallis last week. The term was not particularly interesting, there being few cases of importance on the docket.

The steamer Scotia arrived in at Yaquina from San Francisco yesterday with a full cargo of merchandise. She will sail on her return trip tomorrow.

The Volanta has been laid up for repairs for a few days and the mails and passengers are being carried from Yaquina to Newport by the medium of a rowboat.

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S. A. Logan was up from Newport today.

Ex-Senator Dolph was one of the attorneys that successfully defended Rev. J. C. Read, the bank robber.

Uncle Hutch Bevins and Edward Allen, a couple of Elk City people were down to Toledo on business Monday.

Every man in Lincoln county that is compelled to buy butter should make a rule to eat Lincoln county creamery butter for the next year.

The McKinley republican club will not elect and send delegates to the state convention of republican clubs to be held at Portland on the 22nd.

The Toledo school is progressing very nicely and quietly. Prof. Bruce and Miss Butler seem to have their work well in hand and the promise of a successful term is bright.

An error was made in our statement last week of the delegates to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows from Yaquina. J. N. Stark is one of the delegates instead of H. M. Brunk.

Rev. J. C. Read, who attempted to rob the East Portland bank, was tried by a jury of his peers at Portland during the past week, and was acquitted on the grounds of insanity. Rev. Read was examined by a trio of learned doctors before the trial and they pronounced him sane. Now the jury says he is insane.

County commissioner's court was in session last Tuesday, in an adjourned session. The object of the meeting was to pass upon the petition of Wm. Enos and others for a road on Depot, but inasmuch as Commissioner Williams was to inspect the proposed road at a previous date and had failed to do so, it was impossible for the court to do anything in the matter. Hence the court adjourned without doing any business.

Mr. B. T. Swart, the gentleman who is here to put the creamery machinery in place, made a short talk to the people at the court house last Monday afternoon. His talk was interesting and full of good advice to our people who propose to furnish milk to the community.

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Hon. Beal Gaither was over from the Agency last Tuesday.

We would ask our correspondents to please get their communications to this office not later than Wednesday of each week.

A. H. Guynn, of Waldport, was up last Friday and Saturday on business connected with the estate of Peter Eckman, deceased, of which he is administrator. He reports everything quiet down there.

A petition has been presented to County Supt. Bethers by the people on Rock Creek, north of Nashville, asking for the creation of a new school district. The petition being sufficient it will be allowed, and the new district will be No. 43.

The new United States grand jury recently drawn at Portland contains three Lincoln county men. They are Chas. H. Williams, of Newport, and J. B. Lewis and C. S. Brown, of Yaquina City. The former is listed as a retired merchant and the other two as oystermen.

Last Monday Joe Briggs was up on the beach about a mile north of Cape Foulweather lighthouse and discovered the remains of what he calls a "sea cow," on the beach. It was about twenty-five feet long, had a tongue like a cow but had no eyes. There was also a smaller animal, of the same kind near it that measured only about seven feet in length. The animals were much of a mystery to Mr. Briggs, and so far no one has furnished a correct and scientific name for them.

Robt. Campbell informs us that he and Henry Lewis will soon begin the erection of a store building near the butcher shop building. The building will be 20x30 feet in size, one story high, and will be occupied by them when completed, with a stock of groceries, flour and feed, and a small line of dry goods. It is their intention to carry a complete stock in their lines, and will also deal largely in produce. They propose handling everything the farmer and rancher has to sell, and will allow just all the San Francisco market will allow them to give.

What we want and need in our country is more union and harmony among our people. A people that divided are at a hopeless disadvantage. This is particularly true of a community where there is but a wealth. There is too much tendency to cry down what others are doing. This should be. We should not decry a thing simply because it is not happen to suit us, or we not agree with the manner in which it is done. Let us work together, pull together and act in unity and much can then be done.

Mr. G. W. Roper, of Indianola, Nebraska, came up from Yaquina yesterday morning in company with Capt. Robertson. Mr. Roper is county clerk of Red Willow county, Nebraska, and is in Oregon spying out the land for a prospective Nebraska settlement. To a man who has lived for years on the broad and level prairies of Nebraska, our hills seem rather rough to him, but a short residence among our fireclad, evergreen hills and beautiful and fertile valleys make them look three times smaller. When one has been here for a time he gets to love the hills as a part of his native heath, and they are not a foot too high, nor a single one too many of them. Mr. Roper started on his return trip today. He goes by the way of Ashland, where he will stop for a few days to visit an uncle there.

A copy of Lincoln county's new paper, the Lincoln County Record, came to our table this week. The Record is a six-column folio, the same size as the LEADER, and is published at Newport by B. F. Jones and S. G. Irvin. It is very creditably gotten up and the first issue is filled with matter that is of real and material value to the county. The publishers are men who have spent many years in Lincoln county, and while many men may differ with them in individual matters, yet there is not a man in Lincoln county that can stand up with the truth on his lips and say that Sam Irvin or Ben Jones ever worked for anything but

the best interests of the county and communities in which they have lived. They are that kind of men. They say that they do not expect the Record to pay expenses, but we say that the people of our county should see that it does. The Record will do the county of Lincoln much good. It is in the hands of men who keep that one idea in view. As the paper goes forth each and every week it will carry news and the good fame of Lincoln county to the four corners of the earth. We hope and trust that the Record will fill the fondest hopes of the men who have launched it on the sea of journalism.

Attention Comrades.

All old soldiers, sailors and mariners that served in the Union army or navy during the rebellion are requested to meet at Comrade Fish's store in Toledo, on Saturday the 27th of April, at two o'clock p. m., to make arrangements for Decoration day, on May the 30th. The Hon. R. A. Bensell has agreed to deliver the memorial oration.

Toledo, April 11, 1895.

MESSRS. CONKLIN, WILLIAMS & KUBLER.

Comrades:— I cheerfully accept your invitation to deliver the memorial address, and hope we will be able to do the day and subject justice. With my best wishes.

Yours in F. C. & L.

R. A. BENSELL.

Siletz Items.

Easter Sunday was spent quietly and the only effect was on the eggs. No one ate so much as some of the Toledo boys. Siletz is no match for Toledo in eating eggs.

Henry Bell had an accident last Sunday morning at his home near the upper farm. He had been out shooting at a target with his pistol, and went back into the house thinking he had shot all the loads out. He sat down and began snapping his pistol, and it seems there was one loaded shell in it yet which went off, the ball striking on the inside of his leg just above the knee. The doctor cut in about 8 inches, but could not locate the ball. He is waiting now for the cut to heal, when he will prospect again for the ball. The leg is too badly swollen to do much now.

The last rain has been pretty hard on the oats that was sown just before the rain. Some of the boys had just harrowed once when the rain caught them.

Agent Gaither was over to Toledo on the first of the week.

There has been some pretty hard shower here in the past few days. It reminded us that spring and winter are hanging together yet. We hope it will break loose soon.

W. C. S.

Glen Items.

Still it rains and the grass and vegetation is fresh and green.

Fred Kiffer and Jesse Holbrook left for Coos Bay last week. They will have a nice little walk down the beach.

Mrs. Watkins received a telegram informing her that her father was very sick and left for Philomath Sunday.

N. B. Neal came in from the Valley Wednesday.

Johnny Flynn, the famous dairyman and hunter, of Meadow creek, came out of his shell Sunday and visited several of the Drift creekers. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stewart were also visiting on Drift creek Sunday.

I think it would be a good plan to have the weather clerk stop the rain for awhile so we could plant our gardens.

Our mail carrier looks sad lately. I wonder why.

ICHABOD.

April 16, 1895.

Anyone is an oppressor that does not give value received for what he gets. Let him that is not guilty throw the first stone at the monopolist.

Our passions, our appetites, our words and our pleasures are things of culture. All should be subjected to the power of will. Let us so live as to receive an overcomer's reward.

A. L. C.

O'BRIEN'S

SPECIAL!!

OUR SPRING STOCK will arrive about APRIL. It will pay you to call and examine our FINE LINE OF GOODS. It is without exception the

Finest & most Complete Stock ever shown in the City

—Our Lines Comprises of—

MEN'S CLOTHING BOYS'

HATS and CAPS, BOOTS and SHOES, DRY GOODS and NOTIONS

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS LADIES'

FOR PRICE AND STYLE

We defy competition

One Price O'BRIEN'S YAQUINA CITY.

Chitwood Chips.

All quiet on the Yaquina, and news somewhat scarce.

Our school is running on full time with Miss Harrington wielding the birch and teaching the young ideas how to shoot.

Last Friday was arbor day and some of the neighbors went to the school house to celebrate the day. The scholars carried out a very nice program consisting of declamations, dialogues, essays, etc. The children did splendid. The teacher was somewhat under the weather with a severe cold. She was assisted by Miss Ethel Hollister. We planted a tree and christened it Governor Lord if it lives, but if it dies will be named Pennoyer.

Yes, Mr. Editor, Chitwood is to have a creamery in the near future. All that is lacking is the machinery and the work, as the rest is all done.

Elder Potter, of Toledo, held a series of meetings here, with some interest. Come again Elder.

Elder Parker, of Philomath, will preach for us Sunday the 21st. Everybody invited.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10:30 o'clock. Come everybody and bring your children.

Uncle Jimmie Chitwood claims to be the boss fisherman, as he caught a trout that only lacked 22 inches of being two feet long. Now don't blow it too loud Mr. Editor.

Spring is coming on apace. Easter passed with but little rain, so we look for better weather in the future.

It looks as if Chitwood is to be planted in saccaline as most all are starting some.

I. X. L.

Thos. Jones will take charge of M. M. Davis' drug store at Yaquina. Joseph Alexander, who has held the position for the past two years leaves for Washington.

For Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale land near Chitwood station, as follows:

One tract, 67 acres; good orchard and barn; about 10 acres in cultivation. This is a splendid location and will be sold cheap for cash.

Also several small tracts, good fruit and garden land, well located. Will be sold at reasonable rates, and purchase price taken either in work or money.

A good stone quarry lying close to the O. P. track and convenient to work and load on cars, will be leased or sold to parties who will work it.

Call on or address M. T. WHITNEY, Chitwood, Ore.

Cure For Crippled Children.

The National Surgical Institute, Pacific Branch, 319 Bush St., San Francisco successfully treat cases of Orthopedic Surgery, cases of the Spine, Hip and Joints, Paralysis, Piles, Nasal Catarrh, Bow Legs, Knees, all Deformities and Chronic Diseases. Their success in these cases is shown by thousands of references from trustworthy people all over the country.

Persons having afflicted children or friends should convince themselves of the excellent results of the system of treatment by this institute. One or more of these students will be at the Hemphill Hotel, Corvallis, Friday, April 26, to examine cases. Send for circular. Reference may be had to Porter, of Corvallis; Judge L. Davidson, of Salem; John Shaw, Secy. Southern Mill, Albany; L. McFarland, of Astoria and hundreds of others.

Farms For Sale.

I have two good farms for sale near Elk City. The first is a farm of 125 acres joining the farm of J. H. Brins, and has good house, barn, and buildings; good orchard and of all kinds of fruit; good farm meadow land. Also a good of sandstone on the place.

Also 80 acres 1/2 mile from City, house, barn, etc., orchard, and a good piece of land. These places will be sold at rock prices and on good terms. Must sell out on account of old age.

Enquire of J. H. BRINS, Elk City.

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Notice.

Any one wishing to take advantage of any of the following bargains call on or address undersigned.

One of the finest residences in Toledo, a fine house, barn, other improvements; two blocks from the depot; the handiest place in town. Price only \$1,500 cash.

A 5 acre ranch 1/2 mile from Toledo, on Ollalla; house, barn, other improvements; a neat place. Price only \$350.—1/2 cash.

One lot 50x100 feet, one block from court house. A good investment. Price \$75 cash.

COLLINS & HALL, Toledo, Oregon.

B. R. Job, who has been attending the medical department of Willamette university at Portland has returned home for the spring and summer vacation.—Corvallis Times.