

# Lincoln County Leader.

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## DIRECTORY.

### LINCOLN COUNTY.

**County Officers.**  
 Tol. Carter, County Clerk  
 E. R. Lake, Sheriff  
 J. O. Stearns, Assessor  
 B. F. Jones, Treasurer  
 George Landis, Surveyor  
 J. L. Hyde, Coroner  
 S. G. Irwin, Registrar  
 Z. M. Derrick, Superintendent  
 Silas Howell, Inspector  
 T. M. Coombs, Constable  
 Chas. Williams, Constable  
 F. A. Godwin, Constable

**Circuit Court.**  
 Judge  
 C. Patterson, Clerk  
 Prob. Attorney  
 W. H. Crutchfield  
 Sessions on 4th Monday in July and  
 Monday in January of each year.

**City of Toledo.**  
 Mayor  
 Recorder  
 Marshal  
 Aldermen  
 J. S. Booth, W. L. Watkins, A. B. Clark, Alex. Burkhalter, Chas. Henderson, Z. S. Derrick, I. S. Huntington, N. F. Edwards, Sam'l Hill, Joseph Gourley, N. J. Goodman, W. A. Vidito, I. A. Peck, W. P. Taylor, Wm. Wakefield, John Early, Chas. Rend, M. Berton, W. H. Cook, Geo. E. Croxford

**Toledo Precinct.**  
 J. A. Hall, J. C. Altree

**Newport.**  
 Geo. F. Sylvester, W. H. Crutchfield

**Yaquina.**  
 J. S. Booth, W. L. Watkins

**Elk City.**  
 A. B. Clark, Alex. Burkhalter

**Little Elk.**  
 Chas. Henderson, Z. S. Derrick

**Nashville.**  
 I. S. Huntington, N. F. Edwards

**Beaver Creek.**  
 Sam'l Hill, Joseph Gourley

**Tidewater.**  
 N. J. Goodman, W. A. Vidito

**Lobster.**  
 I. A. Peck, W. P. Taylor

**Lower Alsea and Yachats.**  
 Wm. Wakefield, John Early

**Salmon River.**  
 Chas. Rend, M. Berton

**Ross.**  
 W. H. Cook, Geo. E. Croxford

### CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

**Methodist Episcopal Church.**—Services every three weeks, morning and evening; preaching after morning service; Sabbath every Sabbath at 10 o'clock a. m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday evenings. S. W. POTTER, Pastor.

**St. John's Church (Protestant Episcopal.)**—Services every third Sunday of every month at 11 a. m. All are invited to attend. Chas. Booth, Missionary. Residence, Newport, Or.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 108.** Meet every Saturday evening at their hall in this city. J. R. TURNIDGE, N. G.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 116.** of Yaquina City, meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are always welcome. S. A. PRUITT, N. G.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 89.** meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. L. O. OLSSON, N. G.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 85.** regular convention on Saturday on or before each month. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. A. H. HAMPTON, M. W.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 745 National Union.** meets on second and fourth Friday nights of each month. Traveling friends are welcome. E. PEARS, Sec. B. F. JONES, Pres.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 70.** Retekah Degree. O. F. J. meets in the Odd Fellows hall in this city on Tuesday evening of each week. JENNIE ARNOLD, N. G.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 68.** meets in the Good Templars Hall on the first and third Saturdays of each month. T. STAKELY, P. C.

**O. F. J. Lodge, No. 73.** meets in the Odd Fellows hall, Yaquina, on first and third Saturday evenings in each month. Visiting brothers are always welcome. H. K. LUGGER, M. W.

**Knights of the World.**—Pocahontas Camp No. 259, Toledo, Oregon, meets on first and third Thursdays in each month in Odd Fellows hall. Visiting neighbors are always welcome. GEO. BETHERS, Clerk.

**A. HALL,**  
 Justice of the Peace  
 Toledo, Oregon,  
 Deals, Mortgages, and all kinds of legal papers executed with correctness. Careful attention given to all business entrusted to my care.

**H. DENLINGER,**  
 Attorney-at-Law,  
 TOLEDO, OREGON.

**Wanted—An Idea** Who can think of some simple thing to patent? Write JOHN WEDDERBURN & CO. Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. for their \$1,000 prize offer and list of two hundred inventions wanted.

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### Bryan's Prophecy.

The following prophetic words formed the closing sentences in the famous speech made by Wm. J. Bryan in congress in 1893, in the extra session called to repeal the Sherman act. In the light of the events that have followed the words seem fraught with great wisdom:

"Well has it been said by the Senator from Missouri [Mr. Vest] that we have come to the parting of the ways. Today the democratic party stands between two great forces, each inviting its support. On the other side stand the corporate interests of the nation, its moneyed institutions, its aggregations of wealth and capital, imperious, arrogant, compassionless. They demand special legislation, favors, privileges, and immunities. They can subscribe magnificently to campaign funds, they can strike down opposition with their all-pervading influence, and to those who fawn and flatter, bring ease and plenty. They demand that the democratic party shall become their agent to execute their merciless decrees.

"On the other hand stands that unnumbered throng which gave a name to the democratic party and for which it has assumed to speak. Work-worn and dust-begrimed, they make their sad appeal. They hear of average wealth increased on every side and feel the inequality of its distribution. They see an over-production of everything desired because of the under-production of the ability to buy. They cannot pay for loyalty except with their suffrages, and can only punish betrayal with their condemnation. Although the ones who most deserve the fostering care of government, their cries for help too often beat in vain against the outer wall, while others less deserving find ready access to legislative halls.

"This army, vast and daily vaster growing, begs the party to be its champion in the present conflict. It cannot press its claims 'mid sounds of revelry. Its phalanxes do not form in grand parade, nor has it gaudy banners floating on the breeze. Its battle hymn is 'Home, Sweet Home,' its war cry 'equality before the law.' To the democratic party, standing between these two irreconcilable forces, uncertain to which side to turn, and conscious that upon its choice its fate depends, come the words of Israel's second lawgiver: 'Choose you this day whom ye will serve.' What will the answer be? Let me invoke the memory of him whose dust made sacred the soil of Monticello when he joined

The dead but scathed sovereigns who still rule Our spirits from their urns.

"He was called a demagogue and his followers a mob, but the immortal Jefferson dared to follow the best promptings of his heart. He placed man above matter, humanity above property, and, spurning the bribes of wealth and power, pleaded the cause of the common people. It was this devotion to their interests which made his party invincible while he lived and will make his name revered while history endures. And what message comes to us from the Hermitage? When a crisis like the present arose and the national bank of his day sought to control the politics of the nation, God raised up an Andrew Jackson, who had the courage to grapple with that great enemy, and by overthrowing it, he made himself the idol of the people and reinstated

the democratic party in public confidence. What will the decision be today? The democratic party has won the greatest success in its history. Standing upon this victory-crowned summit, will it turn its face to the rising or the setting sun? Will it choose blessings or cursings—life or death—which?"

### This Settles It.

We find the following item among the political pointers in last Monday's Oregonian:

"Colt Van Cleave, the well-known newspaper man of Lincoln county, is in Portland. Of Lincoln county he gives good reports. He says the sentiment is changing to McKinley, as the people have time and opportunity to study the question at issue, and that Lincoln county will give a fine republican majority."

Well, that settles it, we suppose. If Santa Claus Van Cleave says that the county is to go for McKinley we don't suppose that there is any use to try to do anything further for Bryan. Just as well call off all the speakers and save expenses. We almost wish that Van had not settled it so soon, though, as the excitement of the campaign was really beneficial to some. But we suppose Van knows best just what to do. By the way, we defy him to give the name of one actual voter in Lincoln county that has changed from Bryan to McKinley.

D. Eddy, of Woodburn, an old veteran Grand Army man and a pensioner, was for years a republican in politics, but this year is a supporter of Bryan through principle. He recently received a letter through the postoffice, written in the regulation red ink, warning him that if he did not keep his mouth shut about Bryan he would lose his pension. Whoever the poor miserable wretch was that penned the letter, he made a sad mistake in his man. Mr. Eddy was not at all frightened by the threat, but gave the letter to Capt. D. C. Sherman, of Salem, another old republican who is supporting Bryan, and is still talking for the young silver champion. The incident has caused considerable excitement at Woodburn, and a reward of \$75 is offered for any evidence leading to the disclosure of the identity of the miscreant who wrote the letter.

The commission appointed by the secretary of the navy to test a teredo proof paint, invented by a painter, at the Pensacola navy yard concluded its labors recently. On March 16, four pieces of solid heart pine wood were sunk at the navy yard. One piece was unpainted and the others had one, two and three coats of the teredo proof paint, respectively. Last week the three members of the commission assembled and had the four pieces of wood raised. The piece that was not painted was literally honey-combed by the teredo, and fell in pieces. The other three pieces were not touched by the insects, and were perfectly dry on the interior. The commission considers the invention a perfect success, and one that will be of vast interest to government and ship-owners.

All of our republican exchanges are now sending out campaign supplements with their paper each week. The supplements are filled with gold arguments and are furnished free by the state central committee. This is the way by which they hope to reach the voter.