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LOCAL NOTES

Gowell buys and sells everything.

For the best groceries and fresh fruit call at Peter Tellefson's, Yaquina City.

Capt. B. F. Jones has received a license as pilot for a term of five years.

Ladies!—If you want a bargain in Shoes try O'Brien's special sales he is selling a $3.50 shoe for $2.25.

We are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmith and wagon work, horse-shoeing, and all kinds of repairing. Give us a call.

ROSS & RICE, Toledo.

The steamer Richardson came up last Saturday and took one of the old government scows out of the slough that has been laying here for some time.

A printing firm in Portland that has been boycotted by the trades union of that city, is doing the principal part of the job printing for Lincoln county now.

The tug Tonquin arrived in Siletz a week ago last Sunday, and last Thursday, she took out as cargo 850 cases of salmon, the last of the pack of the Kernville cannery.

Arrangements for the dance to be given by the G. A. R. and W. R. C., are progressing nicely, and the prospects are that the affair will be one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

At a meeting of the city council last Monday night, R. A. Arnold was appointed marshal to fill the unexpired term of C. H. Ruhl, resigned. Anyone having a second-hand tin star will do well to correspond with the new officer.

Patents for land for the following Lincoln county settlers have been received at the Oregon City land office: Abraham L. McFadden, Edward J. Dunn, A. L. McDonald, P. N. Lathrop, Emil G. Tracksel, Jas. E. Post, Jas. H. Norris, Marcus Rowin, Austin Howell and Karl Knudson. The settlers should get these patents and have them recorded in the county clerk's office, thus securing the proper basis for the title to their lands.

Circuit court for Lincoln county convenes next Monday. The docket is a light one being composed of only twenty-four cases, with one or two small appeal cases yet to come in. Of these only one or two are liable to require the services of a jury to adjudicate, the most of them being law cases only. It is not probable that the court will be in session to exceed three days. Litigation in Lincoln county is limited.

For two warrant books, containing 1,000 warrants each, the county pays a Portland firm $36. The warrants are printed on a poor grade of paper and there is an error in the form. The same work could have been done in home printing offices for less than one half, and they would have been in the right form, or the court would not have accepted them. That's a chunk of $18 economy made by sending work outside of the county. The firm that did the work pays no taxes in Lincoln county.

You can get what you want at Gowell's.

Gowell has plenty of feed, seed and flour.

For variety, quantity and prices, go to Gowell.

Bring your produce to Gowell, to get best market price.

Elmo Davis and wife were down from Pioneer Monday night.

Hood's pills are prompt, efficient, always reliable, easy to operate.

Judge Stearns was a passenger on the east-bound train this morning.

Flour and feed will be sold at a low price at the store of Peter Tellefson, Yaquina.

The legislature has not organized, but Gowell does business yet, at the old stand, for cash or its equal.

Col. John Lane of the Indian department, arrived in Toledo Tuesday night and went to Siletz yesterday.

A. T. Peterson has run a telephone line up to his house and has pat in an instrument there for his own convenience.

The way to cure catarrh is to purify the blood, and the surest, safest, best way to purify the blood is by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the One True Blood Purifier.

If the salary of the clerk as fixed by the county court is not changed by the circuit court, Lincoln county will be ahead all right, as the county will get all of its work done for nothing, as the fees earned by the clerk in recording and in county and circuit courts, will amount to enough to pay the clerk's salary of $1,200, as fixed by the county court.

County Surveyor Derrick is in town today. He informs us that the new road recently surveyed on the Siletz from the lower canoe landing to a point several miles down the river is on an excellent route. The length of the road is a fraction over eight miles. Only two hills are encountered on the route, and the grade on neither of them will exceed eight per cent. This road will be a great benefit to the settlers on the Siletz.

Pocahantas Camp No. 299, W. of W., have installed the following officers for the term: R. A. Arnold, consul; J. S. Akin, adviser; Geo. Bethers, clerk; B. F. Jones, banker; R. K. Chambers, escort; C. S. Rice, sentry; A. F. Stanton, watchman; C. L. Gowell, A. T. Peterson, J. W. Parrish, managers. The camp will indulge in a post-installation supper at its lodge room tonight, which will be for the members of the lodge only.

The county court has not yet made the levy in this county for county and school purposes. The levy will no doubt be heavier for county purposed this year than ever before. This will be rendered necessary from the fact that the court heretofore has never made a county levy of sufficient amount to pay the running expenses of the county. The prospect of a high tax for the coming year is not an encouraging one.

County Assessor Lutz left for Salem last Tuesday morning to attend the state convention of assessors which meets in that city this week. The assessors, if they follow a notable example recently set, will proceed to regulate the whole fabric of county affairs, save and except the office of county assessors. We have not learned the date of the state meeting of the county coroners, but presume that it will be held, or at least it ought to be, about the time that the hippodrome now playing in Salem in the guise of a state legislature dies by limitation. All the coroners of the state should then be called to sit on its dead body, and then the stench would be unbearable.

House Organized.

[Special to the LEADER.]

Salem, Ore., Jan. 21.—House organized, and elected H. L. Benson, of Josephine, speaker. Only 32 members present.

Gowell don't sell goods for less than cost, but he sells an average bill below all competitors.

"The best goods to the greatest number," is a political saw, but the most and best goods for the money is only true at Gowell's.

Do you know that if you neglect catarrh in the head it will bring on other troubles that often terminate fatally. Stop it now and be cured from that disagreeable disease, by using Prescription No, 1. For sale at Krogstad's drug store.

Later reports from J. R. Bryson, in the Good Samaritan hospital at Portland, are to the effect that the patient continues to improve. Judge McFadden was at his bedside yesterday afternoon, and his estimate of the patient's condition is that it is now better than a month before Judge Bryson went to Portland. A letter received from the family yesterday was of the same tenor, and further trouble in the case is now considered unlikely.—Times.

Toledo Lodge No. 108, I. O. O. F. installed officers for the term last Saturday night. The following officers were installed: J. R. Turnidge, N. G.; R. E. Collins, V. G.; Jos. Ewing, secretary; J. S. Gaither, permanent secretary; L. Waugh, treasurer; J. F. Stewart, warden; C. Trapp, conductor; R. A. Arnold, R. S. N. G.; N. Petit, L. S. N. G.; O. O. Krogstad, R. S. V. G.; B. F. Jones, L. S. V. G.; T. P. Fish, I. G.; Gordon Robertson, O. G. After the installing ceremonies were completed the lodge adjourned to the Blake House, where, in company with members of the Rebekah lodge they partook of a well prepared supper.

A couple of years ago a man with a plug hat of the most approved style and latest vintage arrived at Yaquina from California with considerable eclat, and gave it out that he wanted to buy up a few thousand acres of land to establish a colony of Californians on. As a consequence he was run after not a little by men who thought they had just the land suitable for a California colonist. The land was never bought and the colony never materialized, and several of our readers who will recognize the man without his name being mentioned, will be surprised to learn that instead of being at the head of a large and prosperous California colony, that he is running a kind of a doggery at Yaquina under a government license, and selling liquor by the gallon. Of such sore disappointments are our lives made up.

Notice.

Those who know themselves indebted to me will please pay all accounts to my brother, Otto O. Krogstad, of Toledo. If not settled on or before February 1, I shall be obliged to take judgment.

2-t. ANDR. O. KROGSTAD.

For Sale.

Since McKinley is elected I have several fine places for sale cheap. Some well improved farms. Some good sheep or goat ranches. If you want good bargains come and see M. J. ALLPHIN, Eddyville, Ore.

H. DENLINGER,

Attorney-at-Law,

TOLEDO, OREGON.

COL. JOHN KELSAY DEAD.

Death of One of Oregon's Eminent Men.

[Special to the LEADER.]

Col. John Kelsay died at his home in Corvallis, on Tuesday evening, January 19, 1897, of acute bronchits.

The deceased had been in failing health for the past three months, having only a few weeks ago recovered from an illness that had confined him to his home for a period of ten days. The illness which terminated fatally was contracted only a few days ago. The end came so peacefully that the watchers at his bedside had not discovered that the spirit had fled until several minutes after life had left the body. The funeral took place this afternoon.

Col. John Kelsay was born in Kentucky, October 23, 1819. From that state he went to Missouri where he acquired some little prominence, being a member of the legislature of that state in 1844. Shortly after that he came to Oregon and in the early history of this state he was a prominent figure. He was a member of the convention which framed the Oregon constitution in 1857, and in 1864 he was elected a member of the supreme court of the state of Oregon, and served one term as such. In state and local politics he was always a prominent figure. He gained the title of Colonel in the Rogue river Indian war, in which war he was an active participant, and rendered signal service to his state.

The death of Colonel Kelsay has removed a notable character from among the people of Oregon. He was an able jurist and advocate, his knowledge of law being profound and deep. He was a great teacher of law, and his students are scattered all over the northwest, and many of them have achieved high honors and distinction in their professions. Kindly of nature, honest in his convictions, true to his duty as he saw it, Col. Kelsay was a man of sound character and high morality. His death at a ripe old age rounded out a busy life well spent.

Nashville Notes.

Fred Wagner has just returned from the Valley, where he bought a fine 3-year-old mare for $32.

Tillie Hamar has rented her place and has moved to Dallas.

H. H. Pament has rented his place to L. Richards, and will start for California this week.

Robert Chambers has been struck with the prosperity that the republican party was telling about before election. He has three men hired.

H. S. Porter is at present busy repairing his fences which the late winds kindly scattered.

Joe Bryant has Ray Huffaker employed, and the pair make a fine stout team. Get there Joe, you will have a farm yet.

Miss Clara Benson left this week for Portland, where she will remain the rest of the winter.

The stock on the range look thin as compared with the way they looked this time a year ago.

West Rigdon has rented Tillie Hamar's place and is fixing it up in grand style. I wonder what will happen next, West?

Jas. Hamar, Sr., has returned from Elk City, where he has been visiting his son-in-law James Dixon.

The grip has been making its appearance in this vicinity for the last two weeks.

We are informed that there will be a railroad survey started from Independence to the mouth of Siletz in about a month. It may be wind, but ye scribe hopes it is true.

HARD TACK.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale of Real Property under Execution

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lincoln, duly attested under the seal of said court and bearing date the [illegible] of December 1896, on a decree of foreclosure and sale rendered and entered in said court in a suit wherein A. G. Spexarth was plaintiff and Herbert Twombley and Martha Twombley were defendants, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants, Herbert Twombley and Martha Twombley, for the sum of Four Hundred and Twenty-seven Dollars and Seventy-five cents, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 20th day of July 1896, and for $25 attorneys' fees, and the further sum of $7 costs, and further upon this writ. The said execution is directed and commands me to sell all of the following described real property to satisfy said decree and execution, to-wit: The southeast ¼ of the southwest ¼ of section 33, township south, range 11, west, containing 40 acres, in Lincoln county, State of Oregon. Now, therefore, in compliance with said execution and order of sale, I, as such sheriff, will on

Saturday, the 23rd day of January, [illegible] at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Toledo, Lincoln county, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for U. S. Gold coin, cash in hand, all of the right, title, interest and estate of said defendants in and to the said above described real property, with the appurtenances, subject to redemption, to satisfy the said execution and the amounts thereon as above stated, together with the costs and accruing costs.

Dated December 23th, 1896.

GEORGE A. LAYTON,
Sheriff of Lincoln County, Oregon.
By J. H. Ross, Deputy.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, Lincoln County.

The Oregon Central and Eastern Railroad Company, plaintiff,

vs.

Wm. M. Hoag, defendant.

To Wm. M. Hoag, the defendant in the above entitled suit:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer plaintiff's complaint in the above entitled suit, now on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court, on or before the first day of January, 1897, that being the first day of the next regular term of said Court, to be held at the court house, in the town of Toledo, Lincoln County, State of Oregon; and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint as herein required, the plaintiff will take a decree against you for the relief prayed for in the complaint in said suit, to-wit: A decree of the said Court decreeing and adjudging that you have no estate, right or interest whatsoever of, in, or to all or any of the tide and overflowed lands in Sections Nineteen, Twenty-two, Twenty-six, Twenty-seven and Thirty-five in Township No. 11 south, Range 11 west, in Lincoln County, State of Oregon, and that the title of the plaintiff therein is good and valid; and decreeing that you be forever enjoined and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to the said tide and overflowed lands adverse to the plaintiff, and for the costs and disbursements of this suit against you.

This Summons is published in the Lincoln County Leader for six successive weeks, by order of Hon. J. C. Fullerton, judge of the Circuit Court, which order was made at chambers in Roseburg, Oregon, and bears date December 10th, 1896.

J. R. BRYSON and W. S. MCFADDEN,
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

YATES & YATES,

LAWYERS,

CORVALLIS, OREGON.

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