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LOCAL NOTES

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The warm days that come now makes one feel like spring time has come.

J. H. Maine, of Newport, was a visitor at Toledo last Monday, returning home on Tuesday.

R. F. Raines, living west of town, has been ill all winter, but is reported now to be slightly gaining.

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

Peter Tellefson, Yaquina, has a full line in flour and millfeed, and best wheat and oats. Call and see him.

H. Denlinger, Sr., has moved from the farm to town with his son Harry. The farm now is in full possession of Mr. Muszynski.

Chapin Wadsworth, Geo. McCluskey and Ira Wade were Toledo candidates that were among the successful applicants for teacher's certificates at the recent examination.

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.

The storms of last week caused some severe losses to stockmen in our county, particularly where the stock of feed was a little short. J. S. Copeland lost eight head of cattle, Frank Stanton lost some, and several other losses are reported. It seems that there is less nutriment in the outside feed this winter than ever before, probably by reason of the rainy season.

M. T. Whitney, the postmaster and merchant of Chitwood, has invented a gopher exterminator that promises to be a success. It is simple and inexpensive, being only a little piece of fuse with an explosive at the end that generates carbonic acid gas when it explodes. This fuse is inserted in the gopher hole, set fire and the hole covered so that the gas cannot escape. Soon there is an explosion, the hole is filled with gas generated thereby, and all the squirrels, gophers and anything else alive in that hole is soon sleeping the long, long sleep.

County Superintendent Irvin deserves much credit for his energy and progressiveness in securing the creation of a summer school for teachers at Newport, mention of which is made elsewhere. The work is a grand one and one that the county may well be proud of. Mr. Irvin has succeeded in interesting prominent educators in the movement, and thus the success of the school is guaranteed. With State Superintendent Irwin, Prof. Chapman, Prof. Campbell, President Miller, and other energetic and progressive educators pushing the matter, the summer school is bound to be a success.

Gowell buys and sells everything. Crosby Matthews was up from Newport Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Patterson, of Yaquina, visited in Toledo Tuesday.

For largest variety, best quality, lowest prices, Gowell fills the bill. After nearly a month's stay at Otter Rock Chas. Ruhl is again in town.

Miss Ivy Griffith, of Elk City, visited Miss Lou Burt the first of the week.

Miss Ruth and Eli Gaither were over from the Agency and attended the dance Monday night.

The dance at the court house last Monday night was quite successful, there being a good crowd in attendance.

M. L. Glass, of Big Elk, and John P. Allen, of Nashville, made proof before County Clerk Jones last Saturday.

Chas. Ruhl has been appointed administrator of the estate of Dope Spencer, deceased, and has duly qualified and filed his bond.

Frank Hyde, Marion Hunt and Irvia Magee were down from the Little Elk country last Saturday as witnesses for M. L. Glass, in his homestead proof.

While Santa Claus Van Cleve has his experting clothes on he has concluded to expert the city books also. Good. Will he have Judge Fullerton take the lead, or will he give the order himself. Speaking for one of the city officers, we can say that he is ready for an expert at any time.

The bidding for printing assessor's blanks last Tuesday was quite close and spirited. The stipulation called for 2,000 sixteen page blanks. The lowest bid was that of the LEADER, it being \$19.75. The highest bid was that of the Newport News, being \$100. That's one contract the LEADER got by a very close margin.

The Western Transportation Company have purchased the steamer T. M. Richardson and will put her on the Newport-Yaquina run. This will make but one boat on the run this summer, and gives the Richardson the run again after a long lay-off. The Richardson is a good boat for that run, being comfortable, roomy and fast.

These hard times even brings out the old pocket pieces that people have possessed for some time. One of them found its way into Lester Waugh's hands last Friday. It is a silver piece, a little larger than a dollar. It bears date of 1855, and the side of the date is the inscriptions "I R. Sp.," "Rattoch Sauning" and on the obverse side a part of the inscriptions are worn out, but the words "Veriges Norr. Goth. Och. Kuning," can be deciphered. The edge is not milled, but instead some letters have been stamped thereon. Mr. Waugh got the silver piece from an Indian in payment for a meal, and where the Indian got it no one knows.

An idea of what may be done with bees in this country can be gleaned from the following experience of Mr. J. W. O'Neel, living on Mr. Wade's place, last year. He started in with four hives of bees in the spring. During the summer seven new swarms were cast from these, and in addition thereto Mr. O'Neel took from the bees and sold 180 pounds of good honey for which he received about an average of 14 cents per pound. His total outlay outside of his work caring for the bees was about three dollars, while the income was about \$25, leaving a net gain of \$22, besides the increase of seven new swarms, of a reasonable value of \$14. This was in one of the worst seasons for bees that we have had for years.

For bee supplies call on Gowell. Do you know a good thing? If you do, go to Gowell's to buy or sell.

Gowell has everything in the seed line at Portland and San Francisco prices.

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Eight out of the fifteen applicants at the recent teachers' examination were successful and secured certificates. They were as follows: Miss Anna Wright, of Yaquina, first grade; Miss Wilson, of Yaquina, and Geo. B. McCluskey, of Toledo, second grades; Miss Clara Crawford, of Elk City, Ira Wade, T. C. Wadsworth, of Toledo, and Claude Wilson, of Chitwood, third grade. Miss Hosford, of Waldport, also received a certificate, but we did not learn her grade.

Communicated.

Realizing the benefits that the summer schools have been to other states, and the power they are in awakening the interest of the people of the state in educational training, upon which the safety of our country depends; The persons at the head of the several educational departments of the state have decided to establish one in Oregon. With that end in view State Superintendent G. M. Irwin, Presidents C. H. Chapman, H. B. Miller and P. L. Campbell spent several days this week in Newport, considering the advantages of that place for its location, and evidently they were well pleased as they have made a formal proposition to the people of this county: "That they will act as a board of educational control," with Superintendent S. G. Irwin as an advisory member. Provided, the business and financial management will be directed by the people of Lincoln county, and that the business management furnish suitable buildings. The course will include in its several departments, music, art, household economy, geology, biology, history and economics, botany, language, elocution, physical culture, teachers review, English literature, pedagogy, bible study, mathematics, astronomy, etc. These several departments will be taught by specialists in their work, selected from all parts of the state. What is asked by these gentlemen is so insignificant in comparison to the benefits the school will be to the people of our county, that we feel that the school is already our institution, bringing to our children and our people a degree of intelligence and refinement that could be secured to us in no other way. The thousands of people that it will attract are all consumers of the products of our county, furnishing a high cash market for all first-class produce. It is estimated that the cost of the buildings required will be about \$2,500. The land will be donated no doubt. The amount of money expended by the patrons of this institution every year in our county will amount to \$10,000 or \$12,000. This will be a sure cure for much of the reported hard times. This will be a great step in making Lincoln county an educational center of which Oregon and the Pacific coast will be proud. Every person in the county should assist this enterprise, and we are confident they will.

Albert Hoskins was up from Newport today, looking after the piles that will be used to put in the new dock at that place.

The flood and the Oregon legislature were both billed for the same length of time—forty days. The legislature held over four days. Outside of that it was all in favor of the flood.

A NEW KIND OF PUDDING.

The Salem Journal has had the following original recipe contributed to its columns. The writer says: "I see you have a woman's department in your paper. I want to give you a recipe which a friend sent me from Missouri, where he says it is now very fashionable. It is called 'confidence pudding.' For the benefit of my unemployed brothers I will give them the following recipe:

Take three gallons of confidence, one peck of international agreement, one quart of gold standard, seven tablespoonsful of prosperity, two quarts of sound money, and one pound of protection. Boil it with twelve months of no-work, and eat while hot."

Born.

COOK.—To the family of W. N. Cook, of Chitwood, on Saturday, Feby. 20, 1897, a son.

Wall Paper.

Albert Hoskins, of Newport, is agent for the famous wall paper house of Alfred Peats, of Chicago, and is taking orders for that firm. He has a full line of samples of all the latest styles and patterns of paper and borders. The patterns are all late designs, being all for this year, and are sold very cheap. If you want wall paper it will pay you to see Mr. Hoskins, at Newport.

Notice.

My wife, Mrs. Emma Pament, has left by bed and board without just cause or provocation, and I will not be responsible for any debts which she may contract from this date.

H. H. PAMENT.
Nashville, Or., Jan. 18, 1897.

Estray Notice.

I have taken up at my place on the Siletz, one brindle cow, about 3 years old, marked with split and underbit on left ear. Owner is notified to prove property and pay charges on same.

H. C. CALAHAN,
Siletz, Or., Feby. 20, 1897.

Notice.

A stray cow. Color—red and white. Mark—upper slope off of both ears. Owner please call and pay for feed and advertising.

E. C. PAINE,
Chitwood, Ore.

Administrator's Notice.

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

In the matter of the estate of Dope Spencer, deceased: NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been appointed by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lincoln, administrator of the estate of Dope Spencer, late of Lincoln County, Oregon, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same, duly verified according to law to me at Toledo, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof, or the same will not be allowed. Dated at Toledo, Oregon, Feby. 24, 1897. C. H. RUHL, Administrator of the estate of Dope Spencer, Deceased.

Toledo Market Report.

Eggs,.....fresh 15c, packed 12c.
Butter, ranch,15c to 25c.
" creamery.....55 per roll.
Potatoes,.....45c to 50c per bu.
Cabbage.....3/3 to 10c per lb.
Flour.....\$4.60 per bbl.
Bran,.....\$1 per cwt.
Shorts,.....\$1.10 per cwt.
Oats,.....50c per bu.
Wheat,.....\$1 per bu.
Parsnips.....\$1 per cwt.
Carrots.....\$10 per ton.
Hay,.....\$10 per ton.
Chittem.....\$1.50 per cwt.

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Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, January 21, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Lincoln County, at Toledo, Oregon, on March 8th, 1897, viz:

JOHN O'CONNOR; H. E. 11,338, for the lots 1, 2, 3, and northeast 1/4 of south west 1/4 of section 7, town 13, south, range 30, west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William E. Dobson and Dave W. Gay, of Linville, Oregon, and John C. Barnes, and William L. Tullock, of Waldport, Oregon.

ROBERT A. MILLEB, Register.

OTTO O. KROGSTAD,

Reg. Pharmacist
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