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Official County Paper.

LOCAL NOTES

Its President McKinley now.

Gardening has been begun on a limited scale.

Tillotson and Horning are getting out some piling for the new wharf at Newport.

Peter Tellefson is still at Yaquina with a full line of General Merchandise. Call and see him.

Charley Read came over from his ranch on Salmon river yesterday, and went out to Corvallis today.

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

Ex-Judge D. P. Blue was in Toledo on business yesterday. He came up from California some time ago.

After staying around the capital fifty days our friend John Daly finally got a job as assistant sergeant-at-arms to try and induce members to come back and play a while longer.

John Ofstedahl went out to the Valley last Monday to purchase furniture and house furnishings preparatory to moving into the Kisor house. Mr. Ofstedahl will as soon as he arrives back, decide upon his future operations.

Arthur Rochester was down from Elk City Saturday night. He informs us that work is progressing at his quarry, and that they will soon have another car load of stone ready for shipment to San Francisco. He states that the outlook for the quarry is very good.

The instruments for the LEADER telephone line have been ordered from New York. They are first-class instruments and when they are up and in place, the patrons of the LEADER can "hello" to this office in an ordinary tone and hear the answer perfectly.

At the annual school meeting last Monday C. B. Crosno was elected director to succeed John McCluskey, whose term had expired, and T. P. Fish was elected clerk for the ensuing year. The clerk's report showed that there were 164 children of school age in the district. This is an increase of 30 over last year. This is a good increase for the year.

The county court has drawn first blood in the suit of officers for salaries. The case was argued at Albany some time ago upon a demurrer of the district attorney, who appeared for the county. Judge Fullerton then took the matter under advisement, and this week rendered a decision sustaining the demurrer. We understand that an appeal will be taken to the supreme court.

Messrs. G. Gunderson and O. Tongeland, of New Whatcom, Washington, were prospecting this section of country last week with a view to locating. They left on Monday well pleased with what they had seen. We were ahead of Washington in quality of soil, in the greater ease with which our land can be cleaned and in climate, besides not so heavily burdened with real estate indebtedness. They promised to be back after closing out what they had up there.

Peter Tellefson sells sugar and coffee, tea, bakingpowder, etc.

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

Last week we compared the Oregon legislature to the flood. We desire to hereby apologize to the flood.

Chas. Day, who was hurt about a month ago by falling off of a barn, is recovering, being able to set up now.

Go to Gorman's, at Yaquina, if you want to buy lastest improved Wheeler & Wilson sewing machines, at wholesale prices.

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.

County Clerk Jones has discharged his deputy and will run the office alone, at least until the court passes upon the salary question.

A social dance was given by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Huffman, at their place north of town, last Monday night.

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.

This office is up to its ears, so to speak, getting out the assessor's blanks and sheriff's tax receipts. The tax receipt is in the shape of a bound book and these receipts will compare in workmanship and material with the work turned out by city offices.

Our young friend Ira Wade secured his maiden teacher's certificate at the recent teacher's examination, and will teach his first term of school under it in the Stanton district this spring Ira might now be very appropriately called "Professor," and will bear the title with dignity. We wish him success in his chosen vocation.

W. H. Cook and wife met with a narrow escape from drowning in the Siletz last Monday. They had started from the Agency to go down the river to their home. Mr. Cook had his skiff at the Agency and had it pretty well loaded with goods and groceries. When about a mile below the Agency the boat ran onto a bar and upset, spilling the occupants and all their goods out into the water. Mr. and Mrs. Cook got their boat righted and got ashore, but lost all of their goods.

An ordinance was introduced at the council meeting last Monday night to provide for a license on drays and wagons within the city limits. If the ordinance passes it will impose a license of ten dollars per year upon what are commonly known as drays, payable semi-yearly. The ordinance was introduced at the request of a drayman, who claims that the men who keep teams during the winter months do so at a great expense, and when there is a chance to get even during the summer that other teams rush in and divide the work up so that no one makes a profit.

We would suggest to the Rt. Hon. erudite, gentlemanly, honest, scholarly, upright, learned, skillful, just, true, conscientious, estimable, smooth, plausible, mister old maid william matthews, the editor of the Newport news, that he waits until he gets his city council at Newport elected, his water front settled and his new dock built before he straightens up the city business for the City of Toledo. Maybe, by the time he gets that done his boss will have some other job waiting for him, and he wont have time to take care of our poor innocent little village.

Chas. Miller came over from the Siletz yesterday.

Indian Agent Gaither is over from Siletz today.

Ed. Wade expects to leave for Salem tomorrow.

Now trot out your prosperity. We can't get any too much of it for our part.

Mrs. Alice Waugh entertained several of her friends last Tuesday by an old fashioned quilting.

Sheriff Landis received the tax roll from the county clerk and is now prepared to receive the coin of the realm.

Mrs. John McGee and family arrived from Corvallis last Saturday night, and were met here by Mr. McGee. They went to the Agency Monday.

W. H. Cook and wife returned from a visit of some length in the east last Friday, and departed for their home on the Siletz Saturday. Mrs. Cook is an Oregon born lady, and this was her first trip to the east.

There will be preaching at the old school house, in this town, next Sunday at 11 a. m. Vesper or Easter service at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

W. H. MYERS, Pastor.

Attorney Denlinger petitioned the county judge today for a writ of habaes corpus for the person of Aleck Spencer, the Indian youth confined in jail here. The petition was granted and the time for hearing was set for April 5th.

Last Thursday night Wm. Dobson and Miss Alice L. Downes came up from Alsea, and routing the county clerk out procured the necessary legal permit to enter the marriage state. Proceeding to the residence of 'Squire Hall they were speedily united in marriage by that officer, and immediately started on their return home.

D. C. Small's boat that has been missing was found last Saturday sunk near the wharf on the Mackey place. When found it had a full cargo of stone on board which would seem to indicate that somebody might have helped in the sinking. It is but justice to say, however, that the tenants on the Mackey place are entirely free from all suspicion in the matter.

An organization of business men of Toledo to be known as the Toledo Board of Trade, was effected last night. The meeting was held at Fish's store. The officers elected were C. L. Gowell, president; O. O. Krogstad, secretary and E. Gaar, treasurer. The object of the organization is to work for the advancement of the business interests of Toledo in all directions. The Board of Trade will be of much benefit to the city, beyond doubt.

The recent liquor law passed by congress has aroused considerable excitement among the Indians on the Siletz, and there are several funny explanations of it. That of Capt. Harney made to a meeting of the Indians the other day was engenuous, whether it had any other quality or not. Capt. Harney stated that Cleveland was "hi-yu" mad because the Indians did not vote for his friend Mr. Bryan, and so to pay them up he passed a law not to let them have any more whiskey.

Sunday School Concert.

A Sunday school concert will be given at the old school house in Toledo on Sunday evening, March 14. All are invited. The full program will be published next week.

County Warrants Wanted.

Cash paid for county, city and school warrants.

J. F. STEWART.

County Clerk Jones gives us the following information concerning the office of county clerk and the emoluments therefor, which are interesting at this time. He states that for the past seven months his salary would, at the figure set by the county court, have amounted to $700, saying nothing of the discount. During that time he has paid out $280 for regular deputy hire, and in addition has paid extra deputy hire as follows: For making the delinquent tax roll in October, $58; for making two copies of the assessment roll, one for the sheriff and one for secretary of state, $120. The total deputy hire paid out amounted to $458, leaving him the salary of $242, or $34.50 per month, and the discount on the warrants to come off of that.

The county clerk discharged his deputy last Monday, and says that the law compels him to keep his office open from eight o'clock in the morning until five p. m., which he will do and do faithful work for the county, but he says that it is simply impossible to perform all the duties of the clerk's office without a deputy. The average number of letters alone to answer each day is twelve and in many instances it requires two or three hours to hunt up the records to give the desired information. Then there is never a day passes but some one is in the office wanting to look the records over, and the attorneys probably in one case will require nearly every book in the office out of the vault. In fact it just about takes the time of one person to wait upon the public. The clerk says that hereafter, for want of time, he will be compelled to let the recording go undone and will try and keep the probate journal, county court journal, commissioner's journal and the journal of the circuit court, but without a deputy a large amount of the county business will go over.

Died.

ZINC.—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Turnidge, near this place, on Tuesday, March 2, 1897, Mrs. Elizabeth Zinc.

The deceased was the mother of Mrs. J. R. Turnidge and Mrs. J. W. Parrish.

Notice to Taxpayers.

The tax roll for 1896 is now due and in my hands for collection. The law requires me to return all taxes delinquent remaining unpaid on the first Monday of April, after which, in most cases, costs will exceed the takes.

Dated March 7, 1897.

GEO. A. LANDIS, Sheriff.

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.

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.

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.

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.

Toledo Market Report.

Eggs	fresh 15c, packed 12c
Butter, ranch	15c to 25c
" creamery	55 per roll
Potatoes	45c to 50c per bu
Cabbage	⅔ to 1c 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.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon,
February 27, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed his intention of making 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 April 17, 1897, viz:

WILLIAM WAKEFIELD, H. E. No. 8,682, for the southwest ¼ of southeast ¼, east ½ of southwest ¼ and southeast ¼ of northwest ¼ section 12, town 11, south, range 9 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Irvin Magee, William F. Hyde, and Brown Hawkins, of Eddyville, Oregon, and John L. Hyde, of Toledo, Oregon.

ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

Notice of Sheriff Sale of Real Property under Execution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER an execution 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 28th day of January, A. D. 1897, on a decree of foreclosure and sale rendered and entered in said court in a suit wherein C. G. Copeland was plaintiff and R. F. Baker and Nettie J. Baker, Edward L. Shipley, Sol King and Minnie E. Lee, administratrix of the estate of J. B. Lee, deceased, were defendants, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants, R. F. Baker, Nettie J. Baker, Edward L. Shipley, Sol King and Minnie E. Lee, administratrix of the estate of J. B. Lee, deceased, for the sum of Three Hundred and Eighty-five and 94-100 Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the said 26th day of January, 1897, and Thirty-five Dollars attorney fees, and the further sum of Twenty-two and 60-100 dollars costs. Against all defendants foreclosing the mortgage set out in the complaint and for the sale of the real property hereinafter described and which bears date the 26th day of January, 1897; and said execution issued thereon as aforesaid is to me directed and commands me to sell all of the following described real property to satisfy said decree and execution, to-wit: Lots number 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, in Block No. 14; also Lots Number 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, in Block No. 15; also Lots Number 1, 2, 11 and 12 in Block No. 16; also Lots Number 1, 2, 11 and 12 in Block Number 13, all of the said lots in Blocks Numbered 13, 14, 15 and 16 being in Bickford's addition to the town of Alexandria, Lincoln County, Oregon.

Now, therefore, in compliance with said execution and order of sale, I, as such sheriff, will on

Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1897,

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 highest bidder for U. S. gold coin, cash in hand, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said defendants in and to the said above described real property with the appurtenances, subject to redemption, to satisfy said execution and the amounts due thereon as above stated, together with the costs and accruing costs.

Dated January 28th, 1897.

GEORGE A. LANDIS,
Sheriff of Lincoln County, Oregon.

Notice of Sheriff Sale of Real Property Under Execution and Order of Sale.

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Saturday, the 6th day of March, 1897,

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon 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 highest bidder for cash in hand, U. S. gold coin, all the right, title, interest and estate of said defendants in and to the above-described real property with the appurtenances, subject to redemption under the laws of Oregon, to satisfy said execution and the amounts due thereon, together with cost and accruing costs.

Dated, Toledo, Or., January 28th, 1897.

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

H. DENLINGER,

Attorney-at-Law

TOLEDO, OREGON.