

# Lincoln County Leader.

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**DIRECTORY.**

**LINCOLN COUNTY.**

County Judge: Tol. Carter  
 County Clerk: E. R. Lake  
 Sheriff: J. O. Stearns  
 Treasurer: B. F. Jones  
 Surveyor: George Landis  
 School Superintendent: J. L. Hyde  
 Assessor: S. G. Irvin  
 Coroner: Z. M. Herriok  
 Commissioners: Hurley Lutz, T. M. Coombs, Chas. Williams, F. A. Godwin

County Commissioners Court meets on Wednesday after the first Monday in February, April, June, August, October and December.

**CIRCUIT COURT.**  
 Judge: Hon. J. C. Fullerton  
 Prosec. Attorney: W. E. Yates  
 Court convenes on 4th Monday in July and 4th Monday in January of each year.

**CITY OF TOLEDO.**  
 Mayor: B. F. Jones  
 Recorder: E. F. Stewart  
 Marshal: E. A. Arnold  
 Aldermen: C. B. Crano, C. L. Howell, C. I. Filson, M. Starr, Foster Wauugh, A. L. Peterson  
 Council meets on the first Monday evening in each month.

**TOLEDO PRECINCT.**  
 Justice of the Peace: J. A. Hall  
 Constable: J. C. Altree

**NEWPORT.**  
 Justice of the Peace: Geo. F. Sylvester  
 Constable: W. H. Crutchfield

**YAQUINA.**  
 Justice of the Peace: J. S. Booth  
 Constable: W. L. Watkins

**ELK CITY.**  
 Justice of the Peace: A. P. Clark  
 Constable: Alex. Burkhalter

**LITTLE ELK.**  
 Justice of the Peace: Chas. Henderson  
 Constable: Z. S. Dorrick

**NASVILLE.**  
 Justice of the Peace: F. S. Huntington  
 Constable: N. F. Edwards

**BEAVER CREEK.**  
 Justice of the Peace: Sam'l Hill  
 Constable: Joseph Gourley

**TIDEWATER.**  
 Justice of the Peace: N. J. Goodman  
 Constable: W. A. Villo

**LOBSTER.**  
 Justice of the Peace: J. A. Cook  
 Constable: W. P. Taylor

**LOWER ALMA and YACHTS.**  
 Justice of the Peace: Wm. Wakefield  
 Constable: John Early

**SALMON RIVER.**  
 Justice of the Peace: Chas. Bond  
 Constable: M. Berton

**ROSE.**  
 Justice of the Peace: W. H. Cook  
 Constable: Wm. E. Croxford

**CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.**

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**—Services at 10 o'clock on the first and second Sabbath of each month, and on the first and second of each month, and on the first and second of each month. Rev. W. H. MOYERS, Pastor.

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH** (Protestant Episcopal) Services on the third Sunday of every month at 11 a. m. All are invited to attend. Rev. Chas. Booth, Missionary. Residence, Newport, Or.

**W. O. F.**—Lodge No. 105, Meet every Saturday evening at their hall in this town. J. R. TURNIDGE, S. G.

**W. O. F.**—Lodge No. 116, of Yaquina City, meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are always welcome. S. A. FRUIT, S. G.

**W. O. F.**—Newport Lodge No. 80, meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. L. O. OLSSON, S. G.

**W. O. F.**—Elk Lodge No. 114, meets every Wednesday evening in its hall at Elk City. Visiting brothers are always welcome. P. A. MILLER, S. G.

**W. O. F.**—Newport Lodge No. 85, regular communication on Saturday afternoon before each month. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. A. H. HAMPTON, M. W.

**W. O. F.**—Yaquina Bay Council No. 745 National Union, meets on the first and third Friday nights of each month. Visiting brothers are welcome. B. E. PEARS, Sec.

**W. O. F.**—Lodge No. 70, Nezah Dozee, meets on the first and third Friday nights of each month in the Odd Fellows hall in this city on Tuesday evening of each week. ALICE WATSON, S. G.

**ANNETTE KROGSTAD**, Secretary.

**W. O. F.**—The Lincoln Post No. 68, meets in the Good Templars Hall on the first and third Saturdays of each month. H. R. STUBBIVANT, Post Com.

**W. O. F.**—Western Star Lodge No. 73, meets in the Odd Fellows' hall, Yaquina, on the first and third Saturdays of each month. Visiting brothers are always welcome. H. R. LUGGER, M. W.

**W. O. F.**—H. L. TRAVIS, Recorder.

**WOODMEN OF THE WORLD**—Pocahontas Camp No. 290, Toledo, Oregon, meets on the first and third Thursdays in each month in the Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting neighbors are always welcome. E. A. ARNOLD, GEO. BETHERS, Consul. Clerk.

**W. O. F.**—Woodmen circle, meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at 7:00 o'clock P. M. Mrs. JENNIE ARNOLD, W. G. Mrs. EUNICE AKIN, Clerk.

**W. R. C.**—THE LINCOLN WOMAN'S RELIEF Corp., No. 49, auxiliary to the G. A. R. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays in each month in the I. O. O. F. hall at 2 o'clock P. M. Mrs. ELIZA EWING, President. Mrs. CARRIE PEARS, Secy.

**UNITED ARTISANS**—RIVER DELL ASSEMBLY No. 92, United Artisans, meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesday nights of each month in the Odd Fellows' hall, Elk City, Oregon. Visiting brothers and sisters are always welcome. J. C. DIXON, M. A. O. G. DALABA, Secretary.

**JUST ARRIVED!**

**O'BRIEN'S,**

The Largest Invoice of Goods Ever brought to this County,

Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Furnishing Goods, LADIES' & GENTS' UNDERWEAR, NOTIONS, ETC.

- A Few of Our Leaders:
- Men's All Wool Suits, 35 to 42, \$ 6.50
  - Men's all wool clay worsted, very neat, 10.00
  - Men's latest style plaids, Fly Front, 10.00
  - 20 yards best check Gingham, \$1.00
  - 18 yards unbleached muslin, 36 inches, 1.00
  - 14 yards very best Calico, 1.00

ALSO A LARGE LINE OF TRUNKS and VALISES, OIL CLOTHING, RUBBER BOOTS and SHOES.

Custom Tailoring a Specialty.

MAIL & EXPRESS ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED

**O'BRIEN'S,** YAQUINA.

**The Defendants Go Free.**

The case of the State of Oregon vs. Geo. Busch and Cassimer Busch, which was on trial in Justice Hall's court at the time we went to press last week, resulted in a verdict for the defendants.

The trouble arose over some land on Drift creek which one of the Busch boys recently filed on. His filing included forty acres of land claimed by Mrs. Geo. Henshaw. As nearly as we can learn, neither Mr. Henshaw nor Mrs. Henshaw had filed on any of this land, holding it only by settlement. After Mr. Busch had included this forty acres in his homestead filing Mrs. Henshaw filed a contest against him, claiming prior settlement. On the forty acres there is a little garden patch and it was over this little piece of ground the fuss occurred. Mrs. Henshaw's father, Mr. Thos. Stakely, was helping Mrs. Henshaw plant potatoes on the disputed ground, when the Busch boys appeared and ordered them off. They refused to go, and in the quarrel that followed, it was alleged that the Busch boys pointed a gun at Mr. Stakely. Upon a warrant sworn out on this charge the trial was held. The case was tried by a jury composed of the following persons: N. Snow, J. D. Newlin, John Lucas, T. P. Fish, Frank Fray and R. F. Raines. The case was given to the jury about 9 o'clock in the evening, and midnight had come and gone when they finally agreed upon a verdict of not guilty. H. Denlinger appeared for the defendants and F. D. Carson, deputy district attorney, prosecuted the case for the state.

It is due the Busch boys to say that since they have resided on Drift creek, nearly two years, that they have never had any trouble before, and that they have the reputation of being quiet, hard-working and industrious boys.

Some people are always on the lookout to save money. An exchange gives a couple of instances of how a great saving was made by some of its people: One saw an advertisement in a San Francisco paper offering six yards of fine silk for \$1. A remittance of this amount brought a small spool, around which was wrapped six yards of fine silk thread. Another economist paid \$2 to learn how to save one-half of her grocery bill, and was advised to paste it in her scrap book after cutting it in two.

Ex-Senator Corbett figuratively comes daily knocking at the senate door and inquiring why his credentials of appointment from the governor of Oregon are not good enough to let him in on. However, the objection to this prevails, that of delay to the tariff bill, for if the republicans should once enter upon the attempt to seat the Oregon senator it would be good-bye to any consideration of the tariff bill at this session.—Washington Post.

The Weekly Register, of Eugene, has changed hands. C. D. Edwards, who was for several years employed on the Guard, and H. T. Condon are the new owners. They will take possession of the Register plant today.

There are lots of newcomers arriving these days. Nearly all of them are men looking for homes.

**THE TRAIL TO KERVILLE.**

An Important Matter to Toledo and the North Part of the County.

There has been some talk lately of opening the trail from the head of Depoe slough to Kerville, or at least to tidewater on the Siletz. It will be remembered that a party of Toledo business men passed over the route last summer, and reported that the route was an excellent one, with but few hills on it, and that a trail could be made a reasonable expense.

It is important to Toledo and the whole north part of the county that this trail be opened up. It is the shortest and only feasible route to Kerville and the lower Siletz country. To put a road along the beach is impracticable owing to the high bluffs and the nature of the tides. Too many narrow escapes and too many fatal accidents have occurred on that north beach to ever make a practical roadway out of it. The route up Depoe and along the ridge to tidewater is at once the shortest and most feasible route. It behooves the business men and people of Toledo to act in this matter at once. They cannot afford to have the trade of that part of the county diverted to any other town. It is true that the trade from there is not heavy at present, but it is increasing rapidly, and if a road or even a trail was opened up to Kerville there would be many new settlers go in along the route. Immigration is coming in to Lincoln county and it stands us in hand to do all we can to permanently locate it. The opening of this trail would not cost a great deal, probably not to exceed \$300 or \$350, and we certainly believe that Toledo cannot afford to allow another summer to pass without doing this important work. As one business institution of the place we will contribute toward this project, and we believe that nearly every business man in town will do the same.

Talk this matter up and let us see if we cannot do something at once.

The senate sugar schedule is said to be almost word for word the same as the one originally suggested by the sugar trust. On sugars below 87 deg. test the rate is entirely ad valorem, and is fixed at 75 per cent. Above that the ad valorem duty is 35 per cent., besides which the bill prescribes a specific duty of 79.100 of a cent per pound for sugar testing 87 deg., and then adds 2-100 of a cent for each degree in addition up to 100 deg., where the specific rate would be 1.05 cents. The specific duty on refined sugar is made 1.16 cents, so that there is a nominal differential on the specific rates of 11-100 of a cent per pound, or very nearly equal to the 1/4 of a cent in the house bill. But the real discrimination in favor of the trust is in the ad valorem duty. As the price of refined sugar is very much above that of the raw sugar, the differential is largely increased over that in the house, and probably is upward of 1/4 of a cent a pound, aside from all the possibilities of the process of undervaluation.

It is the Best on Earth.

That is what Edwards & Parker, merchants of Plains, Ga., say of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, lame back, deep-seated and muscular pains. Sold by O. O. Krogstad, druggist.