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DIRECTORY.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Superintendent. Tol. Carter
Judge. E. R. Lake
Representative. J. O. Stearns
County Clerk. B. F. Jones
County Treasurer. George Landis
County Engineer. J. L. Hyde
County Surveyor. S. G. Irvin
County Assessor. Z. M. Derrick
County Jailor. Hurley Lutz
County Jail. T. M. Coombs
County Jail. Chas. Williams
County Jail. F. A. Godwin

Circuit Court.
C. Fullerton, Judge
Pros. Attorney
convenes on 4th Monday in July and
Monday in January of each year.

CITY OF TOLEDO.

Mayor. J. A. Hall
Recorder. J. C. Altrice
Marshal. J. C. Altrice
Aldermen. J. A. Hall, J. C. Altrice, J. L. Hyde, S. G. Irvin, Z. M. Derrick, Hurley Lutz, T. M. Coombs, Chas. Williams, F. A. Godwin
The city meets on the first Monday evening in each month.

TOLEDO PRECINCT.

of the Peace. J. A. Hall
of the Peace. J. C. Altrice

NEWPORT.

of the Peace. Geo. F. Sylvester
of the Peace. W. H. Crutchfield

YAQUINA.

of the Peace. J. S. Booth
of the Peace. W. L. Watkins

ELK CITY.

of the Peace. A. B. Clark
of the Peace. Alex. Burkhalter

LITTLE ELK.

of the Peace. Chas. Henderson
of the Peace. Z. S. Derrick

NASHVILLE.

of the Peace. J. S. Huntington
of the Peace. N. F. Edwards

BEAVER CREEK.

of the Peace. Sam'l Hill
of the Peace. Joseph Gourley

TIDEWATER.

of the Peace. N. J. Goodman
of the Peace. W. A. Vidito

LOBSTER.

of the Peace. L. A. Feek
of the Peace. W. P. Taylor

LOWER ALSEA and YACHTS.

of the Peace. Wm. Wakefield
of the Peace. John Early

SALMON RIVER.

of the Peace. Chas. Read
of the Peace. M. Berton

ROSS.

of the Peace. W. H. Cook
of the Peace. Geo. E. Croxford

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

Episcopal Church.—Services on the first and second Sabbath of each month, morning and evening; services on third and fourth Sabbath of each month, morning and evening. Rev. W. H. MYERS, Pastor.

Protestant Episcopal Church.—Services on the third Sunday of every month, 11 a. m. All are invited to attend. Chas. Booth, Missionary. Residence, Newport, Or.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 108, Meets Saturday evening at their hall in this city. Sec'y, J. R. TURNIDGE, N. G.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 116, of Yaquina City, Meets Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are always welcome. Sec'y, E. A. PRUITT, N. G.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 89, Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. Sec'y, L. O. OLSSON, N. G.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 134, Meets every Wednesday evening in its hall at Elk City. Visiting brothers are always welcome. Sec'y, J. H. VANORDEN, N. G.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 83, regular meetings on Saturday or on the first of each month. Visiting brothers are cordially invited. Sec'y, A. H. HAMPTON, M. W.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 745 National Union, Meets on second and fourth Friday nights of each month. Traveling friends are welcome. Sec'y, R. F. JONES, Pres.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 70, Ketchikan Degree, Meets on the Odd Fellows hall in this city on Tuesday evening of each week. Sec'y, ALICE WAUGH, N. G.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 68, Meets in the Good Templars Hall on the first and third of each month. Sec'y, H. R. STURDEVANT, Post Com.

U. F. Lodge.—No. 73, Meets in the Odd Fellows hall, Yaquina, on the first and third Saturday evenings of each month. Visiting brothers are always welcome. Sec'y, H. K. LUGER, M. W.

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O'BRIEN'S,

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Goods Must Go!

Having concluded to change place of business to Albany and leave the Bay, I will close out my Stock at

Unheard of Prices

THIS IS NO SHAM BUT A GENUINE

CLOSING OUT SALE,

AND BUYERS CAN FIND

Bargains in Every Line.

DON'T FAIL TO GET PRICES ON

DRY GOODS,
MEN & BOY'S CLOTHING,
HATS and CAPS,
FURNISHING GOODS,
LADIES' & GENTS' UNDERWEAR,
NOTIONS, ETC.

TRUNKS and VALISES,
OIL CLOTHING,
RUBBER BOOTS and SHOES.

MUST CLOSE OUT BY SEPTEMBER FIRST.

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YAQUINA.

Weekly Crop and Weather Bulletin.

WESTERN OREGON.

Weather.—The past week has been very warm and dry, though slightly cooler than during the preceding week. The mean temperature for the week is 71 degrees, which is 2 degrees cooler than the preceding week. The decrease in mean temperature is due to the lower maximum temperatures the minimum or night temperatures having been slightly higher than during the preceding week; the former averaged 83 degrees, and the latter 59 degrees. Tuesday to Friday, inclusive, had maximum temperatures ranging from 72 deg. to 88 degrees; Saturday, Sunday, and today they ranged from 94 to 96 degrees. The minimum or night temperatures ranged from 50 to 64 degrees; it is seldom that the minimum temperature is above 60 degrees in any portion of Oregon. The fore part of the week had clouds and a light rain Tuesday and Wednesday morning along the northern coast and over the northwestern counties; the rainfall was from a trace to .10 of an inch. The atmosphere is becoming very smoky, due to the increasing forest fires. The winds have been light in force and northerly since Thursday.

Crops.—Harvesting and threshing of fall-sown wheat and oats about completed. Some spring-sown wheat has already been cut, and the current week will find harvesting of spring-sown grain in active operation. The fall-sown wheat is unusually heavy, and the yield is fully an average. Spring-sown wheat and oats are fully an average as to quality and prospective yield. The spring acreage is larger than usual, hence the output will be an average, or more. The weather now can do no harm, nor can it benefit the grain crops. Dry weather is desirable for harvesting and threshing.

The hop crop is in danger from the ravages of the hop louse. Those yards on the higher ground and properly taken care of present a good, thrifty appearance and are quite free from lice; yards on low land and not sprayed will not be picked. The warm, dry weather has been detrimental to the extension of the ravages of the louse, and it has helped well-taken-care-of yards. Honey dew is forming and the louse is seeking the burr. Some hopgrowers are satisfied with the prospects, others are discouraged; unless a material change takes place, the hop output will be less than the average, but at present it is expected to be greater than the 1896 crop.

Fruit is ripening rapidly. Crawford peaches are now ripe, and are being shipped in large quantities. Prunes have colored and the driers will start within ten days. Bartlett pears are ripening. The peach crop is unusually heavy. Pears, apples and prunes are more than an average crop and the fruit is in much better condition than usual, due to the more careful attention to orchards.

Potatoes are reported to be a heavy crop in every section. Corn is doing much better than usual. Melons are ripening nicely. Flax for fibre and sugar beets surpass all expectations, and the successful growth of both is assured. Garden produce is doing well.

The conditions today are favorable for cooler weather and smoky

during the coming week.—Weekly Crop Bulletin.

August 16, 1897.

J. E. Lathrop, who started for Klondike from Pendleton, representing several newspapers, writes back as follows from Dyea: "If anyone ever saw a sight like this before he saw it in his dreams. Imagine 2,000 people landed here during a few weeks with camping outfits. Not a man ever was here before, and the majority have not been doing manual labor for years. They are strung along from tide water to the foot of the pass, desperately struggling to get over. Every day sees intense rivalry and vain endeavor, but little success. Men simply cannot get over who came late, at least that is my judgment." Throughout his letter he sounds this good advice: "Don't come this fall. Under any and all circumstances stay at home and come in the spring. I know absolutely enough to say this as a final conclusion." And he concludes his letter with this unmistakable P. S.: "Again do not come north this fall, excepting on pleasure trips."—Statesman.

Hop lice seem to be getting their work in pretty good shape in nearly every yard in the vicinity of Scio, says the Press. The only grower that we know of is endeavoring to stop the ravages of the aphid is G. W. Phillips. He has a two-horse sprayer and is running every day, using an emulsion prepared by some one near Buena Vista. Whether he will succeed in saving his hops remains to be seen. Honey dew is also complained of by nearly every grower. If it were not for these two pests, our hopgrowers would be strictly in it this year. The price promises to be unusually good.

Wheat is seventy-five cents in the local market. Delivery of the new crop has already begun and yesterday a long line of teams waited their turn to unload at the various grain depots in town. A few farmers are selling, the Benton mills having already purchased about 10,000 bushels. Wheat quotations in Portland yesterday stood at 84, or a cent per bushel lower than the day previous. The price of oats in the local market is about 25 cents per bushel, with no apparent indication of a drop.—Corvallis Times.

The Elder started last Sunday with another load of passengers for the golden North. The Eugene started Tuesday connecting with the Bristol and go with her as convoy to St. Michaels, from whence the light draught steamer Eugene is booked to convey the passengers direct to Dawson City. Two steamers for the Klondike in one week looks like active business.

The oldest men in the United States Senate are Morrill, of Vermont, who is eighty-four; Palmer, of Illinois, seventy-seven; Harris, of Tennessee, seventy-six; Pugh, of Alabama, seventy-four, and Sherman of Ohio and Hunton of Virginia seventy-one.

There are now in the United States over five hundred cities with a population of over eight thousand, the number having doubled in the past fourteen years. One hundred years ago there were only six with that population.