

DIRECTORY.

LINCOLN COUNTY.

Joint Senator	Tol. Carter
Joint Representative	E. R. Lake
County Judge	J. O. Stearns
Clerk	B. F. Jones
Sheriff	George Landis
Treasurer	J. L. Hyde
School Superintendent	S. G. Irvin
Surveyor	Z. M. Derrick
Assessor	Hurley Lutz
Comptroller	T. M. Coombs
Commissioners	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.

Hon. J. C. Fullerton	Judge
W. E. Yates	Prot. Attorney

Court convenes on 4th Monday in July and fourth Monday in January of each year.

CITY OF TOLEDO.

H. F. Jones	Mayor
F. Stewart	Recorder
A. A. Arnold	Marshal
A. B. Cronin	Aldermen
L. G. Gowell	
C. L. Tillotson	
M. Starr	
Leiter Waugh	Aldermen
A. T. 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. B. Clark
Constable	Alex Burkhalter

LITTLE ELK.

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

NASHVILLE.

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

BRAVER CREEK.

Justice of the Peace	Sam'l Hill
Constable	Joseph Gourley

TIDEWATER.

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

LOBSTER.

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

LOWER ALSEA and YACHATS.

Justice of the Peace	Wm. Wakefield
Constable	John Early

SALMON RIVER.

Justice of the Peace	Chas. Read
Constable	M. Berton

ROSS.

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

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services at Toledo on the first and third Sabbaths of each month at 11 o'clock a. m. Sabbath school every Sabbath morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. C. R. ELLSWORTH, Pastor.

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

I. O. O. F.—Toledo Lodge, No. 108. Meet every Saturday evening at their hall in this town. J. R. TURNIDGE, N. G. J. T. EWING, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.—Bay Lodge No. 116, of Yaquina City. Meets every Wednesday evening. Visiting brothers are always welcome. S. A. PRUITT, N. G. E. J. BURROWS, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.—Newport Lodge No. 89. Meets every Saturday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. L. O. OLSSON, N. G. J. W. OLIVER, Secretary.

I. O. O. F.—Elk Lodge No. 134. Meets every Saturday evening in its hall at Elk City. Visiting brothers always welcome. J. H. VAN ORDEN, N. G. E. M. Mays, Secy.

F. & A. M.—Newport Lodge No. 65. Regular convocation on Saturday or before each full moon. Visiting brothers are cordially welcomed. A. H. HAMPTON, M. W. JOHN BUCKLEY, Secy.

Yaquina Bay Council No. 745 National Union. Meets on second and fourth Friday nights of the month. Traveling friends are welcome. T. P. FISH, Sec. N. SNOW, Pres.

DO GOOD LODGE No. 70. Rebekah Degree. I. O. O. F. Meets in the Odd Fellows hall in this city on Tuesday evening of each week. EUNICE AKIN, N. G. ELLA F. STEWART, Secretary.

TWILIGHT REBEKAH LODGE No. 90. Meets at the I. O. O. F. hall at Elk City on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting members always welcome. MRS. MARIE MILLER, N. G. MRS. LILLIE TRAPP, Secretary.

G. A. R.—Abe Lincoln Post No. 68. Meets in the G. A. R. hall on the first and third Saturdays of each month. H. R. STURDEVANT, Post Com. T. P. FISH, Adjutant.

A. O. U. W.—Western Star Lodge No. 73. Meets in the Odd Fellows' hall, Yaquina, on first and third Saturdays, evenings in each month. Visiting brothers are always welcome. H. K. LUGGER, M. W. H. L. TRAVIS, Recorder.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—Pocahontas Camp No. 299, Toledo, Oregon, meets on the first and third Thursdays in each month in the Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting neighbors are always welcome. R. A. ARNOLD, Consul. GEO. BETHERS, Clerk.

Spring Grove, Woodmen circle, meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at 12 o'clock p. m. Mrs. JENNIE ARNOLD, W. G. Mrs. EUNICE AKIN, Clerk.

W. R. C.—ABE LINCOLN WOMAN'S RELIEF Corps, No. 42, 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. JENNIE ARNOLD, Secretary.

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

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Toledo, Oregon.

The three year old child of J. A. Johnson, of Lynn Center, Ill., is subject to attacks of croup. Mr. Johnson says he is satisfied that the timely use of Chamberlain's Croup Remedy, during a severe attack, saved his little boy's life. He is in the drug business, a member of the firm of Johnson Bros. of that place and they handle a great many patent medicines for throat and lung diseases. He had all these to choose from, and skilled physicians ready to respond to his call, but selected this remedy for use in his own family at a time when his child's life was in danger, because he knew it to be superior to any other, and famous the country over for its cures for croup. Mr. Johnson says this is the best selling cough medicine that they handle, and that it gives splendid satisfaction in all cases. Sold by O. O. Krogstad, Druggist.

BOLD ROBBERY AT YAQUINA.

The Store of T. W. Gorman Broken Into and About \$500 Worth of Goods Stolen.

Another robbery occurred at Yaquina last Saturday night, or early Sunday morning, and as a result Mr. T. W. Gorman, one of the principal merchants of that place and the owner of the only hardware store is out about \$500 worth of goods.

The robbery was discovered on Sunday morning, and Mr. Gorman at once wired to Toledo to the Sheriff. Deputy Sheriff Ross went down at once, and began an investigation of the case. He found that the store had been entered by the front door. The doors had been pried apart by a chisel or some similar instrument, and a thin piece of steel of some kind had been pushed in crowding back the Yale lock, allowing the door to be freely opened. Once inside the thief or thieves appeared to have taken things coolly, taking their own time to select just such goods as they deemed most valuable. The goods that Mr. Gorman is positive were stolen makes up quite a list, and there may be more goods stolen that he has not yet missed. The stolen goods consist of 11 shotguns, 8 revolvers, 9 watches, about 5 dozen pocket knives, three pair rubber boots, two slickers, half a cheese, some crackers, some canned fruit, a lot of ammunition and tobacco. The store had been carefully gone over, the thieves taking only a certain class of articles. Some of the guns taken were very valuable, one of them being a hammerless Parker worth at least a hundred dollars. Several of the others were also high priced guns. Some of the watches were also quite valuable. The pocket knives were the best in the store, among them being several of the John S. Holler brand that were of extra quality and retailed for \$1.50 each.

The work bears the marks of professionals, and indicates that two or three persons were engaged in it. The guns alone would have made quite a load for one man to have gotten away with, and it would have been no small job for two men to have carried the goods away and secreted them. The taking of the boots and slickers would indicate that two or perhaps three persons were engaged in the work. The thieves would not be likely to take any more clothing than they could wear, and the food taken indicates that they were only laying in a stock to last them until they could get out of the country.

The officers believe that the goods stolen were taken by two or three persons and taken up or down the river in a boat, and have been cached away some, where they will leave them until the chase has quieted down, when they will be taken away and sold. To bear this theory out, the thieves stole about six or seven yards of oil cloth off of a roll of cloth in the store. The idea is that the goods have been wrapped carefully in that cloth to keep them from getting wet and rusting.

The officers have two or three suspicious characters under suspicion, but no arrests have yet been made.

Mr. Gorman seems to be unfortunate in having his store broken into, it having been broken into once or twice before.

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NORTONS NOTES.

We like it—the Semi-weekly LEADER.

Stock of all kinds doing fine on the range.

Charley Pettit of Summit, was visiting in this vicinity last week.

I. J. Pepin and wife of Chitwood, Sundayed with H. S. Porter and family.

John Beers has bought a fine band of stock sheep of Chas. Henderson, and has settled down to business.

Didn't we have a fine dance at Benj. Beers Friday night? Ben is a royal entertainer when it comes to dancing.

Our nimrods, Walter Huffman and E. H. Bryant killed a very large cougar about a week ago, and three or four wild cats. This makes the sheep raisers smile.

J. W. Bryant drove to Sheridan last week about 200 head of the finest mutton sheep that was ever drove out of Lincoln county. The price paid was \$2 and \$2.25 per head.

There will be a grand ball at H. S. Porter's Christmas eve, (December 24). Mrs. Porter will furnish the supper and Mart Glass the music. This will insure a good time to everybody that attends. Mart has composed some waltzes this winter that would do credit to Wagner. Come and hear them.

This vicinity is getting to be a great sheep raising locality, nearly every man having from 25 to 175 head. Sheep are great land cleaners. They will kill out the fern and small brush, and the grass will start right up in its place. Land that two or three years ago was considered worthless is today good sheep pasture, and sheep feed over it daily. Every farmer in this county should have some sheep if it is only a few. They will soon increase and then you will have a better cleared place, grass in the place of fern on your land, and dollars in the place of cents in your pockets. Get some sheep.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

Nortons, December 6, 1897.

A growing deficiency confronts the government each month, and how to provide for it is a question that gives the administration much concern. It seems that a high tariff bill will not produce any more revenue than a low tariff bill. Some day the people will learn that you cannot eat a cake and have it too. Or in other words you can't collect a revenue off of goods that are not shipped and sold into this country. Revenue must be raised by taxation, direct or indirect.

Congress convened in its regular session last Monday. The principal questions before this session will be the Hawaiian question, Cuba, and how to provide for a deficiency in the revenues.

Don't be persuaded into buying liniments without reputation or merit—Chamberlain's Pain Balm costs no more, and its merits have been proven by a test of many years. Such letters as the following from L. G. Bagley, Huneme, Cal., are constantly being received: "The best remedy for pain I have ever used is Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and I say so after having used it in my family for years." It cures rheumatism, lame back, sprains and swellings. For sale by O. O. Krogstad, druggist.