

# Lincoln County Leader.

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## LOCAL IN BRIEF.

The Ladies Aid society had an old-time meeting with Mrs. Rite Dedrick Tuesday afternoon, fourteen being present. It was decided to hold the fair in the near future, and until after that time the attendance is expected to be even better than it was Tuesday. The officers are greatly encouraged. After adjournment the members "posed" in front of Mrs. Dedrick's pretty home while Mrs. D. H. Magee took a couple of snap shots with her kodak. The background of the picture, at least, is sure to be beautiful. The next meeting will be with Mrs. C. C. Kubler one week from next Tuesday, October 2.

This Yaquina Bay country isn't celebrated for its peaches, but when the trees are placed in favorable locations and properly cared for the results are gratifying. C. B. Crosno exhibited some specimens this week from a tree in his yard that were all that could be desired in size and flavor; they were, in fact, much better than most of the peaches shipped in here from the valley. The variety is not known, but its acquaintance is worth cultivating.

J. E. Price, who registers from Portland, but is apparently from several places, returned Monday from an inspection of the timber in the Siletz country. We understand he is a capitalist, and is looking for good timber and locations for sawmills. If Mr. Price arrived at any conclusion concerning his observations here he certainly failed to "give it away."

George Chambers and Pearl Darnell arrived Monday evening from Cook's Inlet, where they spent the summer in the salmon fisheries. The boys have grown big and stout during their absence and look "fit to kill." George went over to Siletz next day with his sister, Miss Annie, who was at the train to meet him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Backus and a little bit of a daughter of Waitsburg, Wash., passed through Wednesday evening for Yaquina. They will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ferr, parents of Mrs. Backus, during the coming winter.

Rite Dedrick and his assistants returned Wednesday from up the river, where they have been engaged in building and repairing bridges. They were compelled to quit work and await the arrival of material.

Mrs. T. P. Fish has returned from Portland with her fall and winter stock of millinery, ladies' hats, children's hats, caps, etc. Call and see them.

Born—Saturday, September 15, 1900, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis, a daughter. THE LEADER'S "population fund" is steadily decreasing.

Lester Waugh is building an addition to his meat market, which will be devoted to the "solid comfort" part of the business.

Mrs. H. E. Collins and Mrs. Austin Altree went up to Nortons Monday for a few days' visit.

The very latest in ribbons and laces at Mrs. T. P. Fish's millinery.

For flour at car load rates go to Conroy, Son & Co., Toledo, Or.

A. T. Peterson went up the line this morning.

The Yaquina Bay Mercantile Co. has a new ad this week.

Get your new hat at Schenck & Co.'s. All the latest styles.

E. A. Swan has been at Salem this week taking in the state fair.

Miss Lulu Edwards departed Monday morning for her home at Baker City.

School Girls—Come and see those pretty caps for school wear at Mrs. G. E. Baumann's.

Misses Annie Copeland and E. M. Dyer of Siletz were county seat visitors last Saturday.

T. T. Reeder came up this morning from Yaquina, where he holds a position in the C. & E. shops.

The farm home isn't complete without the Pacific Homestead. If you want a good offer, let us know.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wadsworth departed this morning for Portland. They will soon locate near Clackamas.

Henry Lewis went east this morning—presumably to Albany—as he said he was "going to see the elephant."

Bennie, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Horning, has been very sick for several days past, but is said to be improving.

Get your hat trimmed over. Large assortment of velvets, fancy feathers, birds, plumes, tips, etc., at Mrs. G. E. Baumann's.

Roy Bryant and Esther Copeland of Siletz are among those attending school in Toledo at present. They are stopping at the Toledo hotel.

John Anderson returned Wednesday evening from Salem accompanied by his wife, who had been receiving medical treatment at the state institution.

Fred Thayer departed Monday morning for Eugene to resume his studies at the state university. A summer in Toledo has put him in fine condition for hard work in the knowledge factory.

Miss Mamie Wakefield, who has been visiting Mrs. G. A. Landis for several weeks, left Saturday for her home near Eddyville. She will begin teaching the young idea how to shoot at Chitwood next Monday.

C. A. Dick and C. M. Brown came down from the vicinity of Nortons Saturday, where they have been associated with Austin Altree in the chittim harvest. They returned Tuesday to arrange for selling a carload.

Wm. Wakefield, the well-known and handsome onion and apple expert of Little Elk, returned Wednesday to his home near Eddyville. While here he sold bushels and bushels of onions, apples and pears, and promised to return soon and do it again. He is always welcome. May his shadow never cause a total eclipse.

F. B. Frary completed Wednesday the road from Charlie Carlson's place to Louis Beck's future home, three-fourths of a mile northeast. Will Brown assisted in the work, but quit several days before its completion. Mr. Beck now has a splendid road to his new home, and will soon begin the erection of a residence and other buildings. He is a hustler, and will do a great deal toward the development of Lincoln county. His former home was Tacoma, Wash.

## MARRIED.

SKIPTON-GRAY—At the Presbyterian parsonage in Corvallis on the 19th day of September, 1900, Mr. Otis Skipton and Miss Nellie Gray, both of Benton county, Oregon, Rev. Dr. Thompson officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Skipton arrived in Toledo Wednesday evening. The bride is a sister of Mrs. George Bethers and has many friends in this city. The groom is one of Benton county's most worthy and prosperous young farmers. They will visit with Superintendent Bethers and family until October 1, after which they will be at home at their farm four miles southwest of Philomath.

The "B" social given by the Ladies Aid society at Thiel Hall Monday night was a well patronized and very enjoyable affair. The program was somewhat brief, owing to the absence of Sheriff Ross and other musical members of the society, but was entirely satisfactory in quality. An invocation by Rev. Brown was followed by a quartette, admirably rendered by Messrs. Hawkins, Gaither and Mesdames Swope and Holm. An instrumental solo by Mrs. J. F. Stewart was good enough for any occasion, and the vocal duet by Mesdames Bethers and Swope was also heartily appreciated. A vocal solo by Miss Jessie Buoy was warmly received and made a fitting close to the well-balanced musical part of the program. "Bobbing Betty," the girl with the big pockets, sold her entire stock of household necessities and curios in about five minutes. It was a "grab-bag" affair, and some of the purchasers went home almost rich. The capital prizes were secured by Dr. Thayer and Miss Tena Helgeson. A peck or less of beans were scattered over the floor of the hall and prizes awarded to the lady and gentleman who succeeded in rounding up the greatest number. Mrs. R. A. Arnold won the lady's prize—a bag of candy. Eli Gaither gathered up more beans than any other man or boy in the hunt and was awarded the privilege of kissing "Bobbing Betty," but declined on the ground that he had never done anything of the kind and was too young to begin in public. In other words, he refused to give a public exhibition until he had more practice. An abundance of excellent cake and coffee left nothing to be desired in the refreshment line, after which a majority of the young people and a few who were not so young indulged in games—or athletic sports. All present seemed to thoroughly enjoy the affair and their patronage brought the society about \$14, most of which goes toward paying for the addition to the parsonage. The society appreciates all such assistance in the good work.

Our stock of fishermen's furnishings is the most complete. We have all kinds of seine twine, linen twine—domestic and imported, cedar corks, cork and lead line, lead, web, coats, hats, oars, etc., etc. Y. B. M. Co.

Hans Olsen and L. Mickelson went out to Salem Tuesday to attend the state fair.

See those popular Tams at Schenck & Co.'s, at popular prices. Smoke the General Steedman cigar, at Landreth's.

Take your eggs and chickens to Conroy, Son & Co.

Get your lime, coal tar, etc., at Schenck & Co's.

Miss Effie Crosno returned last Saturday from a week's visit at Portland.

Don't forget the Millinery Opening Saturday, Sept. 21, at Mrs. G. E. Baumann's.

G. M. Roberson of the C. & E. force is up from Yaquina today making some repairs on the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Blower of Mill 4 were among the passenger Tuesday morning for the state fair at Salem.

Ladies, buy Defiance baking powder—absolutely pure—and get a handsome prize with each can, at Blaser's.

Just received at Lugger & Prutt's, a very large assortment of fall and winter clothing. Come and see us.

Rev. Dawson and family visited the Blower ranch at Mill 4 Tuesday in a rowboat manipulated by Prof Bethers.

Mrs. T. P. Fish has just received a large stock of the latest styles in fall and winter capes. Ladies are invited to call and inspect them.

Brother Matthews of the Newport News was a Toledo visitor Monday and came through next morning on a business trip to the valley.

Misses Abbie Mills and Hetta Field came over from Siletz last Friday afternoon and departed next morning for their home at Salem. They had been looking for homesteads and will probably locate.

Four new high-grade pianos came in over the C. & E. the latter part of last week and were taken to Siletz Saturday and Monday. Miss Mary Buford, Miss Kruger, Mrs. W. H. Brown and Mrs. E. H. Bryant are the owners of these fine instruments, and will certainly do their share toward keeping Siletz awake this winter. Mrs. Bryant selected the pianos on her recent visit to Portland.

A good audience was present at the Episcopal church Sunday morning to hear Rev. Dawson. At the close of his able sermon he read the appeal of Bishop Morris to the Episcopal churches in Oregon in behalf of the Galveston storm sufferers. It is needless to say those present responded to the extent of their ability. The Sunday school next Sunday morning will take up a collection for the same purpose.

The Toledo schools opened Monday with 93 pupils in attendance. The visitors present were the school board, consisting of C. B. Crosno, J. Ofstedahl and O. E. Rache; C. E. Hawkins, clerk; Mrs. C. E. Hawkins, County Superintendent Bethers, Rev. Isaac Dawson of Newport, Attorney B. F. Jones and Dr. Thayer. All made brief but interesting remarks with the exception of Messrs. Ofstedahl and Rache. No citizen of Toledo is more deeply interested in educational matters than Dr. Thayer, and he promised renewed and greater efforts in behalf of the Toledo schools. His remarks were especially encouraging, as his ability to "get Thayer" is recognized by every acquaintance. Toledo's reputation for good schools is widespread. It is one of the principal factors in the advancement of Lincoln county.

## MILLINERY OPENING.

Saturday, Sept. 21, I will have my opening of stylish Fall and Winter Hats. I invite the ladies of Lincoln county to come in and inspect my stock and get prices.

MRS. G. E. BAUMANN,  
Toledo, Or.

## Assessor's Notice.

The rolls of assessment for Lincoln county, Oregon, will be in the hands of the Equalization Board on the 15th of October, 1900, for the purpose of equalizing assessments thereon. Said board will remain in session one week. All persons interested will take due notice thereof. F. M. WADSWORTH,  
Assessor.

At the Toledo: H. H. Smith, Myron E. Baker, Salem; William Matthews, Charles Burch, Simsn Lentden, Newport; F. A. Mitchell, John F. Miller, J. A. Randall, W. N. Jones, W. E. Williams, Portland; Al Reed, Grover White, E. H. Bryant, T. J. Buford, Oscar Wood, Spencer Scott, John Adams, W. H. Brown, C. E. Mitchell, W. C. Mitchell, Siletz; Captain Mills, Yaquina; A. E. Alexander, T. S. Alexander, J. P. Galbraith, Albany; H. G. Berry, Roots; Louis Frevmann, San Jose, Cal.; W. F. Spiegelberg, Tacoma, Wash.; O. B. Dillingham, E. Casey, W. E. Dudley, R. Dudley, W. Neff, Everett, Wash.; Mrs. G. E. Davis, Salado; George Chambers, Any Old Place; Dr. Wakefield, Little Elk; William Zingwied, Spokane, Wash.

Misses Sophia and Hilda Romtvedt departed yesterday morning for San Francisco, Cal., and Madison, Minn., respectively. Miss Hilda will attend school at the latter place during the coming winter. A pleasant party was given in their honor the evening before their departure at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ofstedahl. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Krogstad, Misses Tena Helgeson, Mae Lewis, Sophia, Hilda and Minnie Romtvedt, Messrs. Fred Ross, Eli Gathers and George McCluskey. Refreshments and an all-around good time are reported. It is also reported that Mr. McCluskey was able to attend to his duties as instructor in the intermediate department of the Toledo schools next day.

Fred Wittenstrom writes that he is on his Rock creek ranch for the winter and wants his LEADER sent to Rocca instead of Morrison.

Master Mechanic Walch returned to Yaquina from the valley Wednesday evening.

Manager Edwin Stone of the C. & E. went through to the terminus yesterday evening.

John Leuenberger, Yaquina's skillful shoemaker, had business in Toledo yesterday.

For boots and shoes, hats and caps at clearance prices go to Conroy, Son & Co.

Finest line of street hats to be found in the city at Mrs. G. E. Baumann's

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Davis of Yaquina went out to Corvallis Tuesday.

Just arrived—a straight carload of No. 1 wheat. Conroy, Son & Co.

Mrs. Elmo Davis of Salado visited in Toledo Monday night.

For rubber boots and oil clothing go to Conroy, Son & Co.