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Merry Christmas.

The following committees were appointed to make arrangements for the Christmas tree at Woodmen Hall Saturday night, December 23, and have charge of the same:

Soliciting Committee—Gilman Gray, Earl Landreth, Donald Stewart, Tilla Crosno, Elma Waugh, Annie Hawkins. Committee on tree—M. N. Anderson, J. F. Stewart, Oscar Ofstedahl, Carl Gildersleeve, Walter Derrick.

Committee on Decoration—Mesdames Freeman, Turnidge, Soule, Center, Schenck, Gildersleeve, Geo. Hall, Ira Wade, Gray, Anderson, Gardner.

Committee on Making and Filling Sacks—Misses Ethel Gray, Estella Gannon, Nona Hooker, Faith Stewart, Bertha Hoeflein.

Committee on Program—Austin Rosebrook, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. C. K. Crosno, Mrs. Gannon.

Committee on Distributing Presents—Misses Aileen Hawkins, Ruth Ofstedahl, Frances Alexander, Faith Stewart, Estella Gannon, Nora Krogstad.

Committee on Taking Presents Off Tree—Clarence Ofstedahl, Arthur Nye, Swen Bradeson, Ralph Van Cleve.

Committee on Popcorn—Misses Ina Gildersleeve, Nellie Hamar.

PROGRAM

Music..... Rosebrooks Orchestra
Prayer..... Rev. Hinrod
Recitation..... Donald Stewart
Song..... Miss Verna Ross
Piano Solo..... Mrs. Emma Crosno
Recitation..... Stanley Anderson
Music..... Shed Rosebrook
Acrostic..... Fourteen Little Girls
Song..... Agnes Krogstad
Mistletoe Tableau.
Piano Duett.....

Misses Verna Ross, Estella Gannon
Music..... Rosebrooks Orchestra
Program begins at 7:30 sharp.

Real Estate Transfers.

Dec. 9—C K Mitchell and Pamela C Mitchell to Chas F Soule, 10 acres in nw $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 23, township 11 south, range 11 west. \$300.

Dec. 11—N J Damon and Helen O Damon to Mrs Jennie Collins, lot 3, Spring block, Nye & Thompson's addition to Newport. \$190.

Dec. 11—Jane Ridenour to James F Ridenour, undivided w $\frac{1}{2}$ of nw $\frac{1}{4}$, ne $\frac{1}{4}$ of nw $\frac{1}{4}$ and nw $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 10, township 12 south. \$1.

Dec. 12—Edward D Wetmore and Helen D Wetmore to Chautauqua Lumber Co., w $\frac{1}{2}$ of sw $\frac{1}{4}$ and se $\frac{1}{2}$ of sw $\frac{1}{4}$ section 14, and ne $\frac{1}{4}$ of nw $\frac{1}{4}$ section 23, township 9 south, range 10 west; se $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{4}$ section 14, s $\frac{1}{2}$ of sw $\frac{1}{4}$ and ne $\frac{1}{4}$ of sw $\frac{1}{4}$ section 13, township 9 south, range 10 west; lots 1 and 2 and s $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{4}$ section 10, and ne $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 15, township 9 south, range 10 west; s $\frac{1}{2}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ and n $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{4}$ section 10, township 9 south, range 10 west; se $\frac{1}{2}$ of section 13, township 9 south, range 11 west; s $\frac{1}{2}$ of n $\frac{1}{2}$ section 24, township 10 south, range 11 west; ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 11, township 9 south, range 10 west; se $\frac{1}{2}$ of nw $\frac{1}{4}$ and lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, and nw $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 19, and w $\frac{1}{2}$ of se $\frac{1}{4}$ and sw $\frac{1}{4}$ of ne $\frac{1}{4}$ section 18, township 10 south, range 10 west; nw qr section 25, se qr of ne qr and lot 1 of section 23, and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of section 24, township 10 south, range 11 west. \$1.

Dec. 12—Minnie Alice Diven and C L Diven to Jerusha Ann Howell, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of section 7, township 15 south, range 10 west. \$1150.

Bids Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the County Court of Lincoln county, Oregon, for the printing of the Delinquent 1904 Tax List. Said bids to be opened on January 3, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m. The Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the County Court.
IRA WADE, County Clerk.

Lease blanks for sale at THE LEADER office.

Clarence Foster of Chitwood was a Toledo visitor Tuesday.

Veterinarian Will Soule made a professional call at Eddyville yesterday.

R. A. Abbey of Elk City had business in the city Wednesday and Wednesday night.

Colonel C. N. Thompson and A. M. Wheelock of Waldport had business in the county seat Tuesday.

Get our clubbing rates. By the way, Merry Christmas to all. Mrs. M. L. Trapp of Chitwood visited friends in the city yesterday.

All wishing character masques for the ball, leave orders with O. O. Krogstad.

Marshal James Beach of Newport was a passenger for Albany Wednesday morning.

Hermann Webber of Beaver Creek passed through Wednesday morning en route to Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leese went to Corvallis Tuesday for a brief visit with the fog and other friends.

Dabney the dentist made his regular professional visits to Eddyville and Elk City Wednesday and Thursday.

Jack Ross is visiting his sisters, Misses Edith and Grace, at Harrisburg. He will return after the holiday season.

Having been born in North Dakota, there is some doubt about City Marshal Ted McElwain being a citizen of the United States.

The Rosebrook Orchestra is putting forth every effort to make the masquerade ball at Woodmen hall, Christmas night a success. Don't fail to attend.

Daniel Boone departed Wednesday morning for his home in Medford, after a couple of weeks' visit with relatives and friends. And there's one fond heart will "miss" him when he's gone, gone, gone.

A good many homeseekers have been inspecting Lincoln county during the past two weeks. The assistance of our citizens and fair prices for real estate will probably hold some of them.

Robert Mann, accompanied by Ralph and Archie Pepin of Chitwood, left Monday for Philomath, near which place they are working with a large force on the new Corvallis waterworks pipe line.

A. J. McMillan and family departed Monday morning for Vancouver, B. C., where they will reside indefinitely. Mr. McMillan has charge of the construction of a logging railroad near Vancouver, which will keep him there for several months.

William H. Doyel of Waldport was in Toledo Monday making proof on his homestead before County Clerk Wade, with Oliver Bennett and William Helms as witnesses. As Mr. Doyel is not in the proscribed district, he will probably acquire title to his 160 in due time.

B. F. Jones has established a law office at Independence, and is now at that place with his son Francis. Independence was shy on legal lights, while Toledo had a surplus—hence the change. Mr. Jones' family will continue to reside in Toledo, we understand.

Dr. D. W. Roos of Manistique, Mich., was in the city the fore part of the week. He has returned to Michigan, but will come to Oregon to live as soon as he can arrange his affairs in his present home. He is very favorably impressed with Toledo and will probably locate here. The doctor is a graduate of the Chicago Medical College—and seems to be a "gentleman and a scholar."

E. C. Nelson, who arrived about two weeks ago from Peru, Kansas, has purchased the "Old Caledonia" place near the Olalla railroad bridge, paying \$3000 for the same. He will build a residence on the place and occupy it as soon as possible. In the meantime he is occupying the Dr. Carter residence in Toledo. Mr. Nelson announces that he is here to stay. He has two sons who will attend the Toledo schools. Mr. Nelson's farm contains 76 acres, and it is one of the best places of the size in Lincoln county.

Colonel Edward C. J. Wild Bill Smith of Bald Mountain was in the city Tuesday making proof on his homestead before County Clerk Wade. Albert Sijota of Kernville and John Fogarty of Newport were his witnesses. The latter's daughter, Mrs. Mary J. Jacobson, also made proof, with Andrew Wisniewski and E. J. Smith as witnesses. We sincerely hope Mr. Heney and the rest of the Administration will accept the sworn statements of these good citizens and cause patents to be issued immediately. Right here is a good place for the powers to begin the work of atonement.

No. 784 Wins.

Ticket No. 784 wins the lady's gold watch at McCaulou's. If this number is not presented by 3 o'clock Saturday, December 23, 1905, another drawing will be made. Holders of tickets should keep them until this date.

Geo. L. McCaulou.

One Fare Round Trip

For the holiday season, between all points on the C. & E. On sale December 22, 23, 25, 29 and 30, all good returning until January 8. Children under 12 half fare. Minimum ticket 25 cents.

Guide to All Elections.

The adoption of the direct primary law has given Oregon such a complicated system of elections that not even the accomplished politician can carry in his mind all the details of the proceedings leading up to the general election of state, district and county officers. One of the most difficult things to ascertain and remember is the dates upon which the various steps in the nomination and election of officers must be taken. In fact, the ordinary citizen cannot figure out the dates if he has the statute before him, for the language varies and different methods of computing time must be adopted.

At the request of the Oregonian, Secretary of State Dunbar and Attorney-General Crawford have examined the election laws and computed the time within which petitions must be filed, notices given and other business conducted in preparation for the election.

It will be seen that the campaign of 1906 really begins during the last week in December of this year, when initiative petitions must be filed if the promoters desire to file pamphlets in support of the proposed measures. The pamphlets must be brought to the office of Secretary of State Dunbar by December 30. If the promoters of measures do not desire to file pamphlets they will have until February 3 to file petitions.

It should also be explained that petitions for nominations for district offices, such as Circuit Judge, District Attorney, joint Senator and joint Representative, must be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and not in the offices of County Clerks, and the dates governing nominations for state offices are applicable. The following list contains all the dates of interest to the voter and the candidate for office:

Registration—Registration books opened by County Clerks, Tuesday, January 2.
Registration books closed for primary election, April 16, 5 p. m.
Registration books opened after primary election, April 25.
Registration books closed for general election, May 15, 5 p. m.

Initiative petitions—Number of signers required to initiate laws or amendments, 7489.

Last day for filing initiative petitions, February 3.

Last day for filing pamphlets advocating measures, December 30, 1905.

Last day for filing pamphlets opposing measures, February 5.

Direct primary election—County Clerks give notice of primary election not later than March 21.

Last day for filing petitions for placing names on ballot for state, Congressional and district offices, March 30.

Last day for filing petitions for county offices, April 4.

Date of primary election, April 20.

Canvassing votes of primary election for state offices, May 5.

General election—Last day for filing certificates of nomination for state offices by assembly of electors, April 19.

Last day for filing nominating petitions for state offices, May 4.

Last day for filing certificates of nomination for county offices by assembly of electors, May 4.

Last day for filing nominating petitions for county offices, May 19.

General election, June 4.—Oregonian.

Married.

At Toledo, Oregon, December 20, 1905, Thomas Hollis and Mollie Bensell, both of Siletz, Oregon, Rev. C. R. Ellsworth officiating.

Gust Olson and Jack Allphin witnessed the ceremony.

Presbyterian Church Services.

Preaching by Rev. C. T. Whittlesey at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., at Newport, 1st and 3d Sundays; Waldport, 2d and 4th Sundays.

Newport, December 31 and January 14. Waldport, January 7.

A snap in a slightly used piano. See Landreth.

John Quincey Adams of Chitwood had business in the city yesterday.

C. & E. Fireman Robert Scott of Yaquina had business in Toledo last night.

Those kid dolls at Krogstad's are the best for the money to be found in Toledo.

Ade Crosno and Everette Jones left yesterday morning on a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blower of Yaquina are in the city today. Tom is attending the shooting match.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tongeland came in from Philomath Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with Arthur's parents.

Miss Lola Wade arrived home Friday evening from Ashland, where she is attending school, and will remain until after the holidays.

Charlie Corser, Bob Warnock and Ernest Derrick came down from Eddyville last night to attend the shooting match, which is on today.

Fred Stanton, who has been seriously ill for several days, went to Albany today to consult Dr. Davis. He was accompanied by Hurley Lutz.

County Judge Brown and family returned yesterday morning from Newport, where they had been preparing their new home for occupancy. Weather permitting, they will move down next week.

A real hailstorm struck Toledo Tuesday morning—the heaviest for years. Some of the icy pellets were about caliber 44 and were quite a curiosity to the native-born little folk. No damage except to the feelin's of the loyal Webfooters.

Tom Horning went to Portland yesterday, where he will have charge of a gang of men who are engaged in filling Guild's Lake by the hydraulic process. Since the Exposition the value of the ground covered by the lake exceeds the ornamental value of the lake.

There is still considerable of a clamor for the completion of the wagon road from Toledo to Bay View. The citizens of the latter locality undoubtedly have a kick coming, and a long kick, a strong kick and a kick altogether may bring the much-needed thoroughfare. Harmony and energy are a winning combination.

Miss Maud Horning, accompanied by her father and mother, returned Wednesday evening from Portland, where she has been under treatment in the Good Samaritan Hospital since November 22. Miss Maud's many friends will rejoice to learn that she is improving rapidly, with every prospect of a complete recovery.

Redmen, Attention!

Yachats tribe meets every Wednesday at Newport at 8 p. m.

R. A. McDONALD, K. of R.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Doings of the City Dads in Special Session.

Council Chamber, Toledo, Or., Dec. 18, 1905.

The common council of the city of Toledo met in special session. Present—Mayor Vincent, Councilmen Arnold, Anderson, Gardner and McCaulou, and Recorder Krogstad. Absent, Councilmen Fish and Van Cleve.

Ordinance No. 52 placed on its third reading and passed unanimously.

A communication was received from Attorney Percy R. Relley of Albany expressing the opinion that the recent city election was legal.

Report received from County Clerk Ira Wade stating that the assessed valuation of Toledo is \$46,132.

On motion the Recorder instructed to issue certificates of election to C. H. Gardner, Mayor; Otto O. Krogstad, Recorder; G. L. Gray, Treasurer; R. A. Arnold, G. L. McCaulou and F. W. Councilmen; F. J. McElwain, Marshal. OTTO O. KROGSTAD, Recorder.

A Texas editor remarks: "Strange times we are living in. A brother editor in Kansas says that a negro of that town shot a white man in his orchard. The next thing we hear will be that a negro caught a white man in his hen-house."

Winter Courses in Agriculture.

The Oregon Agricultural College at Corvallis will offer this winter, as usual two special courses along agricultural lines, which will be designated The Short Course in Agriculture, and The Special Dairy Course.

The Short Course in Agriculture will open on Monday, January 8, 1906, at 9 a. m. and continue two weeks, closing on Friday, January 19. The course consists of a series of popular lectures along lines suited to aid horticulturists, dairymen, and others engaged in agricultural pursuits in developing the natural resources of our State. The lectures are supplemented by laboratory work under the auspices of experts, who strive to make the course thoroughly practical by adapting the work as far as possible to the needs of each individual.

The Special Dairy Course will also open on January 8, 1906, and continue six weeks, closing on February 16, 1906. The purpose of this course is to familiarize students with the modern forms of dairy apparatus, and teach the underlying principles of the production, care and manufacture of milk into butter and cheese.

Students will meet for work six days per week. The forenoon of each day will be devoted to practical work in the dairy rooms. In the afternoon of each day, except those devoted to cheese making, lectures and recitations will occupy the time during two or three hours.

In addition to the regular teaching force, the services of an expert cheese maker, Mr. W. W. Grant, have been secured. Mr. Grant is at present instructor in the California Dairy School and has had a wide experience as traveling dairy instructor in Canada.

There will be no charge for tuition, and no educational entrance requirements, for either of these courses. Board and rooms can be had in Corvallis at \$3 to \$4 per week.

A cordial invitation is extended to all persons interested to enroll in one of these courses. An outline of the course can be had for the asking. For further information address F. L. KENT, Corvallis, Oregon.

Grand Masquerade Ball

A grand masquerade ball will be given in Woodmen hall, Toledo, Christmas night, December 25, under the auspices of Rosebrook's Orchestra. Handsome prizes will be given to the best sustained characters, both ladies and gentlemen. Tickets for dance, \$1; spectators, 25c. Supper will be served at the Commercial Hotel at 50c per plate. The floor will be in charge of Renus Arnold and Fred Stanton, who will see that all have a good time. Those attending are assured a pleasant time.

Get your stationery printed at THE LEADER office.

Al Waugh tried to be sick several days last week and this, but is almost himself again.

Willie Franklin left the latter part of last week for Salem, where he has a position with the Wells Farg Express Company.

William McJunkin, who has resided at Weatherford, Oklahoma, during the past two years, arrived Tuesday night and will visit six months—possibly longer—with his son, I. B., and family.

P. Blough, who came out from Indiana a few weeks ago to look at the country, returned yesterday morning from a week's visit at the beach. Mr. Blough is considerably in love with this part of the world, but has decided to respect the wishes of his children and return to Indiana within a few weeks. While at the beach he found several beautiful "Pacific gems," which he had made into jewelry for relatives and friends in the east.

On another page may be found an article from the Corvallis Gazette relative to the dreaded San Jose scale. It is becoming apparent to all observing persons that the slipshod methods of raising fruit in Oregon must be abandoned. While Lincoln county is practically free from orchard pests, it is not free from carelessness as to care, cultivation, etc., and the rapidly spreading San Jose scale may soon reach this heretofore favored territory. Our fruit growers should organize and work along practical lines.