

**Lincoln County Leader.**

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES table with columns for One Year, Six Months, Three Months and prices.

**Printer's Ink and Merit.**

It should be the ambition of every business or professional man to be "the best in town."

The Dentist with the Largest Practice in the City wishes You All a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

It means something to be the leader in a profession or to conduct the most popular mercantile establishment.

Oregon newspapers are devoting columns and columns of space to discussion of the Direct Primary Law.

Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the President, will be married in February to Congressman "Nick" Longworth of Ohio.

**DREW THEIR OWN WILLS.**

Eminent Legal Lights Who Did So and Blundered.

Many celebrated men have neglected to settle their affairs. Ben Jonson, Dryden and Sir Isaac Newton all died intestate.

The poet's fate is here in emblem shown. He asks for bread, and he receives a stone.

"Wills," said Lord Coke, "and the construction of them do more to perplex a man than any other, and to make a certain construction of them exceedeth jurisprudentium artem."

**FOREIGN ETIQUETTE.**

Some Things Harmless Here Would Be Bad Form Abroad.

There are some points of foreign etiquette which are absolutely inexplicable to the British mind, and, indeed, it is very doubtful whether the nations to which they are peculiar can themselves offer any explanation.

Again, in Germany, if you are walking in the garden with a lady and it occurs to you to pick a flower for her acceptance, be careful to pluck also a leaf or two to make the nosegay com-

**L U M B E R !**

Old-Growth Fir, Spruce and Alder ALL DIMENSIONS

Boat and Box Lumber CUT TO ORDER

No. 1 Vertical-Grain Flooring and Mouldings a Specialty Operating an Up-to-Date Planer

Good Stock of Dry Lumber on hand

I will deliver lumber at any point on the C. & E. railroad or tidewater on Yaquina bay at right prices, quality considered

BRANCH YARDS—J. R. Mays & Son, Elk City J. A. J. Fleming, Newport

**O. R. ALTREE, Toledo, Oregon**

**INHERITED INDIAN LAND FOR SALE AT SILETZ, OREGON**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That bids will be received for the sale of the following described inherited Indian lands, situated and being in Lincoln County, Oregon, as per schedule herein set forth, to-wit:

Table with columns: HEIRS, SUB-DIVISIONS, Acres, Date Listed, Date Bid Opened. Lists various land parcels and owners.

Said bids will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, of the various days upon which they are listed to be opened in above schedule, and must be enclosed in sealed envelopes directed to Knott C. Egbert, Superintendent, Siletz, Oregon.

**Nortons Notes.**

After teaching three months, our teacher has gone to spend her vacation at her home in Polk county.

The Nortons Christmas tree was a success. The crowd was large and the program very fair.

Nearly every family at Nortons has guests for the holidays.

Little Mildred Porter has the whooping cough.

plete. Failure to do so is an insult, for which you may possibly be called to account by her nearest male relative.

To Spite His Wife. A Parisian actor who formerly made a good income in his profession is now earning his living as a cab driver.

Look About You. It is wonderful how much one can learn by cultivating the habit of observation.

she Was Willing. "Kind lady," remarked the weary wayfarer, "can you oblige me with something to eat?"

One Danger Avoided. "I may run chances of a breach of promise suit," said the foxy old bachelor.

Advertisement for STEVENS ARMS AND TOOL CO. featuring an illustration of a rifle and text about their products.

Lincoln County Bank advertisement with names of officers (THOS. LEESE, J. C. DUDLEY, WM. SCARTH) and details about banking services.

Advertisement for M. N. Anderson, Proprietor of Toledo Livery and Feed Stable, featuring an illustration of a horse-drawn carriage.

COMMERCIAL advertisement for The Leading Hotel of Toledo, Oregon, offering New Management and listing room rates.

Advertisement for HEDGES & GALLOWAY ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, LAND OFFICE BUSINESS A SPECIALTY.

Toledo Bakery advertisement for JACOB BURKEL, PROPRIETOR, offering Fresh Bread, Fresh Pies, and Fresh Cakes.

Advertisement for B. F. JONES, Attorney-at-Law, Notary Public, and B. F. SWOPE, Attorney-at-Law.

Advertisement for ROYAL BAKING POWDER, featuring an illustration of a tin and the slogan 'THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE'.

Advertisement for JAMES McDONALD, BEES, HONEY AND BEE SUPPLIES, featuring an illustration of a beehive.