

THERE ISN'T A VACANT DWELLING HOUSE IN TOLEDO

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Jack Morgan returned home from Portland Monday evening.

Valentine Thiel was up from South Beach the first of the week.

Ira Wade returned Monday evening from a short business trip to Portland.

Miss Rena Bradeson returned to Newport Monday evening after a week's visit at home.

E. W. Sawdon was a passenger for Salem Monday morning where he will visit with his brother.

Capt. Tyler of the Matthews Music Company of Newport was doing business at Elk City yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Akin and daughter, Iris, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoefflein at Yaquina.

Remember Dr. Brown, eyesight specialist, will be at the Commercial Hotel Monday and Tuesday, February 1 and 2.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Wygant of Newport were in the city Monday disposing of their property on Fourth street to R. N. Warnock.

Postmaster Lane of Newport passed through Monday morning enroute to Chitwood where he expected to purchase a team of horses.

E. Nost left Monday morning for Seattle, Washington, where he has secured a position in the Hotel Rainier. Mr. Nost will return to Toledo next summer.

Miss Ida Hurley returned home Saturday evening from Albany. She went to Nortons Monday morning where she has been engaged as teacher for district No. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Snyder and daughter, Bessie, of Parma, Idaho, arrived Wednesday evening for a visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Snyder is a sister of J. F. Stewart of this place.

Buff Orpington Chickens.

A few fine cockerels for sale. Eggs now ready, \$1.50 per setting of 15. Mrs. S. CENTER, Toledo, Or.

Teachers' Examination

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Lincoln County will hold the regular examination for State and County papers at Toledo, as follows:

FOR STATE PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 10, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, February 13, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, History, Spelling, Physical Geography, Reading and Psychology.

Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar, Bookkeeping, Physics and Civil Government.

Friday—Physiology, Geography, Composition, Algebra, English Literature and School Law.

Saturday—Botany, Plane Geometry and General History.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS

Commencing Wednesday, February 10 and continuing until Friday, February 12, at 4 p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, History, Orthography, Reading, Physical Geography.

Thursday—Written Arithmetic, Theory of Teaching, Grammar and Physiology.

Friday—Geography, School Law, Civil Government and English Literature.

Yours truly
R. P. GOIN,
Superintendent of Schools.

REPAIRING OLALLA DAM

Although Somewhat Discouraged, They Will Repair.

For the second time since the Olalla dyking dam was built the extremely high tide of two weeks ago greatly damaged it, but the people of the district, instead of giving up in despair, immediately set to work to repair the damages. Considerable of the dyke and much of the dirt on top of the dam was carried away. A gang of men are now at work repairing and the dam will be saved. More piling is being driven and the dam will be strengthened to withstand future high tides.

We have several new ads in this issue, read them.

Bert Sawdon was a passenger for Salem Wednesday morning.

Miss Marie Meinert came down from Chitwood yesterday evening.

Miss Cora Montgomery left Wednesday morning for a short visit at Corvallis.

Ed Wade left Wednesday morning for a business trip to Portland and Salem.

Mrs. C. G. Copeland returned Wednesday evening from a short visit at Corvallis.

Miss Flora Stanton came home last evening for a visit with her parents and friends.

Next Tuesday evening is regular Firemans meeting.

F. N. Hayden, Secy.

Mrs. Wm. Hoefflein of Yaquina visited relatives and friends in Toledo yesterday.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Stewart, Monday, January 25th, a ten pound boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morris of Harrisburg are visiting with relatives and friends here.

County Surveyor Derrick and crew are surveying the Toledo-Siletz wagon road. They have reached Parrish's place.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Horning went to Albany yesterday morning for a visit with their daughter Mrs. Elmer Ellsworth and to assist her in caring for her husband who was injured by falling from a bridge.

Protest Against Higher Salary

HON. B. F. JONES, Representative, Independence, Oregon.

Dear Sir:—We are the Farmers' Association of Chitwood, Oregon. In reply to your article in the county paper in regard to salaries of county officers, we think that they are sufficient for the present.

While some of the officers' salaries, perhaps, should be raised, we think that the taxpayers should have more time to consider the matter.

In 1906 all candidates for office in our county certified over their respective signatures that they were satisfied with present salaries.

We realize that this is a delicate matter and should be considered from officers' and taxpayers' point of view.

We would therefore respectfully ask you to delay the matter at present.

LINCOLN COUNTY FARMERS' ASS'N.
A. L. McDONALD,
Geo. T. SMITH, Chairman.
Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Leese were up from Newport Monday.

John Folmsbee of Salado was doing business in the city the first of the week.

J. E. Wilson of Chitwood was doing business in the city the first of the week.

Dr. Brown, the eyesight specialist, will be at the Commercial Hotel next Monday and Tuesday.

G. L. McCaulou is building a large addition to his residence in the north end of town.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ross McElwain of Inkster, North Dakota, Wednesday, January 13th, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Altree and son, Austin, returned Tuesday evening from a several weeks' visit at Portland.

R. N. Warnock has purchased the Wygant property situated on the corner of Fourth and Grove streets.

A. T. Peterson put a gang of men to work Tuesday repairing the break in the dyke on his tideland near town. The high tide of last week caused the dyke to break at the flood gate at the same place it went out last year, when the logs from the Fir and Spruce mill boom covered his land.

Mr. Bowers, of C. W. Bowers & Son, dealers in blooded horses, of Marcellus, Michigan, arrived in Toledo Monday evening with a fine German Coach stallion. The following morning, accompanied by Fred Stanton and his hostler, he went to Siletz, where he will try to sell the horse. The horse is a fine animal and no doubt Mr. Bowers will find a buyer in this county.

George A. Stevenson recently of Portland has opened up a real estate office in the Ofstedahl. Mr. Stevenson will deal in Lincoln county farm and timber lands. He has already placed two locaters and cruisers in the woods. Mr. Stevenson has had considerable experience in this business, and has put in the past several months cruising in the big timber on the Siletz.

Road Supervisor Ed Stanton immediately after the tides got back to normal put a gang of men to work repairing the damage to the fill in front of Stewart's place. He has built a bridge where there was only a small culvert to let the water through. The bridge is much wider and higher and it is safe to say there will be less danger of washouts as heretofore. He has also replaced the planking on the grade and travel over the road is again open.

Dr. Davenport, the dentist, was up from Salmon River Friday. He came here to file on some lands that have been in the forest reserve, but which has been recently thrown open for entry. On reaching this place he was informed that he would have to go to the landoffice at Portland to make his filings, to which place he went the following morning. Dr. Davenport has a dental office at Cloverdale, Tillamook county, but is intending putting the greater part of his time on his dairy on Salmon River in this county. He has over ninety head of milk cows. He is building a large cheese factory, and says he will be able to handle all the milk produced in his locality for all time to come.

DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE MEETS

Elects New Officers and Transacts Other Business

At the regular meeting held last Tuesday evening the annual election of officers was held and other important business was transacted.

The attendance was not as large as it should have been. Every citizen should consider it his duty to attend these meetings and help what he could to boost the town and county. Several themes of importance, to the town and county, were discussed, among which were the cruising of the timber by the county so as to get it on the tax roll, the dredging of the river between Elk City and Newport, the betterment of the county roads, and several other subjects of importance.

The Development League is very much in favor of having the timber cruised and are going to do all they can to see that it is done. They ask the co-operation of the other Commercial Clubs of the county, and that each precinct circulate a petition to this effect. The Secretary was instructed to remind Congressman C. W. Hawley of his promise to aid us in having our bay and river dredged and opened up to navigation. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Wm. Searth;
Vice President, Fern Hayden;
2d Vice President, A. D. Perkins;
Secretary, C. B. Crosno;
Treasurer, A. T. Peterson;
Executive Committee, C. E. Hawkins, G. A. Hall and J. F. Stewart.

Chitwood and Simpson Creek.

The sleet storm of two weeks ago had a telling effect on the timber in this "neck of the woods." We have been here every since this has been Lincoln county and several years before but have never seen anything like it before, it has destroyed thousands of alder and vine-maple trees and topped a large number of firs and has broken off a great many limbs. The roads were all so blockaded that one could hardly get through them on foot. We have most of them open now so one can get through with a team, but there is a lot to be done yet to repair them. The telephone communication was entirely cut off up Simpson Creek for several days, and isn't much better yet, only a few are connected. It will take a lot of work to get the telephone repaired in good shape.

A. L. Chitwood has sold his homestead to P. A. Miller, consideration \$1300.

W. N. Cook lost a fine colt the other day of pneumonia.

Grant Hiscox lost a good colt also. While he was taking care of a neighbors stock his colt got fast under some logs and was in a bad condition when Grant got home and died soon after.

The Simpson Creek School is progressing nicely under the tutorship of Prof. R. L. Wildman, except the huge boil on the wrist of the Prof., which is quite painful. Quite an entertainment was had at the Simpson Creek school last Friday. The children gave several recitations dialogues and songs, some of the older ones taking part and helping

to make it interesting.

A few days since some dog or dogs got into J. E. Wilson's flock of fine Cotswold sheep and killed a fine ewe. Joe says that is rather trying on his nerves, after he has gone to the expense to grade up his flock so that they are about thoroughbreds, then have some worthless cur tear and mangle them is almost too much to stand.

Subsequently to the above statement some hunters were out with dogs chasing deer, ran through Wilson's flock and chased them over into Mr. Long's field. So there are several of us going to see what we can do to stop this unlawful conduct. Better stop it boys or it will not be healthy for you or the dogs either. Mr. Cook's goats have been chased likewise, also Mr. Trapp's sheep. We are not hunting trouble but we do want our flocks let alone.

There are some who go out hunting with their dogs on a pretence that they are after bear, when at the same time their dogs wouldn't run a bear, cougar or wildcat and the owner knows it. Still there are some dogs that are a great benefit to the country, help to clean out the varmints. It makes it bad for the owners of good dogs for those fellows to hunt with those miserable curs after deer.

Kernville Items.

We had the highest tide on January 19 that we have seen in 12 years.

Mr. Hemstreet is our new postmaster, Mrs. Hemstreet his assistant.

One of our thrifty farmers went to Portland and brought back a wife. It was Joe Alipie. He married Mrs. Regiskie's sister.

Mr. George Syne our former postmaster is going to Canada to visit his son. We will miss him he has been a faithful postmaster and a friend to all.

Neils Anderson and family visited Clarence Parmele and family during the recent storm, as they live in the heavy timber and they feared a tree would fall on their house.

Dr. Davenport was storm bound here on his way to Toledo. The enterprising Doctor intends putting in a cheese factory on Salmon River in the near future.

We are in need of a boat load of supplies all the stores are running out of goods.

A letter from Captain Tabell stated that the schooner Gerald C. would run in the Siletz bay in February.

Waldport Items.

A. B. Hoover is busy rafting shinghe bolts down the river.

Mrs. Gault and Mrs. C. J. Smith went to Tidewater yesterday on a visit.

We hear that Sam Hays has rented his dairy ranch at Tidewater and will move to Waldport.

Dick Evens has a crew of men at work setting piling along the water front in the lower part of town.

The run of Steelhead salmon seems to be very good this winter. J. H. Early sent in over 300 lbs. one day this week.

Henry Nice has a force of men clearing land back of his residence at Lutjens. Wonder if Henry is going to experiment in dry farming.