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COUNTY NEWS

News of each Community Gathered each week by Our Rustling Associate Editors

Waldport.

The Wilhelmina and Condor are still bar bound at Waldport.

Wood is two dollars a rick at Waldport and scarce at that. Why don't some enterprising citizen open a wood yard?

The Whist club enjoyed another meeting Wednesday evening. Quite a number of new members have come in.

Early spring flowers are in bloom and we are all waiting for gardening time.

Waldport recently had a coal oil famine, the electric light franchise failed to shine like a well regulated franchise should. We are looking forward with hopes.

Nominating petitions have commenced to appear and a little later will expect to see a few of the candidates themselves. Any candidate who is able to corral the erratic vote of the south end is entitled to the candy.

Chas. Bobell and family have been spending a short vacation with friends in the Valley and will return soon.

Bay View.

High water and heavy winds are the prevailing elements now days.

Anton Martinson was in Bay View on business one day last week.

George Prescott and family were visiting at the home of Jack Early last week.

S. R. Howe and wife were Bay View visitors last Sunday.

J. C. Dougherty has sold his ranch and will leave for Eastern Oregon where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Early spent a few days this week with friends in Bayview.

Vernie Peterson of Waldport spent Sunday with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Barnes.

Mr. E. E. Dyer and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McWillis were visitors at Mr. Prescotts Sunday.

G. B. Ryan was a Bayview visitor one day this week.

There are quite a number on the sick list with bad colds this week.

Little Elk.

Items are scarce this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentice returned from Philomath last week where they had been visiting friends.

Walker Cline killed another large coyote last week. Walker is death on coyotes.

S. T. Loudon received a letter from his uncle and grandmother last Saturday. He had not heard from them for thirty years. His grandmother is ninety years old. They live at Freewater, Oregon.

Mr. Rufner moved onto his homestead, having completed his house. Mr. Rufner says he has a fine ranch.

Ed Cline went over on the Siletz last Tuesday to do some surveying. Ed understands the business and makes but few mistakes.

Mrs. Corby has been on the sick list for the last week, but is much improved at this time.

W. F. Wakefield went to Newport last Friday evening to attend the educational board meeting held at that place.

Our school has been discontinued

on account of our teacher not being able to get a certificate.

Mr. Watters of San Francisco made some of our older folks feel young last week by fitting their eyes with new glasses.

W. J. Cline went to the Valley the first of last week and brought back three as fine goats as anyone would wish to see. He paid a fine price for them. He got them of Guthrie Bros. of Dallas. The buck is one of the best on the fair circuit of the Northwest. The price paid for the three, two nannies and one buck, was one hundred dollars. We like to see such stock come to this part of the country. Wheeler says he will make things look good at the Lincoln County fair next Fall.

Kernville.

Alex Frazer of Tillamook county was here last week looking at some land. He thinks he will buy some of the Drift river bottom land. Says it is just as good as Tillamook land, but the trouble is we have no roads.

Mrs. Myrtle Lockwood is gaining some, but is not able to sit up yet. Mrs. Stemple and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Stone last Sunday.

Mr. Johnson, Lee Bateman and another man stayed over night at the Stone home Monday night.

Mrs. Gurtula arrived home last Wednesday.

Mr. Lingo is selling goods over the counter of the co-operative store at Taft.

William Dodson, the Taft merchant, and family arrived home Monday, coming by way of Newport.

Mr. Larson is on the sick list.

William Scott has been confined to his bed for several days.

Mr. Chitwood was at the sawmill to get bridge plank and timbers to build a bridge near the Kobielski place.

Mr. Nixon and daughter, Nellie, were callers on Drift river last Tuesday.

Frank Mowery bought large fat beef of G. S. Parmele and Sons last Friday.

Lee Bones' smiling face is seen among us again. He reports having a very pleasant time while in the Valley.

The old gentleman Sijota is very poorly. He is 85 years old.

Matt Sijota went to Wisconsin on a visit. He writes back that it was 40 degrees below zero and he could not stand such cold weather. He is coming back to Lincoln county where the grass is green the whole year round.

Archie Stephens will teach the Sijota school. Will begin in about two weeks.

The tramps are going through the county begging something to eat and sleeping wherever night overtakes them. If our county could have some public work and compel them to work for what they eat we could find out which are the honest ones.

Eddyville.

E. H. Vader went to Newport the first of the week.

Miss Laura Cordell took the train for Chitwood Monday.

W. F. Wakefield went to New-

port Friday evening, returning Saturday morning.

Glen Aldrich and sister, Fena, were visiting at Wm. Wakefields Sunday.

N. T. Hibben departed for Pennsylvania Monday to visit his boyhood home.

Mr. Rainwatter, the real estate man of Philomath, was in this vicinity the first of the week. Real estate seems to be looking up, judging by the number of strangers seen in Eddyville inquiring for land.

Tony Genini returned to Eddyville Tuesday after an absence of several months in the Valley, where he had been at work.

Road Supervisor Wakefield, accompanied by H. L. Porter, of Nortons, was looking after the roads in the Tum Tum country Monday.

T. F. Willoughby has finished a contract of three-fourths of a mile of woven wire fence for A. M. Baxter and Marion Hunt.

W. F. Cline killed another coyote last Monday one-half mile east of Eddyville. He has killed more coyotes in this part of the county than all the other hunters.

Rudolf Ruprecht of Nortons was in Eddyville Wednesday. He says they have the Nortons and Siletz wagon road opened for travel to the Day place on Sam's creek.

There has been two land deals here the past week. Wm. Sexton has sold his farm of 117 acres situated four miles east of Eddyville. The ranch has fair improvements and was purchased by E. H. Willoughby for dairying purposes.

N. T. Hibben has sold his homestead right to Mr. Garvin, who recently arrived from Pennsylvania. This is new land situated north of town, and the purchase price is given at \$500.

Otis.

Mrs. J. Dickens has gone out to visit her daughter in Portland also a sister in Washington.

Judge Gardner and Commissioner Kentta were in our part of the county lately—looking at the roads—we think they surely saw one or two mud holes that needed bridging.

Henry Curl is improving his time these days by plowing on his place.

Frank Murray bought a fine bunch of cattle of Sim Burton. Sim says he's going to leave this county—good bye Sim. We hate to see you go.

Mr. Royle made a trip to Taft the last of the week.

The people in our vicinity are out of sugar, but are happy and sweet tempered all the same.

Mr. Nixon has a fine strawberry patch started off of which he hopes to feast the coming summer.

John Muir writes from California that he likes it fine there and is getting fat eating oranges.

John Morris is making fence posts from cedar on the beach.

Frank Murry has gone to the Valley again.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore, Alvin Thorp and Lee Bones called at Clarence Parmele's Sunday.

While Mr. Morris was in Taft last week with his bran new buggy, a down telephone wire on corner of Main and Johnson streets, caught the buggy top, the horses became

frightened and started to run, tearing off the top. Fortunately they were stopped before further damage was done.

Mrs. West went to California to visit her only sister and arrived just in time to attend her funeral. She had been sick only three hours. It was an awful shock to Mrs. West who expected so different a meeting.

Mr. White was visiting at Mr. Burton's Sunday.

It seems that something or someone is taking delight in meddling with the mail, which is put into mail boxes along the way for mail-carriers to gather up. In some instances the letter is torn open, contents taken, envelope thrown on the ground. Again money and stamps taken. Whoever the party is, remember that Uncle Sam is big and strong.

Tidewater

Mr. Pankey of Oregon City has rented the G. N. Barclay place two miles from Tidewater up the Alsea river.

There was a party or dance at Nick Ludeman's place at Tidewater on the 22d. All had an enjoyable time, so it is reported.

A. C. Thissel on the 28th took 25,000 feet of lumber down to Waldport for the Waldport Lumber Company.

G. N. Barclay is working for M. A. Beem in the sawmill. They saw about 3,000 feet per day with a twelve horsepower engine.

John Thissel is very busy plowing. He says he wants to get it all sown to oats next month.

H. Thissel is working for A. C. Thissel cutting and driving logs. John Thissel and G. N. Barclay also were on the drive.

W. T. Barclay had the misfortune to wrench his back while lifting on a log for A. C. Thissel, but is getting better.

Ed Flescher is doing the team work for A. C. Thissel in putting in logs on G. N. Pulse's place on Scott creek.

Chas. Beard is going to move on the B. E. Barclay place on the Alsea river. M. A. Beem and G. N. Barclay are called as jurymen to attend Circuit Court.

J. C. Barclay butchered his hogs on the 27th. They were in fine shape, but we did not learn the weight.

Hugh Berry and Ed Flecher are going to make final proof on their homesteads in March.

Hugh Berry says he is getting tired of batching. The writer wishes some more of those old bachelors would get the same notion and get married.

Dewey Beem is going to school at Waldport.

Bert Twombly returned home after a week's visit with M. A. Beem.

Spring is now upon us from the looks of vegetation. The honey suckle and the roses are all putting forth their leaves and the buds on the fruit trees are all swollen and it seems it is rather early yet and we read of it being below zero in the middle west. It is enough to make one rejoice that he lives in Oregon.

Messrs. Ludeman and McMillen of Tidewater have their water

wheel ready for business. Now we do hope it will be a success.

J. C. Barclay is doing quite a lot of slashing this winter. Hugh Berry is helping.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Barclay are greatly improved in health.

S. F. Cook went to Portland Monday on a business visit.

F. C. Hoffman of Elk City was a county seat visitor Tuesday.

Attorney L. L. Swan of Albany is attending court here today.

Prosecuting Attorney Bryson came down from Eugene last evening to attend court.

Mrs. S. C. Davis came over from Siletz yesterday and departed for Portland this morning.

John S. Lloyd and F. A. Seymour came up from the Lower Siletz yesterday to be in attendance at Circuit Court. Mr. Lloyd is a member of the grand jury.

Mem Redfield of Corvallis has opened up a clothes cleaning, dyeing and pressing establishment in the old creamery building adjoining the Leader office. Mr. Redfield is here to stay and guarantees satisfaction in all his work.

All members of the local M. E. church, and especially the official members, are urged to meet at the real estate office of Crosno & Crosno Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Business of importance.

W. H. Dean,

Pres. Board of Trustees.

SCHOOL REPORT

For District No. 59, for month ending January 26, 1912:

Number days taught during month 19
Whole No. days attendance, 75
Whole No. days absence, 1
Whole No. times late, 0
Pupils neither absent nor late, 3
Those neither absent nor late were, Herman Montgomery, Alvin and Arthur Schlecht.

Nellie Baird, Teacher.

TAKEN UP.

One brindle Jersey cow and yearling calf, came to my place on Upper Olalla last October. No marks nor brands on either, but cow had lost one horn. Owner can have same by paying for their keep and expenses. Amos Baxter, Toledo, Or., Jan. 24, 1912.

When given as soon as the croupy cough appears Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will ward off an attack of croup and prevent all danger and cause of anxiety. Thousands of mothers use it successfully. Sold by all dealers.

FOR SALE.

One good farm horse with harness, \$60; 10 thoroughbred S. C. White Leghorn pullets (Fleming strain), \$1.00 each; 40 good Plymouth Rock pullets and hens; one new 4-lid \$22.00 cook stove with reservoir, \$15.00; one good drop head sewing machine, \$12.00; one sheet iron heating stove; one rocking chair \$1.50; one crosscut saw. Must be sold at once. Phone Elk City line. Charles M. Richey, Elk City.

FOR SALE.

Two extra choice lots only a short distance from new school building; lots 3 and 4 block 9 Vincent's ad to Toledo. Will sell reasonable if taken now. Call on or address Chas. McDonald, Toledo, Or.