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WESTLINGS.

Caps for men boys or girls, a new stock at A O Funke's.

The infant son of Albert Karnowsky has been quite ill for several days.

Hood's Pills cure biliousness. Mailed for 25 cents by C I Hood & Co Lowell, Mass.

O L Hanson of Heeta light house had a finger cut off a few days ago. We did not learn how it happened.

Oren Beckwith an old and highly respected citizen of Eugene died at his home in that place last week aged 75 years.

Miss Edith Yates had a birth-day party yesterday evening in honor of her tenth birth day. All had a pleasant time.

There are ten prisoners confined in the Lane county jail. This is the largest number ever confined there at one time.

The Roberts arrived from Yaquina Tuesday. She started out Sunday morning but put back again as the ocean was very rough.

Burglars last Sunday night broke into Millhorn's grocery store at Junction and helped themselves to all the confectionery they could reach.

At Eugene last week A L Tullock was held in bonds of \$500 to appear before the grand jury on a charge of shooting at Chief of Police Stiles.

The storm Monday night loosened the Glensada boat house from its fastenings at Colter's wharf and it floated up the bay till it was driven on the beach near the end of Fisk's wharf.

S J Seymour will probably be appointed watchman at the government works on the departure of M L Tower. He is as good a man for the position as can be found anywhere.

On November 30th, 1896, Lane county had in the State insane asylum 23 male patients and 11 females, total, 34. On Nov 30, 1898 there were 31 males and 15 females, total 46. Net gain 12.

Rheumatism causes more aches and pains than any other disease. It is due to acid in the blood, and is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla which neutralizes this acid.

Jeff Myers the Salem attorney is making an attempt to introduce opossums into Oregon. He has purchased twelve pair and had them shipped to Salem. They will be turned loose and allowed to run at large.

Dec. 29 as Mrs Chris Rich of Englewood was lifting a boiler of scalding water from the stove one handle slipped from her hand and the contents fatally scalded her seven year old son who was playing on the floor.

McMinnville Register: Horst Bros, Pacific coast top buyers, are endeavoring to contract next year's crop at 13 cents delivered in New York. No contracts have been made, so far as we have been able to learn.

Sislaw valley corn meal is now for sale in several of the stores in Florence. The corn was grown by F E Fremont and manufactured into meal by Chas David. Another step in the right direction as it helps to at home the money that one heretofore been sent away to buy provisions for our people.

Lakeview Register: Very few of the cattlemen of Lake county have so far found it necessary to feed hay. Especially in the northern districts is the pasturage still good feeding, owing to slight snowfall, and the majority of cattle are fat and sleek.

The West has for sale one year's tuition in the Holmes Business College of Portland. This is one of the leading business colleges on the coast, having English, Commercial, Shorthand and telegraphic departments and we offer its tuition on easy terms.

San: Captain E Durgan, who has been acting as keeper of the Bandon light station for the past year, was in Marshfield last week with his family en route to the Umpqua, he having been transferred to the light house at that place.

George W McQueen, of Lorane, died December 29th, while he was at the breakfast table. Mr McQueen was about 60 years of age. He left a widow and five children, three of whom are school teachers. His son Ivan is now giving a term as representative from the county.

Mrs Captain Hansen sends us her dress from Watsonville, Cal, and says, like this place the best of any I have seen in California. Climate is nearly that of western Oregon. Good schools and churches here and business as usual. We are expected at this season of the year. More rain is needed to insure good crops. Everybody is doing well.

INK about your health. Do not let low acid conditions develop in your blood. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now and keep yourself WELL.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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Florence school opens next Monday for the winter term with J J Eannous teacher.

The freshest first of the week brought out some logs but there was not water enough to float large logs over the rocks and shallow places.

Perpetua lodge A O U W installed their officers for the present term Tuesday evening. This lodge has changed their meetings from Saturday to Tuesday evenings.

After having a few street lamps for a short time the people of Florence realize something of what a convenience they are, and the general opinion is that the council should order some more lamps.

The stage from Eugene was delayed Monday by a slide near Tilton rock and did not arrive at Mapleton till Tuesday noon. The driver reported about 14 inches of snow in the mountains between here and Eugene.

Dan Sweet of Elmira was arrested and taken before U S Commissioner J J Walton at Eugene last week on a charge of counterfeiting. But not finding the evidence sufficient to justify holding him to the U S grand jury, Commissioner Walton dismissed the complaint.

At a creamery in Colorado, the butter-maker found that one of his patrons received \$45 per cow in 1897 for butter-fat, while another patron received only \$12 per cow. The man who received \$45 per cow for butter-fat, raised the calves on skim milk, and sold them in the fall at an average price of \$18 each.

Ashland Tidings: Max Pracht, the special agent of the general land office for this district, has been granted a temporary transfer to the district of New Mexico, with headquarters at Santa Fe. Hot tamales, tortillas, frijoles, etcetera, not to mention chile con carne, will constitute his bill of fare for the next few months, and he can wear out his box of red neckties and be in the fashion.

John Clark an inmate of the soldiers' home at Dodge City, Kas. who had been buried because it is supposed he had died from typhoid fever, was exhumed after two days, and it was found he was only in a trance. He revived, and states that he was half conscious of everything that was going on, but was helpless to do anything to save himself from his impending fate. One of the soldiers insisted that the man was not dead and caused the exhumation with the result stated.

E J Wilson a Lincoln county nurseryman expresses the opinion that the codling moth can not thrive where the sea fog will strike them as it does in most parts of Lincoln county—that the salt holds the moth in check. He also predicts that in a few years Lincoln county apples will be noted far and wide. Has Lincoln county any advantage for fruit-raising that is not enjoyed by all that part of Oregon west of the Coast range?

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER.
Lillie Johnson to Louisa A Johnson lots 1 and 2 block 7 in Fisk's addition to Glensada; \$150.
MISTAKEN.
A Glensada correspondent writing to the Broadaxe under date of Dec. 22nd, 1898 says "George O Knowles will be married Xmas day."
Upon receiving the Broadaxe with the above item we hastened to find Geo. O and tendered him our congratulations. He seemed somewhat surprised and inquired why we were congratulating him. We then produced the paper and gave it to him to read. Whereupon he declared it was all a mistake but he wished it were the truth.

GLENSADA NEWS.
By REPORTER.
Remember to date your letters 1899 now.
The holidays are over and everyone still alive in Glensada.
Mr Lowe and family spent Christmas with relatives on Fiddle creek.
Mr Landis and family visited several days with Mr Wisdom and family.
Miss Rosa Schuster is visiting her parents on Maple creek.
Mr Lawton is teaching a small class in vocal music.
Chas Harwood and family spent several days with friends and relatives on the lake.
Mrs Carle is staying a few days at the ranch on Maple creek.
Mr Fields of Heeta spent the past week visiting with friends here.
A number of our people attended the public installation of officers Wednesday night and report a pleasant time.
Born in Glensada Dec 31st, 1893 to Mr and Mrs Arthur Johnson a boy of usual weight, all doing well. If we are not mistaken this is the only birth occurring in Glensada in 1893.
Rolla Phelps made a trip to Hermann this week. His brother Jesse came back with him for a visit with his parents.
Our flag entertainment at the church on Dec. 23 has been so well described that there is no need of saying more about it.
Philosophy is the romance of the aged and Religion the only future history for us all.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A Sheriff and Deputy Shot at Seaside. The Murderer Killed.

Last Friday afternoon Sheriff Williams of Clatsop county in company with Senator Fulton went to Seaside having in their possession a warrant to search the premises occupied by one Charles Willard who was suspected of robbing Senator Fulton's cottage a few days before and then burning it to conceal the crime.

Deputies A E Miller and James Lamers of Seaside accompanied them. After some conversation with Willard, Fulton and Miller went inside the house. Soon two shots were heard and the sheriff and Lamers were shot by Willard. Senator Fulton sprang upon him and with the aid of Miller overpowered him. The desperado then watched his opportunity, sprang up and started to run but was shot in the face by Fulton who then went for assistance leaving Miller on guard with a rifle. Willard then drew a revolver and shot Miller in the leg who then shot and killed Willard instantly.

An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts. None of the men killed had families.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Preaching 11 a m Christian Endeavor 2:30 p m and Preaching at 7 p m.

I G KNOTTS, pastor.

FOUND GUILTY.

In San Francisco, Mrs Botkin has been convicted of poisoning Mrs John P Dunning, by sending a box of poisoned candy to her at Dover, Del. Life imprisonment is the penalty.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remained unclaimed in the Florence postoffice for the week ending Dec. 31, 1898:

John Smith
James B Canale.
Any person calling for the above will please ask for advertised.

WM. KYLE, postmaster.

A QUEER FISH.

A fish that was something of a curiosity to many of our citizens was found in South Slough by Ed Anderson and L B Carter Wednesday morning and brought to Florence.

It was pronounced a skate by some of the residents. It measured about 5 1/2 feet in length and four feet in width. It had a shovel nose, a mouth somewhat resembling a sturgeon, and its tail which was about 2 1/2 feet long was shape much like that of a cow and had several ft. near the end.

DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED.

By local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.
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PERSONALS.

Miss May Stebbins leaves for Fairmount Monday.
J W Nelson expects to make a trip to Eugene in a few days.
W H Poyner and M D Landis are preparing to leave for Alaska in a few days.
Misses Kate Brand and Mattie Brynd were visiting in town several days this week.
Charles Gettys returns to Bohemia this day of the week to work in the mines.
Rolla Phelps has been combining business with pleasure in a visit to Hermann this week.
L C Ackorly came down from Minerva Wednesday to meet with his brethren of the three link fraternity.
James White leaves for eastern Oregon next week after spending the holidays with friends at Acme.

H H Hawley of Bohemia who has been spending a couple of weeks on the Sislaw leaves in a day or two for a trip to eastern Oregon.

O S Journal: Messrs George and Ira Allen both of Point Terrace, Lane Co Oregon, were in Eugene for a short business visit last week.

Captain T J Neely and Engineer Geo O Knowles made a trip from Florence to head of tide and return with the Mink yesterday to relieve Messrs Hurd and Fox of the labor on the extra trip of the boat.

L. O. O. F. OFFICERS

Installed Wednesday Evening. Addresses Music Etc.

Hall Finely Decorated

A Large Crowd present. Grand Support. Everything Passes Pleasantly.

Wednesday evening being the time set by Heeta lodge, No 111, L O O F, for inducting into their chairs, officers who are to serve for the ensuing term, arrangements were made to hold an open installation.

A large number of invitations were issued members of the order and their friends to be present. The hall was handsomely decorated for the occasion and everything was planned to have the guests enjoy it. A new carpet received the day before was put down and this with decorations made the interior of the hall very beautiful.

A meeting of the lodge was held in the afternoon to attend to business matters, that there might be no delay in the evening exercises. The steamer Mink made a special trip from Mapleton in the afternoon and returned next morning to accommodate those wishing to attend.

The hall was filled to overflowing when about half past seven o'clock Noble Grand T J Boren called the audience to order and announced the opening ode. This was followed by a prayer by the chaplain after which N G Boren gave a short address of welcome.

The installing officers were then announced and took their places and Wm Kyle district deputy grand master, assisted by John I Butterfield as grand marshal, proceeded to install the following elective officers: Andrew Brand, N G; John A Mason, V G; Marion Morris, Rec. Sec; S J Seymour, Financial Sec; N G Brand and V G Mason then announced the following appointive officers and they were installed: T J Neely, Warden; Wm Chamberlin, Con; E A Evans, I G; J N Wisdom, O G; F H Alexander, R S N G; Fred Peil, L S N G; W H Weatherson, R S S; W L Fisk, L S S; Phil Nicolle, L S V G; John Yates, R S V G.

Bro Kyle then gave an interesting address on Old Fellowship and announced that the officers were installed in regular form. N G Brand then made an address thanking the lodge for the honor conferred on him and setting forth the duties of an Old Fellow. This was followed by a song by E A Evans accompanied by Mrs Evans with the organ.

W H Weatherson and John I Butterfield then made short addresses after which Rev I G Knotts was called upon and responded with a few well chosen remarks to amuse and instruct the audience. V G Mason then gave a short address thanking the audience for attending the exercises and bespeaking a warm place in their hearts for the order of Old Fellows. Several pieces of instrumental music were then played by Mrs Wilson, Fred Bean and Fred Peil.

Supper was then announced and the assembly adjourned to the room below where a bountiful repast had been provided. Everybody enjoyed the delicious bread, meat, cake, pies, coffee and other good things too numerous to mention, which the Old Fellows' wives know so well how to prepare. A large crowd were present but there was plenty for all and to spare.

The floor was then cleared and dancing was indulged for several hours, music being furnished by George Thurman, violinist, and Mrs Alexander organist.

G A R OFFICERS.

Gen Lyons Post G A R of Florence have elected the following officers for the next term: S B Colvin, Commander; Z L Seymour, Senior Vice Commander; S E Lowe, Junior Vice Commander; R B Mills, Quartermaster.

NOTICE.

I wish to inform my friends and the public generally, that on or about the 15th of Nov., I will open a Bazaar here at my residence for Ladies and Children. Made up Clothing of all Kinds. A good supply kept on hand, and orders filled on short Notice. Call in and learn prices.
Mrs. J R STILES, Point Terrace, Or.
Nov. 1st, 1898.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The following is a true report of the school taught in district 149 of Heeta, Lane Co, Ore., for the month beginning Nov. 22nd and ending Dec. 23rd, 1898.

Total number enrolled	9
Total attendance	154
Total absence	13
Cases of tardiness	9
Number of visitors	7
Department was very good.	

Examination held as usual at the close of the month. Those securing highest in general average were Otho Hansen, 95% and Dora Spangh 92%.

Those who failed to secure a general average over 90 but who are worthy of special mention because of high standing in several branches are Clifford, Elman, Eva and Cecil Spangh.

Those who were neither absent nor tardy were Dora and Elman Spangh. Parents and friends are cordially invited to call at any time.

DELIA D MORRIS, teacher.

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LOGS WANTED.

I want 4,000,000 feet of old growth fir logs delivered at the saw-mill at Acme between now and May 1st 1899.

I B Cushman.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
December 21, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before C. H. Holden U. S. Commissioner, at Florence, Oregon, on February 14, 1899, viz: Laura E. Anderson, widow of Lewis W. Anderson, deceased, on h. e. no. 7096, for the s 1/2 n 1/4 e 1/4 s 1/4 sec. 22, tp. 13 s., r. 11 west.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Charles Sherboudy, of Florence, Oregon; Eugene K. Wait, of Acme, Oregon and Fred E. Kueper and George A. Glover, of Lake Princt, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
December 16, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before C. H. Holden U. S. Commissioner at Florence, Oregon, on January 21, 1899, viz: Jerry A. Levage on h. e. no. 6974, for the lot 2 and n 1/4 n 1/4 sec. 26, tp. 17 s., r. 12 west; and lot 1, sec. 30 and lot 2 sec. 19, tp. 17 s., r. 11 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
O. W. Sutton, E. E. Mazr, G. G. Dablin and F. M. Rath all of Florence, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
November 15, 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before Joel Ware, U. S. Commissioner at Eugene, Oregon, on December 31, 1898, viz: Nancy C. Conrad, widow of Andrew J. Conrad, deceased, on h. e. no. 7299, for the s 1/4 sec. 22, tp. 13 s., r. 8 west.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Isaac M. Francis, James Honig and William T. Bailey of Eugene, Ore., and Joseph Abel of Glensada, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written by many experts at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the hospital camps with Aguinaldo, on the decks of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the rear of the battle at the fall of Manila. Bonus for agents. Briefing of original pictures taken by several photographers on the spot. Large book, Low price. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy medicinal war books. Outside free. Address, F T Barber, Sec'y., Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

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SALE EXTRAORDINARY

In order to reduce my stock of goods between now and Jan. 1st, 1899, I have reduced the price of all goods to COST and a small per cent to cover expenses during the sale.

These goods are mostly new, bought for the Fall and Winter trade, and will be sold without reserve. It is the largest stock carried for many years thus giving a great variety to select from

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF CAPES JUST IN

Ranging in cloth from \$1.50 up. Plush capes from \$2.50 up. Cotton blankets 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00, and \$1.25 per pair. Wool " from \$2.00 to \$8.00 per pair; mostly Salem manufacture Calicoes at 20, 25, and 30 yds., for \$1.00. Newest styles Chicago L. L. muslin 5c, Cabot W. 6c, Cabot A. 7c, with half cent reduction by the bolt.

Men's and Boys' clothing at prices that will astonish you. This is an opportunity to procure your winter supplies practically for cost. Remember the place and call.

Remember we carry a general assortment of Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Gent's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Hosiery and Notions all reduced. This sale for CASH only.

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