

The Oregon Scout has a large circulation as any two papers in this section of the State, combined, and is correspondingly valuable as an advertising medium.

Thursday, Oct. 24th, 1889.

For a full description of Union County see inside pages.

LOCAL INFORMATION.

Gathered up by The Scout and brought to Headquarters.

All kinds of lumber at Hill Bros. Latest sheet music at Mrs. Alger's. The city election will soon be at hand.

Remember the school entertainment Saturday evening.

Our Cove items were sent in by telephone yesterday evening.

A large assortment of picture frames just received at Jones Bros.

Hill Bros have now a large supply of lumber at their yard. 10-10-1m

Villard is again on top and is now president of the Northern Pacific railroad.

A twelve line advertisement in the San Francisco Examiner one week costs \$14.

Only seven women have been sent to the Oregon penitentiary in the last thirty-five years.

Look at those coal oil stoves at Mrs. Alger's store. They are very convenient in every household.

The stage running between Baker and Canyon City was again held up and robbed last Friday.

Judge Goodall has rented the Union City hotel of L. J. Bootle and is now officiating as landlord.

Wheat at Athena, Or., is worth four cents more per bushel at the Hunt than at the O. R. & N. depot.

Messrs. Corey & Johnson are fitting up the building formerly occupied by Dr. Saylor and will open up a billiard room.

A man by the name of John Brown and a Chinaman were killed by the falling in of a cave near Malheur City last week.

The Baker City Democrat says that sheep owners are driving their bands toward Snake river where the range is better than any other part of the country.

We are informed that the mill of the Eastern Oregon Gold Mining Co. was closed down last week awaiting the completion of the company's new tramway now in course of building.

It is believed there is a combination among farmers around Walla Walla to form a pool and offer wheat in lots of 100,000 bushels at the auction plan worked well last year in Umatilla county.

There is not a vacant house in Union that is fit to occupy, and unless a number are erected soon, many who contemplate spending the winter here will be forced to go elsewhere.

The municipal election which is soon to take place in Baker City will be contested strictly on party lines. The republicans have already placed a ticket in the field.

Ike Splawn, of Long creek, who is well known to many in Grande Ronde valley, while in Yakima, recently, severely cut and probably fatally wounded his brother with a knife. He is now in jail.

The Blue Mountain House at La Grande takes the lead of all others. The traveling public may be sure of royal entertainment while stopping there. The charges are always reasonable.

Our thanks are due to Messrs. Wilson & Hackett for the able manner in which The Scout was written up during our recent visit below. We only regret that they did not experience journalistic life in all its phases, but it may be best as it is.

The Yale Atlas says: The Pacific Live Stock Co. started three herds of horses to Marysville, Cal., last week. There were 1,000 horses in each herd, and 1,000 were started every other day. This week they were to start 300 head of work horses for the same place.

Rather a curious specimen may be seen at the Bowman House, says the Pendleton East Oregonian. It is merely a common, ordinary frog, but derives its interest from the fact that it was removed from the stomach of a patient by the cancer doctor, who received \$500 for his trouble.

The county tax levy has been made and is as follows: County purposes, 13 1/2 mills; school, 5 mills; contingent, 2 1/2 mills; university, 1 1/2 mill; military, 2 1/2 mill. We have it from good authority that the state tax will be about 6 mills. Taken altogether this will be the heaviest assessment we have had for years.

Arthur T. Morwin and N. C. Love, stockraisers of the Lower Powder section, returned home yesterday morning from Iowa, where they disposed of several carloads of horses at a fair figure. Both gentlemen were glad to get back, and Mr. Morwin remarked "that he would rather be a hump-pot in this country than a millionaire back there."

Democrat.

A telegram received by Mr. W. T. Wright, last Tuesday, announced the death of Miss Laura Cogan, on the morning of that day, of influenza pneumonia. The many friends of this estimable young lady will be grieved to hear of her death, which is all the more to be regretted as she was just attaining womanhood, the happy possessor of everything that could make life pleasant.

DRESS PARADE.

The Scout's Weekly Inspection and Report of Friends of Duty.

Dr. Day returned from Portland, Tuesday.

Mr. John Smith, of Eagle valley, visited Union last Saturday.

Mr. W. Shaw and wife, of North Powder, were in the city Monday.

Mr. L. L. Haller, of Telouset, made this office a pleasant call Saturday.

Most of the visitors from this city to the Portland exposition have returned.

McDowell Bros., of Island City, sent in this week and subscribed for The Scout.

Mr. A. L. Long, of Elgin, made us a pleasant and substantial visit a few days ago.

Mr. R. W. Mankinson and John Engler, of Eagle valley, visited Union Tuesday.

Mr. L. A. Robertson of High valley made final proof on his land claim last Monday.

Mr. A. V. Oliver, of the sand ridge, is now in attendance at the State University.

Mr. J. H. Fulp, of Pine valley, called on us a few days ago and subscribed for The Scout.

Mr. Wm. Smith, J. P. Denney and John Erickson, of Pine valley, called on us Monday.

State Printer Frank Baker was in the city last Thursday. We acknowledge a pleasant call.

Mrs. May Kelley was up from the Cove last Monday, on a visit to her sister, Miss Hildebrand.

O. Eckerly was up from the Cove, Tuesday. While here he made this office a pleasant visit.

Mrs. Fannie Bird came over from La Grande last Friday to visit her little brother who is very sick.

Mr. Al. Dickson called at our office this week and subscribed for another copy of The Scout. Others should follow suit.

Mr. N. B. Harris writes to have his Scout changed from Tacoma to Portland. Mr. Harris is now engaged in business in the latter city.

Chas. Davis took his departure last Thursday for Denver, Colorado, to attend his brother Louis who is lying very sick at that place.

Marshall Piy, while out gunning this week, killed a large swan. It was a magnificent bird, measuring seven feet between the tip ends of its wings.

John Erickson and Charles L. Fee, of Eagle valley, called on us this week. They were down for the purpose of making final proof on their land claims.

W. D. Sturbird, of La Grande, and Miss Jessie Tuttle, of Summerville, were married at the residence of the bride's parents October 16, 1889, Rev J. H. Wood, officiating.

Mr. Len Davis, of North Powder, called on us a few days ago and subscribed for an extra copy of The Scout to be sent to his brother Fred who is now attending the State University at Eugene.

Mrs. W. D. Beideman took her departure Tuesday for a few months visit to her parents who reside in Fairfield, Wayne county, Ill. Her many friends here wish her a pleasant journey and safe return.

Mr. E. T. Beideman is now in San Diego, Cal. A private letter from him informs us that he is doing well and likes the country very much. Road his notice concerning sea shells and mosses, in another column.

Nick Hicklin and "Mick" Benson, who went down to Portland to visit the exposition last Thursday, returned Sunday. Nick got sick and "Mick" began to kick and that is what made them return so quick.—Good Lord! We didn't know it, but we are a poet.

Jos. Wilkinson has our thanks for some potatoes raised on his place, which are curious in their way. One of them is firmly imbedded in a hole in such a way that it cannot be got out, and the others have spears of grass growing directly through them.

Mr. A. Levy and family took their departure for Pendleton last Saturday to be in attendance at the marriage of Julius, which took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Selling, Sunday. All who are acquainted with Julius will wish him and his amiable wife unbounded happiness.

Mr. E. S. McComas arrived in Union from Cincinnati, Ohio, a few days ago and has been busy ever since talking to old friends who are very glad to see him. He is the same old boy he used to be, and but very little change is noticeable in his appearance. He will probably remain in Oregon and Washington till after the holidays.

Last Visit to Union.

Dr. J. B. Pilkington, medical specialist, will be at the Centennial hotel, Union, from noon of Wednesday, Oct. 26th to 11 a. m. of Thursday, Oct. 31, 1889. All sufferers from eye, ear, lung, chronic uterine, and rectal difficulties, will do well to avail themselves of an expert's examination, free. Rheumatism, headache, asthma, neuritis, neuralgia and uterine troubles specially invited.

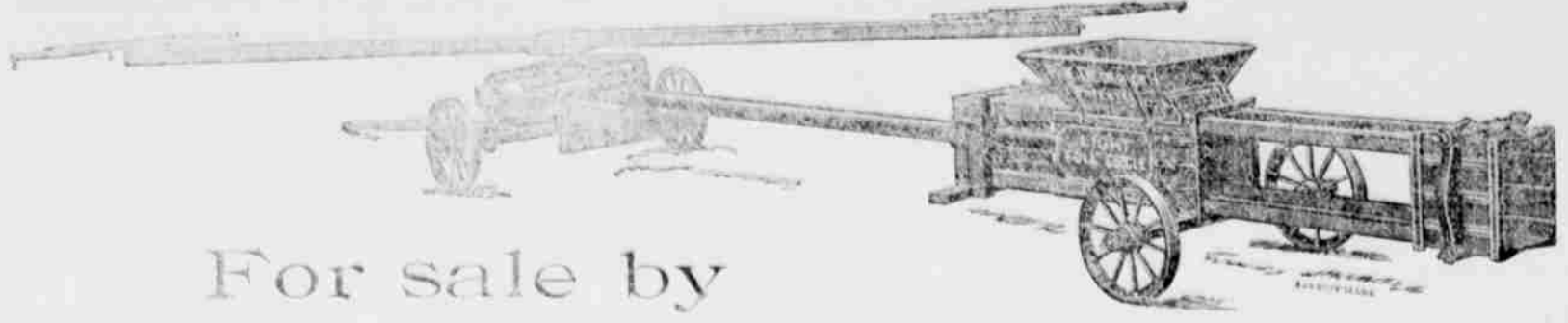
Sea-shells and Mosses.

For fancy work or ornaments, sea shells, shells, etc., an assorted box sent by mail for 50 cents, postal note, address E. T. BEIDEMAN, 415 Logan Avenue, San Diego, Cal.

Elegant New Dining Cars

will run daily, commencing Aug. 22, over the Union Railway & Navigation Co., Oregonian, Life and Union Pacific RRs., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled.

P. K. Dederick Hay Presses.



For sale by

STAVERS & WALKER, La Grande, Oregon.

These presses are made in the United States and Canada. We can make you better prices and better terms than any other place, and will do a large business for you.

ROSS FEED CUTTERS, WIRESTONE RUBBER MILLS, AMERICAN FRUIT EVAPORATORS, STUDEBAKER WAGONS, HACKS, CARRIAGES and BUGGIES.

You do yourself an injustice if you do not see our goods before purchasing. STAVERS & WALKER, La Grande, Oregon.

Painting a Specialty, HOUSE and SIGN PAINTER, J. A. BELL, UNION, OREGON.

DRESSEYERIAN OFFICIAL—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. ...

Blessed be that payeth promptly. For further particulars call at the Dove drug store.

The Ladies Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the Presbyterian church tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Medical Lake Token of Health Remedies and the celebrated Tolu of the Tolu Soap for sale by Mrs. Alger at the P. O. Union.

The Summerville Annotator says: "On last Wednesday morning Uncle Jack Collins received a telegram from his daughter, Millie, stating that her husband, Mr. Prewley, had met with an accident while in the discharge of his duty as conductor on the railroad, by which he lost both his feet."

Through the kindness of our efficient county assessor J. D. Gillet, we are enabled to give the following information concerning the wealth and resources of Union County from the assessment returns:

Table with columns: Real estate, Personal property, Live stock, and Total. Values listed for each category.

The attention of farmers and grain dealers is called to the superior facilities and advantages offered by Frank Bro's. Implement Co. for the purchase and handling of all kinds of grain of their large warehouse and elevator at La Grande.

The favorable impression produced on the first appearance of the agreement liquid fruit candy Syrup of Fruits has been less than we anticipated by the great success of all who have used it, and the success of the proprietors and manufacturers the Cal. Fig Syrup Company.

MONEY TO LOAN!

We Guarantee the Lowest Rates. No Commissions. No Delays, where Title and Security is Satisfactory.

CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED. WILSON & HACKETT, Union, Or.

M. KUBIAK Merchant Tailor, LAGRANDE, OREGON.

Suits made to order, and perfect fit guaranteed. Cleaning and repairing done. Give me a trial. Charges reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed.

The Case of Froin.

A correspondent, signing himself "Gloria," sends the following to the Baker City Democrat of the 5th inst: "The Oregonian, ..."

School Entertainment.

The teachers and pupils of the Union public school will give an entertainment Saturday evening, October 26th. The proceeds will be applied toward purchasing an organ for the school.

Watch the Stars.

If the night of the 28th of this month happens to be one of those clear and cold October nights which Oregon is frequently blessed with, star gazers who keep their eyes open will witness a vision of rare beauty.

Look Out for Stray Palaters.

The Albany Democrat says: With Oregon's present mechanic's lien law it behooves our citizens to keep their eyes open when hiring strange painters and carpenters.

Catholic Ceremonies.

On November the 3d, there will be at Island City's Catholic church a church bell to be blessed. The ceremony will be conducted by Very Rev. A. O'Donnell, pastor of St. Angel college, Marion county, Or.

School Books

Readers: Exchanged: Free! All readers to be exchanged must contain all the reading matter and to be in such condition that they could be used in school if the change had not been made.

The full series of Barnes Readers now ready. Also a full full assortment of all kinds of books.

HALL BROTHERS, Exchange Agents for Union and District. 7-25ft

For Sale. 1600 ewes and lambs and 400 wethers, yearlings and two year olds. Will sell at a bargain. Enquire of T.G. WILSON, at Cove, or B. F. WILSON, Union, Oregon.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters will agree that it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed.

BORN.

FISHER.—Near this city, Friday, Oct. 18, 1889, to the wife of Hiram Fisher, a son.

J. F. Smith, Specialist in Veterinary Surgery.

Residing horses successfully treated. Horses and cows spayed by the latest improved methods. I will give instruction in my system of treatment, and guarantee satisfaction in every instance, on no charges will be made. I am permanently located at Union, Oregon. Will promptly attend to all calls, by mail or otherwise. 3-14 ft.

Shingles For Sale!

An unlimited amount of No. 1 shingles constantly on hand and for sale cheap. Orders from all parts of the country solicited. S. B. BURROUGHS, Cove, Oregon.

A VOICE For Men!

There is a large class of men who are afflicted with a weak and feeble voice, who are unable to perform the duties of their profession, and who are in consequence of this, obliged to leave their families and seek employment elsewhere. We have a remedy for this complaint, which will restore the voice to its natural strength and power.

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