

NOTICE.

On account of the change made in the management of this paper, all accounts due up to Jan 15, 1891, must be settled without delay. Those knowing themselves indebted to the paper are requested to come in and pay up without further urging.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A Paragraphic Record of Recent Happenings in and Around the City.

Hats and caps at cost. Jones Bros. If family groceries at cost at Jones Bros. If R. D. Ruckman, of the Sandridge, was in the city Saturday.

Huey Lynch and wife, of Antelope, were in the city last Saturday.

The only place to secure first-class job printing is at THE SCOUT office.

Closing out sale at Jones Bros. Every thing must be sold regardless of cost. If James York, of North Powder, sent in this week and subscribed for THE SCOUT.

Simon Graf, of St. Marys, Mo., sent in this week and subscribed for THE SCOUT.

J. L. Curtis, of La Grande, called on us a few days ago and subscribed for THE SCOUT.

Store fixtures, show cases, scales, lamps, etc., etc., for sale at less than cost at Jones Bros.

Dr. Dittbrandt will occupy the residence property on Main street, vacated by A. N. Gardner.

Stoves, tables, chairs, parlor and bedroom sets, carpets, etc., for sale cheap. Apply to Jones Bros.

Mrs. Savage, of Cornucopia, came down last Thursday on a visit to friends and relatives in this city.

Hall Brothers, of Union, will now carry the full line of Frank Brothers' Implement Company's machinery.

Old papers for sale at this office at 25c. a hundred, tied up in packages. Call and get some. They are useful for many things.

All extras for repairs on Frank Brothers' Implement Company's goods can now be secured of Hall Brothers, Union, Oregon.

Do not forget that Hall Brothers now carry a full and complete line of farming implements, also wagons, buggies, carts, etc.

Household furnishing goods, including a plush parlor set, bedroom set, parlor and cook stoves, etc., for sale. Apply to Jones Bros.

Get a caricature photograph of yourself taken at Jones Brothers' gallery. These pictures are "too utterly funny for anything."

John Erwin, of Lower Powder, has received a voucher for \$1488, back pay and pension from the government, for services as a soldier.

For Sale—Twenty head of dairy cows and 30 head of stock cattle. Will be sold at fair prices and on easy terms. J. M. Fly, Union, Oregon.

License to wed were issued since our last issue to the following parties: M. McDuffee and Ellen F. Shaw; C. G. Wyatt and Sadie M. Aitken.

School Books.—Remember Hall Bros., of Union, carry a complete line of school books and school supplies. Country orders promptly filled.

J. M. Dean, of Sanger, called on us Monday. He is on his way to the Seven Devils country, and will probably remain there during the summer.

The sporting fraternity of Astoria have raised \$17,000 for the Hall-Fitzsimmons fight to take place in that city. The amount was raised in two hours.

You can always find a good supply of stationery, school books, novels, etc., at the postoffice store. A fine lot of garden and flower seeds just received.

Mrs. Fisher, wife of a painter, died at La Grande Tuesday evening of last week, caused by excitement at the fire. She was subject to heart disease.

Pictures enlarged to any size and finished in any style at Jones Bros' gallery. New process. Cheaper than ever. Satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.

Miss Stella Ekersley, of the Cove, passed through Union Saturday on her way to Antelope, where she will probably be engaged to teach school in district No. 62.

The Standard Oil Company has started in a big game of freeze out with the Manhattan Oil Company. The Standard folks advertise oil, in the east, for 20 cents a barrel.

The egg-breaking concert at the M. E. church last Friday night was quite a success, financially, but sufficient time was not given most of the children to learn their pieces.

Mrs. W. D. Knowles, of Greenview, Ill., mother of Mrs. J. C. Summers of this city, arrived in Union last Friday night on a visit to her daughter. She will probably remain all summer.

John Murphy, of the Cove, was in the city the fore part of the week on his way home from Big creek, where he has been for a few days. He is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Dr. Jay Guy Lewis returned recently from his eastern trip. The Dr. reports having a pleasant and successful business trip and succeeded in interesting capital in the gold mines of Eastern Oregon.

It is reported that the new Union Pacific time card will not take effect till the 12, and will then be of but few days duration. Double trains will be run on the main line and single trains on the branch until another new schedule is issued, providing for double branch trains.

Henry Groder, an employe of the Grande Ronde Lumber Company, met with a fatal accident Friday, while engaged with the log-driving force a few miles above Hilgard. In some manner he was struck by a sawlog rolling into the river and was knocked under the water. Before aid could reach him life was extinct. The remains were brought to La Grande Saturday for burial.—La Grande Gazette.

W. T. Carroll has been quite sick for several days past.

Sheriff Holmes is suffering with a severe attack of la grippe.

Dan Soumer, of Elgin, made our office a pleasant and substantial visit yesterday.

E. E. Taylor, of Elgin, called on us Tuesday and renewed his subscription to THE SCOUT.

W. W. Gardner, of North Powder, was in the city Monday. We acknowledge a pleasant call.

W. G. Hunter, of Island City, was in the city Tuesday. We acknowledge a pleasant and substantial visit.

Turner Oliver went to Summerville last Thursday on a visit to relatives and friends. He returned home Monday.

Mrs. N. Morris, of California, is on a visit to her son, Rev. J. P. Morris, of this city. She will remain a month or two.

A. N. Gardner has moved his household effects to his own building on Main street, where he will hereafter reside. He will also move his jewelry store into the front part of the same building.

R. V. Highlands, of La Grande, is now acting in the capacity of night clerk at the Centennial hotel. He is a popular and accommodating young man, always ready to attend the wants of guests.

Leroy Loumax, of North Powder, will soon open up a grocery and gent's furnishing goods store in that city. He was in Union Sunday on his way to Portland where he goes to buy a stock of goods.

It was a Dakota editor who wrote: "The price of our paper is not increased by the McKinley bill, but we wish to correct the misapprehensions of some subscribers who appear to think that it was placed on the free list."

The discovering of a counterfeit \$2 silver certificate is now causing some comment in the treasury department. It is said the counterfeit is so nearly perfect that it cannot be detected by the naked eye. The entire issue perhaps will be called in.

New and novel. Stamp photographs, gummed, ready to stick to cards, lockets, watches, rings, pins, fancy work, autograph albums, books, letters, envelopes or hearts, at Jones Bros' gallery. Fifty for \$1. Call and see samples. Also miniature photographs, beautiful designs, 20 for \$1.

It is none too early to begin to make arrangements to clean up. The heated term will soon be upon us and filth is not beneficial to good health. The back alleys and some other localities will need attention. The sanitary condition of our city should not be neglected.

The directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad company have been indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter in connection with the fatal collision in the Fourth Avenue tunnel on February 20th last, whereby there were six lives lost. Among those indicted are Chauncey M. Depew, W. Rockefeller and Levert W. Brainard.

J. T. Adams was arrested last Thursday and had an examination before Judge Blakeslee upon a charge of larceny, preferred by A. C. Craig. Adams was held in the sum of \$100 to appear before the next grand jury. He failed to give bonds and was placed in jail. It seems Adams had borrowed one dollar from Craig and left as security a shotgun, but afterward took the gun and left for Hilgard.

J. L. Curtis, our county surveyor, returned Saturday from his trip to Snake river, having completed the survey of the proposed road to the Seven Devils mines. He reports a very practicable route and easy grade, but says the road will cost more than was anticipated. In his opinion a good road can be built for \$7000 to Ballard's landing, which will intersect with the road from the mines, and is the only practicable route to this great mining camp.

Mortimer F. Hatch, acting for the Merchant Tailors' Society, stood before a crowd of several hundred prominent business and society men in the New York real estate exchange and sold to the highest bidder thirty-five unpaid tailor bills. These bills bore the names of well known New Yorkers, and those who did not pay before the sale were held up for public ridicule. The ridiculousness of the sale can be realized when several bills, amounting to seven hundred and odd dollars, were sold in a bunch to a Hebrew tailor for \$1.

S. F. Newhard and wife, of the Hot Lake, were in town Saturday. We acknowledge a pleasant and substantial visit from Mr. Newhard. He informs us that they have about recovered from the effects of their recent dose of medicine which they purchased from a traveling man. He showed us an analysis of the drug which was made in Portland, and it is pronounced a deadly poison when taken in sufficient quantity. Luckily Mr. Newhard and wife had quit taking the medicine just in time, for had they taken another dose or two they would have no doubt been beyond recovery.

Prof. M. V. Rork, state organizer of the farmers' alliance, delivered a lecture in this city last Wednesday evening. Owing to a misunderstanding as to the time of day there was not a very large attendance. A number of farmers were here in the afternoon, thinking the lecture would be at that time, but went home before night. Mr. Rork has appointments in nearly every precinct in the county which he will visit during the month. See bills for particulars. He will return here on Wednesday, April 22, and organize county alliance at this place. Remember the date and do not fail to attend.

Lincoln Haynes was arrested on Saturday night last upon a charge of larceny of a horse. The warrant was procured at the instance of James York, of North Powder, from Justice Wilson's court, and upon his being arraigned Monday for examination, there appeared no one to prosecute and he was discharged. It appears that Haynes was placed in charge of the horse in Harney county to be delivered to its owner, James York of North Powder, but while on his way home, in Malheur county he traded the horse off for another and a pistol, etc., to boot, and never informed Mr. York of his proceedings, hence the arrest.

Subscribe for and advertise in THE OREGON SCOUT.

Work has been commenced preparing for the new flouring mill.

New stock of watches and fine watch chains just received at A. N. Gardner's jewelry store.

Archie Johnson will act as agent for the Union and Cornucopia stage line at this place for a while.

Now is the time to plant flower seeds and make your front yard attractive. A fine assortment of seeds at our drug store.

J. T. Jones, of Walla Walla, a civil engineer, arrived in Union last Monday and has been at work taking observations and surveying for the proposed water works.

The attention of our readers is directed to the professional card of Dr. M. Dittbrandt which appears in this issue. The doctor has located here permanently and comes well recommended.

The tax roll was closed last Monday, but it is probable the court will extend the time till May 1st to which parties may pay without being delinquent. Up to date there has been collected \$36,589.01. The approximate delinquent is about \$25,000.

The gentleman having in contemplation the erection of a woolen mill in this city, arrived in town Tuesday and has been looking over our city and surroundings. He is much pleased with the situation and will no doubt report favorably, in which event it will not be long before work will be commenced.

The Idaho Stage Company have submitted their contract on the Union and Cornucopia line to N. D. Boly, of Cornucopia, who took charge on the first of the month. Mr. P. C. Reams, who has had charge of the line for the past nine months, will soon take his departure for Southern Oregon to superintend some other line for the company.

At the local teachers' institute which will be held in this city next Saturday, quite a number of educators will be present, among them Prof. Stevens, of the east, Prof. Jarvis, of Umatilla county and Prof. Strange of La Grande. A very interesting and instructive programme will be carried out. The session will open at 10 o'clock a. m. and there will be a very interesting evening session. All friends of education are invited to attend.

A rainbow social will be given by some of the young ladies of the Methodist Sunday school, on Friday evening of this week, in the restaurant building opposite the Centennial hotel. Several booths are being prepared. One will have coffee, sandwiches and cake; another, lemonade and cake; another candy and nuts, and another oranges and chrysanthemum plants. The unusual affair is a church benefit. Come, have a pleasant time and be sociable. The oranges are from Oroville, California. Two immense shaddock oranges will be on exhibition. No fee at the door.

Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shephard, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Brown's drug store.

There Will Be a Scramble.

The Salem Statesman says that the sum of \$33,325.76 was on Tuesday paid into the Oregon state treasury by the United States government. This is an installment of the 5 per cent fund arising from the sale of public lands in this state, and due to Oregon by the provisions of her admission into the Union. The wagon road men will keep their eyes on this fund, and the next legislature will witness a scramble for it. The fund will probably amount to some \$200,000 by the opening of the next session. It has heretofore, for a long time, been eaten up as fast as paid in by the old Oregon City locks state warrants and interest thereon—in some cases the interest being more than the principal.

Take it Before Breakfast.

The great appetizer, tonic and liver regulator. In use for more than 50 years in England. Positive specific for liver complaint, bad taste in the mouth, on arising in the morning, dull pains in the head and back of the eyes, tired feeling, dizziness, languor symptoms of liver complaint. Remedy—Dr. Hensley's English Dandelion Tonic. Relieves constipation, sharpens the appetite and tones up the entire system. Get the genuine from your druggist for \$1, and take according to directions.

Presbyterian Church.

Preaching every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sabbath school at 10 a. m.; Christian Endeavor society, Tuesday at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend. We urge parents to bring their children to church that they may be nurtured in morality and piety. W. J. HUGHES, Pastor.

POLITICIAN TO PEDESTRIAN.

Ex-Senator J. P. Wager Proposes to Walk Across the Continent.

Ex-Senator J. P. Wager has announced his intention to start, April 15, on a pedestrian trip across the continent. He will start from Astoria, and unless prevented by sickness or accidents will walk the entire distance and expects to reach New York in about seven months.

The trip will not be made entirely for his "health," for he proposes to lecture every evening except Sundays, when it is possible to reach a town where a sufficient audience can be assembled, charging an admission fee. He has prepared, or is preparing, several lectures on popular subjects, the titles of some of which will be: "The Coming Century," "Stage, Pulpit and Press," and "Vampires and Wreckers."

Mr. Wager is known as a writer and speaker of some ability, and this fact, combined with the novelty of the expedition, will doubtless secure for him considerable attention. He will also correspond during the trip with one or more leading eastern newspapers, and may afterward publish his observations and experiences in a book. He also contemplates, after some months rest and study of the languages, customs and laws of foreign lands through which he may travel, prosecuting his pedestrian journey beyond the Atlantic, making a circuit of the globe as nearly as may be on foot.—Oregonian.

Council Proceedings.

At the meeting of the city council, Saturday night, April 4, the following business was transacted:

The minutes of the last meeting were approved.

City treasurer was allowed further time to make his report.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

B. F. Wilson, making copy of complaints \$13.37

Union Railway Company, for lighting the city 105.00

A. Johnson, marshal fees 32.00

Ordinance passed regulating the sale of liquor.

The street committee submitted a report in reference to street lights and recommended that three more lights should be added in order to give a more equitable distribution, but that that in their opinion the charges for lighting the streets is too much, amounting to \$200 per year, and that unless a reasonable reduction be made the city discontinue the street lighting altogether.

The mayor reported that he had employed an engineer for the purpose of surveying necessary ditches and basin for the water works.

An ordinance was passed relative to nuisances.

A committee of three, consisting of Wilson, Corbin and Elliott, was appointed to confer with the electric light company in regard to reduction of street lighting.

On motion the action of W. T. Wright, J. H. Corbin and J. S. Elliott as trustees for the city of Union, in the matter of appropriating a reservoir near the head of the north fork of Catherine creek, Union county, Oregon, was ratified and accepted and that the notice thereof be placed on file.

Reduced Rates.

The Union Pacific system will sell tickets to the following meetings at one and one-fifth fare:

United Presbyterian Presbytery and Woman's Missionary Association at Portland April 6 to 13, 1891, inclusive. (From rail stations in Oregon and Washington) Mr. W. W. Logan will sign certificates.

G. A. R. and Woman's Relief Corps at Astoria April 8 and 9 (From rail stations in Oregon) agents will sell to Portland only. Mr. James A. Varney will sign certificates.

North Pacific Presbyterian Board of Missions at Portland April 13 to 20. (From rail stations in Oregon) Mrs. A. Holbrook will sign certificates.

I. O. O. F. convention at Spokane, April 25 to 29 1891. (From rail stations on Pacific divisions in Washington and Idaho.) Mr. R. N. McLean will sign certificates.

Parties paying full fare going to any of the above meetings will be returned at one-fifth regular fare. A. E. ELLIS, Agent.

AN AFFECTIONATE REMEMBRANCE.

The following lines, written by request of Miss May Harris, are respectfully dedicated to Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Fisher, in memory of their daughter, Emily, who died at Newark, Ohio, January 15, 1891, aged 15 years.

She sickened and died while the roses were blooming on her cheek, young and fair; And she whispered these sweet words at parting:

"Trust in God and you'll meet me up there, In that heavenly home, celestial, Whose pearly gates stand ajar, For the pure in heart to enter—Where sorrow ne'er comes to mar."

Oh! the anguish and sorrow at parting, From the one we loved fondly and dear; Grief-stricken, we wept for our darling, While death was approaching so near; Yet she calmly awaited the summons, That would call her from earth far away, And it came as the last beams of sunlight, Were foretelling the close of the day.

We laid her to rest with hands folded, While mate were the lips, cold and white; Each heart-throb was freighted with anguish.

When our loved one was hidden from sight; And the future looms darkly before us—All happiness in life is now o'er, While our hearts are filled with deep yearning.

For her, who will come nevermore. —MRS. NELLIE BLOOM, WEST OAKLAND, California, March 27, 1891.

BORN.

CRITES—At Schomo, Washington, March 29, 1891, to the wife of J. R. Crites, a son.

MARRIED.

WILSON—HUGHES—At Union on Monday, April 6 by U. L. Blakeslee, J. P. Mr. James Wilson and Birdie Hughes.

SNYDER—ROCHESTER—At the Union city hotel, April 7, 1891, Mr. L. J. Snyder and Mrs. Mary Rochester, Rev. L. J. Boothe officiating.

A NEW DEPARTURE!



"A beefsteak rare!" he ordered, "But the waiter spake once more, 'Say, mister, did you know we have a wire gauze oven door?'"

"If that's the case," the man replied, "Well done, I'll have the meat!"

"That door preserves the juices so The flavor's always sweet!"

IF YOU WANT THE BEST, BUY THE CHARTER OAK, WITH THE Wire Gauze Oven Doors.

We are sole agents for these well known Stoves and Ranges. In BAKING, ROASTING, BROILING, STEAMING, SAVING OF MEATS, and DURABILITY, they are superior to any other so-called first-class stove made in America, and we are now selling them FAR CHEAPER than any so-called first-class stove has ever been sold in Eastern Oregon.

They are Fully Warranted in Every Particular.

This is not an idle and valueless assertion, but a warranty backed by the well known integrity and reliability of the Charter Oak Manufacturing Co. We are also carrying a complete assortment of

HEATING STOVES!

All of the above reliable manufacture.

Hardware AND Tinware

OUR TINSHOP is in charge of a first-class workman, and all kinds of repairing and job work done at reasonable rates, and satisfaction guaranteed. Call and examine our goods and prices.

SUMMERS & LAYNE, one door south of Jaxcox's store, Union, Or.

2,000 Men Wanted!

TO CARRY AWAY BARGAINS, at ADOLPH LEVY'S STORE.

—I am overstocked in—

Clothing, Dry Goods, and all kinds of Dress Goods, which must be sold

REGARDLESS OF COST.

Call Early and Secure

BIG BARGAINS!

These goods are of the latest styles and importations, but must and will be sold at a sacrifice.

N. B.

I have now on the road from the east two car loads of

FURNITURE,

Which will arrive About March 15th, and in connection with what I now have on hand will comprise the

LARGEST AND FINEST STOCK

of Furniture ever Brought to Eastern Oregon.

Do not fail to call and select before the rush.

S. C. MILLER.

Reserved for Mrs. Rinehart's announcement which will appear next week.

C. C. COFFINBERRY, Union, Oregon,

—Carries a full line of all kinds of—

Harvesting Machinery and Agricultural Implements, Traction Engines and Vibrator Threshers.

I will sell as cheap as any dealer in the valley.