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LOCAL BREVITIES AND NEWS ITEMS

For Watch Work see A. N. Johnson. 5-10-1f

Attorney Sievers of Oregon City was in town Friday.

Dan Newman went to Portland Sunday, returning Monday afternoon.

Some good Wall Papers left at 25c per double roll, at Pointer's. 11-29tf.

Just received a good line of Marswell Paints in the popular shades, at Pointer's, Estacada. tf

A portion of school No. 14, Viola, has been added to school district No. 108, Estacada.

When you need a watch, ring, etc., see A. N. Johnson. 5-10-1f

John Ayers of Garfield returned last week from The Dalles where he had gone after his team of horses.

Theodore Carpenter of Garfield returned home Thursday from a visit of several weeks at Pacific Grove, California.

G. E. Lawrence, W. Scrutton, J. W. Doty and Vernon Anderson visited the Gresham Royal Arch Lodge, Friday night.

Mrs. H. Githens of Currinsville, left today for an extended visit with her friend, Mrs. Deidrich, at Marshfield, Oregon.

The Rev. J. F. Dunlop of Falls City, arrived here Tuesday night. He came to look after his ranch just across the river south of town. He reports his family having had a siege of the measles, but are all well again.

A law suit between Mrs. Dwyer and Matt Klutch over a board bill was tried in Justice Bacon's court last Thursday afternoon and the latter won. He was represented by Attorney Stone of Oregon City, and the plaintiff by A. T. Elott of Estacada.

W. H. H. Wade returned Monday afternoon from a two weeks' visit at Salem. He said he visited the state asylum, the first time since it was started several years ago. Then it was way out in the country, but now it is right in town.

A large shipment of nut trees arrived by express Monday afternoon for Fred Lins. They were shipped by the Eugene Fruit Grower's Association. They are fiberts three years old, and are to be set out on the H. C. Stephens' place in George.

Ex-Co. Commissioner Dies

W. F. Harris, former county commissioner, 1918-1922, died February 19 at his home at Beaver Creek. He had been active in community affairs since his coming to this county thirty-five years ago. He was a native of Wales, being born April 10, 1868, and came to the United States when sixteen. He leaves a widow, three sons and a daughter.

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LOGAN RIDGE

The Logan W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. E. S. Cromer, on St. Valentine's Day for their regular monthly meeting. The usual business was transacted with the president in the chair. Some sewing for a sick member was also accomplished. Delicious refreshments were served in the form of a silver tea offering. Eight dollars realized from the tea were appropriated to the W. C. T. U. orphanage at Corvallis. Fifteen members and five visitors were present. The home was elaborately decorated with Valentine hearts of various sizes and colors. Each one present received a valentine as a souvenir. The hostess was assisted in decorating and serving by Mrs. A. L. White.

A big day is expected Friday at the Upper Logan school when fitting exercises celebrating George Washington's birthday day will take place.

Mrs. Bouch, mother of Mrs. John Arnold, who was quite ill the past week is reported as much improved.

Mrs. Stene Feathers of Oregon City is at the home of her mother, Mrs. James Young, who has been ill for some time.

Mrs. W. J. Path, accompanied by her baby son, was expected home from a Portland hospital Saturday.

The report of a huge cougar having been killed in this vicinity is good news to those owning sheep and goats.

Wayne O. Asquith and family of Tacoma, Wash., have moved on to the John Hassel place.

VIOLA

Mrs. Earl Lankin, who has been quite ill for the past few weeks, is improving nicely.

There was a large, eight foot long jaguar killed near Ed. Bateson's. It had killed three of his goats so it was a dangerous animal to be at large.

Miss Beulah Hicinbothem, who has been at her home here confined to bed the past three weeks with a bad case of measles, is able to be up and around again.

Ray Miller, who has been on the sick list is improving. Also John Hamilton Sr., who has been quite poorly is getting well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Mattoon and two children, with a cousin and her husband and daughter, spent Sunday at the William Mattoon home.

Will Hicinbothem and J. H. Sevier went to Stevenson, Wash., on business, Monday to be gone a couple of days.

Pictures Boy Life

The picture, "Penrod," based on the wellknown book by Booth Tarkington, which was shown at the Gem theatre Tuesdays and Wednesdays, makes a universal appeal to those who are interested in young boys, as it is so true of life. Especially strong is it in showing the love of a boy for his dog and the dog for the boy.

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H. S. Alumni Night

At the Gem theatre, Saturday night, the E. H. S. Alumni will present a program in addition to the regular show. It will consist of ballet dancing, singing, string orchestra, old time melodies and piano playing. The price of admission will not be raised, thus you will get two shows for the price of one.

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STATE MARKET AGENT DEPARTMENT.

BY C. E. SPENCE MARKET AGT.

A movement has started in Eastern Oregon to organize the stock men into a cooperative selling agency. It has started in but one county, Wallowa, but the state market agent says it is the expectation that all the other cattle raising counties will follow with organizations and that a state-wide shipping association may be the result, and the ultimate purpose is a stockman's commission firm at the Portland stockyards.

At the organization meeting in Wallowa, reports of the condition of the cattle raisers from nearly all sections of the state were made and the outlook is most gloomy. It was the general sentiment that there must come some speedy relief or the most of the cattle men must quit the business and abandon their ranches.

That this condition is not exaggerated, the following from a bulletin sent out by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, from the division of crops and livestock, will show. The bulletin is circulated from the Portland office, and gives the outlook and condition of the stockmen in all the cattle raising counties of Oregon, as sent in by the department's reporters in the various counties. The following are the condensations.

Baker county, Keating: "Price of cattle is 'rotten' here, can hardly give them away."

Crook county, Paulina: "The financial condition of the cattlemen in this vicinity is very bad; the feed situation is very good, plenty of hay and not enough cattle to eat it."

Deschutes county, Bend: "The financial situation is bad. The price of labor and the price to be had from products are out of proportion. As a result we are going to have many less farmers and stock men very soon."

Grant County: "Most ranchers are in debt as far as they can go; by living economically they can pay their debts and interest but none of the principal. If taxes and what we have to buy would come down to normal, we might yet pull out."

Ritter: Cattlemen are in very bad shape and if they are crowded very much, or if conditions do not change, a considerable number are liable to go broke this year."

Gilliam county, Condon: "We should have just double what we are now getting, as a cow dollar is worth only fifty cents for most every thing we have to buy."

Harney county, Burns: "Twenty percent of the cattle in this county have been sold and moved out. The financial situation is very depressed on account of low prices and high cost of production through labor, taxes, equipment and freight rates."

Jackson county, Ashland: "Am holding my herd over until spring in hopes of disposing of the entire lot at somewhere near cost. Estimate of cattle in county 50% of normal. Herds are being bought in this county for \$20 per head, small cattle being thown in."

Josephine county, Takilma: "One cannot begin to raise cattle for what buyers will pay."

Klamath county, Bly: "Cattle are below the cost of production, so if there is anything you can do, for God's sake do it at once."

Lorilla: Many of the cattlemen have gone bankrupt and the rest are going that way."

Lake county, Fort Rock: "Bend butchers offer us eight cents per pound for beef, dressed and delivered."

Umatilla county: "The price of beef is too low for the cattlemen to stay in business for long."

Union county, Elgin: "These are troublesome times for the cattlemen and wheat growers.

Forty per cent of the cow men here have sold out and quit."

Wallowa county, Bartlett: "Every dollar I have received from cattle for the past three years has cost me at least 200 cents."

Wasco county, The Dalles: "The cattlemen is but little better off than the wheat grower, and both are about at the bottom of the hill."

Isn't it about time the business interests of Oregon realize the results that are certain to follow? Isn't it about time a state-wide movement is made to save the cattle industry?

School Minutes Amended

The following was passed at a special meeting of the school board last Friday evening and sent in for publication. The vote stood: Yes, Ames, DeMoy; No, Wilcox.

A RESOLUTION.

That we, the directors of the Estacada Schools, District No. 108, upon investigation find, that a certain entry in the minutes of said school board, under date of February 24, 1923, and referring to one Percy Dawe, who was then a teacher of Manuel Training in the Estacada schools, was placed in the minutes unjustly, and further that the said statements were illegally written in said minutes, in that it does not appear in the said minutes that it was regularly moved and seconded that the said entry be placed in the said minutes.

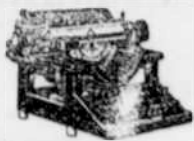
That it therefore becomes the duty of the Board, in order to do justice to the ability as a teacher and to the nobility of the character of said Percy Dawe to amend said entry; and that said entry be amended by having written in red ink across the face of said entry, and by the person introducing this resolution, the following:

This entry is found to be illegal and unjust and is amended by the Board. See page.....

That this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting of the School Board of District No. 108, and that a copy of this resolution be sent, by the clerk, to said Percy Dawe at his present address.

J. V. Barr was a Portland visitor Saturday.

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A good one-dish meal—arrange a baking dish of potatoes to be scalloped; lay a slice of ham three-fourth of an inch thick on top of the potatoes, and bake until both are tender.

Tie half a dozen flags together with red or blue ribbon, spreading the flags so they stand, and use these as a centerpiece for George Washington's birthday dinner. Stick a tiny flag in each piece of cherry pie for desert.

To glorify a humble bread pudding, spread the top, after baking, with a thick layer of good homemade jelly or jam, then pile a meringue on that and brown in the oven. The family won't recognize it.

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