

THE ARGUS

THURSDAY, DEC. 13, 1894.

-F. J. Strayer is at Corvallis.

-Hard times Mask Ball at the Hillsboro Opera house Thursday evening, December 27, 1894.

-Have you seen that line of knit skirts at Laidlaw's, only 25 cents?

-J. F. Carstens attended the constable sale at Cornelius, Monday.

-J. Frank Watson, secretary of the Oregon Iron & Steel Company, was in the city the first of the week attending court.

-Miller Bros. shaving parlors lead. Hot and cold baths. Give them a trial.

-Dr. S. T. Linklater went to Dilley this morning to attend J. B. Anderson, who is quite ill at his home.

-Good, fresh dairy butter at Laidlaw's for 30 cents per roll.

-Johns Freeman did business in Portland yesterday, returning this morning.

-Valuable prizes given every week during holidays at Hillsboro Bazaar.

-W. L. Nelson, of the firm of J. K. Gill & Company, was doing our town Saturday last.

-Go to Laidlaw's for your Christmas goods. A good line to be sold very cheap.

-"Bunco" Kelly was convicted of murder in the second degree, in the Multnomah circuit court.

-A. T. Phillips has the only 10 cent shop in town.

-Mrs. R. B. Goodin was a Cornelius visitor Tuesday.

-J. C. Rhodes, State Superintendent of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Christian church, passed through the city Wednesday.

-You should take THE ARGUS and read the bargains offered therein.

-J. I. Knight has some money to loan.

-Arbuckle, Lion and Mokasko, coffees at 22 cents per pound; a good coffee at 20 cents a pound; all other brands marked down at Laidlaw's.

-Leo A. Scowden, a civil engineer of some repute, has been in the city for several days, a guest at the Tualatin. He was an important witness on the Saffron damage case.

-A. T. Phillips will shave you for 10 cents. Give him a trial. Shop on west side Second street.

-Dr. J. H. Freeman and Jos. McCourt were down from McMinnville yesterday, renewing "auld acquaintances."

-Five acres of land, some cleared, enclosed by fence, comfortable frame house, good barn, woodshed, and young orchard. Adjoining the city limits of Hillsboro; goes for \$750, half down, balance on time to suit purchaser. Inquire at THE ARGUS office.

-A new line of ladies' and childrens' shoes at Laidlaw's, cheaper than ever.

-A large number from this place intend going to May's hall, Glencoe, December 24th, to trip the light fantastic with the merry maskers. Tickets including supper will cost one dollar and spectators will pay 25 cents. Metropolitan orchestra will furnish the melody, and a rare good time is promised. Masks and suits can be obtained at Mays' store.

-H. Wehrung & Sons have made a heavy cut on Men's and Boys' clothing, and Dress Goods for Cash. Call and get prices before going elsewhere. This firm will not be undersold.

-Col. T. R. Cornelius was seen on our streets early this week.

-At the Pharmacy there is a photo of the Forest Grove University foot ball team after the game with Eugene, and before the boys had made their toilet. Through mud and disheveled hair are noticed the features of B. T. Tongue and John Bailey, Hillsboro boys.

-Divine services in the First Congregational church, of Hillsboro, by the pastor, next Sabbath at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for the morning discourse: "The Uses of Inspired Powers."

-A special sale of ladies' dress goods Saturday at Laidlaw's. No words of explanation are necessary to those who have attended his former sales of calico, at 24 cents per yard and genuine Saxony yarn at 5-cents a skein and good wool hose at 12 1/2 cents per pair; but to those ladies who have not we simply say that you will buy dress goods cheaper than you ever heard of dreamed of before.

-The following list of officers was elected for the coming term, Phoenix Lodge No. 34, K. of P.: D. W. Dobbins, Chancellor; Commander; F. J. Williams, Vice Chancellor; J. M. Wall, prelate; W. J. Pafflow, K. of R. and S.; C. E. Deichman, Master of Exchequer; Geo. Schulmerich, Master of Finance; A. G. Lucas, Master at Arms; H. Schulmerich, Master of Work; Jas. Cave, I. G.; L. K. Adams, O. G.; and Herman Schulmerich, Trustee.

-On Friday, while the foreman of the Sheffield farm was driving stock, his horse stumbled, and fell throwing the unfortunate rider on a stump, breaking a rib and otherwise injuring him. Mrs. Wren, of Greenville, on the same day, fell and severely hurt her back. Dr. Linklater attended both unfortunates.

-R. Chrisinger has secured a very liberal agency for wall paper that bids fair to astonish us as regards prices, elegance and quality. Drop a card; samples brought to the house.

-Quite a number of Forest Grove people have been noticed on our streets lately. Welcome down, neighbors.

-Owing to a continuance of a damage suit, court was adjourned from Monday until yesterday morning, so far as jury trials were concerned. However some cases were heard before his Honor.

-If you want a bright, reliable and new daily paper, call at this office and subscribe for the Sun. It will cost you but 65 cents per month, delivered.

-J. M. Partlow, who has lately been down in Clackamas county, tells of seeing a petition tacked up at a trading post with headings of "gold standard" and "free silver, ratio 16 to 1." Under the latter heading the petition was full of names, and under the first, nothing but the virgin purity of the wood pulp greeted his eye. "Straws -etc."

-The sale at the Cloninger farm last Saturday was well attended and everything was sold at a fair price.

-There will be a grand ball, Hendrick's hall, Cornelius, Oregon, on New Year's eve, under the auspices of Simonides lodge, No. 37, Knights of Pythias. Invitations will be issued in due time.

-Deputy United States Marshal Humphrey, of Portland, and Sheriff Ford, of this city, accompanied by Jos. Vaughn, went up to the Grove Monday night and placed one M. M. Preston under arrest. The prisoner is wanted in St. Louis to answer a charge of meddling with the United States register mail matter some months back.

-J. J. Morgan, Thos. Tucker and W. A. Laidlaw were doing Portland the first of the week.

-H. Wehrung & Sons' prices on Groceries are O. K. Call and see for yourselves.

-Doctor Wood took a trip to Forest Grove last week on business connected with the coroner's office, relative to the death of an infant of several months.

-A gray mare was turned into the pasture of J. D. Housley, about the last of September. Mr. Housley desires that the owner prove property and take the same away.

-You can get THE ARGUS for the period of one year with the Cincinnati Enquirer, a semi-weekly, for the low rate of \$1.75 for both papers. The Enquirer is one of the best family papers in the United States. Practice economy by taking advantage of this liberal offer.

-Call on the old and reliable firm, H. Wehrung & Sons, and get reduced cash prices on overcoats. They will close out this line of goods at great bargains.

-For the month ending November 19, 1894, Mr. Craig, of the Hillsboro creamery, gives the following report: Received 22429 pounds of milk, from which was made 1116 pounds of butter; pounds of milk to 1 pound of butter, 20.09. Net price realized per pound, 23 cents.

-C. E. Hicks, of this city, is taking subscriptions for the Argus at Beaverton and vicinity this week.

-Christmas goods on hand of every description at Hillsboro Bazaar.

-Born, On Friday, November 23, 1894, to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Heath, a daughter, weighing 7 lbs. The happy pair reside at Willapa City, where Mr. Heath is foreman on the Willapa Pilot. His many printer friends are congratulating the young man on his first. Col. Heath, Willapa's local Nasby, will now wear the title of "Grandpa" along with his military handle.

-Children's rubbers, 14 cts. cash at H. Wehrung & Sons.

-"Bert" Stewart was in from Greenville Tuesday shaking hands with his many friends.

-For a good shave or haircut, go to Miller Bros.' Hot and cold baths.

-Wm. McFadden is doing the town with a patent water filter. F. M. Heidel has the agency for the Coast states. Peter Jacquot and J. L. Perrine took the road Monday with the same article.

-Telephone service has been increased considerably since court set in.

-Ernest Stewart, a disciple of the "art Preservative," and a brother of Jesse, was in the city from Portland Saturday last. Ernest has held down cases in this city and is a good workman.

-I. B. Smith, a son of Captain Smith, of Tillamook, brought in an elegant pair of elk horns recently, a trophy of the hunt.

-J. C. Hare was a passenger Wednesday morning on the down train.

-Harmony prints at H. Wehrung & Sons' 25 yards for one dollar, cash.

-S. Chase, of Linnton, has been in the city this week, attending court. Mr. Chase says he is a thorough yankee and never voted aught but the democratic ticket. He says he commenced voting early in the 60's and voted straight until Cleveland was elected and has voted straight since. Mr. Chase built the Linnton smelter.

-Born, at South Tualatin, to the wife of Rudolph Clett, on Dec. 11th, a son.

-It will pay you to call at H. Wehrung & Sons' with your cash and price their goods. No trouble to show stock.

-A. Solomon, with the Washington Manufacturing Company, was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his wife. They were guests at the home of W. A. Laidlaw.

-Rev. Bonnell went to Monmouth yesterday to unite two of that city's young people in matrimony.

-Chris Hansen, who lived on a small tract down near Laurel recently died, supposedly from pneumonia. He was a well educated Scandinavian and had preached both in the old country and here. He was leading a very secluded life, and had been ill for some time. One of his neighbors removed him to his home the other day and sent for Dr. Tannisie. When the doctor arrived the poor fellow had gone to the last rest.

-R. H. Greer went to Portland today to lay in Christmas goods.

-Quite a number of our young people will attend a ball at the Bouhart ranch this evening.

-A Mrs. Evans who has relatives in this place, and who has been a resident of Salem some time, is in the city, and thinks of locating here. Her son spent Sunday in this city and returned to Salem on business the first of the week.

-Frank Kane, of the court house force, has been ill this week, and Bruce Wilkes has been on duty in his place.

-County Clerk Goodin has been sorely tried for several days explaining that it isn't a hand organ; but a new copying machine.

-A handsome new patent chair has been added to the furniture of the recorder's office.

-The city council met Tuesday evening but no business was transacted.

-The meetings at the Christian church have been well attended and considerable interest has been awakened.

-Dr. O. C. Hiatt, dentist from Forest Grove, made this office a pleasant call last evening. The doctor tells a very amusing story about an acquaintance of his paying \$2 to ride in his own conveyance, while returning from an out country trip recently.

-C. Percy Oliver is again at the Pharmacy, brightening up his drug store.

-Born, December 11, 1894, in Hillsboro, to the wife of J. J. Weik, a daughter.

-J. H. Bridgeport, of Bay City, Oregon, organized a lodge of the Eastern Star last Friday night with a charter membership of 50. Twenty visitors were from Portland from which was selected the initiation team.

-P. A. Frakes, county commissioner, of Columbia county, and Thos. Cloninger, both of Seapooose, are in the city, guests at the Hillsboro house. They are up on business.

-J. H. Colson has been quite ill at his home but is better now.

-John Northrup, mine host of the Hillsboro House, has been doing business at Portland this week.

-It is hoped that the band will enliven Christmas day with some of its excellent airs. There is a neat band stand in the court house square.

-Mr. Pritchard, with Feldman & Cole, was in the city Monday, selling to our merchants.

-Last Friday, the velocity of the wind at the mouth of the Columbia was 77 miles per hour, and at this place, 40 miles. Many fences in the country were prostrated.

-Schulmerich & Son keep the best lines of leather Boots for Men and Boys, to be found in the market. They warrant them to give satisfaction.

-Attend the masque ball at Mays' hall, Glencoe, on Christmas eve. Tickets including supper, \$1.00; spectators, 25 cents. Suits and masks can be obtained at Mays' store. Good management and the best of order will be maintained. Remember the date, December 24th.

-Election of officers next Saturday night at the Masonic Lodge.

-Read Morgan on the Niagara canal. See the first page. Mitchell also supports the measure.

Narrow Escape.

Private advices from Southern Oregon in a letter to J. P. Hicks, written by his son, U. S. Hicks, tell of a narrow escape from death by his brother Joseph. In mining apparatus, there is constructed a contrivance, which, in mining phraseology is called a "self shooter," and, by the uninitiated, called "flood chutes." These dams are used to flood for washing purposes by the miners, by means of opening the head gates and allowing the water to course with tremendous force through chutes. In this manner, vast quantities of rock and earth are shot through with terrific force. It seems that the young gentleman was at work below the gate, and knew nothing of the sluices being raised until the boiling waters were upon him. He was carried in the neighborhood of 50 feet down the chute and over a falls of 12 or 15 feet. Had he not been fortunate in lodging on some rocks he would have been swept into the Josephine river, which flows a number of yards below, and seeing that he cannot swim, would in all probability have been drowned. A few scratches and bruises, with a sprained ankle, constitute the injuries, and his relatives here console themselves that it is no worse.

CORNELIUS.

Justice court has been rather busy for a few days.

There will be a constable's sale at this place on December 15th.

J. W. Clark went to the metropolis Monday on business bent.

It is reported that J. C. Buchanan is shipping hops to London.

Arthur Watrens and family moved to Forest Grove last Monday.

Grandma Noland is dangerously ill at the home of her son, N. Noland.

There will be a Christmas tree in Cornelius between now and New Years.

Miss Maggie Neep, who was badly injured a few weeks ago, is about recovered.

Diphtheria is said to be prevalent in the German settlement two miles south of here.

F. Shoen, who lives south of this place, recently shipped a carload of hay to Portland.

A. B. Lewis left down on Monday's evening train and will visit Salem before returning.

A good time is anticipated at the ball and concert to be given by the Bethany Band, Dec. 18th.

The K. of P. Ball to be given at this place December 31st promises to be the best of the season.

F. A. Hartman, city barber, has been confined to his home for several days with a very bad cold.

Little Wallace Howard came very near being seriously hurt the other day, by his horse falling with him, but luckily he escaped without a scratch.

The fellow who was fooling around the house of A. A. Phillips Saturday night got off lucky, for the gun was not loaded or he might have received a load of shot.

A party consisting of Uncle Sol Emerick, M. Pizer, J. H. Cornelius, Palm Walling and Mr. Hogrefe, returned Monday evening from an outing over on Wilson river. They brought back no fish.

The mask skating carnival was a grand success. Prizes were won as follows: Best lady skater, Miss Emma Fairchild; Best sustained lady character, Miss Cora Wilkes; Best sustained gentleman character, A. Bunning.

Returned From California.

Hon. Scott Cornelius and wife, formerly of this county, but now residing at Astoria, returned recently from a trip to California where they went in quest of health for Mrs. Cornelius. The change was very beneficial and they feel amply repaid for their trip.

Attention Knights.

There will be work in the rank of Knight next Monday evening at the Castle hall of Phoenix lodge, No. 34, K. of P. A full attendance is requested, and assemblage at an early hour. Visiting members are cordially invited to be present.

School Reports.

Following is a report of school in district No. 81, for term commencing September 3rd and ending December 7th: Number of days taught, 69; number of times tardy, 34; average daily attendance, 34; number of boys enrolled, 24; number of girls enrolled, 21; total number enrolled, 45; number of visitors, 22. Those neither absent nor tardy during the term are: Ella Johnson, Alma Kehn, Frank Kellermann and Frank Overroeder. HANNAH B. ANDERSON, Teacher.

Following is the report of school in district No. 8, for the month ending December 7th: Enrollment for the month, 25; average attendance, 22; those neither absent nor tardy during term, Annie Bennett, Etta Pomeroy and Emily Young. Annie Bennett won the prize for the most perfect lesson in B spelling class and Francis Davis won the prize for the best map of Oregon. Whooping cough and sore eyes were epidemics in the school this term and many were obliged to be absent who would not otherwise. I most heartily commend all for the good work they have done in spite of difficulties, and thank the parents for their good will and co-operation in making the school a success. HANNA M. McCORKLE, Teacher.

Teachers' Institute.

A county teachers' institute was held at Gaston, December 8. The morning session was called to order by County Superintendent Bon. The first subject was good roads. Good roads are needed for school children and teachers, as much irregularity of attendance at our county schools is due to the poor roads. This subject was discussed by Messrs. Prof. Stanley, Oliver and Porter, Miss Stewart, Hon. Henry Raymond and others. The consensus of opinion was that a bill should be introduced into the legislature providing for the establishment of a foot path along the county roads. The question of school apparatus then came up and was discussed by Messrs. Prof. Stanley, Porter, Lenox and others. Those "blocks" which so many of our school districts have purchased, also came in for a share. After dinner the subject of normal schools and teaching was taken up. The issuing of life diplomas to graduates of schools and colleges,

who have not had practice in the school room, was deprecated. The session throughout was characterized by earnestness and activity. Thanks are due to Prof. Jones and the good people of Gaston for the fine music furnished. Those attendant were: Messrs Supt. Bond, J. H. Stanley, C. Percy Oliver, F. W. Porter, E. K. Hartling, S. E. Lennox, Barnet Roe, Hon. Geo. Raymond, and the Misses Ella Florey, Pearl Stewart, Blanche Harding, and Rena Child.

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