

THE CONDON GLOBE.

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NOTICE.

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GLOBOSITIES.

S. B. Barker is having an addition built onto his barn.

S. S. Grider built a neat wood shed for the GLOBE this week.

Mrs. Wilcox is still at Fossil receiving medical treatment from Dr. Howard.

If you want to win a prize, subscribe for the S. F. Examiner through the GLOBE agent.

Doc Moore has received a position for several months as a mixologist in Charley Wilson's saloon.

T. J. Smith, the popular Fossil miller, arrived home Saturday from a week's business visit in Southern Oregon.

Captain Withers and wife of Mayville were in town Wednesday doing some trading and brought along some fine pork.

The Wasco county papers are booming John Michell, the veteran newspaper man, for Congress from the 2d district.

There are 66 K. of P. lodges in Oregon. The first was organized June 26, 1873, in Portland, the last October 24, 1895, in Condon.

We understand that Mr. E. M. Clymer of Fossil has been engaged to furnish violin music for the ball here Thursday night.

Rev. Drake and family moved into the Plater house Wednesday. We regret to say that Mrs. Drake's health has been very poor of late.

L. Parker moved his family to Arlington today. His household effects were moved down last week. They will occupy the Hicklin house.

About an inch of snow covers the ground and it looks as if winter is upon us. Wood haulers, where is that wood you promised to bring us?

The GLOBE will feel very thankful to those who owe it if they will settle their accounts this fall. If you cannot pay all now, pay a portion of what you owe.

By some unaccountable reason the instruments for our brass band have not yet arrived, although we understand they have been at Arlington for several days.

A Rock Creek (Polk county) cor. to the Dallas Itemizer says: Val Wheeler is down at the bay surveying the tide lands for the salmon cannery, to be gone three weeks.

M. O. Clarke arrived home Tuesday from Lone Rock, accompanied by his aged mother, who will make her home here this winter with her daughter, Mrs. S. B. Barker.

Unatilla Indians are asking the government to make them Indians again. They are tired of being citizens and working in the chain gang at Pendleton after indulging in a spree.

Several loads of fine hogs were taken from this section to Arlington this week by shipment. W. N. Brown and Billy Barr took about 80 head, W. S. Myers 25, Cooke Bros. 25, J. C. Cooney 25, and Alex Hardie 25.

W. L. Richards, our photographer, says that on Thanksgiving while everybody else are returning thanks he would also be very thankful if a number of them would drop into his gallery and have their pictures taken.

A Southern Oregon preacher took his daughter, also a marriage license and a revolver, and visited a young man whom he told he would perform a marriage ceremony immediately or preach a funeral sermon a little later. It was a wedding.

Salem is having more than her share of bad luck of late. Only last week one of her leading banks and the State Insurance Co. suspended operations, and Monday morning the new \$80,000 woolen mill burned, with only \$20,000 insurance.

Mrs. Mary Brown and family of Rock creek moved to town this week, to remain until spring for school advantages. They occupy the Barker house. Mrs. E. L. Johnson and family have moved to town and occupy Mrs. Taylor's residence.

We are pleased to note the large number of fruit trees being shipped to this section. Our people are fast learning that nowhere on earth can better nor finer fruit be raised than here, and very few places in the United States does fruit bring better prices than here.

Do you want your property protected from loss by fire? If so, Atty. H. B. Hendricks is now agent and prepared to insure it in the Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co., with assets over \$48,000,000. No danger of this Co. suspending. Rates as reasonable as any.

Mrs. J. H. Downing has returned home from her visit with her relatives in the Palouse country. She says the weather up there has been very cold and stormy for several weeks, the snow at one time being four inches deep. Gilliam county against the world for fine climate.

A mind reader, having demonstrated to a party of ladies and gentlemen in Eugene recently his ability to read a newspaper through two thicknesses of horse blanket, one of the girls left the room with the remark that she "wasn't going to stay here any longer with this calico dress on."—Guard.

The Mitchell Monitor, after an existence of just one year, has turned its toes to the daisies and died a natural death from lack of sufficient patronage to keep the paper alive. This leaves Crook county—with about three times the area and population of Gilliam—with but one paper again, the Prineville Review.

Geo. Gibbons is making preparations to build a fine dwelling house on his farm near Mayville. He was over to town Wednesday to engage Shed Grider to do the carpenter work. Mr. Gibbons is one of the most industrious citizens in the county. He is getting ahead right along, for the simple reason that he isn't afraid of work.

The Southern Pacific and O. R. & N. are at present engaged in a vigorous rate war, and the fare to California is lower than it was ever known to be. The fare from Portland to San Francisco by rail is: First-class, \$10; 2d-class, \$5, including berths. By O. R. & N. steamer—1st-class, \$5; 2d-class, \$2.50, including berths and board. This is almost like traveling on a pass.

All of the seven applicants for teachers' certificates, examined at Condon last week were successful, their standing being as follows: Misses Grace Frizzell, Emma Harer and Edith Young, each 94 per cent; Miss Stella Hastain, 95; Mrs. C. W. Burnham, 92; Miss Belle Foster, 86; Mrs. Estella Clarke, 82; Miss Jessie McConnell, 73. We understand the questions were unusually hard this time.

Bully for Morrow county! The county court of that county last week made an order allowing \$1 bounty on coyote scalps. A stockmen's union should be organized there at once to supplement it with another \$1. This leaves only two adjoining counties that does not pay a bounty—Grant and Sherman; but they both favor the idea and no doubt will fall in line within a few weeks. Coyote, your name is Dennis.

Petitions are being circulated in Sherman county asking that a bounty of \$1.50 per head be offered by the county court for coyote scalps. There is no doubt about heavy depredations in some parts of the county on sheep, and something must be done to stop it but whether the taxpayers generally are able to stand such a tax as \$1.50 per scalp might aggregate, we are not prepared to say.—Moro Observer.

Perry Fry, the well-known raiser of fine horses, was in town Saturday from Beecher Flat. He requests us to announce that the lost sheep dog, advertised in this paper recently by J. W. Malmgren of Lost Valley, is at his place and has been for some time. Perry says the owner can have the animal by paying the charges on him. Mr. Fry has the Alberta (Canada) fever, and expects to make a trip up there next spring with a view of locating there.

Robt. B. Spencer of Olex and W. W. Weatherford of Shuttler Flat have been subpoenaed to serve as jurors in the U. S. district court at Portland, which convenes on Nov. 26th. Among the cases that will come up for trial is a civil case of the defunct First National Bank of Arlington vs. Ernest Seekamp, on some kind of a wool deal. The receiver of the bank claims that Ernest owes it \$1,200 and Ernest says the amount he owes is only \$190—quite a little difference. S. A. D. Gurley is Mr. Seekamp's attorney in the case.

C. L. Lillie finished boring S. P. Shutt's well the first of the week, and has secured abundance of water at a depth of 44 feet. Mr. Lillie says the vein of water in it is the strongest he has ever found in all his experience as a well-borer. Just after cleaning it out any one thirty feet from the mouth could hear the water bubbling in the bottom of the well—like the sound of running water. He is now at work on a well for H. N. Frazer. These wells are of incalculable benefit to not only the owners but to the entire town, as such improvements are always of general benefit to a town.

Tom Lewis was taken to The Dalles Monday from Antelope and placed in the county jail. Last Saturday 80 tons of hay belonging to Phil Brogan were burned. The tracks led to the house of Lewis and he was arrested. Public feeling at Antelope was strong against him that it was feared he would be lynched and he was taken to The Dalles for safe keeping. Within the last couple of months nearly 1000 tons of hay belonging to sheepmen have been burned in the Antelope, Caleb and Mitchell country, supposed to have been done by an element over there that has been at war with the sheepmen for years. If Lewis is found guilty he ought to receive a sentence of 20 years in the penitentiary.

The large number of people in Gilliam county whose property is insured in the State Insurance Co., of Salem, will not be delighted to learn a receiver has his grip on the concern. The State suspended payment Thursday afternoon, and the secretary, E. C. Giltner, has been appointed receiver. The liabilities are placed at \$130,000, and assets at \$275,000. The embarrassment was precipitated by the failure of the Williams & England banking house, which suspended Thursday morning. It is only a few months since the N. W. Fire & Marine and Farmers and Merchants Insurance companies, in which a great many of our people were insured and lost their money, went to the wall. It is about time that the people stop patronizing such one-horse fake concerns.

In a talk with James Ebbert we learn that the condition of affairs in the Palouse, Wash., country is in a gloomy condition. He says that land that brought readily a few years since from \$30 to \$50 per acre can be purchased now for from \$7.50 to \$12 per acre. He thinks at least 80 per cent of the farmers of that entire section will lose their farms on account of mortgages before many months roll around.—Eugene Guard.

Hurrah for Gilliam county! The iron horse will be snorting through her from one end to the other perhaps within another year. We understand that the O. R. & N. has concluded to build a branch road from Arlington through Gilliam and Crook counties, to intersect the Oregon Pacific south of Prineville. The intention of the O. R. & N. is to begin early next spring, and the new road will run through Condon, Fossil and Prineville, crossing the John Day river at Parsons Ferry. There are good times ahead for this county and all of her people have reason to rejoice.

Henry Ward Beecher once said: "Patronize the man that advertises. You do not visit your neighbor unless asked to, and you do not attend a wedding or party unless you have an invitation. Then why should you intrude on the privacy of a business man without an invitation? Patronize the live, go-ahead business man who not only invites you to come in and see him every day, but educates and keeps you posted on what line of business he follows. The newspaper is your friend in spite of you. It helps to build up the community that supports you, as no other factor can."

Arlington Items.

Judge Mariner was in town Monday.

R. A. W. Barfoot has purchased a band of sheep.

Wheat hauling from across the river still continues.

Chas. Spencer has returned from his trip up the river.

John Morman, a sheep man from Ajax, is in town.

The McHale stable is being fitted up and prepared for use.

J. A. McKinny of Rock creek was in town on business Monday.

Several of our nimrods have been slaughtering geese this week.

W. B. Irwin, a prominent farmer of Morrow Co., was here on Monday.

Several shows and performances by traveling troupes have been held here recently.

Our young people are preparing for an enjoyable time at the grand ball here next Thursday night.

A large number of hogs have been brought in this week. W. E. Reed had one which tipped the scales at 670 lbs. It was a ripescorner.

A wedding occurred here on Wednesday, the contracting parties being Mrs. Miller and Chas. Spencer. Judge Ebi performed the ceremony.

J. W. Smith and family left Tuesday morning for California, where they intend to reside. By their leaving, Gilliam loses some of her most respected and useful citizens.

Several of our citizens were at Walla Walla last week as witnesses in the case of R. T. Cox, as receiver vs. J. L. Robinson, in which case there was a verdict for defendant.

Atty. Gurley is expected home today from Ritzville, Wash., where he went to represent the plaintiff in an important case in the superior court, and for whom he secured judgment after a vigorous contest.

R. T. Cox, receiver of the First National Bank of Arlington came up Friday and went over to Walla Walla on some court business. He was accompanied by W. E. Fowler, formerly cashier of the bank.—East Oregonian.

Miss Edith Young, our teacher in the primary department, attended the teachers examination at Condon last week, and secured a first grade certificate, which speaks well for her ability as a teacher. Miss Young is well liked by the pupils and patrons of the school here.

There was a criminal action in the justice's court here a few days since, wherein R. J. Cox accused Chas. Bell of the larceny of a dog. S. A. D. Gurley appeared for the defendant. The justice dismissed the action, after the state had produced its evidence, as there was not sufficient evidence to hold the accused.

Lone Rock Riplets.

Mr. Clarke is slowly improving from his recent severe spell of sickness.

The people of our locality have been enjoying the finest fall weather ever known in its history.

One of our schoolteachers, Miss Grace Frizzell, has been considerably under the weather the last few days.

A large number of fruit trees from The Dalles nursery arrived here this week for several of our energetic farmers.

Ira Reed and his youngest child have been very sick for the last ten days. We are pleased to note a slight improvement in their condition the last day or so.

Our sheepmen complain of the dryness of the grass on their winter range and several bands of sheep have been returned to the mountains, which is a very unusual thing for this section. It has been an exceptionally dry fall.

JOHN DOE.

Taxing Church Property.

LOST VALLEY, Nov. 19, 1895.

EDITOR GLOBE:—I am glad to tell your many readers of one case of triumphant justice. In Portland there is property owned by rich corporations, and by wearing a pious bonnet and an overcoat of religious hypocrisy they have long been stealing the advantage of our statute exempting church property from taxation, thereby more than doubling the burden of the poor man. Some of this property is rented for saloon purposes, and low down dens of infamy. The assessor, Mr. Greenleaf, assessed this property this year the same as other property. The owners brought the matter before the county court, and its decision is as follows:

"That no property could rightfully be exempt from taxation unless it conferred upon all taxpayers benefits equivalent to the amount of taxes remitted."

This decision is much of a curiosity, as it contains more justice than law. There is no argument in favor of exempting the property of pious institutions from taxation, but what applies with as much justice, and better sense to the kind and benevolent individual.

I said triumphant justice, but it has only triumphed thus far—the case has been appealed to the circuit court by those who love to suck the public teat. But it will triumph so sure as men hate tyranny on one hand and loathe villainy on the other. It will triumph.

L. S. O.

About Our Text Books.

State School Supt. Irwin has sent out to all county superintendents the following:

"In the recent adoption of text books for the public schools for the state of Oregon, Reed's Word Lessons was adopted as the speller to be used in said schools for the next six years. As said Reed's Word Lessons is of such an advanced grade at to only take the place of Watson's advanced Speller, and as there is nothing in such a book to supply the place of Elementary Speller it is hereby ordered that Watson's Elementary Speller be adopted and placed for use in the elementary work in the public schools.

"The Elementary Speller not being found in the list already published and sent out declaring what books shall be used, notice is hereby given that Watson's Elementary Speller is hereby added to said list."

The Attorney Was "No Slouch Himself."

The following dispatch from Heppner appeared in the Oregonian of the 14th: Bert Rex and O. S. Wells were arrested Monday for disorderly conduct, and tried by jury in the recorder's court, Rex Tuesday and Wells Wednesday. In the case of Rex, the first jury failed to agree, the second finding him guilty on the first ballot. He was fined \$20 and costs. Not having the funds to pay his fine, he was sent to jail for 10 days. Wells was fined \$25 and costs, and was also sent to jail. The costs in the two cases will be about \$75 and the city gets nothing. About one more case of this kind, and it is safe to say that there will be an ordinance passed giving the marshal authority to work city prisoners on the streets.

As an outcome of the trials, one Curry, a witness for the defense met Atty. T. R. Lyons, who prosecuted the case for the city, and scored Curry in his address to the jury, and scored him hard. Curry told Lyons that he had to apologize for what he had said about him in the trial, and Lyons answered that he had no apology to make, and, if he had, he would not make it there. Curry was invited to go over to Lyons office and talk the matter over. This he refused to do, saying it was apologize or fight. Lyons said he did not want to fight, but apologize he would not, whereat Curry struck Lyons in the month. Lyons retaliated by striking Curry on the cheek, laying it open to the bone, and proceeded to "do Curry up" in a style that was highly entertaining. The bystanders pulled Lyons off of Curry, and the latter was at once arrested and locked up. Curry was taken before a justice of the peace, pleaded guilty and was fined \$25; in default of payment he was sent to jail.

Mrs. Maddock desires us to tell the people that she will have everything that is good to eat on the day of Thanksgiving and also for the ball supper at night, including turkey, duck, fresh fish, etc.

The German-American Insurance Co., of New York, one of the most reliable companies in the world, has established an office at Condon with L. W. Darling as agent.

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