

THE CONDON GLOBE.

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NOTICE.

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GLOBECITIES.

The GLOBE wishes its millions of readers a happy New Year.

The snow is all gone again, the rains having converted it into mud.

Miss Bessie Fitzwater assisted with the work in the clerk's office this week.

Judge James B. Mattingly and H. R. Ramsey were in town yesterday from Beecher Flat.

The Portland Telegram issued a very creditable Christmas edition which is replete with valuable news.

Men serving sentence in the county jail should be made work the same as if they were in the penitentiary.—Chronicle.

As the Sultan of Turkey only has 1400 wives, he will be able to stand a great deal of "talk" from the other European powers.

On Christmas Rev. U. S. Drake administered baptismal rites upon Clifford Percy, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Shutt.

Mrs. Connolly, who had been in the employ of Mrs. Maddock in the hotel since last spring, left this week for her home in Portland.

An enterprising Antelope man recently took his son out of school because the teacher was trying to teach him to spell "Antelope" with a "p."

Charles Sears made proof on his Buckhorn homestead Thursday before the county clerk, with Billy Keys and D. L. Crosby as witnesses.

Wm. B. Pentecost of Mayville left this week for a month's visit with his relatives on Puget Sound. He will be at Centralia most of the time.

Sherman county, though rich in soil and climate, is lacking in timber, not even an evergreen suitable for a Christmas tree is to be found in the county.

A third son was born Saturday last to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Rippey. George is pretty well prostrated over the affair but will pull through by careful nursing.

The democratic state central committee will meet in Portland on Jan. 7th and the republicans on Feb. 4th, to put themselves into shape for the coming campaign.

A social dance was given in the hall here on Tuesday evening by a number of young folks. Another one will be given next Wednesday evening—on New Year's night.

Sheriff Wilcox brought his wife and children home from Fossil the first of the week, where Mrs. Wilcox had been for the last six weeks under medical treatment, from which her health is much improved.

The following notice appears in the Santa Clara Journal: Some party desiring to trade real estate or business property for fine grazing lands and town property in Oregon will do well to see J. H. Downing, who is stopping in town.

Attorneys John and Tom Lyons will spend the holidays at the home of their parents, near Walla Walla, and will be absent about two weeks. John left here Monday and was joined by his brother at Willows Junction on Tuesday morning.

Johnny Williams of Matney Flat and Miss Flora Parrish of Trailfork were married on Christmas at the home of Harry Greenfield, Justice White officiating. A fine supper and ball was enjoyed by the large number of guests present.

A young man at Pilot Rock attempted the other day to eat a pound of sugar for a wager of 10¢ worth of candy. He succeeded in eating little more than half a pound, and lost his bet. However, he had just about as much stomachache as if he had won.

A Cor. from Olex informs us that pork packing is getting to be quite a fad in the Glen vicinity. He says that one night last week a certain party packed about 200 lbs of pork away from Henry Wilkins' place, and that next day Henry packed it back again—and adds that the end is not yet.

Several raffles have taken place here within the last week or so. P. H. Stephenson raffled off two hanging lamps, both of which were won by Geo. Rippey. S. B. Barker raffled off a \$20 ladies' gold watch Tuesday, which was won by E. W. Moore. Dunn Bros. raffled off a fine accordion, which was won by John Knox.

If you want to win a prize, subscribe for the S. F. Examiner through the GLOBE agent. Among the \$150,000 worth of prizes to be presented to its subscribers this year are: First prize, a \$10,000 farm; 2d prize, a \$5,000 gold nugget; 3d prize, the winner's weight in silver, worth about \$1,500. Now is the time to subscribe.

Miss Jessie Beardsley, of Eola, wrote a prize winning ad for T. Holverson & Co., which was published in the Statesman, and Miss Carrie Royal, formerly of Dallas, wrote one almost as good, and so did Miss Nellie Putnam, of Eola.—Dallas Democrat. (Nellie Putnam is the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Putnam.)

One of the strongest wind storms ever felt in this section lasted nearly all of Sunday night. We have not heard of any damage done, except that nearly all the haystacks in the country suffered more or less. Hugh Strickland says the hay is scattered so evenly all over the country that the only way to gather it up again is to go over the ground with hay rakes—and everybody knows that Hugh wouldn't lie about it.

A buggy belonging to Mr. Crane of Mayville was left in G. W. Rinehart's barn at Condon last night. Some evil-disposed reprobate who, it is presumed had a fancied grievance against Mr. Rinehart and thinking it was his property, ruined one of the wheels by placing a handspike in such a manner as to break the spokes of the wheel and also the axle. The penalty for such malicious destruction of property is very severe, and it is hoped the guilty party will be apprehended and heavily fined. A criminal of that kind is too dangerous to be allowed to run at large.

A group of people were one evening discussing the merits of a former pastor, the weight of criticism being on the unfavorable side. At last one of the number remarked: "Well, I don't think he was much of a preacher anyway. I never could get interested in his sermons," and, appealing to an aged official brother who was present, and from whom she expected a sympathetic answer, was immediately silenced by his reply as follows: "Well sister, the poorest preacher that I ever heard could preach better than I can live, and I never feel like criticising a minister."—Exchange.

The W. O. W. lodge of this place will introduce at its next meeting—the first Thursday evening in January—a new feature, which doubtless will prove very interesting to the members and will cause them to take more interest in attending the lodge meetings more regularly. The question, "Resolved, That the government should own the railroads," will be debated by L. W. Darling, affirmative, and H. B. Hendricks, negative. These antagonists will choose an equal number from the other members to assist them, and it is gratifying to know that this great and vexed question will at last be definitely decided.

W. S. Thompson of Fossil arrived home Monday from his visit to his parents in Los Angeles. He informed us that flowers of all kinds are in bloom in Southern California and that the market there is overstocked with all kinds of berries, fruit and garden vegetables. Another pleasing contrast he could not help noticing was the ladies dressed in white summer costumes, carrying parasols. The thermometer stood at about 80 degrees all the time he was there—about like it is here during the months of June and July. But with all its favored climate, Mr. Thompson thinks it is the worst place in the world for a poor man to do business. The people generally are so wealthy and the country so well developed that one has to have a fortune almost in order to get a foothold there in any kind of business.

The Goldendale Sentinel is alarmed because the GLOBE gives so much local news from Arlington. Brother Byars certainly has a queer idea as to the duty of a local newspaper if he thinks it is a detriment to a paper to give the news. The GLOBE gives each week not only all the important news from Condon, but all over the county. That is what the people of this county are most interested in, and because the GLOBE gives all of the local news of the county every week is why it is read each week by about 3 times more people than any of the other county papers. The rapidity with which our subscription list is gradually increasing right along proves that it is no detriment to the paper to give all of the county news. It is read by every business man and, with very few exceptions, every taxpayer in Gilliam county.

TO HOMESTEADERS.

The Law in Regard to Cutting and Disposing of Timber.

La Grande, Or., Dec. 11, 1895.—Inasmuch as much interest is being manifested in the question as to whether or not a homesteader is permitted to cut timber and remove the same from the tract embraced in his entry, and as an erroneous impression is going abroad as to just what the law is on the subject, we have thought it a matter of justice to those concerned, to state the rule applicable to such cases. Homesteaders will find the same printed in red ink upon the margin of the duplicate receipt issued by the land officials, and it is as follows:

"Timber land embraced in a homestead, or other entry not consummated, may be cleared in order to cultivate the land and improve the premises, but for no other purpose. If, after clearing the land for cultivation, there remains more there is no objection to the settler disposing of the same. But the question whether the land is being cleared of its timber for legitimate purposes is a question of facts which is liable to be raised at any time. If the timber is cut and removed for any other purpose it will subject the entry to cancellation, and the person who cut it will be liable to civil suit, for the value of said timber, and also a criminal prosecution under Section 2, 461 of the Revised Statutes." This has been the law of the case for many years and is the law now, and persons interested should act accordingly.

Arlington Items.

S. D. Smith of Olex was in town this week.

Miss Carrie Danneman is visiting friends in town.

Wm. S. Phillips of Olex visited The Dalles last week.

Horse breaking at Thomas's barn is the order of day.

R. T. Cox left Tuesday night for Portland to visit a few days.

Chas. Bressler and family of Portland are here visiting relatives and friends.

Miss E. M. Young, our popular primary teacher visited Portland last week.

F. T. Hurlbert, S. G. Hawson and C. W. Shure all visited The Dalles within the last week.

Rev. Bramblet closed his revival meetings here Friday night, having delivered 30 sermons here.

The M. E. church closed its meetings Sunday night and Rev. Warner has departed for home.

E. M. Leslie, ex-sheriff of Sherman county, but now of Castle Rock, was here on business this week.

They say that J. E. Frick, of the defunct First National Bank of Arlington, is running a chicken ranch near Oakland, California.

Mrs. Ricks is employed in the telegraph office at The Dalles, during the absence of the day operator, W. R. Harrison, who is visiting in Portland.

James Edwards, the insurance agent who claimed to have hailed from Burns, and who had his office in the Union block, recently skipped out, leaving quite a healthy hotel bill unpaid, as well as leaving the company in the lurch for several hundred dollars, so we are informed. The insurance company sent a man here from Portland to "look up" the derelict agent, but when he arrived here his man had already departed for pastures new.

Rev. Bramblet left for Lone Rock last Saturday morning.

Both revivals here closed the last of the week, with seven or eight conversions.

Harry Clay was in town Monday. He says his 3400 head of mutton are doing nicely.

J. W. Smith's fine piano was shipped to California this week to be used in his new home there.

Snow fell to the depth of 3 inches here last week but on Monday the chinook and rain "played smash" with it.

A. J. Sweeney, formerly of this county, is now living in Tucson, Arizona, where he went for the benefit of his health.

Wm. Snell has taken a contract to break a lot of Wm. McKay's horses to work. He has given up his position at Wenner's store.

Rev. Warner of Ellensburg tells us that T. F. Barton, formerly of Lost Valley, has been converted in the M. E. faith and joined the church in that city.

The snow fell to the depth of 18 inches at The Dalles and 3 ft at Hood river last week, causing the Ry. Co. to get out their rotary snow plow for the first time this winter.

Miss Minnie Ward, a schoolteacher from across the river, became sick while on her way home last Monday and nearly died of heart disease. She was brought back to Arlington by her brother-in-law, Mr. Fin Thomas.

W. H. Colwell built a set of very fine targets for the Christmas shooting match and put them up on the site of the old brick yard. They kept them busy Tuesday and Wednesday shooting for turkeys, pigs and prizes, one prize of which amounted to \$20. Some very fine shooting was done.

The ladies of Arlington Monday morning took a notion to have a Christmas tree. At first people said it was too late, but the ladies would not have it that way. They telegraphed to Hood River for a tree and by Tuesday evening they had the tree up and loaded with fine presents, and an audience of about 300 people to listen to the following program: Address by L. C. Edwards; cracker eating contest, won by Arthur Armstrong; pie eating contest, won by young Welshons and Clarence Ehl, it being a tie. Piano solo by Miss Nina Gager; song by F. C. Hindle; cornet solo by W. H. Colwell; piano solo by Robt. Barfoot; song by Mrs. Jayne.

Buckhorn Bugles.

The Buckhorn lyceum has started up again for the winter.

Ben Pettijohn, who has been quite sick during the last week with lung trouble, is improving.

We are having winter in our section at last and all that have sleighs are making use of them while the snow and ice lasts.

Will Morgan has been carrying his right arm in a sling for the past 2 weeks, the result of a carbuncle on his hand, causing blood poisoning.

Rev. Lawson of Mayville has been holding a revival meeting here for the past 2 weeks, with good success. A number joined and four were baptized yesterday at the Sanderson ranch.

Dec. 16th was a gala day at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan, it being the anniversary of Mr. Morgan's birthday and a quilting party combined. As there were 38 present, full justice was done to the excellent dinner that was served. Good all around to enjoy.

Lone Rock Riplets.

The sheepmen complain of this changeable weather being very bad for feeding sheep, as they won't eat hay very readily.

The weather is delightful for this season of the year. The snow has about all gone from the valley, but on the hills near by it is from 4 to 10 inches deep.

Dod Flynn made his advent into our berg on Xmas night in time to take in the dance. Dod has been out on a couple of months lark to the Willamette valley and down as far as San Francisco. But he didn't get a peep at the notorious Durrant.

Christmas was celebrated here in first-class style in the many different lines of amusements. The Christmas tree and entertainment on Xmas Eve was one of the most pleasant and enjoyable affairs ever given in our berg. Rev. Bramblet, with his beautiful Christmas address, added much to the value of the occasion. Miss Emma Harer is also deserving of much credit for the success of the music department. In fact every one present done their best, and looked their best. The sports kept things lively by spells—shooting for turkeys, drawing cuts for guns, etc. The K. of P. ball was a success in every particular. About 50 numbers were sold. Several persons from neighboring towns were present, Condon being largely represented. The supper given at the Lone Rock hotel was superb, and everybody seemed to enjoy themselves immensely.

JOHN DOE.

Condon School Report.

For month ending Dec. 20th. Number enrolled, primary department, 26; grammar department, 57; total 83. Number of days taught, 20; Number of days attendance, 1397; average attendance, primary department, 24; grammar department, 47; total 71. Number of tardy marks, 37. Those neither absent nor tardy, primary department, Gertie Shannon, Lizzie Shannon, Lillie Clarke, Florence Clarke, Maggie Maddock, Frank Maddock, Jay Blake, Cash Hendricks, Nellie Smith, Ellis Clark, Bob Fitzwater, Clare Smith, David Duthie, Alex Duthie, Ora Blake, Weldon Darling, Maude Richards, Roy Taylor, Frank Goodwin, Charlie Goodwin, Stella Drake, Campbell Brown.

Lowest Rates On Record.

Until further notice the O. R. & N. steamers—Columbia and State of California—will carry passengers from Portland to California points at the following low rates. The steamers sail from Portland every five days, the next date being Dec. 29th.

	1st-class.	2d-class.
San Francisco	\$5.00	\$2.50
Monterey	8.00	5.00
Port Harford	11.00	7.00
San Louis Obispo	11.50	7.50
Santa Barbara	15.00	10.00
Redondo	17.00	11.00
San Pedro	17.00	11.00
Los Angeles	17.50	11.50
Newport	17.00	11.00
San Diego	20.00	12.50
Pasadena	17.75	11.75
San Bernardino	19.25	13.25
Riverside	19.25	13.25
Redlands	19.55	13.55

The usual reduction is made for round-trip tickets to all the above points.

Stockmen's Notice.

A special meeting of the Fossil Stockmen's Protective Union will be held at Fossil on Saturday, Jan. 4, 1896, at one o'clock p. m. E. A. PUTNAM, Sec.

The intense desire of some young women to get married is shown in the case of an Iowa girl who has given up a very pretty name to become Mrs. Szekenyi.—Exchange.

When in Fossil go to Chas. G. Miller's for Xmas goods, also candies, cigars, tobaccos, etc.

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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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