

THE CONDON GLOBE.

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NOTICE.

The yearly subscription to the GLOBE is \$1.50, if paid in advance. If not paid in advance \$2 will be charged. A pencil mark around this notice indicates that your subscription has expired. Please renew promptly.

GLOBOSITIES.

Mr. Niles, the well-known tombstone dealer of Walla Walla, was in town yesterday.

Born, at Condon on Wednesday evening, Jan. 27th, to Mrs. Ed Dunn, an 8½ lb daughter.

The GLOBE is under obligations to State Senator Dufur for favors received at his hands this week.

S. B. Barker has just purchased the Lucas residence in Condon, in which he and his family now reside.

Smith & Royal, of the Fossil flouring mills, have dissolved partnership, Mr. Royal retiring from the business.

The GLOBE is several hours late this week, owing to one of the editor's little boys being sick with pneumonia.

Always do as the sun does—look at the bright side of everything; it is just as cheap, and three times as good.

It always makes a man mad to have his wife start to read over a lot of old fool letters he wrote her before they were married.—Exchange.

It is now proposed to have the teeth of the children in the public schools of Canada examined by a dentist. Somebody with a "pull" will get that job.

W. J. Edwards was in Arlington on the first of the week for the purpose of meeting a La Grande cattleman, from whom he expects to purchase a large band of cattle.

California has taken a regular wheat scare, and the speculators express the opinion that "wheat will bring \$2 per cental, or \$1.20 a bushel before the new crop comes in."

Remember the Calico ball at Condon on Feb. 22d, to be given by the Condon Cornet Band. A suitable prize will be given to the neatest-dressed lady in calico. Tickets \$1.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dannehan and family at their pleasant home at Clem on Friday night of last week by a number of their friends.

A religious sect has sprung up in Kansas which intends "to look to God" for its daily food. This will be a great boon to the thousands of tramps if it can be made to work.

A valuable horse, belonging to Miss Libbie Johnson, which she prized very highly, died Wednesday. It will be a severe loss to the family, as they are left now with only one work horse.

At last accounts the House of Representatives was still unorganized at Salem, and it begins to look like it won't be this session. Why not hang the whole outfit of bolters and go to work?

Our people will be pleased to learn that the Ladies Aid Society of Mayville has kindly postponed their entertainment until Feb. 19th, which will give the people of each place a chance to attend both.

Antelope is a good business point for its size, being only about ½ as large as Condon. It has three stores, three blacksmith shops, three hotels and three saloons and other business houses in proportion.

Condon Camp, No. 58, W. O. W. installed new officers Thursday night as follows: F. B. Stevens C C; E. W. Moore A L; S. P. Shutt banker; P. H. Stephenson clerk; W. L. Wilcox escort; E. E. Smith Sen.

The K. of P. lodge of Condon installed officers the other night as follows: H. N. Frazer C C; E. W. Moore V C; E. E. Smith P; Jno. Lyons M of E; J. W. Barr K R & S; J. H. Hudson M of F; C. S. Palmer M A.

Prof. Ed Smith of The Dalles will organize a dancing school at Condon on Saturday night of this week, in the hall. All of the dance-loving people are invited to be present. Admission, for gentlemen, 50c; ladies free.

A Texas young man permitted his sweetheart to hang him Saturday, as an evidence of his sincerity and good faith. Now, unless the girl succeeds in hanging the jury, she will be out of society for some time to come.

A French gentleman and Mr. Addicks, of Delaware, are anxious to have capital prisoners asphyxiated during sleep. What is the matter with having the state hire six or eight professional hores and have its criminals talked to death?

No intelligent man can afford to deprive himself or family of the information that comes through the GLOBE. At \$1.50 a year it costs a trifle over 2 cents a copy and no sane man will say that it is dear at that price.

Senator Driver drove a patriotic nail last week by introducing a bill, the success of which will cause "old glory" to float from every school house, college, seminary and educational institution in the state, every day in the year.

Condon has already subscribed 23 shares of the telephone stock, at \$50 a share. As only 60 shares were needed it begins to look like there will be a "hello" line from Arlington to Fossil before many more moons. About a dozen shares have already been taken at Fossil.

The weather for the last few days has been very rough and cold again. The roads are also pretty rough, and Tuesday evening the stage broke down on the hill just above town. However, our friend Hicks predicts a chinook today. At present the snow is six inches deep.

Minnesota has made one good move by adopting a constitutional amendment restricting the suffrage to those who have resided five years in this country. Heretofore a man from any foreign country, after being four months in the state and ten days in the precinct, could vote.

E. P. Weir was over through Washington last week on a cattle buying trip. While in North Yakima he had a pleasant chat with Jay P. Lucas, who is in the employ of Coffin Bros. Jay thinks he will visit his friends in Gilliam next spring, which they will all be glad to learn.

Mr. Geo. W. Rinehart met with a serious accident yesterday morning. While driving a horse out of his livery stable corral the brute kicked him on the forehead, cutting a frightful gash and knocked him senseless. The doctor sewed up the wound and he is up and around again.

G. W. Smith of Klamath county lately sold 300 beef cattle for which he will receive \$10,800. They averaged him, being large cattle, about \$36 per head. Yearlings in the county are selling at from \$12 to \$15 per head. No such prices have been realized there for several years.

A writer in a magazine says that the earth would be heated more than a hundred and ninety degrees by being suddenly stopped; that is, it would become more than sixty times as hot as melted iron. Any of our readers who, knowing these facts, attempts to stop the earth ought to be severely dealt with.

The greased-hat corn doctor went north again on Wednesday's stage, in search of greener fields and pastures new. If he only had an agency to canvass for the GLOBE while on his rounds his success would be assured. We understand that he has developed a very high regard for this great family paper.

In renewing his subscription, Henry Doores of Martindale, Montana, under date of Jan. 17th, says that he and his wife (nee Miss Carrie Renner) are well and getting along well, and that the weather there the last six weeks has been the finest in the world. But he has changed his mind since that date, as it has been 40 degrees below zero there the past week.

New officers were recently installed in the I. O. O. F. lodge at Condon as follows: E. W. Moore N G; J. W. Barr V G; P. H. Stephenson Sec; C. S. Palmer Treas; E. E. Smith P Sec; F. C. Cr-nnett, Ward; A. Hartman Con; S. V. Moore I G; S. D. Fletcher R S N G; J. K. Fitzwater L S N G; H. L. Propst R S V G; Geo. Earhart L S V G; J. O. Portland R S S; Geo. Caven L S S.

A young man not many miles from Condon called on his best girl one night recently and in spite of his most lively efforts conversation lagged. After a silence of considerable duration she asked him what he was thinking about. He, hoping to please her, replied: "I was thinking the same thing you were."

She turning around, answered quicker than lightning: "I'll slap your mouth if you try it."

The Gilliam County Telephone Company filed articles of incorporation at Salem Saturday. The new corporation will build and equip a telephone line from Arlington via Olex, Condon and Mayville to Fossil. The principal office will be located at Condon. The capital stock is \$3000, to be divided into sixty shares. W. W. Steiwer, Charles McKenzie and Charles L. Prindle are the stockholders and promoters of the enterprise.

Sherman county is again without a saloon. When an attempt was made recently to have a saloon Miss Maggie Eaton of the W. C. T. U. took her horses and carriage, and with another white-ribboner, drove fifty-five miles in one day and opened forty-five gates, and the next day, taking another woman, drove forty-five miles and opened thirty gates; making one hundred miles in two days, and the opening and closing of seventy-five gates. By doing this, they found men employed upon their farms and secured a majority of signatures of the voters, and so saved the county from a saloon, says the Wasco News.

A petition is being circulated in the northern part of Grant county, asking that a portion of the county including Haystack, Monument and Hamilton be annexed to Gilliam county. A similar effort was made two years ago but failed, and the Gilliam taxpayers are glad of it. The territory that wants to be annexed to this county we understand would prove a blessed riddance to Grant county, as the principal cause of her high taxes is the many criminal cases that come from that portion of Grant county. We know positively that the object of those people is not to find it more convenient to come to Condon as county seat, but they make open boasts that as soon as annexed they would begin howling for a division of the county, or another vote on county seat. Let them stay where they are. Gilliam is large enough the way it is and does not want them. The development of this county was retarded for many years by a vicious county seat brawl and the taxpayers do not want any more of it. Outside of half a dozen or so "agitators," who hope to be benefited by such a change, there are not a dozen taxpayers in Gilliam county who favor annexation.

Arlington Items.

R T Cox visited Pendleton last week. The GLOBE man was in town the latter part of last week.

Dr. Bacon of La Grande spent several days in town last week.

The revival meetings are still running, with good success and interest.

S G Hawsen is laid up with something bordering on pneumonia.

The Union Block here cost about \$14,000 when it was built, so we are informed.

The little Thomas girl, who was so badly burned, is improving slowly, and will recover, but will be badly scarred.

Russ Stilwell brought down from Long Island a large raft of logs the first of the week, which he will make into cord wood.

Mrs. R H Robinson is very low with typhoid fever, yet her physician says she will recover unless unforeseen symptoms develop.

The railroad company has been fencing the track on either side between here and Blalock with a four-wire fence and making cattle guards at all the streams.

Mrs. Jayne gave a fine musicale at the A O U W hall last Friday evening, which was largely attended by the music-loving people of the town. A delightful program was rendered.

There are not houses enough in Arlington to supply the demand. Every few days someone inquires about a house to rent, indicating that better times are in store for this section of the country.

The weather last week was summer-like, the thermometer going up to 62. But Sunday it turned cold, sending the mercury down to 10, and about half an inch of snow fell. The farmers are wishing that a foot or so would fall and lie on for a few weeks to protect the young wheat.

There is some fault-finding in regard to the way the road districts have been changed, and the idea of paying out money makes others grumble. But some would find fault and grumble if there were no taxes at all and others if we favor paying the tax in cash and paying it out on honestly-performed labor on the roads. But our judgment would be to form the county into about five districts, which would give each overseer a chance to work each road at the proper time. We believe that the roads can be kept in better repair under the new system than the old, because it is an indisputable fact that there is a large per cent of the road tax lost under the old system.

Olex Explosions.

There is to be a dance at Olex this Friday night.

Cattle feeding is the general order of the day, also night, at present.

The Laubinger estate was appraised last week and footed up over \$1,600.

The beautiful snow is again in our midst and spring gardening is postponed for a few weeks.

J. A. Ward, Chas. Shurte and John Cunningham of Arlington were transacting business in Olex last Saturday.

The Barrett Bros. of Lexington have been doing the county the past week delivering some enlarged pictures, which give general satisfaction.

There was a public sale of horses at Olex last Saturday. Six horses of Wm. Boles were sold according to chattel mortgage by Harry Clay and brought \$80, being knocked off to Henry Herst.

A Nickolson of Gooseberry passed through Olex and on down the creek last week looking for work. He talks rather incoherently and several who met him are rather doubtful as to his sanity.

John Randall arrived from Monmouth last week, where he has been attending school the past winter. Owing to the sickness of his mother, who is now convalescent, he returned sooner than he had intended.

Mr. Long and C A Dannehan were in this vicinity last week looking for hogs and cattle to buy. W J Edwards was also in this vicinity on same business. Wish some one would come through buying horses.

Disgraceful Conduct.

LONE ROCK, Jan. 25, 1897.

ED. GLOBE:—The most disgraceful act occurred last Wednesday night at the K. P. hall in Lone Rock that ever took place in this peaceful community. The K. P. lodge gave the ladies of this place the privilege of using their hall each Wednesday night for one month to hold secret meetings in. They assembled at the hall some time in the evening to do some initiating and other secret work that came before the lodge. After going through all the secret work some one discovered that there was an unusual noise up in the loft, and some of the ladies called in three men to investigate. Upon going up through the scuttle hole into the loft they found two men (if they are entitled to be called such) who had been watching the ladies go through their secret work. They say they got it all except the pass words, which were spoken in a whisper. They were invited to come down, which they did, one with a blindfold on and a revolver in his right hand and said "stand back," while he opened the door with his left hand. The other fellow begged forgiveness and acknowledged he had done wrong. They are both prominent K. P. officers.

It has become an evident fact that the ladies of Lone Rock have got to strap on a sixshooter and be prepared to defend themselves, as it would seem they have no other protectors.

Yours for Justice.

Lone Rock Rumbblings.

Jim Williams got home from Pendleton Monday, where he had been attending court for a couple of weeks.

Snow fell to the depth of about 3 inches the first of the week and turned colder than "Blixen." The thermometer registered 14 below zero Monday night.

The first lawsuit for a "coon's age" was commenced in Justice Crawford's court here last week, by which the Bowen store was closed for a couple of days. But the Prof. dug up and resumed business, as though nothing had happened.

By the way! the members of the Ladies Secret Aid Society say the Cor. made a "miss one" in calling their organization the "Oriental Sisters." Well, of course, accidents will happen in the best regulated families. So we take it all back and wish them well in the good work.

Last Saturday the boys had a coyote and dog fight in town. The varmint got killed and Cal Robinson got the end of one of his thumbs nipped off by a dog. Cal went to Heppner immediately, expecting to have a portion of the remainder amputated, but the doctor thought it would be all right, so he came home Monday.

One day last week Julius McKinney came up from Condon and before getting as far as Frank Stevens' place got off his horse. Right there is where he made his mark in the world—by lying down in the mud—the result of having too much Condon buttermilk aboard, it is thought. At any rate his horse got loose from him and it was 2 or 3 days before he found him and then the saddle was gone.

Mayville Mutterings.

W F Dyer has been laid up with rheumatism for several days.

Miss Minnie Frickey is visiting her father and brother on the river this week.

Rev. Fredenburg of Moro preached at this place Saturday evening and Sunday morning.

Mrs. Alice Gager and daughter Nina of Arlington are visiting their relatives here, W J Edwards and family.

Quite a number from Mayville and Beecher Flat tendered Mr. and Mrs. L A Thomas a pleasant surprise at their home on Badger last Friday evening.

A pleasant surprise party was given Miss Maud McConnell Wednesday evening. Games, taffy-pulling and other amusements were the order of the evening.

At their meeting Thursday night the Rebekahs initiated four new members—Mr. and Mrs. M E Weir, Mrs. S F Weir and Mrs. A J Shelton. Miss Anna Palmer of Fossil visited the lodge the same evening.

Mrs. John Dunn is much better, being able to sit up a little each day. Irene, her oldest child, has been threatened with the fever but at this writing is much better and hopes are entertained that she will escape it.

On account of the drama at Condon coming off on Feb. 12th, to which a number of our people want to attend, the Mayville Aid Society has concluded to postpone their entertainment, which was advertised to come off on the 12th, to Feb. 19. Don't forget this.

I. D. C.

The Argentine republic looks upon the bachelor as an undesirable element in its population and has passed a law making marriage compulsory. By its provisions the law puts a heavy fine of \$500 upon any person who shall refuse an offer of marriage, that sum to go to the person who makes the proposal. The question, "Is marriage a success?" appears to be beyond the pale of argument in Argentine.

Notice.

A meeting of the Sheepmen's Protective Union of Gilliam county and others interested will be held at Condon Feb. 6th, at 12 o'clock noon. Important business, and a full attendance requested.

W. RETTIE, President.

To Whom it may Concern.

Notice is hereby given that Isabelle Whyte and family have left their home, through collusion, without just cause or provocation; therefore I will not be responsible to any one harboring or crediting them.

JOSEPH WHYTE, MATNEY, OR., Jan. 23, 1897.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county, the county superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at Condon, Oregon, February 10, 1897, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day and continuing until Friday. Applicants for state papers will be examined at the same time and place.

Dated this 25th day of January, 1897.

E. W. DAGGETT, School Supt., Gilliam County, Oregon.

Of Interest to Settlers.

All persons desiring to acquire title to any lands in the United States or to purchase school lands, school lien lands, will make no mistake by calling on U. S. Commissioner S. A. D. Gurley at Arlington, Oregon.

All those desiring to subscribe for the San Francisco Examiner should remember that the best way to do it is through the special agent at the GLOBE office. If you want to win a prize you should not forget this.

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