THE CONDON GLOBE.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1903.

THE OFFICIAL PAPER OF GILLIAM COUNTY, OREGON.

LOCAL NEWS,

Grand ball to-night.

Glove contest this afternoon.

Union Thanksgiving services at Baptist church 11 a.m. Sermon by Rev. Strange.

Clyde Flint was in from Ajax Saturday.

Hot beef tea and other hot drinks at Jackson's.

Latest books, lowest prices, at Condon Pharmacy.

Geo. B. Dukek was over from Mayville Tuesday.

H. N. Frazer has purchased a hardware store at Goldendale.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Barker Thursday, November 19.

Windmills, force pumps and pumps of all descriptions at W. L. Barker's

The holiday stock is now open for inspection at the Condon Pharmacy.

E.P. Weir, the well known Arlington merchant is here this week on business.

John Richmond and family left Monday for a visit with friends at Pendleton.

School supplies—pencils, tablets, pens ink, pencil boxes etc at Jarvis' Pharmacy.

Finest display of holiday goods ever displayed in Condon now open at Jackson's.

County Assessor A. J. Shelton returned Monday from a visit to the Willamette Valley.

Silk Skirts—Finest line ever offered in Condon. Just received at Stephenson & Wilcox's

Mrs. Colby Clark left Monday for her former home in Vermont. She will be gone until June.

A chance on a $45 watch and a $25 doll given with every 25c purchase at the Condon Pharmacy.

Call and see the elegant line of Jackets Coats and Capes just received at Stephenson & Wilcox's

We have the agency for the Fairbanks & Morse pumps, windmills and gasoline engines. Clarke & Hartshorn

You should clean your seed wheat before sowing. We sell the best makes of Fanning Mills. W. L. Barker.

Charlie Underwood, foreman on Mrs. C. W. White's ranch on Papersack, was in town Saturday on his way to Rock creek.

County Judge Dunn returned from Portland Sunday. He reports the weather in Webfoot even more beastly than at home.

Mrs. Mont Ward has returned from Portland where she underwent a serious surgical operation a short time ago. She is still confined to her bed most of the time.

The celebrated Trail Fork hog case which was to have come up for a new trial last Tuesday has been carried to the circuit court by Mr. Parks on a writ of review.

The Ladies' Aid, of Olex, will hold their annual fair and social at Wade's Hall, Olex, Saturday, December. 12. Something for young,old, rich and poor. Refreshments will be served. Come and have a good time.

Rev. Frank Simmons, of this county, who is attending college at Grass Valley writes to have the GLOBE sent to his address. He writes:"I cannot get along without the home news and so want the GLOBE sent to me here."

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Barker returned from Portland last week and Mrs. Barker will remain at home until after the holidays when she will return to the city to have the treatment of her little daughter continued. The child is steadily improving.

Mrs. O. W. Propst returned Saturday from Spokane where she spent several weeks visiting friends. While in the Washington city Mrs. Propst enjoyed several sleigh rides the snow there being about a foot deep. Her father, G. Davidson, retured with her and expects to spend the Winter here.

We have just received a full line of rubber goods for ladies, men, boys and children. Our stock was delayed in shipment and did not reach us early in the season and is now full and complete at the time people need rubbers. Call and see our stock and learn our prices and you will be sure to buy. O.W.P.

The Alville Grange will hold a fair at their hall at Alville on Friday, December 4, 1903. The fair will open at ten a. m. and continue all day to be followed by a grand ball in the evening. This will be the biggest gala occasion in the history of Alville and a large attendance is expected. See bills which are now out.

Earnest Panwitz, the well known blacksmith, came in Sunday from North Yakima Washington, where he has been working at his trade for some time. He says that town is booming, and is a splendid business point. He will remain here for awhile to look after business matters and will then perhaps return to the Washington town.

The merchantile business and the flouring mill of Wm. Keys & Son, at Mayville, has been taken charge of by a representative of Portland creditors of the firm on account of the inability of the firm to meet its obligations promptly. It is understood that the firm is not so seriously involved but that the trouble will be speedily adjusted and all claims paid in full.

Dr. Nicklin, Doc Moore, Wilks and Finch enjoyed an outing in the mountains in the Lone Rock country near "the notch" last week. They saw 41 deer but of course did not kill any as they were afraid the deer were not fat. Nicklin brought back a big fat rooster in a gunny sack which the other boys say he acquired on the way home. They camped near a ranch and the doctor left camp for awhile and returned with the rooster. Doc explains the matter by saying that the rooster's teeth were in bad condition and he brought him home to do some dental work for him.

Reads Like a Story Book.

An interesting story came to light last Friday when a claimant to the estate of John Mormon, deceased, appeared to lay claim to the property. The claimant is Mrs. Minnie Wellens, of Kendallville, Indiana, who, with her husband, arrived here barely in time to get their claim presented as the estate would have reverted to the state of Oregon on Friday had they been a day later arriving, an order to that effect having been made by Judge Bradshaw on the 28th day of last September. John Mormon was well known by most of the old residents of Gilliam county he having been engaged in the sheep business here up to the time of his death which occurred on the 5th day of January 1898 He died intestate and without any known heirs and all efforts to discover heirs or near relatives were unavailing until the appearance of the parties above named. Mrs. Wellens claims to be a sister of the deceased sheepman and the story she tells sounds like an old story book. The name Mormon, she says was not her brother's true name he having assumed that when he came west about the year 1879. His true name was John Henry Olliges. The Olliges family was born in Germany and in 1869 John, his brothers and sisters emigrated to America settling at Cincinnati, Ohio. At that place John enlisted in the regular army. He did not like army life however, and after a year's service deserted and came west. It was then he changed his name. After coming to Gilliam county he engaged in the sheep business with Charles Weigand, and they acquired considerable property in that line. During the time the two men were partners Mr. Weigand, who was also a German, returned to the Fatherland on a visit and Mormon asked him to go to a certain town and visit his relatives but without telling Weigand his true name. Weigand visited the village Mormon had named to him as his old home and made a careful but fruitless search to find the Mormon family. While prosecuting this search he met some members of the Olliges family but of course did not suspect that they were the people for whom he was hunting.

About the time Wiegand left Germany it seems that Mormon had written a letter to his brother in Cincinnati telling him where he was located and something of his business affairs but, strange to say, while he addressed the Cincinnati Olliges as "brother" he signed the letter "John Mormon." This was the first and only word his relatives ever had from him after his desertion from the army. This strange letter was forwarded from Cincinnati to the old home in Germany and reached there on the eve of Weigand's departure after his fruitless search for the Mormon family. He was found by them however, just as he was about to take the train to leave the village, and, after an interview, they concluded that Mormon and Olliges must be one and the same person. To further complicate matters this letter was destroyed in a fire some time after being received in Germany and that important link in the chain of evidence is gone.

Mormon was married in this county a number of years before his death but the union was not a happy one and his wife secured a divorce and has since disappeared completely so that if she knows anything of his past that would assist in untangling the mystery it is not at present obtainable.

Mr. Weigend is here with Mr. and Mrs. Wellens to assist them in establishing their claim. He is a man with considerable property and spends his time mostly in travel.

J. W. Snover has been retained by the Wellens to look after their interests in the matter and it is expected that evidence will be taken at an early date in an attempt to establish Mrs. Wellens' claim.

Survey Completed.

The surveyors of the Columbia River & Central Oregon R. R. Co. completed their preliminary survey to Condon Monday. Mr. Bellinger, the engineer in charge of the work stated that they had secured a good grade all of the way. On the ridge north of town they run a tangent five miles long. A number of suits have been filed condemning right-of-way between this place and Arlington and it is understood that the company will start proceedings at once against all the right of way required this being the quickest way, they believe, of securing it. The Eastern Oregon R.R.Co. has also filed a number of suits of the same character. Each company still insists that it will build a road.

Takes a Pessimistic View.

Charles McAllister, the well known Klickitat county sheepman, was in Portland last week with a shipment of 5,000 head of mutton which he took to the city for sale. To a Telegram reporter Mr. McAllister gave a gloomy account of the outlook for stockmen in Eastern Oregon and Washington. He predicts that the loss of sheep in this section will reach fully 50 per cent. during the coming Winter. This gloomy view is taken because of the scarcity of feed and of Mr. McAllister's belief that the coming Winter will be an exceptionally severe one. Other stockmen will sincerely hope that his predictions are not well founded and that the season will be less rigorous than he prophesies.

A Quiet Wedding.

At five o'clock last evening, at the home of Elder W. A. Goodwin in, Condon, a quiet wedding took place when Miss Edna Lov Austin became the bride of Mr. Daniel A. Hawes. Both parties are well and favorably known here and have a large circle of friends. Mr. Hawes is one of our most popular young men and his bride has also won a large circle of friends during her short residence here.

The GLOBE extends its heartiest congratulations to the happy couple.

He Knew Tom Horn.

R. P. Orr, the Wasco resident, who is here doing the plastering work on the court house and other brick buildings which have been built here this season, was well acquainted with Tom Horn, the Wyoming desperado who was hanged at Cheyenne last Friday for a series of cold blooded murders which are said to have been instigated by a coterie of Wyoming cattle kings by whom he was employed.

Mr. Orr lived a neighbor to the Horn family, near Memphis, Mo., for many years going there in 1873 when young Tom was only thirteen years old. He says the published stories to the effect that Tom Horn sr. the desperado's father, was a member of the James gang and that he drove the boy from home when fourteen years old, are entirely false. The elder Horn was a good citizen and a man of considerable prominence in his part of the state. He was engaged in the cattle business in Scotland county, Mo., and also owned a cattle ranch in southwestern Kansas. Young Tom remained at home until he was sixteen years of age when he went to the Kansas ranch with his brother Charlie, who was manager of that branch of his fathers business. Tom was of rather a wild and roving nature and while yet at home was known as a dead shot and a pretty wild boy. Soon after going to Kansas he took a trip to Denver and while there he joined a party of prospectors who were going into the Ute Indian country to search for gold. The Indians happened to be in an ugly mood and, going on the warpath, they were about to cut the prospectors off when they were rescued by U. S. troops and taken back to Denver. This experience only served to whet young Horn's appetite for adventure and he soon pursuaded four other young fellows to join him and they returned to the Indian country This time they were attacked, part of their number killed and Tom and one companion were captured. They were held in captivity for a year but finally escaped and started on foot for Denver. Before proceeding far they came to a creek in which they discovered nuggets of gold. Delighted with the prospect of sudden wealth the boys killed some prairie dogs and making sacks of their skins they gathered up as much gold as they could conveniently carry and started once more for Denver. Unfortunately, however, the Indians overtook them and, after making them carry the nuggets back to the place where they had found them, they took the boys back to their camp where they were held as prisoners two years longer. Another opportunity for escape finally presented itself and they took advantage of it but were again pursued, overtaken and Horn's companion killed. By good luck however, Tom evaded the red skins and after various adventures finally made his way back to Denver. Here he was employed for some time by the Pinkertons and later made the celebrated campaign as a scout with the party that captured Geronimo. The rest of the story, as published, is about correct so far as our informant knows and he has been kept posted of Horn's whereabouts pretty regularly by relatives of Horn who reside on this coast. As stated above, Tom Horn sr. was a respected citizen and Mr. Orr is positive that he had no connection with the James gang. The James boys' home and stamping ground was in the southwest part of Missouri while the Horns lived in the extreme Northeast portion of the state. The old man, however, met with financial reverses through law suits which grew out out of a shipment of Texas cattle which he brought to Missouri, by which the Texas fever was brought into that state and he died in comparative poverty at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Williams, at New Whatcomb, Washington, about eight years ago.

A Fire Alarm.

An unruly gasoline lamp caused a slight but lively blaze at the Condon hotel about 6 o'clock Sunday evening which called out the hose company but the blaze was extinguished before the fire fighters arrived. A gasoline lamp was dropped and broken in the shed behind the hotel kitchen and the blazing fluid ran through the cracks and was doing considerable business on the under side of the floor by the time an opening could be made through the floor and the fire extinguished. As it was but little damage was done except that Mrs. R. H. Waln, proprietor of the hotel, suffered some painful burns on her hands while putting the fire out.

The GLOBE man was a star actor in putting out the fire. He rang the fire-bell and the fact that the fire was out and the hose company on the ground before the bell rang cuts no ice. He started in to ring that bell and proposed to ring it if it took all night. It was this way:

He came out of Dunn Bro.'s store when the cry of fire was first raised and somebody gave him a key to the door of the building in which swings the fire bell. He ran to the building and after some fumbling to find the key hole which dodged him like a jack rabbit would a sheep dog, he got inside. A darkness that could be felt pervaded the room but by striking a match the midnight intruder into another man's sleeping apartment discovered a wooden button of the hen house door variety on the ceiling. Being of a rather investigating nature he turned the button when a trap door about three feet square dropped on his head with a dull thud that could be felt even more than the darkness. After climbing on a table which backed him off a time or two before he learned to balance it properly, he groped around in the dark attic until he found the bell rope, and the bell was rung loud and long. Of course all this took time and the fire was out and forgotton before the bell rung but we are in a position to testify that the fire bell is in a good safe place. There is no danger of anybody stealing it or ringing it for fun. A real emergency must exist before any man will go to the trouble to hunt it up.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of the state of Oregon for Gilliam County appointed administrator of the estate of S. R. de Neui deceased.

All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby notified to present the same duly verified to the undersigned at the office of Hendricks & Bowerman, Condon Oregon within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

J. R. DE NEUI,
Administrator of the estate of S. R. de Neui deceased.

Hendricks & Bowerman attorneys for the estate. Date of first publication Nov. 12th, 1903.

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