

J. K. Fitzwater returned Monday evening from a few weeks trip at points in Oregon and Washington. Mr. Fitzwater reports a good time and is much improved in health.

Don't forget the big republican rally at the court house, Saturday evening.

The celebrated Bridges Quartette of Chicago will give a free concert in the Congregational church this evening. The object of this concert is to organize a vocal class.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will serve a chicken dinner on June 4th in the Wilson building formerly occupied by the Condon Drug Co. Ice cream and cake will be served all afternoon and strawberries, cake and ice cream in the evening. Ice cream with crushed strawberries and cake 15c.

Miss Lilla Ebbert is confined to her home this week with a severe attack of appendicitis. Preparations were made to send her to Portland for an operation but Dr. Wood found her so much improved Wednesday morning that it was unnecessary.

The old Ladiges restaurant has been re-opened by Mrs. Anna Hadley. Mrs. Hadley is a first class restaurant Woman and patrons can expect the best of treatment.

The Condon Commercial Club will give a grand ball Friday evening, June 8th. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. It's the event of the season. Only invalids can afford to miss it.

The masons are engaged this week in building the big stone vault for the Condon National Bank.

The Belvedere Restaurant is under new management. Everything neat and clean. Meals at all hours.

"Everything is lovely and the goose hangs high" in Gilliam county these days. And why shouldn't it be thus? Plenty of rain and plenty of water in the city well. The fellow who registers a "kick" under these conditions must be fearfully and wonderfully made.

Cambell Brown returned Wednesday evening from a two weeks trip in Idaho.

Al Searcy departed Monday morning for St. Martin's Springs, Washington. Al has been troubled considerably with rheumatism of late and is in hopes that a change of climate will prove beneficial.

Cass Simpson finished dipping his sheep and started them for the mountains last Friday.

The trust hirings neglected to state in their anonymous letter to Oregon republicans that free silver was the paramount question in '96. The Oregonian's comments upon Bourne, Mitchell, Ellis, Tongue, Fulton and other prominent Oregon republicans and democrats at that time who were opposed to the gold standard has no bearing upon the issues of the present campaign.

READ THIS AND JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

The two principal changes proposed by the local option law, which is to be voted on at the general election, June 4, 1906, are as follows:

(1) The proposed amendment to the local option law raises the number of voters necessary to call a prohibition election from 10 per cent to 30 per cent.

Reason—Unless at least 30 per cent of the voters in a precinct are willing to demand an election, it is not fair that the community should be saddled with the expense. The average population of a precinct in Oregon is about 250, so that even under the increased percentage, prohibitionists would seldom have to obtain more than 75 names in order to call an election. The Ohio local option law requires 40 per cent of the voters on a petition before an election can be called.

(2) The proposed amendment to the local option law allows a prohibition election to be called in any precinct in Oregon, but prevents the grouping of precincts together, or the gerrymandering of counties in order that the vote of several "dry" precincts may smother the vote of one "wet" precinct.

Reason—It does not seem necessary to make any argument in favor of this portion of the proposed amendment. The fault which it seeks to correct was one of the numerous deceptions of the original local option law, which actually denied local option except to communities that voted for prohibition. If we are to have a precinct local option law, let us have a precinct local option law and stop there. Whatever may be said for or against the original local option law, or whatever may be said in argument on the proposed amendment to the local option law, one thing is absolutely certain and cannot be denied, and that is: The proposed amendment to the local option law gives exactly equal privileges to prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists. It is a square deal.—Adv

BONDS VOTED

By a vote of 61 to 2 the electors of Condon on Friday last voted bonds to the extent of \$17,000 for the purpose of piping water from the Darling ranch. Although Condon has now enough water to supply the immediate needs of the town, it was thought best by the city of officials to lay the pipe line from the spring and thus be assured of an inexhaustible supply of water.

BLALOCK
Orfa, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews, is suffering from a complication of stomach and lung trouble.

Mrs. O. Sullivan and her little niece Helen Enberg are visiting in Kent. Heavy rains recently have done much to insure the wheat crop.

Preparations are going on for the entertainment and social at the school house on Saturday evening. Pantomime, solos, quartette, drill and tableaux then auctioning of baskets. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker have received news of the recovery of their grandchildren in Albany, who have had the diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker spent Saturday and Sunday, visiting their son in Sherman county.

Miss Grace Mc Kinney is a member of the '06 graduating class from the Arlington school.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Go to Dodson's for Ladies' Shoes.

Fish every Friday at the Palace Hotel. See Eberle, about that new spring suit.

Best meals in the city at the Palace hotel.

The Home Bakery makes fresh taffy and home-made candies every day. Have you tried them.

Bran, shorts, rolled barley, at Gilliam Co. Milling Co.

Finest quality of groceries, cheap for cash at Wasson's cash Grocery.

We have just received a carload of wire and nails. Call and get prices. Dunn Bros.

Have you tried those fine turkey dinners at the Summit hotel, we have them every Sunday.

Take your abtracting to M. D. Carter's office, one door north of postoffice building. Work guaranteed.

Wet feet ends with a cold or sore throat. Save this by having O. W. Propst put on a good sole for you.

The Palace hotel furnishes first-class board and rooms to their patrons at reasonable rates. Try them a week.

The largest and most carefully selected assortment of fishing tackle ever shown in Condon at W. L. Barker & Co.

My passenger wagon will call for or deliver passengers and baggage in any part of the city. Leave order at Hotel Oregon.—RUBE McKINNEY.

We are offering the public a 14x7 grain drill for \$90 and a 14x7 hoe drill for \$80. This offer is to hold good while the supply lasts.—W. L. Barker & Co.

Notice of Sale of Bonds.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Condon, Oregon, will receive proposals for the purchase of Seventeen Thousand Dollars (\$17,000.00) par value in amount of negotiable coupon bonds of said City; Said bonds are of the denomination of \$500.00 each bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 1st day of August and the 1st day of February of each year. Said bonds are dated 1st of August 1906, and the principle thereof is payable absolutely on the 1st day of August 1926; principal and interest payable in U. S. Gold Coin at the banking house of Kountz Bros., New York, N. Y. Sealed proposals must be addressed to the Recorder of the City of Condon, Gilliam County, Oregon. Bids will be received up to the hour of 8:00 p. m. the 2nd day of July 1906, and will be opened by the Recorder of said City, at his office in Condon, Oregon, at the hour of 8:30 p. m. of said day. Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder, but not for less than their face value. The Common Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

C. H. HORNER, Recorder.

Treasurer's Notice.

All county warrants registered prior Feb. 1, 1906, will be paid upon presentation at my office. Interest ceases May 5, 1906.

F. W. MOORE,

Treasurer of Gilliam county, Oregon.

E. G. MERRIFIELD

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Monongahela White Rye	Old Kentucky Home Club	Imperial
Pony	Parker's Rye	Rainier Bourbon
Old Crow	Monarch	Magnolia
SCOTCH	IRISH	SWEDISH
NORWEGIAN	Shaw's White Malt	Canadian White Malt
		Fallinger's XXX

BRANDIES

Peach	Apple	Grape
Hennessey 3 star	Repsold Cognac 3 star	Kvariste Dupont 3 star

GINS

Old Tom Gin	Fine Old Dry Gin	El Bart Gin	Rye Malt Gin
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RUMS

Fine Old Jamaica Rum	Rum and Gum	Rock Candy and Rum
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All kinds of Cocktails, Cordials, Bitters and Punches. We handle the FAMOUS IMPORTED GERMAN BITTERS, "LIT-THAUER"; leading brands of choice Havana Cigars; Fine California Wines; Olympia Beer, on draft and bottled.

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Ck glycerine soap 3 pks bird seed. 25c
Can Talcum powder 3 rolls crepe paper 25c
Can tooth powder 3 rolls toilet paper 25c
Box of Liver Pills 2 Chloride Limes 25c
Tooth Brush .2c Can Woodlark.
Cake Castle Soap 9c .Squirrel Poison 25c
8-in bar give Soap 9c 5lbs Holly's Chick
Large bot Vaseline . Food . . . 25c
Syrup of Figs .19c 5lbs Stock Food. 35c
1lb insect powder 25c Bott Grape Juice 25c
Lyon's Tooth .19c Box Arnica Salve 19c
Box Seidlitz Pwd 19c Almond Cream 19c
Marshm'w Cream 19c Lilac Cream .19c
Florida Water .19c Mennen's Tal-
cun Powder .19c
Violet or Sandal- . . . 19c
wood Soap .19c Tooth soap .19c
Rubber Complexion Brush .19c

I have just received a shipment of 14 gross of Syringes and Hot Water Bottles which I will offer at about 1/2 the usual price. They are now on sale at from 10c to \$1.99 each. Every woman in Condon should take advantage of this great 10 days bargain sale.

Swamp Root 90c, Ayer's Hair Vigor 90c, Peruna 90c.

A \$1 bottle for 75c of Pfunder's Oregon Blood Purifier best spring medicine sold.

A \$1 bottle for 75c of Swanson's 5 Drops, the only absolutely certain remedy for Rheumatism in all its forms.

CANDIES

Lowney's Chocolates made in Boston are known to be the finest chocolates in the world. I have them in fancy Bon Bon boxes at from 10c to 50c per box. SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY Syrup of Figs at 19c the bottle.

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J. W. BOOTH WASCO, OREGON.