

LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

AND OTHER NEWS OF INTEREST

For sale cheap—An organ, good as new. L. Jenson, Hebo.

Chas. Ray left yesterday morning on a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miles, of Woods, were in Cloverdale yesterday.

A dance will be held after the moving picture show Saturday evening.

Dr. Wendt fits glasses. Tillamook, Ore.. I. O. O. F. Bld.

The full orchestra will be at the church Sunday night. You will be welcome.

Take the old reliable White stage for a comfortable, safe and sure trip to Tillamook.

See change of Nestucca Valley Bank and this week on first page. It will interest you.

W. P. Spaulding, of Tillamook, spent Sunday with his son, V. A. Spaulding, and family.

Plasker Bros. for all kinds of plumbing, bath room outfits and fixtures. Tillamook, Ore.

Mrs. Halbert, who has been dangerously ill the past week, is reported some better today.

George Worthington is taking charge of the dock store during the absence of James Whitman.

Come to church. Everybody enjoys the service. The church needs you, you need the church.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lister returned home last evening after spending the holiday vacation in Grants Pass.

Mr. and Mrs. Barton R. Bly, of Hebo, were business visitors in Cloverdale yesterday and left this morning for Woods.

When in Tillamook and you want a good meal at a most reasonable price call at M. Oleson's in the Ramsey Hotel dining room.

The Cloverdale Literary Society will be postponed till more favorable weather conditions, as it is too cold to prepare programs, especially plays.

A. S. Fogg, of Hampton, Oregon, was in Cloverdale this week visiting the families of his son and daughter, Edward Fogg and Mrs. Lloyd Peck.

Miss Ruth Clark has accepted the position in the grammar school made vacant by the resignation of Miss Sowers. Miss Clark will reach here Monday evening.

On January 3rd the ladies of Cloverdale gave Miss Sowers a shower party at her home. Miss Sowers received many nice presents. The afternoon was spent in a social way, music being one of the main features. Light refreshments were served and all report a good time.

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by the Three Rivers Creamery Co. up to Feb. 1st, for the following: For a first helper, also for hauling cheese to Tillamook and supplies back. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

Three Rivers Creamery Co., Hebo, Oregon.

COUNTY COURT VISITS THIS END OF COUNTY

They View the Proposed New Road and Hold Meeting After Returning to Tillamook.

Judge Hare and Commissioner McKimmen's, accompanied by Road Supervisor Baker, came to Cloverdale Tuesday and with Commissioner Owens made a trip over the new proposed road from the Daniel's ranch to the Werschul ranch. They also viewed the old road and after returning to Tillamook held a meeting to discuss their findings.

There having developed some opposition over this recently surveyed route the court decided to send the county engineer over to make a second investigation before taking final action.

It is evident that the court is ordering this second inspection for the reason that they want it fully understood that a most thorough investigation of all conditions would be gone into before final action was taken.

The petition for this new route contained 102 names, among them the heaviest taxpayers of the Nestucca Valley, and many of the petitioners have traveled over the hills on the old road until they are sore perplexed and now, while they are not in the least alarmed over the outcome, they feel that any hinderance by citizens of this much needed improvement is illogical.

Only a few years ago the county at quite a big expense shortened the route between Oretown and the Union school, built a road over the tide flats and a bridge over the Little Nestucca river. The new improvement sought for is a connecting link between this road and the road leading to Cloverdale and on to Tillamook, the main county road. With the road we have to Tillamook and this cut-off road over the tide lands, as referred to, connected by a zig-zag road up and down hills and 2,000 feet greater in distance than what it can be made, is not what the people want. If it was only a matter of shortening the distance this would be considered in most cases sufficient reason for changing the route, for it would mean just that much less road to keep up and improve and should the time ever come, and we sincerely hope it is not in the far distant, that a hard surface road is built the entire length of the county, this 2000 feet saving in distance will become quite an important factor. Especially does this seem important when it is considered that the distance by the new route is only 6100 feet. If you travel the old route you add just 2000 feet to the 6100 feet every time you go over the road, or double it every time you make a round trip.

But this is not all, the new route will provide a practically level road, and, considering the great number of people to be benefited, not expensive compared to the benefit to be derived.

After this new road is completed and

NYAL Calendars and Weather Charts

We still have for distribution a number of these fine, large Calendars and Weather Charts. If you haven't already got one, don't delay but come in now and get one, or if you can't come just call us up by phone and we'll send you one.

They are just the calendar for every farmer. They give some information.

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in use all will be satisfied, even those who are opposing it. Has not this been the case in every instance where the road has been taken off the hills and placed on a level grade. Is there anyone who would like to travel to Tillamook the way we used to five years ago? There were hills to climb then and when it was proposed to make a change there was the same opposition. History is only repeating itself.

New Husbands.

The following is taken from the Newberg Enterprise and relates to people well known here, some of them having at one time lived in this neighborhood:

Mrs. Mary Askin, of Portland, and Mrs. Mathel Cramblett, of Wenatchee, Washington, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Nelson, spent Christmas day with their parents in Newberg. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Galland, life-long friends of the young women, were guests at the Christmas dinner and spent an enjoyable day making the acquaintance of the new husbands and renewing old friendship with the other members of the Nelson family.

Easy.

Friend—Say, Clarence, how does yo' manage to shave a gemmerman what's got de St. Vitus' dance? Barber—Hoh, dat's easy! I jest holds de razzah on his face an' lets him fiddle his whiskers off to suit hisself.—Puck.

His Portion.

"Will you share my portion?" asked the poor young man.

"I fear yours is only a half portion," said the girl gently. "You will need it all for yourself."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Only a Negative.

"Why is Mr. Kodak so gloomy looking?"

"He and Marie have just come out of the dark room, where he had evidently developed a negative."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

What He Told Her.

She—When we were married a year ago I never expected to see you coming home at 2 in the morning. He—Well, you wouldn't now if you'd only go to bed and to sleep.—Boston Transcript.

OUR WORKS.

A certain inarticulate self-consciousness dwells dimly in us, which only our works can render articulate and decisively discernible. Our works are the mirror wherein the spirit first sees its natural pigments; hence, too, the folly of that impossible precept, "Know thyself," till it be translated into this partially possible one, "Know what thou canst work out."—Carlyle.

Seemed So.

Patience—It is said the human family is subject to about 1,200 different kinds of disease and ailment. Patrice—The family! Say, I knew one woman who had more than that herself.—Yonkers Statesman.

Tale of the Cranium Desert.

"Popper, tell me a real hair raising story," said the small boy.

The fond parent looked up hopelessly. "I can't, my son; I've tried everything," answered the baldheaded father.—Exchange.

Managing John.

"You really must impress upon John the folly of his line of action."

"What's the use? He won't pay the least attention to me. He'll only listen to fools now." (After a short pause.) "You speak to him."—Exchange.

Facial Foliage.

"Do you think whiskers would improve my appearance?"

"I hardly know, old chap. What variety do you contemplate cultivating, the kind that bristle or the species that droop?"—Kansas City Journal.

Self Reliance.

"Never complain about what you can't help," said Mr. Optim.

"And yet," replied Mr. Pessim, "there's no excuse for complaining about anything else."—Washington Star.

Strenuous Kindness.

She—Here's a story in the paper that tells about such a kind policeman. He—What did he do? She—He found a man asleep in the street, it says, and fanned him till he woke up.—Baltimore American.

When Ma Takes Up Oratory.

When a lady finds out she can make a speech the husband may as well put the children in a boarding school, strangle the canary bird and renew his acquaintance with the fellows at the club.—Houston Post.

A Dutch Custom.

Looking glasses are commonly to be seen hanging outside Dutch dwellings. These are so arranged that persons sitting inside can without being seen enjoy a reflection of all that is going on in the street.

Making It Strong.

Bacon—I'm building an icebox.

Egbert—Oh, are you? "Yes. What do they put in an icebox to make it strong?"

"Onions, I believe."—Yonkers Statesman.

Have a Purpose.

A life without a purpose is a languid, drifting thing. Every day we ought to renew our purpose, saying to ourselves, "This day let me take a sound beginning, for what I have hitherto done is naught."