

LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

AND OTHER NEWS OF INTEREST

W. A. Wise, dentist.
 Sam Ray was this week's visitor from the Fort.
 Arthur Coffey is now driving the White Stage.
 W. C. Bordow was in Cloverdale from Meda Monday.
 Forest Gist is here from camp visiting home folks.
 Mrs. Pearson, of Dolph, was a Cloverdale shopper today.
 W. R. Robelje, of Woods, was a Cloverdale visitor Tuesday.
 Frank Yach of Dolph, was a business caller in Cloverdale Monday.
 Mrs. J. H. Lamson and daughter visited in Willamina over Sunday.
 S. C. Woods, of Beaver, was a business visitor in Cloverdale yesterday.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miles were Cloverdale visitors from Woods today.
 John and Gilbert Belleque were Cloverdale visitors today from Woods.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brooten returned home today from a visit to Bellingham, Washington.
 Miss Lois Wade of Tillamook, visited at the home of her brother, Albert a few days last week.
 Mrs. Ivan Gist was operated on at the hospital last Friday and is reported to be rapidly improving.
 Mrs. R. D. Werschkul and son Ralph, of Portland, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Werschkul this week.
 Miss Ulah Fox, of Meda, recently operated on at the hospital, is sufficiently improved to return to her home.
 The service at the Louvre is the best that can be had in Tillamook. Try the Louvre when in Tillamook next.
 Mrs. Joe Wilson left Tuesday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Kreutz, of Fellows, California.
 The Tillamook County Teachers' Institute will be held at Tillamook next week Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.
 There are only four serials of the Sea Slug, the first will be published next week. See advertisement on next page.
 For sale—One six-lid Charter Oak Range, \$15; one extension table, \$3; one kitchen table, \$1. Geo. Wells, Cloverdale.
 Frank Dunn and Miss Fidler, of Woods, were Tillamook visitors today and it is reported they will be married before returning.
 Mr. and Mrs. Batzner, who have been the guests of the Joe Wilson home the past week, returned to their home in Nehalem Tuesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Worthington and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Webb, of Tillamook, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Worthington.
 Don't fail to see the first episode of the new serial, "Patria," Saturday evening. You will miss the first part of an excellent show if you fail to attend. Jitney dance after the show.

Plasker Bros. for all kinds of plumbing, bath room outfits and fixtures. Tillamook, Ore.
 Elmer Calkins of Otis, had the misfortune to lose his barn and 80 tons of hay by fire.—Willamina Times.
 Dr. Wise will be at his Cloverdale office every Monday evening and all through the day Tuesday and longer if required until further notice. Those desiring dental work done can make appointment by telephone.
 News reached Cloverdale yesterday that the barn on the ranch operated by Claud Christensen near Tillamook burned Tuesday night with between 80 and 100 tons of hay. The loss is keenly felt because of the extreme difficulty of securing hay this year.
 Dr. C. M. Barber, of Portland, who has been enjoying a hiking trip from Florence, passed through Cloverdale yesterday. The recent wet weather caused him to seek shelter in an automobile at Neekowin and in this manner he reached the railroad at Tillamook. The doctor is undoubtedly telling his friends in Portland just how long a walk it is from Florence to Tillamook.

Last week we inadvertently omitted mentioning that our cheese maker, Albert Wade, of the Cloverdale factory, carried off first prize on cheese at the County Fair. As Tillamook county is noted for its good cheese it is no small thing to be honored with making the best cheese in the county and the Cloverdale factory may feel proud because it has been so highly honored. If Mr. Wade will now make a cheese that will win at the State Fair, it will be a great boost for him and the Cloverdale Cheese Company.

FAREWELL SERMON.

We are to be Treated to One Sunday Next, Much as We Regret it.

A letter received by the Courier from our former pastor, Jos. A. McVeigh, states that after due deliberation the Board of Presbytery, at Portland, decided that they could not afford the amount necessary, added to what could be raised here, to pay the salary of a pastor for this field and as a result the church is to be without a pastor.
 This is to be sorely regretted as under the present pastor much good work was accomplished and the first steps taken to reorganize and build up a solid church.
 Rev. McVeigh preached sermons he believed he should preach and many squirmed under his clear and concise way of putting facts. He didn't preach to please his audiences, he gave them facts to digest, and if his listeners liked it he was pleased and if they didn't like it he was pleased to know that they were there to hear the message he had delivered.
 He advises us that he could not bear to leave Cloverdale for good without a farewell address and has already arrived in Cloverdale and on Sunday morning and evening will preach as best he knows how.

Magazine Prices Going Up

Have you selected your winter reading? If not, do it now, or if your subscriptions are about to expire let us renew them for you.

We have notice that within the next sixty days prices on a number of magazines will advance.

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WM. A. HIGH,

Druggist and Stationer
 Cloverdale, Oregon.

WOODS ITEMS.

Mr. Hamilton and friend from Portland were on a business trip to Pacific City Saturday and Sunday.

A brother of Ambrose and Adam Babcock arrived on an indefinite visit this week. Their aged mother is well and hearty and is keeping house for two of the boys.

Dr. Montgomery and wife and Mr. Ward were Bay City visitors last Sunday.

Little Miss Eunice Fisher is the guest of Mrs. F. R. Beals this week.

The new addition to the sawmill is completed, making it 31x36 feet larger.

The catch of fish seems to be improving.

D. D. Hostetter has decided to spend the winter in Pacific City and returns to Hubbard this week to complete the arrangements.

Mr. Beals is running his silo again full blast this week, thus saving valuable hay that otherwise would have been a total loss.

Mr. Hanson is having serious trouble with his big truck on account of the slippery roads.

Grafting the Grafter.

A great grafting enterprise is daily growing and bids fair to excel the Franklin syndicate or the Bohemian oat fakes of years ago, with the difference that the aim is not to graft the public, but to graft the grafter. There are a lot of people in this world that aim to get something for nothing and they usually get it in the neck.

Here is the grafter's plan: He first gets a few letterheads printed and styles himself a publicity bureau. For his prey he seeks the manufacturing concerns and sales houses of those who would like to have their wares advertised without paying for it; these concerns are perfectly willing to graft the newspaper publishers.

The publicity expert writes some clever little articles boosting the concern and the goods it has to market and these concerns fall for the game like a tramp to a ham sandwich. Of course the publicity man has these articles either printed or typewritten and mailed to all the weekly papers in the state, "released for publication," and the customers of the publicity man rests in his office chair fully satisfied that the rural newspaper men are virtually falling over each other to get these articles for fillers. The only thing they fill is the waste paper basket and if some of these free space seekers would subscribe for a number of the country weeklies they would soon conclude that they were the ones that are being grafted.

There's a sucker born every minute, and new publicity bureaus are organized fast enough to supply the demand.

The rates at the Louvre restaurant in Tillamook are no higher than at other eating places and the tables are as inviting and the edibles as appetizing as those you find in the larger cities.

Buried Treasure.

Medium—I can tell you about a buried treasure. Patron—Please don't. My husband is always tooting that in my ears. Medium—Does he know anything about a buried treasure? Patron—Yes; his first wife.

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