

LOCAL AND PERSONAL ITEMS

AND OTHER NEWS OF INTEREST

W. A. Wise, Dentist.
 C. Otzen was up from Oretown today.
 Joe Etzweiler was up from Oretown Tuesday.
 Dr. Shearer was a Portland visitor this week.
 J. D. Reichers and W. G. Dwight, of Tillamook, were in town Sunday.
 Hugo Effenberger, of Nehalem, was a Cloverdale business visitor Tuesday.
 Joe Steinmassl and Frank Yach, of Dolph, were in town Tuesday on business.
 J. D. Cameron of Sandlake is at the hospital for treatment for stomach trouble.
 Mrs. LeFevre, of Portland, has been the guest of her husband, Dr. LeFevre, this week.
 We want your old sacks. First grade 9c; second grade 5c. Cloverdale Mercantile Co.
 Geo. T. and Peter A. Baxter, of Dolph, were business visitors in Cloverdale Wednesday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Darling, of Hebo, are at present enjoying themselves at Tulare, California.

We have two first class ranchers that would like to rent on shares or for cash. Taylor Real Estate Agency.
 Remember the entertainment to be given by the Grange at the Cloverdale hall tomorrow evening.
 Mrs. J. D. Pearson and Mrs. J. D. Wilson, of Dolph, were in town Friday to attend the Red Cross meeting.
 A little better than \$50 was netted to the Red Cross at the dance given by the ladies' social club of the Rebekahs last week.
 Those who wish to see Dr. Wise will please remember that he will return to practice dentistry here as usual about March 1st.
 A. P. Conway, late of Portland, arrived in Cloverdale Tuesday evening and Wednesday left for his old stampground at Oretown.
 Arch Meyers and Grover Witt spent the fore part of this week in the Salmon River country. They returned last evening with several head of cattle.
 New ranches are being listed with us every week. If you want something at the right price and on suitable terms see our list of Nestucca Valley ranches. Taylor Real Estate Agency, Cloverdale.
 The Pacific City Creamery Company will consider bids for a cheesemaker for this year. Work to begin about April 20th, 1918. Send bids to Crystal Bays, Secretary.
 The Lonyre restaurant in the new Clough building, Tillamook is serving meals up to 8 o'clock p. m. and lunches to 1 a. m. The Lonyre is conveniently located and gives you the best service at the right prices.

Guy Stone, brother of Roy Stone, arrived in the Nestucca Valley from Chicago the fore part of the week to look after his brother's interest here. Mr. Stone has been a police officer in Chicago for many years and has not as yet decided whether he will remain with us and become a Nestucca valley dairyman or not. Mr. Stone appears to us as a very reasonable gentleman and should be able to remain here we bespeak for him success.
 That Garrett Ward ever developed a bellicose attitude is news quite unheard of in this end of the county and we are also prone to believe that he ever feared being attacked by enemies. However, notwithstanding all these facts and beliefs, a huge Mexican bolo, nicked and decorated, showing that it had seen many seasons of service, was brought to the Courier office as an exhibit of fact. One side of the handle contains a nicely carved totem pole, skull and cross bones, while the other side of the handle has the carefully engraved name of "G. H. Ward." The owner can have the property by calling at the Courier office and paying for this notice, which we have made sufficiently long to amount to something.

Notice
 The Oretown Cheese Company will receive sealed bids for building a dwelling house on its premises. Plans and specifications may be seen at the Nestucca Valley Bank. Bids must be in by March 4. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Send bids to Ole B. Redberg Sec'y Oretown, Oregon.

Korenik's and Robert's STOCK REMEDIES

Do you know that we carry two of the best lines of already prepared Stock Remedies?
 If your stock is suffering from some ailment, in which a prepared remedy will give relief, you will find in these two lines a remedy that can be depended upon. We have sold these remedies for several years and can recommend them to be reliable remedies.
 Now is the season when you need to watch your stock, especially cows. Don't wait till they get down but begin now to give them this attention. A small package of tonic given now will yield you greater returns later.
 When in doubt about your stock, come in and let us help you.

WM. A. HIGH,
 Druggist and Stationer
CLOVERDALE, OREGON

WOODS ITEMS.

Miss Shaw was a recent visitor to Tillamook, while there she had some needed dental work attended to.
 Mr. Fisher's family is down with the measles.
 Dan Miller's little boy was severely kicked by a colt while playing near his home, Wednesday. Dr. Shearer was immediately called and took some stitches to close the cut in the face. The next day he was taken to the hospital. But at this writing he is much improved.
 The present bad weather is causing delay in the mill work, at Pacific City.
 Mabel, Grace, and Percis Edmunds are spending a few days in Portland.
 Mr. Beals has sent several masons, to rush the completion of the large boiler, which he is setting up at the mill.
 A. C. Deuel was a Tillamook visitor Saturday.

The mission service was well attended Sunday night.
 Mrs. Kennedy, wife of Mr. Kennedy, who has charge of the lumber yard at the Pacific City mill and incidentally authority on a roylane lumber, came to Pacific City Sunday, where they may make their home. Their youngest son has recently joined the navy.
 Mr. Lindley who took Mr. Fisher's place the fore part of the year has decided that the cow business in Oregon isn't in his line, and will soon be leaving us. The continued rain the last few weeks was enough to discourage almost any tender foot.

Fourth-Class Postmaster Examination.
 The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Tillamook, Oregon, on March 9, 1918, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Cloverdale, Oregon, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$935, for the last fiscal year.
 Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at eighteen years, women eighteen years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted.
 Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.
 The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.
 Application blanks, Form 1753, and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.
 Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington, D. C., at the earliest practicable date.

Heifers Wanted.
 Would like to buy several heifers that have been bred. If you have one or half dozen phone me.
 H. E. Hornschuch,
 Castle Rock Ranch.

For Sale at a Bargain.
 Lots 9 and 10, Block 6, Altona Park, Portland, on 72d street, within three blocks of Tremont Station. The best street car service in the city. Lots are improved and some outbuildings. Concrete walks, hard surface roads, street well lighted. Was bought for a home. Goes at less than half price.
 Or will sell good 4-room cottage and corner lot. Will guarantee renter. A bargain for someone.
 One Fairbanks-Morse 7 1/2 h. p. engine Bosch Magneto—all good as new and at a great sacrifice. Business reverses make sales imperative. Write or phone Montgomery, Woods, Oregon.

Announcement.
 To the Voters of Tillamook County:
 I beg to announce that I will be a candidate for County Commissioner for the south end of the county on the Republican ticket at the next primary election.
 Ole B. Redberg.

For Sale at a Bargain.
 A John Deere Plow, new last year, extra share and cutter. This plow is in as good condition as a new plow. Will sell for \$20; worth \$35.
 Geo. Bodyfelt, Beaver.

Bids Wanted for Hauling.
 Bids will be received by the Oretown Cheese Company for hauling cheese from the factory to Tillamook and hauling back supplies. Bids to be left with Ole B. Redberg, Oretown, Oregon, on or before March 2nd, 1918. Company reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A Good Position.
 Number of young men and women wanted to prepare for telegraph and station service caused by unusual drafting of men for the Signal Corps. Positions paying from \$75 to \$90 per month. Write Telegraph Dep't, room 218 Railway Exchange Bldg, Portland, Oregon.

Announcement
 I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination on the Republican Ticket for County Commissioner, to be voted on at the nominating convention to be held in May, 1918.
 If nominated and elected I promise to the best of my ability all efforts for the development and advancement of Tillamook County.
 Believing myself perfectly competent to administer the office I place my candidacy before the voters for their suffrage.
 Yours truly,
 D. A. Baily.

Money to loan—The Pacific Building and Loan Association has an agent here. Enquire at the office of Taylor Real Estate Agency.
 Have your buildings insured. See Taylor at Cloverdale.

Leland B. Erwin
PIANO INSTRUCTION
 Diploma from the Chicago Musical College
 Will be in Cloverdale on Thursday of each week.
 Those desiring to take lessons please engage a lesson period now. Leave word at the Cloverdale Hotel or write me at Tillamook.
Terms \$1.00 Per Lesson.

BIG SHOE SALE

We have inaugurated a gigantic money-saving Shoe Sale. Here is a sample of the many bargains to be had:

- \$2.00 Men's and Ladies House Slippers while they last, 55c.
- Ladies' Shoes, 3.50 to 4.50 value . . 1.95
- Men's Shoes, 5.50 values, 3.15
- Children's Shoes, \$2.50 to \$4.00 values 1.95
- Rubber Boots, \$5.50 Value 3.70
- Rubber Shoes Value, \$3.50 2.25

Cloverdale Mercantile Co. Inc.

CLOVERDALE GARAGE

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 Our Motto is: "SERVICE"

What we haven't got in automobile accessories we will get. We are now remodeling the shop and equipping it for better service. We are going to give the best workmanship obtainable under present conditions. Work that is not satisfactory to our patrons, tell us, and we will make it right and if satisfactory tell others. We are now open for your business. We also do other odd jobs, in any line. We have one price which is standard throughout the state—will bid on and contract your jobs.

We are at your service 24 hours a day.
W. R. LETSON, Mgr.

Quality Counts

In every line of Merchandise, but none more especially than in
HARDWARE

Our large stock is in every instance the best that can be had and our aim will be to keep the high standard up.
Builders' Hardware, Tools
Shelf and Heavy Hardware
 Stoves, Ranges, Farm and Garden Tools

And everything usually kept in a first-class hardware store, and all goods are of the best quality.
Alex McNair & Co., Tillamook, Ore.

Tidy Shoes and Good Luck.
 The Australian natives knew nothing of shoes, and the natives of Africa are in the same box to this day. The Chinese make their shoes of wood and paper, and cannot remember when they began to make them. A Chinese shoe is warm in winter and cool in summer, and always easy to the foot.
 Superstition has busied herself greatly about shoes; but it is not worth while to cite all the silly sayings about them. There is no significance about the way people wear their shoes, either at heel, toe or side, although untidy footwear is doubtless some indication of carelessness. See that you have a comfortable shoe, keep it tidy, and bad luck will never bother you.