

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The old year died without a **Wick**.

Its life was simply done;
And now we have, all span and spick,
Young Nineteen Twenty-one.

Mrs. Marie Posvar of Portland arrived Monday for a short visit.

Mrs. Lily Harris left Wednesday for her home at LaGrande.

1921 is a youngster as yet but he can skunk his predecessor in handling the water sprinkler.

It is seldom that Thomas creek is held at a high stage for so long a period as it was last week.

E. C. Shelton has accepted a position in J. D. Densmore's feed store.

The high school juniors will repeat their play, "And Ted Came Home," Wednesday evening, January 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer White of Washougal, Wash., after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, left for their home Monday.

Dr. Clair Allen of Roseburg joined his wife at her home with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and spent the holidays there.

Henry Alvers and wife of Albany were guests of H. B. Iler and wife Monday.

Mrs. Clarence Pepper left Sunday for her home at Camas, Wash., after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shelton.

William Knauf and family, after spending the holidays here, left for their home in Camas Saturday.

Our back office is very quiet these days. Our foreman contracted a Marion county cold last week which causes his voice to be very mild. He is even past singing bass.

The city light and water collector should use itemized receipts so that patrons may know for what they are paying. If the user wants to verify meter readings he can't do so.

The class of 1919 gave a party at the domestic science room Thursday last. The 1921 seniors and alumni were invited.

Mrs. W. S. Mott of Salem arrived last Friday and is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. C. Brown. Mrs. Mott and Mrs. Brown are sisters.

The following are officers of the Sunday school for the year: A. L. Plummer, superintendent; E. C. Shelton, assistant superintendent; Mrs. H. B. Iler, pianist; Pauline Sims, chorister; Maysell Long, secretary.

Report of registrar district 56 of births and deaths for 1920: Births 56; deaths 22. A. G. PRILL.

Mrs. I. C. Arnold left for Gervais Saturday for a visit with her parents.

It's getting so an employer can't fire even his furnace without permission of a union.

Mrs. V. A. McKnight was pleasantly surprised last week when her children presented her with a birthday gift of a set of dining room chairs.

In a matrimonial race it is not easy to tell when a girl is on her last lap.

Mrs. John Wesely and Mrs. John L. Kelly entertained the 500 club at the Kelly home on Wednesday of last week.

The old fashioned man who could drink or let it alone is now letting it alone.

Pie Eater was in town Monday. He said his ax has not been returned so he bought a splitting sledge for the good wife to take her daily exercise with.

Every new home that is being built is a ring in the nose of the rent hog.

Jack Sprat could eat no fat,
His wife could eat no lean;
The reason for it all was that
They MUST have gasoline.

Prices may be down as stated, but we don't have to break our backs bending over to find them.

R. B. Anderson, representing the Alco Adjusting Bureau of Albany, was in town Monday soliciting business. This is a company which looks after bad debts generally. C. C. Bryant of Albany is general manager.

A man looks for a place to sit down; a woman for a mirror.

Mrs. M. Kelly has been in the local hospital several days receiving treatment. While not in a dangerous condition her condition is serious. Mike said he brought her to the infirmary so that she would have more careful attention by the physician.

News writers and politicians are wasting much time and gray matter in selecting a cabinet for President-elect Harding. The man who suits one bunch of them is objectionable to another bunch. Politicians may be having a lot of fun but one Warren G. Harding, of Ohio, will have something to say about the matter on March 4th, which may and probably will, upset all their calculations.

President, O. EICHINGER

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Prices for week ending January 15, 1921.

Golden Pheasant Flour	\$2.10	Olympic Hard Wheat Flour	\$2.75
Graham Flour	2.10	Wheat Hearts, 10s	.80
Rye Flour	2.75	Pancake Flour	.75
Corn	2.35	Corn Meal, per B.	.05
Corn, cracked or ground	2.40	Alfalfa Meal	2.00
Mill run, 80s	1.75	Alfalfa and Molasses	2.20
Bran, 100s	1.95	Scratch Feed	3.75
Wheat Chop	3.25	Egg Maker	3.75
Oat Chop	1.40	Cocunut Meal	2.25
		Oil Meal	3.90

The old woman used to live in a shoe, but John Barleycorn has to get along in a bootleg.

Water two feet deep ran down Sea-side streets Friday when the surf, whipped by a 30-mile gale, dashed over the board walk and swept through part of the business section.

There were two fatalities due to industrial accidents in Oregon in the week ended December 23, according to a report issued by the state industrial accident commission. The victims were S. M. Thies, miner, of Bourne, and Joseph M. Fitzgerald, laborer, of Salem. A total of 456 accidents were reported.

A squash so large that many people refused to believe it a real vegetable but thought it was an imitation made of paper has been on exhibition for several days in the window of Murphy's seed store in Albany. It weighs 181 pounds.

Two hundred phonographs are now in process of manufacture at the Cremona Phonograph company's plant at Albany. Materials are on the way to Albany that will keep the plant operating at the rate of 15 finished cabinets a day.

The Talent irrigation district has filed with the state engineer application for certification of bonds in the sum of \$22,000, to be used for the purchase of additional land in connection with installation of what will be known as the Emigrant reservoir, near Ashland.

Regus river dairymen won highest honors in the Oregon Cow Testing association as the result of tests made during November, according to results which have just been given out. That district also led others with 35 cows yielding above 40 pounds of butter fat for the month.

Because of the wave of crime over the entire country and of the recent burglaries and attempted burglaries and much petty thieving, the Medford city council has added another policeman to the night force, and lights have been placed in all the alleys throughout the business district.

Declaring in their complaint that Union county financially is unable to proceed with road work, that road funds are at low ebb, and that the road conditions should remain as they are until labor and materials are cheaper, William R. Jasper and Walter M. Pierce have enjoined the Union county court from contracting two pieces of road, advertised, from the Iowa school house to Island City, and from Island City to Cove. The distance covered amounts to about 20 miles.

L. E. Bean of Eugene, who recently returned from Washington, D. C., where he went several weeks ago in the interests of the Chamberlain road bill, designed to aid the public land states of the west in building highways, has received a telegram from Representative McArthur stating he had received assurance from Chairman Mondell of the house committee on public highways and other house leaders that legislation providing for appropriations similar to those called for in the Chamberlain bill undoubtedly will be passed in the house.

To promote pure-bred livestock raising, Klamath Falls banks are offering inducements to communities making the best showing. The First National bank has offered a high-class registered bull to the district that first bids itself of all scrub aires and replaces them with purebreds. The First State & Savings bank promises a registered buck of standard breed to the district putting in the greatest number of registered ewes in 1921. To encourage hog culture the Klamath State bank will give a registered boar to the district in which the largest number of registered sows are placed during the next year, and the American National bank, to promote the grading up of dairy herds, offers a high-grade bull to the district making the best dairying record in 1921.

When a man or woman acquires the name of "deadbeat" he or she has done him or herself an injury which will last through life unless a change for the better is made.

Don't beat your merchant; if you do you simply make your neighbors pay your store bills for the merchant must tax up your neglect as costs, which honest people who pay their bills in spot cash, must pay. It is but little trouble to be honest if you form the habit.

A crew of railroad surveyors has been working quietly for several weeks in the eastern part of Lin county for what is said to be a logging road into the timber belt on the upper Crabtree river. The survey started near the town of Crabtree, a station of the Woodburn-Springfield branch of the Southern Pacific, and extends easterly for a distance of 20 miles into the fine belt of timber owned largely by the Hammond Lumber company.

Twenty house bills passed by the legislature at its special session last January and later vetoed by Governor Olcott, and one bill enacted into a law at the regular legislative assembly in 1919 and vetoed by the late Governor Withycombe, will be submitted for consideration of the 1921 legislature when it convenes at Salem January 10. Eleven of these house bills which met disapproval at the hands of Governor Olcott had for their purpose the designation and location of state highways and post roads, while the remaining nine bills had to do with various subjects of state and county government.

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