

EGGS! EGGS! EGGS!

About 2000 doz. eggs came to town last Saturday. I was paying 14c per dozen for them and some people thought I was paying too much, but I had a market for them and knew just how much I was going to get for them.

LOCAL NEWS.

Roy Fink has suffered severely the past week from facial neuralgia. See the stay on barn door hanger at Mitchell Lewis & Staver's.

Oliver Hallett left on Saturday for the Klondike country. John Jameson of LaGrande is looking over Yamhill county as a place to locate.

Photo mounts cut to any size you wish at this office, and for sale cheaper than the cheapest.

Sidney Root of West Chehalis is suing for a divorce from Mary Root, formerly Mrs. Mary Jewell.

I have money to loan on farm property at good terms. Parties wishing to borrow, call and see me.

The Odd Fellows of this county will celebrate the anniversary of the order, April 26th, for the first time for several years.

There's a tiger loose in town. A "snap shot" may be seen and full particulars learned by calling at Grange & Farmers store.

Hon. W. J. McConnell, ex-congressman from Idaho, and now U. S. Indian inspector, was up to Grand Ronde agency last week, and stopped in this city over Friday night.

Have you heard the latest? A big line of those famous Star 5 Star shoes in ladies' men's and children's.

The teachers' meeting advertised to be held at Lafayette on tomorrow, March 30th, has been indefinitely postponed.

At the poverty social in the Baptist church Friday night, to which the general public is invited, such fines as the following will be imposed upon those indulging in extravagance:

Week ending March 27. Mary L. Hess to W. R. Carter 93 1/2, a pt Jos Hess d 1 c. \$2812.50

Jno W. Webber and wf to J. P. Howe lot 3 Macy's 1st add to Dayton. 450

E. F. Sutherland and wf to Joseph Barlow lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 blk 7 Chandler's 2d add to McMinnville. 1000

Amer. Mtg. Co of Scotland to J. A. Campbell 129.64 a t 5 r 4. 1000

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Wire fence at the Fence Works. Star 5 Star shoes at the Racket Store. St. Charles store. N. E. Kegg, Prop.

The Reporter and Weekly Oregonian one year for \$2, strictly in advance. Bicycles from \$17.50 up, at Mitchell, Lewis & Staver's.

Rogers Bros. Poison oak cure. No cure, no pay. 50 cents. N. E. Kegg or St. Charles store, just the same.

Thomas Prince & Son of Dundee will ship five carloads of prunes to eastern markets this week.

N. E. Kegg has two sides, one inside and one outside, but no baits given, or any deception. Plain, open, fair dealing.

W. S. Houck is building quite a large addition to his residence in the Martin addition.

John Redmond, the Oregon vice-president of the American Berkshire association, shipped a fine Berkshire sow to a citizen of Athens, Or., on Tuesday.

The wood air tight heater will save the price of a stove in one year. Hodson sells them.

John H. Harris, the photographer, has gone to eastern Oregon. He leaves the field to Grinnold, who can swing all the business with ease.

O. O. Hodson, now visiting at Muncie, Ind., attended the funeral of ex-President Harrison, and saw the distinguished men of national reputation who were present.

Mrs. J. W. Goheen and two daughters left on Tuesday for Winchester, Idaho, where they will remain until summer, when they expect to go to Dawson City, where Mr. Goheen has property interests.

You no doubt have heard of the reputation of N. E. Kegg and his famous blended coffee.

R. P. Ungerman, while standing on a stove at Wade's store, had the misfortune to lose his footing, and the resultant fall gave him such a lame back that he has since been unable to attend to business regularly.

Full line of field and garden seeds at the produce market of C. F. Daniels, sold as cheap as they can be purchased anywhere in the valley.

The bid of John Berry for furnishing school district No. 40 with 25 cords of fir wood at \$2.25 per cord was accepted by the school board, and the time for submitting bids for the oak wood was extended ten days.

Fire wiped out the entire business center of Yaquina City on Tuesday morning. The origin of the fire is somewhat involved in mystery. It spread with alarming rapidity, however, and the volunteer fire department being unable to cope with it, everything in its path had to go.

The only business house left standing in the town is that of Lugg & Pruett. The loss will run up into the thousands.

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U. S. to Wm Allen 326.33 a secs 34 and 35-5-4. Pat

Owen Bogue to C. B. Lafollette lots 1 to 6 inclusive blk 4 Gardiner's add to Sheridan. 60

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh.

Practical Method of Raising Clover. LAFAYETTE, Or., March 25, 1901. TO THE EDITOR: I have repeated inquiries as to my manner of sowing clover, which is not as Dr. Withycombe of the O. A. C. recommends.

This is the way to raise clover anywhere, and strong enough to do away with pink and wild oats if the pasturing is done well.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

The following disposition was made of the cases in circuit court, department No. 1, Judge Burnett presiding:

1. John Hughes vs Mary A Klyver; action for money. Carson & Conner for plff, Irvine & Vinton for deft. Settled.

2. Edgar Poppleton vs Geo W Jones & Co; action for money. W A Cleland for plff, Irvine & Vinton for deft. Judgment for plff as prayed for in complaint.

3. Gertrude J Denny vs W. W. Smith; action to recover personal property. Mitchell & Tanner for plff, Irvine & Vinton for deft. Settled.

4. A Bush et al vs W O Ralston; action for money. Geo G Bingham for plff. Dismissed; non suit by plff.

5. S A Manning vs Wm B and Mary E Turner; action for money. R L Conner for plff. Default and judgment.

6. F J Lehold vs James Mitchell; action for money. Irvine & Vinton for plff. Default and judgment; with order to sell attached property.

7. State of Oregon vs Carl Walters; destroying personal property. J. N. Hart for plff. Dismissed.

8. C F Daniels vs G D Flesher et al; action for money. Irvine & Vinton for plff. Default and judgment, with order to sell attached property.

9. State of Oregon vs J. A. Reid; misdemeanor. J. N. Hart for plff. Continued; defendant sick.

10. Iri Orton vs Oliver U Orton; action for money. R L Conner for plff, Jno J Spencer for deft. Continued.

11. L F Hall vs T Barrell et al; action for damages. Jno J Spencer for plff, Price & Price for deft. Verdict for defendants.

12. R Jacobson vs Chas McPhillips; action for money. Irvine & Vinton for plff. Settled.

13. F W Spencer vs Gertrude J Denny; action for money. Irvine & Vinton for plff. Settled as per stipulation.

14. The Northwest Gun & Bicycle Co. vs J F Hibbs & L D Fink; action for money. R L Conner for plff. Settled.

15. M M Vinton vs Frank Melotte and P C Melotte; action for money. Irvine & Vinton for plff. Demurrer overruled. Jury trial. Verdict for plff against Frank Melotte for \$348.

16. State of Oregon vs Guy Young, Ralph and Morris Heacock; larceny in a dwelling. J N Hart for plff. Dismissed.

17. R M Wade & Co vs L S Morin and Chas Starr; action for money. Rhodes & Rhodes for plff. Continued for service.

18. State of Oregon vs John Doe; burglary. J N Hart for plff. Dismissed.

19. State of Oregon vs Percy Losey; indecent exposure. J N Hart for plff. Dismissed.

20. Plano Mfg Co vs Thos W Perry; action for money. R L Conner for plff. Default; sale of property ordered.

21. Northwest Gun & Bicycle Co vs M G Stonebrink; action for money. R L Conner for plff. Petition in bankruptcy. Non suit by plff.

22. State of Oregon vs I B Osborne; assault. J N Hart for plff. Dismissed.

23. State of Oregon vs J A Reid; practicing dentistry without license. J N Hart for plff. Continued.

State of Oregon vs J F Vance; larceny in a dwelling. Plea of guilty, and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. State to recover costs.

John Jones vs Gertrude J Denny; action for money. Jury trial. Verdict for plff for \$77.05.

Advertisement for E. W. Groves' Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets.

Advertisement for Farm for rent—120 acres, near Month. Enquire at this office. 134f

Advertisement for Advertiser Letters.

Advertisement for Shiloh's Consumption Cure.

Advertisement for Shiloh's Consumption Cure (continued).

A Letter From Far Off Maine.

NORTH CHESTERVILLE, Me., March 16, 1901.

EDITORS REPORTER: It may surprise the readers of your paper to see an article written so far away in the east—New England, state of Maine, where the great Atlantic ocean, with its waves of foaming water, lashes the rough and rock-bound coast, as though it would move the mighty rocks from their silent place, and the breaking of the waves is almost deafening as they are resisted by the rugged rocks.

I will give a sketch of the past summer and winter up to the present writing. The summer was very dry, and crops were not an average. Hay, the principal crop, was almost a failure, in some parts of the state being so scarce that it sold for from \$15 to \$18 per ton.

Many farmers sold their milk cows at a loss of \$5 to \$15 per head, and other stock except beef, which retails from 8c to 45c per pound, making beef a luxury for the poor, who work for \$1.25 per day to support their families and pay their rents.

Dairying is the principal business on the farms here. About all the profit in dairying is made during the summer months, as the winter requires feed of hay and grain. It takes about all the profit to pay for the grain, which is bought in the west, and one has to feed six months out of the year, so the western farmer has a much better chance to make money dairying in the west.

The apple crop is the next chance for the eastern farmer, if the caterpillars do not destroy them as in 1898-9. Many orchards after the caterpillars had passed through them, looked as if a fire had dried the leaves. They also destroyed most of the bloom buds, so that about all the apples raised the past year were on orchards where the farmers had fought off the caterpillars with a preparation of lime, blue vitriol and paris green, mixed with water for a spray.

The corn crop was not very good. Some farmers raise yellow corn for feed and some raise sweet corn. For the latter the farmers get 2 1/2c per pound when cut from the cob ready for the can. The ears being small, the farmers did not get very much out of the sweet corn crop the past year.

Farmers raise vegetables enough for their family use, and a few potatoes for sale. There are but few acres of oats grown. A farmer who sows five acres thinks he has a large crop, and to hear him talk of his five acre crop is equal to a western farmer harvesting one hundred acres.

The machinery used consists of a two-horse mower, a horse rake and a two-horse tread threshing machine. Threshing is done during the later part of October, as the grain when cured is hauled into the barn. This brings the threshing in the first of the winter.

Sept. 17th occurred the first frost, which killed the cornstalks, also the leaves on the trees, changing them from their green to all colors of the rainbow, which made fall the beautiful season of the year. During the summer there were many thunder storms, also two thunder storms followed with wind and hail.

The first was on the 27th of June, causing a great deal of damage to the light apple crop that was in its path, knocking off many of the green apples and bruising many so that they were not perfect, also knocking out hundreds of window lights.

Oct. 5th there was another thunder storm accompanied by a heavy wind and hail storm, which caused much damage to houses and barns and orchards that happened to be in its path.

Oct. 17th the first snow fell, but did not last for many hours. Then there was a month of real autumn weather. On Nov. 19th snow fell to the depth of eight inches, the ground being frozen a little, making good sleighing ever since, up to the date of this letter.

There have been 36 snow storms to date, and at present there are from three to eight feet of snow on the ground, and it looks now as if winter had just begun. During December, January and February the thermometer never went up but twice above freezing, and was as low as 28 degrees below zero on Feb. 22d. March 7th it was 22 degrees below zero, and since then the days have begun to grow warmer.

In the middle of the roads there is three to four feet of solid snow, which will make good sleighing up to the first of May unless there is an unusual fall of warm rain. The rivers and lakes are covered with ice 18 inches to two feet thick. If a warm rain comes and raises the river and breaks the ice loose and starts it out of the streams it will cause many thousand dollars damage to bridges and other property.

The oldest inhabitants claim that this is the worst winter for seventy-five years. It is hard to make the yanks believe that there are green fields of wheat in Oregon, and that the farmers are plowing for their spring sowing.

Business here is just about the same as it has been for the past three years. Prices: Wheat, \$1.25 per bushel; flour, \$4.75 per barrel; butter, 20c per pound; eggs, 16c per dozen; dressed pork, 6 1/2c per pound; apples, \$3 per barrel.

Since November election, the prohibitionists have been making times lively for the liquor dealers, raids being made and the liquor poured out. What Maine needs is a few hundred women like Mrs. Nation to use the hatchet, to open the liquor, and enforce the prohibition law which is on the Maine statute book, and which is so good enough if enforced.

Lawyer gets drunk, takes buggy and horse that is not his, and drives at a two-

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Don't Know It.

How To Find Out. Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours;



sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; if it stains your linen it is evidence of kidney trouble; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

What to Do. There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy fulfills every wish in curing rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage.

It corrects inability to hold water and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to go often during the day, and to get up many times during the night. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists in 50c. and \$1. sizes. You may have a sample bottle of this wonderful discovery and a book that tells more about it, both sent absolutely free by mail.

Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Home of Swamp-Root, Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper.

SOUTH AND EAST VIA SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY The Shasta Route. Trains leave McMinnville for Portland and way stations at 5:38 a. m., and 3:06 p. m.

Leave Portland 8:30 a. m. 7:00 p. m. Leave Albany 12:30 p. m. 10:50 p. m. Arrive at Ashland 12:33 a. m. 11:30 a. m. Sacramento 5:00 p. m. 4:35 a. m. San Francisco 7:45 p. m. 8:15 a. m.

Ogden 5:45 a. m. 11:45 a. m. Denver 12:30 p. m. 10:50 p. m. Kansas City 7:25 a. m. 7:25 a. m. Chicago 7:45 a. m. 9:30 a. m. Los Angeles 1:20 p. m. 7:00 a. m. El Paso 6:00 p. m. 6:00 p. m. Fort Worth 6:30 a. m. 6:30 a. m. City of Mexico 9:55 a. m. 9:55 a. m. Houston 4:00 a. m. 4:00 a. m. New Orleans 6:20 p. m. 6:20 p. m. Washington 6:42 a. m. 6:42 a. m. New York 12:43 p. m. 12:43 p. m.

Pullman and Tourist cars on both trains. Chair cars Sacramento to Ogden and El Paso, and Tourist cars to Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and Washington.

Connecting at San Francisco with several steamship lines for Honolulu, Japan, China, Philippines, Central and South America. See MR. A. S. PENCE, agent at McMinnville station, or address C. H. MARKHAM, Gen. Passenger Agent, Portland, Or.

BEHNKE'S COMMERCIAL COLLEGE PORTLAND, OREGON. The only exclusively PRINCE SHORTHAND School in the Northwest; offers unexcelled facilities for learning this system, either personally or by mail.

Nasal CATARRH. In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Creem Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

twenty gait, tips the buggy over, horse gets away, lawyer gets dumped out, receives a bruised head, sells the buggy. The owner of the buggy proves his property and the lawyer goes free. That is prohibition here in the hills of Maine. C. A. BERRY.

Stops the Cough and Works Off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

The Finest Service to the East and South. The O. R. & N. Co., in connection with the Oregon Short Line and Southern Pacific, offers the finest service and fastest time to Salt Lake, Denver, Kansas City, Omaha, St. Paul, St. Louis, Chicago, and all points east.

Three trains daily from Portland, with choice of many different routes. Palace and tourist sleepers, library, dining and chair cars on all trains. Write A. L. Craig, G. P. A., O. R. & N. Co., Portland, Oregon, for particulars. Gap Closed. The operation of through trains between San Francisco and Los Angeles, via Surf and Santa Barbara, will begin on Sunday, March 31, 1901, on the new Coast line. Two through trains daily. The Coast Line Limited leaving each terminal in the morning, equipped with elegant cafe and parlor cars, will make daylight trips through the most picturesque, varied and entertaining scenes on the continent. Inquire of agents of the Southern Pacific.

Pity and Beauty

The most beautiful thing in the world is the baby, all dimples and joy. The most pitiful thing is that same baby, thin and in pain. And the mother does not know that a little fat makes all the difference.

Dimples and joy have gone, and left hollows and fear; the fat, that was comfort and color and curve—all but pity and love—is gone. The little one gets no fat from her food. There is something wrong; it is either her food or food-mill. She has had no fat for weeks; is living on what she had stored in that plump little body of hers; and that is gone. She is starving for fat; it is death, be quick!

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the fat she can take; it will save her.

The genuine has this picture on it, take no other. If you have not tried it, send for free sample, its agreeable taste will surprise you. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, N. Y., 409 Pearl St., 50c. and \$1.00 all druggists.



My stock of harness, goods and fixtures. If I do not sell before the 10th of April, entire stock will be sold at auction by the piece to the highest bidder. Auction will be held once or twice a week until entire stock is sold. Stock will be replenished when necessary to sell all. Reason for selling is ill health. Will go east. A. D. HOSKINS.

Card of Thanks. To the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement, we extend our heartfelt thanks. WM. MERCHANT.

Probate Court. Guardianship of Elsie A and Guy A Young, minors. Bond filed and approved.

An Honest Medicine for LaGrippe. George W. Waitt, of South Gardiner, Me., says: "I have had the worst cough, cold, chills and grip and have taken lots of trash of no account but profit to the vendor. Chamberlain's cough remedy is the only thing that has done any good whatever. I have used one bottle of it and the chills, cold and grip have all left me. I congratulate the manufacturers of an honest medicine." For sale by Howorth.

Licenses to Marry. March 19—Clyde LaFollette, 24, and Luella M. Nash, 21, of Wheatland. Married by Rev C. C. Bell. March 20—Elan K. Shaw, 22, and Iva E. Perkins, 19, of Newberg. Married by J. M. Wright, J. P. March 22—James D. Derby, 26, and Flora N. Hutchens, 21, of McMinnville. Married by Rev. Geo. W. Fender. March 26—Geo. W. Bennett, 21, of Cowitz Co., Wash., and Stella P. Powell, 19, of this county. March 27—Wm Wyrick, 32, of Mason county, Wash., and Minnie V. Postle, 20, of this county.

Mrs. C. E. Van Deusen, of Kilbourn, Wis., was afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation for a long time. She says, "I have tried many preparations but none have done me the good that