

LOCAL NEWS.

A reception will be given by the W. C. T. U. in honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. McComb in the M. E. church this evening.

James Clarke Tolman, a pioneer settler of Southern Oregon, died at his home in Ashland on the 14th inst., aged 89 years.

We are reliably informed that a gentleman by the name of Carl C. Haber of Los Angeles will soon arrive here to establish a cigar factory.

John Hale, the well known railroad contractor, who directed the work of tunneling the Siskiyou mountains, died at Portland on the 15th inst.

The Lake County Land and Livestock company has been organized and incorporated in Lake county, Oregon, with W. P. Heryford and F. M. Miller being the incorporators.

The men charged with complicity in the lynching at Lookout, Modoc county, have been released from custody, and thus the state's effort to punish any of the offenders doubtless ends.

Ashland Tidings: Miss Lizzie Moreland, who is attending the State University at Eugene, returned to Ashland, Wednesday, and will leave in a few days for Klamath county, where she will teach a term of school.

Lakeview Examiner: Louis Gerber, the stock buyer of Klamath county, arrived here last week and went north to buy cattle and sheep. He will extend his trip to Prineville and expects to make some large purchases.

The Medford Mail reports that J. W. Cox returned there last week from Klamath Falls where he went after beef cattle. He brought twenty-eight head of 2 and 3-year-old steers, one of which weighed 1740 pounds.

Ashland Tidings: A construction force of 100 men is being employed on the Klamath River R. R. and the work of grading from Laird's, south of Klamath, has been completed to a point near Bogus creek in Siskiyou county.

The young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Owens of Willow Ranch, Lake county, was recently bitten on the face and neck by a vicious dog. The attending physician thinks the child will recover, but will retain some scars.

In view of his nomination for county clerk, A. Castel will on the 31st inst., send to the department at Washington with his quarterly report his resignation of the post office at this place, the same to take effect as soon as possible.

H. C. Messenger who shot J. P. Gattion near Ashland, resulting fatally, is held at Jacksonville in default of bail to answer to a charge of murder. Circuit court began there the fore part of this week and Messenger will probably be tried.

Owing to bad roads Presiding Elder Summerville was unable to fill his appointment at Ft. Klamath Sunday and instead accompanied Rev. Harbit to Peard to hold services. Yesterday morning he boarded the stage for Lakeview. He will also visit Paisley before returning.

A car load of wire and tools has arrived in Ashland to be used in the construction of the telephone line from that point to Klamath Falls and Lakeview. O. B. Gates, son of H. V. Gates, chief promoter of the enterprise, has also arrived in Ashland to superintend the work, which it is expected will commence without delay.

We learn that a new building, 22 by 70 feet in size, is to be erected at the Agency for the Klamath boarding school, for carpenter shop, gymnasium, band room, etc. The building is to be furnished in up-to-date style. Capt. Applegate has lately been in town investigating the chances to get brick, lime and other materials, so as to commence the construction of the building without delay.

We are informed by Capt. O. C. Applegate that he expects by the middle of April to resume work on the Modoc Point ditch with a force of forty or fifty men. He states that it is the purpose of the Department to employ Indians in the work as far as they can be made available. Only white men are to be employed where technical knowledge is required in engineering, blasting, etc.

Maj. C. E. Worden's dwelling had a narrow escape from destruction by fire Saturday afternoon. Woodwork beneath the floor was discovered burning by the family and an alarm sounded. Those on the ground first succeeded in extinguishing the flames before the hose cart arrived. The family cannot account for the origin of the fire. They think it may have been started from rats and matches. Fortunately the damage was light.

People interested in the success of the proposed new ditch to tap Upper

Klamath lake should remember and attend the meeting, called for the purpose of further promoting the enterprise, at Merrill, April 10. It is expected that important and decisive steps will be taken at that time, and the undertaking means so much for the future development and prosperity of the county that no property owner can afford to regard it with indifference.

Smallpox in a virulent form is reported to have appeared in an Indian camp near Lakeview and the authorities there have adopted stringent measures to effect a quarantine and prevent the disease from spreading. Capt. O. C. Applegate, U. S. Indian agent, has received a letter signed by Drs. Daily and Steiner of Lakeview, and the following extract from it will be of general interest: "Smallpox has broken out among the Indians at this place. There is only one case yet, but it is quite severe. Dr. R. E. L. Steiner and myself have established a strict quarantine and also detention camp, where all who have been exposed are detained. All Indians have been vaccinated, and every effort shall be made to promptly and thoroughly stamp out the disease."

Fred Moore arrived here last Friday on his return from San Francisco with four dramatic performers who have joined his company. They are: Miss Birdie Diamond and Messrs. Maurice Hyde, Roy Stoddard and Senor Carlos Ricardo. They were met at Ager by H. P. Galarneau, Maurice Ethier, brother of Mrs. Fred Moore, arrived Monday to join the company in the capacity of advance agent. Ricardo is a Filipino and is a musician of rare skill. The other additions to the company are dramatic artists of a high order. Altogether Mr. and Mrs. Moore have a strong company, which also includes Mr. and Mrs. Galarneau of this place, and their many friends here wish them the good luck and success which their efforts will deserve. They have surrounded themselves with people who are ladies and gentlemen as well as skilled artists, and will endeavor to win respect and patronage by genuine merit. Their initial entertainments will be given here and the people of Klamath Falls and vicinity should give them a big send-off in the shape of a packed house on every night of their engagement.

The return of a political campaign reminds O. A. Stearns of an experience which he had thirty-six years ago. It was in 1866, when he was a soldier stationed at Fort Klamath. The county convention had been called to meet at Jacksonville and Mr. Stearns was selected to represent the territory east of the Cascades, then belonging to Jackson county. Accordingly, he was granted a twenty days' furlough in which to perform the service. For the trip he was denied the use of any of the horses in the government service and had to accept the proffer of a decrepit, feeble pony, on which he determined to make the start at least. After wading through snow, mud and slush for nine days, the destination was reached, and Mr. Stearns was on time to participate in the convention. He left the pony on the western slope of the mountains to recuperate, and made the return trip on a mule, which belonged to the government and which he had been requested to conduct to the Fort. But for its utility to him, he says he would not have disturbed the long-eared animal in its Rogue river lodging. He reached the Fort two days before the expiration of his furlough, and was glad he did not have to repeat the experience.

PERSONAL.

Wash Obenchain was in from Bly last week.

J. B. Baldwin arrived from Portland Sunday.

C. W. Hayes of Portland has been here this week.

L. D. Bum of Bonanza has been here this week.

Geo. A. Frame of Ager was a Falls visitor this week.

Jno. P. Hazen of Poe Valley was a Falls visitor Monday.

Geo. T. Baldwin made a business trip to Merrill Friday.

T. Bradley was an arrival from San Francisco Monday.

Martin and Samuel Thompson of Bly were here Monday.

Mike Hartery was up from Merrill the latter part of last week.

N. S. Merrill of Merrill was a business visitor at the Falls Monday.

L. B. Adams arrived from Portland last Thursday on a visit to Klamath county.

C. A. Taylor of Tacoma and Jas. E. Page of Castle Rock were arrivals here Monday.

Following were among those registered at Hotel Linkville Friday: Chas. Paffee, Bly; Ed. Henry, Salem;

W. C. Dalton, Tule Lake; M. A. Eddy, Pukeema; O. A. Stearns and J. L. Padgett, Keno; D. Cronmiller, Ft. Klamath.

Mat and Michael Eigner of Merrill were at the Falls Monday proving up on homesteads.

J. L. Yaden, stage contractor, went to Ashland the fore part of this week.

E. R. Reames and wife arrived home last evening from their visit to California and Jackson county, Ore.

We understand that J. G. Pierce is viewing the Hopkins tract of timber this week with a prospective buyer.

Gilbert D. Brown of Crystal will begin teaching a term of school in the Butin district, Poe Valley, on the 31st inst.

Capt. O. C. Applegate of Klamath Agency has been a business visitor at Klamath Falls for several days of the past week.

C. Griffith, D. G. Brown, Ira Hansen, Gilbert D. Brown and D. A. McComb came down on the boat from Crystal last Friday, returning Sunday.

It is reported that J. L. Padgett of Keno and Jacob Pense of Jackson county have been granted original pensions of \$8 and \$12 per month respectively.

Medford Mail: Banker and Mrs. E. R. Reames, of Klamath Falls, were in Medford Monday and Tuesday upon a visit to J. F. White and family. They are now visiting Jacksonville relatives.

Ed. Martin of Merrill was in town Saturday. He was a strong candidate in the republican convention for assessor. He is a promising young man and it is safe to predict well for him in case of future aspirations.

Those registered at Hotel Linkville Saturday: G. W. Fish, Merrill; J. J. Haken, Dorris ranch; N. S. Merrill, Merrill; Frank J. Tetreau, Redding; G. W. Goodwin, San Francisco; C. T. Oliver and Fred Stukel, Merrill; W. F. Arant, Pine Grove; G. S. Farra, Bly.

According to reports, Arthur Benson, son of Judge H. L. Benson of Klamath Falls, has been appointed assistant to Judge J. J. Murphy, clerk of the supreme court of Oregon at Salem. This will be welcome news to many friends of the young man at this place.

AGENCY ITEMS.

Something new—more snow. Capt. O. C. Applegate returned from the Falls Monday evening.

Rev. Mr. Calme held services here Sunday evening, the 23rd inst.

Mr. Brisban, the missionary stationed at Williamson river, will take his departure April 1.

Presiding Elder T. D. Summerville was expected here last Sunday evening, but owing to bad roads he failed to come. He has announced that he will be with us April 22.

Miss Annie Applegate and her pupils of the Independent school are preparing interesting closing exercises, to be given in the assembly hall at this place Friday evening, March 28. All are cordially invited.

At a wrestling match a few days ago, C. V. Lowsley had his neck so badly twisted that it took several applications of hot water and soap(?) to get the kinks taken out.

There is some talk of organizing a cooking school for the benefit of our young men.

Mr. Sellwood who has been with us for the past two days, left today for the Marsh.

Mr. Howard's little daughter, Mary, died Monday morning after a lingering illness. The family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Little Jennie Applegate is suffering from an attack of tonsillitis.

Burton Cunningham made us a pleasant call last Saturday. He exhibited some fine photos of Crater lake, which are truly specimens of art.

TWO SHOES.

PROCEEDINGS OF REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

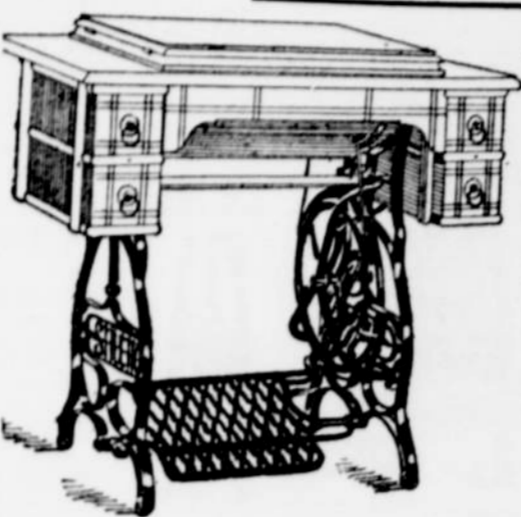
The republican county convention met Saturday morning at 10 o'clock and effected a temporary organization by electing Chas. Paffee of Bly chairman and Caleb Oliver of Merrill secretary. After committees on order of business, credentials and resolutions were chosen, adjournment was taken until 2 o'clock p. m.

On re-assembling in the afternoon, the temporary organization was made permanent. Following the report of committees, the nomination of a clerk came first in the order of business. For county clerk, A. Castel was nominated by acclamation.

J. W. Siemens was nominated for sheriff by acclamation. It required four ballots to settle the county judgeship, resulting in the nomination of L. F. Willits, the present incumbent. Ballots resulted as follows: First ballot: L. F. Willits, 15; J. O. Hamakar, 8; W. A. Wright, 9; E. W. Gowen, 5. Second ballot: Willits, 17; Hamakar, 4; Wright, 6; Gowen, 3. Third ballot:

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Willits, 19; Hamakar, 1; Wright, 9; Gowen, 9. Fourth ballot: Willits, 23; Wright, 6; Gowen, 10.

O. A. Stearns and H. L. Clopton were pitted against each other for commissioner, the ballot resulting in favor of Mr. Stearns, as follows: O. A. Stearns, 22; H. L. Clopton, 17.

For county treasurer, H. H. Van Valkenburg, the present incumbent, was nominated by acclamation.

There were three aspirants for the office of assessor, the ballot resulting in the nomination of Chas. Drew, Chas. Drew, 22; Ed. Martin, 11; Chas. Kester, 6.

The contest for county surveyor between W. B. Simpson and A. C. Lewis resulted in favor of the latter by the following ballot: A. C. Lewis, 25; W. B. Simpson, 14.

The following delegates to the state convention were chosen: C. E. DeLap, A. Kershner, W. F. Arant and H. F. Murdoch. They were also empowered to represent this county at the republican congressional convention.

Resolutions were offered and unanimously adopted indorsing Hon. Thos. H. Tongue for congressman, Hon. Chas. S. Moore for state treasurer and Hon. R. A. Emmitt for representative, and instructing the state delegation to act accordingly.

A. L. Leavitt was elected chairman of the county central committee and C. H. Withrow and R. A. Emmitt were chosen associate members.

MOORE'S COMEDIANS

Will open their season here, commencing Saturday night for three nights. The opening bill will be "A Woman's Bitter Attonement," a melodrama in five acts. This is a dramatization of Bertha M. Clay's story of the same name, and appeals to all. Running through the drama are three good comedy parts, affording ample opportunity for all to laugh to their heart's content. Mr. and Mrs. Moore played in the original production of "A Woman's Bitter Attonement" with the manager for whom the piece was written, and from him obtained the original manuscript and the right to produce the drama.

This is the first time the bill has ever been produced in the interior towns, and you will never see the play unless you see it produced by Moore's Comedians, as they have the sole western right to the play.

Between the acts entertaining specialties will be given. Miss Birdie Diamond is a clever song and dance artist, and makes a feature of German Yodler songs and wooden shoe dancing. She closed an engagement at Fisher's Concert Hall, San Francisco, just before joining this company. Senor Carlos Ricardo, the Filipino baritone, was secured direct

from an engagement at the Buffalo Exposition. Mr. Maurice Hyde, the leading and heavy man, and Mr. Roy Stoddard have just closed an engagement at the Central Theatre, San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Galarneau are too well known to need any comment.

No time or expense has been spared to make the company a strong one in every particular. Do not fail to see them Saturday night in "A Woman's Bitter Attonement." Tickets now on sale at Chitwood's drug store. Secure your seats at once, as they are going rapidly.

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The REPUBLICAN will be sent to the address of new subscribers in Klamath county until July 1, 1902, thus covering the political campaign and its results, for only 25 cents.

AT AND BELOW COST.

My stock of goods now located in the Duffy Co's store will be put upon sale Monday, March 24, at cost. I hope to dispose of the goods during the week. Ten to sixty per cent will be saved by coming early. Many goods will be sold much under cost.

T. H. MOORE.

COUNTY TICKET.

Clerk.....A. CASTEL  
Sheriff.....J. W. SIEMENS  
Treasurer.....H. H. VAN VALKENBURG  
County Judge.....L. F. WILLITS  
Assessor.....CHAS. DREW  
Commissioner.....O. A. STEARNS  
Surveyor.....A. C. LEWIS  
Coroner.....DR. F. D. REAMES

TOWN TREASURER'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the town treasury for the redemption of the following warrants, interest on same to cease from March 27, 1902: Nos. 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829.

J. W. SIEMENS, Town Treasurer.

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LOST.

Mrs. Blanche Griffith, who, with others, went to Lakeview early in January to make proof on a timber claim, lost a pocket-book, containing about \$50, while en route home.

There were \$35 in greenbacks, \$10 in gold and some silver. Finder will please leave the pocketbook and contents at this office or at the Griffith ranch at the Poplars on Upper Klamath lake. A liberal reward will be paid.