

LOCAL NEWS.

Judge Willis is improving his store front with a new coat of paint.

Moore's Comedians have been giving entertainments at Lakeview the past week.

The roads have been steadily improving of late and stages are making good time.

Geo. Bradley has added to his harness shop an attractive new sign, the work of Harry Weber.

Last Friday Wm. and E. W. Huse sold their 90-foot lot on Main street to R. A. Ross of Seattle.

C. A. Snell, who lives near Drain, has been convicted of shipping venison out of Oregon and fined \$25.

Mrs. Mary Dean Kilgore died at her home in Ashland Sunday morning, being aged 82 years and 6 months.

Capt. O. C. Applegate informs us that 100 men will soon begin work on the reservation roads and irrigating canal.

Smallpox patients at the Pickett ranch in upper Poe valley are reported convalescing.

Some Indians escaped from the quarantine camp near Lakeview last week, but were re-captured and placed under an increased guard.

Citizens of Medford have shown their enterprise by having printed 10,000 pamphlets descriptive of that town and the Rogue river valley.

A force of men are at work cleaning out the irrigating canal leading from the river northwest of here and water will be turned in by the 1st of May.

Ashland is to hold a special election April 28th to vote on the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of constructing a suitable sewerage system.

C. C. Maltby has commenced an excavation just east of his business house—a laudable undertaking and one that will improve the appearance of the street.

Every citizen in the county should qualify himself to vote at the coming election by registering between now and May 15, when registration books are closed.

Some thief smashed a window in Withers' store at Paisley on Sunday night of last week and entered and carried away some tobacco, a pair of shoes and other things.

Since the open season for trout began April 1, fishing in Klamath river has been an attractive sport and many fine strings of trout have been caught nearly every day.

Liveryman R. W. Marple arrived home Saturday from Ager where he accompanied Louis Gerber and wife of Lorella and E. J. Bauman of Bonanza, who went to Sacramento.

The general passenger agent of the Southern Pacific announces that he is certain more than 2000 new settlers will have found homes in Oregon south of Portland before the end of this month.

A deal was closed here Tuesday, by which something over 4000 acres of timber, situated northeast of Klamath Falls, passed into the hands of an Eastern capitalist.

The company, now constructing a railroad into Klamath county, has sent a request to Capt. O. C. Applegate for 100 Indians to work on the line, but we learn indirectly that such help will not be furnished.

Judge W. C. Hale, at one time a resident of Klamath Falls, now practicing law at Grants Pass, is the republican nominee for representative for Josephine county.

Boring for oil is in progress at Myrtle creek, Douglas county. The well is now down 300 feet and indications for striking oil are reported favorable.

The Baker City Daily Republican, according to the announcement of its editor, Edward E. Young, has suspended publication because of a lack of support.

Lakeview Examiner: S. V. Rehart has bought and shipped the iron pipe for the Lakeview Water Company's new system.

In the matter of the proposed big irrigating canal, everything has so far moved harmoniously, and that the project will go ahead with vigor and success there is no question.

Lake county is already in the throes of a lively and aggressive political campaign.

Among other things hatched there to agitate the public mind is complaint against Judge Tonningsen for maintaining

bed encouragement of every citizen. Remember the meeting to be held at Merrill on the 28th. It is important to all who are interested in this great undertaking, to attend without fail.

The citizens of Josephine county had an enthusiastic meeting at Grants Pass last week in the interest of a railroad proposed to be built from that town to Crescent City.

Latest reports regarding the condition of Ben Van Brimmer, who is under treatment in a hospital at Oakland, were very encouraging.

Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, the eminent Presbyterian clergyman, died at his residence in Washington, D. C., Saturday night last.

Local Odd Fellows are making elaborate preparations to celebrate on April 26, the anniversary of the origin of the order.

We are assured of a big influx of Swedes next month. As a class, the Swedes are industrious, frugal, practical and make good citizens generally.

Lakeview Examiner: The Nevada, California & Oregon railway ran a train up to the new terminus, Madeline, March 31st, and on April 1st started regular trains from there.

The eighth grade final examination for district No. 1, conducted by Superintendent DeLap, was held last week and the following students passed and received diplomas.

We are reliably informed that there are now 22 car loads of steel rails at Klamathon for the new railroad building this way.

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Attorneys Mills and Leavitt, Capt. J. W. Siemens and Sheriff Summers attended the ditch meeting at Merrill last Thursday.

For the past few days we have had the regular California brand of weather. Clear skies and warm sun, and no fogs to annoy.

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Hon. E. M. Brattain, register of

a strict quarantine of smallpox cases and thus preventing spread of the disease. He pursued exactly the right course and any neglect in that line would have deserved censure. His prompt and effective action in restricting smallpox is greatly to his credit and should and doubtless will have weight in securing his re-election. The expense incurred in establishing quarantines immediately on appearance of smallpox is merely nominal compared to what it would be were the disease to gain much headway before steps to quell it are taken.

A large and enthusiastic meeting in the interest of the Merrill Mutual Canal Company, which proposes to tap Upper Klamath lake at a cost of about \$150,000, was held at Merrill last Thursday and made gratifying progress. The company proposes to move slowly and carefully and establish the enterprise on a basis that is solid, practical and sure of success.

Half of the stock, amounting to \$75,000, has been subscribed and the other half is in sight. No man can take stock who does not own land to be watered by the proposed ditch and no man can take more shares than he has acres to be irrigated.

Each share costs \$5 and is backed by an irrigable acre. Thus the project is purely co-operative and bars any possible speculative schemes. Another meeting on the 28th inst. will be for the purpose of electing directors and completing the organization.

Surveying the proposed route and making the necessary estimates will cost \$1200 and occupy about a month's time. To get everything ready to begin the actual work of throwing dirt will probably take until some time next August.

It is a gigantic enterprise and will be more beneficial to the county than any other one thing.

Its success, the prospects for which could not be more favorable, means much to every business man and property owner in the county.

PERSONAL.

Spratt Wells of Bly was here this week.

John E. Malone of Yainax was here Sunday.

J. G. Walters of Medford arrived here Monday.

Hon. R. A. Emmitt was in from Pievna Monday.

Thos. McCormack of Keno was in town Tuesday.

W. T. Shives arrived from Fort Klamath yesterday.

J. F. Morrison of Bonanza was at this place Monday.

W. E. Spence of Rock creek has been here this week.

County Clerk Driscoll was at Ft. Klamath last Saturday.

W. E. Conner was in from his Swan lake ranch Tuesday.

F. J. McDermott of San Francisco arrived here yesterday.

Dr. Hemenway of Klamath Agency was a Falls visitor last week.

A. C. Griffith was down from Crystal the latter part of last week.

E. N. Colson and son were in Saturday from their Lost river ranch.

Winter Knight was an arrival here on the Ashland stage last evening.

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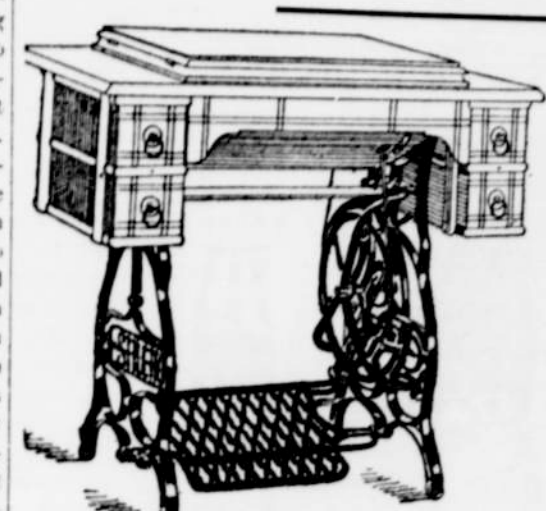
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Odd Fellows' Anniversary Celebration, Saturday, April 26, 1902.

Parade, 9:30 a. m., led by the band. Exercises at the opera house begin at 11 a. m. Music by the band. Prayer by the chaplain. Quartette. Address on Odd Fellowship by J. W. Bryant. Music by the band. Closing exercises. Afternoon dance commences at 2 p. m. Supper, 6 p. m. Dance commences at 8 and continues until 11:30 p. m. Supper at Linkville Hotel, 50 cents a plate.

TICKETS TO DANCE, \$1.00. RECEPTION COMMITTEE: N. S. Merrill, Merrill. W. B. Stimpson, Klamath Falls. Wallace Baldwin, Klamath Falls. W. W. Hazen, Klamath Falls. Frank Armstrong, Klamath Falls.

FLOOR MANAGERS: H. L. Clopton, Bonanza. J. A. Chastain, Bonanza. F. S. Brandon, Merrill. C. I. Roberts, Klamath Falls. C. M. Ramsby, Klamath Falls.

DRESS MAKING. Ladies.—Mrs. Waggener will make dresses at Mrs. Boyd's Millinery Store after April sixteenth.

FUNERAL OF HENRY AMERMAN. (Ashland Tidings.) The funeral of the late Henry Amerman, whose death at the home of J. Patterson, near Talent, on Sunday, in his 82d year, was reported in the Tidings Monday, took place Tuesday morning, from the late home. Simple funeral services were held. There was quite an attendance of the old friends and acquaintances of the deceased who followed the remains to their resting place in Phoenix cemetery.

COLUMBIA SOUTHERN. (Portland Journal.) President Lytle of the Columbia Southern stated to-day that some sixty miles of the new extension of that road from its present terminus at Shaniko to Bend, Ore., has already been located. This leaves only forty miles still unlocated.

Mr. Hugh L. Clopton, a prominent merchant of Bonanza, was married to Miss Bertha Nichols, at this place Tuesday evening, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. H. Harbit from the Esmond Hotel. The many friends of the contracting parties extend hearty congratulations and best wishes.

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