

OUR Annual Clearance SALE

Is now on and will Continue for the next Sixty Days.

PRICES
LOWER
THAN
EVER
BEFORE

We have reduced every suit of cloths in our stock to less than cost.

In boots and shoes we have made tremendous reductions.

As to hats you can have them at your own price.

We have also made heavy reductions in groceries

We have also a large lot of furnishing goods which we will sell at prices that will surprise you.

Great
Reductions
In All
Lines

REMEMBER

These reductions are made to close out and they will be for cash

Cohn & Co.

COUNTY ITEMS.

GATHERED BY OUR CORRESPONDENTS
A Brief Glimpse at Last Week's
Happenings

Woods (FROM THE OCEAN WAVE)

A few steel-head salmon are being caught.

The literary societies up the river all report excellent times at their meetings.

The dance at Andrew Anderson's Friday night was well attended and an enjoyable time is reported.

The snow storm of the season occurred last Sunday night in which about an inch of snow fell in the valleys, while in the mountains several inches are reported.

Messrs. A. J. Heater and Albert Lucy left Saturday last for the valley where they intend to purchase the remainder of the instruments for the Woods brass band. They will be absent a week or ten days.

Dee Sanders, youngest son of A. D. Sanders had the misfortune to have his left arm broken between the elbow and hand. The boy was leaning against the barn, when suddenly a horse jumped against him crowding him against the barn, both bones were broken. Mr. Sanders' grand child which is staying with him had his arm broken a week ago.

The steamer Harrison arrived in Tillamook bay on Friday.

Boulder Creek

Mr. W. N. Bays transacted business at the county seat last week. His son accompanied him home.

A Sabbath school has been organized at Brown's school house and is flourishing in spite of rain and mud. The following officers were elected: Supt., Mrs. Bays; assistant, Mrs. Getchell; secretary, Lulu Bays; treasurer, Grace Getchell; teachers, Mrs. Bays, Mr. Smith, and Mrs. Getchell.

Mr. Nicklaus is hard at work improving his new ranch, where he expects to move soon. Their many friends will be sorry to lose them from this neighborhood.

Miss Lena Bays visited her sister Mrs. Jensen, last Monday.

Some person, or persons, who were out of work, were kind enough to im-

prove the appearance of Mrs. Hughey's house, by breaking a glass out of one of the windows.

Miss Linnie Nicklaus visited Thursday and Friday with Miss Lulu Bays.

Miss Jensen, of Hebo, has been visiting her brother, H. L., the past week.

Mr. Mowers is taking advantage of the beautiful weather, by burning some logs and brush.

Coulsonburg

Mr. Bloom of pleasant valley was through our burg Thursday circulating a petition to change the road over the green timber hill.

Mr. E. T. Coulson and family have gone to Beaver to attend the quarterly meeting at that place.

Rev. R. P. Bukey spent a few days at N. Coulsons this week.

Messrs. Lewis West, O. Kinnaman and H. Poland of Beaver were out hunting in this vicinity Tuesday.

Miss Linnie Coulson who has been visiting friends at Blaine the past two weeks, has returned home.

We understand there is being quite an interest shown in the revival meetings now in progress at Beaver.

The present warm rain is much more pleasant than the snow storm of the first of the week.

Mrs. N. Coulson is quite poorly at this writing.

There has been a great deal of work done on the new road this week, and it thought that when another week has rolled by it will be almost completed.

Mr. Swab seems to be very much concerned as to who are subscribers of the "HEADLIGHT" from appearances he is doing business for the Herald.

Some of our citizens have slight symptoms of Klondike fever.

Oretown

M. A. Bower of Meda has built a new house and celebrated the event with a dance.

A cattle buyer from the valley came in here a few days ago and purchased twenty head, mostly calves.

Mr. Luper has purchased Mrs. Harvey's ranch and will move in the spring.

Mrs. Christenson has returned home after a protracted visit in Portland and McMinnville, with her health greatly improved.

Mr. Alderman was in this vicinity last week attending to the duties of his office.

Measles are still prevailing here, there being several cases at this writing.

Perry Harvey has commenced the erection of a new dwelling house on his homestead.

Mr. Nash has made some alterations in his house lately.

Barnegat.

Mrs. Geo. Squires and son were over from Garibaldi, looking after her place on the beach.

Geo. Morris went to Netarts Sunday on business, and came back the same day.

Mrs. Sue Holloway went to Garibaldi returning to get her household goods and will move there to live. We are sorry to see them leave.

Ben Hauxhurst is over from Garibaldi to move Mrs. Holloway's household goods.

Mrs. Sumner Hauxhurst is visiting friends on the beach for a few days.

South Prairie.

Rev. Dixon's semi monthly meetings here are fairly well attended.

School district No. 2 levied a two mill tax to cover indebtedness etc.

South Prairie Grange had its regular monthly meeting last Friday.

Isaac Quick has sold his herd of dairy cows, and contemplates buying sheep, under the McKinley wave of higher wool.

Klondike fever has struck us. Charles Pate, Asa Wells, Sewall and Samuel Dailey and Al Biggs talk it strong.

Politics sprouting—
When election comes around.
'Tis a funny time
To see old heads together,
Its too much for my rhyme.

Emma

Harry Chitwood attended a birthday party at Al Bowmans on the 24th, inst.

There was about three inches of snow fell last week, but the recent rains have taken it off.

Stock of all kinds are looking well, and especially those out on the range.

William Grasshoff is out at Dallas at work.

We are looking for some new settlers to move in the coming summer.

Theo. Arndt's house will be one of the finest in the neighborhood when completed.

Arnold Affolten went to Portland last week, and will remain there a few months doing work in a dairy.

Sand Lake

Will Harris wears a broad smile. It is a little girl and weighs 8½ lbs. All doing well and everybody happy.

Jeff Harris is at home once more. He reports much sickness and death, in the valley this winter.

Mr. Bloom was in this vicinity with a petition to change the state road around the big hill between Peters and Doc. Mills. Everybody here is in favor of the change.

County Sheriff Alderman, was in this neighborhood lately delivering election notices and talking politics.

Hebo

Noah Hill is making a trip to the valley with a wagon this week.

Mrs. Della Lucy of Woods is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. T. Bain, this week.

Fred Lewallen's new house will soon be ready for occupancy.

Wm. Rhoades has his new cheese factory ready for the roof.

The Political Pot has begun to boil and the kicker's foot is in motion.

Dee Sanders had the misfortune to have an arm broken a few days ago.

G. W. Rhoades formerly of Hebo, who now resides at Redding, Cal., came near having his house burglarized a few nights ago. The scheme was to chloroform the family from the bed room window, but fortunately Mr. Rhoades was awakened in time to give the gentleman the contents of a shot gun, which gave impetus to his locomotion as he hit the road. Mr. Rhoades, little girl was overcome by the fumes of the chloroform, but was finally awakened.

Nehalem

A little winter has come and gone again; It looked odd to see strawberries blooming in the snow.

The schooner "Del Norte" sailed from Frisco on the 23 inst, chartered for this place, to load lumber at Hump & Wheeler mill which will start up again in one or two days.

The tug "Maggie" has changed captains, Capt. Higgins, formerly of the "South Coast" being in charge, and Capt. Webber has gone to Frisco. She towed the lumber schooner "Free Trade" to sea on Friday.

Cronen & Alley have commenced delivering logs at the mill.

Matt Morrison, and Doc. Alley, are cutting logs on the place of the former.

Messrs Blackburn & Lyons will start up a logging camp on the South Fork shortly. Ben Higginbotham also talks about going into the logging business again.

There is a hog at large on South Fork, with an abnormally developed appetite for potatoes, and Siwash muck-a-muck.

Indian agent T. J. Buford, of the Siletz Indian Reservation, was on the river several days last week, trying to adjust matters for the Nehalem Indians, preparatory to paying them their appropriation.

Our old neighbor Clem de Somers has been over from Warrenton for a few days; he reports himself and D. C. Linton both doing very well, and the Doctor's little girl Madge as much improved.

There is some railroad talk again, but we believe the improvement of our bar would be much more beneficial.

Nehalem ites are much chagrined at the reverse report of Capt. Fisk in regard to our bar, and think we have been treated shamefully. Engineer Holcombe encouraged us to expect a favorable report. But Nehalem will get there by and by.

Billy Russell goes up to his ranch in God's Valley this week, from whence he and his brother Joe will drive their stock out to Astoria. Billy is getting ready for the Klondike. Fred Robitch will also leave for Alaska in March.

Geo. Luce, the Cannon Beach mail carrier, found in the bed of the creek, in front of Mrs. Austins Hotel on Cannon Beach, the cannon that floated in there on a portion of the wreck of the U. S. Gunboat "Shark", lost off the Columbia in 1846. Shortly after the wreck the late Hon. John Holson of Clatsop, found a piece of the deck, with this gun and two brass cannon on it. The brass guns lie buried there somewhere yet. This one had not been seen for some thirty years, being covered up with the sands.

It is iron, about five feet long, and six inch calibre and weighs about 1000 lbs. Mr. Luce got help and dug it up, and hauled it above the reach of the tides.

When you want hosiery, umbrellas and stationery the place to get them is at the Racket Store

NETARTS

Clarence Tilden of Tillamook made a trip to Netarts Friday with a load of freight for Geo. W. Phelps.

Severance & Co. are making some changes in their saw mill, and putting in some new machinery.

Geo. Morris of Tillamook Sand Spit was at Netarts, Sunday.

The Hodgdon road across Cape Mears is open for travel.

Geo. W. Phelps is putting up the Telephone line between Netarts and Tillamook.

BEAVER

E. W. Brown is slowly improving.

Protracted meeting is still going on.

A. J. Getchel expects to go to work on his homestead, near Hebo.

See here Sandlakers you had better go right to work and make that trail to the summit of the mountain before spring time. We love you and would like to be neighborly.

Jeff Wallace keeps himself busy driving cattle. Jeff is a trustworthy and an exceptionally good hand to get up a drove of cattle, and it is generally known—hence he is kept busy.

H. H. Alderman, our genial sheriff was through here Monday sticking up election notices. The political pot will soon be boiling. Guess Beaver can, if necessary, furnish all the candidates for the county.

The citizens of upper big Nestucca seem to be determined to have a road out to Sheridan. 166 volunteer days work given by her citizens the past two weeks up to Saturday last and Monday. 20 are at work now. If Sheridan would just meet us at Silver falls or Jones, and our county would issue bonds for say about \$1500, say for 10 years at 7 per cent interest to finish our free road, the south end of this county alone could afford to pay it back and have money left. Cattle buyers then would have to give us \$5.00 to \$10.00 per head more for cattle and would do it, and in many ways to numerous to mention, the entire county would be greatly benefited. Hurrah for a free road!

Look over your supplies of stationery and see if there is anything you need. Bring your work to the HEADLIGHT office as early as possible, as we are running our presses all the time and still find it difficult to keep up with our work.