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New Charter Expected Soon For Clackamas County Organization CEREMONY IS PUBLIC Ceremony Held in Gladstone Park in Presence of Three Thousand Spectators

Gladstone Park was the scene, last Saturday night, of a ceremonial unusual and impressive. Lined up on the ball field section of the park, the crowd estimated at 3,000 persons was kept within the space allotted them...

Dr. Bell Inventor Of Telephone Passes

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, died at 2 o'clock Wednesday morning at Beinn Breagh, his estate near Baddeck, Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Thomas' Pupils Give Fine Recital

Music lovers of Beaver Creek were especially delighted by the recital given by pupils of Mrs. A. Thomas' at Beaver Creek Grange Hall on July 27. The hall was filled with an appreciative audience.

Work On School Building

A contract has been let to E. F. Timken of Portland for the repainting of the Oswego school house and play shed. The work will be started at once with the idea of having it finished before school starts in September.

MEETING ON DEPOSIT MATTERS IS HELD AT CLUB ROOM

Representatives of Manufacturing Plants and Merchants Appoint Committee Merchants and representatives of the Industrial plants met in the Commercial Club room Wednesday of this week for consideration of the proposed...

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Oswego Has Hopes For A Brand New Bank

There is great possibility of Oswego having a bank in the near future. Emil Forder, a banker from Clarkston, Nebraska, is here for that purpose. He has gone to Salem to confer with the state bank superintendent regarding...

Busch Home Gladdened

A daughter arrived at the Oregon City hospital on Friday, June 23, for Mr. and Mrs. John Busch. The little lady has been given the name of Barbara Jean. Mrs. Busch was Miss Mildred Tschirg before her marriage.

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OREGON CITY HOLDS FIRST ANNUAL PAGEANT

Thousands Crowd River To Catch Glimpse Of Movements WILL BE CONTINUED Experiences Will Shape Arrangements For Future—City Should Encourage

The first historical review of Oregon City to be set to pageant form was carried out so far as conditions permitted on Wednesday evening. The attendance was so large that it was impossible for hundreds to obtain view positions along the East bank of the river where more than five thousand people had congregated to see the event.

EDITORIAL FAMILY IS MOST ROYALLY ENTERTAINED

The most successful convention in the history of the Oregon State Editorial Association was held last Friday, Saturday, and Sunday at Corvallis and Newport. The attendance exceeded any of previous years. The program was a well chosen one; the hospitality of the citizens of both cities and the facilities at the College for entertaining will long be remembered by the scribes of Oregon.

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OLCOTT - HALL RECOUNT IS IN PROGRESS IN THE STATE

Results In Marion County Are Favorable To Olcott WORK IS HASTENED Witnesses Will Be Called To Testify In Regard To Irregularities In Voting

With the first smoke of battle cleared away, in the gubernatorial recount contest, Ben W. Olcott, emerges with a gain of 5 over the certified election returns. Hall's supporters had claimed irregularities amounting to over 700 in the county.

CIVIC PRIDE PROTESTS PRESENT CONDITIONS IN THE CITY

Editor Banner-Courier: Kindly permit me space in your valued paper to express my opinion on conditions in your city. Having recently returned to your fine little city from a visit to a sister state, I am impressed very unfavorably with the condition of your streets, in regard to the parking, especially at intersections of streets. Just one half block from your municipal elevator, dock is not only growing, but has actually gone to seed. This condition is apparent every where. Mr. Editor have you no street superintendent? If not, why not. If so, why these conditions, weeds, rubbish, waste paper and general untidiness.

NEW PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION AFTER GAS RATES

Based on his action upon a reported decline in the price of crude oil, the public service commission is directing its attention to the reduction of the costs of gas to the consumers of Portland and other cities in the state.

CHIEF BELIEVES MARTIN INNOCENT OF ROBBERY

In the opinion of Chief of Police, W. M. B. May, George Martin, alias Geo. Sticker, held by the Portland authorities on several charges of robbery, was not responsible for the robbery of Price Brothers store which occurred several months ago. Martin confessed to the robbery of the W. B. Eddy store and to the attempted robberies of the Grand Theater and Wheeler Pool Hall safes. He denies any connection with the Price Brothers robbery however, and in view of other information secured concerning the theft, his story is believed to be true.

NEW RESTAURANT TO OPEN SATURDAY

The building formerly occupied by the Style Shop, opposite the court house is being remodeled and newly equipped thru-out and will open Saturday as the Paramount Restaurant.