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AMUSEMENTS.

Opera House, Main St., Patterson Bros. Mgrs.

BANKS.

Ind. National, Cor. Main and Monmouth Sts.
First National, Cor. Main and C Sts.

BROKERS, GRAIN and HOPS.

Geo. E. Erey, Office First National Bank

BARBERS & BATHS.

E. T. Henkle, Main street.
Not authorized to announce.

BREWERIES.

None.

BILLIARD HALL.

Pick C. Patterson, Main street.

BLACKSMITHS.

H. A. Fuller, C street.
Not authorized to announce.

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

Clodfelter Bros., Main street.

BOOTS and SHOES.

Miller & Patterson, near First Nat'l Bank.

BRICK.

J. B. Cooper, corner C street.

CARPENTERS and CONTRACTORS.

Finch & Claggott, office B street.
Campbell & Sons—order at Douly & Paddock's

CIGAR FACTORY.

None.

CITY OFFICIALS.

J. A. Veness, Mayor.
Geo. W. Reed, Recorder.
F. P. Myers, Marshal

CONFECTIONERY & FRUIT.

Robinson & Robinson, The Bijou.
P. C. Patterson, near opera house.

CHURCHES & PASTORS.

Baptist, J. Fred Jenkins.
Presbyterian, J. A. Townsend.
Congregational, D. V. Poling.
Evangelical, S. A. Copley.
Methodist, T. W. Putter.
M. E. South, Edwin Palmer.
Christian, No resident pastor.

COLLECTION AGENT.

Not authorized to announce.

CANNERIES.

Ind. Cannery Co., near depot.

DAIRIES.

J. G. VanOrsdel, Independence.

DENTISTS.

Not authorized to announce.
S. A. Mulkey, 9 Dorset Brick, up stairs.
J. B. Johnson, Cor. Railroad & Monmouth Sts.

DOCTORS.

Lee & Babbitt, Ind. Nat'l Bank, up stairs.
E. L. Ketchum, Monmouth St., near R. R.
O. D. Bauer, opera house, up stairs.

DRAIN TILE.

Not authorized to announce.

DRAY COMPANIES.

Hubbard & Staats, Railroad St.
W. D. Etkins, leave orders at Hotel.

DRESSMAKERS.

Miss Sophia Giff, at residence, Railroad st.
Not authorized to announce.

DRUGGISTS.

Shelley, Alexander & Co., Main St.
Patterson Bros., opera house.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

Not authorized to announce.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

W. O. Cook, Chief engineer.

FISH, OYSTERS & GAME.

D. B. Boydston, C street.

FLOUR MILLS.

Ind. Mill Co., Geo. Skinner & Co.
Star Mills, D. W. Sears & Co.

FOUNDRY.

Not authorized to announce.

FURNITURE.

W. O. Cook, Whitteker block.

GEN'L MDSE.

Rosendorf & Hirschberg, Main street.
J. M. Vanduy, Cor. Main and C streets.
J. A. Mills—Whitteker block.
Not authorized to announce.

GROCERIES.

Wileox, Baldwin & Co., South side C street.
McEscheran & Sandercock, Corner Main & D.
Douly & Paddock, West side Main street.
J. P. Irvine—Whitteker block.

HARDWARE & AGL. IMPTS.

J. F. O'Donnell, Cor. Main & Monmouth Sts.
R. M. Wade & Co., Main and Monmouth Sts.
Not authorized to announce.

HARNESS.

Not authorized to announce.

HOTEL.

Little Palace Hotel, J. M. Stark, Prop.

ICE FACTORY.

None.

INSURANCE AGENTS.

Not authorized to announce.

JOB PRINTER.

West Side Office, Main street.

JUSTICE OF PEACE.

H. M. Liles—Ind. National bank building.

LAUNDRY.

Ind. Steam Laundry, A. J. Achison.

LAWYERS.

A. M. Hurley, Main street.
Geo. A. Smith, Ind. Nat'l Bank, up stairs.

LIVE STOCK BREEDERS & DEALERS.

T. B. Huntley, Independence.

LODGING HOUSE.

The Huntington, D. H. Clodfelter, near depot

LIVERY STABLES.

Peter Cook, Main street.
Eli Johnson, Main street.

LUMBER.

Prescott & Veness, saw mill.

MARBLE WORKS.

G. L. Hawkins, cor. Railroad and E streets.

MARKET GARDNER.

T. L. Hartman.

MASONS, BRICK & STONE.

Not authorized to announce.

MEAT MARKETS.

Sperling Bros., Main street.
Louis Knaply, C street.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

W. G. Sherman, C street.

MILLINERS.

Not authorized to announce.

MUSIC TEACHERS.

Not authorized to announce.

MUSIC & INSTRUMENTS.

Not authorized to announce.

NEWSPAPERS.

West Side, issued Friday, \$2.00.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Not authorized to announce.

PAINTERS & PAPER HANGERS.

M. D. Scott, Main street.

PHOTOGRAPHER.

Willis Hill, leave orders at Clodfelter Bros.

PIANO & ORGANS.

Not authorized to announce.

POULTRY BREEDER.

Loughry Bros., Independence.

RAILROAD.

Ind.-Mon. Motor Co., J. Dornastis, conductor.
Southern Pacific—Ind. to Portland—75 miles.

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

Not authorized to announce.

RESTAURANTS.

City Restaurant, C. D. Campbell, Prop.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

Ind. Lodge No 22, A. O. U. W.
Valley Lodge No. 42, I. O. O. F.
Lyon Lodge No. 29, A. F. & A. M.
Homer Lodge No. 42, K. of P.
Redmen.
Woodmen.

SALOONS.

Rebekah Degree IOOF, Clover Leaf No. 56.
The Gem—J. B. Cooper, prop.
The Castle—S. E. Owens, prop.

SASH & DOORS.

Mitchell & Bohannon, Main street.
M. T. Crow, near depot.

SCHOOLS.

Public, C. A. Hitchcock, Principal.

SODA WATER MFRS.

None.

UNDERTAKERS.

H. M. Liles, Independence Nat'l Bank bldg.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

E. J. Young, Ind. Nat'l Bank, up stairs.

WAGON REPAIRING.

Not authorized to announce.

WAREHOUSES.

Not authorized to announce.

WATCHES, CLOCKS & JEWELRY.

O. A. Kramer, Main street.

WELL BORERS.

None.

WOOD DEALERS.

None.

We sell

FRUIT TREES and all other NURSERY STOCK very cheap.

Send your lists for special prices. Catalogue free.

CORVALLIS NURSERY COMPANY, Corvallis, Oregon.



A Racking Cough

Cured by Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Mrs. P. D. HALL, 217 Genesee St., Lockport, N. Y., says:

"Over thirty years ago, I remember hearing my father describe the wonderful curative effects of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. During a recent attack of La Gripe, which assumed the form of a catarrh, soreness of the lungs, accompanied by an aggravating cough, I used various remedies and prescriptions. While some of these medicines partially alleviated the coughing during the day, none of them afforded me any relief from that spasmodic action of the lungs which would seize me the moment I attempted to lie down at night. After ten or twelve such nights, I was

Nearly in Despair, and had about decided to sit up all night in my easy chair, and procure what sleep I could in that way. It then occurred to me that I had a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. I took a spoonful of this preparation in a little water, and was able to lie down without coughing. In a few moments I fell asleep, and awoke in the morning greatly refreshed and feeling much better. I took a teaspoonful of the Pectoral every night for a week, then gradually decreased the dose, and in two weeks my cough was cured."

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Prompt to act, sure to cure

ALONG THE WEST SIDE.

Items of Interest from Our Exchanges in Three Counties.

INTERESTING WASHINGTON LETTER

"Farmer Hatch's" New Taxation Scheme—Representative Bland's Bill to Repeal the Silver Law of 1893.

McMINNVILLE, Dec. 14, 1893.

Saturday evening just before M. J. Armstrong, grocer, usually closes his store and just as he was counting his cash which he had in a paper sack, Newt Agee and Alfred Jones entered the store and called for some cheese. After supplying their wants he missed his sack of money and called for help. Agee started up the street but was caught and brought back to the store and the door locked. The marshal was called in and upon searching the two young men the money was found in the overcoat pocket of Jones who swears he does not know how it got there. The young men are of good parents and the matter is a mystery unless it can be laid to ardent spirits of which they consumed considerable during the afternoon. They were locked up in the city jail for the night and were taken to the county jail Sunday morning. They waived examination and are under \$100 bonds.

Geo. T. Myers, E. W. Allen, R. W. Mitchell, Geo. S. Batty and H. E. Mitchell of the Midwinter fair association attended the meeting held in this city on Friday last. The attendance was large and more than 75 per cent of the persons present subscribed for stock in the corporation. This county was the first county in the state to help the Midwinter fair project along and the visitors went back to Portland much more enthusiastic over the prospects of Oregon at San Francisco.

Bishop Morris reports in a private letter that McMillins donated as a Thanksgiving offering to the hospital of Portland more than any other town in the state. The donations were collected through the churches and the public schools.

The O. S. N. S. football team passed through here last Monday on their way home from Forest Grove where they played the Pacific college team. Their noses were on a fine and numerous seals relieved the monotony of their faces. From the air of general debility that seemed to wrap them like a shroud it was easy to be seen they had been defeated. They did not make a point.

A cold dry northwest wind is blowing and everything is drying up fast. If it continues the roads will soon be dusty.

Geo. Hash of Newberg, a young man just at his majority was arrested the other day for attempting rape. The examination was held before a justice Monday in Newberg precinct and he was bound over to await the action of the grand jury. Bonds were fixed at \$300. The name of the young lady is Lilly Dietrich, aged fourteen years.

The other day W. F. Diebner, jeweler, missed several small diamonds worth from \$15 to \$25 each. Diligent search was made but without avail. It was finally concluded the gems had been dropped on the floor and in sweeping had been gathered up and thrown in the stove. An old miner was hired and the winter's ashes were carefully panned out, and all of the gems were found none the worse for their baptism of fire.

General Wm. Kappus of Portland, has been detailed by the Midwinter fair commission to address the citizens of this city and the West Side counties on the benefits to be derived from a proper representation at the Midwinter fair.

HILLSBORO, Dec. 14, 1893.

Hillsboro Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, observed the twenty-seventh anniversary of the organization of the order on Monday December 4, by a family dinner. Jollity and good cheer was the feature of the occasion.

On Tuesday evening Ulrich Kempf, a German dairyman, living eight miles northeast of Hillsboro, was in the dusk of evening called to his door by two unknown men and attacked. The assailants beat Kempf over the head with a pistol but the old man managed to retreat and shut the door, through this several shots were fired but no damage done. Kempf ran out through the back door and gave such an alarm as scared the assassins away. A sheriff's posse is after the robbers. In the melee at the door a pistol was broken and a part afterwards picked up, one of the robbers also lost his hat. With these clues it is hoped to get them. Kempf was so badly hurt that the services of a surgeon were required.

The continued high water in the creek bottoms drives the festive oon out of his hiding place. The prowler has been a frequent visitor at the duck yard and hen house during the past week.

The farmers of this section have concluded that there is more money in baling their straw and shipping it to the paper mills at Oregon City than there is in burning it. Some 200 tons of baled are now waiting for the steamer. The freight to Oregon City is \$1.25 per ton.

Tuberculosis has appeared on one farm in this county and the fear of the contagion has aroused much feeling in the neighborhood. The origin of the disease being so obscure and the symptoms of its early stages of attack being so little known by the farmers, a dread attaches to it that would not, were they more familiar with its appearance.

The dairy interest in this county is proving to be the most profitable that is pursued. Last month the product from one of our creameries netted its patrons 32 cents per pound for butter fat, and seeing that the ideal cow will make over two pounds of butter per day, a farmer's income can be made to be quite respectable.

The farmers' institute held last week at Hillsboro by the authorities of the agricultural college was a well attended meeting, visitors from both Yamhill and Multnomah counties were in attendance. Quite a surprise greeted President Bless and his collaborators. The farmers here considered it the proper thing, seeing that the agricultural college had sent its talent down to tell our people how to farm, to show them in return what they do produce. The spacious dining room of grange hall was turned into a show room where was put on exhibition the seasonable products of the county. Cereals from the farm, grasses from the meadow, wool from the herds, tiles from the factories, fruits and nursery stock from the orchards and nurseries, printing from the newspaper and job offices, bread, cake and pastries from the farmers' kitchens graced the tables in great profusion.

Snow has already fallen on the hills surrounding Tualatin plains but it doesn't stay through the day.

CORVALLIS, Dec. 12, 1893.

Charley Reed, who is the owner of a one-thousand-acre tract of land in the northern part of the county, was in the city last Saturday and gave out the information that he had laid off a reservation of several acres for the purpose of a deer park, and that he now has within the enclosure five beautiful white-tail specimens. It is his intention to increase this number by the addition of about ten more and care for them as they require, with a view of supplying himself and friends with plenty of sport and "deer meat" in an inexpensive manner, after a proper season of propagation has elapsed. This is certainly a meritorious plan and should be emulated by more of our large land owners.

A young man who recently arrived from Arkansas, Adams by name, was seized with an epileptic fit last Saturday afternoon, and in falling was considerably bruised about the face and head. He was taken to the fire department headquarters, cared for in a proper manner and soon again regained consciousness.

On last Friday night the Rebekah branch of the I. O. O. F., of this city, had an enjoyable "blow out" at which several visitors from a distance were guests. Of the number were H. Hirschberg and M. L. Dorris, of Independence, accompanied by Mrs. and Miss Goff. Everybody had a good time.

Many holiday preparations are being made for holiday entertainments in this city, and the most popular program announced thus far is the grand masquerade ball of the hook and ladder company, on Christmas night.

James Caldwell, one of Benton county's pioneers died in this city on Monday, aged 70 years. He was quite well known all over this surrounding country and was a favorite among his acquaintances. Judge John Burnett delivered an impressive address during the services at the grave.

Some time since R. E. Muleahy, superintendent of the O. P. R. R., received by express, an infernal machine, and at once efforts were made to locate the source from whence it came, with the result that one of the prominent under officials has been removed as the supposed guilty party. Notwithstanding the fact that there will probably be a few changes made in the official personnel of the O. P. soon following the sale on Friday of this week, there is now a vacancy in the office of general freight and passenger agent.

Among the sports to be indulged in during holidays is a go-as-you-please walking match from Albany to Corvallis. Contestants are in training and it is expected that considerable money will change hands on the result.

At the meeting of the city council last Monday night, liquor licenses were granted Charles Albright, Thos. Whitehorn, Gerhard & Mackay, J. Wuestu and George Maddux. Corvallis now has eight saloons.

Arrangements are making for the holding of an old-fashioned farmers' and mechanics' dance in Corvallis about Jan. 15, '94. It is hoped to have an imported orchestra of seven pieces on hand for the occasion and a good time is anticipated.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

The logs that escaped from the friendly boom in the river have been traced and will be taken to Newberg to be sawed. Several million feet disappeared, most of which have been found and are now under control.

C. S. LeMasters, of the Amity Popgun, is a visitor in Corvallis.

The city authorities are doing considerable good work in improving the streets, enlarging ditches, improving sidewalks, etc., in preparation for another season of high water.

Harold Woodcock, a son of the Corvallis banker M. S. Woodcock, had his arm broken while attending a fractional horse.

Washington Letter.

"Farmer Hatch" has a scheme of taxation that bids fair to add to the troubles of the majority of the house ways and means committee, in preparing the bill for internal revenue taxation, the latest estimate being that at least \$60,000,000 must be so raised. "Farmer Hatch" is the gentleman who, as chairman of the house committee on agriculture, was during the fifty-second congress, in charge of the anti-option bill, which came near becoming a law. "Farmer Hatch" is still chairman of the house committee on agriculture, and he has not given up hope of seeing the anti option bill become a law, but his new scheme will stir up the bulls and bears of the various stock exchanges to a much greater extent than did that measure, and if it meets with as much favor from members of the ways and means committee as it already has from congressmen outside of that committee, it may find a place in the new internal revenue bill. Mr. Hatch proposes that in lieu of an income tax a small tax, say one-twentieth of one per cent, be put upon the transactions of the great speculative exchanges of the country. He argues that such a tax would bring a larger revenue than any of the propositions for an income tax; that it would be easily collected, because all of the transactions of the exchange are recorded, and that it would not be burdensome to either producer or consumer. The lobby sent here to fight the anti-option bill furnished some fat pickings for the impecunious, but if the proposition of Mr. Hatch should be adopted, the wealthy exchanges would probably send the strongest lobby that was ever in Washington to secure defeat. To those that have never been able to see that speculative exchanges are of the slightest benefit to the country, either materially or morally, the proposition to tax their transactions appeals strongly.

Representative Bland, of Missouri, lost no time in showing his critics that he meant business, and not a bluff, about his proposition to repeal the silver law of 1893, which was repealed in 1876. He has introduced a bill to this effect, and that bill is now before the coinage committee, of which Mr. Bland is chairman, and he is confident that it will be reported to the house, notwithstanding President Cleveland's official request that financial matters be let alone at this session. Mr. Bland says there has been a reaction in favor of silver, since the people have seen that it was not responsible for the financial depression, and that the sentiment in favor of restoring silver to a parity with gold is on the increase. It is not Mr. Bland's purpose to antagonize the tariff bill, but as soon as that measure is out of the way, he will do his best to push the tariff bill through.

Let us be thankful for small favors. The fight on the tariff, although it will be red hot, will not be unnecessarily prolonged, the republican senatorial caucus having decided that no bushwhacking is to be resorted to for the purpose of delaying the vote. It is, unless present indications are at fault, to be a short, sharp and decisive fight, and the side with the most votes will win. The republicans of the senate have a new steering committee, of which Allison, of Iowa, is chairman, and Dubois, of Idaho, secretary. They will

Stockholders' Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Independence, Polk County, Oregon, on Tuesday, January 9, 1894, at the parlors of the bank between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and transacting any other business that may come before them.

Dated this 6th day of Dec., 1893.
W. H. HAWLEY, Cashier.

WEST SIDE CLUBBING RATES

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