

**INDEPENDENCE**
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory.

This directory is corrected monthly, and a copy sent to every wholesale merchant in Portland. Late merchants will see the advantage of having their names under appropriate headings. "Not authorized to announce" means that a firm exists but has not given us its name for publication.

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. Brey, Office First National Bank.

BARBERS & BATHS.

E. T. Hensley, Main street.

Not authorized to announce.

BREWERIES.

None.

BILLIARD HALL.

Pink C. Patterson, Main street.

BLACKSMITHS.

A. A. Fuller, C street.

Not authorized to announce.

BOOKS & STATIONERY.

Edwin Miller, Main street.

BOOTS and SHOES.

None.

BRICK.

J. R. Cooper, corner C street.

CARPENTERS & CONTRACTORS.

John & Chaggett, office B street.

Campbell & Son—orders at Douth & Paddock's.

CIGAR FACTORY.

None.

CITY OFFICIALS.

A. M. Hurley, Mayor.

Geo. W. Reed, Recorder.

Andy Tupper, Marshal.

CONFECTIONERY & FRUIT.

C. C. Patterson, near opera house.

CHURCHES & PASTORS.

Baptist, J. Fred Jenkins.

Presbyterian, J. A. Townsend.

Douglas, D. V. Poling.

Evangelical, B. A. Copley.

Methodist, T. W. Potter.

Christian, No resident pastor.

COLLECTION AGENT.

Not authorized to announce.

CANNERIES.

Ind. Cannery Co., no depot.

DAIRIES.

J. G. VanOrsdel, Independence.

DENTISTS.

A. A. Mulkey, O'Donnell Block, up stairs.

J. B. Johnson, Cor. Railroad & Monmouth, 4th.

DOCTORS.

Lee & Babbitt, Ind. Nat'l Bank, up stairs.

J. L. Ketchum, Monmouth St., near H. St.

D. D. Butler, opera house, up stairs.

DRAIN TILE.

None.

DRAY COMPANIES.

Hubbard & Staats, Railroad St.

W. D. Elders, leave orders at Hotel.

DRESSMAKERS.

Mrs. Sophia Goff, at residence, Railroad st.

DRUGGISTS.

Shelley, Alexander & Co., Main St.

Patterson Bros., opera house.

ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

None.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

None.

FISH, OYSTERS & GAME.

None.

FLOUR MILLS.

Ind. Mill Co., Geo. Skinner & Co.

Star Mills, D. W. Sears & Co.

FOUNDRY.

None.

FURNITURE.

W. O. Cook, Whitaker block.

GEN'L MDSE.

Rosenford & Hirschberg, Main street.

J. M. Vanday, Cor. Main and C streets.

J. A. Mills—Whitaker block.

HARDWARE & AGL. IMPTS.

J. F. O'Donnell, Cor. Main & Monmouth Sts.

R. M. Wade & Co., Main and Monmouth Sts.

HARNESS.

None.

HOTEL.

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

ICE FACTORY.

None.

INSURANCE AGENTS.**JOB PRINTER.**

West Side Office, Main street.

JUSTICE OF PEACE.

H. M. Lines—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.

F. B. Huntley, Independence.

LODGING HOUSE.

The Huntington, D. H. Chaffee, near depot.

LIVERY STABLES.

Peter Cook, Main street.

Ed Johnson, Main street.

LUMBER.

Prescott & Veneas, saw mill.

MARBLE WORKS.

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

MARKET GARDNER.

F. L. Harrison.

MASONS, BRICK & STONE.

None.

MEAT MARKETS.

Sperting Bros., Main street.

Louis Knapp, C street.

MERCHANT TAILORS.

W. O. Sherman, C street.

MILLINERS.

None.

MUSIC TEACHERS.

None.

MUSIC & INSTRUMENTS.

None.

NEWSPAPERS.

West Side, issued Friday, \$2.00.

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Not authorized to announce.

PAINTERS & PAPER HANGERS.

M. D. Scott, Main street.

Willis Hill, leave orders at Clodfelter Bros.

PHOTOGRAPHER.

D. H. Craven, C street, north side.

PIANO & ORGANS.

None.

POULTRY BREEDER.

Loughery Bros., Independence.

RAILROAD.

Ind. Mon. Motor Co., J. Dornis, conductor.

Southern Pacific—Ind. to Portland—75 miles.

REAL ESTATE AGENT.

None.

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.

Rebekah Degree IOOF, Clover Leaf No. 26.

SALOONS.

The Gem—J. R. Cooper, prop.

The Castle—E. 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. Lines, Independence Nat'l Bank bldg.

VETERINARY SURGEON.

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

WAREHOUSES.

None.

WATCHES, CLOCKS & JEWELRY.

O. A. Kramer, Main street.

WELL BORERS.

None.

WOOD DEALERS.

None.

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LETTER TO GOVERNOR PENNOYER.

A Correspondent Has a Scheme for the Governor, Which He Prints for a Little Notoriety.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2, 1894.

Recognizing the immensity of the task set for them by the Morgan resolution, providing for a thorough investigation of the Hawaiian matter, the members of the senate committee on foreign relations decided not to await the reassembling of congress to begin the investigation. Accordingly the work was begun this week by the subcommittee, previously designated, and if the present intention of examining every person who has been in a position to know anything of importance relating to the matter is carried out, the investigation will not be concluded before the first of March, if so soon. There is some disappointment because of the decision of the committee to conduct the investigation secretly, but in striving at that decision the committee has only followed precedent. Besides, the members of the committee believe that the knowledge that their testimony will not be given publicly will cause many individuals, both Hawaiians and Americans, to testify who otherwise would not do so. Members of the committee say that the investigation is to be devoted to all partisanship, and to be solely devoted to getting at the truth. In view of the importance of this work I append the membership of the committee: Democrats—Morgan, of Alabama, chairman; Butler, of South Carolina; Gray, of Delaware; Torpie, of Indiana; and Daniel, of Virginia. Republicans—Sherman, of Ohio; Frye, of Maine; Dolph, of Oregon; and Davis, of Minnesota. Senators Morgan, Butler, Gray, Sherman and Frye, compose the subcommittee which is making the investigation.

Government receipts continue to fall below the expectations of treasury officials, and it is now considered that the actual deficit at the close of the present fiscal year will greatly exceed the estimate of Secretary Carlisle, made several months ago, which it will be remembered was \$28,000,000. That congress will have to do something very soon to provide the money to meet the expenses of the government is apparent, but neither senators nor representatives seem to have a very clear idea of what that something shall be. Senator Voorhees, who, as chairman of the senate committee on finance, will have much to do with deciding, thinks that the proper thing is to give the secretary of the treasury authority to issue short time, low interest bonds whenever the money is needed. Mr. Voorhees says this would not be conferring any new power on the secretary of the treasury; it would be merely changing the act for the resumption of specie payments, which gives him authority to issue long term bonds at a rate of interest that would not be considered very high.

The fact that the bond of the present public printer has expired is responsible for the belief that a new public printer will be appointed in a short time. It is stated that President Cleveland has tendered the appointment to two men, and that it was declined by both of them, because neither of them was willing to promise the president that he would run the office on civil service reform principles, making neither removals nor appointments on account of political grounds. If President Cleveland insists upon getting that promise from the man appointed, it will be very difficult for him to get a democratic public printer, and if one is found to make the promise, and it becomes known, his confirmation by the senate would be extremely doubtful.

Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, proposes to offer a resolution,

as soon as congress re-assembles, that would, if fathered by Senator Stewart or some other silver senator, set the gold men by the ears. It will ask that the United States invite all the countries of the world to send delegates to a monetary conference, the invitation to contain a declaration of the United States to adopt a single standard, and that standard not gold, but silver. Senator Chandler believes that if the United States will take this radical stand, it will result in forcing the gold-standard countries of Europe to agree to a double standard. It is doubtful, however, whether such a resolution can be adopted in either house.

Representatives McMillan and Bryn, the sub-committee of the house ways and means committee, charged with preparing the internal revenue bill, which is to raise the money to make up the deficit that is expected to follow the reductions made in the new tariff bill, have agreed upon a report to be made to the democratic members of the ways and means committee. It is understood that the report will recommend a 2 per cent. tax on incomes of \$4000 and upwards; a tax upon personal property inheritances (rate undecided); a tax of \$1.50 per 1000 on cigarette, and of 6 cents a pack on playing cards. They estimate that a bill in accordance with their recommendations would make a revenue of \$45,000,000.

The U. S. supreme court adjourned on the 22d until January 3d. It is not often that the justices of this court express an opinion upon anything pending before congress, but several of them have said that they thought the delay in acting upon the nomination of Mr. Hornblower was unjust, both to the court and to that gentleman. They say he either ought to be confirmed or rejected. The vacancy in the court serves to delay its business.

The action of congress on the amendment to the urgency appropriation bill, appropriating money to pay the mileage of members, both for the extra and regular sessions of congress, was not creditable. It was done in a manner, which implied that those who favored the appropriation were ashamed of it, and all attempts to get a ye and nay vote on the mileage item were switched off by shrewd parliamentarians. The amount involved isn't so big as that which made the notorious salary grab so unpopular a few years ago, but it is nonetheless a grab. It was charged, when the proposition to take a recess from the extra to the regular session was so vehemently opposed, that mileage was at the bottom of it, mileage not being allowable for a recess, and it now looks as though the charge was correct.

If the populist senators agree with those in the house and refuse to vote for the new tariff bill, because it retains protection features, it will materially lessen the chances of the measure has—not any too good at the best—to get through the senate. The populists in the house have not positively agreed on the programme, but they are thinking of offering a free trade measure based on the old Walker tariff, as a substitute for the Wilson tariff bill; not with any expectation of its being passed, but to put themselves on record as opposing the present (McKinley) tariff law, as well as that proposed by the ways and means committee.

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A Letter to Pennoyer.

TOLEDO, Oregon, Jan. 11, 1894.

To Sylvester Pennoyer, Governor of Oregon—Honored Sir: An irresistible impulse impels me to follow your example and write to one high in rank. Thanksgiving and Christmas are past and the deserted remains of the old year hang heavily over us. We admire your silver policy, praise your conservatism, low to your genius, and raise our helmets before this august, awful presence, respecting always, the office you now hold. We thank thee for voicing our sentiments, and for penning advice to Porkopolis, the king. That is of the past, however; the immediate present and the near future confront us with conditions made not by our own hands, nor by our choosing. I refer you, for instance, to the Oregon Pacific railroad, known under several aliases. Conceived and destined, it was, to advance the state of Oregon—a commonwealth potentially greater, in every respect, than any state or states covering an equal area to a full development; it is possible that only streaks of rust may remain to remind us of the great hope, now deferred. To you, I presume, the history of said road is an unsealed book. You know to what extent our great state's natural resources are now held dormant by reason of the unequal railroad facilities, as compared with neighboring states. You well know with what design and great cunning the powers of our courts and the gold and time of individuals have been invoked and diverted, until the