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OREGON CITY OFFICERS.

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Councilmen—C. O. Albright, Jr., H. L. Kelly, C. N. Greenman, W. A. White, J. J. Cooke, J. W. O'Connell, J. G. Porter and T. P. Randall.
Council meets first Wednesday of each month.

CHURCHES.

First Congregational Church—Rev. M. Dougherty Pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sunday School after morning service. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting of Y. P. S. C. E. every Sunday evening at 6:50 prompt.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Gilman Parker, Pastor. Morning Service 11; Sunday School 12:15; Evening Service 8:00; Regular Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening. Monthly Covenant Meeting every Wednesday evening preceeding first Sunday in the month.

St. John's Church, Catholic—Rev. A. Hillebrand, Pastor. On Sunday, Mass at 8 and 10:30 a. m. Every Sunday German Sermon after 8 o'clock Mass. At all other Masses English Sermons. Sunday School 2:30 p. m. Vespers, Apologetical Subjects and Benediction at 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church.—Rev. G. Sykes, Pastor. Morning Service at 11; Sunday School at 12:15; Evening Service at 8:00. Epworth League meeting Sunday evening at 6:30; Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 8:00.

First Presbyterian Church.—Rev. G. W. Giboney, Pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Sabbath School 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening 8:00. Seats free.

Evangelical Church, German—A. Ernst, Pastor. Preaching Services every alternate Sunday 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath School every Sunday 10 a. m. (J. Harrisberger, Supt.) Weekly Prayer Meeting every Wednesday evening.

United Brethren Church.—Rev. P. B. Williams, Pastor. Services first and third Sunday mornings and the preceeding Saturday night in each month at Oregon City 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., and the first Sunday afternoon of each month at Falls View.

Christian Church—Rev. D. T. Stanley, Pastor. Services every Sunday 11 a. m. at Shively's Hall. Preaching second and fourth Sunday in each month.

St. Paul's Church, Episcopal—Rev. J. A. Eckstrom, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.

SOCIETIES.

Falls City Lodge of A. O. U. W.—Meets every second and fourth Friday evening of each month in Odd Fellows' building. All sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend. D. Caufield, M. W. Geo. Califf, Rec.

Pig Iron Lodge, No. 135, A. O. U. W.—Meets every Thursday evening at Odd Fellow's Hall, Oswego. Visiting brethren always welcome. J. U. Campbell, M. W. R. Strauss, Rec.

Molalla Lodge, No. 40, A. O. U. W.—Meets first and third Saturdays in each month at School House. Visiting members made welcome. T. S. Stipp, M. W. J. W. Thomas, Rec.

Gavel Lodge, No. 55, A. O. U. W.—Meets second and third Saturday evenings at Knight's Hall, Canby. Visiting brothers made welcome. O. L. Barlow, M. W. W. S. Gribble, Rec.

Clackamas Lodge, No. 57, A. O. U. W.—Meets first and third Mondays in each month, at Strite's Hall. Visiting brethren welcome. S. Holcomb, M. W. C. E. Pease, Rec.

Sunrise Lodge, No. 43, A. O. U. W.—Meets every second and fourth Saturday of each month at Wilsonville, Oregon. Max Schulpius, M. W. C. T. Tooze, Rec.

Oregon Lodge, No. 3, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock p. m. in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Main street. Members of the Order are invited to attend. George C. Ely, N. G. Thos. Ryan, Sec.

Falls Encampment, No 4, I. O. O. F.—Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. Members and visiting patriarchs cordially invited to attend W. H. Howell, Chief Patriarch J. A. Stewart, Scribe.

Oswego Lodge, No. 93, I. O. O. F.—Meets at Odd Fellow's Hall, Oswego, every Saturday evening. Visiting brethren made welcome. G. W. Prosser, N. G. J. F. Risley, Sec.

Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M.—Holds its regular communications on first and third Saturdays of each month at 7:30 p. m. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. L. L. Porter, W. M. T. F. Ryan, Sec.

Wauchena Lodge, No. 13, I. O. R. M.—Meets Wednesday evening at Armory Hall. Visiting members cordially invited. A. J. Hazard, C. of R. Charles Kelly, Sachem.

Meade Post, No. 2, G. A. R., Department of Oregon.—Meets first Monday of each month at K. of P. Hall, Oregon City. Visiting comrades made welcome. David McArthur, Com. J. P. Shaw, Adj.

General Pope Post, No. 52, G. A. R.—Meets first Saturday of each month at Grange hall. Visiting Comrades cordially invited. J. F. Mc[illegible] mander. H. W. Shaw, Adjutant.

Gen. Crook Post, No. 22, G. A. R., Portland, Oregon.—Meets in school house at Newe[illegible] urday in each month at 2 o'clock p. m. Visiting comrades made welcome. Jacob Spogle, Commander, Adj.

Meade Relief Corps, No. 18, Department of Oregon.—Meets on first and third Fridays of each month in K. of P. Hall. Members of corps and visiting comrades cordially welcomed. Mrs. M. M. [illegible], Pres. Mrs. F. L. Cochran, Treas. Mrs. [illegible]

Sons of Veterans, E. D. Baker Camp, No. [illegible] first and third Thursday evenings [illegible] S. Califf, Capt. B. S. [illegible] Wood, 2d Lieut.

Achilles Lodge, No. 3[illegible] day night at the K. of P. [illegible] invited. Chas. Albright, [illegible] of R. & S.

Canby Lodge, No. 564, [illegible] third Saturday evenings [illegible] Visiting members always welcome. [illegible] Gillmore, W. C. T. Mil[illegible]

F Company, First Regiment, [illegible] and Main. Regular drill [illegible] business meeting, first [illegible] W. Ganong, Capt. F. [illegible] Pickens, Second Lieut.

Canby Spiritualist Society [illegible] and third Sundays of each [illegible] dent. Miss Hattie Pidd[illegible]

New Era W. C. T. U.—Meets [illegible] month at their hall in New Era. [illegible] invited to be present. Mrs. C. [illegible] Eastman, Pres.

St. John's Branch, No. 667, C. K. of [illegible] every Tuesday evening at their hall, corner Tenth streets, Oregon City. T. W. [illegible] Matt. Justin, Sec.

Oregon City Board of Trade—Meets at Council [illegible] on second Monday in each month. Visitors [illegible] Geo. C. Brownell, Pres. F. E. Donaldson, S[illegible]

Canby Board of Trade—Meets at Knights of [illegible] Hall, Canby, on first and third Fridays of each month. Visitors welcome. Wm. Knight, Pres. S. J. Garrison, Sec.

Molalla Grange, No. 40, P. of H.—Meets at their hall at Wright's Bridge on the second Saturday of each month at 10 a. m. Fellow members made welcome. J. F. Nelson, Master. E. H. Cooper, Sec.

Tualatin Grange, No. 111, P. of H.—Meets Saturday of each month at their hall in Wilsonville. R. B. Henry, Master. Miss Beda Sharp, Sec.

Warner Grange, No. 117, P. of H.—Meet fourth Saturday of each month at their hall in New Era. C. C. Williams, Master. Miss Maggie Brown, Sec.

Butte Creek Grange, No. 82, P. of H.—Meets at their hall in Marquam second Saturday in each month at 10 a. m. Visiting members always welcome. J. R. White, Master. J. E. Jack, Sec.

Columbia Hook and Ladder Co.—Meets first Friday of each month at Fountain Engine House. W. T. Whitlock, Pres. Ed L. Shaw, Foreman. A.W. Mills, Sec.

Fountain Hose Co., No. 1—Meets second Wednesday in each month at Engine House, east side Main street, between Seventh and Eighth. Hiram Straight, Pres. M. P. Quinn, Foreman. J. W. Stewart, Sec.

Cataract Hose Co. No. 2.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Cataract Engine House. Sidney Smith, Pres. Bert Greenman, Foreman. Herb Bestow, Sec.

Oregon City Hose Co., No. 3—G. W. Church, Pres. W. W. Marrs, Foreman. H. S. Strange, Sec.

A Bushel of Pills,

and every one wants to stick fast in the throat, and feels as though they did stick somewhere. Away with them and take Simmons Liver Regular. One-half a tablespoonful is a dose, and it goes down pleasantly. You'll find it a mild laxative, with no griping, and does not debilitate. It quickly relieves the system of malarial poison, and cures Constipation, Indigestion, Billiousness and Sick Headache.

A limited amount of money to lend on first-class security by Wade R. Spencer, Oregon City.

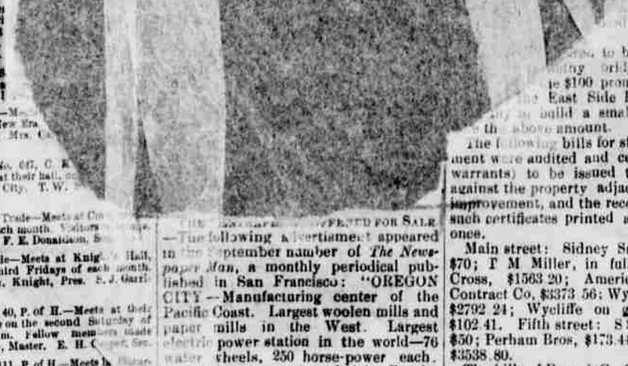
TWO YOKE OF WORK OXEN.—Wanted to trade, two yoke of work oxen, for oats or hay. Apply to H. E. Cross at Gladstone sawmill office, Main street.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

AT THE COFFERDAM.—Now the additional 20 inch pump has been erected at the cofferdam on the west side, there are in operation one 15-inch pump, two 10-inch, two 20 inch and two 12 inch. A brick foundation is being built for two boilers on the ground, on the western edge of the hole which is being pumped out. The cofferdam, with its puffing and smoking steam pumps covered by long low roofs of tarred paper specked with rows of bright nail heads, and the men moving to and fro, some with wheelbarrows and others with tools or a big thought that demands expression, presents a picture to the eye of the looker on from the lofty wood-pile resting against the wall of the canal which is not soon effaced from the memory. The expenditure for this work runs up into the thousands, for $1500, seemingly, will not begin to pay the bills for men and materials for a week. The rain increases the difficulties, for the head of water outside drives out whatever loose material there may be under the cofferdam and lets water through. Near the upper end of the dam the flow has become so great that there a small dam is being built on the inside of the main one. Water is forcing itself in at other points. As a final annoyance the mud at the bottom is being continually kept in commotion by the action of the pumps. But though the sacrifice is great, when the Portland General Electric Company has once erected its concrete wall behind the cofferdam, it will have the foundation for an electric power house than which none will equal it west of the Rockies. The great quantity of turbine wheels, wide-mouthed draft tubes, shafting and other iron material that lies in heaps near the lower end of the lock-canal, tells how vast the magnitude of the establishment will be. The score or more of dynamos are yet to come.

THE FISH LADDER.—Monday, Governor Pennoyer, State Treasurer Metschan, Fish and Game Warden McGuire and U. S. Fish Commissioner McDonald of Washington, inspected Willamette Falls with the object of determining on a location for the $10,000 salmon ladder. The *Daily Statesman* says: After making a thorough examination of the premises, Commissioner McDonald will take his data to Washington and there have plans and specifications drawn for a fishway that will be serviceable and substantial. It will be located near the middle of the falls where the current is strong, not at some side eddy or where the water is shallow and current weak. Such a location was chosen for the ladder formerly built at the falls and it was found not to be worth much, so the loss was not great when it was destroyed. The salmon follow the stiffest current in the stream and try to get up the falls where the water is the swiftest. It is at a point in mid-stream that the proposed fish-way will be built, and the device be so planned as to withstand the force of the current and give abundant accommodation to the salmon seeking breeding ground. The governor is of the opinion that to allow salmon to pass up the Willamette and breed in all the branches will do more to replenish the stock than all the hatcheries in operation now or proposed. Commissioner McDonald also has great faith in the Oregon City fish-way as a means for enabling the salmon increase. It is calculated that everything will be ready to begin construction during the low water season next year."

THE GLADSTONE DAM.—After visiting the Gladstone sawmill dam last week, Fish Commissioner McDonald expressed the opinion that the only adequate fishway for that dam would be an opening four feet in width extending from the top of the dam to the bottom of the river. That would also give William Beeman the opportunity he longs for to run down his cottonwood for the excelsior mill, which he has piled up at Baker's bridge. To prevent fishermen from placing their gill nets across the mouth of the Clackamas, as they have been accustomed to do, he recommends that the racks now in use at the Clackamas hatchery be placed in the stream below the dam. This will practically put a stop to all fishing in the Clackamas, as the law provides that no fisherman shall use gill-nets, seines, traps or wheels within one mile of the racks, under penalty of a heavy fine. The commissioner recommends passage of a law forbidding fishing within 600 feet of the mouth of any stream ascended by salmon on their way to the spawning grounds. Senator Cross readily fell in with the idea of placing racks below his dam, and promises to render material assistance by deeding to the United States government a sufficient amount of land upon which to work [illegible]



[illegible] OFFERED FOR SALE.—The following advertisement appeared in the September number of *The Newspaper Man*, a monthly periodical published in San Francisco: "OREGON CITY—Manufacturing center of the Pacific Coast. Largest woolen mills and paper mills in the West. Largest electric power station in the world—76 water wheels, 250 horse-power each. The *Enterprise* news and job office for sale. Established 1866. One of the best equipped offices in Oregon. Republican paper and county. Investigate. Rare chance for an energetic man. Address C. MESERVE, care of ———, Portland, Oregon." Charley forgets to mention the old city rock crusher and the shoddy mill.

OPENING OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The attendance at the public schools on Monday, the opening day, was 490, and on Wednesday 515, which is an increase of 25 within two days. The enrollment is still increasing. The teachers are assigned as follows: First grade, Miss May Kelly; 2d grade, Miss Getrrude Finley; 3d grade, Miss Annetta Chase; 4th grade, Mrs Glass; 5th grade, Miss Junia Wade; 6th grade, Miss Fannie Porter; 8th grade, Vice-Principal Phil Soulen; 9th and 10th grades, Principal Pringle. In the Seventh street school, the 1st and 2d grades are in charge of Miss Mollie Hankins; 3d and 4th grades, of Miss Erma Lawrence; the 7th grade, of Vice-Principal Powell.

CHATAUQUA CIRCLE.—The Oregon City Chatauqua Circle met on Tuesday evening at the home of Charles Meserve and reported a membership of 16. Program for next meeting: 1. A Study of the Geography of Italy. 2. Stories from Roman Mythology, Mrs. H. S. Strange. 3. The Beginnings of Civilization, Captain Graham. 4. Brief Talk on Economics, Rev. M. Eckstorm. 5. Table Talk, Trades, Commerce, Cities, Political Freedom, Question Drawer. By Order of Committee.

PARTLOW-HOWLAND.—On Wednesday, October 4th, at the residence of our esteemed fellow-citizen, W. B. Partlow, Rev. C. C. Stratton, D. D., united in wedlock James W. Partlow and Miss Annie C. Howland. The ceremony was followed by a delightful dinner. The happy couple took the afternoon train for Chicago. They will spend the honeymoon in visiting the world's fair and other points of interest in the East. Mr. Partlow, the groom's father, who is one of the early Oregon pioneers, accompanies them to visit the scenes that were once so familiar to him, and call on the dear friends and relatives that he has not seen for lo these many years.

PACKET STEAMER LINE.—Capt. A. B. Graham was in Salem Wednesday looking over the ground for establishing a passenger service on the river between Salem and Portland. He was considerably encouraged by what he learned of the prospects of patronage for such a service. The proposition is that the steamer Altona shall ply between Salem and the metropolis. At first it is designed to make trips every other day. Later in the season, when the days get longer a daily round trip may be made, leaving Salem at 7 or 7:30 a. m., and landing at Taylor street, Portland, about 1 o'clock the same day. The boat can carry 250 people.—*Statesman.*

ANT BRUTALITY.—The ant and man have traits in common that are a credit to neither. Mr. Flynn of Mulino spilled a number of ants into a dish filled with water. They had not taken lessons in swimming and struggled for dear life. The stronger crawled on top of the weaker and shoved him under. Then ant No. 3 mounted No. 2, and two more in succesion joined the small pyramid, when the fifth ant floated on top of four of his submerged companions. It is a pretty experiment worth trying. We see selfishness equally brutal every day in many a human community.

BOOK OF THE FAIR.—Part three of "The Book of the Fair" issued by The Bancroft Company, Auditorium Building, Chicago, has been received. This number is a superb one, elegantly printed on heavy glazed paper. The illustrations are beautiful. Any one who takes interest in the greatest fair the world ever saw must be delighted with this work.

BLUE RIVER MINES.—Work has been suspended for the season by S. R. Green and his partners on their Blue River mining property. They made improvements during the summer costing in labor and materials $2400. They excavated 300 feet of tunnel in two quartz ledges and built three miles of wagon road. They are prepared now for shipping in a stamp mill next spring.

THE NEW DIRECTORY.—R. L. Polk & Co.'s Portland City Directory for 1893 has been received from the manager of the firm, H. M. Clinton. It is as exact as it could possibly be made, and is a credit to the publishers. The directory is specially useful to our citizens as it contains, among the classified lists of Portland, a complete business directory of Oregon City.

LUPULINE.—A hop man up the valley recommends growers not to sell lupuline (*lulmulus lupulus*) at less than 20 times the price of hops. Lupuline is a gum and the active principle of the hops and is usually obtained by sweeping the kiln floor and then sieving the same free from leaves and seeds. For brewer's use, one pound equals 20 pounds of hops.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Petition of E C Charman et al for the recording of the original official plat of Oregon City referred to finance committee with power to act.

Licenses of M Huerth and M H Flanagan were continued.

A petition from the residents of Elyville asking for several electric lights between the head of Seventh street and Elyville referred to fire and water committee.

Communication from Chief Engineer Asmus, asking for a change in the condition of the approach to the Cataract engine house so that carts can be run in the house, and for the painting of both houses, referred to the fire and water committee.

Petition from J H Walker et al for a walk on Seventh from the head of the Seventh street stairs to the west side of Center street, referred to the committee on streets.

Communication from Astoria chamber of commerce in regard to raising fund to float battleship "Oregon" about to be launched. The mayor to represent the city at a meeting to be held in Portland October 7th.

[illegible] reported one case of disorderly conduct that received 15 days in jail; cases that forfeited $5 bail and lodged 5 days in jail and fined $5 each.

[illegible] the Seventh street law [illegible] and said committee [illegible] said non-paymen[illegible] property holders [illegible] their assessments [illegible] the assessment [illegible] and that [illegible] 20 days from [illegible] published [illegible]

[illegible] to build approach [illegible] bridge, providing [illegible] $100 promised by Mr. [illegible] East Side Railway. The [illegible] build a small aproach or [illegible] above amount.

The following bills for street improvement were audited and certificates (not warrants) to be issued to contractors against the property adjacent, for such improvement, and the recorder to have such certificates printed and issued at once.

Main street: Sidney Smyth, in full $70; T M Miller, in full, 67 50; H E Cross, $1563 20; American Bridge & Contract Co, $3373 56; Wycliffe, in full, $2792 24; Wycliffe on general fund, $102 41. Fifth street: S Smyth, in full, $50; Perham Bros, $173.44; Dan Lyons, $3538.80.

The bills of Pope & Co for $75 25, D A Hodgson $13 and J Howell $10.50 were referred to the water commission to be paid by them, as the bills were for work on the hydrants and it was the opinion of the council that the commission should pay for such work.

Bills allowed: Dan Lyons $20 20, C Hoberg $197 50, Wilson & Cooke $20.15, Geo Broughton $49.59, Poysert & Puttkamer $8, C B Welch $6.90, L L Porter $50, J S Purdom $80, J W Kelly, $65, L A Nobel $19, Portland Gen E Co $172.45, *Enterprise* $3 25, Mrs G W Church $16, Oregon Pottery Co $131.50, A G Long $131 66, Sidney Smyth $2 05, O C Sash & Door Co $4 15.

Communicated.

OREGON CITY, Oct. 2d, 1893.

Editor COURIER: The following articles have been stolen from my residence: 1 gold watch and chain, 1 black cassimere dress pattern, 2 solid silver table spoons, 1 pair spectacles. The party having these articles is known, and if the things are brought back, nothing will be said, if not, a warrant of arrest will be gotten out and served very shortly. GRANDMA WHITLOCK.

There can be no health for either mind or body so long as the blood is vitiated. Cleanse the vital current from all impurities by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine recruits the wasted energies, strengthens the nerves, and restores health to the debilitated system.

Make your purchases from the large assorted stock of Charman & Son; prices lower than in Portland.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Mrs. Ross Holman became the mother of a girl on Sunday.

A man named Winkel has bought two lots in Sunset City for $700.

Wood sells for $2.50 per cord. During the winter it will crawl up to $3 or $3.50.

Portland ice sells here at 50 cents a 100 pound and Oregon City ice at 75 cents.

There is no demand in the Portland market for hay except to supply present needs.

E. M. Howell is building a new house near his residence on Jefferson and Eleventh.

Mr. Winesett lies yet helpless from paralysis in his lower limbs. Above the hips he is all right.

W. M. Collard harvested 18,000 pounds of hops from eight acres in Mission Bottom near Butteville.

Matt O. Dell, employed on the pile driver at the west side cofferdam, had two toes cut off Sunday morning.

The Clackamas County Fruit Growers' Society will hold its next meeting at Canby on Saturday, November 4th.

Mrs. S. E. Sprague became the mother of a 10-pound girl on Sunday, September 24th. Who says times are hard in Oregon?

Mr. Cobery, of the firm of Flanagan & Cobery, has sold his interest in the saloon business to his partner, Mr. Flanagan.

Tuesday, the meat market of Messrs. Albright & Warner purchased three deer from a hunter named Russell of Russellville. The venison was delicious.

Potatoes are not plentiful and Hon. John Kruse has a 35-acre field of them that are still growing. In spite of the low price, he has sown 95 acres of fall wheat.

The "Pride of Japan" Tea is steadily growing in favor among housekeepers. Those who have used it find always it is the best. For sale at H. Straight's store.

Mr. Stump, the Suavie's island sportsman, was recently in British Columbia hunting bear with his bear hounds. He and his companions killed 50, among them a grizzly weighing 1800 pounds.

Mr. Hubbard, of the Clackamas hatchery, has been able to secure only 300,000 salmon eggs, in stead of several millions which he ought to have now on hand.

M. E. Sunday school will in the future be held at 10 a. m., and the class meeting immediately after morning service, commencing next Sunday.

GABRIEL SYKES.

The largest and most expensive present that Mr. and Mrs. J. McGrath received on their wedding day was a handsome residence with grounds in Canemah, from the groom's father, P. McGrath.

The Union Pacific has made a rate on newspaper in carload lots from Oregon City to Utah common points of 90 cents per 100. This will enable our mills to successfully complete with Eastern manufacturers.

There will be a regular meeting of Multnomah District Pomona Grange, held at Boise Grange in "Eliott's Prairie," on October 11th, at 10:30 a. m. A full attendance is desired. MARY S. HOWARD, Secretary.

I. M. Bales of Needy has been jailed here at the request of Mr. Dimick of Hubbard, as an absconding debtor. Bales was on the way East with his family. It is said he has money but does not want to pay it out.

Dr. Schubert is at his office in this city on Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, and for the remainder of the week he is at Dr. Sullivan's office in Oswego, during the temporary absence of that gentleman in the East.

A plat has been filed of "Willamette Falls," blocks 1 to 17 inclusive, signed by H. W. Goode as vice-president and Charles H. Caufield as secretary. It is situated between the Tualatin and Willamette rivers. The lots are 50 by 100 and alleys 20 feet.

Our eloquent postmaster, Mr. Rands, met members of the Oregon and Washington editorial associations on the motor line at Milwaukie, Sunday forenoon, and welcomed them with an address of high voltage, but the electric current did not sizzle a second.

Copied from Register of Actions: Walter Sheperd vs A J Burdett, complaint and attachment filed; Emma McDonald vs Ladru and Osmond Royal, complaint; B T Broderson vs Portland General Electric Company, complaint; State of Oregon vs heirs of John Gray, D J Jones et al.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

E. E. Williams returned from the world's fair Sunday.

Governor Pennoyer stopped at the Electric hotel Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Prier returned from the sea coast Sunday morning.

License to wed issued September 28th to Neoda Mallett and H. L. Vaughan.

V. Harris, an Astoria gentleman, is now proprieter of the Thos. Fields store.

Col. J. B. Pithian and other Oregon editors were in the city on Sunday.

The Oswego *Ironworker* says Prof. H. S. Strange is "a prominent candidate for state superintendent."

Sam Selling, the popular merchant, left for the East last week, to return sometime in November.

Will H. Walker returned from Tillamook Wednesday, where, he reports, business could not be duller.

L. R. Janney, the attorney, will be absent from Oregon City for some time, to transact business in California.

Alfred Howland was in town this week with his old friend, Billy Stone. It was Billy's first visit to the city in two years.

Married, at the Methodist parsonage, September 28th, by Rev. Gabriel Sykes, Simpert Nefziger to Miss Martha E. Sykes.

Married at the home of the bride in Canemah, October 4th, by Rev. G. W. Giboney, Mr. Winfield L. Midlam and Miss Frances E. Marshall.

The Willamette Silver Cornet Band will give their first ball, Friday October 13th, in the Armory hall. First-class music will be furnished by the band orchestra under the efficient leadership of Prof. J. H. Everest. Come everybody and enjoy yourself. Tickets 75 cents. Ladies free.

Next Sunday evening Rev. H. A. Shorey of the Congregational church will give one of his stirring talks on "The Young Man of the Period." Mr. Shorey's experience as pastor of a Boston church, editor of the *Golden Rule*, president of Gates college, has given him an outlook upon practical life possessed by few occupants of the pulpit.

SPECIMEN CASES.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at G. A. Harding's Drug Store.

GUARANTEED CURE.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We could not make this offer did we not know that Dr. King's New Discovery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at Geo. A. Harding's Drug Store. Large size 50 cents and $1.00.

Ripans Tabules assist digestion.

LOGAN.

Threshing is about done in this community.

Chas. Tracy has just completed a fine two-story residence on his farm. Mr. Snyder has also completed a nice house. B. Hawley, E. Hawley and S. Hattan and others are building. Logan is going right ahead in spite of hard times.

T. B. McCubbin is breaking bunchgrass horses. Tom knows how.

Mrs. Nancy McCubbin is very sick.

There was a little surprise party at T. P. McCubbin's house last Thursday night. Dancing was the principal amusement, tht was enjoyed by all the participants. After the party had broken up, three or four young people had an impromptu dance which was joyous enough until Miss Caroline Swales, in executing one of the steps, slipped on the steps and sprained her ankle. She suffered much pain for a few days, but is up and around now.

Mr. Booton has just gone home with a band of horses.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Humphrey Jones to Lewis Gardner, 40 as in e ½ of secs 21 & 28, t 3 t, r 2 e; $1000.

W W Weed to W E Weed, 144 sq rds of Ph Lee donation, ts 3 & 4 s, r 1 e; $2000.

Wm Barlow to C W Armstrong, s ½ of nw ¼ of sec 29, t 3 s, r 1 e, near Pudding river, 27 as; $400.

George Backmeyer to A Bany, e ½ of nw ¼ of sec 2, t 4 s, r 1 e, 80 as; $3650.

Franz Eder to Hosea Ballou, donation of C M St John, Not 7359, 300 as; $36,000.

J A Confer to Jennie P Tate, lots 1, 2, 7, 8, blk 21, Co and to Or City; $1600.

Ira Cooper to Susie Ann Cooper, 60 as in sec 4, t 3 s, r 5 e; $300.

M Davoren to Agnes Jane Crookshanks, 60 as in sec 1, t 2 s, r 2 e; $500.

A E Lewellen to John Lewellen, 90 as of E B Lewellen donation; $1. W L Cornett to John Lewellen, same; $1. W J Lewellen to John Lewellen same; $1.

C O Davis to sch dist 82, quitclaim, ½ acre, if school is maintained two consecutive years; $1.

Martha Bluce to Frank May, 75 as, secs 24, 25, t 4 s, r 1 e; $10. Sarah Beckmark to Frank May, same; $1. Josephine May to Frank May, same; $10. Mary Rosenstein to Frank May, same; $10.

J P Menefee to Jane O Eller, lots 7, 8, Pleasant Hill Park in W Blotton donation, sec 1, 12, t 2 s, r 1 e; $1500.

J D Lee to Mary A Lee Buttler, lots 1, 2, 3, 16, blk 36, S Oswego; $300.

Ed Holloway to Gertrude E Holloway, 139¼ as in sec 23, t 3 s, r 4 e; $1500.

J D and E A Lee to Mrs Nancy Wilten, lot 2, blk 18, 15 blk 36, 5 blk 42, S Oswego; $190.

Or Land Co of Salem to Orpha Vansyckel, lots 37, 38, blk 40 Minthorn; $250.

Lizzie A Royal to Ladru Royal, ¼ int in lots 4, 5, blk 28, Or City; $1.

U S to Ira Cooper, H Cert 3657, se¼ of sec 4, t 3 s, r 5 e.

A Mather to T O Strong, 40 as in sec 14, t 3 s, r 4 e on Eagle Creek; $250.

Jacob Harless to Jacob Elmer, 220 near Molalla Corners; $8800.

LETTER LIST.

The following is a list of letters remaining at the Oregon City postoffice for the week ending October 5th, 1893, uncalled for:

Balensiefen, Gus	Brown, O R
Detrick, J W	Durling, M G
Froster, L H	Gans, M
Hart, Wm	Hathaway, J C
Holmes, Mary A	Howard, C A
Jones, O P	Jones, Miss Ann
Johnson, Mrs Alice	Kelly, J A
Laverty, A R	Lourign
Perham, H W & E J	Redner, J F
Retate, V F	Ross, Mrs Chas
Ross, Mrs C C	Runyan, W S

When calling for these letters please say "advertised." E. M. RANDS, P. M.

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY MEETING.

Argus Attends It and Frankly Expresses his Opinions.

Editor Courier: Being a working man and having little to do, these dull times, I thought I might get a little information, etc., by hearing the people's party men at Shively's hall on Saturday. Why the people's party men did not turn in and aid the little side show by a few more common sense arguments, I do not know, as there were room for them. Rev. Joe Waldrop dished up a large amount of old hash for his address viz: The capitalists or bankers, or Wall street money kings, a branch from Lombard street, London, had combined to enslave the American people, through the control of the legislature by corruption of her representatives, and had forced legislation which robbed the people of untold wealth. This he asserted to be the cause of the present financial crisis. Bankers were locking their money up and withdrawing it from circulation, the national banks having withdrawn more than their circulation during the last decade. He proved the conspiracy by reading a copy of an old circular some one had been allowed to see amongst some old papers in a bank. A copy of this supposed circular will be found in Mrs. Emery's "Seven Financial Conspiracies."

What the speaker lacked in argument he made up for in gesture, etc. When he would be emphatic, he plunged out the forefinger of his right hand, with hollowed back and foot planted forward with an irresistable stamp that finally settled it, and as he gyrated, oscillated, vibrated, quaked, tottered, trilled or in short English, as he *shook* his massive pile of pretty curls with such positive assurance, there was no room left for doubting. My friends of the people's party should not mistake such physical efforts for facts and sound logic.

He did not, to my mind, show any particular connection between the robbery acts of legislation in and prior to 1873, and the financial crises which has come upon us suddenly and without previous warning. Neither did he give any reasons why it had not come before, waiting 20 years to mature, nor why this maturity could not have been extended indefinitely.

Business and trade cannot exist without capital, and capital is easily scared. The first thing a wise investor looks for is security. Foreign investors look for a gold basis as the only security against depreciative values, and a breath of suspicion of this being tampered with is sufficient to bring about a crises, like the one we are passing through. Hence our president and congress hastened to assemble to pass legislation which was calculated to restore confidence, and I, for one, have more faith in their sagacity and patriotism than in Friend Waldrop's remedies. I cannot believe that the choice of the people in her legislative halls are all either fools or knaves except the small minority sent by the populist vote.

Honesty is the best policy, etc. He who would argue repudiation of his country's debts, however fair his sophistry may look, is deteriorating his own character and exercises a mischievous power on his country as far as his influence extends. ARGUS.

The *Arena* is the foremost reform magazine of the country. It is an "arena" for the discussion of the newest and freshest thought of our most original thinkers. The October number contains an article from M. M. Trumbull on "Judge Geary and the Anarchists," by A. J. Warner on "Silver or Fiat Money;" by B. O. Flower on "The Coming Religion;" by R. J. Hinton on "A Continental Issue" and other contributions of equal merit.

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C. P. WINESETT.

By arrangement S. F. Scripture will attend to my undertaking business during my illness.