

OREGON CITY, DECEMBER 23, 1913. Terms of Subscription: \$1.00 per copy, one year in advance, \$10.00 per copy, one year in advance.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Judge, J. W. McElmer. Clerk of Court, Geo. F. Hanson. Sheriff, J. W. McElmer. Recorder, S. M. Hamby.

OREGON CITY OFFICERS. Mayor, T. W. Sullivan. Recorder, L. E. Foster. Chief of Police, J. E. Phillips.

CHURCHES. First Congregational Church—Rev. M. Langhorne. First Baptist Church—Rev. Olin Parker.

OREGON CITY IS LAST TO witness the first production of "A Night in Bohemia," which has been in rehearsal for several months.

THE REASON WHY—Our erstwhile townsmen, Dr. Robert Beattie, is no longer U. S. Marshal Grady's deputy at Portland.

SHOT IN THE EYE—On Friday last, a young man, who is now in the hospital at the Oregon City hospital, was shot in the eye.

MUSICAL AND THEATRICAL ENTERTAINMENT—The musical and theatrical entertainment at Shively's hall.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES—The following is the order of services on Christmas day at St. John's church.

REFORE THE STATE BOARD—Judge J. W. McElmer, Assessor J. C. Bradley and J. T. Apperson appeared before the state board of equalization.

ACTORS BEGINS—Since the 14th of the following acts were entered on the Register: Wadhams & Co. vs. H. A. Vorpahl.

Don't fail to witness the Grand March at Army Hall, December 25th, of the Red Men's Masquerade Ball.

Music by the Willamette String Band under the leadership of John Everest.

LETTER LIST. The following is a list of letters remaining at the Oregon City postoffice for the week ending December 21st, 1913.

Mr. J. P. Blaize, an extensive real estate dealer in Des Moines, Iowa, narrowly escaped one of the severest attacks of pneumonia while in the northern part of that state during a recent blizzard.

LA GRIFFE. During the prevalence of the grippe the past season it was a sad condition that those who were afflicted with it.

Get ready and go to the Grand Masquerade Ball given by the I. O. R. M., December 25.

Silas Wright is with John K. Olliver in the Kootenai country, B. C. Happy Jack, the sailor, has gone to Portland to make a trip to England.

Wm. Davis, the painter, has nearly completed his neat cottage in the northern part of the city on the bluff.

There was a turkey shoot at George B. Barlow's place on Saturday.

James Decker of Molalla obtained 22 cents per pound for the fleeces from his goats.

The secret of the excellence of Billy Partlow's apple cider is in the cleanliness and care in making it.

Money in sums of a few hundred is now being loaned at the rate of 15 to 20 per cent per annum.

At the sheriff's foreclosure sale on the 10th near Milwaukee of the property of DeWitt & Helms, cows were sold at 75 cents to \$2 each and the very best in the herd of \$2 brought \$28.

We are pleased to announce the arrival of our holiday stock and that we are now ready for the Christmas season.

Mr. Slicker of Eagle Creek predicts that though the new road system works badly this year, in about five years it will be the means of giving this county several excellent main thoroughfares.

This is a most peculiar section of country. Though the soil is fertile and good farming land all around us, among the most common articles of freight on the Ramona from Portland are hay, oats, cabbage, water and eggs.

Before you buy your Christmas presents come and see us. We will aid you in selecting, post you as to style, guarantee you the quality.

George C. Brownell is favorably mentioned by the Roseburg Register, a democratic paper, as a candidate for congressman on the republican ticket.

When the heart is affected by Rheumatism, or any of the muscles near that organ, it is like tampering with an electric wire, for death may come at any moment.

For a score throat there is nothing better than a flannel bandage with Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It will nearly always effect a cure in one night.

Red Men's Masquerade Ball, Christmas Night. Grand March starts at 9 o'clock.

In the matter of the care and keeping of \$8,500, ordered by the S. W. Gains he allowed \$630 per month.

In the matter of the claim of W. H. Welch for fees in case of state vs. George Smith, claim disallowed as the contractor has not shown that the state is liable.

Warrant for \$250 was ordered drawn in favor of Portman Bros. on Fifth street fund.

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Recruits of the American Army. The Army and Navy Journal says: Of the nearly 10,000 men enlisted in the army during the past year, seven placed themselves on record as lawyers, three as dentists, two as chemists, thirty-nine as druggists, etc.

Time Checks Instead of Cash. The "hard times" have lately given rise to a prevalent custom of giving so-called "time checks" in lieu of immediate cash to men employed in Oregon City.

The Profit in Prunes. Before August George G. W. Kutner read on November 25th a paper on prune growing, which he concluded with the following estimated cost of and income from an acre of prunes, for five years from date of planting:

Expenses—1st year, 400; 2nd year, 400; 3rd year, 400; 4th year, 200; 5th year, 200. Total, 1,600.

Hot Baths. Prof. Nikkio, who was for many years in the Japanese bath school at the Tokio university, says that much of the healthfulness of the Japanese is due to their habitual use of very hot water in bathing.

GRANDMOTHER'S ADVICE. In raising a family of five children, my only first-born child, I have learned that it is just as effective to use Dr. Gunn's Onion Syrup as to use any other medicine.

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The Holiday Season. Make your purchases for Christmas or New Year at Charman & Son's.

THE PIONEER STORE. Offers the public not alone the Largest Stock of General Merchandise in the City, but also a Fine Assortment of Goods specially adapted for the HOLIDAY TRADE.

We Do Not Sell You. One article at cost and then charge you two profits on the balance, but sell you all our line at Rock Bottom Prices.

We wish to announce that we keep a good assortment of Xmas Toys, Children's Chairs, Easy Chairs, Upholstered Rockers, Parlor Suites and Lounges, fitted for Christmas presents.

Red Front's Special Sale! \$1 BUYS either 19 lbs. Dry Granulated Sugar—4 lbs. Good Roast Coffee—4 lbs. Good Green Tea—15 yds. Cabot W—18 yds. Indigo Blue Print—40 yds. House Lining—Ladies' Shoes—Etc.

Seventh - Street - Bakery AND CONFECTIONERY. LUNCH AND HOT COFFEE AT EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY.

All Kinds of Cake Made to Order AND ORNAMENTED FREE OF CHARGE. LEAVE YOUR ORDERS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

C. D. & D. C. LATOURETTE, ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS AT LAW. OFFICE, REAR OF COMMERCIAL BANK.

L. M. ANDREWS, M. D. DEALER IN Drugs, Notions, Perfumeries. Toilet Articles, etc.

Johnson & Idleman, LAWYERS. CORNER FOURTH AND MAIN STREETS, OREGON CITY, OREGON.

The Commercial Bank OF OREGON CITY. CAPITAL \$100,000. R. Prier's PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.

FRANK NELSON, Gun and Locksmith. Adjoining the Nobilit Stable, OREGON CITY, OREGON.

CITY VIEW NURSERY, CANBY, OREGON. All kinds of fruit trees for sale.

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STEAMER "RAMONA." TIME TABLE OREGON CITY BOAT LEAVE PORTLAND FOR OREGON CITY.

GEO. A. HARDING, DEALER IN DRUGS. Standard Pat. Medicines.

Bank of Oregon City. OLDEST BANKING HOUSE IN THE CITY. Paid Up Capital, \$60,000.

Ripans Tablets cure constipation. Ripans Tablets; best liver tonic. Ripans Tablets; one gives relief. Ripans Tablets cure biliousness.