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County Court meets on first Wednesday after first Monday of every month.

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OREGON CITY OFFICERS.

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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 6:30 prompt.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Gilman Parker, Pastor Sunday Service 11; Sunday School 12:15; Evening Service 8:00; Regular Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening. Monthly Covenant Meeting every Wednesday evening preceding 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. Gibboney, 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 preceding 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.

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.

Evangelical Lutheran Zion Congregation.—Rev. L. Grey, pastor. Meets in Shively's hall, Sunday school from 9:30 to 10:30 a. m. Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

SOCIETIES.

Falls City Lodge of A. O. U. W.—Meets every Saturday evening of each month in A. O. U. W. hall on Seventh street. All sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend. Thomas Gault; M. W. W. T. Whitlock, 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.

Ogre Lodge, No. 55, A. O. U. W.—Meets second and third Saturday evenings at Knight's Hall, Canby. Visiting brothers made welcome. A. R. Shank, M. W. E. E. Carlton, 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. 5, 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. J. W. Moffatt, N. G. Thos. F. Ryan, P. S.

Pettis Encampment, No. 1, I. O. O. F.—Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at Odd Fellows' Hall. Members and visiting patriarchs cordially invited to attend. O. Lovejoy, Chief Patriarch. J. A. Fowler, Scribe.

Oswego Lodge, No. 93, I. O. O. F.—Meets at Odd Fellow's Hall, Oswego, every Monday evening. Visiting brethren made welcome. W. J. Phinazee, 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.

Oswego Lodge No. 10, A. F. & A. M.—Meets the second and fourth Saturdays. Masons invited. D. B. Rees, W. M. E. J. Russell, Sec.

Clackamas Chapter No. 2, R. A. M.—Regular convocation third Monday of month at 7:30 p. m. J. H. Walker, H. P. M. Schulpius, Sec.

Pioneer Chapter, No. 28, O. E. S.—Meets in Masonic Temple, Mrs. H. S. Strange, W. M. Miss Addie C. Jennings, Sec.

Willamette Falls Camp No. 148, W. of W.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of the month at K. of P. hall. Visiting neighbors made welcome. E. M. Rands, C. C. E. E. Martin, Clerk.

Wauchene Lodge, No. 13, I. O. R. M.—Meets Monday evening at A. O. U. W. Hall. Visiting members cordially invited. J. H. Howard, Sachem.

Meade Post, No. 2, G. A. R., Department of Oregon.—Meets first Monday of each month at A. O. U. W. Hall, Oregon City. Visiting comrades made welcome. W. H. Burghardt, 45th, U. S. Williams, Adj.

General Pope Post, No. 32, G. A. R.—Meets first Saturday of each month at Grange hall, Molino. Comrades cordially invited. J. F. Nelson, Commander. H. W. Shaw, Adjutant.

Gen. Crook Post, No. 22, G. A. R., Department of Oregon.—Meets in school house at Needy on first Saturday in each month at 2 o'clock p. m. All comrades made welcome. Jacob Spogle, Com. J. Karstaeder, 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 from abroad cordially welcomed. Mrs. M. S. Pilsbury, Pres. Mrs. F. L. Cochran, Treas. Mrs. J. B. Harding, Sec.

Sons of Veterans, E. D. Baker Camp, No. 18—Meets first and third Thursday evenings of each month. W. E. Johnson, Capt. G. D. Wood, 1st Lieut. Alonzo Wickham, 2d Lieut.

L. A. S. of Baker Camp, S. of V.—Meets in K. P. hall on second and fourth Monday evenings of each month. Mrs. W. E. Johnson, Pres. Miss Nora Califf, Secy.

Achilles Lodge, No. 38, K. of P.—Meets every Friday night at the K. of P. hall. Visiting knights invited. R. L. Holman, C. C. F. J. Louis, K. of R. & S.

Star Lodge No. 95, K. of P.—Meets every Wednesday evening in Castle hall. Brothers invited. J. F. Risley, C. C. Thos. Nelson, K. of R. & S.

Canby Lodge, No. 564, I. O. G. T.—Meets first and third Saturday evenings at Knight's Hall, Canby. Visiting members always made welcome. D. J. Cox, W. C. T. Miss Laura Knight, Sec.

Oswego Lodge No. 448, I. O. G. T.—Meets every Friday evening in new hall in old town. J. C. Haines, C. T. John Kruse, Sec.

F Company, First Regt., O. N. G.—Armory, Third and Main. Regular drill night, Monday. Regular business meeting, first Monday of each month. J. W. Ganong, Capt. F. S. Kelley, First Lieut. L. L. Pickens, Second Lieut.

Canby Spiritualist Society.—Assembles on first and third Sundays of each month. H. A. Lee, President. Miss Hattie Phillips, Recording Secretary.

New Era W. C. T. U.—Meets first Saturday in each month at their hall in New Era. Friends of the cause invited to be present. Mrs Carey Johnson, Mrs. Eastman, Pres.

St. John's Branch, No. 647, C. K. of A.—Meets every Tuesday evening at their hall, corner Main and Tenth streets, Oregon City. T. W. Sullivan, Pres. S. C. Michels, Sec.

Oregon City Board of Trade—Meets at Court House on second Monday in each month. Visitors welcome. Geo C. Brownell, Pres. F. E. Donaldson, Sec.

Canby Board of Trade—Meets at Knight's Hall, Canby, on first and third Fridays of each month. Visitors welcome. Wm. Knight, Pres. S. A. 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 last 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.

Hope 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.

Oswego Grange No. 175, P. of H.—Meets second Saturday in month at 10 a. m. G. Eaton, Master. J. Q. Gage, Sec.

Damascus Grange No. 260, P. of H.—Meets on first Saturday in month at 10 a. m. in Damascus schoolhouse. S. Young, Master. T. H. Feathers, Sec.

Mistletoe Lodge No. 23, D. of H.—Meets every Tuesday evening. Mary Blackford, C. of H. Flora Dyer, Rec.

Columbia Hook and Ladder Co.—Meets first Friday of each month at Fountain Engine House. H. W. Trembath, Pres. Wallace Cole, Foreman. George Brown, 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. Quigley, Foreman. J. W. Stewart, Sec.

Cataract Hose Co. No. 2—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Cataract Engine House. Frank Lewis, Pres. D. W. Kimland, Foreman. H. J. Thorne, Sec.

Oregon City Hose Co., No. 3—Meets in Hose House on the hill the third Tuesday of each month. T. S. Lawrence, Pres. Sim Nefzger, Foreman. H. S. Strange, Sec.

Ripans Tabules: best liver tonic.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

RENEGADE RUDOLPH'S GUN.—If a people's party man like Mr. Hankins were to boast in a platform speech that he carried a gun, as did Prof. Rudolph, he would be arrested and fined, and great would be the howl about "anarchism!" But this vagabond ex priest is not alone not molested, but he is treated like a dear friend and brother by some of our Protestant preachers, who, in their childlike guilelessness, do not seem aware of the fact that Prof. Rudolph despises orthodox Protestantism fully as much as he does that kindly old gentleman in Rome of whom he says in his lectures, "To hell with the pope!" It is most appropriate that Rudolph should be the spokesman of such a disloyal organization as the A. P. A.

SCHOOL STATISTICS OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY.—From the report of School Superintendent Gibson for the year ending March, 1894, to the state superintendent, the following figures are taken: Number of census children, 7714; number enrolled during the year ending March, 1894, 4915; average daily attendance, 3275; value of school property, $169,646; average wages paid male teachers $44 28; average wages paid female teachers, $36 56; average number of months school, 7; number of schoool houses built during the year, 7; total receipts for the year, $78,781.32; total disbursements for the year, $77,303.93.

COMING TO OUR CITY.—It gives one unalloyed pleasure to announce to the public that by a most fortunate circumstance, music-lovers will in the near future be given a rare treat in the first appearance in this city of the famous organization known as the "Chicago Ladies' Quartet." They are accompanied by Miss Cornelia Neltnor, humorist and impersonator. In this their fourth tour they have sung their way into the affections of the people to a remarkable degree. We feel confident in predicting that a large and appreciative audience will greet them on May 3d at Shively's opera house.

FRIDAY'S CONCERT.—Still more attraction has been added to the programme for the concert on Friday, April 20th. Dr. Emil Schubert has kindly consented to play a violin obligato. The doctor's ability and taste in music is too well known to need further comment. You will pronounce him a master of the bow. Miss Addice Skillman's rich contralto gave such great delight in F. Louis King's recital in Portland, that the audience would not be satisfied until she responded the third time. Miss Mable Akin, an accomplished pianist, will accompany her and will also render a piano solo.

A SERMON ON LOYALTY.—Sunday forenoon, at the Roman Catholic church, Father Hillebrand chose for his subject the duty of loyalty to the secular authorities, a duty which, he said, is enjoined by the church and the Holy Scriptures. He deprecated in conciliatory words the actions of those who come in this community from elsewhere, to wash their dirty linen on the lecture platform and stir up strife and contention where formerly there was harmony and place. He enjoined his hearers to pray for their misguided persecutors ignorant of the extent of their folly.

A TRAGIC END.—Willis Armstrong vanished from the Ellwood while she was running under full head of steam below Fairview last week Wednesday. He was serving as second engineer and as the oilcan disappeared with him it is surmised that he went aft along the narrow ledge on the outside of the boat to lubricate the shaft and fell overboard. Efforts are being made to recover the body. Willis Armstrong was a young man of promise, industrious and ambitious, and gentlemanly.

NOTICE TO CHILDREN.—Any children having cards of the Fruitilaxi advertisement and wishing to compete for the prize, must send them to Charman & Co. by April 25th, as the prizes will be awarded on or about May 1st.

LETTER LIST.

The following is a list of letters remaining at the Oregon City postoffice for the week ending April 19, 1894, uncalled for:

Alcott, Mrs Della	Benson, John
Harms, John	Klant, Ferdinand
Quilly, J R	Richardson, H J
Robinson, W H	Ross, W S
Rotter, Miss Effie	

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

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Kitty Ruth to W. L. Bentley, 5 as & 32 sq rds, secs 4 & 5, t 1 s, r 2 e; $1200.

Sam Clark to Al Clark, 8 as of A. P. Smith claim; $1000.

James Shaw to Thomas Neilson, lots 19, 20 of blk 16, Annex to O C; $200.

O I & S Co to Lizzie J Cannon, lot 14 of blk 117, ext of Co's 1st add; $100.

Peter Flammany to Katie Flammany, lot 14 blk 45, Oswego 1st add; $225.

C Bolds to Gladstone R E A, lots 5, 6 in blk 17, Gladstone; $1600.

W J Matchette et al to F W Miller, lots 21 22 blk 69, Minthorn; $250.

O C R E & T Co to J A Leitsch of Alma, Wis, lot 2 in blk 3, Shaw's 2d add to O C; $350 in 31 payments.

O C R E & T Co to Lawrence Leitsch of Alma, Wis, lot 2 in blk 6, J Shaw's 2d add to O C; $350 in 31 payments.

O C R E & T Co to Frank Leitsch of Alma, Wis, lot 1 blk 3, Shaw's 2d add to O C; $350 in 31 payments.

U S to O H Baker, s ½ of se ¼ of sec 3, t 4 s, r 2 e, 80 as; patent.

Sunset Land Co to Wm Winkel, lots 7, 8 of blk 21, Sunset City; $300.

J C Tracy to N M Tracy, se ¼ of sw ¼ of sec 14, t 3 s, r 4 e, 40 as; $20.

J C Tracy to N M Tracy, lot 2 in sec 23, t 3 s, r 4 e, 33.40 as; $200.

Lavina A Wright to A E Duff, 4.72 as of Harrison Wright claim; $70.80.

Mason Weston to Sarah J Fancher, 11.85 as in t 3 s, r 1 e; $575.

George C Ely to D G Frost, lots 6, 7, Heckart's add to O C; $350.

George C Ely to D G Frost, lots 13 & 14 blk 2, Fairview add to O C; $300.

Elizabeth E Moody to J V Harlesss, lot 13 in tract 1, & tract 9, town of Molalla; $275.

George Bolton to Wm Dale, lots 1, 2 blk 2, West Side add; $550.

Lucius A Seely to Robt I Seely, 4 27 as in sec 14, t 3 s, r 1 w; $200.

A Traveling Man

Mr. A. C. Wolf, of Washington, Mo., writes that after taking Drummond's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism for one week, the pain had left him almost entirely. He slept better, had no more night sweats, and appetite was good. He also wrote that he would not take $100 for what the remedy had done for him. There is no waiting weeks and months to get satisfaction. The remedy attacks the disease at once. If your druggist has not got Drummond's Lightning Remedy, write to the Drummond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

Our better halves say they could not keep house without Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is used in more than half the homes in Leeds. Sims Bros. Leeds, Iowa. This shows the esteem in which that remedy is held where it has been sold for years and is well known. Mothers have learned that there is nothing so good for colds, croup and whooping cough, that it cures these ailments quickly and permanently, and that it is pleasant and safe for children to take. 50 cent bottles for sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

People with hair that is continually falling out, or those that are bald, can stop the falling, and get a good growth of hair by using Hall's Hair Renewer.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

H. L. Kelly is building an addition to his residence.

Do not forget to hear the child pianist, Beatrice Barlow, April 20th, at Shively's hall.

T. F. Cowing on Monday returned from a flying busines trip to Chicago for a client.

J. D. Renner is now prepared to move all kinds of buildings without damage to the same. Prices reasonable.

Mrs. E. G. Caufield gave a tea at her residence in honor of her mother, Mrs. Putrow, on Thursday afternoon.

Noblitt's livery stable is slicking up for the rush of summer business—new floors and other improvements.

White Bros. and Baxter Bros have secured the contract for building C. H. Dye's residence at something over $1700.

P. F. Morey is returning from a trip to Texas. He crosses the continent a number of times during the course of a year.

Married, at the Electric Hotel on Wednesday evening, April 18th, by Rev. G. W. Giboney, Robert Fege and Miss Bertha Schoen.

Madame Patterson, clairvoyant and test medium, at the residence of Mrs. Witherell, Main street, opposite Huntley's drugstore.

A large part of the adjoining farms of Alfred and John Howland (Mt. Pleasant) has been seeded down. The boys are going more extensively into hay than heretofore.

On Monday Henry Meldrum moved his family and household effects to the house vacated by Mrs. Campbell, who is for the time being a resident of Salem.

Charles Holman and his friends received deserved recognition when he was chosen member of the republican state central committee for Clackamas County.

Miss Fannie Meserve, a lady of remarkable musical talent, gives a solo at Shively's hall Friday evening on the cornet, the instrument on which she has practiced since infancy.

License to wed issued to Augusta Kaune and C. F. Zinser, J. W. McGregor and Mrs. Minnie M. Hallam, Alice Grider and A. R. Leron, Melinda Lehmen and Bernard H. Fisch.

The COURIER has received a number of valuable productions of the government printing office from Congressman Hermann and Senator Mitchell, for which many thanks are returned.

Strayed, last Saturday, from the residence of Mrs. Rhodes on John Adams street, between 5th & 6th, a turkey gobbler. Will the finder of the bird please give the desired information for his recovery by owner?

The Ely Brothers (Duane and George V.) last week Monday bought the store and stock of goods of their uncle George. They have moved their own stock across the road and taken permanent possession of their larger store.

On Tuesday, Messrs. Petzold & Gale, the Seventh street butchers, moved into their new quarters in the A. O. U. W. building. They have by all odds the handsomest and best appointed meat market in the city that compares favorably with Portland establishments.

Here the Portland *Chronicle* hits the nail squarely on the head: "Ex-Priest Rudolph, who is lecturing under the auspices of the A. P. A., is a shrewd man and is making hay while the sun shines. He is working the association for all there is in it and is making a bushel of money."

J. F. T. B. Brentano, Indian agent at the Grand Ronde agency, was in the city Wednesday. He had just returned from a visit to his father, Dr. Bretano, at St. Paul, Marion county, to participate in the celebration of his golden wedding, who by the way, is the oldest physician in Oregon.

The date for the institution of the new Rebekah Degree lodge in this city has been changed from Friday, April 27th, to Friday, May 5th. The change was made owing to the fact that the Rebekah lodges in Portland had made prior engagements and could not be present on the date intended.

Prof. Rudolph's Sunday afternoon lecture at Shively's hall was closed by Rev. Gilman Parker with the benediction. The renegade priest pitched into the Catholic church with his wonted vigor and "warmed the jacket" of the COURIER in great shape. Well, he who laughs last laughs best.

P. J. Thorsen, secretary of the Washington Shoe Mfg. Co. of Seattle, called on Major Charman, Monday. He says that 50 to 60 men, boys and girls turn out about 250 pairs of shoes in one day by means of machinery, for which, entirely by manual labor, five times as many hands would be required.

Peter McGrath died in this city on April 15th, aged 53 years, 9 months and 8 days. He was a native of county Tyrone, Ireland. The remains were buried on Tuesday at 10 o'clock from the Catholic church. Mr. McGrath lived near and in Oregon City for a number of years and was a highly respected citizen.

Sexton Slover is indignant over the slurs cast at him by the city council. He says that he is employed to dig the graves not in the city cemetery alone but also in the other cemeteries, and that with his work in the latter never any fault is found; and, morever, that he has been saving of the cemetery fund and looked out for the city's interests.

Shirley Dare, the dear old girl (or old boy), gives this charming advice: "When you feel bilious, take a hot lemonade instead of other beverages. Take a big tumblerful three times a day. If you are sleepless try my doctor's prescription of hot lemonade with two or three spoonsful of whisky on retiring. Do not exceed the dose, and you will find yourself sleeping like a baby."

E. H. Cowing and several Eastern tourists will start about July 1st on a three months' trip with saddle and pack horses through the country just east of the Cascades, southward to the California line; thence westward along the Siskiyou mountains and through Jackson and Douglas counties home. The great mountain peaks and other natural wonders on the route will be visited.

Near the end of his lecture Sunday afternoon, Prof. Rudolph stated that A. W. France (not *De* France, as the COURIER stated) was president of the State A. P. A., and that Mrs. Green of the Electric Hotel was organizer of the feminine A. P. A. The ex-priest's lecture Saturday evening to "men only" was exceptionally smutty. If men like him are to be reformers of the country, Oregon City needs a few assignation houses. That he has admirers here is astounding.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

Prescriptions carefully compounded at G. A. Harding's drug store.

L. P. Fisher, Newspaper Advertising Agent 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office.

For job printing go to the COURIER office.

LAWYERS' BRIEFS AND FOLDERS printed at the COURIER office.

Teacher's monthly report cards for sale at the COURIER office, 50 cents a 100.

When the baby is teething or feverish, ask your druggist for Stedman's Soothing Powders.

Anyone wanting good saddle, buggy or farm horses will do well to call on the undersigned at Barlow.

W. W. IRVIN.

J. Kober, the Seventh street baker, received a fresh lot of imported delicious Limborger cheese, and cream cheese the choicest in the city. Just the thing for a palatable lunch.

Received at Charman & Son's a large invoice of wall paper, latest and prettiest designs.

Secret Orders and the A. P. A.

(Communicated.)

The present wave of fanaticism sweeping over the western world as exemplified by the platform and teachings of the A. P. A., will result in calling men to a realizing sense of truth and justice and enable them to think and reason better.

It is not the object of this article to enter into a discussion of the matter, but to call the attention of members of various other so called "secret orders" to their previous obligations. How can a serious-minded member of the K. of P., I. O. O. F., A. O. U. W., or A. F. & A. M., who has given serious thought and attention to his already assumed obligations of these various orders, assume the obligations of the A. P. A. without seriously violating sacred obligations already taken? In some of the obligations above mentioned is not the Constitution of the United States especially held sacred? Men obligate themselves to uphold the Constitution wherein it says, "no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States," but the oath of the A. P. A. binds its members to apply such test, thereby entailing a violation of the Constitution in spirit and in letter. Then in other orders, aid, assistance in time of sickness and distress to *all* members or brothers is agreed upon, but how can they do it under the obligations of the A. P. A.?

The Odd Fellows, Masons, Knights of Pythias, Woodmen, United Workmen, Catholic Knights in ever community contain the best elements of that community, not all the best, but of the best, meet openly, attend funerals, have socials, parade under the flag, and in every way try to uphold good citizenship. If A. P. A ism should last (but it will not), it would do great injury to all the other secret orders. It would engender unpleasant feeling in what would otherwise be a peaceful community. Washington Gladden, a Protestant minister of Toledo, Ohio, who has a world-wide reputation as a scholar and a power in everything good, in his article in the March *Century* entitled, "The Anti-Catholic Crusade," points out the absurdity as well as the evil of the whole matter, and makes an earnest appeal to all Protestants as well as Protestant clergymen to fight, speak and protest against this evil and calls upon every minister to stop, if possible, this epidemic.

Would it not be well, also, to ask every member of other secret and benevolent orders to once more go over his obligations and reason with himself a little, and allow this crusade to be carried on by those of whom the Savior said, "Father, forgive them for they know not what they do?" but men who have already taken obligations should know what they do and use their reason.

How to Make Mischief.

(Communicated.)

Keep your eyes on your neighbors. Do not let them stir without watching them. They may do something wrong if you do not watch them. To be sure you never did know them to do anything very bad, but it may be on your account they have not. Perhaps, if it had not been for your kind care, they might have disgraced themselves a long time ago. Therefore do not relax any effort to keep them where they ought to be. Never mind your own business; it will take care of itself.

There is a man passing along. He is looking over the fence. Be suspicious of him, perhaps he thinks of stealing some of these dark nights. No one knows what queer fancies he may have in his head. If you find any symptoms of anyone passing out of the way of duty tell everybody you see. Be particular and see a great many. It is a good way to keep such things going, though it may not benefit yourself or anybody else particularly. But *do* keep something going, for silence is a dreadful thing. There is said to have been silence in heaven for the space of half an hour, but don't let any such a thing occur on earth. It would be too much for this mundane sphere.

If after all your watchful care you cannot see anything out of the way with anyone, you may be sure it is not be cause no one has done anything bad. Perhaps in some unguarded moment you have lost sight of them. Throw out hints that they are no better than they should be; that you shouldn't wonder if the people found out what they were after a while. Then they may not carry their heads so high. Keep it going and some one will take the hint and help you along after a while, and then there will be music. Everything will work to a charm.

OBSERVER.

Eagle Creek, Or.

Ridicules Christ and Christianity.

Ex Priest Rudolph, who has thoroughly introduced himself here, not alone ridicules Catholicism but every other form of the Christian faith. In a letter in the Chicago *Progressive Thinker* of Mar 17, 1890, he wrote:

"Christ, the pretended founder of Christianity, has had his followers, and the doctrine which is named after him has had its sway and its day; but its glory is a thing of the past; its final dissolution is only a question of time, and Christ will be known only as a great man in history, but no greater than Kreshna or Zoroaster.

"Christianity, like the Greek or Roman mythology, will pass away to make room for new theories. The Evangelical Alliance gives Jesus Christ the appellation of Divine Politician, and puts these United States under his special protection. By the time congress will have issued the charter of incorporation to the gospel university, the faculty will make Jesus an honorary member of the order and they will send him the hat with the title D. D."

In the same article, he denounces the Evangelical Alliance as a "despotism," and Christian ministers in general as "demagogues."

James Thorne & Sons, Abstracters of Titles.

Notwithstanding the unfinished abstract indexes we started for Clackamas county have recently passed out of our hands, *the abstract business did not*, and we therefore desire to say to our old patrons and the public generally that we are still in the abstract business at our old stand in the Jaggar building, opposite Huntley's drugstore, where we are fully prepared to furnish reliable abstracts of title with certainty and dispatch.

Those who never read the advertisements in their newspapers miss more than they presume. Johnathan Kenison, of Bolan, Worth Co., Iowa, who has been troubled with rheumatism in his back, arms and shoulders, read an item in his paper about how a prominent German citizen of Ft. Madison has been cured. He procured the same medicine, and to use his own words: "It cured me right up." As also says: "A neighbor and his wife were both sick in bed with rheumatism. Their boy was over to my house and said they were so bad he had to do the cooking. I told him of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and how it had cured me; he got a bottle and it cured them in a week. 50 cent bottles for sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

At the opening of the regular term of the circuit court Monday, James Bingham was appointed bailiff of the grand jury, and I. M. Miller and Theodore Coutts general bailiffs.

Jurors excused for the term: T. W. Sullivan, B. E. Charman, J. L. Kruse, J. T. Cockelreas. Grand jurors: G. R. H. Miller (foreman), K. E. Bohall, Thos. Armstrong, W. E. Cooke, C. S. Greenman, E. Newkirk, Enoch Midlam. By special venire, the following three jurymen were summoned to serve: Max Schulpius, G. L. Gray and Arthur Milne.

Alex Sweek vs Marion Johnson, continued for the term, J. D. Cook vs do do.

Charles Risley vs J. H. Olds, demurrer to complaint overruled and defendant to file answer by Friday.

Laura B. Cass vs A. B. Stoup, continued for the term.

Walter Shepard vs A. J. Burdette, dismissed.

Lenman, Moyse & Co vs M. Huerth, execution against defendant for $101 and costs.

Mary A. Hatch vs Henry Swift et al, default of B. E. Miller and John Strey.

Agnes Summers vs Alna Summers, notice of divorce to be published.

Dan Jones vs Wm Gray et al, dismissed.

A. M. Parsons vs Rebecca Gardiner, dismissed.

T. O'Conner vs Sam Erickson et al, defendants' demurrer overruled and they to file answer.

M. E. Gaines vs S. W. Gaines, continued for the term.

Portland F. Co. vs Reuben Smith, verdict set aside and a new trial to be had.

O. F. Hibbard vs Joe Fisher, dismissed.

Jury excused until Monday next.

Katie Barclay vs Oregon City Judge Huelat to file amended complaint on Monday.

Thomazine Eady vs John Officer et al, sheriff's sale of real estate confirmed.

Emma McDonald vs Ladru Roya, et al, sheriff's sale of realty confirmed.

H. C. Stevens vs J. W. Thomas et al, judgment for $667 against defendants and their lands to be sold.

On Tuesday the following proceedings were had:

Philip Chaperon vs C. A. Arnoults, dismissed.

R. L. Sabin et al vs H. L. Schiller et al, default of defendants entered.

C. H. Caufield vs D. D. Magone and J. W. Grout, dismissed.

C. H. Brown vs N. and S. W. Hardesty, dismissed.

The first case disposed of on Wednesday was that of Joseph Paquet et al. vs East Side Railway Co. et al., suit dismissed.

E. A. Hansee and others vs Marion Johnson et al., suit dismissed and plaintiffs to pay costs, $75.60.

In the matter of the litigation between R. L. Sabin et al, and H. L. Schiller et al, the receiver, T. F. Ryan, is ordered by the court to pay Miss Howlett, clerk in the Boston Store, $15 per week for services rendered.

PACIFIC COAST NOTES.

Hood River apples retail at $2 per box in Portland.

The railroad is an assured fact, says the Astoria *Herald*.

Rents have tumbled amazingly in Portland, and many tenants of high-priced buildings cannot pay them at all.

W. H. Babcock, the Eureka Flat (Wash.) wheat king, had 26 gangs of men at work putting in wheat at the rate of 100 per day.

At Eugene S. H. Friendly purchased S. C. Spark's crop of 1893 hops, consisting of 47 bales, at 12 cents per pound. The hops were shipped direct to Glasgow, Scotland.

Ezra Meeker says it costs the English 18 cents per pound to raise hops, while Americans can put them in the English market at a cost of 13 cents per pound. Yet the Butteville hop growers demand a duty of 15 cents per pound. It seems it is the English hop grower who should demand protection.

Peter Hansen, a retired sea captain who lives on a homestead on Vashon Island, Wash., recently had a battle in the Sound with a sea serpent that he calculates must have been 150 feet in length. The monster crushed his pinnace, built of oak, and killed his dog. He fired two loads of buckshot into its body and cut five feet off its tail.

The *Democrat* of Albany reports that A. Harlow of that place in 1892 made 1661 pounds of butter from eight cows. He sold the butter for $427, an average of $53 40 per cow. In 1893 he kept nine cows and made 1892 pounds of butter. Owing to the fact that butter was a little lower in 1893 than in 1892 the average per cow in 1893 was $49.92.

It is stated that the New York bankers have sent $250,000 to the republican bosses in Portland as a corporation fund for the Oregon election. This has given the republicans "confidence," but $3 a head is not enough bribe to control the voters of Oregon this year. That sum will buy sheep but not free men. When workmen's families are in danger of starving, and their homes are in jeopardy, a $3 bribe don't go.—*Pendleton Herald.*

T. R. Brazil writes from Johannesburg, South Africa, to the Seattle *Post Intelligencer*: I am foreman in a mine. My pay is $75 per month, board $25 a month without bed. This is no country for a white man, and I shall leave it as soon as I can earn money enough to get away. Negroes do all the hammer and drill work. Their pay is 62 cents per day. There are 50,000 of them working within 30 square miles of here. There are 1500 stamp mills in one line of 50 miles. Each mill has from 10 to 100 stamps. The rock is low grade assaying from $3 to $15 per ton. It is sulphurets and requires the McArdle process. The ledges have been prospected by diamond drills 2000 feet down. This is a prairie country. The soil is red sand and very poor. It will not produce without water.

Here is another way to figure that present owner book business, says the Toledo *Leader*. The original tax roll of Lincoln county contained a valuation of $930,000. The contractors found about $200,000 worth of property not on the original roll. This makes $1,130,000 valuation which at a ten mill levy makes a total of $11,300 in the county fund. Now the clerk's records show that the regular assessment for 1893 cost the county $834. The contractors get $2200, if they found $200,000 worth of property. This makes a total of $3034 for one year's assessments, or more than one-fourth of the whole amount of the county fund. This is to say nothing of the wood, oil, room rent and county stationery used by contractors. The whole thing will no doubt equal one-third of the entire county fund for one year.

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