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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.

OREGON CITY, JAN. 10, 1896.

NATIONAL DEBTS.

The national wealth, real and personal, of the United States, according to the last census, was \$65,037,091,197. It far exceeds that of any other country, and the interest-bearing debt of the nation is about one-third that of Great Britain, one-quarter that of France and one-half that of Germany.

The following shows the interest paid by the different countries and the market price of their securities:

Table with columns: Kind of security, Interest, Price. Rows include Great Britain, France, United States, Germany.

The debt of each and per capita of debts is as follows:

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A YANKEE farmer in Brazil, says an exchange, who longed for ice water, has utilized a kite for the purpose of obtaining ice. He fills a tin can with water and sends it to the height of three miles, where it is promptly frozen.

WHEN California wheat is shipped to Australia and Pennsylvania locomotives to Russia, it indicates that we are still doing business on both sides of the country.

THE republicans last week reorganized the senate. They are now in control of both houses and are responsible for all legislation.

A GREAT county exchange says, "It pays to be a populist, now. A plain democrat or republican pays \$1, \$1.50 or \$2, or what he's a mind to give, for a paper which pays a poppy \$1, or \$1.50 or \$2 a year to take it."

You make governments just as "paternal" as you please; still the classes that show the most energy and skill in conducting their business, and will come out ahead.

THE Roseburg Review deserves credit for getting out the best New Year's issue that we have seen among the country papers.

MULINO.

W. H. Seltzer has returned from his trip to Washington, in poor health. W. E. Wells froze his feet while he was in the mountains.

Our school commenced Monday, the 8th of January, with Mr. Young as teacher. The term will be three months. We understand the grand ball at the grange hall Christmas eve was a failure financially.

There was a dance at Jack Knotts on New Year's eve.

The war scare has given the republican congress an excuse for a return to a war tariff, but we think Cleveland and the senate will give it a black eye.

A. Burley purchased a four-horse team, expecting to haul flour and feed all winter, but the flour and feed ran out and Albert is left with his team on his hands and no work for them to do.

We understand there will be a grand ball at the grange hall on February 22, January 6. SOCIALIST.

FRENCH TANSY WAFERS.

These wafers are for painful, scanty, profuse or irregular menses, any cause, and ladies will find that no better remedy exists for these difficulties.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

Money to loan on good security by A. S. Dresser.

Tablets and composition books 4c up at "The Fair."

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

For cheap stamped linen goods and linen by the yard go to the Racket Store.

P. A. Barber gives the best shave in town at only 10 cents, hop next to Oriental.

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

Call and see our new line of ladies', children's and gentlemen's underwear. Racket Store.

J. W. Welch, dentist, formerly of the Chicago College of Dental Surgery Office in COURIER block near depot.

For your strings and extras for all musical instruments go to Burmeister & Andressen's, who keep a full supply.

Blank note and receipt books of all kinds and deeds, mortgages, etc., cheaper than Portland wholesale price at COURIER office.

When in Portland call on Edward Hughes, corner of Front and Alder, and inspect his stock of Old Hickory wagon and farm machinery of all kinds.

L. L. Pickens, dentist, does all kinds of dental work. Gold crowns, porcelain crowns and bridge work a specialty. Office in Barclay building, corner Main and Seventh streets.

Remember when you need anything in the line of graniteware or tinware that W. A. Putrow now has a complete assortment. If price is any object you will not fail to give him a call.

Flour 70 cents, dry granulated sugar, rice, raisins or soda 5 cents per pound. Elegant trimmed hats at cut prices. Christmas goods in variety at bedrock prices. Red Front Trading Co.

Cut prices on 300 gents' hats, 200 fine neckties, 100 fine towels, up to date and a third saved in price. Standard patterns a third less in price. December delineators ready. Red Front Trading Company.

Frank P. Welch, dentist, graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, will be in Oregon City office Thursday of each week; remainder of each week in Portland office, room 77 DeKalb building.

A. W. Welch moved his harness repair shop from on the hill to 2nd and Douglas west of depot, next to Couriers office, where he will not only keep a full line of first-class hand-made harness, saddles, etc., but will do all kinds of harness and boot and shoe repairing at prices that can't be duplicated. Give him a call. Satisfaction guaranteed.

CLACKAMAS.

New Year's has come and gone. It is a thing of the past. There are some things in this world too foolish to me, and I think I saw some of those things in last week's paper. They were a few notices about the M. E. church, which were mostly true, but I believe that Brother Sanford Laurence made some misstatements. The "Clackamas news" was not completed in last week's editorial, but will be today.

The Union Sunday school on Christmas eve gave an unequalled entertainment. The church was handsomely decorated and a large Christmas tree stood resplendent with nuts and candies, presents, etc., for the Sunday school scholars. The entertainment began at 7 o'clock and the programme was as follows: Music, Miss Lewin; Song, Strike the harp of Zion; Prayer, Mr. Runyon; recitation, Amy Root; song, Why Stand ye there Idle?; recitation, Edmund Dixon; reading, teacher and class No. 2; song, Tell it Out; recitation, May Foster; address, Mr. Runyon; song, Bring Your Gifts to Jesus; song, Christmas Chimes; responsive reading, P. S. V. P.; recitation, Francis Helmer; recitation, Annie Hickey; song, Dannie Dixon; Tableau, children's prayer; recitation, Arthur Wickman; recitation, Grace Robinson; song, Edmund Dixon; song, Gather Them In; recitation, Dannie Dixon.

At the close of the entertainment the presents and confections were distributed and each little heart made happy. The benediction was delivered by Mr. Runyon and the congregation was dismissed. CHAS. LEMCOE

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Constipation and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c. per box. Sold by Charman & Co., Druggist.

There is nothing that causes women greater discomfort and misery than the constantly recurring Headache. Men suffer less with Headache. "My wife's health was very indifferent, having Headache continually, and just two packages of Simmons Liver Regulator released her from all Headache and gave tone and vigor to her whole system. I have never regretted its use." - M. B. DeBord, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for your troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Complaints, exerting a wonderful direct influence in giving strength and tone to the organs.

For Over Fifty Years.

AN OLD AND WELL-TRIED REMEDY. - Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea.

Just the article for wet weather, waterproof cover for baby carriages for sale at the Fair.

All kinds of toys and dolls just received at the Racket Store.

STATE INSURANCE POLICIES REDEEMED.

-Patrons of the State Insurance Company are requested to bring their policies to F. E. Donaldson at Commercial Bank at once and exchange them for policies in a first-class company. Highest market price allowed for unexpired time of old policy. Do not delay as you will get nothing if your property is burned while holding the old policy.

Masks of all kinds and at all prices at the Racket Store.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Charman & Co.

The cure of Rheumatism has often taxed medical skill, but its prevention has been very easy by an occasional use of Simmons Liver Regulator. It keeps the liver well regulated, and the system free from poison. Therein is the secret of health. "I have used it for years for Indigestion and Constipation, and also found it gives one relief from a touch of Rheumatism." - N. Hughes, Lordsburg, N. M.

Louis Friedrich, the fashionable tailor, has moved his shop to the building formerly occupied by Mrs. Dutcher's millinery store. Nothing but first-class work done and satisfaction guaranteed.

For Foster Kid Gloves go to the Racket Store.

why?

Why wear wool? To keep out cold? No. To keep in heat.

If the body is supplied with plenty of fresh air-oxygen-and proper food, it will generate sufficient warmth to protect you on the coldest day-SCOTT'S Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, is the best warmth-food. Thin people, people with poor blood who are easily shaken by a cold wind take Scott's Emulsion and it makes good blood, improves the appetite, increases flesh, furnishes bodily warmth, and prevents the ill results from colds, coughs, and exposures.

SCOTT'S EMULSION has been endorsed by the medical profession for twenty years. (Ask your doctor.) This is because it is always palatable-always effective-and always contains the purest Norwegian Cod-liver Oil and Hypophosphites.

WANTED.-Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Oregon for established reliable house. Salary \$750 and expenses allowed. No commission. Send self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

Receiver's Notice

Notice to Policy-Holders of STATE INSURANCE CO.. Favorable arrangements have been made with the Firemen's Fund Insurance Company

For the substitution of policies of the STATE INSURANCE COMPANY, without loss to the assured.

Before canceling your policies, call on agents of the FIREMEN'S FUND INSURANCE COMPANY.

EDMUND C. GILTNER, Receiver State Insurance Company. Bring your policies to F. E. Donaldson, Agent FIREMEN'S FUND INSURANCE COMPANY, at Oregon City, Oregon.

PLEASE YOUR WIFE....

By Buying One of Those

ELEGANT LOUNGES

At the New Store of

J. J. McGrath

Opposite Postoffice.

All Kinds of Upholstering Work Done to Order

Repairing Of All Kinds And Carpet Laying Done.

MATTRESSES MADE TO ORDER And Repaired

All Goods are Hand-Made And First-Class in Every Respect.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

A Drop in the Bucket

May be, but there's more to follow. Better come our way early, and go hand-in-hand with comfort through all the rainy days to come.

MACKINTOSHES

Blue, Black and Brown, with capes or without.

UMBRELLAS

Real rain-defiers, with the prettiest handles in town.

Charman & Son...

Dealers in General Merchandise.

NOTICE OF EXECUTOR'S PRIVATE SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the undersigned, as executor of the estate of Jorgen O. Ringnoes, deceased, in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Gordon E. Hayes, judge of the probate court of Clackamas county, Oregon, entered on the 18th day of December, 1895, will offer for sale at private sale for cash in hand, from and after the 30th day of January, 1896, the following described real estate, to-wit: A part of the Philander Lee D. L. C. No. 56, and a part of the SE 1/4 of section 33 in township 3 south, range 1 east of the Willamette Meridian, situated in Clackamas county, Oregon, described as follows: Beginning at a point in the township line N 89° 50' W 127 chains from the SE corner of said section 33; thence N 89° 50' W 9.72 chains on said township line; thence N 27° W 7.27 chains; thence N 63° E 10.50 chains; thence S 27° E 7.96 chains, to the south line of said claim 56; thence S 4.17 chains, to place of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

Also all of lots 4, 5 and 6 of block 13 in the town of Canby, Clackamas county, Oregon.

The said property is a part of the real estate belonging to said estate and the sale thereof is necessary to pay claims filed against said estate. Enquiries may be addressed to the undersigned at Canby, Oregon, or C. H. Dye, attorney, corner Sixth and Main streets, Oregon City, Oregon, at whose office said sale will be made. Dated, December 18, 1895.

HANS A. LINNEBERG, Executor of Estate of Jorgen O. Ringnoes, deceased.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are sufficient funds on hand in the General Fund of Oregon City to pay warrants Nos. 974, 975, 980, 971, 972, 31, out of the general funds. Enforced prior to June 28, 1894. Also warrants Nos. 786, 908, 18, out of Main Street Fund. Enforced prior to June 8, 1894. Interest ceases with the date of this notice.

H. E. STRAIGHT, City Treasurer.

Job Printing at the Courier Office. BACK

A. B. Steinbach & Co.,

Popular One Price

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers.

Corner First & Morrison, Portland.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has filed in the county court of Clackamas county, Oregon, her final report in settlement of the estate of A. J. Cason, deceased, and that the judge has fixed Monday, February 24, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the time of hearing and approval thereof and for hearing objections thereto, if any be made.

Dated December 7th, 1895. ELIZA J. CASON, Executrix. C. D. & C. LATOURETTE, Attorneys.

ORDINANCE NO. ...

Oregon City does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. THAT IT IS HEREBY MADE the duty of the chief of police of Oregon City and of every policeman of said city, regular or special, to see that all ordinances of said city are enforced.

Section 2. It is hereby made the duty of the city treasurer to make a monthly report to the chief of police, showing all persons delinquent of his books from whom licenses are due.

Ordered published by the city council of Oregon City, Oregon, at a meeting held on Thursday, January 24, 1896.

THOS. F. RYAN, City Recorder.

Some time ago Mr. Simon Goldbaum of San Luis Rey, Cal., was troubled with a lame back and rheumatism. He used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and a prompt cure was effected. He says he has since advised many of his friends to try it and all who have done so have spoken highly of it. It is for sale by G. A. Harding, Druggist.

ACHES AND RHEUMATISM relieved by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters. All pains banished by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters etc. at all druggists. All druggists sell Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

Bank of Oregon City.

OLDEST BANKING HOUSE IN THE CITY

Paid Up Capital, \$50,000. Surplus, \$20,850.

President, THOMAS CHARMAN. Vice President, GEO. A. HARDING. Cashier, E. G. CAUFIELD. Manager, CHARLES H. CAUFIELD.

A General Banking Business Transacted. Deposits Received Subject to Check. Approved Bills and Notes Discounted. County and City Warrants Bought. Loans Made on Available Security. Exchange Bought and Sold. Collections Made Promptly. Drafts Sold Available in Any Part of the World. Telegraphic Exchange Sold on Portland, San Francisco, Chicago and New York. Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

G. W. GRACE & CO.,

Dealer in-

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

NEW GOODS. NEW STORE. MOLVILLA AVE., (Ely.)

WM. KRUEGER,

MERCHANT TAILOR

Next Door to Oriental Hotel... ALL KINDS OF REPAIRING DONE. OREGON CITY, OREGON.

Imperial Gallery

PHOTOGRAPHY IN EVERY BRANCH. CRAYONS, ENLARGEMENTS. CHILDREN'S PICTURES A SPECIALTY. Gallery over Mrs. Prior's Store, Main St.

V. HARRIS, Star Grocery

DEALER IN GROCERIES, FLOUR, FEED, CROCKERY, ETC.

C. N. GREENMAN,

THE PIONEER Express and Drayman. (Established 1865.)

Parcels delivered to all parts of the city.

A. R. DOOLITTLE'S West Side Store

KEEPS A WELL-SELECTED STOCK OF Groceries, Provisions

FRUITS, FLOUR AND FEED.

West Side Express

IN CONNECTION.

In Oregon City, beautiful town, With its zephyrs soft and gentle, Is a place that has the best renown, Its name, The Oriental.

It gained this fame by selling BEER, In glasses monumental; Then when your soul you long to Go to the Oriental. [cheer,

From ancient days good men would The famous continental, [drink Would say to friends, you all must And seek the Oriental. [think,

Good beer by some is often sold, By others accidental, But every time, I have been told, Drink at the Oriental. -N. F. Zimmerman, Prop.

H. W. WESTERMANN, Merchant Tailor....

Cleaning, Repairing and Pressing Done. Price's Old Stand, Next Door North of Armory, Oregon City.

H. W. JACKSON Machinist and Locksmith,

Bicycles, Umbrellas, Sewing Machines, Guns, and all kinds of small machinery repaired. Prices reasonable. Shop on Seventh Street, Opposite Depot

All pains banished by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters etc. at all druggists. All druggists sell Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.