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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY. OREGON CITY, APR. 3, 1896.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic County Convention of Clackamas county, Oregon, is hereby called to meet in Oregon City, on Saturday, April 4th, 11 a. m.

The county convention will be composed of 96 delegates, apportioned to the different precincts as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name and No. of delegates. Includes Abernethy, Barlow, Beaver Creek, Borings, Canemah, Canby, Canyon Creek, Cascades, Cherryville, Clackamas, Damascus, Eagle Creek, Ely, Gardfield, George, Harding, Highland, Lower Molalla, Marquam, Milk Creek, Milwaukie, Needy, New Era, Oregon City No. 1, Oregon City No. 2, Oregon City No. 3, Oswego, Pleasant Hill, Springwater, Soda Springs, Sievers, Tualatin, Union, Upper Molalla, Viola, West Oregon City, Total number of delegates.

The committee recommend that primaries, for the purpose of choosing said delegates, be held at the usual voting places in the different precincts.

How much would Bro. Read's fire-player have received at the depository for those "sweetened" coins if they had been silver instead of gold?

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.

A GEOLOGICAL PROBLEM. The auriferous placers of Southern Oregon present a problem the solution of which cannot be a difficult task to geologists.

Perfectly lovely centerpieces in linen and Swiss just arrived at the Racke Store.

Beauties! those trimmed hats at the Red Front Store; Ladies' sailors and Canton flats 10 cents.

A great many people are influenced by what others do, and that is one of the reasons why so many take Simmons Liver Regulator.

Dr. Wm. B. Knapp, dentist, has opened an office in COURIER building, with Dr. Frank P. Welch, where he can be found on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of each week.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

PURIFY THE WATER.

TYPHOID IS A HEAVIER TAX THAN FILTER BEDS.

Statistics Show an Appalling Number of Deaths Due to Water Diseases - Germany's Severe Lesson - Cost of Filtration Is Not Great.

Referring to quantity of water supplied to various cities, Engineer Allen Hazen, expert in charge of the Lawrence experiment station, says in his recent publication on "Filtration and Filter Beds" that "in the United States an abundant supply of some kind of liquid has too often been the objective point, and the efforts have been most successful, the American works being entirely unrivaled in the volumes of their supply."

"Germany prohibits the use of unfiltered surface water. There are very few countries but use some means of filtration, though the supply is from bodies of water in uninhabited districts. Ground water, such as that from wells and springs, is largely used in Europe. Paris is supplied from springs for domestic use, and from the river for other purposes. Vienna, Munich and a large number of French and English cities are also supplied by springs. London gets her water from grossly polluted streams, yet by scientific filtration has as pure water to drink as any other city in the world."

"Statistics relative to deaths due to water diseases are appalling. At Plymouth, Pa., population 8,000, in 1885, one case of typhoid reaching the water supply caused 1,104 cases and 114 deaths. The histories of the Lausanne, Switzerland; Montclair, Chicago, Buffalo and (recently) Stamford epidemics are familiar to every one and carry out the statements made above and are but examples of human negligence to human rights. In 1866, 5,400 people died of cholera in London because one of the water companies failed to filter the supply from the river. One such experience should prove the efficacy of filtration."

"Filtration as carried on under the latest improved methods is not a costly matter. It is vastly cheaper than sickness and death to a community. It is commonly thought that if filtration clarifies water that is sufficient. This is a great mistake and can readily be understood to be so when it is known that 1,000,000 or more bacteria may be present in a glass of clear water and yet not affect its clearness. The filtration of water means straining it through a substance which removes all or most impurities, and it is not properly done unless the straining is so fine as to remove the infinitesimals called bacteria, which measure one-thousandth of an inch, more or less."

"It is the only absolutely safe method, as far as is known at the present time, for domestic purposes when the supply comes from the surface, as from rivers. The latter water supply is more likely to be wholesome than the others, for the reason that large reservoirs afford time for water to settle, and any pathogenic bacteria which may be present have an opportunity to sink to the bottom or be destroyed by the beneficent bacteria. There is also more or less beneficent action upon the water by the sunlight, but even this protection is not considered entirely sufficient in the light of recent experiments. Filter beds are unanimously agreed upon by almost all expert engineers as the only true way of filtering water for public supplies."

"A filter bed consists of a horizontal layer of rather fine sand supported by gravel and underdrained, the whole being inclosed in a suitable basin or tank. The water in passing through the sand leaves behind upon the sand grains the extremely small particles which are too fine to settle out in the settling basin, through which the water first passes direct from the river for the purpose of allowing the mud to settle, and is quite clear as it goes from the gravel to the drains and pumps which forward it to the reservoir or city. The coarser matters in the water are retained on the surface of the sand, where they quickly become a filter much finer than the sand alone, and which is capable of holding back under suitable conditions even the bacteria of the passing water."

"When the layer of sediment becomes so deep as to prevent the proper straining of the water, the rate of pressure and other features being regulated by expert superintendence, the layer is scraped or cleaned off. This is done at regular intervals. This sediment layer is a valuable element in aiding perfect filtration. It becomes a sort of jellylike mud, formed of the bacteria and other particles, which affords not only an almost solid mass, which holds back the infinitesimals, but is a kind of battlefield where the opposing armies of bacteria slaughter the harmful kind, thus cleaning out those we would be rid of. So valuable is this sediment layer that after a filter bed has been scraped clean a new thin layer is allowed to form before the water passes into the basin. Filtration in any way cannot be done rapidly. The process must be so slow as to be scarcely more than an oozing out between the very small interstices."

LOCAL SUMMARY.

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

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

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

Line of fine French Torchon lace, never in stock before, at Racke Store.

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

Shark, the barber, don't swim but he's in the swim when it comes to shaving and hair cutting.

Great reductions on ladies', children's and gents' underwear at the Racke Store. Best in the city for the price.

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

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

L. L. Pickets, 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 granite ware or tinware that W. A. Patrow now has a complete assortment. If price is any object you will not fail to give him a call.

C. A. Willey has moved his harness and repair shop from on the hill to second door west of depot, next to COURIER 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.

For your fine hats and reasonable prices go to Miss Goldsmith's.

Courier 10c after election for 25 cents. Subscribe now.

We think we are safe in asserting that more "I. W. HARPER" whiskey is sold than any other whiskey made in Kentucky. It is a whiskey for the sick room and leading physicians prescribe it unhesitatingly. If you are in need of a pure stimulant, order a bottle on our recommendation. We offer this advice largely in your interest. It will enable you to secure Pure Old Whiskey and protect you from being imposed upon. Sold by Hill & Cole - Oregon City, Ore.

Do you remember the adage that "Prevention is better than cure?" This is just the time of the year to exercise a little care to prevent sickness. Get some Simmons Liver Regulator, liquid or powder, and take it to rid your body of any poison and tone up the system. It will save much suffering and life. It is a safe and reliable medicine, and a great preventive of sickness. -Rev. Jas. Rollins, Fairfield, Va.

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STORMS.

The Weather Bureau employs a skilled force of men, supplied with the most delicate scientific instruments, to foretell the weather. Perhaps you know when a storm is brewing without any word from the papers. Your bones ache and your muscles are sore. Your chronic muscular rheumatism gives sure warning of the approaching storm.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod-liver Oil, with Hypophosphites, would be a most valuable remedy for you. The oil, with its iodine and bromine, exerts a peculiar influence over the disease, and the hypophosphites render valuable aid.

SCOTT'S EMULSION has been endorsed by the medical profession for twenty years. It is always palatable - always uniform - always contains the purest Norwegian Cod-liver Oil and Hypophosphites. Put up in 50 cent and \$1.00 sizes. The small size may be enough to cure your cough or help your baby.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE applied to the city council of Oregon City, Oregon, for a saloon license to continue my saloon, located on lot 1-4 block 2 in Oregon City, said license to date from April 7, 1896. J. N. MILLER.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has filed in the county court of Clackamas county, Oregon, his final report as administrator of the estate of William E. McCubbin, deceased, and said court has fixed Monday, May 4th, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., as the time to hear and determine objections, if any there be to said report and for the final settlement of the account of such executor. HENRY A. LINDSEY, Administrator Aforesaid.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of Jorgen O. Ringnes, deceased, has duly filed his final report as such executor in the County Court of Clackamas county, Oregon, and said County Court has set Monday, May 4th, A. D. 1896, at ten o'clock A. M., as the time to hear and determine objections, if any there be to said report and for the final settlement of the account of such executor. HENRY A. LINDSEY, Executor of estate of said deceased.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder. World's Fair Highest Award.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Judge, G. F. Hayes; Clerk of Courts, Geo. F. Horton; Sheriff, R. C. Modschick; Recorder, S. M. Ramsay; Treasurer, M. L. Moore; Assessor, J. C. Bradley; School Superintendent, H. S. Gilman; Surveyor, D. W. Kimball; Coroner, R. L. Molnar; Commissioners, Richard Scott, Frank Jaggard.

County Court meets on first Wednesday after first Monday of every month. Probate Court meets on first Monday of every month. Circuit Court meets on third Monday in April and first Monday in November.

OREGON CITY OFFICERS. Mayor, Hiram Straight; Recorder, T. F. Ryan; Chief of Police, H. E. Straight; City Attorney, F. T. Griffith; Street Commissioner, C. C. Hancock, Jr.; Supt. of Water Works, W. H. Howell; City Engineer, B. H. Johnson; Councilmen - Henry Meldrum, J. W. Moffat, L. L. Porter, J. J. Cooke, R. Koerner, L. C. Caples, T. E. Gault, John Hittner.

WANTED - Several trustworthy gentlemen or ladies to travel in Oregon for established, reliable house. Salary \$750 and expenses. Steady position. Enclose reference and self addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Third Floor, Omaha Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OREGON, March 24, 1896. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on June 24th, 1896, viz: ADOLPH SESTER.

H. E. No. 8748, for Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Sec. 30, Twp. 1 S., R. 5 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: John Taylor, Walter Jones, H. Cook and Martin Thomas, all of Bull Run, Oregon. ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon for the County of Clackamas. L. A. Jackson, Plaintiff, vs. Laura M. Jackson, Defendant.

In the name of the state of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court, to-wit, April 20th, 1896, and if you fail to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Hon. Henry E. McGinnis, judge of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for Multnomah county, which order was made and dated February 27th, 1896. G. E. HAYES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Clackamas County. Emile Chagnot, Plaintiff, vs. Joseph Hohenleitner, Katrine Hohenleitner, Joseph Bichner and Anna Boden, Defendants.

To Anna Boden, one of said defendants. IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the first day of the next regular term of said court, to-wit: April 20th, 1896, and if you fail to answer for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint so filed as aforesaid.

This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Hon. Thomas A. McBride, judge of the circuit court of the state of Oregon for the county of Clackamas, which order was made and dated February 12th, 1896. GORDON E. HAYES, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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H. E. No. 7262, for the SW 1/4 of Sec. 10, Twp. 4 S., R. 5 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Hugh F. Curran, of Currinsville, Oregon; S. C. Hoffman, of Lewis, Oregon; Sam Heiple and Geo. J. Curran, of Currinsville, Oregon. ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

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H. E. No. 8831, for the SW 1/4 of Sec. 24, Twp. 5 S., R. 2 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Charles Doughterty, William Douglas, Dougherty, John Newton Stewart and Robert William Barbey, all of Molalla, Oregon. ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.

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SUMMONS. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas. G. M. Fleming, Plaintiff, vs. James S. Fleming Defendant.

To James S. Fleming, the above named Defendant. IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit by the first day of the regular term of this court next succeeding the expiration of the time prescribed by law for the publication of this summons, to-wit: On the 23rd day of April, 1896, and if you fail to answer for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony existing between you and the plaintiff, for the care and custody of the minor children named in the complaint in the above entitled suit, to-wit: Harry, Arthur, Ada and Echo, and for such other and further relief as to equity and good conscience may pertain. Published pursuant to an order of the Hon. Loyal B. Stearns, judge of fourth judicial district. Dated, March 12th, 1896. B. F. & G. W. SWOPE, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

A few more packages of that Golden Tea for 40 cents; Fairbank's Gold dust 20 cents a package; Pettijohn Breakfast Gem 10 cents; Island rice 5 cents a pound; other goods in proportion. Stratton's, Corner 7th & Center St.

J. W. WELCH, DENTIST.

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Dr. Wm. B. Knapp, DENTIST.

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WM. KRUEGER, MERCHANT TAILOR.

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V. HARRIS, Star Grocery.

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

Shoe Repairing at Cost. WILLEY'S HARNESS SHOP.

PRICES: Men's Half-Sole 50c, Men's Half-Sole and Heels 75c, Ladies' Half-Sole 35c, Ladies' Half-Sole and Heels 50c.

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Willamette Steam Laundry. IS NOW PREPARED TO DO FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRY WORK.

Pure Spring Water Used. Work Called for and Delivered. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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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. CAUFFIELD; Manager, CHARLES H. CAUFFIELD.

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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.

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Endorsed by the State Board of Horticulture of California, Oregon and Washington. Used by many Nurserymen and Orchardists. My winter wash is the only solution that will kill the woolly Aphis, (used only when the foliage is off). My summer wash is a pure destroyer of the coding moth, eggs, and all insects except woolly Aphis, use just after the blossoms fall off my hop louse wash kills all insects that infest vines, vegetables and plants.

The ingredients used in my formulas can be found in any drug store, costs much less than other washes. (Full and explicit directions for mixing and using.)

Knowing I have a sure remedy, some unprincipled parties are now selling imitations. Therefore, to discourage all such parties I have concluded for a short time only to reduce the price of the three formulas to \$2.00 by mail to any address. Formulas copyrighted, January 16th, 1890. P. O. Box 2297. By H. BROWN, Entomologist, San Francisco, Calif. Mention this paper.

BACKACHE AND RHEUMATISM relieved by Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters.