

# OREGON CITY COURIER

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## PATRONIZE HOME-INDUSTRY.

OREGON CITY, FEB. 4, 1898.

## County Central Committee.

A meeting of Clackamas County Central Democrat Committee, will be held at Pope's hall on Saturday, February 19, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of fixing the date for the county convention, apportioning delegates to the same and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

J. J. COOKE, Chairman.

A. W. CHENEY, Secretary.

## COLTON.

The beautiful snow was here and made us a visit the first of this week.

J. H. Bonney has been cutting trees for C. Strongrem.

Miss Nellie and Gus Gottberg went to Oregon City one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gorbett were the guest of W. Tumerstitt and daughter, Miss Emma, last Sunday.

Miss Emma Freeman of Mountain Home was the guest of her grandfather, S. H. D., last Sunday night.

B. C. Balmer is working for J. Gorbett. The C. C. debating society met January 26th and with B. C. Palmer in chair. The question was "Resolved, That Modern Machinery is a Detriment to Mankind." Leaders, W. H., N. S. Dix and Frank Arguette. Judges decided in favor of the negative.

J. F. Dix went to Oregon City one day this week.

W. S. Gorbett was the guest of his sister, Mrs. P. E. Bonney, last Sunday.

Mr. Pleaurd, who is in the hospital, is improving.

The C. C. debating society has purchased three new lamps for the school house.

January 29.

ALPHONSE.

## Silver and the Law.

OREGON CITY, Jan. 31, 1898.

From Oregonian January 28th:

"The contention is that the present plight of silver is due to discrimination of law; that an act of congress declaring the monetary standard to be 412½ grains of silver as well as 23.22 grains of gold will restore silver to its old value \*\*\* It is a strange unconception and it is a hard one to answer, etc."

He there goes on to say that silver men go on faith for their opinions, like people do for their religion, and it is no more use to submit to them evidence or reason, than to argue the infallibility of the Pope to a Scotch covenantor, etc. They cannot be convinced because they will no be. Here the editor contradicts himself in one short paragraph. He tells us that people take their religious on faith without evidence, and that the Scotch covenantors have no faith to receive the infallibility of the Pope. Either he must claim the Pope to be infallible proved by evidence which is rejected, or he must admit that the proof for infallibility is not strong enough to convince a covenantor. So that a covenantor wants reason for his religion, which makes the editor contradict himself.

But we can tell the editor that the evidence of the Pope's infallibility is about on a par with evidence advanced by the Oregonian for the gold standard. It is no use to brag of the support of history and science without facts, which are in favor of the silver argument.

Let the Oregonian explain why there never was any serious difference in the value of gold and silver for over two centuries, while any of the leading countries were minting both, free, at a ratio, and since India dropped the free mintage, there has been a diversion of over fifty per cent.

No wonder the Oregonian finds it hard to convince silver men, it must do more than boast of history and science, it must use them to convince its opponents, but this would not do; every fact of history and economic science proves the stability of the world's values on a bimetallic basis and the last four year's experience of two separate standards is enough to satisfy most people with the gold standard.

AROUS.

## REALTY TRANSFERS.

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G Beebe to H Riechel, 80 acres, sec 26, 1 s, 2 e; \$9000.

J Surad to F Schnieter, 46 a and tract 1 by 3½ rods, sec 6, 3 s, 3 e; \$475.

H Scheel to P Scheel, e ½ of se ¼ of se ¼, sec 22, and e ½ of ne ¼ of se ¼, sec 22, 3 s, 5 e; \$100.

M L Bruce to I Pollock, 12 a, sec 32, 1 s, 2 e; \$1500.

A Stowasser (sheriff) to A Stowasser, sw ¼, sec 8, 3 s, 1 w; \$1143.62.

A Stowasser to J Birrer, sw ¼, sec 8, 3 s, 1 w; \$1600.

J A Thayer to A Collette, 19.3 a in Chas Walker claim; \$650.

W W Groves to J O and A L Groves, ne ¼ of se ¼, sec 27, 1 s, 4 e; \$500.

A H Roberts to F and A Kindorf, 10 acres, sec 29, 1 s, 2 e; \$1.

G W Taylor to H H Hughes, 62½ ac, sec 22 and 23, 3 s, 2 e; \$1500.

Geo Reddaway to M E Reddaway, lots 2, 3 and 12, blk 15, Falls View; \$1.

Thos Spencer to V O Harding, 29 ac, secs 5 and 8, 3 s, 2 e; \$1700.

J S Roberts (by sheriff) to W Scott, 40 acs, sec 8, 5 s, 1 w; \$800.

H Hughes to P Hughes, 120 acres, sec 22, 4 s, 3 e; \$1000.

B Gillan to R Gillan, 3½ acres, Rolt Thompson claim; \$5.

W S Kellogg to — Blocker, lots 2 and 3, Canby; \$300.

U S to J Nichols, se ¼ of sec 6, 2 s, 7 e; patent.

Frank Gosser to H A Munsell, 7 ½ a, sec 18, 3 s, 1 e; \$300.

J L Sperry to E A Sperry, e ½ of sw ¼, sec 36, 1 s, 2 e, and e ½ of nw ¼, sec 1, 2 s, 2 e; 20 acres; \$1.

Silas Wright (sheriff) to J F Nelson, 30 a, H Wright claim; \$75.

John Foshauner to J Koenigsberger, 2 lots and house, Milwaukie; gift by will.

## CASTORIA.

The famous signature of Dr. H. H. H. is on every bottle.

## LOCAL SUMMARY.

F. I. Andrews, the market gardener, has always on hand a large amount of first-class apples, vegetables, pure cider and cider vinegar. Give him a trial.

Kenworthy's restaurant and confectionery is now opened and ready to serve first-class meals on short notice. Oysters a specialty. Wheeler & Cram's old stand.

The most reliable goods at lowest living cash prices are kept by the grocery store of Marr & Muir.

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The firm of Bellomy & Busch made heavy purchases in crockery, carpets and wallpaper direct from factory and will sell at interesting low prices.

For the best shave or hair cut to be had go to P. G. Shark's shop. Shaving 10 cents.

If you want a nice steak, roast or boil call at Albrig. t's shop and get some of his cold-storage meat which is acknowledged by all to be superior to the meats commonly sold at butchers' shops. He also keeps on hand a full stock of lard, hams, bacon, etc., made by himself and warranted purest and wholesome. Remember the old established shop on Main street.

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.

D. E. Kenworthy at the East Side Ry office serves meals or oysters at all times. He also keeps a line of confectionery, fruits and cigars.

Dan Williams has added to his stock of groceries and provisions a full line of feed and hay. Goods delivered to all parts of the city free. Corner Seventh and Center streets

Remember the Racket Store opposite Charman's Drug Store.

G. H. Young's second-hand store can furnish you with furniture, stoves, hardware, etc., at less than one-fourth what same would cost new and they are just as good and will last as long. Give him a trial.

## TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the regular quarterly examination for teachers will be held at the court house in Oregon City, beginning at one o'clock p. m. Wednesday, February 9th, 1898. State examination begins Thursday, February 10th, at 9 a. m.

H. G. STARKWEATHER, County School Supt.

Dated Jan. 24, 1898.

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## Beauty Is Blood.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets, —beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c

## NO CURE—NO PAY.

"That is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply iron and quinine in an agreeable form. Children love it. Adults prefer a bitter, nauseating Tonic. Price 50c. For sale by C. G. Hunterly, Druggist.

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