

# OREGON CITY COURIER

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### PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.

OREGON CITY, FEB. 18, 1898.

### County Central Committee.

A meeting of Clackamas County Central Democratic 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.

A MEETING of the sheepmen of the Pacific Northwest will be held at The Dalles on March 1st to 3d for purpose of organizing a woolgrowers' association.

THE GOVERNMENT only ran behind \$12,000,000 in January and \$52,000,000 since the first of last July. Shades of a bond issue now appear!—East Oregonian.

THE U. S. battleship Maine was blown up in Havana harbor on Tuesday evening and all but 96 of the 354 persons were killed. It is thought to be the work of the Spaniards. The ship cost over \$2,500,000.

EX-CONGRESSMAN Charles A. Towne spoke at Birmingham, Ala., last week, under auspices of the local democratic bimetallic club. He was greeted by a large and enthusiastic audience. He stated that he was just from a conference of the national leaders of three silver parties in Washington, where it was decided to push the campaign for silver with renewed vigor, and that in pursuance of the plans outlined he is enroute to the Pacific coast to speak in California, Washington and Oregon. He added that the first gun of the campaign of 1900 will be fired in Oregon in June next. Mr. Towne was very severe in his exhortation of the McKinley administration, and declared that the silver men had not, so far as he had been able to learn in touring thirty states, lost a single vote, but had gained many.

### Good Resolutions of Patriots.

At a meeting of Clarke's Lodge No. 3, Patriots of America, the following resolutions were presented and unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The toilers of this nation have no longer hope of relief from the McKinley administration (he having violated every promise which he made in 1896), and,

Whereas, The idle have not been employed; wages instead of raising have decreased; trade has become more stagnant; factories continue to close, and the "pet measure" of the republican party, the Dingley law, has failed to provide sufficient revenue to defray the expense of government; and,

Whereas, In view of the fact that the states of Washington, Kansas, Nebraska and South Dakota have been rescued from republican misrule by a union of the silver forces; succeeding in electing fusion senators, who have saved the nation from that traitorous piece of attempted legislation, the Gage monetary bill, which, had it been successful, would have made a revolution necessary to have emancipated mankind; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we heartily favor a union of the populist, democratic and silver republican parties in the approaching campaign in Oregon, with silver, at the ratio of 16 to 1, as a national, and direct legislation as a state issue; and, be it further

Resolved, That but one reform ticket be placed in the field, and each of the above named parties be represented thereon according to their respective numerical strengths; and, be it further

Resolved, That we will unanimously support such a ticket.

GRANT H. LEE, Recorder.

H. W. GARD, First Patriot.

Clarkes, Or., Feb. 8, 1898.

### WOOD. WOOD.

Bids Wanted for 2000 cords, or any part of same, of first growth green fir wood, to be delivered during 1898. We reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Bids will be opened March 1, 1898. Address, OREGON CITY WOOLEN MILLS, Oregon City, Oregon.

### SPECIAL! SALE!! SPECIAL!!

At the Oregon City Auction House. The loss of one is the gain of another. A Portland merchant retiring from business sacrifices a lot of fine genuine Nottingham lace curtains and portiers. I bought them and for spot cash too and so will give the general public the benefit of the sacrifice. Call early for choice patterns. W. L. BLOCK, Prop.

Lost—About January 15th; a white cow about 5 years old, nice smooth white horns, round smooth built, weight about 1000 pounds, no ear marks nor brands. Thought to be between Oregon City and Highland. Anyone knowing of or finding please call at Albright's shop Oregon City and receive reward.

MOTHER GOOSE HONORED.—A Mother Goose party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Harding Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss Lucy Stanton, of Roseburg. About 35 guests were present, and they were all ladies, but this did not prevent the male characters in Mother Goose's melodies from being faithfully portrayed. The parlors were tastefully decorated with nursery rhymes, and after refreshments souvenirs were presented representing Mother Goose rhymes. Mrs. T. A. Pope and Mrs. J. G. Pillsbury assisted Mrs. Harding in entertaining the young ladies. Among the characters represented were the following: May Kelly, Little Boy, Blue; Mina Kelly, daffodil; Amy Kelly, Simple Simon; Beta Fouts, cry boy; Kate Ward, Little Miss Muffett; Mollie Haskins, piggy wiggy; Lula Hankins, Little Nanticoote; Mertie Stevens, Jack Sprat; Vera Pillsbury, Mrs. Sprat; Hazel Pillsbury, the butcher; Laura Pope, the baker; Josephine Chase, daffodil; Pauline Campbell, old woman with basket of eggs; May McIntyre, king of hearts; Mattie Draper, queen of hearts; Alice Glasspool, little Bo Peep; May Wishart, little Bo Peep; May Williams, milk maid; Eva Meldrum, Old Mother Hubbard; Ina Chase, Little Miss Muffett; Imo Harding, Jack; Lucy Stanton, Gill; Mary Conyers, Little Girl with a curl; Mayme Lewthwaite, contrary girl; Alice Lewthwaite, Old Woman that Swept the sky; Beatrice Barlow, Miss Muffett; Elma Albright, candle stick maker; Mrs. F. T. Griffith, Polly Cinders; Mrs. C. G. Huntley, Tom the Piper's Son; Mrs. A. J. Lewthwaite, Mother Hubbard.

BURNS WILL BE FREE.—James Burns, the last of 34 convicts, whose sentences were committed by Governor Penoyer, a few days before the expiration of his term, will be discharged March 1st. It will be remembered by many Clackamas county people that in April, 1893, a Chinaman named Lom Ki was killed for his money at the dead hour of midnight in a hop house near Mulino. James Burns and Theron Mack were living on Charles Spangler's place making rails at the time the murder was committed. They were summoned before the coroner's jury, but there was no convicting evidence to connect them with the murder. However, they were placed under arrest by Chief of Police Purdon, and convicted themselves by each making a confession. The object of the murder was robbery, as the Chinaman had recently received the money for his hops, but the murderers were disappointed as they found none. At the April term of the circuit court the grand jury returned a verdict of murder in the first degree, and at the conclusion of the trial in May, Judge McBride sentenced both Burns and Mack to the penitentiary for life. Theron Mack died after serving about a year of his sentence, and James Burns will be a free man after March 1st.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.—Fourteen out of a class 19 successfully passed the teachers' examination for certificates, which closed last Friday evening. They are as follows: First grade—Rufus Holman, Meadowbrook; M. A. Lehman, Firwood; Hannah Peter, Molalla. Second grade—Corvall Fisher, Canby; Harriett E. Bray, Oregon City. Third grade—Eliza Burns, Canby; Robert Coe, Victor Carathers, James Kocher, Frank Roth, Canby; Zelina L. Shaver, Molalla; Metta Tellefson, Parkplace; Knute Gregerson, McKee; Martin Messenger, Schuebel. Four candidates took the examination for state papers, which will be passed upon by the state board. The questions were easier than usual, and a larger per centage than ordinary, passed the ordeal of the examination. The members of the examining board are Supt. H. G. Starkweather, Prof. T. J. Gary and D. F. May.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.—Among the new cases filed in the circuit court are M. W. Randall vs. Charles Catta, et al. W. B. Hiddleston vs. E. C. Maddock and Mary A. Maddock; M. M. Ham vs. L. Ham. The latter is a divorce suit and the plaintiff evidently has no use for Eastern Ham. In her complaint she avers that they were married in Portland on January 6th, 1896, and that on the 6th day of May, 1896, the defendant willfully deserted plaintiff without cause, and further that she has not seen him from that day to this. She alleges that he has been and is now a resident of Missouri, and asks that the bonds of matrimony be dissolved and that she be permitted to resume her maiden name, Minnie McKean. Another case filed in the circuit court this week is Harriet E. K. Dennison vs. Paul A. Ozame, et al.

ORATORICAL HONORS.—Another Oregon City young lady has distinguished herself, this time in the field of oratory. Miss Edna Rugg, daughter of Rev. M. L. Rugg, pastor of the First Baptist church in this city, carried off the honors at the oratorical contest of the graduating class at the Portland university, Friday night. Consequently Miss Rugg will represent that school in the state intercollegiate contest which will be held in Albany, Friday, March 11th. Miss Rugg is a member of the senior class of the university, and is vice-president of the Hesperian Literary Society. The title of her oration was "Radicalism."

Justice court blanks 15 cents per dozen at COURIER office.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.—Saturday, February 12th, was Miss Iva Harrington's 18th birthday, and the event was celebrated by a surprise party given in her honor at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. E. T. Story, at corner of Ninth and Taylor streets, in the evening. Miss Harrington received a number of beautiful presents, and the program consisted of games, music, refreshments, etc. Among those present were: Miss Eva Moehnke, Lorena Lazelle, Emma Allison, Clara Holstrom, Maud Noble, Bessie Woods, Octavia Hermann, Rachel Thomas, Bertha Scott, Gussie Maddock, Annie Dungey; Messrs. Rac Norris, Harry Shaner, Charles Bluhm, Thomas Myers, John Knapp, Fred Armstrong, Sam Stevenson, George Harrington.

A PIONEER OF 1847.—Another one of Clackamas county's early pioneers has passed away. Runa Mattoon, a pioneer of 1847, died at Looking Glass, Douglas county, a few days ago, aged 73. He arrived here with his parents and other members of the family during the latter part of the year 1847, and settled near Oregon City. In 1849 he followed the rush to the gold fields of California, and upon his return he took a donation claim on Clear Creek, 12 miles from this city. In 1852 he was united in marriage with Miss Eliza A. Trullinger, who survives him. They had a son, A. R. Mattoon, who was with his parents when the end came. He died of neuralgia of the heart. Mr. Mattoon removed to Douglas county in 1888, where he resided up to the time of his death.

### Special Corporate Meeting.

OREGON CITY, Or., Feb. 17, 1898. A special corporate meeting of the shareholders of the Willamette Savings and Loan Association will be held, at the office of the Bank of Oregon City, on Monday, February 28th, 1898, at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for directors and auditors, to be voted for at the annual corporate meeting to be held March 19th, 1898; also for the purpose of electing two tellers to act at said election.

By order of  
E. G. CAGFIELD,  
President.

Attest:  
THOS. F. RYAN, Secretary.

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### LOCAL SUMMARY.

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