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PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRY.

OREGON CITY, OCT. 28, 1898.

PLEASE PAY UP

The season of the year has arrived when the proprietor of a newspaper naturally expects to receive some compensation for his labors. The amounts due us from subscribers are individually small but taken together they aggregate the sum of quite a large amount. During these hard times it taxes all one's energies to keep a paper afloat. Please try to send us a dollar or two on account, or if you are unable to get the dollars and have no pocket money, then send us what we will allow you market price. It seems settled out of made before November 1st the accounts of those more than two years in arrears will be placed in a collector's hands. Please settle or call and see publisher before that date.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

In consolidating the COURIER and HERALD, we now endeavor to make our paper more compact and more easily read, and we would kindly ask each subscriber to notice the date opposite his name on the paper and if it is not right call and see or write us. The date denotes the time to which you have paid and not the time you subscribed or paid the money.

FREE SILVER OR BONDS.

Do the people understand that silver is to be abandoned as a money metal? This is the ultimate aim of the bankers, money owners and newspapers that advocate what they are pleased to term the gold standard and sound money, says The Dalles Times-Mountaineer. As the law now stand not a single ounce of silver that has been taken from the mines since 1893 can be coined into money of any denomination. Do the people understand this? Before 1873, from the dawn of history, silver was regarded as one of the money metals of the world. Now legislation has stricken it down. The adverse legislation of our government alone has reduced the price of silver throughout the world. The silver in a dollar can be purchased for fifty cents, and the silver dollar is to be backed up by gold, demanding interest bearing bonds. This is the program of all the financial traitors of our country who cloaking themselves in the garb of angels, with hypocritical expressions of deep concern for the masses have never fought a contest in the open. Unless the policy of our government is changed there will never be an ounce of newly minted silver coined. Do the people understand this?

Silver must either be restored to free coinage or else hundreds of millions of dollars in gold bonds issued to form the basis of a "sound" banking currency. And the latter is what every banker, corporation and plutocrat desires.

Our erstwhile Brownell sheet at Oregon City, which is now fighting the above-named gentleman very bitterly, is getting very childish. Those who are acquainted with him know what is the matter. Time after time he has been promised by politicians the control of the only republican paper in the county, the Enterprise, but it now happens that the politicians are not able to deliver the Enterprise, in fact, they never intended to.

He is rage and childish remarks about certain gentlemen that are as much above him and his treacherous methods as he is above a Chinaman. He hasn't sand enough to publish his assertions in his little one-horse organ so he goes around the curbstones and makes them, saying somebody "told him so." In his sheet he claims to be the "leading paper," when, in fact, he doesn't do the business of the Canby paper, nor get up as good a paper. But this is not surprising when a newspaperman does not rise above personal prejudices and spite.

Many may wonder why with wheat at 50 cents flour sells at 90 cents. There are several reasons why this is so, but we will give only two. Mark Hanna has so ordered it. While millers pay 50 cents for wheat now, they are still grinding on wheat that cost them ninety cents. When they finish the old 90-cent stock they will begin on the 50-cent wheat. See—Canby Independent.

After all the wheat has been bought from farmers the price will raise and the mills will still charge 90 cents or more for flour on account of the increased price of wheat. "The former pays the freight." See.

A son of Senator Driver was clerk of the federal relations committee of the senate and drew \$65 pay, though he did not have any work to do at all. This is a sample of this clerical abuse, for which the people pay.

REPRESENTATIVE J. W. Maxwell, of Tillamook, will, in all probability, be appointed receiver of public moneys at Oregon City, in place of Judge Galloway, whose term will expire next February.—Tillamook Headlight.

COMMENTARIES.

Matters Concerning Local Every-day Affairs Noticed by the Courier Reporter.

The state fair wants a deficiency appropriation from the legislature, and the district fairs are maneuvering to get help to maintain the credit of their annual shows. There is something radically rotten somewhere. For the past 12 years the Butte Creek Agricultural Association, has held its annual fairs at Marquam in this county, and their splendid exhibits have always proved a social and financial success. The liberal premiums offered have always been paid in full, and the management was never overwhelmed with indebtedness. The Association has never asked for or received any appropriation from the state, and it has prospered.

It has been suggested that the city council get the use of the woolen mills whistle for a fire alarm. Its shrill shrieking could be heard all the way to Elyville.

According to the various letters received from Manilla, the boys are anxious to come home. However, the most of them appear to be enjoying themselves to a certain extent, and the soirees that take place every evening at one of the company's headquarters, is an indication that they are making the best of the surroundings.

The boys ought to live high at Manilla, as a lieutenant writes to a Portland friend. He says that in his quarters they have plunge and shower baths with tile floors, a first-class "canteen" for hot gold beer from Portland, and a club room for officers. The best cigars only cost \$3 per hundred, Mexican money; fine wine is 15 cents a gallon, champagne \$1 per bottle, and can buy clothes at \$3 per suit, all in Mexican money.

The old gossip who prints a handfull of papers every week in the old church, is becoming a most noted prevaricator in private and public life. He knew he lied when he sneaked around and told that the reporter of this paper started a story about a certain prominent citizen. But he probably wanted to pull this citizen's "leg"—maybe for enough to pay off the labor claims against his measly sheet. If he printed his little rag at the same time the Oregon City newspapers were published, and didn't swipe his news from the weekly old papers and the Oregonian and Telegram, he wouldn't be in it. He lied, too, when he said the Telegram reporter accused a Clackamas county legislator of stealing seven spitoons. The item referred to stated that Mr. Holstrom said it was rumored that such was the case. The old gossip came to the reporter and wanted to know which member of the legislature was accused, but the latter had learned by past experience that it wasn't safe to tell the Janus face mug anything. Brownell started him in business by giving him the tax-list two or three years ago, but he has forgotten his benefactor.

A Pleasant Reception.

Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Butler were given a delightful reception Tuesday evening by the Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational church in the church parlors, in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary. About 150 members of the church were present besides number of invited guests, and it proved the social event of the season. The tables were prettily decorated with ivy, cut roses and sprigs of red wild roses, and the walls were decorated in a similar manner.

The festivities began by the presentation of an elegant Haviland tea set, a token of esteem and appreciation from the members of the congregation and friends. Mrs. C. H. Dye made the very neat presentation speech, which was feelingly responded to by the pastor. Rev. A. J. Montgomery, of the Presbyterian church, and Rev. M. L. Rugg, of the Baptist church, each made appropriate short addresses. A splendid luncheon was served to all present, the other features being of a social conversation nature.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

C. A. Willey will talk at the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Sunday afternoon. Donations of books will be gladly received at the reading room.

Additions to the gymnasium will be made next week.

The basket ball team beat the Deweys of Portland by a score of 16 to one, last Friday night. The Deweys were monsters in size and weight, and expected to do up the "country kids" to a finish. The Deweys were completely routed, and when they reached Portland, told the sporting editor of the Telegram, that the basket ball players up at Oregon City were great, big giants.

The next game of the series will be played at Portland tonight. A card of people will go down to see the game, if special rates can be secured. At the game played, Friday night Milton Price was umpire, and Joe Goodfellow took his place in the team.

A fine line of pattern hats at Shively's, Corner 7th and Madison on the hill.

Jacob Schatz, harness maker and painter, Main street, opposite Catholic church, Oregon City.

If you wish to enjoy an evening of side-splitting laughter, go and see Gorton's New Orleans Minstrels. The first part is a perfect revelation of modern minstrelsy. Gorton's is the only organization in America producing genuine minstrelsy. Glistening with musical genius and comedy. At Shively's on Saturday, October 20. Tickets on sale at Postoffice store.

Go to A. C. Walls, Oregon City for Pile and Catarrh Remedies. Cure guaranteed or money refunded.

Special Sale of trimmed hats Friday, Saturday and Monday, Oct. 21, 22 and 24, by Mrs. M. E. Hamilton at Red Front Store—Oregon City.

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Obituary Notice.

The following obituary notice of Mrs. Annie Frost, now deceased, was unavoidably crowded out last week:

With profound grief our entire community received the sad intelligence on Saturday that Annie Darling, wife of Allen Frost, died at the residence of her father, Marion Darling, of Ely, October 15th, 1898, aged 27 years. She was possessed of an high order of intellect, was well read, gracious and pleasing in manner, lovely in person, kind in disposition, sunny in temperament, and womanly in all her impulses and conduct.

Her genial disposition won a wide circle of friends, who were devotedly attached to her. As a daughter she was tender and devoted, and a tower of strength to her parents. As a sister and wife she was wise in counsel and helpful in action; and as a friend she was true and gave of her best. A few weeks since her mother and only sister accompanied her to Colorado Springs, Colo., hoping that the change of climate would prove beneficial. All that loving attention could do, all that medical skill could accomplish, were invoked in her behalf, but in vain. The disease resisted all remedies, and after months of suffering she yielded up the struggle and her gentle spirit went out with the great unknown; departed from this existence buoyed by a sublime hope of immortality, and was a noble Christian girl. Her life was spotless and her death peaceful and calm. Who had known her can doubt that in a better clime, freed from the shackles of mortality, she has found a perfect existence where immortal bliss awaits the pure in heart. On the following Sunday Rev. T. W. Butler, of the Congregational church, of which she was a member, conducted the services in a beautiful and impressive manner. She was buried from her late home Sunday afternoon, and the remains were interred in Mountain View cemetery, attended by a large concourse of relatives and friends. Sadly, her friends strewed her grave with wreaths of flowers until the mound of earth was a mass of beauty, fitting emblem of her young life so soon on earth.

God's mighty plans for us are far beyond our mortal ken.

And ever as we try to search them out, we fail.

But in the endless years to come, we shall know why The fairest of earth's flowers are first to fade and die.

F. G. Oregon City, Oct. 17th, 1898.

Decennial Celebration.

Sunday, October 30th, the First Presbyterian church of this city will celebrate the 10th anniversary of its organization. Special services will be held as follows: In the morning, a memorial sermon; at 3 p. m., communion service. In the evening the pastor will give a historical account of the first decade of the church's life. All are cordially invited to these services, especially, also, all Presbyterians living in various parts of Clackamas county, who do not usually worship at Oregon City.

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LOCAL SUMMARY.

A few cheap reliable watches at Younger's

Get your fruit jars and jelly tumblers at Harris' grocery.

For best groceries at cheapest price go to Marr & Muir.

Highest cash price paid for second hand household goods at Bellomy & Busch.

Last year's patterns of wall paper at reduced prices. Five and 10¢ notions counters. At Bellomy & Busch.

Hand knits, skirts, beautiful colors, from \$1.00 to \$2.00.

At the Racket Store.

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

Just received, 100 rolls of fine matting. Call at once and get choice of patterns. Oregon City Auction House.

Money to loan at 8 percent interest on mortgages. Apply to C. D. & D. C. Latourette.

The Club tonsorial parlors, P. G. Stark, proprietor, shaves for 10 cents. A full line of cigars and tobacco is kept.

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

Fir and hard wood wanted on accounts by the Oregon City Courier.

A high grade warranted sewing machine sells for \$25 on easy payments at Bellomy & Busch.

XXX Castor Machine oil cheaper than any other place at A. Robertson's, the Seventh street grocer.

For SALE—Two yoke of well-broke oxen. Also one heavy log wagon. Inquire of Herman Bros., Molalla, Oregon.

We carry exclusive styles at lower prices than any other house in Oregon. Others may compete with us in quality, but not in price. Celia Goldsmith.

The Oregon City Auction House has just received the agency for the finest range made which will be sold at very low prices.

FOR SALE—A thoroughbred shorthorn bull, nine months old. J. W. Dowdy, Currinville, Oregon.

Underwear, ladies', gentlemen's and children's, all prices.

At the Racket Store.

Nottingham lace curtains, balance of lot just received. Will close out at the same old price. Oregon City Auction House.

Money to loan at 8 percent interest on mortgages. Apply to C. D. & D. C. Latourette.

We sell millinery goods 25 per cent cheaper than any other house. Miss Goldsmith.

When in Portland be sure and call at the Royal restaurant where you can get the best meal in the city. 233 First street, corner of Madison. Wm. Bohlander, proprietor.

Wanted—A child under 10 years of age to care for. Apply at this office,

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Clackamas county, that the County Equalization Board for said county, will convene on the 24th of October, 1898, and continue in session for one week. All property owners are requested to appear before the board and examine the assessment roll, so that any errors in assessment may be corrected.

L. Strott, County Assessor.

Carloads of goods—for Red Front, of course—table oil cloth 12¢, Cabot W. 5¢, seamless hose 10¢, tough mule-skin gloves 25¢, with calf front 50¢, 9 oz. overalls 35¢, dress goods, yarns, underwear, mackintoshes, capes, umbrellas and shoes at cut prices.

Red Front Store, Oregon City.

Trimmed hats, the latest Paris and New York styles, at the lowest prices. Miss Goldsmith's.

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Younger, who has had a life-long experience, will clean your watch for a dollar.

SHERIFF'S SALE ON EXECUTION.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas.

Robbins & Son, Plaintiffs, vs. James Nelson, Defendant.

State of Oregon, County of Clackamas, ss.

BY VIRTUE OF A JUDGMENT ORDER, decree and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court, in the cause above named, between the parties to the suit, on the 21st day of April, 1897, upon a judgment entered in said court on the 21st day of April, 1897, in favor of Robbins & Son, plaintiffs, and against James Nelson, defendant, for the sum of \$42.76, with interest, costs and disbursements, with the rule of six per cent, from the 17th day of April, 1897, and the further sum of 27.72 cents, costs and disbursements, and the costs of and upon the writ, commanding the sheriff to execute the judgment of said court on the defendant, and to sell the real property belonging to said defendant on and after the date of said judgment to satisfy said judgment, and the costs and disbursements of said writ.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, and order of sale, and under the seal of the above entitled court, I, the undersigned, judge and jury, direct and command the sheriff to make sale of the real property hereinabove described to satisfy said judgment, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, from the 17th day of April, 1897, to the time of sale, and the further sum of \$12.35, costs then due upon said judgment, and the costs and disbursements of said writ.

I, the undersigned, judge and jury, direct and command the sheriff to make sale of the real property hereinabove described to satisfy said judgment, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, from the 17th day of April, 1897, to the time of sale, and the further sum of \$12.35, costs then due upon said judgment, and the costs and disbursements of said writ.

At the 23d day of September, 1898, at the front door of the Oregon City Auction House, in said county and state, sell at public auction, subject to redemption, to the highest bidder, for United States gold coin, cash in hand, all the rights, title and interest which the within named defendant had on the date of the judgment, and the interest in the real property hereinabove described to satisfy said judgment, and the costs and disbursements of said writ.

At the 23d day of September, 189