

# OREGON CITY COURIER.

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IT HAS BEEN

## A Great Surprise

To many of the people of Clackamas county to find upon examination that

**Our Prices are Much Lower**

than the best prices offered in Portland or elsewhere for the same make of goods. We are headquarters for

**Harvesting Machinery of all descriptions**

and carry in stock a full line of buggies and wagons. Come, see and be convinced.

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Oregon City, Or

Opposite Opera House.

## Your Banking?

No matter how small,  
No matter how large,

**The Bank of Oregon City**

Will give it careful attention. This message applies to the men and the women alike.

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**C. N. Plowman & Co.**

We sell land by spending money in advertising. Send us your Eastern friends address, and we will mail him our descriptive pamphlet of Clackamas County.

**C. N. Plowman & Co.**

Oregon City, Ore.  
Over Bank of Oregon City.



THE MORNING TUB

cannot be enjoyed in a basin of limited capacity nor where the water supply and temperature is uncertain by reason of defective plumbing heating apparatus. To have both put in thorough working order will not prove expensive if the work is done by

**F. C. GADKE**

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

## AMONG LODGES

**ODD FELLOWS ELECT DELEGATES TO GRAND LODGE AND ASSEMBLY.**

Other Items of Interest Gathered From the Goat Riding Fraternities.

Oregon City Lodge of I. O. O. F., No. 2, at its meeting on last Thursday night elected delegates to attend the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows which will convene in Portland on the 20th, of the present month. The following delegates were elected: Judge Thomas F. Ryan, S. S. Walker and W. L. Midlam. The Grand Lodge will be a meeting of very much interest this year and a full delegation from all parts of the state will be present and participate.

The Rebekah Lodge of Oregon City, I. O. O. F., at its meeting on Friday night two weeks ago elected the following delegates to attend the General Assembly at Portland on May 20th: Mrs. J. J. Cooke, Mrs. C. E. Midlam, Mrs. Judge Thomas F. Ryan and Miss Anna Wilehart. The meeting of the Assembly will be held at the same time as the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows being held in a separate hall but at the same time.

The Knights of Pythias on Wednesday night had a very interesting meeting. They will have quite a good deal of work to do in the near future.

## DEAD

**JAMES B. BROWN LAYS HIS MANTLE DOWN.**

An Aged and Honored Citizen Laid to Rest

At his home at Logan, May 1st, James Brown, aged near 59 years. Deceased was born in McDonough Co, Illinois, June 6th, 1844. In 1850 his parents moved to Hancock county, and at the age of 9 years he started to Oregon, with S. J. Richey who settled at Hillsboro. At 16 he commenced to learn the blacksmith and wagon makers trade with Sol Shattuck, of Portland, where he remained for 5 years. He worked one year for John Lewis of Oregon City and then started a shop at Fisher's mill, and has had a shop in the vicinity of Logan ever since.

He has been postmaster at Logan since December 1893. On September 4th, 1898, he was married to Miss Elizabeth Mc ubbin. His wife and three children survive to mourn his loss. The surviving children are Mrs. S. W. Minturn, of Salem, Wm. and C. F. Brown, of Logan. Ella Brown died at the age of 34 years. Two sisters, Mrs. Rachel Burrow and Mrs. Cloe are living at Josta, Illinois.

He was a charter member of Harding Grange No. 122, P. of H. and took an active part in building the hall which is on land donated by him. He joined Lone Pine lodge, A. F. & A. M., in Jan. 1875 and simple-hearted faithfulness of his character as shown by the fact that since that time he has missed but three meetings of the lodge. He was possessed with much mechanical talent and was of a genial disposition, loved to associate with youth and always ready for a good joke or playful frolic. The funeral services were conducted by Elder Rich, of the Christian church on Sunday, and was buried under the impressive ceremonies of the masonic order, conducted by Judge T. F. Ryan, in the presence of nearly 300 people.

## Chicken Dinner.

The regular monthly social of the Baptist church will be held on Friday evening May 15th and a chicken dinner will be served in the Sunday school room for 15 cents. All preachers barred.

## BUILD OR NOT.

**THAT IS THE QUESTION THAT AGITATES THE COUNCIL.**

The South End Road Provokes a Lively Discussion.

The meeting of the Council Monday night was enlivened by a pretty hot discussion on the south end road. Those who are in favor of building the road and those who are opposed to the improvement were all present, and the matter was discussed in all of its features. Some pretty warm talks were made for and against. The Council itself is divided upon the matter, but evidently a majority of the members are in favor of the road and will appropriate the money when the time comes. The Southern Pacific has agreed to assist in building the road provided no grade crossing is made. In order to get a more definite idea of the cost of the improvement and to learn exactly what the cost of the road will be the entire matter was laid over until the next regular June meeting of the Council.

The regular monthly bills were allowed and routine business transacted.

## Republican Speaking.

Binger Herman Republican candidate for Congress will address the voters of Oregon City on Thursday evening May 14th, in the interest of his candidacy for Congress.

Frank Montgomery was fined ten dollars by Recorder Bruce Curry for being D. and D.

## THE OLD RELIABLE



**BAKING POWDER**

**Absolutely Pure**

**THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE**

**REAGIES IN EUGENE HIS COLLEGE TOWN.**

He is Popular in the Republicans Stronghold—Conducting an Energetic Campaign.

EUGENE May 4.—The visit of A. E. Reames to Eugene was an occasion of more than ordinary interest both to the residents of the city and to the candidate for Congress.

Eugene is Mr. Reames' old college town. Years ago Reames was president of the University Democratic club and that organization is still recalled as an organization of great influence in the Bryan and other hot campaigns.

Scores of old friends, many of them prominent young Republicans, greeted the popular candidate in his visit about the city Saturday.

Mr. Reames is personally a popular man in this stronghold of the Republicans and it is predicted that he will make a much larger showing than the Hermann forces.

IS ENCOURAGED

An interview with The Journal representative Mr. Reames said of his experiences in the preliminary part of the campaign:

"I am more than pleased with the reception which is being accorded me wherever I stop on this trip. At every point I am shown that there are dozens and scores of voters who are going to do the right thing by me at the coming election. The thing that encourages me most is the way the young Republicans are assuming me of their support. Of course this district is normally Republican by a large majority. This condition of things has to be overcome, but we are doing it I can safely say, gradually and surely. The fact is that we are conducting an aggressive campaign and the opposition is on the constant defense ever employed in denying allegations and statements of Democratic voters and always trying to patch up the old wagon so that it will carry without a wreck through the next election."

"The old wagon will not be safe" laughed the energetic young campaigner "if they persist in loading it down with their denials. There won't be any room for voters in June to ride there."

"We have an excellent organization in the field and it is doing yeoman service. Our men are loyal and not half hearted. The young Republicans are quietly working and evidences say that dissatisfied men who have voted straight old Republican politics for years will stay at home on the eventful day that means a half a vote for me, you understand. Yes, I really think that there will be a number of these."

THE ITINERARY.

This afternoon Mr. Reames speaks at North Yamhill, going to McMinnville for an evening meeting.

Tuesday afternoon, May 5, he will be in Independence and will speak at Monmouth in the evening.

Wednesday, May 6, he spends at Dallas.

Thursday, May 7, will be taken up at Toledo.

Friday, May 8, in company with J. E. Lathrop, assistant secretary, he will visit and address Philomath college.

Saturday May 9, will be at Corvallis with the voters and an address by Mr. Reames will be the feature of an evening meeting.

The further itinerary will be arranged this week.

## CHURCH AND SCHOOL

**ITEMS OF INTEREST GATHERED FROM THE WAYSIDE.**

**Teachers and Preachers Who Are Working in the Vineyard**

The entertainment given by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church at Shiveleys opera house on last Friday evening was a decided success in more ways than one. The programme rendered was an excellent one and worthy of the occasion. Those who participated in the evenings exercises were: Mrs. Kate Ward Pope, Miss Grace Marshall, Mrs. W. E. Scott, Misses May Mark, Kate Mark, Echo Samson, Marion Lawrence Bessie Grant, Ethel Cheney, Retta Pierce, Eunice Donaldson, Mary Gilbert, Ve a Williams, Gna Renner, Gertrude Fairclough, Eleanor Williams, Alvina Hera, Bessie Hamilton, Mrs. Matheson, Prof. Edgar Faulk. Messrs. F. H. Mixsell A. E. Frost, Geo. Califf, Leonard Confer and Joe Aldredge. Ice cream and cake were served.

## OVER THE FALLS.

**CHINOOK SALMON TO BE CARRIED BY FISHWAY.**

The Upper River to Be Stocked By Its Construction.

The upper Willamette and its tributary rivers and streams are to be stocked with chinook salmon by the construction of a fishway around the falls in this city. Fish warden Van Dusen has been in the city looking into the matter. The enterprise will cost some \$5,000.00. It is now the purpose to construct a trench across the rocky island that projects from the falls to a point below the Willamette Paper mill, by which the salmon can make the run up and around the falls. A chinook salmon can climb anything except a ladder. A few of them every season get over the falls without any assistance from any artificial help. Twice before the state has attempted to build a fish way and each time, after spending some thousands of dollars, the work has proven a failure and the fish way has gone "on its way" down to the sea. It is to be hoped that this time the work will be better done and that it will be successful. It is to be hoped that more care will be taken to keep the water of the beautiful Willamette from being contaminated with saw-dust and refuse from mills, factories and contiguous works so that the fish of the Willamette and its tributaries will be preserved to the generations yet unborn.

## SIXTY YEARS OLD

**IS CIVIL GOVERNMENT ON THE PACIFIC COAST.**

The Anniversary Celebrated at Champoe With Elaborate Ceremony.

The founding of civil government on this coast and the substantial dedication of all the Oregon country to American rule was fittingly celebrated at Champoe on last Saturday. It was just sixty years

when a hardy little band of pioneers among whom there were many subjects of the British flag met at this self-sown point and established the first civil government in this part of the world and they also determined in their sovereign capacity that this country with all of its possibilities and its limitless extent should forever become the property of the United States.

The British at that time were exercising dominion over a great part of it practically through the Hudson Bay Company claiming all of its vast reaches of mountain and plain. A magnificent marble shaft has been set up to mark the place where this crowd of early pioneers met to make history and preserve a land of promise to their children for all time under the stars and stripes. Only one person who helped to form the provisional territory of the territory of Oregon is alive to day and he is so enfeebled by age and disease that he was not able to be present at this time. A large number of people went from this city and attended the exercises and short speeches were made by Judge William Galloway, Hon. Chas. B. Moores, Mrs. Robert A. Miller, Frank Davey, of Salem, was the principal speaker, and ex-Governor Geer presided. It was a source of regret that F. X. Matthiepe, the sole survivor of the founders of Oregon's provisional government, was ill and was unable to be present. Among those present from Oregon City were: H. C. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. David Caulfield, Mrs. Sarah H. Evans, Mrs. Shirley Buck, Mrs. R. Miller, Judge and Mrs. Wm. Galloway, Waldo Caulfield, Robert A. Caulfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Moores, Mrs. Josephine DeVore Johnson was also present. Among the pioneers were Mrs. R. F. Caulfield, 1849; C. B. Moores, 1852; William Galloway, 1852; Mrs. J. DeNove Johnson, 1853; Mrs. C. B. Moores, 1857; Mrs. R. A. Miller, 1859.

## HELD UP

**ROBERT CURRIN ROBBED OF \$15.**

Bold Highwayman Presents Pistol and Takes the Coin.

Robert Currin, of Currinsville, met with an experience on his way home last Saturday evening that he does not wish to repeat. He had hauled a load of hay to the railroad camp and as he was quietly pursuing his homeward journey a highwayman stepped from the bushes and pressed a pistol at the unsuspecting and unarmed farmer and demanded his money. Mr. Currin only had \$15 with him, the sale price of his load of hay, this he reluctantly turned over to the man "behind the gun" who side stepped into the brush and disappeared. The highwayman was not disguised and there is no clue to his identity.

Mr. Joseph Pominville of Stillwater, Minn., after having spent over \$2,000 with the best doctors for stomach trouble, without relief, was advised by his druggist, Mr. Alex. Richard, to try a box of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. He did so, and is a well man today. If troubled with indigestion, bad taste in the mouth, lack of appetite or constipation, give these tablets a trial, and you are certain to be more than pleased with the result. For sale at 25 cents per box by G. A. Harding.

The theme at the Baptist church Sunday evening will be "The Sphere of the Girl in the Home." In the morning it will be "Growing in Grace."

## The Parrot

**5c Cigars**



**Speaks for Itself**

## Everybody likes It.

Would not have believed so good a cigar could be sold for a nickel. Would you?

**Just try one**

For sale at Oregon City by

G. W. KERTSON.  
G. W. GRACE, Grocer  
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GEO. REDDAWAY, Grocer  
H. M. HARNDEN, Confections  
J. A. TUFT, Confections  
BRUNSWICK RESTAURANT

## Closing Out Sale

Owing to my failing health I have decided to dispose of my entire stock of goods at Cost and many articles will be sold for less than cost. Sale commencing May 1st and continuing until all sold out.

Bleached Table Linen, . . . 45c  
Outing Flannel . . . . . 6c  
Shaker Flannel . . . . . 7c  
Mercerized Satteen . . . . 12  
Percales, 5c, Flannellettes, 9c  
Aprons, 19c, Dress Shields, 15c  
Linen Towels, 30, 34, 37c pair  
Bath Towels, 37, 42, 71c pair  
Silk Dress Skirts \$5.00-\$5.50  
Wool Dress Skirts . . . . 5.00  
Wash Dress Skirts, 60c to 1.50  
Ladies' Muslin Drawers, 20-60c  
Jersey Ribbed Drawers 25-40c  
Ladies' Chemises, 20c to \$2.00  
Ladies' Night Gowns . . .  
White Skirts . . . . . 65, 75, \$1  
Infant's sacks . . . . . 20c to 30c  
Sun Bonnets, 10, 15, 20, 25c  
Shirt Waists . . . . . 50c to \$1.25  
Bustles, new style, . . . 15 to 20c

Corset Covers . . . . . 15 to 50c  
Allover Embroidery, \$1 yard.  
Wrappers 50 to \$1.25 each, extra good.  
Lace curtains, 75 to \$1.35 pair  
Handkerchiefs . . . . . 2c to 50c  
Ladies' white Skirts, 65, 75, \$1  
Ladies' colored Skirts . . . 40c  
Celestia . . . . . 8c  
Brocade skirt lining . . . 18c  
Plain lining . . . . . 12c  
Boston Bags . . . . . 20 to \$3.39  
Pretty Fans . . . . . 10c  
Embroidery Silk . . . . . 4c  
Machine Silk . . . . . 7c  
Columbian Golden Fleece, Imported and Domestic Saxony Yarns, all of the very best quality; also Fleischner's yarns.

**Also,** Hose Supporters, Elastic Web Belts, Suspenders, Beds, Cube Pins, Safety Pins, Hair Pins, Buttons, all kinds, Gloves, Lace, elbow length, Hose for ladies and children—plain and lace, Whisk Brooms, Feather Dusters, Needles, Pins, Curling Irons, Wrist Bags, Agate and Pearl Hat Pins, Finger Rings, Silk Madallions, Applique Trimmings, Laces, Ribbons from 1c to 40c per yard; Velvet Ribbon and many other things too numerous to mention, all to go at cost.

## Racket Store

## Did You Ever

Buy a can of paint and find the contents settled at the bottom of the can dry and hard? Do you know such paint has lost its life elasticity and durability?

One of the particular specialties in this store is our line of paints and Oils. We guarantee every can we sell. No old pioneer stock here—every can is fresh. Special prices on all goods to union painters.

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Chambers Howell

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New Goods, New Proprietors, and Decent Treatment  
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Selwood Beer always on tap : : : : : : : :

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with Local Applications, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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Sold by druggists, price 75c.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

New springs goods, pretty patterns at Red Front.

## SPECIAL ROUND TRIP RATES.

Between June 4th and August 26th. The Illinois Central will sell round trip tickets from Oregon and Washington points to Chicago, Cairo, Memphis and New Orleans at greatly reduced rates. Tickets good for three months. Going limit ten days. Returning limit ten days after starting west. Stop over privilege either way. West of the Missouri river.

Sale dates are arranged to be convenient for delegates to convention of National Educational Association at Boston; Elks at Baltimore; Woodmen at Indianapolis; Eagles at New York; Shriners at Saratoga; K-ights of Pythias at Louisville and Commercial travelers at Indianapolis.

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