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Board of Trade Used to Back
One Proposition.

NEW SYSTEM PROPOSED

Frank Andrews Intends to Organize a Company to Aid the Lines of the Farmers.

The city will be compelled to enact an ordinance for underground wires if the telephone systems that are talked about all materialize. In addition to the existing Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company's line, and the proposed independent company that is being fostered by the Board of Trade, Frank Andrews has a scheme to construct and maintain a co-operative telephone system in the limits of the city. Mr. Andrews argues that the fundamental principle of co-operation is to obtain an article at as near the cost of production as possible, thereby retaining the profits in the hands of the people. He issues the following prospectus:

- To erect and maintain a telephone system in Oregon at actual cost to the people.
- The membership fee shall be \$1. for which shall be issued one share of stock, which will entitle the member to the full benefit of the co-operative system.
- All stock, except membership stock, shall be paid an annual dividend at a rate not to exceed 10 per cent per annum. The common stock shall be sold to the best advantage, redeemable at any time by the company.
- The operating expenses shall be assessed monthly and together with the monthly dividend and maintenance fund, shall make the total as-

essment to be divided pro rata among the members using telephones.

5. All political influence shall be eliminated from the management. Any member holding office in city, county or state shall not be eligible to office, and any present official who shall become a nominee or candidate for public office shall immediately resign.

6. The assessment as provided in Article 4, shall be used as a basis, and shall be the entire cost to those owning their telephones. All users of telephones shall furnish their own batteries and pay all charges for repairs to the telephones in use by them.

About half the required capital stock of \$10,000 for the inauguration of the proposed local telephone system was subscribed at the meeting of the Board of Trade Friday night. Mr. De Varney was expected to be present, but he was unable to come to Oregon City. However, the matter was thoroughly discussed, and enough stock was subscribed to remove any doubt as to the beginning of the enterprise. It is proposed to merge all the interests of the nine independent companies doing business in Clackamas County. Assurance was given Friday night that the Automatic Telephone Company will be ready for business at Portland in a few months, and this will give the new Oregon City company the necessary connection for long distance. Secretary J. U. Campbell, of the Board of Trade, is pushing the proposition.

Frank Andrews, promoter and principal stockholder of the Farmers Telephone Company, has organized an independent telephone company at Central Point in the vicinity of New Era, with the following officers: George Randall, Sr., president; J. M. Olds, vice-president; George Randall, Jr., secretary and treasurer; August Staeley, Frank Andrews and David Penmann directors. It is the purpose of the company to make up one line with ten subscribers to use Bell phones and connect with the Oregon City Exchange of the Pacific States Telephone Company. In order to secure long distance service. An independent service will be inaugurated and maintained in conjunction with the Farmers Telephone Company line between Adkins Mill and Oregon City, a distance of about nine miles. From 50 to 75 phones will be on this line.

G. W. Scramlin, C. I. Miller, A. J. Strubbar and S. N. Strubbar have incorporated the Farmers Home Telephone Company. The incorporators

are the owners of independent systems which have been consolidated with the principal places of business at Canby. On Mr. Scramlin's line there are 200 telephones and on Mr. Miller's 130 phones. The capital stock is \$10,000 divided into 2000 shares at \$5 per share. The object of the company is to own, control, build, equip, operate, sell, dispose of or rent telephones. The company will operate in the vicinity of Macksburg, Hubbard and Aurora.

"HOOLIGAN'S TROUBLES" COMING

One of the most promising attractions on the road this season which will appear here is Manager Arthur J. Aylsworth's three act farce comedy, entitled "Hooligan's Troubles," which during the past seasons has made thousands laugh. The plot is ingenious and at the same time comprehensive. The story briefly summarizes the predicaments of Hooligan and is taken from the pictorial representations of his doings in San Francisco, Chicago, and New York papers. "Hooligan" is supported by pretty girls, a battalion of comedians and has a good scenic background.

The comedy is considered one of the best of a farcical nature ever presented and its reception elsewhere has been flattering. Readers of newspapers, familiar with the pictorial trials of "Hooligan" will naturally be glad to see his troubles on the stage in a representation of real life. The author introduces complications and uproariously funny misunderstandings. The hero of tatters and troubles has been dramatized into one of the greatest farcical hits of the day.

"Hooligan's Troubles" will be at Shively's opera house on Monday night.

Everybody Drinks Weinhard's Beer

OREGON CITY MARKET REPORT.

(Today's Prices)
Wheat—No 1, 70¢@72¢ per bu.
Flour—Valley, \$1.25 per bbl. Hard wheat, \$4.90. Portland \$1.10 per sack. Howard's Best, \$1.20 per sack.
Oats—in sacks, \$1.20 per cental.
Hay—Timothy, baled, \$10.00 per ton. Clover, \$8; oat, \$9@10; mixed hay \$8@10; cheat, \$8.50.
Millstuffs—Bran \$20 per ton; shorts \$30.50 per ton; chop \$19 per ton; barley rolled \$24.50 per ton.
Potatoes—65¢@75¢ per hundred.
Eggs—Oregon 32½¢@35¢ per doz. market strong.
Butter—Ranch 45¢@50¢; separator, 50¢@55¢; creamery, 60¢ per roll.
Good Apples—Choice, \$1.00.
Honey—11¢@12½¢ per lb.
Prunes—(dried) Petite, 3¢ per lb.; Italian, large, 5¢ lb; medium, 3½¢; Silver, 4½¢ lb.
Dried Apples—Sun dried, quartered, 4½¢ lb; sliced, 6¢; fancy bleached, 7½¢ lb.
Dressed Chickens—12½¢ per lb.
Livestock and Dressed Meats—Beef, live, \$2.00@2.50 per hundred; Hogs, live, 6¢; hogs dressed, 7¢; sheep, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per head; dressed, 7¢; veal, dressed 7¢@7½¢; lambs, live, \$2.00@2.50 per head.
Hops—1905—Oregon, choice, 10½¢@11¢; prime, 7¢@9¢; poor grade, 6¢@6½¢; Washington, 10¢; 1904 crop, 6½¢ cents for choice.
Wool—1905 clip—Valley, coarse to medium, 24½¢@25½¢; fine, 26¢@27¢; eastern Oregon, 19¢@22¢.
Mohair—Nominal, 30¢@31¢.
Sheepskins—Shearing, 15¢@20¢; short wool, 25¢@40¢ each; medium wool, 50¢@75¢ each; long wool, 75¢@1 each.
Tallow—Prime, per lb, 3½¢@4¢; No. 2 and green, 2¢@2½¢.
Hides—Dry, No. 1, 16 lbs and up, 16½¢@17½¢ per lb; dry kip, No. 1, 5 to 15 lbs, 14¢; dry calf, No. 1, under 5 lbs, 18¢; salted hides, steers, sound, 60 lbs and over, 10¢@11¢; cows, 8½¢@9½¢; stags and bulls, sound, 9¢@7¢; kip, 15 to 30 lbs, 9¢; calf, sound, under 15 lbs, 11¢; green, unsalted, 1¢ less; culls, 1¢ per lb less; horsehides, salted, each, \$1.25@1.75; dry, each, \$1.00@1.50; goat hides, 25¢@50¢; goat skins, common, each, 10¢@15¢; Angora each, 25¢@1.00.
Cabbage—50¢@60¢ doz.
Stock Carrots—40¢@50¢ per sack.
Rutabeggs, Parsnips, Carrots and beets—60¢ per sack.
Celery—40¢@50¢ per doz bunches.
Pears—60¢@75¢ box.
Turkey—live, 16½¢@17½¢; dressed choice, 15½¢@21½¢.
Geese—live per lb, 8¢@9¢; dressed, per lb, 9¢@10¢.

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Most victims of an appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels, and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or grip and is mild and pleasant to take. Beware substitutes. Howell & Jones, Druggists.

MRS. LONGCOY SENT TO ASYLUM.

Mrs. Ella J. Longcoy, the wife of Hiram Longcoy, of Clackamas, was committed to the insane asylum Tuesday by County Judge Ryan. Mrs. Longcoy has a delusion that she has power from Heaven to bring the dead to life. She has left home frequently and was found at New Era 200 days ago. Mrs. Longcoy is perfectly sane on all other subjects.

Can you add 100 figures in forty Seconds? Try it.

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