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NEWS OF THE CITY

DR. CLYDE MOUNT, Dentist, Masonic Temple.

If you are a Democrat don't you miss the banquet at the Woodmen hall Saturday night.

You can save a half dollar very easily by paying your subscription to the Courier this month.

Don't you forget that the Courier is giving you a flat dollar rate for the month of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Greenman of Honeyville, spent Easter Sunday in this city, visiting relatives.

Mrs. Charles Springer of Portland is visiting her parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Han-

ifin, on Fourteenth street.

Senator W. A. Dimick's new home on Center street is fast nearing the finish, and it will be one of the city's handsome homes.

The Democratic banquet Saturday night gives promise of being a big affair. There is something more than eats for the boys this year, and the air is full of it.

After the last day of April the Courier will resume the old price, \$1.50 per year. If you want to save that 33 1-3 per cent get in before the month goes out.

And the papers state that it is yet snowing in New York. It has been over a hundred days since the Willamette valley has seen any of the white stuff.

All over the city, almost any street in the city, new houses are going up. The man who predicted a population of 20,000 for this city wasn't such a lunatic after all.

With a \$1,200 public library building in the city park, and John Adams street improved, that part of the city will be one of the handsomest parts of the city.

President McBain of the Commercial club has made arrangements for a delegation of the members to go to Estacade next week to join with the Commercial club there in talking over the matter of county division. The delegation will go on invitation of the Estacade commercial club.

W. A. Sheman has purchased a handsome home at Risley, opposite the car line from his mother's home, and the family is moving there this week. Shewan says he isn't leaving Oregon City; that he is just getting out in the present hoopskirts, which will be the center of Greater Portland a few years hence. And here's betting he's a good guesser.

Luther Moore is quite ill at his home on Center street.

Miss Maud Woodward has a position with Bannan & Co.

G. Hansen, a prominent Clackamas man, was transacting business in this city Tuesday.

Miss Rose Justin has accepted a position in the office of Clarence Simmons, the contractor.

George Johns spent Sunday in Portland, visiting his mother Mrs. M. Johns, formerly of this city.

Lena Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wimer Fisher, is quite ill at her home in Mountain View.

Mrs. Frank Bullard and daughter Gladys, of Eldorado, spent last week in this city visiting friends.

The Bible Study Class of the Mountain View church will meet next week with Mrs. Frank Winslow.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beard attended a meeting of the Pomona Grange at Eagle Creek Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mautz, of Portland, spent Easter in this city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mautz, in Mountain View.

The city council will call a special election July 8 to vote on the matter of having a business form of government and the adoption of the revised charter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goettling and son are spending the week visiting Mrs. Goettling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernier at Greenpoint.

Mrs. S. J. Howard has returned to her home in Montavilla, after a few days visit with her niece Mrs. S. A. Gillette and nephew, Mrs. S. W. Francis and family.

The Oregon City band, under the direction of R. V. D. Johnston, will give a concert on Seventh and Main streets Saturday evening, for the benefit of the business men.

County Clerk Mulvey reports the registration this year about the same as two years ago, and he thinks fully 500 voters of this county have not registered.

The United Artisans Assembly No. 7 of this city, will leave here on the 7:30 car Monday evening, for Sellwood, where they have been invited to be the guests of the Sellwood Assembly.

H. J. Bigger is erecting two new modern bungalows on his property on Eighteenth street. These new houses will contain about seven rooms and will have all the modern improvements.

Doctors E. A. Sommer and H. S. Mount performed a delicate and successful operation Tuesday, when Mrs. D. A. Thompson, living near Barlow, gave a quantity of her blood to her mother, and it was transfused from wrist to wrist.

John Gleason and William Knopp have opened up a transfer business with office at 1005 Main street. The new firm will be known as the Oregon City Transfer Co., and will undoubtedly do a good business, as both members of the firm are well known, and have many friends in this city.

The Easter exercises at the Mountain View church were a very successful event, and were well attended. The church was decorated in spring flowers, by the ladies of the congregatio, and presented a very beautiful appearance. Rev. Clark of the United Brethren church was present, and led the prayer. In the evening E. C. Dye gave a very interesting sermon on the "Significance of Easter."

School District No. 70, near Redland, taught by Miss Margaret Bates, closed last Friday after a very successful term of several months. The school closed one month earlier than the contract called for on account of illness in the school, and funds expended on school property being greater than was expected. Miss Bates left the first of the week for Redmond, in central Oregon, where she will make her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bates.

The Fairfax Bridge club met Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Ellis at Green Point, where all had a most enjoyable time. The rooms were handsomely decorated for the occasion in cherry blossoms. The prize was won by Miss Rosina Font. Delicious refreshments were served, and the following were present: Mrs. Rosina Font, Mrs. H. P. Brightbill, Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mrs. John Tobin, Mrs. E. T. Avison, Mrs. C. D. Latourette, Mrs. E. Follinsbee, Mrs. A. Wilmot, Mrs. E. T. Fields, Mrs. Lena Charman, Mrs. C. W. Evans.

The damage action of W. H. Timmons of Gladstone, against the P. R. L. & Power Co. will go on trial the 6th of next month. This trial is the outcome of Mr. Timmons being forcibly ejected from an electric car July 30th last. He claims that he purchased a ticket from Linimon to this city, that his ticket was taken up and no transfer given him, and that when he transferred at the golf links the conductor insisted that he should pay a second fare, and on the refusal of Mr. Timmons, he was forcibly ordered off the car.

SHERIFF MASS IN IRONS.

Handcuffed and Taken to Eugene Monday Afternoon

The above head looks very much like a heap of trouble for the Courier, and before papers for a libel action may be started, we hasten to explain.

Sheriff Mass went down the line all right, there isn't any doubt of that, and he went in irons too—just in the same way he has taken many of the boys down the same line to do their times at the pen at Salem. But so far we haven't warded off that level suit very much. But facts are facts and in this day of a "free press" we have a right to state facts.

It took a dozen men to overpower the big sheriff, but they got him. Mass fought hard when he saw the handcuffs, and those close up to the bunch say he begged and pleaded a little on the side. But there was nothing to it. The men piled on him, double teamed him and buried him. Then the irons were clamped on his wrists and he was taken aboard the train.

But Sheriff Mass is old enough and has had experience enough not to have got caught in this gang of "Hello Bills" and he got just what he should have got for his nerve.

A special train went down to Eugene to dedicate the Elks' temple, and it had a bunch of the usual jolly fellows, ever looking for a chance to put over one of those jokes that get onto the front pages of the newspapers. Sheriff Mass was one of the many that just happened to be at the depot when the train pulled in, and the fellows recognized him as one of their herd. And they wanted the sheriff to go along—they might need him, you know. Mass didn't want to go—he was slightly busy at that stage of the game. But there is no use arguing with an Elk, and the sheriff should have known it. The gang simply went to him, piled over him, took away his handcuffs, locked them on his own wrists and loaded him on.

The moral is, if you don't want to join the Elks, don't hang around the depots.

Troubles at Gladstone.

Our cousin, Gladstone is having a heap of trouble over a rather small matter, and but for the fact that pretty little city would let us to try the remedy on our own city council, we would suggest that a sound spanking and being put to bed would be the proper treatment.

The scrap is over the matter of whether J. K. Pardee shall or shall not remain treasurer of the city.

Mr. Pardee was treasurer of Gladstone last year. J. C. Paddock was elected to succeed him but failed to qualify. Later Mayor Cross appointed him as treasurer and the council confirmed it, but he refused to serve. The council then increased the bond of the treasurer from one hundred to three thousand, and when Mr. Pardee tendered his new bond the mayor and council refused to accept it on the ground that he was not the treasurer. Pardee refused to resign, and then recall petitions were circulated. And the end is not yet. And Conroy Treasurer Tufts tells them to settle it before he will hand over the taxes due that city.

Socialists will Name Full Ticket.

The Socialists met at Knapp's hall Sunday, April 7, and business of a general nature, pertaining to the county local was transacted.

W. W. Myres was elected delegate to the state convention, and the county convention was called for May 18th, it being the general consensus of opinion that a full county ticket be put in the field, and a lively campaign be waged.

After the business meeting, W. S. U'ren was invited to address the meeting on the single tax issue, which he did, and which was followed by some talk and questions.

The Socialists state that they welcome opposition, that they will divide their time with any man or party, that all their meetings are held with open doors, and all are welcome.

The state Socialist convention will be held in Portland April 18th and 19th.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. G. S. Randall and children wish to thank their many friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of their husband and father, and also for the beautiful floral offerings.

A Pleasant Surprise.

A surprise party was given Mrs. J. U. Ross Monday evening by the neighbors of Lawton Heights, a small and thriving suburb of Oregon City, in honor of her twenty-second birthday. There was a large attendance and the evening was passed in games and a general good time. But the best of all was the supper.

The class ads on page 8 have produced surprising results. One cent a word and a few words do the bit.

Advertisement for J. E. Seeley, Grocer. Includes illustration of a woman and a man at a counter, and text: 'Make Your Grocery Money Buy More', 'NOT ALONE IN QUANTITY CAN YOUR grocery money be made to go further...', 'Quantity ALONE does not make a bargain. Quality is as necessary as quantity in a bargain.', 'J. E. SEELEY, Grocer Oregon City, Oregon'

Special Matters in Council.

The city council took up several matters at a special meeting Monday night, one an ordinance providing for a sewer in the southern end of the city. The cost will be about \$8,000. The ordinance was read for the first time.

Engineer Montgomery was ordered to prepare a grade for Monroe street from Thirteenth to Jackson, and the contractors were ordered to complete the fire houses in Greenpoint and Mountain View within ten days.

An invitation to the property owners on Molalla avenue was extended by the council to meet with them Thursday night of this week to talk over the matter of improving that street.

A motion that plans and specifications for sewer laterals on Monroe street was passed.

Mortgage Loans

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High-Harrington Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Ora High of Seattle and Mr. George Harrington of this city, took place Sunday morning at seven o'clock at the home of the bride in Seattle.

Only immediate relatives and close friends were present. The bride was becomingly gowned in white satin. Shortly after the ceremony they left Seattle for this city, arriving here late in the afternoon. The groom had a house ready furnished in Gladstone, where they will make their future home. A wedding supper was served in the new home by the mother and sister of the groom, Mrs. C. Harrington and daughter. The house was decorated with spring flowers, making a very pretty appearance.

Mrs. Harrington is a trained nurse and has many friends in Seattle where she has lived for years. Mr. Harrington is well known in this city, where he is highly esteemed. He is connected with the American Safety Powder Co. of Portland.

If that story is true as told by the two girls, (one a former Oregon City girl) rescued from a Chinese joint in Portland Monday, the citizens of Portland should rise up and do to the celestials what Oregon City did to them—drive them out. And the white men who sold them as slaves, they ought to be sent down to Salem with sentences so long they would rot there.

The Courier can do your work no matter what kind of printing you may have and the price will be right.

Pay your subscription during April and save a half dollar.

G. S. Randall Dead.

G. S. Randall, a prominent farmer of Central Point, near this city, died Friday afternoon, caused by pneumonia. Mr. Randall, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Randall of this city, has made his home in Central Point nearly all his life, and was well and favorably known in this city.

At the time of his death he was about 43 years of age. Besides his widow, he leaves three children, Misses Irene, Florence, and Lottie Randall, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Randall, three sisters, Mrs. Lottie Crawford, Mrs. Ida Brown, and Mrs. Wm. Pollard, and two brothers, W. G. Randall and George G. Randall.

The funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the Central Point church. Rev. J. Wilson conducted the services. The funeral was attended by many friends of the deceased and his family. The pall bearers were August Staehley, Harry Eastman, Fred Ghina, J. Hettinger, J. Cawthorne, and J. Gregory. The interment was made in the Mountain View cemetery.

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DIRECT QUESTIONS.

Writer Wants Mr. Klenhoffer to Answer Him.

Editor Courier: Allow me to ask Mr. Klenhoffer again. He don't seem to understand my question or tries to avoid the question. How are you going to make the non-producer pay taxes? I mean the man that does not labor. Don't try to get away from fact that labor pays all tax, for you admit it when you say by having others labor for him and get others to buy the product. If the man that buys don't labor or get it from some one that does labor, how could he buy the product. In other words, how are you going to make a parasite pay tax that is a non-producer and lives off of other men's labor. For instance a young man becomes of age today, is endowed with \$1,000,000. He never did a useful or a productive day's labor in his life. He loans his money or invests it in other property to rent or otherwise hires captains to run his business, collects rents, interests and profits from labor, resides in his auto, goes to Seaside, does no productive work with his own hands during his natural life. How, I say, are you going to make him pay taxes when he takes it all from the hide and tallow of labor. Show me.

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LOOKS LIKE HORSESHOE.

Democrat Bound to Wedge in On Bourne-Selling Fight.

In the democratic race for United States senator, the contest seems to be narrowing down between Lane of Portland and Pierce of Hol Lake, and both men are fighting hard for the nomination, for the reason a nomination will mean more than an empty honor this year—it will mean the equivalent of an election.

The Bourne-Selling fight has reached the Taft-Roosevelt stage, where the backers of the defeated will help to knife the victor, and this situation, coupled with the state-wide condition of revolt, spells just one thing—a democratic U. S. senator.

All the candidates for senator will be friends together at the democratic banquet in this city Saturday night, and whoever may be selected by the people at the primaries next week, it is certain that the defeated ones will pull their coats and work hard for the election of the nominee.

And I want to tell you, with such a feeling, there is only one way out of it, and Selling or Bourne will see that way next fall.