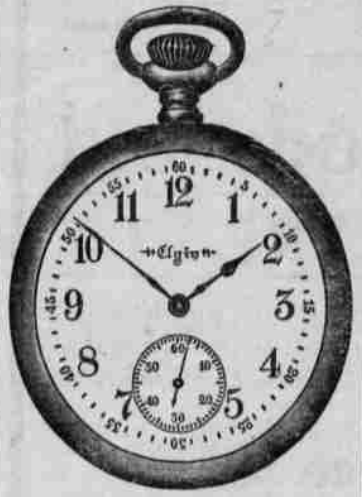


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OREGON CITY.

Hub special coffee is fine, 35 cents per pound at the Hub Grocery, Seventh and Centre Sts.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wallace of Mulino were in the city Tuesday and Wednesday visiting friends.

Editor Edgar McDaniels of North Bend (Coos Bay) Harbor was in the city Wednesday and was a Courier caller.

This is the middle of October, and Jack frost has been appointed truant officer. You kids look out that you don't get nipped.

This office has a quantity of national campaign matter in the German language that we will be glad to hand out to any Germans who will call.

Preaching "trade at home" and "made in Oregon" and then dumping hundreds of thousands of dollars into Portland to do our city's public work, is certainly a left-handed boom system.

Work is being rushed on the library building. One bright day is worth two days after the rains set in, and the contractor is making the most of the fine weather.

January 27 last A. D. MacDonald of Ontario, Canada, wrote this office for a sample copy of the Courier, later sent in a subscription, and Tuesday he and family arrived here, looking for a future home.

A. J. Marrs of Mount Pleasant, dug a freak potato this week that resembled an octopus. From all over the body there were projections and the tuber weighed 6 and a fourth pounds. Some potatoes that.

Oregon City officials make short shift of the street mashers and women annoyers. Justice Samson fined J. B. Hasbrook \$40 for getting fresh the other day. This city will soon be known as a good place for the "freshes" to stay away from.

Benjamin Armstrong, aged about 60 years, a resident of Washington St., had a paralytic stroke of the right side Monday, and was taken to the city hospital. It is thought he cannot recover.

The city council has let the \$2,000 fire alarm system contract to the Gamewell Co. of Portland. A 50 foot tower will be a part of the system and will be erected on the bluff near the head of the Seventh street stairway. The completed system will be ready by January 1.

If you haven't registered, do it. County Clerk Mulvey is holding the office open evenings that all you voters may get in. The man who can register and won't and the man who can vote and won't has no business ever opening his mouth about public matters.

The Columbia Park football team had the white wash poured all over them at Canemah park Sunday, when Oregon City's stone wall team shut them out 16 to 0. The Columbia team was clearly outclassed and never had a look in.

Twenty-five dollars was what Justice Samson thought about the proper dose of justice for carrying a gun, and Anton Bauer paid it. If Samson would multiply this fine by four every time a gun toler comes before him, this paper assures him there won't be any indignation meetings called.

A check book of the state bank of Hubbard was found and brought to this office by a gentleman whose name and address we have lost. The book contains a check of \$30 given by Ammen Bros. of Mt. Angel, and the owner of the book and check may have the same by proving property at this office.

DR. CLYDE MOUNT, Dentist, Masonic Temple.

If you haven't, do it today. Registration books will close Saturday.

Come to the Hub Grocery for "Blue Ribbon Bread." It is wrapped in oil paper and is clean.

The Hub Grocery, Seventh and Centre Sts., has "Yours Truly" pork and beans. Try them.

Use Wesson's Snowdrift Salad Oil. You can get it at the Hub Grocery, Seventh and Centre Sts.

"Home contracts—Oregon City workmen" would be as good a slogan as "trade at home"—for a change.

Here it is past the middle of October and the city is yet full of roses. They bloom almost the year 'round in Oregon.

Eat "BLUE RIBBON BREAD." It's pure, wholesome, delicious, appetizing. The large loaf wrapped in wax paper, 10 cents at your grocer.

The middle of October and yet the thermometer stands around 70 in the day-time, and every day is bright and sunny. These are indeed "Oregon's best" days.

Two weeks from next Tuesday and the uncertainty will be over. Then we will square away on another campaign and put in a free city elevator up the bluffs.

With a hand terribly mangled by contact with a wood-saw, F. W. Youmans of Clackamas was brought to Dr. Mount's office where two fingers were amputated.

Saturday night is the Halloween dance of Greenpoint Hose Co., at Busch's hall. A guarantee of a good time goes with each ticket and a big crowd is expected.

In the commercial club parlors Friday of this week, at 1:30 there will be a meeting of the directors of the Chautauqua assembly, at which time officers for 1913 will be elected and other business matters taken up.

The tenth day of next month the freight franchise of the P. R. L. & P. Co. will expire. A new ordinance for another 20 years has been presented by the power company and is before the council for their consideration.

Some of the ladies are again complaining that two legged animals are using the stair steps for cuspidors. If you see a man spit on the stairways or sidewalks all you have to do is to report the filthy act to the police to cause his arrest. The city ordinance is very severe for this offense.

Here's a pair of good ones some fellow told on Tom Smith, the big R. F. D. man. When the rainy weather of the summer forced him to side track his buzz buggy and drive the ponies, they say when he slowed down for a mail box he would reach for the stop lever and his shoe would hunt the break. And later, when he got the auto running again, when he got to a box he would call "whoa." Such is habit's force.

Another city contract, the fire alarm system, has been let to Portland. What's the matter with Oregon City? Can't we do this work here? One after another, and a long string they make, of public contracts have been let to outside contractors, and thousands and thousands of dollars, that should remain right here in Oregon City, has gone to Portland. Our school buildings, our library, our sewers, our fire alarm system, our paving—all these let to Portland concerns, when they should have been done by home merchants. This is a leak we should fix.

New house and four acres in Philomath to trade for Oregon City property. D. C. Ecker, Philomath, Oregon.

Mrs. Grace Woodworth of Hood River, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. N. M. Alldredge Friday of last week. She was on a visit here.

We learn that the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fuge, who we reported last week as mildly ill with diphtheria, was taken much worse Tuesday night and is seriously ill.

TWILIGHT.

A "Stump Jumper" is an Oregon farmer, who hits three stumps in a futile effort to touch the soil once.

A three years residence in this vicinity has revealed one wedding, one birth and two deaths. At this same ratio, what length of time will it require to depopulate our community?

The Meir family, parents of Mrs. Henry Scheer, removed their household goods to Canby, at which place they will make their future home.

A communication received from F. E. Black, a late resident of this community, locates them at San Diego, California, where they are comfortably situated.

The Community Club held its first regular meeting of the season at their hall last Saturday evening and its members were much gratified over the large attendance. Its opening session was considered a success from both a social and business standpoint. Much enthusiasm was exhibited, especially on the part of recent additions to our community.

A strong feeling of "in unity there is strength" prevailed and with this idea as our motto for the coming year some benefits to our community should follow our season's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Bolls of Portland dined with the Totem Pole ranch people Sunday.

L. A. Bullard and Ed. Miller spent last Sunday in the vicinity of Gresham.

It is to be regretted that their exists in every neighborhood people not eligible to membership in a "Look Pleasant Club."

Farmers generally, are late this year in sowing their fall grain. But little seeding as yet has been done.

Why not revive the old time custom of school visitation. I well remember that when a boy how my pride was hurt by the presence of my parents.

G. M. Lazelle recently had the misfortune to have a fine colt badly lacerated on a barbed wire fence. He also lost a valuable mare some three months ago. Mr. Lazelle's run of luck is a source of regret to his many friends.

Two acres of potatoes have yielded 450 bushels on Mr. Wm. McCord's place. He has two acres yet to dig, which will prove equally as profitable.

Thos. B. Harvey of Seattle spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Totem Pole ranch. Rumor had it that Henry Scheer has disposed of his home place to a mill man from Oregon City.

Public Sale.

I will sell at public auction at my farm three miles east of Beaver Creek and three miles south of Logan on Saturday, October 26 2 horses, 1 steer, 6 sheep, 21 shoats, farm tools, poultry, household and kitchen furniture, etc. Sale to begin at 10:30 D. G. and A. C. White, owners. W. W. Samson auctioneer.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

News of Woman's Club.

The Woman's Club of Oregon City held the first meeting of the calendar year 1912-13 at the home of the President, Mrs. Mary Caulfield, on Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance and an enthusiastic club spirit prevailed, denoting a determination for a greater work for the year.

The calendar committee has prepared a program for the year that will be highly educational and appropriate; now that women are so soon to be equally responsible for the enactment and enforcement of law. And just here we wish the program might be given a space in our papers, it is well worth this recognition.

Mrs. Annie Downy and Mrs. F. N. Norris, with their alternates, Mrs. Thomas Warner and Mrs. R. Fouts, were elected delegates, with Mrs. Mary Caulfield, Pres. and her alternate Mrs. E. Rands, to the State Federation which meets in Portland in November for three days.

After the business meeting the social hour took the form of a Kaffe Klatsch and vacation reminiscences. Mrs. A. Price contributed to the pleasure of the afternoon with two beautifully rendered solos and Mrs. George Ramotto "Never think you are old and do not let anything trouble you," for she sang in a surprisingly clear voice two of the ballads of her girlhood days.

In the future the regular meetings will be held in the commercial club parlors. The president and calendar committee were hostesses and served tasty refreshments, which they know so well how to do.

HIGHLAND.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Larkins of Clarkes, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Nickalas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Miller spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Viola.

Mrs. Ida Holmes and Miss Isabelle Mann visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Blackburn at Gresham.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wallace are visiting friends in Oregon City and Portland.

Mrs. Frank Schute returned home last Thursday after a few days visiting with friends in Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Schram Sunday.

Mr. Ray Welch visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Schute Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kandle were Oregon City visitors last week.

Mrs. H. Mudgett and daughter, Bernice, spent Sunday visiting friends at Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lees were Oregon City visitors last week.

CLARKES.

Miss Ida and Mary Bottemiller spent Sunday with Miss Irene and Erna Lee.

Sophie Philpine, from Canby, is visiting her grandmother Mrs. Elmer.

Henry Kleinsmith was in town on Monday.

Mr. William Fawner and family moved out to Clarkes last week. William Kleinsmith, Jr., is sawing wood for Mr. J. J. Gard.

Kleinsmith Bros. purchased a new manure spreader.

Mrs. J. J. Gard visited Mrs. Lizzie Ringo.

Miss Irene and Irma Lee visited Miss Bernice Schute last Saturday.

G. Marquardt is digging his potatoes now.

Mrs. I. C. Hastler, Grand Island, Nev., has something she wishes to say about Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. "My three children had a very severe attack of whooping cough and suffered greatly. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar Compound and it did them more good than anything I gave them. I am glad to recommend it."

For sale by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City, Ore.



Between the Two

The difference is only a matter of taste and a few cents in price. Some prefer Mocha, others Java. People may say that Tea and Coffee are not healthy drinks. Nonsense! Like everything else they are abused by excesses. We sell the pure, wholesome kinds that you like

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LOGAN

The Republican candidates will speak at the grange hall next Saturday, the 19th. Let us all be there to hear them.

Potatoe digging is nearly over though some are at it yet. The crop is good but some of the potatoes were rotten because of the blight and in some places nearly half of the crop was affected.

Henry Babbier has sold a car

load of potatoes and he had 2,500 sacks from 27 acres.

This good weather is much appreciated.

There has been considerable sickness. Jacob Durig's son has been very sick but is now improving. Miss Mary Swales has been out from Portland visiting relatives here.

We hear that Mr. Campbell, who bought Mrs. Anna Fallert's

farm a year or so ago, has sold it.

Election will soon be here and the office seekers' suspense will be over, which will be fortunate for some and a relief to others. As to the people, well—they may be fortunate too.

Lihos, Buttons, Literature.

The Courier has a supply of Democratic campaign matter—yours for the asking.

Buy Gladstone Property before November 1st

You must purchase your lots in Gladstone within the next two weeks if you would benefit by the generous offer of the Gladstone Real Estate Association, which so many Oregon City people have taken advantage of during the past month and half. WE ARE SORRY TO DO IT, but we must revoke our offer on November 1st.

Our Generous Offer:

Our property is the VFRY HEART of this progressive little town, and we have been offering the finest of these lots at prices ranging from \$200 to \$400 and at terms that are arranged wholly for the convenience of the buyer. \$10 cash and the balance in monthly payments of \$5 per month. That's all the cash it takes and the buyer can take possession at once.

Two Special Clauses for your benefit.

And in addition if the purchaser gets sick, a clause on is contract will permit him to FORGET his payments for a period of three months; and we will forget them, too. Isn't that fair?

And further, should you die before your place is paid for, your legal representatives may continue your contract, if they desire to do so, or if they prefer it we will pay back every penny and interest, and annul the contract. Isn't this more than reasonable?

You Can't beat Gladstone Anywhere

And then, on top of these generous terms which so many have taken advantage of during the past month, the fact remains that you can't beat Gladstone anyplace for the ideal homesite. You know that as well as we do. Every modern convenience can be enjoyed in Gladstone, and the water system of the little city is one of the finest in the state, no matter where you go. Gladstone is a city of progressiveness, and when you invest in Gladstone property you breathe deeply of that spirit of progress which has made this ideal little city what it is today—and with every improvement the value of your investment mechanically increases.

The fundamental idea is this:—

No Speculation--Gladstone is here now

No vague dreams of a town way off in the future. The little city is here, on the ground now, where you can see for yourself, and it takes only a look to convince even the most skeptical that Gladstone property is worth while.

Our phone is Pacific States 1982. Mr. P. A. Cross has charge of our Gladstone property; our office is opposite the Gladstone postoffice. Come down and he will be glad to take you all over these beautiful lots.

Gladstone Real Estate Association

Beaver Building H. E. CROSS, President Oregon City, Ore.