

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1891

Clackamas Co. Directory.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Judge, J. W. Meldrum; Clerk of Courts, H. H. Johnson; Recorder, W. W. Samson; Treasurer, W. T. Whitlock; Assessor, S. R. Callin; School Superintendent, John W. Noble; Surveyor, Alex. Thomson; Coroner, Sidney Smyth; Commissioners, Dr. C. F. Sullivan, Charles Mochuke, Cornelius Bair.

COURTS. Circuit court convenes first Monday in November and third Monday in April. Probate court in session first Monday in each month. Commissioners court meets first Wednesday after first Monday of each month.

OREGON CITY OFFICERS. Mayor, T. W. Sullivan; Recorder, L. I. Porter; Chief of Police, J. S. Purdom; Assessor, S. R. Green; Treasurer, F. R. Charman; City Attorney, H. R. Cross; Street Commissioner, C. Hoberg; Sup't. of Water Works, W. H. Howell; City Engineer, Sidney Smyth; Councilmen—Hiram Cochran, J. W. Noble, J. G. Porter, James Wilkinson, C. D. Latourette, Ross Charman, J. W. O'Connell and T. P. Randall.

THE MAILS. Mails close going North, 8:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M.; Mails close going South, 8:30 A. M., 2:30 P. M. SIDE ROUTES.

Oregon City to Molalla, Mulino, Carus and Willhoit. Leaves at 10:00 a. m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays and returns at 10:00 a. m. on following days.

SPRAY OF THE FALLS.

Rose keeps just the cigar you want. Fresh peanuts hot from the roaster at Rose's.

Our "New Today" column contains several wants that you may be able to fill.

W. W. Jessie, the enterprising merchant of Barlow, was in the city Tuesday.

Hon. Tillman Ford, of Salem, was in the city on Saturday last on legal business.

At Rose's counter in the post office building you will find the freshest candy in town.

There are several announcements in the business local columns that will interest you.

There will be preaching at Park Place next Sunday evening at 7:30. All are cordially invited.

For delicious pastry and elegant rolls, use Red Seal Flour. For sale by E. E. Williams, the grocer.

There will be preaching at Mountain View chapel on next Sunday afternoon at 2:45 p. m. All are invited.

The best line of cigars at Charman & Co. "Genuine Estrella" only 10c at Charman & Co. city drug store.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Andrews, of this city, was brightened last week by the advent of a baby boy.

The members of the Patriarchal Circle have arrangements made for a very successful ball this evening at the armory.

Red Seal Flour bakes better, whiter, sweeter and more bread than any other. For sale by E. E. Williams, the grocer.

Remember our cigars are all thoroughly seasoned as we have an improved ventilated Edison cigar case. Charman & Co.

For 25 cents you can make your hens lay by buying a package of Egg Food. For sale by Charman & Co., City Drug Store.

Blanch Fitch and Carrie Laur, two of Eugene's young ladies, were guests at the Ackerman home in this city during the week.

Justice Fouts went fishing last week and caught a cold which laid him up several days. He is attending to business again now.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Howell and Miss Alice Graham, of Portland, were the guests, last Sunday, of Miss Myrtle Howell of Canemah.

There will be a regular meeting of the board of trade next Monday night. Members should note the change in date of meeting, and make it a point to attend this meeting.

The business of Listman & Witz, lessees of the Oregon City brewery, was put into the hands of the sheriff Wednesday on attachments by San Francisco parties having claims aggregating about \$1000.

Mr. R. B. Linville returned last Friday from a trip to the Kalama river country in Cowlitz county, Wash. As a farming country he was not impressed with it, but for timber he thought it could hardly be equaled by any section he had yet visited.

THE CITY COUNCIL HOLDS A PROTRACTED MEETING.

The Water Works Investigation Put to Sleep—Councilmen Weaken on the Cow Ordinance.

There was a full attendance at the regular council meeting Wednesday night. After the approval of the minutes of the previous meeting a statement of the city engineer that Contractor Peters had performed work to the value of \$6000 on the Seventh street improvement, with the recommendation that he be paid \$2500 on the contract, was submitted and the payment was ordered in accordance with the recommendation.

A petition for the cow ordinance bearing sixty-five names was read and a remonstrance against its passage containing thirty-eight names. The Electric Light company reported that it had nine 2000-candle-power arc lights and fifteen 25-candle-power incandescents running in good order. The location of the light at the head of the Fourth street steps was ordered changed so it would better light the steps. A report from the city engineer as to the filling of certain city lots was referred, and the report of the recorder that seven drunk and disorderly had been before him during September filed. Tax Collector Green reported that he had collected \$3364 of the \$4342 due on taxes and asked for an extension of one month to complete the work, which was given.

A petition for a sidewalk on Taylor street between Seventh and Twelfth was referred as was also one praying for the establishment of a grade on the same street. Bills were read and referred and after recess reported and ordered paid as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Amount. George Broughton, lumber, \$458.18; Mrs. J. E. Samson, bd. prisoners, 14.87; John Kelly, salary, 67.50; J. S. Purdom, salary, 81.00; L. L. Porter, salary, 42.50; Story Bros., fire department, 98.50; W. F. E. Co., light, 86.10; J. D. Slover, sexton, 5.00; Sidney Smyth, surveyor, 106.00; THE ENTERPRISE, printing, 7.50; C. Hoberg, salary, 62.00; A. W. Franc, extra on stairs, 27.80; C. O. T. Williams, Treasurer, 83.75; Pope & Co., Supplies, 39.25.

On the question of paying the bill of Hugh Peters, \$206.40, for sewer pipes, from the Seventh street fund, Latourette and Randall voted, no; all others, aye. There was a difference of opinion as to whether it was properly chargeable to that improvement.

Then came what everybody was looking for, the special report of the committee on fire and water. Through twelve pages of legal cap the history of the water works, pump and pumping station and Mayor Sullivan's connection with them was detailed and in conclusion the adoption of Noble's resolution, which had occasioned this report was recommended. That resolution called upon the mayor, who was merely employed as an expert mechanic to set the pump and station at that time, to refund the money he received for such service on the ground that he had not done his duty. The report was signed by J. W. O'Connell and C. D. Latourette.

Then the mayor unrolled a bundle of manuscript, which was even longer than the report of the committee, and with a prefatory statement to the effect that he had not intended to present it but would do so because of the misrepresentations in the committee's report, he proceeded to read his few remarks. He characterized the move as one inspired by malice, attributed the authorship of the disturbing resolution to some "alleged lawyer" who, it was evident, did not enjoy the esteem of the mayor to any extravagant extent. Then the history of the pump and the pumping station was recited from his standpoint and a conclusion diametrically opposite to that of the committee was reached. He said that a pump to answer every demand of the city could be obtained for \$9975—he was prepared to make that offer on the spot—and he intimated pretty strongly that the difference between that sum and what the city paid for the present pump, some \$600, might be considered to represent the price of official influence in buying an inferior machine.

When the mayor resumed his seat things looked squally. The electric light turned pale and the chief of police grasped his club with a tighter grip. Before the question upon the adoption of the report was stated Noble was on on his feet declaring the mayor's allegations as to the authorship of his resolution and the sentiment that inspired it to be willfully untrue and that there was no other person but himself responsible for it in any degree. O'Connell moved the adoption of the report of the committee and afterwards took occasion to repel the imputation of bribery put upon him by the mayor. He said the transaction of the fire and water committee ever since he had been a member of it had been reported in writing, at various times and the records were open to inspection. If anything could be found indicating that he had profited in this pump transaction he would pay the city's loss from his own pocket. Then Latourette poured oil on the troubled waters for ten minutes. He thought the object of the resolution had been accomplished; namely, to have an investigation so as to be able to fix the

responsibility for the unsatisfactory working of the pumping plant. He had no doubt that Mr. Sullivan was as skilled an engineer as there was in town but Oregon City was not much of a place for engineers anyway and Mr. Sullivan probably knew more about pumps now than before he was employed by the city. He doubted whether even the father of the resolution would be really in favor of making Mr. Sullivan refund the money he had received for his service though his service had not proved what it was expected to be. There was considerable discussion and the more it was discussed the easier the subject got, and the hour was getting so late that Latourette's motion to indefinitely postpone received not a single negative vote.

The ordinance vacating a portion of the public square east of Harrison and south of Seventh for the erection of a public school house was read the first time and ordered published together with a notice for a special council meeting October 19 to consider the matter further. Ordinances establishing the grade and assessing the cost of improving and fixing the time and manner of doing the work on Washington street were read the second time and passed.

The celebrated cow ordinance came up for passage and every alderman but Charman debated it—most of them two or three times. At first Cochran was in favor of it if a little time should be given in which people could dispose of their cows if they chose, and prepare for the enforcement of the ordinance, O'Connell, who introduced the ordinance was agreeable to suspending the operation of the ordinance sixty or ninety days but he wanted the ordinance passed. Latourette then talked some, deprecating the putting on of city airs, urging the retention of the cow as a matter effecting the health of the babies and finally questioning the validity of the ordinance as drawn because it did not apply to the whole city and was, therefore, special legislation. He had been in the favor of the measure at first but had changed his mind. When he had finished Cochran thought the legal objection was a good one and he shifted over to the opposition. Wilkinson thought the streets were too good pastures not to be fed down by neat and cultured kink. Noble was in favor of the law because cattle educated to the high degree of Oregon City bovines could not be trusted abroad in the city. O'Connell thought this ordinance no more special legislation than the one establishing fire limits. Latourette said it would be well to enforce ordinances already enacted on the subject. Porter and Randall were in favor of the measure. Finally it got to a vote, the council split in the middle and it was lost. O'Connell, Randall, Porter, and Noble voted aye, and Charman, Cochran, Latourette and Wilkinson no. As a favor to O'Connell, Cochran gave notice that he would move for a reconsideration of the vote at some future time, and council adjourned to Tuesday evening.

Undertaker C. P. Winsett has received a new hearse to use in his business.

NEW TODAY.

Highest price paid for county orders by Burney & Draper.

Buy your boots and shoes at Hamilton & Washburn's. Quality the best and prices as low as the lowest. 20 lb sugar \$1.00 this week.

Porter & Robertson have put up another fire in their shop. They are good workmen and are prepared to do all kinds of blacksmith work at short notice.

Humphrey & Trembath have reopened their fish market on Main street next door to the Armory Hall, and receive all kinds of fresh and salt water fish. Prices reasonable. tf

The Park Place store is the place to trade. Before laying in your Fall and Winter supplies call on Hamilton & Washburn and see their immense stock of goods.

PETRIE CURLINE.—50 cent bottles warranted to keep the hair in curl in warm or damp weather from three days to three weeks. Ask your druggist for it, or address Frank Nau, druggist, Hotel Portland, Portland, Oregon, or Petrie Hair Parlors, 514 Nicollet avenue, Minneapolis Minn.

Wanted. To make a contract with man and two teams to take slab wood from our mill. Good sale and steady supply. H. E. Cross, Mgr.

Do You Want a Girl? Two young women from the country, capable of taking charge of a house, desire positions in a private family. Best of references given. Address ESTU-PRIZE office.

To The Portland Fair. The Str. Altona will leave Oregon City Saturday night at 6:30 stopping at Meldrum, Risley, Moreys and Oswego. Returning leave Portland at 11:30 p. m. Round trip 50 cents.

Millinery. The ladies of Oregon City will find at Mrs. Dutcher's millinery parlors all the latest styles in hats and bonnets. Full stock of trimmings and ribbons. Only the best quality kept and at Portland prices.

A Lover's Resort.

All lovers of fine candies, nuts, cigars, can get what they want at Rose's counter in the postoffice building.

To the Public.

Dr. L. White, the dentist, will hereafter be in his office in Oregon City from 15th to the 21st in each month. If

For Rent.

A pretty, attractive and well finished house, eight rooms, hard finished, slightly location, near school and post-office. Rent \$11 per month. Apply to HAMILTON & WASHBURN, Park Place.

County Treasurer's Notice.

I have now in my hands funds applicable to the payment of all warrants endorsed prior to Dec. 7, 1889. Interest will cease from date of this notice. S. B. CALIFF, County Treasurer. Oregon City, Sept. 25, 1891.

A Wiseman's Advice.

Wisdom cries aloud and says, "How long, oh ye sons of toil, will ye neglect to visit the Second-hand and Notion store where you can get more goods for a dollar than anywhere else in town?" Pins, 2 papers, 5c.; needles, 2 papers, 5c.; spoons, per set, 5c.; 10 quart dish pans, 20. Opposite postoffice.

A California Home.

At a bargain one of the best located fruit farms in Placer county, California of 40 acres. Trees just commencing to bear, all standard varieties. One mile from railroad shipping point. Good soil and pure water. Good buildings, and is one of the most desirable homes in the Sacramento valley, a fine view of which can be had from the house. Terms on application to THAYER & ALDEN, Oregon City, Oregon. It

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Lunches also served. A full line of Cigars, Candles, Nuts and Canned Fruits.

Give us a trial and remember the place at Olson & Lonis' old stand.

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Fine Perfumeries and Toilet Articles. Also a full stock of PAINTS, OILS, ETC.

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Parties desiring Wood Turning, Patterns, Brackets, or Shop Carpenter's Work Will be Satisfied by Calling on Me.

Doors, Windows and Blinds TO ORDER. G. H. BESTOW, Opp. the Congregational Church

CASH PRICES!

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Dry Granulated Sugar, 16 pounds, \$1.00; " " per sack, 100 lbs, 5.90; Extra C Sugar, per sack, 100 lbs, 4.90; Good Uncolored Tea, 3 lbs., 1.00; Royal Baking Powder, per lb., .45; Climax Tobacco, per lb., .45; Best Thread, 7 spools, .25

Brownsville Clothing, Flannels and Blankets, the best in America, General Merchandise in great variety.

BEST GOODS AND LOWEST PRICES.

HAMILTON & ALLEN, Clackamas, Oregon.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!

W. W. JESSIE, Barlow, Or.

Has opened the best stock of goods ever brought to Clackamas County, outside of Oregon City. Look at the following and see if there is anything you are in need of.

- Dry Goods—Embracing, in addition to regular stock, a fine line of Ladies' Dress Goods, of the latest styles, best quality, at reasonable prices. Furnishing Goods—Both for gentlemen and ladies. Millinery Goods—Latest styles in Hats and Bonnets, Ribbons, Trimmings, Etc. Hats and Caps—Complete assortment in latest styles for men and boys. Boots and Shoes—Bargains in this line. Every size and style demanded by the trade.
- Clothing—All wool, prices and qualities to suit. For men and boys. Groceries—All fresh and first class in quality. Full stock of canned and dried fruits. Hardware—Carpenters' and Woodmen's tools. Builders' and Ship Hardware. Nails, Bolts and everything wanted in this line. All the leading brands in Cutlery. Tinware, Glassware and Crockery, Cloths, Patent Medicines, School and Account Books, Notions, Tobacco and Cigars, and a full line of Toilet Articles.

The above is but a mere outline of what I carry in stock. Big sales and small profits is my rule. I am after your trade and will offer such inducements as will get it.

No More Wet Feet!

NO MORE USE FOR RUBBERS.

We have now on hand a complete line of Children's, Youths', Boys' and Misses' fine Calif Unlined Shoes that we guarantee in every particular. These shoes are made very neat and are perfect fitters. The children's and misses' are in spring heel, the youths' and boys' in heel. Children can wear these shoes all winter long

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Feet. These shoes are entirely out of the regular line of school shoes. Parents buy these shoes for your children, and save doctor bills. We will have, in about ten days, a full line of the above shoes in ladies' sizes in button.

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Fine Millinery Goods!

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ALL NEW STYLES AT LOW PRICES.

Before Purchasing your Hats for the Fall and Winter, give us a call.

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—The best place to buy Goods the cheapest.

Bear in mind I pay the highest market price for PRODUCE in exchange for GOODS.

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All Summer Goods Sold at Cost for CASH, as I have to make room for my immense Fall and Winter Stock.