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AGENTS FOR THE ENTERPRISE.

Table listing agents for the Enterprise across various locations like Beaver Creek, Clackamas, Milwaukie, etc., with names like Dr. T. B. Thomas, Geo. Knight, A. Mather, etc.

The way to build up Oregon City is to give Oregon City people your patronage.

STATE REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- For Supreme Judge, R. S. BEAN, of Lane county. For Presidential Electors, T. T. GEEK, of Marion county.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY TICKET.

- For Representatives, L. L. PORTER, GEORGE W. PROSSER, CHARLES HOLMAN. For Clerk, HENRY MELDRUM.

WASTING WIND.

As yet no charges of direct dishonesty or incapability have been entertained against the republican candidates for Clackamas county official positions.

Protection and reciprocity, those two mighty forces that will restore to this country its old-time prosperity, are bound to be leading factors in the economic legislation of the next administration.

A CONVENTION CITY.

Oregon City is proving herself worthy of the title, the convention city of Oregon and the northwest. During the past year the State Grange, G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Women's Relief Corps, Baptist Association, Congregational Association, Chautauqua Assembly and the Oregon State Endeavor Union have held annual conventions here.

This is destined to become the convention city of the Northwest; the second oldest city in Oregon with many points of historical interest, falls, parks, rocky cliffs and variety of scenery, the home of the Chautauqua Assembly, the first protestant church built west of the Rocky mountains, it is without a peer a fit place for the annual conventions of educational, fraternal and religious associations.

The Oregonian of last Friday casts an insinuating slur against the fishermen of Oregon City that is manifestly unjust. The leading members of the fishermen's union assert that they have the highest personal regard for Fish and Game Warden McGuire, and find no fault with him for rigidly enforcing the fish and game laws.

The most encouraging reports come from all parts of the county as to the strength of the republican party. The voters of Clackamas county realize that the vote of Oregon will be watched all over the country as a criterion of the November elections, and will be quoted as Rhode Island is now, which the other day, in her state election, gave the largest republican majority ever had in that state.

The last issue of the Dry Goods Record contains an exhaustive editorial on the depression in the woolen goods manufacturing industries in the East. Among other things it says that excessive importations are the primal cause, and gives some interesting statistics in support of the statement.

The practice of shutting the stockmen of Eastern Oregon out of the forest reserve of the Cascade range, has long been considered an unjust move. The stockmen will probably now be granted concessions in this matter, and a petition largely signed by the business of Portland, asking that the portion of country south of the Barlow road in the forest reserve remain open for the pasturing of stock, will be forwarded to the department at Washington.

PERSONALITIES will not defeat a candidate, and the populists will find that their mud-throwing and innuendoes will avail them nothing, for the better sense of the voters of Clackamas county will prevail, and the entire republican ticket will be elected by a big majority at the June election.

The live little town of Stayton in Marion county is taking steps to have a potato starch factory established at that place. The Mail published at that place has been working up the interest in this new industry and in its last issue gave an extended article of the description of the industry and the manner of manufacturing starch as carried on in Maine, where its manufacture has become one of the leading industries of the state.

If one-half of the cable reports are true concerning the secret alliance between Russia and China, whereby the latter makes valuable concessions to the great empire of the North, it is possible there will be war between some of the leading nations of the earth in the not distant future.

That the tariff is the leading question before the American people today is plainly to be seen by any person who has given attention to the conditions now prevailing in this country. With our factories all running, and our foreign trade on a just and equitable basis, the money question would at once cease to exist.

CARUS NEWS.

Happy Birthday Party—Fishermen's Hi-Luck—Other Notes of Interest.

CARUS, April 20.—Messrs. Inskeep and Fanton returned from the mines last Saturday a cold experience in snow up to their necks. They expect to make another trip about June 1.

Miss Hattie Hunter was given a surprise party last Saturday evening, it being the occasion of her birthday. No hint reached her of the affair until, in answer to a knock at the door of her residence, she opened it to find a merry company of young people assembled, and her surprise was complete.

We are informed that instead of using chairs for seating the new Evangelical church, as previously stated, long seats or forms will be supplied.

Miss Annie Jones, who has made quite a lengthy visit home, returns to Portland today. Messrs. Will and Rob Jones came home from Chinook Beach last week. They expect to remain here for the summer.

Our young fishermen who started out so bravely two weeks ago, were hindered from obtaining work at seine fishing by the strike on the Columbia river. Gene Hayward, however, found work in Castle Rock. The others returned home.

Mrs. Humphrey Jones spent last Thursday and Friday with her daughter Mrs. Will Evans of Mt. Tabor.

Mrs. J. R. Lewis was suddenly called to go to Washington, by the death of a relative.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkzoo received baptism at the M. E. church, last Sabbath. The sweet appearance and behavior of the little one touched all hearts.

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, on April 22, 1896:

- MEN'S LIST: Blackburn, Rev W H Moser, Henry Brener, F Pressey, Arthur Davis, Zenas Robertson, D W Devereaux, P T-2 Schlappi, V A Howell, A Vesse, Gus Laferty, S M WOMEN'S LIST: Baker, Maggie Johnson, Mrs Mary Grace, Florence Smith, Permelia If called for state when advertised. S. R. GREEN, P. M.

FLOWER FESTIVALS, FIESTAS, ROSE CARNIVALS, and the like, will be the delight of California for the next two or three months.

SANTA BARBARA FLOWER FESTIVAL, the fame of which is world-wide, and the glory of which, like that of Solomon, is not half told, opens April 15. Queen Flora will reign 3 days an arbitrary and absolute despot.

LA FIESTA DE LOS ANGELES, now fixed in the chronology of California feasts, and not less illustrious than its older prototypes, commences April 22, and the riot of fun will spread over 4 days.

THE CARNIVAL OF ROSES, to take place in San Jose, May 6th to 9th, inclusive, though a more recent candidate for favors of the fun-loving world, yet because of the limitless possibilities of the Garden City for anything that is made of roses, is quite as full of promise.

REDUCED RATES will be made by the SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY for all these brilliant events. Arrange your programmes accordingly, and call on agents for particulars.

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NEW GOODS, Complete stock of every thing needed in the home.

Northern Grown SEEDS Will mature vegetables earlier than those grown south. Catalogue of Garden and Field Seeds mailed free on application. Address, GEO. STARRETT, WALLA WALLA, WASH.

FIRE INSURANCE.

Aachen & Munich Fire Insurance Company of Aix La Chapelle, Germany, established 1825, assets \$6,000,000.

American Fire Insurance Company, of Philadelphia, established 1810, assets \$2,683,115.

Western Assurance Company of Toronto, established 1851, assets \$1,642,001.80.

ANDREW G. MALSTEN, Agt. Jaggar Building, opposite Court House, Oregon City, Oregon.

H. W. JACKSON,

Machinist AND Repairer.

Bicycles, Umbrellas, Guns, Sewing Machines,

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Fine Perfumeries and Toilet Articles. Also a full stock of

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Horses Bought and Sold. Horses Boarded and Fed on reasonable terms.

THE BEEHIVE

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WE show one of the most complete stocks of FANCY DRY GOODS, GENTS' FURNISHINGS and SHOES ever shown in Clackamas county. You will find this an up-to-date store. No long-winded prices here. We guarantee every article at or below Portland prices. Everything marked in plain figures—one price to all. A few sample prices from our immense stock:

- Gents' Cotton Socks—4, 5, 7, 10 and 15 cents. Ladies' Fast Black Hose—7, 9, 12, 15, 19, 23 and 25 cents. Handkerchiefs—3, 5, 7, 10, 15 and 19 cts. Corset Steels—5, 7 and 9 cents. Combs—5 and 10 cents. Linen Thread—5 cents a spool. Look at Our Shoes. Tooth Brushes—5 and 10 cents. No more Fancy Prices in Oregon City. Towels—from 5 to 50 cents. Come in and See an Up-to-date Store. Ladies' Skirts—60, 75, 80 and 98 cents. Boys' Caps—25 cents. Best Overall—47 cents per pair. Chenille Table Spreads—85 and 95 cents. Lace and Embroidery—an immense line. Ladies' Bicycle Leggings—50c and \$1.19. Ladies' Teck Scarfs—23 cents. Gents' Fine Silk, Linen and Cambric Handkerchiefs. Gents' Fine Unlaundered Shirts—reinforced, pure linen front—48 cents. See Our Shoes. Gents' Sweaters—\$1.23, \$1.69 and \$2.48. Remember our prices are right—We will save you money and treat you well. Come in and see us, whether you wish to buy or not—Our prices will interest you when you are in need of goods.

Glass & Smyth's Old Stand,

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