

# Oregon City Enterprise.

**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.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1896.

## SPRAY OF THE FALLS.

Diaries for 1897 at Huntley's Book Store.

Don't fail to visit Mrs. Sladen's millinery parlors.

County court will meet next week Wednesday.

A fine selection of stamped linen, cheap at the Racket Store.

The chance of your life at Mrs. Sladen's millinery parlors.

Ornaments, all colors for fancy work at the Racket Store.

Blank note, receipt and order books at the ENTERPRISE office.

Black and colored kid gloves, cheap at the Racket store.

Bargains in trimmed and untrimmed hats. Miss Goldsmith.

Money to loan on good real estate security by A. S. Dresser.

If you want a sewing machine for \$25 go to Bellomy & Busch's.

Regular meeting of the city council next Wednesday evening.

Don't forget we can give you big bargains at the Racket store.

Use "DUSTINE" for floor. Charman & Co., agent. Circular free.

A fine assortment of stylish hats and bonnets at Mrs. Sladen's at costs.

We have balls and dolls, tops and toys cheaper than ever before at the Racket store.

A nice line of ladies' and gentlemen's umbrellas just received at Charman & Son's.

Charman & Son will pay the highest market price for potatoes, dried fruits, eggs, etc.

The Racket store has silk, linen and cotton handkerchiefs at all prices to suit one and all.

Ladies, gent's, and children's fall and winter underwear just received at the Racket store.

Ladies, do you like a good cup of tea? If so, send to Marr & Andrews for your teas from now on.

For the easiest fitting corset to be had in the city go to Mrs. E. E. Martin's, next door to the postoffice.

Daniel Williams' store at the head of Seventh street stairs will be headquarters for school supplies.

Oysters, the finest and best ever brought to Oregon City, served in any style at the Portland restaurant.

Stamped linens, lace, braid and thread, filo silks, stamping done and lessons in fancy work at Miss Goldsmith's.

Just received at the Novelty canny factory another invoice of a new crop of nts, all varieties, prices the lowest.

Nobody ever questioned the superiority of Lowney's chocolate bonbons over all others. E. E. WILLIAMS, the grocer.

Munyon's medicines are the latest, and Charman & Co., the up-to-date druggists, have a complete stock. Pamphlets free.

S. Friedman, of Astoria, will occupy the store room under the ENTERPRISE office with a stock of general merchant's goods.

C. W. Durette has a fine line of organs and pianos at Mrs. E. E. Martin's millinery store, one door north of the post office.

Those who can afford the best should buy the best. Dorothy's extra choice sugar corn, is the best, for sale at Marr & Andrews's.

See A. W. Schwan, Seventh street, near the depot, about your plumbing, tinning and general jobbing. Repairing promptly done.

Children's hosiery, a splendid assortment and of good quality at prices to meet all competition at Martin's, next door to the postoffice.

That delicious flavor which you relish so much in coffee served at the best cafes, can be secured at home by using Marr & Andrews's best.

DeWitt's Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the blood. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. C. G. Huntly.

Send the ENTERPRISE to your friend in the East and thus give him an idea of what is going on in Clackamas county. It may induce him to locate with us.

Bargains from fire and bankrupt sale 50c wool goods 20 to 25 c, \$2 stiff hats 25, oil hats 15c, saucers 5c, 20c scrubbing brushes 5 and 10c. Red Front Trading Co.

At Young's second hand store near the Electric hotel, a good heating stove can be had at \$2.50 up and a good cook stove \$3 up. 400 other articles at just as low prices.

When in need of groceries, flour, feed or family wood, call on C. E. Nash, opposite Seventh street stable. New, fresh goods at reasonable prices. Free delivery.

Married, on Monday, Dec. 28, 1896, by Rev. T. L. Jones, Carrie Lowen, of this city to Jesse J. Crowley, of Washington county. They will reside in Forest Grove.

For a quiet place to hitch your horses away from the motor line and a place to get a first class job of repairing or horse shoeing call on S. F. Scripture's shop on Fifth street.

As the name indicates, Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is a renewer of the hair, including its growth, health, youthful color, and beauty. It will please you.

A small tract of land, partially improved preferred, convenient to Oregon City, is wanted. Address, Buyer, care of ENTERPRISE, with terms and description of property.

Sewing Machines cheap. Want a sewing machine? Get a good one and pay \$35; five years guarantee; \$5 down \$5 per month until paid. See Bellomy & Busch about it.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell. 25c., 50c., and \$1 a dollar. For sale by Geo. A. Harding.

Dr. Baker can be found at the Eureka hotel, where he is prepared to treat cancer successfully without the knife, also pays special attention to the treatment of all chronic diseases.

C. W. Durette is offering the Sweet Toned Miller Organ and the World Renowned Everette piano at prices and on terms that will astonish you. Call at Mrs. E. E. Martin's and examine them.

Dr. White's new hair grower guaranteed to cure all cases of dandruff, and grow new hair on any bald head on earth. For sale by Farnsworth & Johnson, the leading tonsorial artists of the city.

It is a fixed and immutable law that to have good sound health, one must have pure, rich and abundant blood. There is no shorter nor surer route than by a course of DeWitt's Sarsaparilla. C. G. Huntly.

In the display of millinery goods at Mrs. E. E. Martin's, next door to the postoffice can find a hat or bonnet becoming to each customer's features. As fine a selection as to be had in Portland at Portland prices.

Fifteen bushels of clean spring wheat wanted. Delivered at Oregon City or some shipping point on the Willamette river. Highest price paid if wheat is fine. Address, Wheatgrower, care ENTERPRISE.

The old lady was right when she said, the child might die if they waited for the doctor. She saved the little one's life with a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure. She had used it for croup before. C. G. Huntly.

Dr. L. L. Pickens, dentist, does all kinds of dental work. Gold crowns, porcelain crowns and bridge work a specialty. All operations guaranteed for 5 years. Call and get my prices. Office in Barclay building.

Mr. A. Lamour, who had an operation performed on his face at the Oregon City hospital by Dr. Somer last Tuesday, is rallying from it in good shape and will be able to return to his home at Macksburg in a few days.

Scaly eruptions on the head, chapped hands and lips, cuts, bruises, scalds, burns are quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is at present the article most used for piles, and it always cures them. G. C. Huntly.

We wish you A Happy New Year and also announce that we have the agency for Mme. Ruppert's preparations—face bleach, face enamel and hand lotions—to beautify the complexion. Charman & Co., City Drug Store.

Tablets, ink, pens, pencils, books and complete school outfits will be supplied to the customers at my store at very reasonable prices. Call on Daniel Williams' on upper Seventh street near Center, before you buy elsewhere.

Absolutely pure, perfectly harmless, and invariably reliable are the qualities of One Minute Cough Cure. It never fails in colds, croup and lung troubles. Children like it because it is pleasant to take and it helps them. C. G. Huntly.

The old way of delivering messages by post boys compared with the modern telephone, illustrates the old tedious method of "breaking" colds as compared with their almost instantaneous cure by One Minute Cough Cure. C. G. Huntly.

You run no risk. All druggists guarantee Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic to do all that the manufacturers claim for it. Warrented no cure, no pay. There are many imitations. To get the genuine ask for Grove's. For sale by C. G. Huntly.

Grove's tasteless Chill tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver tonic and blood purifier. Removes Biliousness without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup. It is as large as any dollar tonic and retails for 50c. To get the genuine, ask for Grove's. For sale by C. G. Huntly.

The annual meeting of the officers and members of the Free Reading Association will be held at the society's rooms next Saturday evening. It is expected that all the members will be present as also all who are instructed in the good work of the association.

The statement made many years ago that "man cannot live by bread alone" is as true as it ever was—he must have a nice juicy steak or a roast of meat to go with it. Richard Petzold a day ready to furnish his customers with the best of fresh and smoked meats at either his Main or Seventh street market.

This is the day of anti-this, and anti-that, but what people need most nowadays is the anti-bilious medicine, Simmons Liver Regulator, the King of Liver Medicines, and Better than Pills. "I have used no other anti-bilious remedy for six years and know from experience that for ladies of a constipated habit nothing equals it."—Laura V. Craig, Ellenbury, Fla.

A. E. Kilpatrick, of Fillmore, Cal., had the misfortune to have his leg caught between a cart and a stone and badly bruised. Ordinarily he would have been laid up for two or three weeks but says, "After using one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm I began to feel better, and in three days was entirely well. The peculiar soothing qualities which Chamberlain's Pain Balm possesses I have never noticed in any other liniment. I take pleasure in recommending it." This liniment is also of great value for rheumatism and lame back. For sale by G. A. Harding, druggist.

The popularity of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the high esteem in which it is held leads us to believe it to be an article of great worth and merit. We have the pleasure of giving the experience of three prominent citizens of Redondo Beach, Cal., in the use of the remedy. Mr. A. V. Trudell says: "I have always received prompt relief when I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." Mr. James Orchard says: "I am satisfied that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured my cold." Mr. J. M. Hatcher says: "For three years I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family and its results have always been satisfactory." G. A. Harding, druggist.

**THE BEST PASSPORT.**

It is to Always Look Pleasant and Do No Grumbling.

"What is the first duty of a good traveler?" asked a young lady who was about to start from New York on an extended European tour.

"To look pleasant and never to grumble," was the answer of a veteran wanderer who had crossed the ocean 20 times and gone twice around the world.

It was a good prescription and will help to make a good traveler of any novice. The fatigue of the longest journey can be patiently endured if one can only be amiable and avoid the weariness that comes from fretting over what is unavoidable and worrying over trifles.

An American girl not long ago spoiled the pleasure of a party of tourists by complaining of everything on sea and on land. The ship was a dreadful roller, the cabins were badly ventilated, the cooking was abominable, the service was shocking, the officers were uncivil, and the passengers were disagreeable and stupid! Nothing suited her, and she had not a good word for anybody. Every member of the party was indignant over her want of amiability.

"It makes me almost seasick merely to look at her!" exclaimed one of the ladies.

"Perhaps she will cheer up," was the charitable response, "when she reaches port."

But she was as unhappy on land as she had been at sea. She was angry with the customs officers and told them that they had muddled and ruined her best gown. She found fault with the lovely rural scenery between Southampton and London. She pronounced English cooking to be utterly vile. She inveighed bitterly against the weather and the climate. She was not interested in cathedrals, castles, palaces, pictures, colleges, ruins or country roads. She was bored by everything she saw.

One night she received a round robin signed by every other member of the party, expressing regret that she was not enjoying her journey and offering their sympathies in her vexations and discomforts. It was a bold stroke on the part of her friends, who were worn out by her tiresome peevishness. Fortunately it was not unsuccessful. Not another word of complaint was heard from her during the remainder of the tour.

A pleasant, cheerful face and manner that express kindness and good will make the best passport which a traveler can carry into a foreign country. They insure civility and courtesy from officials, fellow travelers and strangers and are an unfailing resource whenever there is any misadventure.—Youth's Companion.

**\$500 TO LOAN.**

To loan by a farmer on good real estate security \$500—no commission. Address, Farmer, care ENTERPRISE.

Great reduction in trimmed hats. MISS GOLDSMITH.

We intend that everybody dealing with us shall be thoroughly satisfied. If through error any transaction should fall short of this ideal, we shall treat it as a favor and not an annoyance if you come back and tell us about it.

MARR & ANDREWS, grocers.

The latest in fashions and walking hats. MISS GOLDSMITH.

Lowney's chocolate bonbons are the best. E. E. WILLIAMS, the grocer.

## ENGLISH HIGHWAYS.

HOW THEY ARE BUILT AND MAINTAINED.

Stone Broken by Hand Is Superior to the Product of Rock Crusher—Constant Care Needed to Keep the Surface in Good Condition—Cost of Maintenance.

I have been for 12 years one of the way wardens of this parish, and consequently am thoroughly conversant with the maintenance of roads, though their construction was before my time, says John R. Fox, Devizes, England, in Mexico Independent. We have two classes of road, main and parish. The main roads are 24 feet wide, and were constructed under the old turnpike system from 150 years ago. They are 24 feet wide, as a rule, of solid stone, 12 inches thick in center and 7 to 8 at tables, with a footpath at each side from 3 to 6 feet in addition.

In the parish road the total width is 20 feet, of which about 12 to 14 is stone and the sides grassward. In all cases the authorities have power to drain the roads into adjacent private property and the landowner must get rid of the surface water as best he can. Our drainage runs through suitable trenches cut in the grassward into the ditches of the private owners parallel with the road on each side, and one of the duties, and not the least important, of the surveyor is to see that these ditches and trenches are kept in good order, so that the road may be always kept dry.

To build a good road the surveyor will first have to shape it and provide for water tables and thorough drainage and then put over the whole road stones broken uniformly to a "rational" size, and these should then be rolled in with a steam roller, if possible, beginning at sides of the road and working toward the center, so as to keep a perfectly uniform curve throughout. The curve must be as slight as possible to carry off the water effectually; if the road is too round, all the traffic will seek the middle of the road, and in three or four months the road would be what the road men call "dished." Here the water would stand in pools and rot the road out.

I may mention that we employ none but hand broken stones of a rational size. They cost about one-half more than we give for machine broken stones, and last twice as long; in fact, we would give double, if necessary, rather than use machine broken stones, because the result is so much more satisfactory. The latter do not bind or consolidate half as well.

It is important that the stone, whatever its nature, be small enough and as uniform in size as possible.

The best road that can be made will soon go to pieces unless it is constantly looked after by some competent man. On the main roads we pay by the day regular road men 2s. 6d. a day, and the parish roads are let in lengths of from three to five miles to laboring men, who do all the work under supervision of the surveyor, but are separately paid for breaking the stone, which is laid down at the side of the road on the sward, in suitable lots, during the spring and summer, and broken at their convenience before November, when they commence putting it on.

All our main roads (queen's highways) were made by separate groups of turnpikes, under separate acts of parliament, and the money was collected by toll to repay the borrowed capital with interest and to maintain the roads, but the toll system was too expensive—it cost as much to collect the tolls as to maintain the roads and pay off the annual installment of debt and interest. So now, the debts having been all paid off, they are entirely maintained by rate—the main roads out of the country rate, and the parish roads by direct highway rate. The rates run to about 1 shilling in the pound. That is to say, the net rateable value of the house I occupy is £30; consequently I pay 30 shillings a year toward maintaining the roads. In towns it of course costs more, because they have paved footpaths and more traffic on the roads.

**Highway History.**

The common measure of road distance in France is the kilometer, or 1,000 meters, a little over three-quarters of a mile.

The first regular road in the northern half of Scotland—that is, the portion north of the Firth of Forth—was in 1745.

Under the mogul emperors extensive systems of roads were constructed in India, connecting all leading points in the peninsula.

Much attention was paid to paved roads in Greece, and an excellent system of roads ran from Athens to all parts of the peninsula.

After the confiscation of monastery property in Spain by the state much of the proceeds were devoted to the making of roads.

The common measure of road distance in Greece is the pike, three-quarters of an English yard, 1,000 pikes being about 750 yards.

**Roads in Elizabeth's Time.**

At the coronation of Queen Elizabeth, in 1558, the roads in the neighborhood of London were so bad that the queen's coach twice stuck in the mud on the way to Westminster and the queen was compelled to alight while the vehicle was pried out of the mud by the attendants. During the remainder of the royal procession half a dozen laborers with poles formed a not particularly imposing but very necessary part of the cortege.

**Concerning Mud.**

Horses know enough to like good roads.

Mud costs more than macadam, in the long run.

The community with good roads is "on top"; the others are in the mud.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

### The Blue and the Gray.

Both men and women are apt to feel a little blue, when the gray hairs begin to show. It's a very natural feeling. In the normal condition of things gray hairs belong to advanced age. They have no business whitening the head of man or woman, who has not begun to go down the slope of life. As a matter of fact, the hair turns gray regardless of age, or of life's seasons; sometimes it is whitened by sickness, but more often from lack of care. When the hair fades or turns gray there's no need to resort to hair dyes. The normal color of the hair is restored and retained by the use of

### Ayer's Hair Vigor.

Ayer's Curebook, "A story of cures told by the cured." 100 pages, free. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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# THE BEEHIVE

We inaugurate Saturday, January 2, a general clean up sale of all odds and ends from our stock, cost or values will cut no figure in this sale as the goods have got to go. You'll miss a golden opportunity if you're not on hand.

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