

# OREGON CITY ENTERPRISE

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## INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK

PROMISE BRIGHT FOR GOOD YEAR FOR OREGON CITY AND VICINITY.

## FARMS IN BIG DEMAND

New Industries Will Give Employment to Several Hundred Men, and Greatly Increase Population of City.

The present industrial activity in and around Oregon City and the excellent outlook for the future, is causing real estate to move rapidly. Local real estate dealers are busy showing property to newcomers and many sales of city and country property have recently been made.

Schoolley & Co. report the sale of the Gilmore property at Gladstone, consisting of three lots and a five room house to a party from Molalla. The Fairbrother farm on the Redland road of 71 acres was recently sold by the same firm to F. Schultz, an eastern man, and the A. F. Bremer farm of 30 acres at Mt. Pleasant, to F. O. Hoover, another new-comer from the East. The old Britling place, four miles out on the Redland road, a well improved place of 40 acres has also been sold to eastern parties.

Gorbett & Co. report the sale of the E. O. Baker place at Highland to E. S. Holmes of Eastern Washington. This is a fine farm of 120 acres, located close to town. Another sale by the same firm was a 9-acre tract to J. P. Olson. This place was owned by the Willamette Prune Co. and is located on the Canby prairie.

D. K. Hill & Co. sold part of the McCubbin donation land claim to a Mr. Davis of St. John, recently from the East. This sale involved 126 acres and sold for \$5,000.

The Royal Restaurant, owned by T. W. Hornback, has been sold by the D. K. Hill Real Estate Company, the purchaser being Charles H. Engel, who resides near Maple Lane. Mr. Hornback, who has been conducting the restaurant for several months, has purchased the farm of Mr. Engel, which consists of 80 acres.

It is a little early in the season for any great activity, but if the frequent transfers now being made are any criterion, the coming Spring and Summer will break the record for real estate deals.

The outlook was never so good for a splendid year for Oregon City and surrounding country. The Hawley Paper Mills will soon be in full operation, employing several hundred men. The Oregon City Mill & Lumber Co. will, after April 1, give work to 150 employees, and with a canning factory which is to be located here, and the consequent increase in population which these new industries will bring, naturally gives an optimistic tone to the local real estate and industrial world.

## EXAMINATIONS ENDED

LARGE NUMBER OF CLACKAMAS COUNTY TEACHERS TAKE EXAMINATION.

County Superintendent T. J. Gary assisted by Prof. Brenton Voder, of Parkplace, and Prof. Howard M. Eccles, of Canby, have finished grading the examination papers of the teachers who recently took the examination.

For first grade certificate; Dorothy Parker, of Portland; M. A. Lehman, Milwaukie; A. A. Baldwin, Macleoburg; Stella Summer, Leota.

Second Grade: Joseph Y. Bethure, Sherwood; R. D. 2; Minnie Miehener, Mulino; E. W. Bartholomeo, Oregon City; R. D. 2; Fred Wilcox, Oregon City; R. D. 2; Hanna Kraus, Aurora, R. D. 1; Edna Caulfield, Oregon City; John Roberts, Oregon City; U. E. Kenagy, Ashcroft; Imorgene I. Givens, Oregon City; R. D. 1; Jeanie Gray, Milwaukie; R. D. 1; Olive Mortimer, Oregon City; R. D. 2; Estella Salisburry, Gladstone.

Third Grade: Sydney S. Johnson, Gladstone; John N. Sievers, Gladstone; Raleigh Seal, Gresham; R. D. 4; Eva Graves, Aurora; Eva Jones, Estacada; Adelle Johnson, Portland; Mary Edgarton, Estacada; Ellen B. Vierbus, Clackamas; Gertrude N. Bailey, Sherwood; Harry E. Sherwood, Canby; Sadie E. Blair, Oregon City; David H. Green, Marquam; Guy C. Larkins, Marquam; Thresa M. Dehler, Mount Angel.

To make a dairy herd profitable the feed is only half. Regularity and care of animals is of more importance.



Who will be inaugurated as President next Thursday.

## CHAS. DAY BOUND OVER

MAN WHO CREATED EXCITEMENT PLACED UNDER BONDS.

Charles W. Day, the young man from Estacada, who held up two men last Saturday morning and created excitement generally with a battery of guns, waived examination in Justice Samson's court Friday and was bound over to the Grand Jury under bonds of \$1,000. Day has been unable to furnish the bonds and is still confined in the county jail. George C. Brownell was his attorney.

## Elevator For Masonic Building Arrives.

The elevator for the new Masonic building arrived in this city Tuesday, and will immediately be installed in the building. The elevator, which will run by electricity, is of the Gates make, and is the first to be installed in the city. By having the elevator in the Masonic building, it will prove to be beneficial to those occupying office rooms on the second floor.

## GAME LAW REVISIONS

MANY CHANGES MADE ON THE SUBJECT BY THE RECENT LEGISLATURE

The provisions of the new bill revising the state game laws and repealing all former measures, as passed in both houses last week and submitted to the governor for his signature, are briefly as follows:

Perpetual closed season for female deer.

Prohibits use of dogs in hunting deer.

Forbids the use of blinds or lying in wait on trails.

Imposes heavy penalty for mutilation of carcas to disguise sex.

Incorporates law making the closed season for elk last until 1928.

Permits the sale of ducks between November 15 and December 15. Open season for ducks from October 15 to February 15. Limit for day's shooting 25 ducks.

Chinese pheasants may be hunted between October 15 and November 15, but no female pheasants may be killed. Pheasants raised in captivity may be sold when the birds are plucked, but the sale of the game will be under the supervision of the county game warden.

Fishermen must have an angler's license, for which they must pay \$1 a year. Only 75 trout may be caught by one person over 16 years of age in a single day.

A person may fish or hunt on his own property without a license.

The bill provides that 10,000 copies of the new bill be distributed throughout the state.

## TELEPHONE CO. INCORPORATES.

Main Office of Company Will be at Damascus.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the county clerk's office Tuesday by the Damascus Mutual Independent Telephone Company, its duration to be limited. The office of the incorporation will be at Damascus, Clackamas County. The capital stock being \$5,000, divided into 200 shares each of the par value of \$25.

The incorporators of the company are A. W. Cooke, A. Henrikson, O. H. Ritzau, John Mullenhoff and W. R. Dallas.

## Charged With Embezzlement.

J. S. Stevens, representing a picture company, was arrested in this city on the charge of embezzlement, and is now confined in the county jail, but it is probable that the matter will soon be settled and the man given his release.

Stevens is accused of attempting to divert to his own use property belonging to the children of a man who is serving a term in the Oregon penitentiary, the mother of the children being dead. The property is situated near Cottage Grove. Stevens was in the act of boarding a car for Portland when taken into custody by Sheriff Beattie.

## COMEDY A BIG SUCCESS

YOUNG PEOPLE ENTHUSIASTICALLY RECEIVED BY LARGE AUDIENCE.

## FOR BENEFIT OF BAND

Play Will Probably be Presented in Woodburn and Other Valley Towns in the Near Future.

"His Uncle From Japan," is the title of the little comedy put on at the Shively last Friday night by some of the prominent young people of this city, and a crowded house greeted the players. The play was managed by Waldo Caulfield and given under the direction of E. J. McKittick. The Oregon City Band, for whose benefit it was given, furnished the music during the evening.

"His Uncle From Japan," is lively throughout, and keeps the audience in a roar of laughter. Charles Bollinger, as Captain Robert Rackett, of the National Guard—a lawyer when he has nothing to do, and a liar all the time. Mr. Bollinger's acting was extremely clever and all during the play his acting was highly appreciated. Gaylor Godfrey as Obadiah Dawson, "His Uncle From Japan," on many occasions brought down the house by his wit, and was well suited for the part he took. Philip J. Sinnott, who has appeared before the Oregon City public on many occasions, took the part of "Timothy Tolman," his friend, who married for money and is sorry for it. Mr. Sinnott's acting was never seen to better advantage than on Friday night, when he scored such a success. Harry Gordon, characterizing "Mr. Dalroy," his father-in-law, jolly cove, took his part well, as did Waldo Caulfield, who played the part of "Hobson," a waiter from the Cafe Gloriana, who added to the confusion. Miss Florence McFarland, as Charlie, the captain's pretty wife, out for a lark and up to "anything awful," showed that she had given her part careful and intelligent study. Miss Kathryn Sinnott, one of Oregon City's popular young ladies who at the last moment by request took the part of "Mrs. Tolman," a lady with a temper who finds her Timothy a vexation of spirit, has appeared at other times before the Oregon City footlights and always to the pleasure of her audience. Clara Fields, as "Katy," a mischievous maid, did justice to the part given her, and her clever acting was greeted with hearty applause.

One of the features of the evening was the whistling solo of Harold Swafford. Mr. Swafford has already established a reputation as a whistler, and on Friday night scored such a hit that he was forced to respond to several encores.

"His Uncle From Japan," was one of the best home talent plays ever presented in this city, and those taking part are receiving the congratulations of their many friends, who had the pleasure of witnessing it.

It is probable that "His Uncle From Japan" will be presented at Woodburn and other towns along the Southern Pacific at an early date, and if so, the play deserves good patronage, as it is one of the best home talent shows that has ever been given in the city.

## OREGON CITY TEAM WINS.

Hotly Contested Basketball Game at St. Johns.

In an exciting basketball game on skates Wednesday night at St. Johns, the Oregon City basketball team won a game from the St. John boys, the score being 16 to 8. In the first half Philip Sinnott was badly hurt, and unable to play the remainder of the game. Kendall and Regh, of this city, were the star players of the evening. The team from this city was composed of Sinnott, Lewis, Regh, Gardner and Kendall. "Jinks" Moore, of this city, took Sinnott's place in the team after the latter was hurt.

The boys are planning for a return game to be played in the Riverbrink rink, Saturday night, March 6. The Oregon City boys are establishing a reputation for themselves as basketball players, and have won every game played so far.

"Boys do not leave the farm because they are afraid of work, but because they are made to feel that the higher attainments of life are reached only through the professions. I think that education is at the bottom of the whole question. Girls who take the domestic science course at our state colleges go back and revolutionize the farm."

## CANNING FACTORY FOR OREGON CITY.

Messrs. T. J. Davis and J. P. Dunseth, representing the Shastings Industrial Co., manufacturers and builders of fruit and vegetable canning factories, have been in Oregon City for the past week endeavoring to interest in the establishment of a canning factory at Oregon City. These gentlemen look upon Oregon City as an exceptionally good opening for an industry, and they are meeting with much encouragement in the endeavor to organize a company here.

## A BETTER OREGON CITY.

Prominent People of Oregon City Will Talk at Congregational Church. The pastor of the Congregational church of this city has arranged for five special Sunday evening services beginning on March 7th and ending on April 4th. The themes and speakers are as follows: March 7, "Beautifying Our City," Mayor W. E. Carll, M. D.; March 14, "Improving our Schools," T. F. Gary, County Superintendent, and Hon. Chas. H. Dye; March 21, "A Free Reading Room and Public Library," J. W. Leder, attorney, and Miss Mary Frances Isom, librarian of Portland Library; March 28, "Improving the Moral Conditions of the City," Grant B. Dimick, County Judge, and Hon. J. E. Hodges, State Senator; April 4, "The Farmer and



MAYOR W. E. CARLL, who will give the first address in a series of talks at the Congregational Church by local people on "A Better Oregon City," Mayor Carll's subject, "Beautifying Oregon City," will be given Sunday evening, March 7.

a Rest Room," Judge Thomas F. Ryan, and Mrs. Jennie B. Harding. All persons interested in these topics are cordially invited to these services. There will be an open forum in connection with each service; and it is hoped that something definite will result from the services in the form of a decided improvement along the lines of our needs. The services begin at 7:30 P. M. The Congregational orchestra will assist in the service of song.

## WORRY WEAKENS MIND

MRS. COLSON, AFTER CARING FOR SICK HUSBAND, LOSES HER MIND.

Sadie, wife of Dan Colson, of Willamette, was brought to Oregon City on a stretcher Saturday evening and taken to the court house, where she was examined as to her sanity by Dr. E. A. Sommer and Judge G. B. Dimick. She was pronounced insane and taken to Salem on the evening train, where she was committed to the asylum.

The cause is a pitiful one. Mrs. Colson's husband has been ill for the past 18 weeks, and by constant care and loss of sleep the poor woman's mind became unbalanced. It is thought by treatment at the asylum she will recover her mind. There are three children in the family, the eldest being 15 years of age.

## Admitted to Practice in U. S. Courts.

Attorney O. D. Eby has just been admitted to practice in the United States Circuit Court and the United States District Court before Judge Charles E. Wolverton.

Mr. Eby is well known throughout the county, having been a resident of this city for the past eight years, and has been a resident of Clackamas county all his life. Before entering the law business in this city he was deputy in the county clerk's office from 1900 to 1901. In October, 1904, he was admitted to practice in the supreme court of the State of Oregon. Mr. Eby has worked up a large practice.

## ASKS FOR FRANCHISE

SOUTHERN PACIFIC SEEKS RIGHT OF WAY THROUGH MILWAU. KEE FOR CUT-OFF.

\$2000 PER YEAR ASKED

Council of That City Wants \$2000 Per Year for Use of Streets and Eight-Mile Speed Limit.

A special meeting of the Milwaukie City Council was held Tuesday night in the city hall to consider the franchise asked by the Beaverton & Willamette Railroad, George C. Brownell, of Oregon City, attorney for Milwaukie, was present to advise the city officials in regard to the legal questions involved.

The right of way begins at the south boundary line of the city about 100 feet north of the O. W. P. trestle crossing, one of the outlets of Kellogg lake. The track will skirt the bluff, after crossing the Willamette river, just below Oswego, coming into Milwaukie on a 1/2 per cent grade, crossing the O. W. P. track on an overhead crossing, 20 feet above, and thence over the lake, into the city limits. Cuts from two to fourteen feet will be made at various places between the south line of the city to the Scott property, and from thence the grade will be level to Willamette. The council proposes to grant a franchise on the following terms: The company to build a viaduct over the Milwaukee Heights road 12 feet above the street grade, make a fill over Kellogg pond and provide a walk for foot travel; all streets crossed to be brought up to the grade of the railroad track; company to pay the cost of sewer and water mains underneath its right of way; speed of trains limited to eight miles an hour; freight and passenger depot, either of stone or brick or concrete, to be constructed, and a telegraph and Wells-Fargo agency to be maintained; all through trains to stop at Milwaukie; \$2000 a year to be paid during the life of the franchise.

J. W. Morrow, tax and land agent of the Southern Pacific expressed himself as being satisfied with the conditions imposed with the exception of the last two, which he claims his company will never agree to. Considerable discussion took place, and citizens present were invited to state their views. F. H. Lechner, O. W. W. singer, Captain Shaw and others spoke in favor of the franchise as it was presented, and believed that the Council ought not to recede from its stand. Mr. Morrow asked more time in which to consider the matter, and it was voted to meet again Friday night, February 26, again to take up this question.

Mayor Streib, having expressed himself opposed to a franchise longer than 50 years, it is doubtful if the company will get a perpetual franchise as asked. Mr. Morrow expects to acquire private right of way immediately after his company has secured the franchise.

## CLUB WILL INTERVIEW GROCERS

The Forestry Situation is Discussed by Women.

The Women's Club met at the home of Mrs. W. S. U'Ren Wednesday afternoon. The subject for the afternoon's discussion was "Forest Reserves." Mrs. W. A. White gave a very interesting and illustrated talk of "The Forestry Reserves of Oregon and Washington," and which proved that Oregon has the second largest forestry reserve. Mrs. W. S. U'Ren gave a talk on "The Forestry Situation," and a general discussion followed. A resolution was made and adopted by the club to interview the Grocers' Association in regard to sanitary condition of food stuff, and it is probable that a committee from the organization will meet the Association at the next meeting.

Mrs. U'Ren served a luncheon to her guests. One new member was taken into the organization, and another name proposed for membership.

## REESE DAUGHTERY DEAD.

Well Known Resident of Clackamas County. Word has been received by O. D. Eby of the death of Reese Daugherty, a well-known resident of Molalla. Mr. Daugherty was about 65 years of age, and was known throughout the county. Deceased leaves three children, Miss Etta Daugherty, Mrs. R. H. Sawtell, of Molalla, and Miss Belle, of Berkeley, Cal. Mr. Daugherty had been sick for several months past.



Who will be inaugurated as Vice-President next Thursday.

## MILES GETS HIS MAN

DRIVES OVER MOUNTAINS TO TILLAMOOK AND BRINGS BACK PRISONER.

F. A. Miles returned yesterday morning from Tillamook, where he had gone for the purpose of bringing F. A. Clark, who was arrested at that place on complaint of Miss Annie Larson, of Canby. The charge against Clark is seduction. Upon arriving in this city the man was brought up for hearing in Justice Samson's court, and after the hearing the man married the girl, both leaving for Canby.

Mr. Miles reports the roads over the mountains in a terrible condition, and in many places they are impassable. On the return trip the driver of the team gave out, and he was left at Dolph, the toll gate. Mr. Miles was forced to bring his prisoner alone from Tillamook, a distance of 60 miles. From Sheridan they took the train for Portland, arriving here Friday morning.

Mr. Miles was taken ill with La-Grippe on his way to Tillamook, and is slowly recovering from its effects.

## POPULAR PEOPLE WED

WEDDING IS FOLLOWED BY AN ELABORATE RECEPTION AT BUSCH HOME.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season occurred at the St. John's Catholic Church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, the contracting parties being Miss Elsie Fallert, of Logan and Mr. Martin Cooper, of Woodburn.

To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March, played by Sister Mary Cecelia, the bridal party entered the church and took their places at the altar, where the impressive marriage ceremony of the Catholic church was performed by Father Hillebrand, assisted by Father Andrew, of New Era. After the marriage ceremony Mendelssohn's Wedding March was beautifully rendered, and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper left for the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busch, where a reception was given in their honor.

The bride looked beautiful in an Empire gown of white swiss over white silk, and her long veil was held in place by orange blossoms. Her shower bouquet was of white carnations. Miss Emma Fallert, sister of the bride, was prettily gowned in white swiss over pink silk, and carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations. P. F. Cooper, of Woodburn, a brother of the groom, was best man.

The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion with Oregon grape, ferns and palms, the decorations having been in charge of the bride's friends of this city.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Busch, where the reception was held, was artistically decorated in cut flowers, ferns and palms. The dining room, where the wedding supper was served, was particularly attractive with its decorations, it being in pink arabias, pink carnations and ferns. From the corners of the room to the shaded electrolitters in the center, were festoons of white crepe paper entwined with sprays of smilax. Oregon grape was used to form a canopy over the table. Mrs. Busch, who had charge of the decorations of her home, displayed artistic taste.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, who are very popular young people, were presented with an array of handsome pieces of cut-glass, silverware and rare china.

After the reception the happy couple left on their honeymoon, their destination being Southern California, and upon their return will go to Woodburn, where the groom is owner of the "Midway Stock Farm."

The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mrs. Anna Fallert, of Logan, and niece of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busch, while the groom is a young man of sterling qualities, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, well known residents of Woodburn.

During the reception given in their honor Miss Marie Friedrichs, who possesses a sweet soprano voice, gave several solos, and was followed with a duet by Frank Busch, on the violin, and John Busch, on the piano, and were greatly appreciated.

## CLOSE BOYS ARRESTED

TRIED BEFORE JUSTICE GILL ON CHARGE OF SELLING LIQUOR.

## ESTACADA MEN FINED

Writ of Habeas Corpus Brings Case Before Judge Dimick in the County Court.

Ed and Al Close were arrested at Estacada and convicted Tuesday before Justice of the Peace, F. M. Gill, on one of six counts charging violation of the local option law, for selling intoxicating liquors within the corporate limits of the city of Estacada. Justice Gill imposed a fine of \$300 on Al Close and 20 days in jail, while \$150 was the amount of Ed's fine with 10 days in jail.

The men were arrested on complaint of Mayor Holyman, who charges the defendants with selling intoxicating liquors to Fred W. Robin, purported to be a detective in the employ of the Anti-Saloon League. It is said Robin came to Estacada some weeks ago and posed as a laborer. He secured work in a local lumber yard, and frequented the place of Close brothers after working hours. In his testimony against defendants, Robin testified he bought a number of drinks at the place, and on February 4, about 10:30 P. M., he bought a bottle of whiskey from the proprietors.

Each of the defendants has sued out a writ of habeas corpus in the County Court, and Judge Dimick has set the hearing for Thursday at one o'clock.

The charter of Estacada gives the right to license saloons over to the city. The men were tried and sentenced under the state law. Now the point involved is whether the Justice Court has jurisdiction over the question, as to whether or not the provision of the charter of that city exempts the sale of liquor from the local option law and places it with the City of Estacada, as does the Medford charter, which was recently decided by the Supreme Court. The Estacada charter was passed by the legislature after the local option law was adopted.

The question, is of vital importance to the people of Estacada and will be carefully considered by the court.

## HERBERT HALL KILLED.

Former Oregon City Man Struck by Falling Tree.

Herbert Hall, formerly of this city, was killed on Tuesday at Buena Vista, Oregon. Mr. Hall was engaged in cutting down a tree, when in some manner the tree fell on him killing him instantly. The funeral was held at Buena Vista yesterday and the remains interred at that place. The deceased leaves a family.

## CONCERT A BIG SUCCESS

LARGE AUDIENCE ASSEMBLES AT ARMOY TO LISTEN TO BAND CONCERT.

The concert given by the Oregon City Concert Band at the armory on Tuesday evening, was a decided success. The armory was filled with the music loving people who enjoyed the excellent programme given under the direction of the leader, B. T. McBall, and much credit is due the musical instructor in his efficient work in the organization. The band played for the dancing after the concert, and many of those attending the concert remained.

Mrs. Edward Sheahan and Miss Martha Frances Draper, accompanied by Miss Draper on the piano, sang "Merry, Merry Are We." So beautifully did their voices blend they were forced to respond to an encore, and gave "The Waterfall." "Madeline" was sung by F. J. Lonergan. His rich baritone voice filled the armory, and his selection was enthusiastically received. For second number, Mr. Lonergan gave, "You and Love."

The following numbers were given by the band: March, "National Emblem"; overture, "Lusiel"; concert vase, "Peggy O'Neil"; overture, "Snap Shot. The encores were many, and the band was liberal in responding.

The affair was given for the benefit of the McLaughlin Institute and the band, and the proceeds amounted to a neat sum. The Oregon City Concert Band was recently organized, and from the present indications will be one of the best concert bands in the state.