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Book and Job Printing!

THE ENTERPRISE OFFICE
Is supplied with every requisite for doing
a superior style of work, and is constantly
accumulating new and beautiful styles of
material, and is prepared for every
variety of
BOOK AND JOB
PRINTING!
AT SATISFACTORY PRICES.
The Public are invited to call and
examine both our specimens and facilities
for doing work.

BUSINESS CARDS

BENTON KILLIN,
Office in Chairman's Brick Block, up
stairs, (501 F.)
Oregon City, Oregon.

Dr. F. Barclay, M. R. C. L.,
(Formerly Surgeon to the Hon. H. B. Co.)
OFFICE—At Residence,
Main Street, Oregon City.

W. F. HIGHFIELD,
Established since 1829, at the old stand,
Main Street, Oregon City.
An assortment of Watches, Jew-
elry, and Gold and Silverware,
all of which are warranted
to be as represented.
Repairs done on short notice,
and made for past favors.

JOHNSON & McCOWN,
Oregon City, Oregon.
Will attend to all business entrusted
to their care in any of the Courts of the State,
collect money, negotiate loans, sell real
estate, etc.
Particular attention given to contested
bill cases.
E. A. PARKER, Proprietor.

BELL & PARKER,
DRUGGISTS,
AND DEALERS IN
Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Paints,
Perfumery, Oils, Varnishes,
And every article kept in a Drug Store.
Main Street, Oregon City.

SHADES SALOON,
West Side Main Street, between Second and
Third, Oregon City.
GEORGE A. HAAS, Proprietor.
The proprietor begs leave to inform his
friends and the public generally that the
above named saloon is open for their
accommodation, with a new and well
equipped supply of the finest brands of
liquors and cigars.

JOHN M. BACON,
Justice of the Peace & City Recorder.
Office—In the Court House and City
Council Room, Oregon City.
Will attend to the acknowledgment of
deeds, and all other duties pertaining to
the office of Justice of the Peace.

J. FLEMING,
Retail dealer in School Books, Sta-
tionery, Patent Medicines,
and Perfumery.
At the Post-office, in Masonic Building,
Oregon City, Oregon.

William Broughton,
CONTRACTOR and BUILDER,
Main Street, Oregon City.
Will attend to all work in his line,
consisting in part of Carpenter and Joiner
work, framing, building, etc. Jobbing promptly
attended to.

JOHN H. SCHRAM,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
SADDLES, HARNESS,
etc., etc.
Main Street, between Third and Fourth,
Oregon City.

CLARK GREENMAN,
City Drayman.
OREGON CITY.
All orders for the delivery of merchandise,
in packages and freight of whatever descrip-
tion, to any part of the city, will be executed
promptly and with care.
16:30

DAVID SMITH,
Successor to SMITH & MARSHALL,
Black Smith and Wagon Maker,
Corner of Main and Third Streets,
Oregon City, Oregon.

Imperial Mills,
OREGON CITY.
KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND FOR SALE:
FLOUR, MILLINERS,
BRAN AND CHICKEN FEED!
Parties wanting feed must furnish
their sacks.
15:14

RANCH FOR SALE.
SITUATED BETWEEN THE CLACK-
amas and the
OREGON CITY TOWN PLAT!
In the vicinity of the place of T. J. Runaker
Apply to
LEVY & FRANKMEYER.

PATTON HOUSE,
Two doors south of the old Court House,
Front Street, Portland, Oregon.
W. N. PATTON, Proprietor.
Single meals, 25 cents. Beds, 25 cents.
This house is newly fitted, and furnished
in the best style.

AMERICAN EXCHANGE,
(Late LINCOLN HOUSE),
No. 84 Front Street, Portland Oregon.
L. P. W. QUIMBY, PROPRIETOR,
(Late of Western Hotel).

This house is the most commodious in the
State, where every want is anticipated,
and cheerfully supplied. Warm and
cold Baths attached to the house.
This Hotel is located near the steamship
landing. The Hotel Coach will be in at-
tendance at all the Landings, to convey
passengers and baggage to and from the
house free of charge.

WESTERN HOTEL,
Portland, Oregon.
Corner of First and Morrison streets,
Oregon City, Oregon.

The best and most comfortable Hotel in the
State, where every want is anticipated,
and cheerfully supplied. Warm and
cold Baths attached to the house.
This Hotel is located near the steamship
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Main Street, Oregon City.
JACOB BOEHM, Proprietor.
ESTABLISHED 1857.

REDUCTION IN PRICES!
The undersigned wishes to give notice
that from Saturday, October 10, 1867, prices
at the above house will be as follows:
Board and Lodging per week, \$5.00
Board without Lodging, \$4.00
Board and Lodging per day, 75c
Board without Lodging, 50c
Oregon City, Oct. 24, 1867.
JACOB BOEHM, Proprietor.

CLIFF HOUSE,
Main Street,
Oregon City, Oregon.

Nearly Opposite Woolen Factory,
Main Street, Oregon City.
T. W. BROADBENT, Proprietor.
We invite the citizens of Oregon City,
and the traveling public, to give us a share
of their patronage. Meals can be had at all
hours, to please the most fastidious.

OSWEGO HOUSE!
OSWEGO, OREGON.
I am now prepared to receive and entertain
all who may favor him with their patronage.
The House is new and the Rooms are
Newly and Neatly Furnished. The Table
will be supplied with all the delicacies of
the season. The House is situated near the
steamer landing. The proprietor will at all
times endeavor to give entire satisfaction to
all who patronize him with a call, and
would respectfully solicit the patronage of
the Traveling Public.
Board and Lodging, \$5.00
Board and Lodging, \$4.00
Single Meals, 25c
J. B. MILLER, Proprietor.

WHAT CHEER HOUSE,
Nos. 128 and 130 Front Street,
Portland, Oregon.

REDUCED RATES!
The undersigned having taken this well-
known house, solicited increasing patronage
from the traveling public. The House has
lately been refitted, and the proprietors are
now able to offer additional inducements to
their patrons. The table will be furnished
with the best market articles, and under
the immediate supervision of the proprietors.
Rooms well furnished and well ventilated.
A large fire-proof safe for the deposit of
valuables. Baggage taken to the hotel free
of charge. Board per week, \$5.00
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(According to the room occupied.)
Nothing will be left undone, which is in
the power of the proprietors to render guests
comfortable. LYONS, LEONARD & Co.,
Proprietors.

Louisburg, Bros. & Co.
Importers and Wholesale Dealers in
All Kinds of Cognacs,
Sack and Irish Whiskies,
Rum, Gin, Domestic Liquors, Wines,
etc., etc., etc.
No. 26 Front St., O. S. N. Co.'s new brick
block, Portland Oregon.

REMOVAL!
THE JEWELRY
Establishment of J. B. Miller
Has been removed
To No. 101 Front St., corner of Alder
Street, Oregon City, Oregon.
In Chas. Woodruff's Drug Store.
Where he will be ready to attend to
all manner of workmanship in his line.
Watches and Jewelry repaired in the most
workmanlike manner.
J. B. MILLER.

MARBLE WORK.
MONROE & KIELLEN,
Dealers in California, Vermont, and
Italian Marbles, Obelisks, Monu-
ments, Head and Foot stones,
SALM, Oregon.
Marble and Furniture Marble furnished
to order.
15:21

Flax Seed Wanted!
R. E. CHATFIELD,
Oregon Seed Store!
First St., Portland, opposite the
Western Hotel. Will pay
Highest Cash Prices for Flax Seed!

NOTICE.
Friends, many thanks for past favors re-
ceived. I have newly opened a family grocery
in W. F. Highfield's block, fronting the
Oregon House. Here are offered a full share
of your patronage, by offering many articles
less than Portland retail prices.
Will exchange for butter, eggs, hams, flour
etc., etc.
S. E. STONE.

BUSINESS CARDS

Ladd & Tilton,
BANKERS,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Will give prompt attention to collections,
and other business pertaining to Banking.
Sight and Telegraphic Exchange
On San Francisco and the Atlantic States for
Advances. Government Securities bought and
sold.

L. C. Fuller,
BROKER.
Pays the Highest Price for Gold Dust
Legal Tenders and Government securities
bought and sold. No. 308 Front St.,
Portland, Oregon.

J. F. MILLER & Co.,
MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN
Boots and Shoes!
At the Oregon City Boot and Shoe
Store, Main Street.

THE BEST SELECTION
Of Ladies', Gents', Boys', and children's
Boots and Shoes on hand or made to order.

Mitchell, Dolph & Smith,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law,
Solicitors in Chancery, and Pro-
curators in Admiralty.
J. M. MITCHELL, J. S. DOLPH, A. SMITH,
SACHEL D. H. JAMES, Proprietors.

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LIFE.

We are born—we laugh—we weep;
We love—we droop—we die!
Ah! wherefore do we laugh or weep?
Why do we live or die?
Why knows that secret deep?
Alas, not I!

Why doth the violet spring
Unseen by human eye?
Why do the radiant seasons bring
Sweet thoughts that quickly fly?
Why do our fond hearts cling
To things that die?

We toil—through pain and wrong;
We fight—and fly;
We lose—we lose—and then, ere long,
We die—dead we lie.
Oh! Life, is all thy song
Endure—and die?

BILL AND JOE!
Come, dear old comrade, you and I
Will sit an hour from days gone by—
The shining days when life was new,
And all was bright with morning dew.
The lusty days of long ago,
When you were Bill and I was Joe.

Your name may flaunt a titled trail,
Proud as a cocker's rainbow tail;
And mine as blunderer's luckless mare;
As Tam O'Shanter's luckless mare;
To-day, old friend, remember still
That I am Joe and you are Bill.

You've won the great world's envied prize,
And grand you look in peoples' eyes,
With H. O. N. and L. L. D.
In big brave letters fair you see—
Your fat old fellow! Oh! they'll see
How are you, Bill? How are you, Joe?

You've worn the Judge's ermine robe;
You've taught your name to halt the globe;
A gaily whirling 'Fickle' gnat,
That bids a pinch of mortal dust;
You've made the dead past live again;
The world may call you what it will,
But you and I are Joe and Bill.

The chaffing young folks stare and say,
"See those old buffers, bent and gray—
They talk like fellows in their teens!
Mad poor old boys! That's what it means."
And shake their heads; they little know
The throbbing hearts of Bill and Joe!

How Bill forgets his hour of pride,
While Joe sits smiling at his side;
How Joe, in spite of Time's disguise,
Finds the old schoolmate in his eyes—
Those calm, stern eyes that melt and fill
As Joe looks fondly up at Bill.

Ah, pensive scholar, what is fame?
A flinty touch of leaping flame;
A gaily whirling 'Fickle' gnat,
That bids a pinch of mortal dust;
A few short years, and who can show
Which dust was Bill and which was Joe.

The weary lad takes his stand,
Holds out his bruised and aching hand,
While gaping thousands come and go,
How vain it seems, this empty show!
Till all at once his pulses thrill;
'Tis poor old Joe's "God bless you, Bill!"

And shall we breathe in happier spheres
The names that pleased our mortal ears,
In some sweet hill of hazy song
For earth-born spirits none too long,
Just whispering of the world below,
Where this was Bill, and that was Joe?

No matter; while our home is here
No sounding name is half so dear;
When fads at length our lingering day,
Who cares what pompous tombs say?
Read on the hearts that love us still,
The just Bill. The just Bill.

ANNUAL ADDRESS
DELIVERED BEFORE THE
Oregon State Agricultural Society,
BY THE PRESIDENT,
Hon. A. J. Duffar.

Rosiland Bros.
Portland Auction Store!
97 First St., next door to Post-office,
Portland, Oregon.
Importers and Jobbers of Staple and
Fancy Dry Goods, Grain Bags,
Barrels, Furnishing Goods,
etc., etc., etc.
We will pay the highest cash
price for Wool, Furs and Hides

PONY SALOON,
Front St., near the Ferry Landing,
Portland, Oregon.
Re-fitted and Re-opened by J. A. Mac-
Donald. The best of Wines, Li-
quors, Cigars, etc., constantly
on hand.

SOMETHING NEW!
Boots with Wire Quilted Bottoms
These Boots are made on the American
standard last. They never fail to fit and feel
comfortable, and require no "breaking in."
The Wire Quilted Soles
Have been proven by practical experience to
last twice as long as the ordinary soles. A
splendid assortment just received at
R. D. WHITE & Co.'s,
Boot and Shoe store,
131 First St., Portland.

CHAUNCEY BALL,
Successor to Gordon & Co.,
MANUFACTURER OF
Wagons & Carriages,
201 and 203 Front St., Portland, Oregon.

Wagons of every description
made to order. General Jobbing done
with neatness and dispatch.
Oak and Ash lumber, and all kinds
of wagon materials for sale.
Orders from the country promptly
attended to.

OREGON CITY
BREWERY!
HENRY HUBBEL,
Having purchased the above Brewery,
wishes to inform the public that he is now
preparing to manufacture a quality of
LAGER BEER
As good as can be obtained anywhere in the
State. Orders solicited and promptly filled.

In the scope of agricultural and me-
chanical science is involved the per-
manent prosperity of every State and
nation. If, therefore, we may judge
of the permanent prosperity of this
community, and of its advancement
in the arts and sciences, by the dis-
play of the various productions of in-
dustry, skill, refinement, and good
taste we witness here to-day, we are
satisfied in the assertion that Oregon pos-
sesses all the elements necessary to make a people
wealthy, intelligent, and permanently
blessed.

In the display of stock, our horses
combine in a marked degree many
of the qualities necessary to make
that noble animal one of the proudest
as well as the most useful servant
of man, and show that our farmers
and horsemen are not ignorant of the
use of the warm bloods. By follow-
ing a judicious system of breeding,
Oregon may furnish that class of
Vanderbilt and Bonner horse farmers
with their Abernethys and Dexters, and
the turkeys, Kentucks, a Norfolk,
or an Asterad.

Our cattle show the judgment and
good taste of those engaged in that
department, for prominent in display
may be seen the noble Durham and
beautiful Devon, while the grades
combine qualifications desirable for
the plow, the dairy, or the butcher's
stall.

Our swine and poultry do equal
credit to their exhibitors, while sheep
hand-raising appears to have received
that judicious management and care-
ful attention by many of our breed-
ers, which the importance of that
branch of industry loudly demands.

The display of fruits, seeds and
vegetable productions, shows the fer-
tility of our soil, and the various uses
to which it is adapted, while our cere-
als add another evidence to the fact
already established, that Oregon is
pre-eminently a grain-growing State,
and for the sure production of wheat
is not surpassed by any country ever
inhabited by civilized man.

Perhaps this last statement may
seem extravagant to some, but the
careful observation of almost ten
years residence in your State, has
shown that California has had two
entire and one partial failure of her
wheat crop during that time, and
the grain year after year in many of
the wheat growing districts of the West-
ern States, the hopes of the husband-
man have been cut off by the sun
blight, the rust, the weevil, or the
chinch bug, not in one single instance
has I known a failure in any crop
in Oregon where the ground has been
well prepared, judiciously sown,
planted, and properly cared for;
and in many instances I have seen
fields of wheat in Oregon that for
quality and quantity, far surpassed
any crop I ever knew raised in north-
ern Wisconsin, or on the fertile soil
of the Genesee valley.

Our dairy productions and domes-
tic manufactures are highly creditable
to a young State like ours, and plainly
indicate that when the industry of
Oregon shall be turned in that direc-
tion, her manufactures are not only
capable of supplying the home de-
mand, but may successfully export to
many other markets of the world.

The exhibition of flowers and works
of art, together with the great variety
and refinement of good taste of the fair
contributors to this exhibition, and
plainly shows that while the men are
engaged in those industrial pursuits
that go to make up the real wealth
of our State, the women are not un-
mindful of those things that beautify,
adorn and make our homes blessed.

The wonderful display of mechan-
ical genius in that great field of labor
and progress, indicates the prosperity
so well deserved by that class of our
citizens, to whom we are indebted for
the comforts, luxuries and arts, that
distinguish civilization from bar-
barism. Without their strong arms,
skillful hands and wonderful inven-
tions, we to-day would be but little
better than the miserable savages that
roam the plains. When we cease to
cherish and honor our mechanics, we
shall prove ourselves ignorant of our
highest interest, by neglecting one
great source from which we must expect
life and strength for our republican
institutions, and power to defend them.

But, ladies and gentlemen, these
displays of luxury, wealth, refinement,
and permanent prosperity of which
we boast and are so justly proud to-
day, are but a part of the causes we
have for self-congratulation, when
compared with our system of com-
mon school education; the benefit of
which all may avail themselves of,
aided by the disinterested efforts of
some of our most energetic and noble-
minded citizens in establishing col-
leges, and seminaries of learning, for
enriching the minds of our young
with the higher branches of science
and literature.

And all the deep feelings of grati-
tude towards these early settlers, who
have helped to shape the future des-
tiny of Oregon, will ever be enter-
tained by all her citizens, still an
other class are equally worthy of our
grateful remembrance. It is that
class of men who, with self-sacrificing
devotion, have taught the pure prin-
ciples of religion, and given to society
that moral training and chastity of
thought, without which any com-
munity will pass into premature de-
cay. It is by the zeal and untiring
energy of this class of our early set-
tlers, we are enabled to say, where
but a few years ago was seen naught
but barbarism and heathenish idola-

try, to-day our prairies and wood-
lands are made vocal with the praises
of the most high God.
Men of Oregon, you are worthy of
the high encomium a grateful people
are ever ready to bestow upon those
who, with fixed purpose and deter-
mined perseverance, have substituted
fruitful fields and temples of science,
for waste places, and given to early
morning the music of the Sabbath bell,
for the howl of wild beasts and pain-
ed savages. And I congratulate you
on the full meridian of prosperity
that awaits you, after so many years
of uncertainty and unceasing toil.

In passing this evening on the noble
results attained by the determined ef-
forts of the men, we would not for-
get the honors due to the women of
Oregon; for in no community is there
ever seen those sterling qualities
of moral purity that mark the
progress of civilization, and perpetu-
ated the endearments of home, where
we man has failed to exert those re-
fining influences felt by her presence,
or not commanded the respect in so-
ciety which is justly considered her
due.

Then pardon me while I say to our
wives and daughters, never lower
that high standard of usefulness which
of the few past years has produced
such gratifying results in our com-
munity. Nor give contentment to those
artificial distinctions in society, too
often founded on the wealth of a vul-
gar millionaire, or on the meaningless
title of a foreign adventurer, but al-
ways keep first and foremost in view
these great truths—man is superior
to the accident of his birth, and
should rise to the rank in society which
is due alone to his merits.

If fortune has been propitious, and
you are surrounded by the blessings
of wealth, never retire behind mas-
sive gold chains and diamond breast-
pins into the fool's paradise—a life of
useless indolence and ease—but re-
member that no person can enjoy
vigorous health without active bodily
exercise, and that a life of usefulness
and activity will tend to make you
wealthy, beautiful and attractive, fit
you to become good wives and mo-
thers of strong and noble men,
and while we claim a Washington as
the Father of his country, you, with
a higher and holier pride, may ex-
claim: *Lady Mary* was his mother.

There is still another class in this
assembly to whom I wish to make a
few remarks, and in whose future
prosperity and success in life we all
have the most vital interest. It is
the young men of Oregon, and es-
pecially the farmers' and mechan-
ics. For on you, young men, will
devolve the task of completing that
work so nobly begun by your sires,
and not only will the development
of the agricultural, mechanical and
mineral wealth of our State be in-
trusted to your keeping, but also the
perpetuating and perfecting our sys-
tem of education, with our constitu-
tional liberties of State and nation,
which all in duty bound should guard
with watchful care. Then let nothing
short of such an education as will fit
you to fill any station in life in which
you may be called to act, ever sat-
isfy you. For a thorough and rational
education is the only basis of a
mechanical and agricultural science,
together with the necessary knowl-
edge of political economy and the
science of government, is within the
reach of every young man who has
the will to obtain, and the deter-
mined perseverance to accomplish.
In whatever occupation in life, or branch
of industry you may engage, always
command the respect of others by
yourself respecting the dignity of your
own calling. What we wish our
clothes are none of the finest, your
hands hardened by toil, and your
face embrowned by exposure to the
sun? True greatness consists not in
birth, or wealth, or occupation, or
any other accidental circumstance,
but inherent nobility wrought out in
life.

And if, in performing those duties
to which an honorable occupation may
lead, you chance to meet the snob,
who displays the height of his intel-
lectual attainments in a sweet scented
cigar, and haughty mouth piece, or
the brazen dandy, whose moral
worth may be estimated by the size of
his tailor's bill, never hang your head
and blush in their presence because
they outshine you in equipage and
show, but lift up your brow with a
noble confidence, and say within your
self: I have not these things, it is
true, but it is because I have not
sought; it is because I have not de-
sired them; it is because I possess
something better; a heart free from
contaminating influences of fashion-
able vice, and a mind well stored
with useful knowledge.

But to return to our first propo-
sition: that the permanent prosperity
of every community is contained
within the scope of agricultural sci-
ence, we find it necessary to come
to the more immediate duties of every
day life—those things connected with
practical farming.

It occurs to me that no occupation
requires more strict attention and
system of acting than farming, and
that the farmer should have a place
for everything and everything in its
place.

A careful account should be kept
of all the business transactions of the
farm, and an inventory of all the
stock, farm productions, farming
tools, carriage etc., should be taken
at least once a year, with their first
cost, and present value. In fact, the
farmer's book should be a manifest of
his financial condition at all times.

A system of farming that tends to
impoverish our soil, and lessen its ca-

capacity for reproduction, should be
carefully avoided. To this subject
the farmers of Oregon cannot pay too
much attention.

The sad experience of the farmers
in the great grain growing districts
of the Western States should teach