

East Oregonian Branch Office. The office of the EAST OREGONIAN has been removed from the building...

Ford, of La Grande, is in town. He has become of the cadet company? The roads go to the Masonic restaurant...

Taylor, of Eureka Flat, is in town. After can find employment at the mill. A notice of sale under chattel mortgage...

Penon, of Foster, and A. B. McProsper, are in town to-day. K & Cohen are now using the upper part of their building for a trunk department...

Stock of R. C. Langtry was sold at yesterday. J. H. Turner and Palmer and M. G. Wills were passengers on this morning's train from La Grande...

Stewart has shipped his stock of mules to Tilton, where they will be sold. Herman and G. W. Hughes, of the firm of E. R. R., came up from Wallula...

J. S. Barnard has opened dress-making parlors at her residence on Main street. The City Sunday a waiter named Brown shot at Hosea Eastman, just as he was leaving...

Howard, with Despain & Flowers, is in town. The nickel-plated bicycle, the property of Zimmerman, was seen on the street yesterday for the first time...

Water wheel for filling the street will be in operation to-morrow. The sinker has been sadly needed the past few days...

First brick building ever built in Pendleton is now under way. A portion of the old Pendleton hotel is being torn down to make room for a hotel...

Calla Pennington and Ada Miller left this afternoon for Mr. Gideon's farm north of town where they will remain a week or two.

Description paper is being circulated to raise money to complete the Long wagon road. T. F. Rourke, with the usual liberality, heads the list with \$100...

E. Houser will move his Main street shop across the street into the brick building to-morrow. It is the best fitted up butcher shop in town...

Richardson has fitted up neat parlors, and is ready to receive cream, strawberries, and other delicacies. The best in town. Call on him...

Shells, hammocks, fishing tackle, traps, velocipedes, express wagons, can be found at the Bazaar, in the block. Also bargains in tin and glass at the 5, 10, and 25-cent store...

Press: Fletcher's Boy Band, of Astoria, renders music that goes to the untiring zeal of their leader. They had their under successful concert can boast of one of the best in the State...

The Masonic Hall Association have just received a secretary and sideboard for their hall and banquet rooms. They are of very liberal dimensions and are quite handsome...

Howell & Co. will sell furniture to responsible persons on notes payable after harvest. Any one desiring to purchase furniture should consult this responsible house...

Old Mr. Estes, who lives near the planing mill, is very sick. The doctors think he has cancer of the stomach. As he is an Odd Fellow in good standing, the lodge here will probably take charge of him...

Jerome Gammon bought a ticket for Boston Monday afternoon, and left the same evening. The west bound train is on time to-night.

Timely Suggestions in Regard to Addressing Envelopes. If the great mass of people who write letters could mail themselves with one of their productions, and follow it through its many experiences of being post-marked, cancelled, distributed with thousands of its fellows, tied up and started on its journey at the bottom of a dusty mail bag...

The dimensions of the U. S. mail service, which is constantly increasing, is one of the greatest things of which the American people can boast. Our mail service is the largest, most complete and systematic, and conceded to be the swiftest in the world...

The clerks cannot always refrain from expressing their intense admiration of these prodigious items in pencil on the envelopes. The language used is peculiar to them and will not bear repeating. The story about putting the stamp on the upper right hand corner of the envelope has been told until it has become a chestnut, yet there are people who have never heard it.

Some scribbler in Pendleton writes to the Walla Walla Statesman as follows: "There are three business houses closed here during the last week, J. P. Bushee, dry goods; W. B. Thomas, stationery; R. C. Langtry, notions. There is nothing doing at all. The streets are as quiet and peaceful looking as a graveyard, and I don't believe there are more than two or three business houses in the town making expenses, and it will remain so until the people get through snoring and wake up and do something for the town."

Now the E. O. Man will wager that the fellow who wrote this was hardly awake in his life, and never did anything for the town. Who is it anyhow who wants Pendleton people to "get through snoring and wake up and do something for the town?"

From the Wacoan Sun. If any industry will pay in this country it needs no protection. If it will not pay can advance any good reason why the people should be taxed to make it pay? Would not the carrying of this principle to its legitimate conclusion justify a tax being laid on every merchant, banker, railroad corporation, in fact every business, to make farming pay? The farmer has been taxed for twenty-five years for the benefit of the manufacturer. Is it not time that the shoes be changed? That the farmer be protected? We think it is. Let us try it on a while and if a reduced tariff does not aid us all, we can very soon put it back on, double measure.

At Wheelan's. At James Wheelan's there is a fine stock of men's and boys' hats at cost for the next two days only, also a large stock of men's furnishing goods which must be sold to make room for other goods now arriving, comprising the best stock of boots and shoes that has ever been in Pendleton. All of our goods we guarantee to be what we represent at prices twenty-five per cent lower than at any other establishment in Pendleton for the same class of goods.

WHAT LABORER?

An Oregon Editor Sees the Cat and Plainly shows the Feline to Others. From the Benton Leader. The Salem Statesman recently said in a discussion of the tariff question: "The average Oregon laborer is honest, and he will not vote away the food from his wife's and children's mouths simply to please Cleveland in his ambition for power, and to make the rich Eastern manufacturer richer."

The first question is who is the "average Oregon laborer?" Oregon is an agricultural country and the laborers are engaged in producing unprotected articles. The only laborers who could possibly have any interest in maintaining a protective tariff are those whose wages are drawn from protected industries. If there were manufacturing in Oregon, it might avail to make the false plea to the operatives that their wages would be decreased by reducing the tariff. But the average Oregon laborer feeds his wife and children with the remnant left to him after he has paid the excessive bonus to the "Eastern manufacturer."

Out of the whole tariff list of 4,000 that pay duty there is only one article about which any pretense can be made that the duty on it is any advantage to the Oregon laborer—wool. And that is only a pretense. Yonder is a farmer who has just sold his wheat for 60 cents, after waiting a long time for a better price. He sold his wheat for what he was offered. He had nothing whatever to say about the price—that was fixed in Liverpool, and fixed by the supply of labor that works for a few cents a day; a labor that is in squalid savagery, barbaric poverty. Nobody, except an occasional ignoramus, who does not know what tariff is, will claim that protection raises the price of wheat. The duty on wheat cannot affect its foreign price. But if the farmer wanted to get some new variety of seed wheat from abroad to improve the quality and yield of his fields, he would have to pay about 20 per cent. more for it by reason of that duty.

Now this farmer, who is the average Oregon laborer, does now take the food away from his wife and children when he upholds the present tariff law. As little as he gets for his wheat, he could still live and make money at the present prices if he were permitted to do so. Every dollar that he spends for clothing for himself and family, for utensils of the household, for salt in his bread, for the sacks that carried his wheat to market, for practically everything that he buys, every dollar of it is divided and a part set aside for paying for the goods and the other part delivered to the protected individual—the "Eastern manufacturer."

Yonder is a laborer digging a ditch. He is a laborer in the strictest sense. He is an American laborer, and if he has been bamboozled by Republican papers, he is probably reflecting with complacency that he does not have to work in competition with the pauper labor of Europe. Yet that is what he is doing. There is no tariff on laborers. Not only Europe, but Asia and Africa, can send their paupers to compete side by side with this American laborer. In fact, across the way from him at this moment is working a man without a family here; without children here to school or support; without a home, in the true sense of that word, to maintain; a cheap laborer, a pauper laborer; he came from Asia. That poor ditcher, so working without adequate protection from the pauper labor of Europe, Asia and Africa and isles of the sea, pays by reason of the tariff, a great part of what he earns out there in the hot sun to the "Eastern manufacturer."

For everything that he buys is burdened with a duty. The thing that he sells—the only thing that he has to sell—his labor—is sold for what people are willing to give him, without the interposition of any law enacted in his behalf, whatever. Then the average Oregon laborer will be a great fool if he opposes a reduction of the revenue upon the supposition that he is going to make money by it. If he is willing to take the food out of the mouths of his wife and children with the charitable notion that he is thereby aiding some other laborer somewhere else, whom he never saw, then let him do it. The Bible says that sort of a man is worse than an infidel. But he would miss even the purpose of assisting the laborer who was the object of his mistaken charity. He would pay his bonus—he would give the food rightly belonging to his wife and children—to the "Eastern manufacturer," who has grown rich upon the earnings of such as he.

Now about wool. Yonder on the corner within sight of this office stands perhaps the largest flock owner in Benton county. He does not think the tariff has anything to do with the price of wool, but if it does he says that he will turn his sheep into mutton when it shall become unprofitable to sell their wool. He will not follow a business that he cannot maintain without the compulsory assistance of his poor neighbor. In short, he is not willing to take the food out of the mouths of the wives and children of his neighbors simply to enable him to pursue a business that cannot be made to pay otherwise. There are some flock owners, however, who are willing to do that very thing. They are aided and abetted in that by the Statesman and the Oregonian and the lesser fry of that ilk and by the Republican party.

Lastly, Yonder is an editor—A Republican editor. He earns his living by the skin of his teeth, as we do. He is more than an average laborer, as we all are. The tariff does not protect him. It makes him pay more for his paper, his type and his press. His wife and children wouldn't suffer for food more than they do now—if the duties were reduced. For what he has to sell, and all he has to sell, his brains and midnight work, go into an unprotected market. For whose benefit, then, does he prostitute his great talents in maintaining that theory of protecting the laborer, the absurdity of which he smiles at as he writes the words? For whose benefit? Not for the benefit of the "average Oregon laborer."

Col. Irish's Appointments. Col. John P. Irish is expected to make twenty-three speeches in Oregon during the coming campaign. He will be in Pendleton on Saturday, May 19. People from the surrounding country should remember the time, and endeavor to make arrangement to be in town that day.

Hotel Arrivals.

VILLARD HOUSE.—J. H. Cannon, Milton; B. H. Chamberlin, Boston; Isaac Fogel, J. J. Stewart, E. Lang, O. W. Farr, Portland; W. J. Vickery, Washington, D. C.; J. B. Keefer, A. W. Aubrey, A. L. Larzenon, Mrs. Arthur, Miss Taber and sister, T. H. Walsh, G. W. Babcock, J. T. Jones, Walla Walla; C. Herman, G. W. Hughes, Wallula; E. Boettcher, Chicago; E. L. Wood, Fremont, Neb.; W. S. Ford, La Grande; P. C. Costello, Alta; C. H. Hale, Arlington; P. Jacobson, San Francisco; H. P. Bothwick, Cascade Mill; J. J. Hirschaw, Baker City.

GOLDEN RULE.—Albert Zimmerman, country; A. J. Marsh, Adams; E. A. Nixley, Juniper; D. Lewis, Texas; J. J. Millwell, Clark Waller, Centerville; W. B. Stokes, East Portland; Tom Thorp, J. F. Stone, Rowland; J. L. Stamper, Huntington; J. Grom, Hillsdale; Chris Ranley and wife, Wm. Wallas, J. A. Horne, Walla Walla; J. Depot, Dayton; F. Nelson, Juniper; W. H. Campbell, Cold Spring.

BOWMAN HOUSE.—Charles Conrad, Ernest Chase, Meadville; G. A. Gmsted, F. S. Walker, D. Brownell, E. R. Reed, F. S. Whitney, La Grande; M. T. Sandepu, Louisiana, city; E. Henry, San Francisco; John Clark, Idaho; James Lanier, Baker City; J. L. Morgan, Walla Walla; W. B. Worthington, C. H. Stanfield, Weston; N. G. Bird, Vancouver; L. P. Gayhard, Minn.; R. N. Hendershott, Ashland.

Juvenile Criminals. From the Baker City Democrat. A couple of boys, aged about ten or twelve years, left their respective homes in this city a few days ago, via the same route that "Teton Jack" traveled when en route to the Idaho penitentiary. When overtaken, soon after their departure from home, they had covered a distance of several miles from the city. The horses rode off by the infantile pair were found to be the property of Mr. Shultz, and the saddles belonged to Miller and Mr. Elmer. The punishment administered was of such a severe nature that so far from being able to indulge in horseback exercise, it is said that the kids will sleep on their faces and take their meals standing up for the next six months.

One Candidate Withdrawn. Under the last apportionment law Baker county was given but one representative in the Legislature, and said county one, but owing to some misunderstanding the Baker County Democratic Convention nominated two men for representatives, I. D. Haines and W. H. Hindman. At a meeting of the county committee Saturday, Mr. Hindman was withdrawn and Mr. Haines was chosen the only nominee.

Buying Sheep. From the Baker City Democrat. Henry Blewett, general superintendent of the Oregon Horse & Land Company, is paying our city a visit. This gentleman, whose company owns immense herds in the Malheur country in Idaho, has for some time past had agents in the field here buying up mutton sheep from various parts of this section. He intends, if possible, to gather up about 5,000 head, although he has only, up to the present time, secured in the neighborhood of 20,000. These he will soon commence driving over the trails to points in Nebraska. Mr. Blewett informed the Democratic reporter that a syndicate, with headquarters in Scotland, will establish a sheep ranch in the Malheur country, and will, no doubt, make heavy purchases from both Grant and Baker counties.

No Bids Yet Received. The cases of Sargent and others against the county, being injunction suits to restrain the county authorities from moving the court house or selling the present court house block, decided some time since by Judge Ison in favor of the county court, have not yet been appealed, though it is understood they will be soon. The court was in session to-day, this being the time to which an adjournment was had for the purpose of receiving bids for the court house block, but it is understood that no bids were received, and probably none will be until the bids are finally decided on appeal, or until it is certain that an appeal will not be taken.

Prohibition Meetings. J. W. Webb, State prohibition organizer, will speak as follows: Pendleton, May 12. Helix, May 13, at 11 a. m. Centerville, May 13, at 8 p. m. Milton, May 14, at 1 p. m. Weston, May 14, at 5 p. m. Centerville, May 15, at 1 p. m. Adams, May 15, at 8 p. m. Juniper, May 15, at 1 p. m. Helix, May 16, at 8 p. m. County mass convention at Pendleton May 12. All prohibitionists are invited to be present at 1 p. m.

S. L. BURNELL, Chairman County Committee. Dr. J. B. Pilkington will make his next visit to Pendleton Monday, May 14th, and can be found at the Villard House as usual all day. All sufferers from Eye, Rectal, Chronic or Nervous diseases made welcome to a free examination, but are requested to come as early in the day as practicable.

Alta Californian: The late Chairman of the Oregon Republican Committee is out of pocket \$1000 on the last campaign. These losses did not occur when "My Dear Hubbell" worked the government clerks with an assessment in one hand and authority to dismiss all but the cheerful givers in the other.

NEW TO-DAY. Notice of Sale Under Chattel Mortgage. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a chattel mortgage, made by A. J. Gammon to R. Sargent, dated September 1st, 1887, and filed with the clerk of the District Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Benton county, on the 10th day of September, 1887, given to secure the payment of \$1,000 and interest thereon, the following property is being sold to satisfy said mortgage, to-wit: A certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the town of Pendleton, in Benton county, Oregon, and I shall, on the 9th day of June, 1888, at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day, sell the same at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said debt and interest and attorney's fees, and costs and disbursements. Pendleton, May 8th, 1888.

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Pears, 20c, or 5 cans for 95
Currants, 22c, or 5 cans for 1 00
Grapes, 20c, or 5 cans for 90
Egg Plums, 20c, or 5 cans for 90
Golden Drop Plums, 20c, or 5 cans for 90
Green Gage Plums, 20c, or 6 cans for 1 00
Currant Jelly, 20c, or 5 cans for 95
Jam, 20c, or 5 cans for 95

PIE FRUIT.

- Blackberries, 15c, or 7 cans for \$1 00
Grapes, 15c, or 7 cans for 1 00
Peaches, 15c, or 7 cans for 1 00
Plums, 15c, or 7 cans for 1 00

GALLON CANS.

- Green Gage Plums, 40c, or 3 cans for 1 00
Peaches, 40c, or 3 cans for 1 15

VEGETABLES.

- Tomatoes, gallon, 40c, or 3 cans for \$1 00
Tomatoes, 2 1/2 lb. can, 15c, or 9 cans for 1 00
Beans, 15c, or 7 cans for 1 00

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