

## East Oregonian

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER.

Published every afternoon (except Sunday) at Pendleton, Oregon, by the EAST OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES.**  
 Daily, one year, by mail.....\$5.00  
 Daily, six months, by mail.....2.50  
 Daily, three months, by mail.....1.25  
 Weekly, one year, by mail.....1.50  
 Weekly, six months, by mail......75  
 Weekly, four months, by mail......50  
 Semi-Weekly, one year, by mail.....2.00  
 Semi-Weekly, six months, by mail.....1.00  
 Semi-Weekly, three months, by mail......50

Member Scripps-McKee News Association.  
 The East Oregonian is on sale at B. B. Rich's News Stands at Hotel Portland and Hotel Perkins, Portland, Oregon.

San Francisco Bureau, 408 Fourth St.  
 Chicago Bureau, 909 Security Building.  
 Washington, D. C., Bureau, 501 14th St. N. W.

Telephone Main 11.

Entered at Pendleton Postoffice as second class matter.

**NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.**  
 Copy for advertising matter to appear in the East Oregonian must be in by 4:45 p. m. of the preceding day; copy for Monday's paper must be in by 4:45 p. m. the preceding Saturday.



It may not be desirable that each particular university should inculcate some special religious doctrine, but it is still less to be wished that so many of them should permit their instructors to train the youths of the land to the belief that there is no God.

Genesis may be a yarn, and all the tales of creation spun by the many sects upon earth, but the airy fabric of a vision, yet there must be above man some supreme, infinite eternal potentiality that formed the heavens, the earth, and the seas, and crowned them all by the conception and the creation of man.

And it makes no difference whether man is a production or an evolution—he is not the accidental child of fortuitous circumstances.—Charles K. McClatchy in San Francisco Star.

A man can sit in a poker game for 18 hours without eating a mouthful of food, while if he was compelled to work 15 minutes overtime before going to dinner on the spot he would go on a strike.

When a certain class or clique of Portland politicians favor a thing, it is perfectly safe and proper for the people to be shy of that thing. This is the case with the constitutional convention. It is already judged by the company it is keeping, before its birth.

A Pendleton lecturer is now justly mad at a Pendleton gambler who announced that he was going to "bust" a roulette game, and drew a larger crowd than the lecturer had. However, the lecturer came out of the night's work with more money than the gambler had left, it is said.

It is a significant fact that the Umatilla and Morrow county fair association is formed and organized by the legislature on the year of the Lewis and Clark fair in Oregon. It will be the most fitting memento of that great event, and if rightly managed, will be a monument to the enterprise of the two greatest counties in this part of the state.

Wider and wider becomes the fame of the Moorhouse photographs, as the people of the East come to appreciate the historical value of Western scenes and characters. Within a few years after the living heroes of the West have passed from the stage, these matchless pictures will be treasured still more highly by an appreciative nation. Suppose it had been possible to have photographed the great Indian chieftains of the New England and Central states, as Major Moorhouse has photographed Western celebrities; what a valuable page would have been added to American history! Today, the only existing likeness of Pontiac, Philip, Tecumseh, Black Hawk, Osceola, or any other of the great historical Indians are drawings to be found in rare instances. School children know nothing of the appearance or manners of those leading Indians, while every school boy is now enabled to possess a picture of almost any of the great Western chieftains, whose history and life are woven into the very life history of the nation. An article in February Munsey's on four leading Western chieftains, written by Captain Jack Crawford, is illustrated by Moorhouse photographs of Chief Joseph and his home and a photograph of the Custer battlefield in Montana. All these short historical sketches scatter broadcast the history of the Western struggle, and the photographs taken from life, add an immeasurable historical interest to all such subjects. Major Moorhouse is writing history in a manner that will be appreciated by succeeding generations in this nation.

### ENFORCE THE QUARANTINE.

There should be no dallying or compromise with a case of diphtheria, anywhere. There should be no delay in effecting a legal and effective quarantine.

There is too much at stake in a thickly settled community to risk the slightest point for expediency, in a matter thus grave. Two cases of this disease have now appeared outside of the mission school, and it is high time that some rigorous steps were taken. If two cases have been scattered from the school, perhaps enough of the germs have been carried away to develop into a hundred cases. It is no idle matter, however efficient the medical fraternity may be.

Public schools are filled with children who are helpless in the care of the community and if proper safeguards are not provided for them, the results are terrible to contemplate.

The East Oregonian does not believe in tiptoeing and whispering in bated breath on such subjects. They are grave public issues, which should be met on their first appearance, in a brave, fearless, practical manner, no matter who is concerned. The quicker the specific treatment and the preventative measures are applied the better, and the more such matters are kept before the public, the better it will be, for the presence of such information causes greater care and more precaution.

There is no cause for hysteria nor panic, but there is cause for thoughtful, efficient precaution on the part of the health authorities, to prevent the spread of this dread disease.

The unguarded reservation and the questionable sanitary laws of the Indians, are constant cause for precautionary measures and on the slightest hint of any kind of epidemic which might threaten the public health, no time should be lost in throttling it at its fountain head.

Expediency to the winds, give us safety, always.

The anonymous, fatherless, orphaned amendment to the city charter of Pendleton, sent without recommendation, indorsement or legitimate authority to the members of the Umatilla county delegation, has returned to Pendleton, to its unknown parentage, a sort of a diplomatic boomerang, falling at the feet of its authors with a dull thud. It did not get inside of the state house until it was branded as a trick of the gamblers to take possession of a fair city. It was mailed back to Pendleton, before it was read through, and sits now, as a municipal abortion, crying on the front door steps of its authors, its stench and ugliness calling the attention of the world to its unholy origin. It was conceived in a misguided conceit that its authors were the consummation of smoothness and mental agility, and that the common herd is so stupid as to be blind and deaf to all the niceties of legislation. Its fate proves that those smooth and agile schemers may be brought to know the odor of a befoiled nest. They can now grin and bear it; they don't dare to croak, as it is part of the agreement to keep still in such stupendous schemes.

Portland society is going into spasms over Melba and Paderewski and from the columns of chatter about these celebrities, one would think that both Paderewski and Melba would remember Portland for the friends they found there. Sad to relate, the only record either of the stars will ever preserve of the fawning, gushing city, will be an entry in their cash books showing how many dollars were added to their incomes at that remote corner of the world. There is an art in getting dollars that outshines the art of playing or singing, even in an artist. Portland will only be remembered by the 15 seats she filled at the performance.

### ON THE ROAD.

She was a little Russian girl—  
 A refugee, they said,  
 With not a single bite to eat,  
 Nor place to lay her head;  
 And in the road she sat and cried  
 Until her eyes were red.

"What ails thee, maid," a Russian cried—  
 A soldier brave and true—  
 "What is the sorrow that has made  
 The world so dark for you?"  
 "I have no bed wherein to sleep,"  
 She cried, "What shall I do?"

Far quicker than a lightning flash  
 The Russ cut off his beard,  
 And in the pile so big and warm  
 The maiden disappeared;  
 And onward swept the Muscovite  
 As if he never "keered."

—Detroit Tribune.

The president sent a message to congress calling attention to the fact that no statistics on marriage and divorce have been collected since 1886, and recommending legislation.

There would be more wisdom in the world if fathers knew as much as their sons think they know.

### AMONG THE POOR FOLK.

Cleveland Moffett, on "The Shameful Misuse of Wealth" in Success Magazine, for February, says that he carefully investigated the expenses of some of the richest families at Newport, and gives the following as an average yearly payroll:

A general impression of the cost and complexity of a quiet Newport establishment may be obtained by glancing over the following specimen pay roll:

| Occupation.                   | Yearly Salary. |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Special chef from Paris       | \$5000         |
| Second chef                   | 1200           |
| Private secretary to the lady | 3000           |
| Private tutor                 | 2000           |
| Governess                     | 1000           |
| Two nurses                    | 1000           |
| Housekeeper                   | 1000           |
| Five maids                    | 1200           |
| Head coachman                 | 1200           |
| Second and third coachmen     | 1200           |
| Chauffeur                     | 1000           |
| Butler                        | 900            |
| Second butler                 | 800            |
| Head gardener                 | 1000           |
| Four helpers                  | 2500           |

Total \$25,000.

Nearly \$25,000 a year for help alone, and I am not speaking now of the richest families, whose pay roll would be much larger. Some famous chef, for instance, like "Joseph," whom the Vanderbilts brought over would receive \$10,000 a year. And we know what a steam yacht costs! And a stud farm!

### CANADA'S NEW RAILWAY.

The length of the main line—the new trans-continental railroad in Canada—from Moncton to Port Simpson, is estimated at 3500 miles. It is expected to cost in the neighborhood of \$125,000,000, of which \$5 millions are for the eastern section, to be built by the government, and 60 millions for the western section, to be built by the railway company.

In addition to the main line, there are several projected branches, some to connect with the principal towns and cities to the south of the railway, and others to open up new districts still farther north.

Nothing here has been definitely decided, but it is practically certain that, in the east, branches will connect the new trans-continental railway with Montreal, Toronto, Sault Ste. Marie and Fort William; while in the west branches will be built to Regina, Calgary, Prince Albert and other important centers in the wheat and ranching districts. In British Columbia connection will probably be made with a line running north from Vancouver, and a branch line will run north to Dawson City.

A possible development of the future may be a branch from some point on the eastern section extending northward to Hudson Bay. Railways to Hudson Bay have been projected and chartered time and again during the past 10 or 15 years, but have always fallen through because of the immense expense involved, and the uncertainty as to the forthcoming of profits for many years after completion. With the new trans-continental road opening up so much of Northern Canada, the cost of a branch to Hudson Bay would be very materially reduced, and its commercial success correspondingly increased.—Success.

### THE RUSSIAN EMPIRE.

Length from west to east about 6,500 miles.  
 Breadth from north to south about 2667 miles.  
 Circumference estimated at about 20,000 miles.  
 Total area estimated at 8,954,100 square miles.  
 Population estimated at 113,264,649.  
 Government—Absolute hereditary monarchy.  
 Income of the emperor about \$12,500,000.

His complete title—Emperor and autocrat of all the Russias, Czar of Poland, and Grand Prince of Finland.

Army on peace footing, 835,143 men. War footing, 2,532,496.

## NAGGING PAINS

Newport News, Va., July 23, 1903.  
 Last summer while recovering from illness of fever, I had a severe attack of Inflammatory Rheumatism in the knees, from which I was unable to leave my room for several months. I was treated by two doctors and also tried different kinds of liniments and medicines which seemed to relieve me from pain for awhile, but at the same time I was not any nearer getting well. One day while reading a paper I saw an advertisement of S. S. S. for Rheumatism. I decided to give it a trial, which I did at once. After I had taken three bottles I felt a great deal better, and I still continued to take it regularly until I was entirely cured. I now feel better than for years, and I cheerfully recommend S. S. S. to any one suffering from Rheumatism. 613 3rd St. CHAS. E. GILDERSLERVE.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid or some other acid poison in the blood, which when deposited in the muscles and joints, produce the sharp, cutting pains and the stiffness and soreness peculiar to this disease. S. S. S. goes directly into the circulation, all irritating substances are neutralized and filtered out of the system, the blood is made pure and the general health is built up under the purifying and tonic effects of the vegetable remedy. Write for our special book on Rheumatism which is sent free. Our physicians will advise without charge all who will write us about their case.

The Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

## LEADERS OF FASHION

### Sullivan & Bond HATTERS FOR MEN

AT HOME IN

### New Schmidt Block

Special Sale on

## Heating Stoves

TWENTY PER CENT DISCOUNT ON HEATING STOVES FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS AT

### Goodman-Thompson Co.

COME WHILE OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE.

## Sprayers Sprayers

I HAVE JUST RECEIVED A LARGE SHIPMENT OF SPRAYERS AND SPRAY PUMPS. CALL IN AND SEE THE AUTOMATIC SPRAYER; IT WORKS LIKE A FIRE EXTINGUISHER.

HEDGE SHEARS, TREE TRIMMERS, ETC., ETC.

## T. C. TAYLOR

"THE HARDWARE MAN," 741 MAIN STREET.



### COMING DOWN

to business, we can usually supply from stock almost any sort or size of lumber you may require. If we're out of any particular item, we'll get it at short notice. We make prompt delivery of A1 grade and give you a fair deal all round.

Pendleton Planing Mills  
 Robert Forster, Prop.

## Going to Move

After February 1 we will be found in the corner room of the Renn building, corner of Court and Cottonwood streets, with a complete stock of staple and fancy groceries. Special low prices will be given on groceries until we move.

## D. KEMLER & SON

The Grocers

## Exceptional Values

In Couches, Divans and Davenport. We make them to your order. All are made to give service as well as to look well.

Headquarters for bar goods, glassware, lamps, etc.

Second-hand goods bought, sold and exchanged for new goods.

## Graham & Hunter

Successors to JOE BASLER

COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS.

For sale at the East Oregonian office—Large Bundles of newspapers, containing over 100 big papers, can be had for 25c a bundle.

### St. Josephs Academy

PENDLETON, OREGON.  
 Under the direction of Sisters of St. Francis, Philadelphia. Resident and pupils. Special attention given to music and elocution. Prepared for teachers' examinations for county and state certificates. For particulars dress.

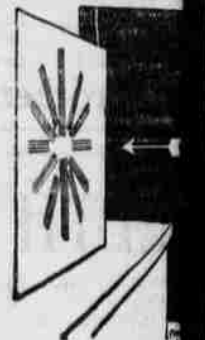
SISTER SUPERVISOR

### Reduction

Wood \$1.50 to \$2.00  
 ROCK SPRINGS and KEMMERER



TON HALF QUARTER  
 McADAM  
 PHONE MAIN 1



### LOOK STRAIGHT

at the matter and think agree that it is not wise wearing

### GLASSES

If there is the least reason for thinking that you should do so. To make certain, why

### HAVE YOUR EYES

The employment of instruments by a graduate makes the test conclusive. Prove that you should wear glasses. If you should, we can very reasonable prices.

### Winslow

P. O. Block.



Will be benefited if you clean coal. Why not from extravagance and coal. You will find at season that you have using it as it lasts longer, general satisfaction and than any other kind of

### Henry Kop

DUTCH HENRY  
 Office Pendleton for 18  
 Co., Phone 1781.

### Good

### Dry W

ALL KINDS

I have good, sound wood delivered at reasonable prices

FOR CASH

### W. C. MIN

Leave Orders at Clear store.