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
Daily, one month, by mail..... .50
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..... 1.50
Semi-Weekly, six months, by mail..... .75
Semi-Weekly, four months, by mail..... .50

Member Scripps-McRae News Association.

The East Oregonian is on sale at R. B. Rich's News Stands, at Hotel Portland and Hotel Perkins, Portland, Oregon.

San Francisco Bureau, 408 Fourth street.
Chicago Bureau, 909 Security building.
Washington, D. C., Bureau, 501 Fourteenth street, N. W.

Telephone.....Main 1.

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.

A sail to the north, or a sail to the south,
Or a sail to the east or west;
And what does it matter where you may sail,
So long as you choose the best?
So long as you know wherever you go
That a harbor awaits you still,
And your craft shall lie in the by-and-by
In the haven beyond the hill?

For it isn't the way that we ride, dear boy,
Nor the storms that our past has hidden,
That perhaps will count in the final log,
But only, How have we ridden?

—A. J. Waterhouse.

A "GET-BUSY" CAMPAIGN.

Whatever else is done in Pendleton in the next two or three years, a campaign of improvement is to be conducted vigorously. The property owners are almost unanimously agreed upon this plank in the municipal platform.

A vigorous, public-spirited, watchful and active council is needed—one which is not afraid to go ahead with improvements, one which is not afraid of taxing property to make needed and useful improvements which will add to the value of property.

The demand for street paving is now almost unanimous among the business men. The condition of the streets after a light rain, and even in the best of weather, is deplorable. It is a standing question mark as to the efficiency of the council.

Street paving is within reach of the city. It can be secured upon easy terms. Half of the new houses being built in Pendleton are built on the installment plan, and it is excellent business wisdom. The house can be built, the family enjoy it while it is being paid for and before it is realized the man who started in to build a house with nothing, has paid for it and becomes possessor of it on terms so easy that he has not felt the pressure of the payment.

The same may be made true of street improvement. The council cannot hope to put off the day of paving until sufficient funds are on hand. This is a day of ventures. Let us have paving now, and while we are paying for it, we can enjoy it.

It will add to every business in the city. It will vige Pendleton first place among other cities in civic appearance and there is not one valid reason why the city should not have pavement.

A "get-busy" campaign in municipal affairs is needed. Better streets, a small city park and natatorium adjacent to the city pumping plant where the overflow water from the plant may be utilized, are among the things that must come during the next city administration.

THE LAW PREVAILS.

Retribution is falling upon the heads of lawbreakers everywhere. While the fines imposed upon the Chicago packers yesterday are insignificant in comparison to the enormous amounts they exact from the public, yet a decision for the people is a victory, however light the penalty.

The law prevails, and that is something. It is something to place those "captains of industry" before the public and the world as common thieves.

Senator Plum of Kansas once said in a senate that the beef trust cost Kansas $10,000,000 annually in reduced profits in the livestock and feeding industries. In Iowa last year 45 bank failures were chargeable directly to the oppression of the beef trust. Every other state in which livestock is produced suffers proportionately from this heartless and grinding horde of thieves.

Why is the price of cattle so low in Oregon? Why is no packing house established on the west coast to consume the output of livestock tributary to it? Because the trust controls the market anyway, and will get western stock at their own prices, however the packing house industry is manipulated.

Think of the profits wrung from the people, where combines of this sort are enabled within a few years to control the entire market in which American livestock is sold, and to fix the price of meat in every shop in the land. Think of the unjust and oppressive actions of this combine, where, in a great state like Iowa, it could force down the price of fat cattle, arbitrarily, until 45 strong country banks, whose funds were loaned to cattle feeders, were forced to suspend.

And all the time the price of steak on the block is increasing.

DECADENCE OF CITIZENSHIP.

Dr. Edward A. Ross of Lincoln, Neb., in his recent address at the Chicago university mentions several reasons why he believes that American standards of political integrity and civic honesty are lower now than they were a half-century ago.

Prominent among these reasons are the tremendous loss of life of the bravest and best men in the civil war and the filling of these vacancies at the polls with an influx of foreigners.

Dr. Ross claims that saloonkeepers, pugilists and the municipal boss are the magnates of the land, showing that the electorate has been "debased by the too free admission of political incapables."

If this be true, does not the extension of the elective franchise to the women citizens offer a remedy that is at once simple, just and logical?

No wholesale extermination of American women has taken place. Of the "newcomers" to this country, whom Dr. Ross distrusts, three-fourths are men.

In the United States are 14,000,000 women of voting age, seven-eighths of them native born. Many are graduates of our schools, teachers of our children, members of our churches, readers of our magazines and newspapers; all of them are sharers of the thoughts, principles and opinions of fathers, brothers, husbands and sons.

If American ideals can be re-established by restoring to the voting constituency a greater preponderance of citizens born and educated in this country it can be accomplished by following the progressive example of Australasia and granting suffrage alike to men and women citizens.

Holders of mutual life insurance policies whose "share" in the profits of the company have been credited on their policy each year will doubtless wonder how much more their "share" would have been had the officials of the company not stolen so much and squandered so much. The investigation now in progress will change the entire phase of the life insurance question in this country. Hereafter policyholders will distrust every company which offers to divide profits. The outcome will perhaps be a line of strong companies offering straight insurance, at an extremely low premium without profit-sharing features. The old robbers manipulated, as they have been by incompetent, dishonest and depraved officials have lived and thrived too long now.

WATCH TRADE GROW.

The largest item in the growth of trade between the United States and Japan is raw cotton. When it is noted that Japan has practically doubled her purchases of cotton during the past six months, buying $34,221,000 in place of $17,810,000 worth for the same period a year ago, it is plain that something important is happening in that country in the cotton industry. The explanation is not far to seek.

* * *

The greatest market on earth for cotton manufactures is Japan and China. Cotton is the article of almost universal wear. The more wealthy wear silk, but few wear woolens. The Japanese see the opportunity to manufacture the cotton and supply this market, and they are starting to do so. They are a wonderfully imitative nation. Anything they see done they can copy. They have been called the "Yankees of the Orient." They now propose to imitate all the principal English and American cotton manufactures.—Seattle Star.

IN PENURY LANE.

Ho, for the dwellers in Penury lane,
Wearers of hodden or threadbare gray;
Bearing the burden, yet missing the gain,
Just on the verge of the gulf alway.
Yet be ye heartened and undismayed,
Regal companions have ye for cheer;
They were the dauntless and unafraid,
Standing erect though the way was drear.
Princely battalion of tatter and rag,
Splendidly bearing insignia of pain,
Knowing to struggle, but never to lag—
Ho, for the dwellers in Penury lane.

Dwelling forever in Penury lane,
Royal companionship there I know;
Chatterton, wearing the crown of pain;
Goldsmith, singing through mantled woe;
Lincoln, the mighty, nursed and bred,
On thin, blue milk of Poverty row;
Burns, who toiled for his daily bread,
Singing the songs that our hushed hearts know;
Old Sam Johnson, hungry and cold,
Bearing the stress for the great world's gain;
Princeliest host of the hosts untold—
These were the dwellers of Penury lane.

Ho, for the dwellers in Penury lane!
Bearing what burden the moment may bring,
Stalwartly standing through hunger and pain,
Striving through lips that are parching to sing.
Ye are the lonely; the princes of earth
Stood by your cradles, their omens to tell,
Heard your first wail in the hour of your birth,
And whispered, "Another who may with us dwell."
And hush thee, poor souls, who are bondsmen to fate;
Hold that the struggle is infinite gain,
For, higher than all in the host of the great,
Christ was a dweller in Penury lane.

—A. J. Waterhouse in San Francisco Call.

The proposition at Grangeville, Idaho, to vote $32,000 bonds for a municipal water system, was defeated by one vote. The vote stood 180 to 179.

The 110 Methodist ministers of western Oregon are in session at a conference at Albany. This is the 53d annual conference.

BABY'S AWFUL ITCHING ECZEMA

Sores All Over Face and Body—Could Not Tell What She Looked Like—Unable to Sleep—Grew Worse Under Doctors.

CURED BY CUTICURA IN ONE MONTH

A grateful mother, in the following letter, tells of another of those marvelous cures by Cuticura: "When my baby was four months old her skin broke out with a humor. I took her to a doctor, who said it was eczema. He gave me medicine to give her, but she kept getting worse all the time. Her little face and body were so covered with sores and large scales you could not tell what she looked like. No child ever had a worse case. Her face was being eaten away, and even her finger nails fell off. Then it itched so she could not sleep, and for many weary nights we could get no rest. At last we got Cuticura Soap and Ointment, first bathing her in warm water with the Soap, and then spreading on the Ointment with soft cloths. I saw a change in a week. The sores began to heal, and she could sleep at night, and in one month she had not one sore on her face or body. Any mother having children with eczema or humors will find a friend in Cuticura Soap and Ointment. (signed) Mrs. Mary Sanders, 709 Spring St., Camden, N. J., Aug. 14, 1904."

The foregoing statement justifies the oft-repeated assertion that Cuticura Soap and Ointment afford instant relief, and permit sleep for baby and rest for tired mothers, and points to a speedy, permanent, and economical cure, when all else fails, in the most torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusted, and pimply skin, and scalp humors.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, Sole Props. Send for "How to Cure Baby Humours."

FRAZER OPERA HOUSE

K. J. TAYLOR, Manager

ONE NIGHT SUNDAY, **September 24**

ISIDORE WITMARK'S COMEDY OPERA SUCCESS

—THE—

CHAPERONS

As presented at the New York Theater for Three Months.

50--METROPOLITAN COMPANY--50

NEW AND GORGEOUS PRODUCTION, ARTISTIC COSTUMES, NEW MUSIC, BEAUTIFULLY GOWNED GIRLS—FUN EVERY MINUTE.

See and hear the latest New York song hit, "The Whole Damm Family."

PRICES:—$1.50, $1.00 and 50c. Children 25c. On sale Saturday 10 a. m. Brock & McComas'.

HOSPITALS CROWDED

MAJORITY OF PATIENTS WOMEN

Mrs. Pinkham's Advice Saves Many From this Sad and Costly Experience.

It is a sad but true fact that every year brings an increase in the number of operations performed upon women in our hospitals. More than three-fourths of the patients lying on those snow white beds are women and girls who are awaiting or recovering from operations made necessary by neglect.

Every one of these patients had plenty of warning in that bearing down feeling, pain at the left or right of the womb, nervous exhaustion, pain in the small of the back, leucorrhœa, dizziness, flatulency, displacements of the womb or irregularities. All of these symptoms are indications of an unhealthy condition of the ovaries or womb, and if not heeded the trouble will make headway until the penalty has to be paid by a dangerous operation, and a lifetime of impaired usefulness at best, while in many cases the results are fatal.

The following letter should bring hope to suffering women. Miss Luella Adams, of the Colonnade Hotel, Seattle, Wash., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"About two years ago I was a great sufferer from a severe female trouble, pains and headaches. The doctor prescribed for me and finally told me that I had a tumor on the womb and must undergo an operation if I wanted to get well. I felt that this was my death warrant, but I spent hundreds of dollars for medical help, but the tumor kept growing. Fortunately I corresponded with an aunt in the New England States, and she advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it was said to cure tumors. I did so and immediately began to improve in health, and I was entirely cured, the tumor disappearing entirely, without an operation. I wish every suffering woman would try this great preparation."

Just as surely as Miss Adams was cured of the troubles enumerated in her letter, just so surely will Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cure every woman in the land who suffers from womb troubles, inflammation of the ovaries, kidney troubles, nervous excitability and nervous prostration.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all young women who are ill to write her for free advice. Address, Lynn, Mass.

Good Pianos

Such pianos as the Chickering, Weber, Kimball, Hobart M. Cable, Schumann, Decker, Hazelton, Stuyvesant, Bailey and Baus never disappoint.

Concerning prices we have just a word to say. It is this:

Statements and claims often look different when stood in a row with downright facts. There isn't a store in the country, from the largest dealer down to the "tackiest" little fake affair, that will not—and perhaps in good faith, too—claim to sell you cheaper than any one else can possibly hope to do.

We have sold and today are selling more fine pianos than all the rest of the Portland stores combined. We handle the very largest volume of business at the very lowest possible expense.

This would point to Eilers Piano House as a place where you can do the best.

Our Pendleton store will soon be completed when the people of this city will be able to select a fine instrument and get it for the same price as in Portland, San Francisco or Spokane.

There are a few of the Gordon & Guernsey stock of pianos left and any one coming to our store at once will receive a great bargain.

Old instruments taken as part payment and easy monthly or yearly payments allowed. You can save so much money now.

We will have a store in Pendleton to be proud of, and we are here to stay.

EILERS PIANO HOUSE.

Next to Donaldson's Reliable drug store.

TEETH

EXTRACTED BY THE MODERN METHOD, 50C.

We are thoroughly equipped with all modern methods and appliances, and guarantee our work to be of the highest standard, and our prices the lowest consistent with first-class work.

T. H. White

DENTIST
ASSOCIATION BLOCK
Telephone Main 1661.

"Cover the Earth"

You won't have to burn off

Sherwin Williams

paints. They never peel, blister or chalk. Always reliable.

E. J. Murphy

111 East Court Street.
'Phone Black 3181.

Walters' Flouring Mills

Capacity, 150 barrels a day.
Flour exchanged for wheat.
Flour, Mill Feed, Chopped Feed etc., always on hand.

$2.50

U. S. Springfield Breech Loading Rifle.

CAL. 45-70 COST UNCLE SAM $16.50 TO MANUFACTURE.

WE ARE UNLOADING THEM FOR $2.75 EACH. THEY SHOOT SHOT AS WELL AS RIFLE BALL. THIS IS PROBABLY THE BEST MILITARY RIFLE THE WORLD EVER SAW. IT WAS PUT IN THE HANDS OF THE TROOPS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY IN 1873, AND WAS CONTINUED AS THE RIFLE OF THE U. S. ARMY UNTIL AFTER THE CLOSE OF THE SPANISH WAR. THE MILITIA WERE ARMED WITH THIS RIFLE UP TO A YEAR AGO, AND IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE ISSUE OF THE NEW SMALL BORE KRAG JORGENSEN RIFLE. THE GOVERNMENT ORDERED THIS SALE OF THE CAL. 45 SPRINGFIELD. THIS STYLE RIFLE WENT THROUGH ALL THE INDIAN CAMPAIGNS FROM 1870, AND IT IS THE ONLY GUN THEY EVER FEARED.

Sighting and Accuracy

THE RIFLES ARE SIGHTED FOR 2000 YARDS OR OVER 1 MILE, AND THERE IS NO RIFLE MADE THAT IS MORE ACCURATE. AT 50 YARDS 5 CONSECUTIVE SHOTS CAN BE KEPT IN A CIRCLE THAT A QUARTER DOLLAR WILL COVER. FOR KILLING BIG GAME THIS RIFLE IS FAR SUPERIOR TO THE NEW SMALL BORES, SUCH AS 30-30. HIT A GRIZZLY BEAR IN THE BREAD BASKET WITH A 30-30 AND HE GETS MAD, HIT HIM WITH THE OLD 45, AND HE IS DOWN AND OUT OF BREATH.

SHOT CARTRIDGES MADE BY PETERS CARTRIDGE CO., OF CINCINNATI, OHIO, WILL SHOOT ACCURATE TO KILL ANY ANIMAL AT 35 YARDS. WE GIVE THREE BALL CARTRIDGES AND TWO SHOT CARTRIDGES WITH EACH GUN FOR YOUR OWN TEST, AND IF THEY WILL NOT DO AS WE SAY YOUR MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED ANY TIME BEFORE WE LEAVE TOWN. THE SHOT ARE WAXED TO KEEP THEM FROM LEADING THE BARREL.

WITH THIS GUN YOU HAVE A COMBINATION SHOT GUN AS WELL AS RIFLE. JUST THINK OF A GUN GOOD AS ANY $50 GUN YOU EVER SAW, AND MORE SPORT TO BE HAD THAN ANYTHING GOING. NOTHING MORE SIMPLE TO TAKE APART AND CLEAN: NEVER OUT OF ORDER.

Ammunition

For Springfield Rifles

This rifle uses the regular 45-70-500 made by the Winchester Repeating Arms Co.

AND THE UNION METALIC CARTRIDGE CO. THE ABOVE CARTRIDGES ARE CENTRAL FIRE AND RELOADABLE. THE CHARGE BEING 70 GRAINS OF BLACK POWDER, SIZE F. G. THE SHOT CARTRIDGES ARE NOW ALSO MADE IN THE SMOKELESS POWDER HIGH VELOCITY TYPE.

THE AMMUNITION CAN ALWAYS B EHAD. IF YOUR HARDWARE OR SPORTING GOODS STORE AND GUNSMITH DO NOT HAVE THEM, IT IS BECAUSE THEY DON'T WANT TO ORDER THEM OF MANUFACTURER. THEY ARE CARRIED BY ALL CARTRIDGE MANUFACTURERS' PRICE LIST.

Sale Opens Tuesday 26 for 5 Days Only.

BOWMAN - - HOTEL

Bad Eyes

Are what we are looking for

It is to be regretted that there are so many of that sort at this day and age, but they must be cared for and we are fully equipped to do it. No matter what you think the trouble is, do not do a thing till you come to us.

It Will Cost You Nothing to Know.

And it is your duty to your eyes.

Winslow Bros.

Jeweler-Optician.
Postoffice Block.

St. Anthony's Hospital

Private rooms, elegantly furnished. Finely equipped operating room. Also Maternity Department.

Every convenience necessary for the care of the sick.

Telephone Main 1651.
PENDLETON, OREGON.

REX BUGGIES.

Are well built and they afford the simplest, safest and most luxurious means of conveyance for town or country use. Prices all in your favor.

When you buy a wagon it's just common business sense to look for the vehicle that will give you the most for your money.

WINONA WAGONS.

will prove an investment and not an expense. They are reasonable in price, they cost little to maintain, are honestly built, and will stand the strain of a heavy load.

We look after the interests of our customers and they are protected by a shop well equipped with up-to-date machinery.

Neagle Bros.

Blacksmiths

Get The Best.

Good Dry Wood

and
ROCK SPRING COAL
The Coal that gives the most heat.
PROMPT DELIVERIES.

W. C. MINNIS

Leave orders at Hennings' cigar store, Opp. Peoples Warehouse.

CHICKENS

NEED
SHELL
BONE
GRIT
AND MANY OTHER THINGS WHICH

C.F. Colesworthy

CAN SUPPLY YOU WITH.
127-129 EAST ALTA STREET.

W. T. PARKER

Dealer in Dry Goods, Groceries and Notions—Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and Farm Produce.

I have just purchased the D. B. Richardson store at Helix, Oregon, and I am going to thoroughly remodel it and greatly increase the stock. I solicit your patronage, and if good goods and fair treatment can hold your trade, then I know you will trade with me. Bring in your farm produce. Highest market price paid.

HELIX - - - - - OREGON