

THE ENTERPRISE.

OREGON CITY, OREGON, JAN. 15, 1875.

SUPERVISORS APPOINTED.—The County Court at its last session, appointed the following Supervisors for the Road Districts in this county. The list is not complete for the reason that many of the old Supervisors did not report at the term. At the next term of Court we suppose that the list will be completed. District No. 8, C. Jacquette; 17, Joseph Dickens; 10, Silas Shay; 11, Charles Cole; 12, J. W. Cochran; 13, D. Morris; 14, J. C. Hackett; 15, Thos. J. Hoff; 16, F. Kayler; 19, John King; 20, A. R. Shipley; 21, Samuel Grove; 22, W. W. May; 23, Jones Cutting; 24, William Rane; 25, E. W. Swafford; 26, Lafayette May; 27, H. H. Williams; 28, E. D. Jones; 29, H. Lambert; 22, B. Ather; 8, C. Kimbley; 9, F. Revenue; 33, Jacob Miley; 18, F. Rath; 30, Joseph Douglas; 14, John M. Matzner; 7, J. H. Boring; 23, J. A. Fields; 32, H. Fellows; 16, John Wheeler; 12, G. J. Curran; 45, R. V. Oliver; 22, J. P. Peterson; 10, Oliver Robbins; 42, George Mayfield; 4, Price Fuller; 40, A. Harrington; 44, Raymond Dickey; 39, Geo. Lacey.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of prominent citizens of this place was called at the office of M. C. Atney, Justice of the Peace, Tuesday evening, for the purpose of forming a library association. A constitution and by-laws were adopted, and the following officers were chosen: Directors of the new institution, A. J. Apperson, President; Rev. Mr. Sillwood and Mr. O. McVay, Vice Presidents; Jas. B. Upton, Secretary; Mrs. Heman Beck, Librarian. Twenty of the thirty-one members of the Equal Rights Club have expressed their willingness to turn over the present library and any property pertaining thereto to this new association under certain conditions, and the necessary resolutions will probably be passed at the next meeting of the Society, on Thursday evening next.

CITIZEN.—The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department of this city desires to call the attention of the citizens of this place to the great necessity of the fire insurance in the management of fire in every household. The prevailing cold weather, attended by high winds, should admonish all that should a fire occur just now in our midst, no power at command could, in all probability, save the city and the people from ruin. No means on the part of the proprietors of the water works and the Chief Engineer will be left undone to keep the water works, however cold, in a state for ready use. No rights have been violated by the City Council, as requested by the Chief Engineer, which should, by all means, be done, inasmuch as the city has no night watchmen.

GOING TO SEATTLE.—Rev. Mr. Wirth, who has been preaching in this city to the Baptist congregation for the past year, left here with his wife last week for Seattle, where he has accepted a call. Mr. W. while here, won the esteem and affections of his people by his exemplary and tireless conduct, and is regarded as a man of good abilities and pure character. We commend him to the confidence and respect of the community where he has gone to minister to their religious wants, and in every way worthy of their esteem and confidence. We have not learned who is to be his successor at this place.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.—The Superintendent of Schools for this county has mailed blank reports to all the School Clerks in the county. Should any Clerk not receive his report in the course of mail, he can obtain one by writing to the Superintendent. The reports must be made out on or before the first of March. Districts which do not report by that time may lose their portion of the School fund. Let all Clerks be prompt in this matter.

LETTERS LOST.—The following is a list of letters remaining in the Post-office at Oregon City, Jan. 15, 1875: Andrew, Frank, Ann, Lisa; Ferny, Mary, Ann, Miss; Houston, Albert; Kelly, Frank; Fred, Thomas; George, John; Nina, Miss; Roberts, John; McLain, H. C.; Hock, A. E. Mrs.; Wright, John; Miller, J. M. J. M. RACON, P. M.

IN PORTLAND.—We take the following from a recent issue of the Oregonian: It will be seen by reference to another column that the long-established law firm of Johnson & McGowan, of Oregon City, has agreed a branch office in this city. A new partner has also been added to the firm in the person of A. M. Murrain, Esq., late of Pittsburg, Pa., and who has recently been admitted to practice law. The office is located in Monahan's brick block, on First street.

SHERIFF WANTS ALL TAXPAYERS.—The Sheriff wants all taxpayers in this county to come forward and pay their taxes immediately. He is ready and anxious to make out tax receipts. All who wish to pay their taxes, can pay their taxes on or before the 30th of January. The Sheriff proposes to start out and hunt up the delinquents immediately after that date, when costs will be added. Therefore, oblige the Sheriff and to your money by paying immediately.

THE ALBANY SONG.—The steamer Albany, which has been running between Albany and Long Tom, on Wednesday of last week, as she was going up the river near the Long Tom, struck a snag, and sank. The success was immediately sent to her relief from this place. We learn that the vessel was so much damaged that it can be easily repaired, and the boat is probably ready by this time for service again.

COMING IN.—We have recently added quite a number of new subscribers to our list. Notwithstanding we dropped a large number at the commencement of the present year, we are kept up to our former status. We shall endeavor to make the paper worthy of the liberal support it is receiving.

FUNERAL SERVICE.—The funeral sermon of the late Mrs. Maggie Payne, daughter of Mr. W. H. Fancett, will be preached at the Episcopal Church next Sunday morning. The remains of the deceased and of the parents are requested to attend.

PRINTING UP.—Messrs. Ward & Harding are refitting up their printing store with new shining, and improving the appearance of their establishment. They are gentlemen of taste, and we are glad to see their prosperity in business.

WANTS TO SETTLE.—Dr. J. W. Norris gives notice in to-day's paper that he desires all persons indebted to him for professional services to the 1st inst. to call and settle their accounts.

FOR SALE.—The County Court at its last term considered to sell the lots belonging to the county, within the city limits. Persons desiring to purchase lots should make application. See advertisement in the paper to day.

THE WHEAT THAT HAS BEEN STORED at Edin, Polk county, has all or about all been sold. The owners realizing about 65 cents per bushel.

SUMMARY OF STATE NEWS.

The Governor has extended the time for the execution of Thos. Gerrard to the 9th inst., in order that the new law prohibiting public executions may go into effect.

Wm. Stevens, living near Greenville, Washington county, while chopping recently struck a vine maple sapling that was bent down and the sharp end sprang back and struck him in the left eye, cutting the eye-ball and destroying the sight.

Two men were arrested by the sheriff of Lane county last week on suspicion that they were the parties concerned in robbing the stage at Diamond Wells station in Nevada, on the 21st ult., but they proved they were in Oregon about that time, and were released.

Willamette University has 205 students in the literary department, and 25 in the medical.

A correspondent of the Yamhill Reporter states that Dayton has improved more during the last year than in any other year of its existence. Several fine dwellings have been erected, and a number of business houses, including a large-sized wagon shop.

Snyder, of the McMinnville Reporter, bade farewell to his readers last week and started for the East, but his progress toward the rising sun didn't extend further than Portland.

Misses Louisa A. and Dora P. Simpson, of Eugene City, recently donated the sum of \$10,000 to the library fund of \$51,12, the gross receipts of the Busy Bee Society, and received therefor a resolution of thanks upon the part of the society.

Dr. E. O. Smith, of Albany, has received a patent on his new dental apparatus for obtaining the correct "bite" when taking an impression for false teeth.

J. Morris and T. Young have purchased the Dixie Mills, in Polk Co., and after renovating and improving them will be ready for business.

Washington county pays the State the sum of \$10,000 and by the school fund \$6,051.40, leaving a balance of \$13,470.40 to run the county, the total tax being \$28,556.70.

The Albany Democrat says: The ceremonies at the United Presbyterian Church last Tuesday evening, on which occasion Messrs. J. M. Marks and B. M. Robertson were ordained Elders, were very interesting and impressive. Quite a number of spectators were present and witnessed the ceremonies with unusual interest. The two gentlemen named above are among our best citizens.

The Albany Democrat says: One day last week, while Mrs. Mattson, wife of Eldon Mattson, was engaged in winding the clock, which stood on the mantle-board over the fireplace, her clothes caught fire and the lower part of her garments were all in a moment; but with remarkable presence of mind she sprang to a bed close by, and seizing a blanket, wrapped herself tightly in its folds, and thus smothered the blaze before the fire had time to penetrate to the flesh. It was a narrow escape from a horrible fate.

The Lafayette Courier says: A large number of sheep are dying in different parts of the county, caused by licees. Mr. Geo. Perkins has lost a great many and reports more dying on his farm as high as ten and fifteen sheep on one day. He has tried his sheep on low as well as high lands, as was recommended, but without any perceptible benefit.

A Palmer, on the island above Corvallis, in connection with Hon. L. Smith, of Lane county, finished putting in ten acres of hops last week, and will probably have in eight acres more this week. The island is a good one for wheat, but Mr. Palmer thinks hops will pay much better. This is an experiment, and we predict for it perfect success.

The parties who went out on the route of the proposed Yaquina railroad, returned to Corvallis during the past week, and reported having found a practicable route over which a road can be built at a much less cost than was at first supposed. Mr. R. A. Harbersham, chief engineer, was to place a report of his trip before the board of directors last Saturday.

L. F. Lane, of Douglas county, and E. M. McComas, of Union county, have been appointed by the Governor, Notaries Public of these counties.

There will be a meeting of the Business Council of Patrons of Husbandry for Lane county, at Eugene City on the second day of February, 1875, at 10 A. M. The Messrs. Granges, with two delegates from each are requested to attend.

T. M. Martin, of Lane county, writes an open letter to the Baptist church in Eugene, in which he says: "I desire by means of this communication that my connection with the Baptist church be permanently dissolved. My heart wishes that many of your doctrines were true, while my intellect is skeptical."

One man in Lane county pays over \$800 tax, four others pay between \$300 and \$800 each, seven others pay more than \$100 and less than \$200. Thirty-five persons pay between \$50 and \$100, and 100 persons between \$50 and \$75.

The loss by the burning of Mr. Howard's warehouse, near Lancaster, Lane county, last week, was between \$3,000 and \$4,000. There was no insurance on the stock or building.

The editor of the Plaindealer has recently been shown an egg at the residence of Mr. Hall, of the Roseburg mill, which measured 8 inches by 7. It was laid by a half Brahman pullet of last spring's brood.

Odd Fellowship in Michigan.

We take the following item from the Fenton, Michigan, Gazette, of Dec. 22: Last Thursday evening Martha Washington Lodge, No. 17, Daughters of Rebecca, of the Fenton Lodge, No. 125, L. O. O. F., held their 6th Anniversary at Odd Fellows Hall in this village. A goodly number of ladies and gentlemen were present, a general invitation having been extended. Had Father Kelly and John L. Smith been present the party would have been complete, but they were absent. The Knight Templar Coronet Band was present and added largely to the eclat of the occasion. Father Dennis, the old patriarch in Odd Fellowship, now nearly 70 years of age, addressed the assemblage on the rise and progress of the Order. His remarks were well-timed, sensible and appropriate, and listened to with marked attention and respect. The old white-haired veteran from the Green Mountain State, having been long a worker in this field, has a good word to say for the benefit of the order. Refreshments were served, after which Brothers Chandler and Boardman put the company in "possession" with the left foot in B. Potter, in character of Barium's electric plant trainer, then introduced the plant elephant "Romeo." After a pleasant evening's amusement the company dispersed well pleased.

While Father Kelly and his wife were not present at the celebration referred to above, they were a few days ago at a celebration of Oregon Lodge No. 3, at its 21st anniversary, in this city. He has joined with the Patriarchs of Oregon, and has allowed the light of his "age and experience" to shine on the order in this State. He has frequently told the brethren of Oregon of the order in Michigan, and that while the order misses him in his old home, he also has tender recollections for the places which know him no more.

However, while Michigan laments his absence, Oregon rejoices in his presence here.

ALONE.—The Portland Bulletin is the only organ we have noticed that unhesitatingly endorses the Louisiana outrage. The Radical papers in the East all denounce it, and from present appearances, Grant, Sheridan and the Cabinet are trying to get rid of the responsibility of the outrageous act. But the Bulletin is perfectly welcome to all the glory which attends the endorsement of such usurpation. The New York Times, a Radical organ, has this to say on the subject of the proposed special message by the President:

In an editorial in reference to the message, the Times hopes it will be more creditable to himself, the Cabinet, his party and the people of the United States, who, if they thoroughly approved of Sheridan's course would stand disgraced before the civilized world.

A LITTLE TYRANT.—The little tyrant, Phil. Sheridan, who has most infamously outraged the freedom of the nation, and insulted the people of Louisiana, is now engaged in sending telegrams over the country to justify his disgraceful conduct. The little tyrant had better send out to Oregon and gather up his half-breeds which he left behind him. He has got above the position he was designed by nature by the fortunes of war, and his little calibre is altogether too small for the position he now disgraces.

DIED.—In Clackamas county, Jan. 4, 1875, W. W. Menahan, aged 29 years, 2 months and a few days. Deceased leaves a wife and one child.

Religious.—Rev. George H. Atkinson will hold regular services in the Congregational Church, in this city, on the first and second Sabbath of each month. Morning services at 10 o'clock. On the first Sabbath at Holmes' School House at 3 o'clock, P. M.

It is seldom that we notice anything in the medical line, nor would we now, unless we could be convinced that we are not doing our duty as journalists in recommending to the public the celebrated botanical preparation of Dr. Henry. Whoever induces the victim of scrofula or any other disease of the blood, to use Dr. Henry's Extract of Sarsaparilla, has done a good work. There is no question as to the result of this medicine if persevered in. It is a rare cure for scrofula, rheumatism, Salt Rheum, and indeed all complaints arising from vitiated or impure blood. It is just what a good physician would prescribe for these complaints, and we confidently recommend it as being the best article now in use. Dr. Henry's Compound Sarsaparilla is the most effective remedy for affection of the throat or lungs that we have ever known. It contains no deleterious drugs, and can be taken with impunity and certainty of relief. For the cure of coughs, colds, sore throat, etc., it stands without a rival. Dr. Henry's Liniment is an all-potent remedy, is untried by any preparation before the public; the most skeptical will be convinced by a single trial. It will prove itself a friend in need which no family should be without.

WAGON AND CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY! THE UNDERSIGNED, having increased the dimensions of his premises, at the old stand on the Corner of Main and Third Street, Oregon City, Oregon,

Takes this method of informing his old patrons, and as many new ones as may be pleased to call, that he is now prepared, with ample stock, good materials, and very best of mechanics, to build anew, construct, make, paint, and repair out all kinds of a variety of a vehicle from a common Cart to a Concord Coach. Try me, Blacksmithing, Horse or Ox, Shoeing and General Jobbing neatly, quickly, and cheaply. J. W. SMITH.

ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY

TO INVEST A FEW DOLLARS WITH POSSIBLE RETURNS OF THIRTY PER CENT. THE INVESTMENT OF PUBLIC MONEY IN THE 25th OF FEBRUARY, 1875, AT THE DRAWING OF THE MANAGEMENT OF THE DRAWING OF THE MONEY IF THE DRAWING SHOULD NOT COME OFF AT THIS DAY NOW APPOINTED.

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