

## THE ENTERPRISE.

OREGON CITY, THURSDAY, SEPT. 22, 1851.

### LOCAL MATTERS.

#### NOTICE.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of Oregon City and vicinity, at the Court House this Thursday evening, at 7:30 for the purpose of making arrangements for the proper observance of next Monday, the day of interment, the funeral of our late President, who died—

THOMAS CHARMAN,  
Member of Oregon City.

All ex-soldiers and sailors of Chehalis Co., Oregon, are cordially invited to meet at the Meade Post No. 34, G. A. R., on Friday evening, Sept. 23d at 1. O. O. F. Hall, to units with us in making arrangements for the funeral of our late comrade, President James A. Garfield. T. C. BELL,  
Com. Meade Post.

Curtis Beals who has been quite sick from typhoid fever is out again and nearly well.

Mr. Gardner Whipple of Milwaukee has returned from an extended visit to California.

Messrs. Pope Bros., have just completed a new roof for the store of Messrs. Charman & Son.

The woods are full of down timber and if one gets a start in it, looks out for a warm smoky time.

The Jewish merchants of this place will close their stores Saturday next, Sept. 23d, from 6 A. M. till 5 P. M.

Last Sunday a woman named Julia Clark was killed by R. W. Lampert in a dive.

Mr. O'Brien who was hurt recently by falling from the breakwater, thereby injuring his thigh, is getting better.

Mr. Chas Anderson is once more on his crutches and it is to be hoped he will now recover without any more accidents.

More freight in the shape of new goods was brought to Oregon City during the last two weeks than there has been for years.

Ross Billings an old resident of this county is showing the people in the vicinity of Olympia how to run a whaler.

There will be a temperance service in the evening consisting of a programme with interesting readings, recitations and songs. There will be no temperance lecture.

Judges court lively last week, one case from the country and a couple from the factory, in each of which a judgment was given.

Ladies should know that Axel's Hair Vigor is a superior and surgical dressing. It has become an indispensable article for the toilet.

Mrs. Ross, two daughters and Miss Emma Smith were thrown overboard last Wednesday night and fortunately shaken but bruised a little.

Mr. Chris McElroy of Taylor who fell from the roof of his wood-siding a few days ago and severely fractured his wrist, is getting much better.

The City of Quincy is the only steamer port on the Columbia river in the west of the mouth of the Clackamas. It is a difficult place but Capt. Higginson has the nerve to do it.

On and after Monday next the City of Oregon will be closed. Mr. J. W. McElroy partner will leave Portland at 8 o'clock in the morning and return to Portland from Oregon City at 2 o'clock P. M.

There will be memorial services appropriate to the occasion held in the Baptist church Sunday morning. We scarcely need request a very general and large attendance at such a meeting with an occasion.

Messrs. Cochran & Co., have first received their steam heaters and they will be put in operation as soon as the water arrives. They are a new move and are for the purpose of heating or drying the wheat just before it goes to the barns.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Mr. Gus Kramme of Pleasant Hill. He Kramme has recently harvested his grain and is happy in the thought that it is in its own warehouse ready for shipment when the price suits him.

We are under great obligation to Messrs. Higginson & Co. for permission to occupy their space this week. The interest in all pertaining to the last hours of late president, rendered many meetings impossible due to the want of room.

An immense stock of goods, consisting of fancy articles, dry goods, hats and shoes, hardware, purchased by Messrs. Charman & Son in San Francisco arrived and the clerks are now busy in marking them down to the lowest living rates.

Mr. Henry Rowley, the noto of whose death apparently occurred last week on Wednesday last at Norton's by the main branch of Long Pine Lodge No. 33, A. F. & A. M. of which lodge was an honored member, Mr. Rowley was an honest straightforward man and an exceptionally good citizen and one of the oldest residents of this country.

We much regret to say that during Major Charman's visit to business in San Francisco he was struck down on the streets of that city with a paralytic stroke. He was kindly taken to his hotel where he soon recovered. On returning to our seashore he found his left leg to be almost paralysed and he was informed by the doctor that his right arm was affected with an inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. Charman was kindly taken care of by his numerous friends while on the trip upon the steamer and while in Portland. He had to be assisted home from the train and is now much better.

#### LIST OF LETTERS.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon, Sept. 22d, 1851:

Baxter, A. L. Miss Burns, Bettie Miss  
Batty, Robert Gross, August  
Howe, Richard Kelly, M. Miss  
Loring, Mathew Levy, S. A. Miss  
Northrop, Isaac Perkins, John G. Miss  
Richards, Pearl Stowes, S. A. Mrs.  
Taylor, Levi Traylor, G. W.  
Walden, L. E.

If called for, please say when advertised.

J. M. BACON, Postmaster.

#### STATE AND TERRITORIAL.

The Secretary of the board of trade in his annual report estimates the rise in the value of real estate in Portland during the past year at fully 25 percent.

The O. R. & N. Co. have contracted with Samuel Williamson, of Union county, for 400 tons of hay; the company will winter 500 horses in that county the coming winter.

Malheur river bottom is said to be 1100 feet lower than Baker City. The Malheur country is said to be fast setting up by a good class of emigrant. A ditch, some 10 or 15 miles long is being constructed for irrigation purposes.

## HARVEST HOME.

### THE CONDITION OF THINGS AT MARSHFIELD.

Land at Damascus is in great demand and increasing in value.

About four miles from Oregon City, on the line of the Rail road lies Clackamas formerly known as Marshfield, a thriving little village of about 500 inhabitants. It is conspicuous as being one of the most enterprising spots in Oregon. The town has a post office, a school, a Good Templar's Lodge room, and a school house, while larger buildings is about one quarter of a mile distant from the centre of the town. The post office and general store is kept by Mr. A. Mather, who has for two years past been successful in business there. A hospital has been established by Mr. S. Garrison at this place, and it is asserted that from 75,000 to 85,000 dollars are being sent to Garrison, where they are used in sanguineous and other diseases.

#### THE SCHOOL HOUSE.

It is in charge of Alex Thompson Esq., a young man of great promise, and lately has devoted himself almost exclusively to teaching. He came from Michigan some time since and has made many friends in and around Marion. He has turned the school over to the pastor of the Methodist church, who is well posted on subjects having to do with the Sabbath. Dr. Barnes, who has been here for three years, has been greatly improved in his studies by Brother Barnes, which was delivered in a stirring and impressive manner. The earnest endeavours of these Christian workers have been appreciated by the community, and many members have joined the church and more members have been awakened to a sense of their importance in religion.

Mr. J. A. McMurray has about 10 acres of land under cultivation and informed us that he has 10 bushels of wheat to the acre. He said that with 10 bushels of wheat, he can support a family of five, and that in large quantities, Mr. Murray has about 100 acres of land and expects to have 100 bushels of wheat to the acre. His wife is a widow, and she has a son and daughter, and he has a small fence around his house which considerably improves his appearance. He was just preparing to thresh his wheat when we reached his place, and owing to this we were unable to observe the results of his labor. He said that his grain and oats were not equal to those of his neighbors, but that he was perfectly satisfied with the quality. Just below Dr. Clark's is the farm of P. T. Davis, which was in the Mathews case. Mr. Davis is a good farmer, but has not been able to make a profit. He has a small farm, but has not been able to make a profit. The former members of the class are all still here and are doing well.

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who resides near this village has about 10 acres, part of which is under cultivation. He has recently turned from tailoring, and his wife is a widow. The value of what he has turned out this year was even less than the year before and attributed it to the fact that the ground not being properly tilled.

Mr. Clark lives just outside of the village and has a fine farm of 200 acres, a large portion of which is cultivated. The owner of this farm is a good man, and is the son of P. T. Davis, which was in the Mathews case. Mr. Davis is a good farmer, but has not been able to make a profit. The former members of the class are all still here and are doing well.

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## BUSINESS NOTICES.

In your paper paid for?

Crow Jackson's best sweet navy tobacco.

Go to Abell's, in Portland, for photographs.

Dr. White's office at room No. 8, Cliff House.

Advertiser for the Enterprise to send to your relatives East.

Summer millinery at cost.

Mrs. E. D. KELLY.

A full stock of warranty deeds and mortgages now on hand at this office.

Painting done daily at the Lincoln Bakery.

Fancy ornamenting a specialty.

Fresh oysters in all styles at George India, one door north of the Lincoln Bakery.

Don't forget the fresh oysters at the end of the red lantern.

Messrs. Charman & Son have the finest assortment of wall paper and all the new designs in town.

Mr. Jno. Schram has just received a very large stock of goods in the saddle harness line.

The stock that is selling has just received a large amount of everything.

A large assorted stock of groceries just received at the Lincoln Bakery. Prices to suit the times.

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