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OUR PROSPERITY.

The Men Who Are Erecting Substantial Improvements.

The following is taken from one of our files in the early nineties. It shows a condition that should be prevalent now.

A glance about our town must convince anyone that we are making material advancement as a city. The bare statement of facts and figures does not always convince, so we herewith give the names of individuals who are at work in the different establishments having only a transient force of men.

THE NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

This imposing building is now framed to the second story and the following carpenters, etc. are at work: E Hutchins, Charles Mayo, Steve Cooper, Chas. Baker, John McDaniel, J W Messiner, W A Wengenroth, J Tremewan, Harry Scott, Sam Maxfield, Joe LaFollette and John Shep.

THE INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL BANK

This beautiful brick building is now up to the second floor, and the window frames are in position. The following are those engaged there: W H Pugh, J Spence, H Berherens, C Calen, W McAndrews, H Peirce, S Wickel, Ed Wright, E Thevenet, J Murphy, G Foster and R S Middleham.

J. D. IRVINE'S RESIDENCE.

This very neat and tasty structure is all enclosed, has priming coat of paint on, and it will not be long until it is occupied. The following are at work there: H C Finch, J R Piant, J Graves, G W Beck, O G Campbell and J B Gibson.

L. W. MCADAMS' RESIDENCE.

This is a modern one story cottage with basement. The foundation of wood is being painted to represent stone. The following are the workmen there: W H Campbell, Joan Gibson, M D Scott, A Scott, Venlo Gibson and T M Barr.

DR. JOHNSON'S DWELLING.

Here we found a cottage about half completed with the following men at work there: Jasper Kennedy, I Southerland, A B Fitzgerald and Dell Simmons.

THE NEW BRIDGE.

Mr. St. Johns, the contractor, is rushing his work rapidly through to completion and he now has all the piling driven, and will probably have the bridge completed this week. His force consists of: H B St. Johns, Wm. St. Johns, John Banford, Al Schwartz, C Goodall, J Miller, L S Westgate, A D Hubbard, F M Gates and Al Porter.

COOPER'S BRICK YARD.

J R Cooper's brick yard has had twenty-one men employed, and now has completed burning 800,000 brick and will rest until after harvest. Here are the names of the workmen: C Houck, C Osborne, A A Ball, R Burbank, Wm Mattney, Perry Shirley, John Cox, H C Merwin, Jeff Mattney, L P Kramer, J Harnet, Jean Merwin, Sam De Camp, John Gentry, Lacey Gentry, Con'l May, R Kramer, J Bressler, Carter Russell, Lloyd Russell and L Yates.

PLATFORM FOR MOTOR LINE.

There you will find J A Sherwood and H Foster at work.

L. C. GILMORE'S DWELLING.

His eight room cottage is under way and T. Gilmore and J. W. Messner are at work.

OTHER EMPLOYERS.

The saw mill has nineteen men at work; E. E. Krengel four; the three warehouses twelve; the sash and door factories six, and eight or ten small jobs about town besides.

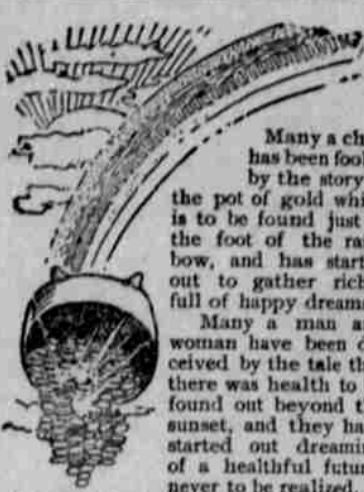
There is not an idle man about town and there is every evidence of this present busy state of affairs continuing several months if not greatly increasing.

WANTED IN OKLAHOMA.

George Hamil Arrested on the Streets of Dallas.

On information from Oklahoma, received Saturday by Sheriff Ford, George Hamil was arrested on the streets of Dallas.

It appears that Hamil was arrested and bound over for horse stealing, in an Oklahoma town several years ago, and that he appeared at court several times for trial but, at the instance of the prosecution, his trial had been postponed from time to time, and wearying of the delay, he, on the advice of his attorney, came to Oregon, the attorney telling him that, without doubt, the case would be dismissed at the coming court. The arrest was made at the instance of his bondsmen who, no doubt, would rather have his presence at court than take chances on having to pay \$1000, the amount of his bond. Hamil has relatives living near Dallas and has been orderly and well behaved since his arrival here.



Many a child has been fooled by the story of the pot of gold which is to be found just at the foot of the rainbow, and has started out to gather riches full of happy dreams.

Many a man and woman have been deceived by the tale that there was health to be found out beyond the sunset, and they have started out dreaming of a healthful future, never to be realized.

People who have tried change of climate in vain for the cure of weak lungs have been perfectly and permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cures deep-seated coughs, bronchitis, bleeding lungs, emaciation, and other conditions which, if neglected or unskillfully treated, find a fatal end in consumption.

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EDISON ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.

The dynamo came in on the train Tuesday and all the rest of the plant. The contractors will have eight men at work, but have not learned their names. The lights are to be in running order by September 1st.

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Correspondents' Contest

On April 1st, we commenced our Tenth Correspondents' Contest and on Friday, July 31, 1903, at 6:00 P. M. we will close it. We offer as premiums the following articles, selected by the Correspondents' themselves:

- FIRST PRIZE..... A handsome, well-upholstered, velvet Couch
- SECOND PRIZE..... A lovely Picture
- THIRD PRIZE..... A fine Students' Lamp
- FOURTH PRIZE..... A good set of Ping Pong
- FIFTH PRIZE..... A Copyrighted Book
- SIXTH PRIZE..... Ladies Home Journal
- SEVENTH PRIZE..... INDEPENDENCE ENTERPRISE to any address for one year

CONDITIONS.

We want all the news that happens in Polk county and we want the ENTERPRISE to visit every family in the county. We want to help you and we want you to help us. Our interests are mutual. We will give points as follows:

One point for every item of news worthy of publication. 25 points for every article worthy of a separate head. If an article be specially meritorious or startling in the sight of the manager of this department an extra 15 points will be given. For every new yearly subscription 85 points. For every yearly renewal 75 points. For a subscription three months 25 points; six months and less than a year 35 points. For every dollar's worth Advertisement or Job Work we give 50 points, and we will gladly furnish you prices on any kind of Ad or Job. We are going to make a campaign for some new correspondents, and we will announce at times the places in this column. Watch for them, as we will make it to your interest to secure representatives in the sections we want represented. Other features will be announced along.

HOW YOU STAND.

Each week we will announce in this column your points. No article is credited until after it appears in the paper, although subscriptions and points secured in other ways will be announced as they come in. We want to keep everything fair and straight and if you think an error has occurred in your points write us within the week following and we will make thorough investigation.

Buena Vista, H.....	2285
Parker.....	1519
Monmouth, H.....	1053
Airlie, S.....	987
Suver.....	536
Antioch.....	288
Monmouth, B.....	214
Rickreall, C.....	145
Lewisville.....	136
Highlands, D.....	92
Monmouth, A.....	97
Falls City.....	72
Sunny Slope.....	55
Ballston.....	39

NEW CURE FOR DEAFNESS

STRICTLY, THE HIGHEST SCIENCE EVER APPLIED TO THE HUMAN SYSTEM.

Responsible People Cured in This County and State and Can Vouch for the Above Statement.

(Albany Herald.) "readers of this paper are by this familiar with the name of Dr. Harris, and they have no doubt read interest accounts of many notable cures this celebrated physician has performed. We suspect that have read the testimonials of patients with suspicions as to authenticity, therefore, we are able to present testimonials that must put at rest every doubt. There are probably no known men in this county, Mr. Harris and Dr. Oxford, have sent the time among the deafness patients, will question their ability. They have provided the hands of the great cure, Dr. Harris, at the Reserve, Albany, and desire to inform all afflicted that they may have some opportunity. Their testimonials are given below:

To the Public.

In the past five years I have been afflicted with deafness in one ear. Happy to say Dr. Harris cured me electricity and a slight operation only minutes so I can hear as ever in my life. I reside at the, Linn county, Oregon, and I lived in Albany for 18 years. Write me by letter or in person.

WM. W. PARKER.

He Can Hear a Whisper.

EDITOR OF THE HERALD: At three years ago I commenced deaf in one ear and in a few I could not hear with it. Not long ago I began to lose the hearing in the other ear. I was almost deaf with the inconvenience of not being able to hear. I heard of Dr. Harris and applied to him for relief. He cured one ear and the other is now as good as new. I can hear a whisper across a room and a watch tick. Refer to me at Independence, Oregon.

J. L. OXFORD.

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"Congratulate Us"

"The passengers on the Southern Pacific between Salem and Portland on yesterday afternoon's train got big value for their money," says a Pendleton man just returned from Salem. "In addition to the ride they were paying for they had several bridal couples aboard, and in consequence, bushels of fun. One happy pair boarded the train at Salem. They tried their best to put on the appearance of old married folks. They occupied a double seat facing the groom's suit case. The conductor stopped to take the tickets. He glanced at the suit case in a casual manner and immediately his whole manner changed. He beamed at them and went on down the aisle with a broad grin. Presently the brakeman and one or two more casually passed, paused, grinned and walked on. Soon there was a perfect procession passing down the aisle, glancing at the suit case and then going on with beaming smiles. The bride gave her hat a shake to see if by any chance there was any rice remaining on it. At Woodburn one of the passengers left the train and secured a big sack of rice, which he distributed among the passengers. Soon there was a perfect shower of rice coming toward the newly married pair. Finally a sympathetic fellow passenger attracted the young couple's attention to their suit case. On the end toward the aisle it bore in large letters the motto, "We are newly married; please congratulate us."—Pendleton East Oregonian.

Better Come to Oregon.

Divorce cases are very rare in Canada and even fewer of them get reported. British Columbia is the only province that has a divorce court of its own—all other cases in which couples want to get absolute separation have to go before the Senate at Ottawa. British Columbia has had two cases this year, while the rest of the Dominion has had none. Two divorces in six months in a country of over 6,000,000 is a unique record.

The case here was that of Pilot Jones, who obtained a decree nisi. Mrs. Jones left the country for the Orient a few months ago. The newspapers declined to publish any details, contenting themselves with announcing the verdict. The wife has six months to show why an absolute divorce should not be granted; if she fails to take advantage of that privilege a decree absolute will be given to Pilot Jones.

F. A. Douty has gone to Portland to assume the duties of a partner in the Multnomah saw mills.