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CITY OF FOREST GROVE.

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E. Hyde.....School Directors
Geo. S. Smith.....Clerk
Aaron Wells.....Clerk
T. J. Thorp, A. M.....Supt. of schools

Church Directory.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

A. Bonham, Pastor.
Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 5 p. m.
Sunday school after morning service.
Social meetings every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
Young people's meeting one hour before Sunday evening service.
Strangers are always cordially welcomed.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Rev. D. A. Watters, Pastor.
Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 5:30 p. m.
Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. Junior League every Sunday at 4 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Sunday prayer meeting 7:30 p. m., Thursday.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Social service every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Aaron Wells, Supt. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. S. Y. P. S. C. E. Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. J. V. P. S. C. E. Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. E. P. S. C. E. Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. E. P. S. C. E. Sunday afternoon at 4 p. m. The public are cordially invited to all these meetings.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

E. E. Scofield, Pastor.
Services on the first and third Sunday of the month at the usual hour.

Post Office of Forest Grove.

W. H. Crossley, P. M.
ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.
To and from Portland and all points: Departs 6:25 a. m. Arrives 9:30 a. m.
To Corvallis, Salem and all points on the West Side: Departs 8:25 a. m. Arrives 4:30 p. m.
To Greenville, Manning, Junction and Vernonia: Arrives 12 m. Departs 1 p. m.

Civic Societies.

A. O. U. W.—Forest Grove Lodge No. 66, A. O. U. W., meets every Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows hall. Sojourning brethren cordially invited to all meetings. J. G. Hines, M. W., W. C. Hoyt, recorder.

K. of P.—Delphos Lodge No. 39, K. of P., meets every Saturday evening in Masonic hall. All members of this organization are cordially invited to all meetings. J. S. Huxton, C. C., J. H. West, M. of R. S.

WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 48, I. O. O. F., meets in its hall every Monday evening. Visiting brethren welcome. A. T. Knox, N. G. J. B. Best, Rec. Sec'y.

FOREST BEREKAH LODGE, No. 44, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows hall on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. H. D. Bryant, N. G. Alice McNameer, Rec. Sec'y.

HOLBROOK LODGE, No. 20, A. F. and A. M., meets in its hall the Thursday or before the full moon of each month. Chas. Hines, W. M. Geo. Briggs, Sec'y.

FOREST GROVE LODGE, No. 110, I. O. O. F., meets every Saturday in I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting members invited. Mrs. A. S. Baker, C. T. Edith Flower, Secretary.

FOREST GROVE CAMP, No. 28, Woodmen of the World, meets in Odd Fellows hall every first and third Saturday. Visiting neighbors invited. H. H. Clark, C. C. S. G. Morgan, Clerk.

J. B. MATTHEWS POST, No. 4, G. A. R., meets in Masonic hall the first and third Wednesdays of each month. Elias Smith, P. C. G. E. Downs, Adj.

COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 11, D. of H., meets in Odd Fellows hall the third Tuesday of each month. Mrs. Ed. Huxton, C. of H. Mrs. J. T. Shannon, Sec.

DELPHIA TEMPLE, No. 7, Bathbone Sisters, meets in Masonic hall the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Sophie Smith, M. E. C. Mrs. Geo. Smith, M. of R. and C.

J. B. MATTHEWS POST, No. 11, Women's Relief Corps, meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in Odd Fellows hall. Mrs. Elias Crossley, Pres. Mrs. Myra E. Greer, Sec'y.

Professional Cards.

W. G. COLE, PH. G., M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Telephone No. 1. Forest Grove.

Twice Told Tales.

It is not our rule to let a good thing drop when we have spoken of it once, but we keep talking about it—get more interested in it ourselves and get you interested. The columns of the HATCHET are filled with good things, some new and some you have heard before—for instance our

Sermon on Hard Times

One year ago, set many a thoughtful person on the right road to prosperity. Pay as you go and you will never be hard-pressed by the credit-merchant dunning you for store bills on which you pay treble profits, a reasonable profit for selling the goods and an unreasonable profit for charging the goods and last, but not least, a large percent allowed for goods sold to certain customers who never pay. And as the credit merchant can not know how many such customers he may have he adds a good round percent to all goods charged to be sure to cover losses. Do you want to continue to keep paying for goods some one else buys? If so, stand by the credit system. But if you feel you have paid dearly enough by patronizing the credit system, then try our CASH store where goods are sold for Spot Cash or produce and no percent added for bad debts.

Hard times and people being laid up is caused to a great extent by reckless going in debt and paying long time prices and large profits for the sake of a short accommodation. Often a customer will pay twenty five per cent more for an article at a credit store than would pay the same identical quality at a Cash Store, paying this difference without a murmur. At the same time if the Credit merchant would offer you the goods at a cash price and ask two and a half years' interest at ten percent in advance for the sake of a few weeks' accommodation, you would think it very unjust. Nevertheless either way the price amounts to the same. We do not deny the fact that a large amount of our purchases are made from those who are forced to sell nor do we deny that we are from time to time buying immense quantities of first class goods in job and forced sale lots.

Though we never touch "trashy stuff" we would-be (if they could-be) competitors cry, "trashy job lots, damaged goods," and other things to put us against our goods. But it is the reasons who see only the surface of things that can be influenced by these High-priced Dealers. The deep reasoner takes no stock in them, he sees at a glance that if our goods were not just as we say we could not afford to Guarantee every Dollar's worth of them and give the privilege of returning the goods at any time in good order and we will pay back the money if the goods are not as represented. We have Bargains in Dry Goods.

Bargains in Dress Goods.
Bargains in Clothing.
Bargains in Dress Trimmings.
Bargains in Men's Shoes.
Bargains in Ladies' Shoes.
Bargains in Groceries.
Bargains in Tinware.
Bargains in Dishes.
Bargains in Glass Ware.

In fact too many bargains to find space to name them all here. It will pay you to come in and see our spring stock. The show is free, it will cost you nothing to post yourself on present values. Do not let interested parties scare you from examining our goods for yourselves by crying "job lots." We own our goods for less and will sell them for less than any credit store in Washington county.

Yours for Business,

CAPLES & THOMAS,
Forest Grove, Or.

THE DYING EDITOR.

The owner of a paper,
Lay dying in his lair,
And the dew of death had gathered
On his brow so calm and fair;
But a printer stood beside him,
As his life blood ebbed away,
And he asked the dying editor
If he had a word to say.
The doomed man murmured softly,
As he grabbed the printer's fist:
"Well, and the struggle's over
And I never shall be missed,
Take a message and a token
To that city man of mine,
That all his worn out chestnuts
He had better put in brine."

"There's his joke about the weather,
Which he's used those many years,
And the gag about the fellow
Who is always taking beer,
And the item he's so fond of
On the man who peddles books,
And the cheat at based on people
Who go fishing in the brooks;
Just to save the paper's credit,
And to cast no slur on mine
I would ask him as a favor,
To put such gags in brine."

"And the lies he's fond of telling
Of the street car and the tacks,
To make that job a corker,
Another item as it ticks,
And the one about some dandy
Who will never pay for clothes,
And the one on women cleaning houses—
It's weary, Heaven knows,
Oh, I know I'm a little happy,
In my grave beneath the vine,
If the man who does the city work
Will put these jokes in brine."

"Tell the man to tend to business,
Not to weep when I am dead,
But to try to make a club,
And hit the first man on the head
Who comes in with strings of items,
And requests to print them free
When the rates are twice as cheap
Than they really ought to be,
Tell the man, when he makes up
Not to turn a rate for me,
But to simply print an item,
Saying that my soul is free,
For I want no eulogistic effigy
Of such a kind in my name,
And I think such noisy chestnuts
Should be picked well in brine."

—E. E. L.

McKINLEY CLUB.

Election of Officers and Delegates to State Republican Club Convention.

Verts hall was crowded when at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening A. T. Knox of the executive committee called the club to order. Gen. T. J. Thorp was elected president pro tem and a communication from the state club secretary read, regarding the state convention.

The chair, by direction of the house appointed tellers—Messrs. W. A. Goodin, Geo. R. Hughes and J. C. Greer. The election of club officers for the ensuing year was then begun. Gen. T. J. Thorp was unanimously elected president and responded very happily to the call for a speech. W. S. Ingles was chosen vice-president, Austin Craig, secretary and M. D. Markham treasurer all by the ballot of the club cast by the secretary. O. Ahlstrom, Geo. R. Hughes and Frank Kane, and E. W. Haines were nominated respectively to these positions but declined. The bonds of the treasurer were not fixed. The chair was authorized to appoint the executive committee.

After nominations for delegates to the state convention that election was proceeded with. Gen. T. J. Thorp, F. S. Barnes, Austin Craig, Aaron Wells, W. S. Ingles, M. D. Markham, E. W. Haines, Wilson Bowditch, Geo. R. Hughes, W. A. Goodin, A. T. Knox, J. C. Greer, O. L. Ahlstrom and E. B. Sappington were authorized to represent the Forest Grove club at the state convention to convene at Portland, Wednesday, May 22, at 10 o'clock a. m., as the call read. Dr. Crang and J. W. Baldwin declined nomination. Mr. Ahlstrom called attention to the fact that, in proportion to its population, Washington County was the strongest Republican county in Oregon and therefore entitled to representation on the delegation to the national convention. After attending to some routine business the club adjourned subject to the call of the president, but not until the delegation had been empowered to select suitable proxies in case of inability to attend.

Highest driest lot in Forest Grove for sale by A. B. Thomas.

Forty acre fruit ranch to trade for town property by A. B. Thomas.

McKINLEY CLUB.

Its Constitution and By-Laws.
ARTICLE I.
OBJECTS.
Sect. 1—This organization shall be known as the McKinley Club, of Forest Grove, Oregon.

ARTICLE II.
Sect. 1—Any resident of Forest Grove or vicinity who is a Republican or who is in sympathy with the Republican party and is over the age of sixteen (male or female), is eligible to membership in this club.

ARTICLE III.
OBJECTS.
Sect. 1—The object of this club shall be to promote the interest of the Republican party.

ARTICLE IV.
TIME OF MEETING.
Sect. 1—The time of meeting shall be every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

ARTICLE V.
OFFICERS.
Sect. 1—The officers of this club shall be the President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Executive Committee, consisting of three. The President and Vice-President shall be ex-officio members of the executive committee, any three of which shall constitute a quorum. There shall also be elected by the ladies two Lady Vice-Presidents, to have power to appoint a program committee of three ladies to co-operate with the program committee appointed by the President.

Sect. 2—The terms of office of this club shall be one year and until the successors are elected and qualified.

Sect. 3—No person shall be eligible to hold office in this club who is not a member of the club.

Sect. 4—The President shall act as chairman of all meetings of this club and shall be ex-officio chairman of the executive committee.

Sect. 5—The Vice-President shall in the absence of the President perform the duties of the President.

Sect. 6—The Secretary shall act as such at all meetings of the club and perform such other duties as may be required by the executive committee.

ARTICLE VI.
Sect. 1—A vacancy in any office shall be filled by one of the executive committee until the next meeting of the club.

ARTICLE VII.
MODE OF ELECTION.
Sect. 1—All officers of this club shall be elected by ballot, and a majority of all votes cast shall be necessary for choice.

ARTICLE VIII.
Sect. 1—This constitution may be amended or altered at any regular meeting of this club by a two-thirds vote of those present, such amendment to be made in writing.

SCHOOL MEETING.

Addition to be Made to the School Building.
The adjourned school meeting of Saturday afternoon was well attended. The report of the committee—Messrs. Rider, Stewart and J. Wheelock Marsh—was received and amended to build an addition to the present building.

A motion to provide a higher course of instruction in the nature of a high school was lost.

Committee reported that sufficient money could be had at a reasonable rate of interest to meet their wants.

Friends of liberal education are to be congratulated that the project received the hearty support of Prof. Joseph W. Marsh, showing sympathy on the part of the University authorities.

Decorations Day.
The local post of the G. A. R. is getting ready for the annual memorial services for their departed comrades. A committee of Comrades Stephenson, Leach and Parker, acting in conjunction with a similar committee from the Relief Corps, are busy arranging for the proper observance of the day and for the memorial services on the preceding Sunday. One of the best speakers in the state will be the orator and all civic societies and the school children will be invited to participate in the parade.

In the Churches.
Easter will be observed at the M. E. church at 11 a. m. by a children's mission service—songs, addresses, recitations and special music by the orchestra and Sunday school choir. Children's baptismal services after the exercises, in the evening the quarterly meeting service at 7:30 conducted by the presiding elder, Dr. G. W. Gae. Preceding this at 6:30 will be a Love Feast and following it the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed. The quarterly conference of the church will be held at 1:30 p. m. Monday.

GALES CITY.

A New Summer Resort—Prospects for the Little City.

Mr. Editor: We thank you for the kind invitation permitting us to columns of your valuable paper benefit of its readers here. We wish you the greatest success and are confident in your own that you will win the highest merit.

Being your sister city, a stage, telephone and telegraphically feel a deep interest.

Our school under the Mr. Jones is flourishing with an increase of 32, each possessing earnestness and loyalty of sentiment.

A party consisting of and family and neighbors the land slide at Gales Peak nice time. It affords much fun in the way of water falls, huge etc. They found some crystals about five inches in size and fins of which are.

It is reported that parties of erecting a large hotel, fitting up the Glen, you will be one of the most user resorts of the North West.

The entertainment of the Party club passed off editor of the Searchlight was called upon and responded, after which John I. a lecture pertaining to the party.

James Loring, blacksmith everlastingly ringing repair work now-a-days.

Several on their way are registered at the H. Miller & Son have the preparatory to erecting a factory. It is something in this vicinity and unmanagement can not be.

Lilly & Her are going to store inside and out. The line of general merchandise, X LENCE.

J. H. Berry is filling a charred bee hives. A. C. Sargeant carries simple and fancy groceries.

Our venerable pioneers rehearsing the scenes of (the times when men carry on as they say, he the days of Jargon have the leases of W. H. carrying on a good business.

It is rumored that a physicians are going to cure at Soda Springs. Arthur Veach, mus maker, possesses skill in best position.

T. Ranes, always been busying himself already well-kept place the usual spring work.

Wm. Lyda, Jr., owner of it is nicely fitted up at convenient mill in the county, natural mill-right.

GASTON.

A Thriving Trading Centre in a Rich Farming Region.

Seven miles from the Grove on the S. P. west-side line is Gaston. In front of you as you stand on the station platform is Wapato lake with 800 acres of the richest land in the world. Beyond the eye rests on the lofty Chehalis mountains. In the other direction the town is shut in by luxuriant growths of timber. Built on rolling ground nearly every dwelling, and they are many and comfortable, has a beautiful outlook while the health of the town is unusually good for the same reason. The first buildings to attract attention are the commodious union church—maintained by the Methodist, Baptist and Congregationalists—and a modern, roomy school house where Principal Thomas and his assistant, Miss Childs, keep up the long-established reputation for thorough work.

In a business way there are few towns so fortunately situated. A large territory is dependent on Gaston for all its supplies and for its market and shipments are constantly being made to and from the town. Among the prosperous business houses are Raymond Bros. who carry a large line of general dry goods and groceries and also manage a warehouse; Reed & Tupper, extensive dealers in dry goods, groceries and general merchandise; E. H. Jeter who has just opened up a well appointed drug store also has a fine stock of toilet articles and stationery; D. J. Porter and L. Coberstein have good blacksmith and repair shops; E. X. Harding carries a good harness and silt shop. The hotel accommodations of Gaston are unusually good. The Farmers Hotel under charge of W. F. Rolston and the Gaston Hotel whose host is S. Story are both well-con-

ent from work.

Washington Monday in the Next week the Odd Fellows will be worked.

Odd Fellows preparing for the American Odd Fellows April 26. The R. get the birthday founder—Hon. Sch 6th.

Delpha Temple, had visitors Wednesday organized Hillsboro the team work.

Glencoe lodge, K. of 60 members. Financed strongest lodge in this dom. Portland.

The grand lodge of Oregon, I. O. T. will assemble here Tuesday, July and already Good Templars are preparing for the great event. About 100 delegates will be in attendance. The district lodge, Washington No. 24, of the same order meets here May 7 at 1 o'clock p. m. in I. O. G. T. hall. The four lodges of this district—Hillsboro, Vernonia, Sherwood and Forest Grove—will be represented by about forty delegates.

The Good Templars lodge of Forest Grove is in a flourishing condition. Saturday night, March 30, there were eight initiated: Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Thorp, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Misses Josie Shearer and Etta Leach, and Messrs. George Harrison and Fred Hanby; on Saturday night, April 6, Misses Lorraine Inman and Lizzie Sloop, Messrs. Peter Lind and Frank Bauchamp.