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GENERAL DIRECTORY.

STATE OFFICERS.
Governor, T. T. Gier.
Secretary of State, F. L. Dunbar.
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County Printer, W. H. Leide.
County Court, R. S. Dean.
Judge Fifth District, F. A. McCre.
Attorney Fifth District, Harrison Allen.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Judge, F. A. Bailey.
County Commissioner, F. A. Bailey.
County Clerk, F. A. Bailey.
County Treasurer, F. A. Bailey.
County Assessor, F. A. Bailey.
County Surveyor, F. A. Bailey.
County Jailor, F. A. Bailey.
County Coroner, F. A. Bailey.

OREGON CITY LAND OFFICE.

Chas. B. Moore, Register.
Wm. H. Halloway, Receiver.

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor, F. A. Bailey.
City Clerk, F. A. Bailey.
City Treasurer, F. A. Bailey.
City Assessor, F. A. Bailey.
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City Jailor, F. A. Bailey.
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POST OFFICE INFORMATION.

The mails close at the Hillsboro Post Office, daily.
Gloucester, West Union, Bethany and Cedar Falls, at 7:30 a. m.
Going South, 8:30 a. m.
Going to Portland and way-offices, 6:55 a. m. and 4 p. m.
For Farmington and Laurel, daily at 12.

CHURCH AND SOCIETY NOTICES.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Corner Main and Fifth streets. Preaching every Sabbath, morning and evening. Sabbath school at 10 o'clock a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7 p. m. C. C. E. meeting Sunday at 6:30 p. m. All services well kept, bright, interesting and helpful. Every one cordially welcome.
EVAN P. HUGHES, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Corner Fifth and Fir. Preaching every Sunday evening at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Ben. Hartman, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH. H. Owsen, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath morning and evening. Sabbath school every Sabbath at 10 a. m. League meeting every Sunday at 10 p. m. General prayer meeting every Thursday evening. Leaders and Stewards meeting the third Tuesday evening of each month.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Preaching at 2d and 4th streets in each month at 11 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m.
K. H. SICK & FOSTER, Pastors.

Daughters of Rebekah.
HILLSBORO REBEKAH LODGE NO. 54, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall every Saturday evening.

M. W. A.
HILLSBORO CAMP NO. 300, M. W. A., meets every 2nd and 4th Saturday night, at Wehrung's hall.

A. O. U. W.
HILLSBORO LODGE NO. 61, A. O. U. W., meets every 1st and 3rd Friday evening each month.

P. of H.
HILLSBORO CHARGE, NO. 73, meets 2nd and 4th Saturdays of each month.

I. O. O. F.
MONTZUMA LODGE, NO. 50, meets Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in I. O. F. Hall. Visitors made welcome.

Degree of Honor.
THE DEGREE OF HONOR, A. O. U. W., meets in Vesper hall every first and third Friday evening of each month.

Rathbone Sisters.
PHOENIX TEMPLE NO. 10, R. S., meets every 2nd and 4th Friday in each month at 7:30 o'clock in Wehrung's hall.

K. of P.
PHOENIX LODGE, NO. 34, K. of P., meets in Masonic Hall on Monday evening of each week. Sojourning brethren welcome to lodge meetings.

A. F. and A. M.
TUALATIN LODGE NO. 6, A. F. and A. M., meets every Saturday night on or after full moon of each month.

O. E. S.
TUALATIN CHAPTER NO. 310, O. E. S., meets at Masonic Temple on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

GEN. RANSOM.
MEETS IN ODD FELLOWS HALL ON the first and third Fridays of each month at 2:00 o'clock, p. m.

GEN. RANSOM P. ST. NO. 69, G. A. R. MEETS IN ODD FELLOWS HALL ON the first and third Saturdays of each month, at 2:00 o'clock, p. m.

ASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

THOS. H. TONGUE, Notary Public.
THOS. H. & E. E. TONGUE, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office: Rooms 3, 4, & 5, Morgan block.

W. N. BARRETT, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office: Central Block, Rooms 6 and 7.

BENTON BOWMAN, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office: Rooms 6 and 7, Morgan block.

R. T. BAGLEY, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND COUNSELOR-AT-LAW.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office: Over Delta Drug Store.

JOHN M. WALL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Bailey Morgan Block, Rooms 1 & 2.

S. T. LINKLATER, M. B. C. M., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office: at residence, east of court house, where he will be found at all hours when not visiting patients.

J. P. TAMMIE, S. P. R. R. SURGEON.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office and residence: corner Third and Main streets. Office hours, 8:30 to 12 a. m., 1 to 5 and 7 to 9 p. m. Telephone to residence from Block & Seis' Drugstore at all hours. All calls promptly attended to.

F. A. BAILEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office Morgan Bailey Block, up stairs, rooms 12, 13 and 14. Residence, S. W. Cor. Base Line and Second streets. Both 'Phones.

J. E. ADKINS, DENTIST.
HILLSBORO, OREGON.
Office hours: 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.
Office in Union block over Pharmacy.

R. NIXON, DENTIST.
FOREST GROVE, OREGON.
Best art. dental teeth \$5.00 per set. Cement and Amalgam fillings 50 cents each. Gold fillings from \$1 up. Vitalized air for painless extraction.
Office: three doors north of brick store. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

WANTED.—Capable, reliable person in every county to represent large company of solid financial reputation; \$800 salary per year, payable weekly; \$5 per day absolutely sure and all expenses; straight, bona-fide, no commission; no commission; salary paid each Saturday; and expense money advanced each week. STANDARD HOUSE, 344 DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO.

SUMMER RESORTS.

"To the mountains our people in increasing numbers yearly look for those days of relaxation and recreation necessary to maintain the human machine in fair working condition. The languorous sloth of the seashore proves very seductive while it lasts, but many have decided that the annual outing should provide not only radical change of air and surroundings, but also such stimulation of lagging energies as will provide brawn and vigor for the return to labor. For this they urge the mountain climb and ramble, the balsam of the mountain pines, and the clear, unsullied mountain air."

"In this direction the Shasta Route now affords a wealth of attractions. The entire line of road from Ashland to Redding is studded with charming and accessible hotels and camps, where are cheer and comfort and healing at reasonable cost, and where you can hunt, fish, ride, loaf, or play with equal facility."

"Or if you look for healing waters, none better can be found, hot or cold, than the springs of Ashland, Coalinga, Anderson, Bartlett, Byron and Paso Robles."

"Before visiting Europe, the people of the Northwest should see the glories of Yosemite Valley, and the wondrous groves of Mariposa and Calaveras; the Parisians are likely to make inquiries concerning these attractive resorts."

Send to Mr. C. H. Markham, General Passenger Agent, Portland, for new booklets on Castle Crags, Shasta Springs, McCloud River, Yosemite, and excursion rates thereto.

LOCAL NEWSPAPERS.

THEIR GREAT VALUE AS ADVERTISING MEDIUMS.

Go Directly to the Home and There is a Wide Circulation—Read From End to End—Points For Advertisers to Consider.

The suburbanite seeks local news with avidity. Families who are known to be peaceable and law abiding will frequently skim with edged tools for the first reading of the weekly paper, says Henry E. Snow in The National Advertiser. And don't for a moment believe, reader, but what the paper is well thumbed after the last member of the family has absorbed the local news. But that is not all. The paper is filed for future reference. Even the cook is interested, and you won't find her using the local newspaper to kindle the kitchen fire with. She wants to read it also.

There was a time when the tallow candle posed for luxurious lighting and the town crier with his bell served as the distributor of news, but that was in the dark ages. What the electric light is to the town crier to-day, in both cases the evolution has been perfectly natural and brought about by the law of supply and demand. The gossip of the town, once retailed around the old iron stove at the corner grocery, is just as interesting today as it was then. Human nature hasn't changed much in the last hundred years, and human nature won't change much in the years to come.

The local newspaper spreads the local happenings of the town for the day or the week in less time than a single item of news traveled by word of mouth years ago. The local newspaper exists because it is a necessity. It will continue to exist because it will continue to be a necessity for all time.

The writer lives in a suburban town and knows where he speaks when he states most emphatically that the value of the local newspaper to an advertiser consists largely in the eagerness with which the paper is read from beginning to end—from the top left hand column on the first page to the bottom right hand column on the last page. Moreover, after the first outburst of energy has subsided over the local happenings, the reader falls naturally into the habit of reading whatever else the pages contain.

Advertisers do not use the local paper enough, and if they use it at all they figure its advertising space so low that it scarcely pays for the work of the compositor who sets the advertisement.

The local paper goes into the home. Please remember that. There is no waste circulation to it because there can't be. Nine-tenths of the people who read it are subscribers who pay their subscription by the year. The local paper is not generally sold in the railroad train or on the electric cars or at the newsstands. You must subscribe for it if you want to get it, and when you get it you are in your own home. If you leave it around, it is still in your home. If you don't find it when you expect it, there's trouble right away.

Not all local papers are valuable as advertising mediums, but it is very easy to separate the chaff from the wheat. Not all the publishers of local newspapers are conscientious, but you must start with the assumption that all men are innocent until they are proved guilty.

Do not forget that the claim is made

that the great value of magazine advertising comes from the fact that the magazine goes into the home and offers something attractive in its pages for every member of the family. Do not forget that the local newspaper does the same thing! In addition, it possesses a peculiar virtue that the magazine does not, and that is—local news. Again, there are magazines without number to choose from, but there is only one local newspaper. It is the local newspaper or nothing for the local news.

There's the club and the church and the town meeting. There's the new family that has just moved in. That corner lot has been sold, and the paper says, "The finest house in town is going up on it!" This all makes mighty interesting reading for the suburbanite—so interesting that he is not going to miss it if he can raise enough money to pay for a yearly subscription to the local paper, and there are few suburbanites who can't do that.

The local paper doesn't suffer from competition because there is no competition to suffer from.

There comes a time in the life of every suburbanite when he wants to see his name in the paper. Perhaps he claims he doesn't, but way down deep in his heart there is an inborn desire to have it there.

And so the reasons grow why the local newspaper has the strongest kind of claims for real dyed in the wool value to the advertiser. Let us give credit where it is due.

Aims of Improvement Societies.

Their aims, varying of course with local needs, include municipal reform, sanitary improvements—especially as to water supply and sewerage and disposal of waste—the improvement of roads, sidewalks, parks, of school yards and other public grounds—especially grounds around railway stations—providing drinking tanks and fountains, organizing free town libraries and removing nuisances and front fences. They are the rural counterparts of the urban boards of trade, the organization of those who would really serve their town with no thought of leaves and fishes.

The Lobster's Birth Name.
"Did you ever see the name a lobster is born with?" asked a fishmonger. "It is marked on his person. No? Well, I'll show you."

The fish vender took a lobster out of a heap on the marble slab.
"It's name is Joe," he said after he had inspected one of its legs. "Now, can you find it?"

The customer took the lobster gingerly by the back of the neck, where it could not reach his hand with its nip-pers.

Turning it on its back, so that the short brown legs at its side dropped backward, a yellow streak half an inch long and an eighth of an inch wide was seen on the inside of the thigh.

In this yellow streak, like a mosaic, were short lines, as though some one had printed on it with indelible brown ink in back hand the characters "Joe."

"Some lobsters are named Jim," the fishmonger said, "some Jack, others John, and I once clearly made out the name Julia."—London Telegraph.

Advertising Maxims.

We want the very tip toppest dressed man in town to see these neckwear silks.

Not cheaply made, but of materials and workmanship equal to the expensive kind.

Reasonable profits, reliable goods, right treatment, are three R's of this house.

Good—or they wouldn't be here at all; low priced—or we wouldn't be telling about them.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by the Delta Drug Store.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by Delta Drug Store.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowel were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not feel better, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by Delta Drug Store.

SOME OREGON RAILROAD AND NAVIGATION COMPANY 1901 IMPROVEMENTS.

Improvement work on the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company's lines is progressing rapidly. Among the improvements on which work is now actually under way, are the following:

A steel girder bridge, 65 feet long, near Durkee, Oregon, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 95 feet long, between Durkee and Weatherby, Oregon, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 95 feet long, between Weatherby and Huntington, to replace a Howe Truss bridge.

A steel girder bridge, 80 feet long, between Weatherby and Huntington, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 95 feet long, near Huntington, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 20 feet long, near Huntington, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 65 feet long, between Riparia and Hay, to replace a Howe Truss bridge.

A steel girder bridge, 14 feet long, near Elberton, to replace a pile trestle.

A steel girder bridge, 14 feet long, near Garfield, to replace a frame trestle.

NEWS OF THE STATE.

Three steel bridges, each 80 feet long, near Tekoa, to replace Howe Truss bridges.

A steel girder bridge, 80 feet long, near Rockford, Wash., to replace a Howe Truss bridge.

The following culverts will be built, which will permit the frame trestles in those places to be filled in and a solid embankment substituted therefor.

Eight-foot arch culverts, 90 feet long, near Fairview.

Twelve-foot arch culvert, 105 feet long; sixteen-foot arch culvert, 100 feet long; six foot arch culvert, 120 feet long and another of the same size, 72 feet long, between Freeman and Chester.

The foregoing makes a total of 13 steel bridges and 5 concrete masonry arch culverts, all to be erected this year, the contract for the concrete abutments and masonry for the culverts having already been let. An order was placed sometime ago with the American Bridge Co., for 1,561,000 pounds of steel for super-structure of some of the bridges. This order included three steel girders to be erected on concrete abutments which were put in last season on the changed line between Echo and Nolin.

More important than any of the above is the contract for what will be known as the "Rowena Change of Line." Seven miles of entirely new road bed on changed location will be built between Tunnel No. 3 and The Dalles. The reasons for this improvement are that the present road is quite crooked and will be abandoned entirely between the points given. The present line has a maximum curvature of 10°, while on the new line it will be but 4°. The new line will be 1000 feet shorter than the old.

DR. F. J. BAILEY IN THE PHILIP. PINE-CLIMATE-HEALTH-WEALTH.

U. S. A. T. LAWTON, TACLOBAN, LEYTE, P. I. July 6th, 1901.

My Dear Father and Mother:

We sailed from Manila sooner than I expected so I didn't get to send you a letter from there, but as Agnes found time to write a short note you will know that we both arrived all right and had very pleasant voyages across. The Sheridan arrived in the night before we left for this port and just in time for me to get the necessary permission for Agnes to come with me and we are having a delightful time sight-seeing and enjoying life in general. We stopped at Cathagoin on Samar on our way down and Agnes and the commanding officer's wife enjoyed the pleasure and distinction of being the first white women to enter the town and they were as much of a curiosity to the natives as the natives were to them and a great troop of men, women and children followed us as we strolled through the town. While we were there a band of some 30 Bolo men surrendered and as they marched in, Agnes stopped them and tried to get one of their Bolos as a souvenir, but they were afraid to give them up and seemed to be afraid of her. They were a very unsoldierly looking lot of soldiers, the majority wearing only a hat, shirt and breech-cloth and armed with a Bolo. Nevertheless they are a fierce lot of fighters and are giving the troops a lot of trouble and it will be many days before these two islands are pacified.

This is the hemp country and there is a great lot of it growing wild all over this island and I have made some inquiry and find a considerable lot of land for sale at a small figure by natives having title, but having sympathized with the Americans are now afraid the insurgents will take vengeance and want to sell out and go some place else where the war is over. Several of the ship's officers are talking of forming a company and buying a plantation. We will make some further inquiries first and see some more of the islands before investing.

This is certainly a beautiful place and if it had the fine resid news and public improvements that Honolulu is it would be as beautiful and pleasant to live in. This is the hot and rainy season and the heat is not so oppressive as in some of our eastern cities at this same time of year, and while you are in the shade it is as cool as in Oregon, and as for the rain you don't mind it. You may have two or three showers through the day lasting from 15 to 30 minutes but the ground soon dries after it is

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NEWS OF THE STATE.

Sam Thurston, forest ranger of Lane county, met a bunch of three cougars the other day and took a shot at them at close range, but escaped without injury.

Advices from Marion county are to the effect that hops will be a fifth short this year in quantity, though the quality is all that can be desired. Prunes suffered from hot, dry weather last week.

A threshing machine separator exploded at Pendleton last week. The dust took fire spontaneously, blowing out the side of the machine and setting fire to the stacks. The employees ran for their life. Loss, \$2000.

Corvallis was boasting of the amt of Cascara bark shipped from that station this year. Six carloads are sure, and possibly eight. Now comes Albany with a statement. Forty cars of 10 tons each are to go from that station.

The La Grande-Cove motor line is now assured and will be under construction this fall. It will extend through Island City down the Grand Ronde river, direct to Cove. Its object is to further the interests of besting in a section believed to be especially adapted to it.

Across the Snake river, opposite Weiser, lives a farmer who uses gas from his own well as fuel. This is Ed Ashley, and he has a well some 1500 feet deep that he has bored. The expense was partly paid by donations given by the people who hoped artesian water would be struck.

The continued hot weather of the past two weeks is doing damage to the prune crop in Douglas county. The Italians are dropping badly in some orchards and if there is not a change soon the loss will be heavy. The Prunes are beginning to turn, an indication that the prune harvest will begin a week or 10 days earlier than last year.

A 12-year old Polk county lad was last week studying explosives. To further his investigations, he was furnished with a can of powder, fuse and matches. The operation was miniature but when he dropped by accident the nearly burned stub of a match into the can of powder the thing exploded, burning his face badly. He is now in a Salem hospital and will live but will be badly powder marked for life.

A mysterious case of poisoning is engaging the detective talent of Pendleton. It is alleged that a rival for the smiles of a young woman caused poisoned candy to be given to the successful suitor. He also received threatening letters. The candy did not kill, for antidotes were administered. The postal officers are handling the anonymous letter part while the police hunt for the generous one who divided candy.

This is how it looks in Harney county: "When the old cows on the mountain range look down and see the big stacks of winter feed that are punching holes in the atmosphere of Harney valley the aforesaid cows lie down in the shade of a pine tree and laugh till their tailow gets all out of shape. And the little wether lamb that don't know anything about hay, is sleeping away the summer that is giving him a big start towards \$2.30."

The Supreme Court holds in a case from Astoria that a city charter may be drawn which exempts a city from liability to persons receiving injuries by reason of defective streets. But a person so injured has a personal remedy against the officers who are charged with maintaining the streets. However if both corporation and officers are exempted from liability, in the charter, then the injured party may recover from the city, for otherwise it is a denial of any remedy which is contrary to common law. The city has to pay the damages assessed by the jury.

A car loaded with nitro glycerine powder exploded last Saturday about eight miles this side of Glendale in Douglas county. The cause of the explosion is supposed to have been the accidental bursting of an air break hose. Such an accident would set the air brakes and almost instantly stop the train. The explosion is thought to have been sufficient to explode the nitro glycerine which on account of the warm day may have been dripping. There were 11 cars in the train. All were wrecked and some of them splintered. No men were killed however and but one badly injured. He had some bad cuts about one wrist.

MITCHELL, LEWIS & STAVEL COMPANY
First and Taylor Sts. Portland, Oregon.
MITCHELL WAGONS,
GUARANTEED
To be absolutely the best wagon built.
No man on earth can build a better wagon than a MITCHELL

STEEL STAR WIND MILLS
LATEST AND BEST
Blower Ensilage Cutter Made.
We refer to
C. F. Hesse, Kinton, Oregon, and
Wm. Schulmerich, Farmington, Oregon,
Both in Washington County.
They have Blizzards.
Ball Bearings. Galvanized after making. Galvanized bolts, double nutted. Runs lightest.
No Foot Can Rust
Can't get loose and rattle. Best Wind Mill Made.
MYERS PUMPS, Glass valve seat. Can't be equaled.
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