

LOCAL EVENTS.

POTATOES.—E. Rose, representing A. H. Henry & Co. of San Francisco, was in the city during the past week looking up shipments of potatoes to that place. He says potatoes are worth from 80 to 85 cents in Frisco. Freight from Portland is 17 cents per 100 pounds on the steamers. If you were sure of getting the price stated it would pay to ship. Some time since, when the price of potatoes was down to 20 or 25 cents per sack, very few came to the Portland market, and it was supposed that the stock in the hands of growers was about exhausted. Now that a demand for potatoes has sprung up in San Francisco, and the price here has gone up to 40 or 45 cents a sack, the farmers are bringing them in at a great rate. By the last steamer, 6700 sacks were shipped to San Francisco, and 700 sacks came in too late to be sent aboard. They are still pouring in at the rate of 10,000 sacks per week, and the next steamer will take away 8000 sacks. A dealer when asked where such quantities of potatoes came from, said: "Oh, when the price goes up the farmers make potatoes and onions." A short time since, when onions were 50 cents per sack, only 300 or 400 sacks a week came in to Portland. Now they are up to \$2.50 per sack, and from 1000 to 1500 sacks per week are coming in. The rise in the price of potatoes and onions is a good thing for the farmers and for the community, and those who sold when prices were down of course are very sorry. If farmers could only discover some way of telling how long to hold on to their products; and when is the best time to sell, they would get rich.

Fire Insurance—F. E. Donaldson.

S. ACKERMAN DEAD.—Solomon Ackerman, aged 63, a pioneer merchant, died at his residence opposite suspension bridge on last Thursday afternoon. For several months he suffered from heart disease and he was confined to his chair during the last five weeks. Mr. Ackerman was born in Bavaria, and came to this country when a lad. He settled in Oregon City 34 years ago, before which time he was engaged in business in Walla Walla and Portland. He retired from active business about four years ago. Besides a widow he left six children—Misses Lorene and Minnie, and Isaac, William, Albert and Lester. The burial took place in Portland Sunday. Mr. Ackerman was a charter member of Fall City Lodge, No. 59, A. O. U. W., having joined nearly 15 years ago. The lodge chartered an electric car on Sunday and went down in a body to assist in the burial services.

Reliable Insurance—F. E. Donaldson.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.—Friday last the 43d anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor was celebrated. Their daughter, Mrs. George Broughton, prepared the surprise for them. After spending a pleasant evening a delicious lunch was served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Putro, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Greenman, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pillsbury, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. George Lazelle, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bestow, Mr. and Mrs. George Broughton, Mrs. Barlow, Mrs. Fuchs, Mrs. La Forest, Mrs. Barkley, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. Charman and Mr. and Mrs. Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Taylor and Miss Harold of Portland.

Best Ins. Companies—F. E. Donaldson.

FISHING AT THE FALLS.—Portland sportsmen are getting their tackle in readiness for the salmon-fishing at Willamette falls here and are lying in supplies of spoons, artificial minnows and all kinds of devices which may tempt the salmon to take a hook. The water is up to a fishing stage but it requires fine weather to make the fish bite. Even in the height of the season there is no sport on cold, dark days.

Largest Ins. Business—F. E. Donaldson.

SILVER WEDDING.—The 25th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. John Kulgalmann was celebrated in a very pleasing manner on last Sunday at their residence near Falls View. A very pleasant time was reported by all. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Christ Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. R. Petzold, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Justin, J. Kulgalmann, Jack Maddler.

10 Big Ins. Companies—F. E. Donaldson.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair. DR. PRICE'S

CREAM BAKING POWDER MOST PERFECT MADE. A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

No Celebration.—The committees appointed by the city council and the board of trade have about decided not to have a celebration on July 4th this year at Oregon City on account of the greater attractions at Portland, one of which is the new battle ship, "Oregon." They think that by giving away this year that Portland will do likewise next Fourth.

Lowest Fire Ins. Rates—F. E. Donaldson

MALAYIA—Malaysia or the Land of Perpetual Summer, a night on the opposite side of the earth with the people of Asia, and how they live, will be given by Arthur E. Breech at the M. E. Church on Friday evening, May 15th. Over 100 superior views. Admission 25; children under 14, 15 cents.

JONES, HE PAYS THE FREIGHT.—Send for a copy of The Buyer's Guide, with latest reductions and market reports, sent free to any address. Freight on \$20 orders paid to any point on the Willamette river reached by Portland boats. JONES' CASH STORE, 105 Front Street, Portland, Or.

FOR SALE.—An oak bedstead, springs and mattress in elegant condition. Inquire of Mrs. A. J. Montgomery on Seventh street.

Card of Thanks.

To the Officers and Members of Falls City Lodge. Gentlemen:—We beg to extend to you our heartfelt thanks for your untiring kindness during the illness of our beloved husband and father and more particularly for your endeavors to show all honors to him who has departed. We are pleased and proud to be able to say that he was one of the A. O. U. W. and a member of your lodge. Let "charity, hope and protection" continue its good work and may others feel the blessings of Falls City Lodge. Very Sincerely Yours, MRS. S. ACKERMAN and FAMILY.

Ladies shirt waists in pearl, silver and gold at 35c the set; silver corset pin 15c, at the Bazaar, next to postoffice.

Mrs. M. L. Moore, sister of J. A. Fillmore, manager of the Southern Pacific system, has located in Oregon City. Mrs. Moore has taken the management of Clackamas county for the "Viava" Company, and will give a course of health talks to ladies on subjects pertaining to health, hygiene and higher development. The finest line of silk umbrellas to be found in the city at Burmeister & Anderson's.

You can get it at Harris' grocery! What? Peacock flour, made of the famous blue stem hard wheat. Try a sack.

For the accommodation of his many customers on the hill Mr. Albright has established a branch meat market in the Shively building on Seventh street, where he keeps a full stock of all kinds of fresh and salted meats, hams, bacon, lard, etc. No stale meat kept. Give him a call.

Honest assessments make low taxes. Put an X opposite E. C. Hackett's name on ballot for assessor—democratic nominee.

Ladies' lace pins, new goods, 5 to 50c; big stock of stick pins at 10c; sleeve buttons 10, 15, 25, 35, 50, 75 and \$1.00, at the Bazaar, next to postoffice, L. A. Patterson & Co.

Big assortment of ladies', gents' and childrens' hosiery just received at the Racket Store.

IT SAVES LIVES EVERY DAY. Thousands of cases of Consumption, Asthma, Coughs, Cold and Croup are cured every day by Shiloh's Cure. For sale by G. A. Harding.

A NATURAL BEAUTIFIER. Karl'slover Root Tea purifies the blood and gives a clear and beautiful complexion. For sale by G. A. Harding.

For your fine hats and reasonable prices go to Miss Goldsmith's.

Don't forget we have a nice line of ladies' shirt waists, latest styles just from the East, at the Racket Store.

Just received a new line of turbans and sailors at Miss Goldsmith's millinery parlors.

When you want ribbons and lace for hat trimming the Racket Store has a big stock.

Hats pressed and dyed, feathers curled and dyed, and stamping done at Miss Goldsmith's.

Frank P. Welch, dentist, graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, will be in Oregon City office Thursday of each week; remainder of each week in Portland office, room 77 Dekum building.

Four housekeeping rooms over Doolittle's store on the west side for rent. Inquire at store or at COURIER office for particulars.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Ray Williams is confined to the house by illness.

Mrs. Burmeister has returned from a trip to California.

Mrs. McQuinn of Portland is visiting Mrs. W. B. Wiggins.

Joseph Rice has moved his law office to the new Willamette block.

Mike Gleason has taken the position as percher in the woolen mills of this city.

N. R. Lang is building an addition to his already elegant residence on the west side.

First appearance of Mrs. Walter Reed, the celebrated singer of the west, at Shively's hall May 28.

The water commission is putting in the new mains to connect with the new reservoir when completed.

Miss Fay Swick of Independence, who has been visiting at Mrs. L. C. Driggs', returned home on Thursday.

The Misses France left Wednesday evening for a visit to the coast, to look after their real estate interests.

A firm from Salem will shortly open a store in Oregon City with a full line of shoes and gents' furnishing good.

Mrs. J. M. Bacon has returned from trip to California and is now residing in the McDonald house on Main street.

J. A. Chase of Park Place has returned from California, where he went for his wife's health about a year or so ago.

The Oregon City market for butter was crowded this week and merchants were unable to care for all that was offered.

Invitations are out for the first reception of the Willamette club, to be given at their club rooms on Friday, May 23d.

H. A. Straight, aged 83, slipped on some wet boards at Gladstone sawmill on last Saturday and broke his left leg above the knee.

Married on Wednesday, May 13th, at M. E. parsonage, by Rev. S. W. Stryker, Miss Ida Phagley and John A. Rydman, both from Canby.

Miss Mamie Hayden was seen on the street last week for the first time since the surgical operation was performed which straightened her limb.

Remember the musical event of the season, "Halcyon Chorus and Mrs. Reed" at Shively's hall May 28th. Tickets at Huntley's book store.

R. L. Polk & Co. have had two men gathering material for the new directory of Oregon City for the past two weeks. The book will be issued about July.

Ely Bros. of Ely are selling out their stock of goods at cost, preparatory to going to California, where they will reside hereafter, if they like the country.

W. C. Cheney was here this week packing up his household goods, preparatory to moving same to British Columbia, where he is now employed as electrical superintendent.

George Herron, who has been clerking in I. Selling's store for several weeks, has decided to stay with us and will move his family from Salem and occupy the Taylor cottage on 11th street.

The bids for the new reservoir of Oregon City will be opened to-day (Friday). J. F. Case, superintendent of the construction of the Astoria water works, has been appointed engineer in charge.

The Clackamas county teachers association will meet at Milwaukie next week Saturday, May 23d. The teachers should avail themselves of this opportunity to improve and learn more of school work.

Edward F. Story and Miss Helen M. Taylor were married on Sunday, May 10th, by Rev. A. J. Montgomery of the Presbyterian church. The ceremony took place at the residence recently erected by Mr. Story. A large number of friends were present.

Mrs. Walter Reed's bird-like voice fairly charmed the audience at the Marquam Grand and her first appearance at Shively's hall promises to be the grandest musical event of the season. Remember May 28. Tickets 50c; reserved seats at Huntley's without extra charge.

T. J. Cleaton, republican candidate for district attorney, and W. S. U'Ren, populist candidate for representative, held a joint debate on Wednesday evening at Pope's hall before a full house. After 3 1/2 hours of talking Mr. U'Ren seemed to have the best of the argument, although the two men are about equal as debaters.

Articles incorporating the Oregon Brick Manufacturing & Construction Company were filed with the county clerk on Tuesday; object, to manufacture and sell brick and tile; capital \$1000, divided into shares of \$10 each, office and place of business, Oregon City; incorporators, Theo. Kraeft, Albert C. Kraeft and Eli Griswell.

The Mechanics Land Company filed articles of incorporation with county clerk on Monday; the incorporators being J. P. Logan, M. E. Clancey and E. F. Driggs. The capital stock is \$2400, and the place of business Oregon City. The corporation is organized for the purpose of platting and handling 60 acres of land in the T. M. Miller tract on the west side of the river.



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They have one of the finest eye-meters and will test your eyes free of charge. Glasses may be returned if not suited to eyes.

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Over 1000 TRIMMED HATS to choose from at MRS. SLADEN'S MILLINERY PARLORS. Any style and prices to suit everybody. Don't fail to see them for Decoration Day is coming.

ONE DOOR SOUTH OF METHODIST CHURCH

E. E. Martin will remove his stock of goods, part of which were recently damaged by fire, to the old M. E. church on Mud street the first of the week. He received \$600 insurance on the goods. The loss on the building was settled at \$120.

Bank of Oregon City.

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LOCAL SUMMARY.

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