LOCAL MATTERS.

THE PUBLIC MEETING OF THE GOOD TEMPLAIS.-The open meeting of the Good Templars, which was held in their Hall last Tuesday evening, was quite largely attended, and was a very ment affair. The audience was made up of the old, middle-aged and young, many of the last named being composed of boys and girls. The negular seat accommodations of the Hall, together with a number of temporary seats which had been crected for the occasion, were insufficient to accommodate the large company, and quite a signal of gentlemen were compelled to stand. No regular programme had been arranged for the evening, and hence all of the exercises were voluntary, or prompted by the wishes of the audience. Mr. Powers was elected to preside over the meeting, who performed his work very satisfactorily. After prayer, the exercises of the evening consisted in called-out speeches, interspersed with songs from a volunteer quartette, the latter under the management of Dr. Griffia. The addresses were made by Roy. Mr. Irvine, Roy. Mr. Butcher, Mr. Hannon, Capt. Humphrey, Dr. Lister, and the writer of this article, the last coming third in routine. Mr. Irvine gave the Bible argument Mr. Butcher, the church argument Mr. Hannon, the probibition-poetic argument; Mr. Humphrey, the legal argument; Dr. Lister, the thanks giving argument, and the writer of this gave-well, a nice young lady said she thought it was so did we. That was our argument. But, to be serious, the addresses of the gentlemen whom we have named, were all interesting and profitable. We suggest, however, that short speeches, not to exceed ten or fifteen minutes each, are far more agreeable to the general hearer on such occasions than longer ones, as they afford time for a greater comber to be delivered. After the apeaking exercises were finished, the folks generally went in for a social time, and had it.

& NEW FRATURE.-An attractive teature has just been added to the line of study at Albany Collegiate Institute. A large class has been formed, and counting rooms opened, where the fullest instauctions are given in the science of book-keeping and general business. This feature is entirely distinct and separate from the regular College course, and any one who wishes may avail himself of thus securing full instruction in the science of accounts without pursuing a regular Collegiate course.

RE-ELECTED.—At the last meeting of the City Council, N. H. Cranor was elected Mayor of this city. Judge Cranor thoroughly understands the duties of the office, and faithfully performs them. He is an able man, and in the discharge of his duffes as Mayor, partizan bias will have less influence in controlling his decisions than any other Democrat that could have been selected. 'Ror, for the Mayor.

BRG THENG IN WHEAT .- The Walla Walla Union tells of a man in Iowa who thinks he has struck it specially rich in securing a new veriety of wheat called White China. He tested this new variety of wheat and succeeded in harvesting eighteen bushels to the acre, while most other varities full belosy five bushels. Eighteen bushels would be considered a terrible small crop in this valley, almost an absolute failure. Here twenty-five bushels per scre is a very common crop, and forty and fifty bushels per acre are not infrequent, and this, too, with very ordinary cultivation.

BUTTER .- Good butter is in demand at 40c per possil. We haven't seen any real nice, sweet butter for a coon's age. Since bran and chops have fallen in price, we hope our farmers will look after this matter of fresh better. Forty cents a pound ought to

BEAUTIFYING. -Our citizens have been trimming the fruit and shade trees, grape-vines, etq., and clearing off the rubbish reads for gardening as soon as the "mist" quits. February, so fir, lass been very much like the weather in-February.

PERPECTED.-We learn that a com promise has been effected with our two fail birds, whereby it is thought we shall not be compelled to chronicle their escape from the tan thousand dollar jail until after the skting of the (Secult Court.

SAFE AT HOME Mart. V. Brown visited Portland last week. Immediately upon his arrival, flome he struck us for a "piece." We judge from this that his Democratic friends down there 'went through him." Sign the pledge again, Mart.

. Will a The rain has been almost a constant visitor during the week.

COUNTY CONVENTION .- Elsewhere will be found the call of the Republican Central Committee for the meet-1872, just one week prior to the assembfing of the County Convention. We hope that these primaries will be fully attended, and that active, representative mon will be elected as delegates, who will not only esteem it a pleasure but a daty to attend the County Conabled to obtain a full expression of the who possess the esteem and confi- should be given to the fact. dence of the people, we certainly have a fair show of success in the coming election. With such a ticket we can hope to poll the fall vote of the county-and with a full vote success is beyoud a doubt.

NEW BAKERY.-Mr. John Schmeer has opened his new Bakery and Grocery establishment on corner of Ellaworth and First streets, and invites general patronage. His groceries and provisions are all fresh, and he proposes to sell them at the most liberal rates. In about two weeks he will have his bakery in running order, when he will supply our citizens with brend, crackers, etc. John is one of the best of good fellows, and deserves a fair share of patronage.

WHERE HE HAD HIM .- The other day our old friend, Mart. Paine, Connty Commissioner, was badgering Nimrod Price, Esq., on the fact that he (Price) stood security for a fine of \$8 50 imposed on a party for infringing city ordinance. Nimrod turned the tables on Martin with the reply : I was afraid if I didn't go the fellow's security, he'd be put in the county jail, and he'd get out of that if he had to tear it down, and I didn't want that building damaged any more until after election !

TRI-WREKLY HACK LINE. - Mr. W. P. E. B. Donaca is running a hack three times per week (Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays), carrying the U. S. mails, from this city to Lebanon-a great convenience to our people. With a No. 1 hack, good stock and low prices, Mr. Donaca hopes to give entire satisfaction to all who patronize him. Light freight and packages carefully delivered at reasonable rates.

IMPROVEMENTS .- In our last issue we stated that it was the intention of Messrs. Cartwright, Westlake & Morris to ervet a building 24x84, one story in hight, on corner of Ellsworth and First streets. Since then they inform us that they have purchased 44 feet of ground instead of 24, and that the building will be two stories (26 feet) high instead of one. This will give all who wish pictures. When fitted them a more roomy and a much better looking building.

BULLY FOR IT .- The Oregonian has new outfit entire, and will soon appear in an enlarged form. A fine large building will be erected during the summer for its especial use. All this indicates prosperity, which it richly deserves as the leading daily of Oregon. It has our best wishes for its future growth and prosperity.

SERRORTLY.-The Portland Drumedic Chroniels, issued daily, by Messra. Coburn & McCabe, Is one of our sprightliest and most brilliant exchanges. If the exchequer of our friends don't run over with fatness, it will not be for the lack of our best wishes for its success.

HANDBILLS, POSTERS, CARDS, ETC., Having added materially to our assortment of new and fashionable styles of type, we are better prepared than ever to execute all kinds of job printing, either plain or in colors. We are always ready to receive orders.

RAPID GROWTH .- Mr. McFadden informs as that fifty buildings were erected in Monmouth last season. He will build a residence in Monmouth during the coming season himself. Monmouth is the seat of one of the most flourishing schools in the State.

ON THE SHAVE .- Mr. Hale Backensto has opened a barber-shop on First below Washington street, where he bolds himself in readiness to "lather and shave" all who may call upon

EXASPERATING.—The wenther for the past few days has been most exasperating to the wearers and harborers of corns and sich. Pilgrims from the East will make a note of this, and wait till the corn season is over.

ICE.-During the late cold snap. Messes. Carothers & Co., put up a considerable amount of ice, which they will use in the manufacture of ice cold Artie soda during the hot days of Summer.

SMALL POX .- Considerable excitement has been exhibited by our citizens over the report that a case of ing of the County Convention. The small pox had developed in this city. precinct primaries for the election of A little two year old son of Judge delegates to the County Convention Powell's was reported broken out all will be held on Saturday, March 2d, over with the small pox. Having interviewed the family physician in regard to the matter, we learn these facts: The child had been sick about three weeks, and is afflicted with a disease much resembling, but which he is not satisfied is the small pox. Parties who have called to see the child vention. In this way we will be en- are divided in opinion some being certain that it is not, and others just people with regard to the men whom as thoroughly convinced that is they would choose to fill the County the small pox. Probably it will offices and to represent them in the be well enough to exercise care Legislature. With good, honest, re- in the matter, and if it be really liable men as our candidates-men the small pox, the earliest notoriety

ALBANY DANCING CLUB-Celebrates the evening of the 22d inst, next Thursday, by giving one of their pleasant and agreeable dancing parties, at Parrish Hall. We acknowledge the compliment of tickets thereto. No doubt the occasion will be an most pleasant one, and all who attend will have gobs and heaps of fun. "Swing who you please."

PERSONAL.-Andrew Hill, Esq. called on us Tuesday, up from Portland on a short visit. We never saw him, apparently, in better health and spirits.

Tom Mulkey, Esq., of the Corvallis Democrat, called on us Thursday of last week.

The triends of Mrs. N. H. Cranor and Mrs. Harry Godley will be pained to learn of their continued illness.

Robuery.-On Wednesday night the brewery on corner of Baker and First streets was entered, and a revolver, blankets, etc., belonging to our large friend, the breweryman, carried

QUARTERLY MEETING .- The third quarterly meeting of the Independent Circuit will be held at McFarland's School house, February 17th, 18th. First service, Saturday an &P. M. Preaching by Rev. P. M. Starr,

BADLY NEEDED.—A street crossing is badly needed on south side of Third to Lyon street. It would be a great accommodation to citizens in that section, and should be erected at once.

POLITICS.—The Democratic political not has commenced to boil vigorously. Office-seekers are as thick as blackbirds, and if their claims are not all recognized some of them will doubtless "slop over."

CHAIRS. - John Metzler, at his factory on First street, manufactures the neatest, strongest and most durable rawhide-hottomed chair in the State. He has a good supply on hand.

PICTURES .-- Paxton will soon be in readiness to receive and accommodate up, his gallery will be one of the neatest and most convenient on the coast of Oregon.

EGGs.-Eggs have come down in price, and are now in good supply at 20c per dozen. Two weeks ago the price was 40c, and they were scarce at that floure.

MILLINERY .- Mesdames Mendenhall & Godley keep up their assortment of tasty millinery goods of latest styles.

PUNCTUAL.-Let the weather be ever so rough and unpleasant the delivery wagon of A. N. Arnold still continues to accommodate our citizens with "neatness and dispatch."

INSTITUTED .- A Grand Encampment of the I.O.O.F., will be instituted in this city on the evening of the 26th inst-Monday week.

SOCIABLE.—The Odd Fellows of this city are to have a Sociable on the evening of the 22d inst-next Thurs-

ANOTHER CHANGE.-Mr. E. E. Miner has sold his interest in the sewlag machine (Buckeye) business to

Mr. Pearson, his late partner. Hams.-Good country hams are in supply, and retailing from stores at 163/c per pound. Bacon sides retail

at 14c. NEW STEAMER .- The W. T. Co.'s new steamer, Alice, steamed up to our city on Tuesday.

CINCUIT COURT-Convenes the latter part of next month. It promises to be a most interesting term.

NEW ORGAN.-The M. E. Sunday School has resolved to purchase a new organ, the old one having played out.

High.-The Willamette has been running full during the week. WARE.-No news from the Omaha

gift enterprise. Assessmed .- Recorder Herren 4s busily engaged asseming city property. Corns are kept soft now:

A LARGE VOLUME Would not con tain the mass of testimony which has accumulated in favor of Wistor's Balacmounted in layor of what param of Wild Cherry as a safe, efficient and reliable remedy in curing coughs, colds and pulmonary disease. Many of the cures are truly wonderful, to23.

NEW TO-DAY.

New Barber Shop.

NOTE THIS: HALE BACKENSTO has opened a new Barber shop on First street, three doors west of Conner's Bank, where he will be pleased to see all persons needing his services.

Shaving, hair-cutting, shampooing, etc., done in the most satisfactory manner.

Albany, February 18-24v4

U. S. MAIL ! Tri-Weekly Singe Line!

THE UNDERSIGNED is now running a tri-weekly stage from Lebanon to Albany, carrying the U. S. Malls, leaving Lebanon every Monday, Welnessay and Friday mornings, and returning, leave Albany at 2 o'wlock P. M. of said days. Passengers called for in part of the city. Packages and light freight punctually delivered at low rates. All business characteristics one will be promptly attended to. W. B. 100ACA. Lebanon, Feb. 16, 72-24v4

JOHN SCHMEER, -- DEALER IN-

Groceries & Provisions. ALBANY, OREGON.

HAS JUST OPENED HIS NEW GROCER A establishment on corner of Elisworth and First streets, with a fresh stock of Grocories, Provisions, Candles, Cigars, Tobacco, &c., to which be invites the attention of our citizens.

In connection with the store he will keep a linkery, and will always have on hand a full supply of fresh bread, crackers, &c.

62" Call and see me. JOHN SCHMEER. February 16-24v4

FURS! FURS! FURS! THE HIGHEST PRICES PAID IN CASH for all kinds of FURS, by BLAIN, YOUNG & CO. Albany, Feb. 9, 72-211

JAMES L. COWAN,

(Successor of A. Cowan & Co.) Lebanon, Oregon,

-Dealer in-

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

WILL KEEP ALWAYS ON HAND A DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
BOOTS & SHOES,

or Produce.

Eff All persons owing A. Cowan & Co.,
can settle by calling on me at Lebanon.

21v4 JAMES L. COWAN.

E. D. WHITLOW & CO., Importers and Dealers in

FURNITURE

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First-St., 3 doors below Conner's Bank, ALBANY, OREGON, Keens constantly on hand for sale

Black Walnut Parlor and Chamber Setts, Painted Chamber Setts,

Dining room and Kitchen Furniture

SOFAS, LOUNGES, SPRING MATRESSES, PULLU & EUREKA BEDS, PULLU & EUREKA BEDS, ROCKING CHARES, BEDSTEADS, TABLES,

STANDS,
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Upholstering in all its branches. Orders filled with

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ES Goods delivered to any part of the city 65 All our work warranted. 23 Give us a Gall and Examine our

February 9, 73-22 E. D. WHITLOW & CO.

JOB WAGON. HAVING PURCHASED THE INTER Delivery Busines

I am prepared to do any and all kinds of lobs, on short notice and with quick dis-patch. Terms reasonable. Packages de-livered to any part of the city. Est Look out for the BAY TEAM and JOB WAGON. 304. A. N. ARNOLD.

WEET POTATOES, per last steamer, by DUBOIS. CASH paid for WHEAT, OATS, PORK, Shedd. 11v6

CLOTHING and BOOTS and SHOES of the assortment, very low-by WHEE LER, at Shoud.

HOME SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINES.
Plows, and all kinds of Agricultural
Machinery, sold by WHEELER, at Shedd. Candles, NUTS, RAISINS, etc., fresh and cheap, by 8v4 DuBois.

For Sale! 1.000 BUSHELS OF CHOSCE WHITE

CHILI CLUB WHEAT FOR SEED.

CALL AT THE RESIDENCE OF THE undersigned, six miles south of Alba-ny, Jan. 6, 1879-1873.

Rounds, Woedcock & Co., Proprietors & Manufacturers of

BUNTER'S Grain Separator, JUNCTION CITY.

Received the Diploma at the State

Fair of 1871.

PRICE REDUCED TO FIFTY DOLLARS!

These Machines are warranted substantially made, and are not to be surpassed in cleaning Wheat for seed, and are equally as good for cleaning that.

Send in your orders, and we will warrant satisfaction. Address,

ROUNDS, WOODCOCK & CO.,

Jan. 28, 1879-21m3

DOWN IT GOES.

C. B. COMSTOCK & CO. HAVE ON hand a large amount of

Choice Seed Wheat

of every variety, which they offer for sale at GREATLY REDUCED TRICES. 2117 WM. S. NEWBURY, Agt.

PEED: PEED! PEED! C. B. COMSTOCK & CO. HAVE ON hand; a large lot of BRAN, also a large amount of CHOP FEED, made from pure wheat, which they offer for sale at reasonable rates. WM. S. NEWBURY, February 2, 1872:22 Agent.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE
existing between E. E. Miner and M.
Pearson, under the firm-name of Miner &
Pearson, is this day dissolved by mutual
consont. E. E. Miner will collect and receive all moneys due the firm, and will pay
all indebtedness.

Albany, Jan. 22, 1872-1184

Notice ! TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: A persons are hereby warned not to give credit to any person in my name without an order from my hand. JOHN ROBINETT. Lebanon, January 24, 1872-21w4

Mrs. Bridgefarmer Wishes To Inform THE Ladies of Athany and violaty, that Miss M. M. JOHNSON has taken charge of her Millinery and Drem-Making Store.

She is prepared to do all kinds of work in that line. Alluny, Jan. 19, 1878-2011

Rend This! A L L PERSONS KNOWING THEMare requested to call and settle their accounts immediately, as in a short time all
accounts will be left, in the hands of the
proper officer for collection. We are closing out our business, and will collect all
amounts due as in thirty days.

Jan. 19, 1872-284

HARDWARE for Builders, for Smiths, and for Farmers sold by Wheeler, at SHEDD. IIvi

Willamette Transportation Company!



FROM AND AFTER DATE, UNTIL further notice, the Company will disputed a boat from Albany to Corvalits on Tuesday and Friday of Each Week.

Also, will dispatch a boat from Albany for Portland and intermediate places on same days, leaving Comstock & Co.'s Fare at Reduced Rates.

J. D. BILES. Dec. 16, 1871-16 Agent.

OLD MORSE SALE

THE FOLLOWING LIST OF O. H. PACK-ages remaining on hand in the Albany Express office over one year, unclaimed, will be soid at public suction, at N. BAUM's store in this city, on the

store in this city, on the

28th day of February mekt,
to the highest bidder for cast;
Addressed to—
Package,
2 packages, C.O.D., \$3.15...J. A. Fike.
Box
Win. J. Conklin
Satchel
2 custings, C.O.D., \$10.00...W. S. Lawrence
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W.H.Thompson
WELLS, PARGO & CO.
Abany, Jan. 13, 72-64

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To THE AFFLICTED WITH COUGHS, Colds, or Liver Complaint, the BALM is invaluable, as many lave been restored by its purifying effects on the systemmany who have been called incurable.

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SAWS, Woodsorth Planers Molding Machines, Moding Ascellance,
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MOINU INSURANCE COMPANY.

A T A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Directors of the Union Insurance Co., of San Francisco, an assessment of forty-five per cent, was keyled to copale the capi-tal stock, payable forthwith. This assess-ment, being made in strict accordance with the law, under the direction of the State Insurance Commissioner, and also State Insurance Commissioner, and also agreeably with the wishes of the directors and stockholders of the Company, places the Union in a position, not only to continue in the highest rank on this coaghbut also to assume a distinguished place among American Insurance Companies. 9v3m3

M. F. JONES, Auctioneer,

18 HALSEY, OREGON.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

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CORNER FIRST & BROADALBIN-STS., ALBANY, ORECON, A. C. Layton,

HAVE ALWAYS IN STORE A FULL and complete supply of

Proprietor.

STAPLE & FANCY

GROCERIES! PROVISIONS!

Tobacco & Cigars, Which I will sell for cash as low as the lowest, or exchange for all kinds of mer-

COUNTRY PRODUCE!

Received and in store a large quantity of ISALD SALT.

which I will sell cheaper than ever before offered in this nurket.

by I extend a general invitation to all to people in this and adjoining the counties, to call and examination of the quality and prices to of goods, as I feel as the oblidy regive.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RE-turned to Albany, and taken his old shop on corner of Eisworth and Second streets, announces his readiness to attend

BLACKSMITHING, MILL & MACHINE FORG'NG, ETC.

Also, has on hend and for sale, the

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and other PLOWS. which he vill sell on the most reasonable

GIVE HE A CALL All work entrusted to me will receive prompt attention, and be executed in the best possible manner, with good material. A share of public patromage is solicited.

See Shop on corner Ellsworth and Second treets, opposite Pierce's Ferry.

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THE UNDERRIGNED HAVING COM-pleted and put in good running order their new Lard Oil and Soap Manufactory.

in the city of Albany, are prepared to pur-chase, at the highest cash rates, all the Hogs, Rancid Butter, Sosp-

Grenne, &c., delivered to them in this city. They promov manufacturing and have

Fancy Toilet and Common Soaps.

in great yarlety, warmated equal to the best in market, which they offer to the trade at the most reasonable rates.

Orders respectfully solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Est Parties having Hogs, Raneid Butter, or Grease of any Man, for sale, will do well to give us a call.

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