

LOCAL MATTERS.

FIREMEN'S PICNIC.—The Firemen's Picnic of last Saturday was a complete success. At an early hour in the morning the city became alive with citizens, and with people on horseback and in their wagons from the country, to attend the gathering.

Mr. Wheeler, for the Albany Firemen, brave and true, this is the day we've come to see you.

Foreman Webber responded appropriately, and the procession moved on, and without further stoppages proceeded to the Fair Grounds.

OUR FIREMEN.—In the fires that have unfortunately visited our city from time to time during the past two years, our firemen have proved themselves men of true metal, and deserving of the highest encomiums from our people.

OPENED AGAIN.—J. R. Herron, Esq., has reopened the Franklin Market, on First street, where he will be pleased to see all who desire to obtain meats.

DAILY MERCURY.—This new candidate for public favor commenced its career last week. It belongs to the possum family; is neatly printed, and seems to have a fair share of ads.

GOOD TEMPLARS' ENTERTAINMENT.

—One of the best entertainments we have ever attended in Albany, was given by the Good Templars in their Hall last Tuesday evening. The audience was as large as the room could conveniently accommodate; and although the temporary seats, which had been prepared for the occasion, were not of the highest style for securing comfort, being the soft side of a slab, yet the exercises were so excellent, in interest and variety, as to hold the audience from the beginning to the close.

Mr. S. is authorized to act as agent for the REGISTER.

TO FARMERS.—Elsewhere will be found a notice to parties who are indebted to Messrs. Cartwright & Co. Charley Cartwright having disposed of his interest in the concern, requests all to make immediate payment.

THANKS.—To the various friends who have favored us with local news. We hope to hear from them every week.

RAILROAD INTELLIGENCE.

—Work on the Oregon & California Railroad has been driven as briskly as the weather and the reception of material would allow since the season opened. Should the weather prove reasonably fair until then, the road will be completed and trains commence making regular trips to Oakland by the first of next month.

PERSONAL.—Rev. A. W. Sweeney started for his new field of labor in Washington Territory on Wednesday morning.

JUDGE CRANOR is pronounced out of danger and slowly convalescing.

BADLY INJURED.—On Monday evening as Mrs. Wright, who resides some seven or eight miles from this city was engaged milking she was knocked insensible by a calf, which, being under full headway, butted her on the side of the head.

CHANGED OWNERS.—Mr. G. M. Cartwright has sold his third interest in the Froman Building and Soap Works to Mr. Charles Simpson, and Mr. A. B. Morris has sold his third to Mr. C. Westlake, and the firm will hereafter be Westlake & Simpson.

LEBANON.—The citizens of Lebanon and vicinity are invited to call and examine the new stock of goods lately received by Jas. L. Cowan.

OCEAN STEAMERS.—The John L. Stephens sailed from San Francisco for Portland on Wednesday.

Public Speaking.

The Republican and Democratic candidates on the county ticket will address their fellow-citizens of Linn county at the following times and places, speaking to commence at one o'clock P. M.:

Halsey, Monday, May 27. Harrisburg, Tuesday, May 28. Brownsville, Wednesday, May 29. Lebanon, Thursday, May 30. Seio, Friday, May 31. Albany, Saturday, June 1.

HARRISBURG, May 6th, 1872. Editor REGISTER:—A. S. Huston, an old resident of this county, suicided to-day under the following circumstances: It seems he had been affected with neuralgia in the head for about four years, which gradually grew worse, until the last four or five months he despaired of ever getting well.

His domestic relations were of the most pleasant kind, and there can be no reason assigned for the rash act thus committed, other than that his brain had become affected from the severe pain in the top of the head.

This is indeed a sad case, and falls heavily on his family and numerous relations and friends, and we feel confident they will have the sympathy of all who knew him.

J. M. SHELLEY. [Would be pleased to hear from you often.—ED. REGISTER.]

HARRISBURG, May 10th, 1872.

ED. REGISTER.—Dear Sir: If you can do the clever task for me, you can tell your neighbor Democrat that I like his paper and party very much; that I am in favor of strict party allegiance under certain circumstances, but that, maybe, the next time he pops the party lash so loud, as on the 23rd April, he will be asked to say what he means.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY JUDGE.—It is charged by Democrats that their candidate for County Judge, E. N. Tandy, is a confirmed gambler.

SILVER WARE.—Titus Bros. have a splendid quality of late style silver and plated wares which will commend themselves to all who will examine them.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.—Erysipelas and all inflammatory diseases yield to a diligent use of this powerful preparation.

NEW STYLES.—Chas. Mealey is finishing up a lot of Dolly Varlen bed-room sets, tables, etc.,—a rich and unique pattern, entirely new, and owing to the style and low price, must go like hot flap-jacks.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.—This neat little pamphlet for May, issued by L. Samuel, Portland, Oregon, is another advertising medium just issued, and proposed to be sent out monthly hereafter. It is to be distributed gratuitously.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. Mr. Babcock, of Corvallis, will preach in the Court House on Sunday evening, May the 19th.

PRICE SLIGHTLY ADVANCED.

—The following paragraph in regard to a slight advance in the price of the better grades of flour, is from Tuesday's Oregonian:

The demand for flour in San Francisco, for shipment to New York, imports confidence to holders, and strengthens the market here. The demand is explained by the mail dates just at hand. The market has been generally buoyant since the 1st inst.

NEW CARRIAGES.—We call particular attention to the advertisement of the "Galvanic Abdominal Supporter," patented August 13th, 1871, by W. S. Van Cleave, M. D., said to be unequalled in meeting any form of female disease, and the only instrument ever invented for this class of diseases.

ALISKY & HEGELE, Portland, give notice that they have made a great reduction in the price of candles manufactured by them.

BREATHLESS DEATH.—We heard a rumor on the streets the first of the week to the effect that a small child had been killed by a dog. The report ran in this way: A small child was passing near a dog which was gnawing a bone, when the dog sprang upon the child, caught it by the throat, tearing away nearly half the child's neck, and killing it instantly.

IMPORTANT.—As the prospects are good for large crops of grain, Blain, Young & Co. are now receiving a full assortment of agricultural implements—Pitt's Challenger Thrasher, Haines' Headers, Springle's and Clipper Mower, the celebrated Bain Wagon, and also the Fish Bro. Wagons.

SPEAKING.—The county canvass has been delayed on account of the illness of Judge Cranor, who, at this writing, is not able to leave his room. It is hoped, however, by throwing the canvass over the last week, the Judge will, by that time, be able to meet and canvass with the other candidates on the ticket.

CARRIAGES, ETC.—Mr. Wm. Peters is putting up some first class work in the shape of express and road wagons that should challenge the attention of buyers.

EXCELLENT WORK.—Geo. W. Gray, D. D. S., executes all kinds and styles of plates for artificial teeth, in an unequalled manner, at the lowest rates which good work can be obtained.

CONSOLING.—A Missouri woman recently eloped, leaving the following note to comfort the heart of the husband: "Dear William—good bye. Do not mourn for the children, for none of them are yours."

CANNED FRUITS.—Peaches, oysters, tomatoes, and in fact all canned goods have advanced from 50 to 75c per dozen cans in price in the last few days.

BELLS.—Messrs. W. H. Kuhn & Co. have received a number of large bells, suitable for school-houses, churches, hotels, etc., which they offer at low figures. Call and see them.

NEW CHURCH.—Members of the Christian Church are endeavoring to secure a sufficient amount of funds to erect a building in this city.

PIE PLANT.—For the largest and most incense pie plant you ever saw, go to Mr. John Millard. For a nice bunch we owe him our best thanks.

NEW OFFICE.—Eli Carter, Esq., is erecting a new office along side of Mr. A. C. Layton's new building, corner of Broad and First street.

WOOLEN GOODS.—An advance of twelve per cent. has been made on all woolens in the last ten days.

ENLARGED.—Is what's the matter with the Portland Zeitung. Glad to see this evidence of prosperity.

MARKETS.—Trade not overly brisk during the week, but an improvement on last week. Fair receipts of produce received, at following figures:

Butter—Receipts liberal and the quality somewhat improved. Quote at 20¢ 25¢ per lb. Eggs—in good supply at 25¢ per dozen. Hams—Dealers are offering 16¢ per lb. Sides—Buying at 12¢; retailing at 14¢. Shoulders—Buying at 10¢; retailing at 12¢. Oats—Market bare; nominal at 50¢ per bushel. Wheat—Price unsettled; millers offering 65¢ per bushel. Wool—Quoted at 48¢ per lb.

NOTE THIS.—By examining the stocks in Albany, we find the finest and most select stock of dry goods, clothing, boots, shoes and gents' goods at Kilne & Co's. Go and see for yourself. They pay 25c per dozen for eggs until further notice. 3513.

HOPE FOR THE AFFLICTED.

Speedy relief and cure for Chronic Diseases, by the new and scientific treatment as practiced by

Dr. Aborn. Laboratory, Consulting and Operating Surgeon, corner of Third and Morrison Streets.

PORTLAND, OREGON. No charge for consultation. Terms of treatment reasonable. Pamphlets sent free.

A. WHEELER.

SHEDD, OREGON, Forwarding & Commission Merchant.

Agent for the sale of the celebrated BAIN WAGON, and all kinds of AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY.

DR. VAN DEN BERG'S Infallible Worm Syrup.

Its value in removing worms of children from the stomach and bowels of children, even where worms do not exist, cannot be too highly estimated.

For sale by A. Cartwright & Co., wholesale and retail druggists, Albany, Or. Price—One dollar per bottle.

New To-Day.

Farmers, Take Notice. HAVING DISPOSED OF MY INTEREST in the Froman Warehouse, and being anxious to close my business in that connection I have sold my stock, fixtures, etc., at the lowest market rates.

FRANKLIN MARKET, ALBANY, OREGON. J. H. HERRON, Proprietor.

WM. PETERS, MANUFACTURER OF Carriages & Wagons, of Every Description, ALBANY, OREGON.

DR. VAN CLEAVE'S Galvanic Abdominal Supporter.—AND—UTERINE REGULATOR.

THE MERITS OF THIS INSTRUMENT consist principally in the support it gives to the abdomen and loins. The belt is broad, supported by suspenders passing over the shoulders, and is in shape a self-generating galvanic battery, which give a pleasant current.

Territory for Sale, or will receive Royalty for manufacture. For State or Territorial rights to manufacture and sell on the Pacific Coast, apply to COLL. VAN CLEAVE, Albany, Oregon.

Important to Merchants.

Great Reduction in Candles! IN CONSEQUENCE OF A DECLINE IN the price of sugars the undersigned, proprietors of the

Portland Candy Manufactory, have made a corresponding reduction in the price of candles, amounting from 2 to 5 cents per pound.

Double Refined Sugar. A full assortment of all kinds of nuts constantly on hand, and sold at a small advance on San Francisco prices.

Notice. OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD Company, Land Department, Portland Oregon, April 3, 1872.

Land Agent. I. E. MOORES.