

Albany Register.

LOCAL MATTERS.

FIGHTING CHRISTIANS.—It was related to us on Monday, and happened last week: Two worthy members of a certain church had a little misunderstanding as they were leaving the city for their homes in the rural districts. One of the parties, whom we will style Bro. S., asked Bro. A. if he would leave a settlement of their difficulty to the Lord. Bro. A. said no; he wanted to settle it outside of the church. Having passed beyond the limits of the city, the hostile brothers got out of the wagon and commenced hostilities. Bro. S. let fly with his right manly countenance on Bro. A.'s gob, bringing him to grass, where he waltzed into him at such a rate that he soon came to the conclusion that Bro. S. combined in his person the strength of a whole tribe of Modocs. After Bro. S. had pommelled Bro. A. to his full satisfaction, he inquired of him if he was now willing to trust the settlement of the difficulty to the Lord. A. expressed himself as thoroughly satisfied to so leave the matter, whereupon hostilities were suspended, and the brothers pursued their way homeward without further accident or incident to mar the pleasure of the occasion.

COMPLIMENTARY.—We have received a complimentary ticket to the seventh grand State Fair of the Mechanic's and Agricultural Fair Association of Louisiana, to be held at New Orleans, April 23 to 29, inclusive. I. N. Marks, President, Luther Homes, Secretary and Treasurer. The shortness of the notice given us to prepare for so long a trip, compels us to deny ourself the pleasure of accepting the invitation, and the Secretary is hereby authorized to present our compliments to the Association, and to express the hope that our failure to attend will not cast a chill upon the success of the undertaking. Rather than see so worthy an enterprise "go short" because of the absence of our handsome person, we will gladly recall our refusal to attend, but agree to be there "on time," if the Association will telegraph us a check for a couple of thousand or so with which to meet "incidentals" on the way there. Come to see us.

CONTRACTS LET.—The opening of bids for constructing the Albany & Santiam Canal transpired at the office of the Company in this city on the 49th inst. A large number of bids for this city, Portland, and elsewhere, were opened. Contracts were granted to A. B. Morris, Olney Frey and Benjamin Turley, they having given in the lowest bids. Work under these contracts will begin on the first of June, to be fully completed by the first of November. The bids were much lower than expected. In the mean time, fellow citizens, there is a large amount of the increased capital stock (\$20,000) yet to be taken, and it would seem when the advantages to accrue to the general prosperity of the city by the completion of the Canal, were taken into consideration, that no property-holder would hesitate a moment to invest, and thus help the enterprise when most it needs it. Yet it is painfully true, that there are men in this community who have not as yet aided the enterprise with a single cent, although its successful completion will be of great advantage to them. This ought not to be. Come forward, gentlemen, and subscribe for Canal stock.

DAILY GRAPHIC.—We have received a copy of the above named paper. It is a daily illustrated journal of eight pages—the only illustrated daily in the world. Of course it is having a big run, and will doubtless outstrip all its contemporaries.

BARGAINS IN FURNITURE.—Mr. M. M. Harvey offers, at private sale, on Saturday and Monday next, all his household and kitchen furniture, parlor and bed-room sets, etc., at bargains. Call and see.

A STRANGER.—Writes us from Harriburg. Sorry that the crowded state of our columns compels us to omit his production this time. Write again.

FROM YREKA.—A subscriber at Yreka, a former resident of this city, writes us under date of the 12th, that considerable excitement prevailed in that City at that date for fear the Indians in that vicinity would fire the town. Paymaster Stone is reported to have stated it as his belief that it will be sometime before the Modocs can be driven from their position in the lava beds, provided they do not choose to go, as they are abundantly supplied with provisions, arms and ammunition; and when they are driven out and conquered it will be at a terrible cost of life. Eighty teams were constantly engaged in freighting provisions and munitions of war to the front. Over one million pounds of grain had been secured for the army, at four cents per pound, which has to be freighted 150 miles. The Modocs have the needle gun, plenty of cartridges, and provisions for three or four months.

GUARD AGAINST FIRE.—The most dangerous portion of the year, the season when the greatest precaution should be used against fires, is upon us. Albany has been exceedingly fortunate, as compared with her sister cities, in this respect, but fortune may not always be so gracious. To insure against loss by the fiery element is an evidence of good forethought, and should not be neglected by any. The grand Old Phoenix, of Hartford, still offers to make good in the future, as she has in the past, all losses to those investing in her policies. L. Flinn, Esq., is agent for this city. A hint to the wise, &c.

THE PLACE.—For Fence Pickets, dry Flooring, Doors, Sash, Molding, or anything in the Planing Mill line, at prices to suit the times, go to Driggs & Carter's Mill.

A CHANCE.—If you wish to buy a Florence Sewing Machine, new, never used, for less than factory price, call and see us.

SUBSTANTIAL! ELEGANT! CHEAP!—Such are the comments of discerning persons who examine the new stock at Wheeler & Co.'s store.

PARAGRAPHETS.—Weather cloth. Mud gone—dust coming. Modoc treachery all the talk. Exterminate the red devils is the battle cry.

Quite a number of new subscribers during the week—business looking up. Charley Roggers is gradually falling away with consumption. His friends have no hopes of his recovery. The tax levy for the city has been placed at five mills.

The returns of the city assessment show some \$40,000 less of personal property than last year. Roads improving in condition daily. City Marshal busy putting in new crosswalks.

A fine assortment of new goods at Turrell's—boots, shoes, hats, caps, dress goods, etc. Call and see. The full report of the Farmers' Convention at Salem last week, as it appeared in the dailies, is quite too lengthy for our columns. However, we print all the material portions.

Dave Froman's new hall is about ready for the plasterers. John Foster is erecting a neat picket fence around his residence.

Billiards have lost none of their fascination at Talley's. Sparkling and bright is the soda from Carothers & Co.'s, on First street.

Levi Leland, the "Hermit of Oregon City," delivered two or more lectures in this city during the week, on temperance, to good audiences.

The fear of a failure in the California grain crops holds wheat at 70c.

Mr. Newell has retired from the editorial management of the Herald, and Mr. C. B. Bellinger has taken his place. He proposes to make this journal of so many "departures," an Independent Democratic newspaper.

Rev. Dr. Thomas, at the time of his death by the Modocs, was Presiding Elder of the Petaluma District of the California Methodist Episcopal Conference. He resided in Petaluma. A wife and three children mourn his tragical death.

LATEST MODOC NEWS.

News from the Lava Bed to the 16th inst., states that our troops fought the Indians all day on the 15th, driving the Modocs from every position into their strong hold, the cave in the lava bed. At 6 P. M. the Indians were nearly surrounded, and the mortars were throwing shells into the Indian camp. The Warm Spring Indians rendered invaluable service. In fact it is asserted the soldiers would have got the worst of it, but for their assistance. The soldiers fought with enthusiasm not a man shirking his duty. The fatalities reported among our troops were three killed and about nine wounded. The Indian loss was not known, though some were known to have been killed. Fighting was to have been resumed at 6 o'clock A. M. on the 16th.

Information from Grant Parish, Louisiana, April 15th, represents a regular war in progress between the whites and blacks at Colfax. About 100 negroes were killed, and many wounded in a battle last Sunday.

The President has appointed Gen. Jefferson C. Davis to succeed General Canby to the command of the Department of the Columbia.

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Pope is suffering from rheumatic fever and ulceration of the leg.

A manufactory in Rome was destroyed by lightning on the 10th. Forty persons were buried in the ruins, five killed and seventeen wounded.

Copenhagen has tried three Socialists and sentenced them to six years imprisonment.

A dispatch from Puigcerda, Spain, April 11th, says the Carlist forces had retreated, leaving 300 dead and wounded on the field.

A revolution has broken out in Panama in favor of ex-President Corroso. President Miera is a prisoner. No lives lost.

Rev. Chas. H. Spurgeon has been offered \$50,000 to deliver fifty lectures in the United States.

Ten officers and sixty soldiers belonging to a Hussar regiment in Gen. Paraf's command, have gone over to the Carlists. Several artillery officers left their regiments and did the same thing.

Emperor William, Prince Bismarck and Von Moltke, accompanied by a brilliant retinue, are to leave Berlin for St. Petersburg on the 25th inst. Crown Prince Frederick William and his wife depart for Vienna on the following day.

The inhabitants of Salamanca Spain, have expelled the Jesuits from the city.

At an examination before the Lord Mayor of London, on the 10th, it was conclusively shown that Birtwell was chief operator in the frauds on the Bank of England.

At Olone, Department of Vender, France, a fight occurred recently between two companies of strolling actors, killing nine, and wounding others.

The gasmen of New York struck their colors on the 11th, and asked to be re-employed at the old hours and wages. Gazing on the street-corners didn't pay.

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NOTICE.—Those having business with me are requested to address themselves, during my absence, to Mr. John Coomer, my appointed agent. JOHN GANTER. Albany, April 2, 1872.

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READ THIS AND BE HAPPY!—The largest stock of men's, boy's and children's CLOTHING ever brought up from San Francisco is at N. Baum's store, and the "rush" is big. There is no one leaving the store without buying a Coat, Pants, Vest, Hat or Cap, Boots or Shoes, Shirt or Drawers, Collar or Neck-tie, etc., etc., and everybody seems to be pleased, and satisfied that they bought cheap, as there is the place to buy bargains. 34.

Boston experienced one of the thickest snow storms of the season on the 12th.

NEW TO-DAY.

GUARD AGAINST FIRE! DELAYS are DANGEROUS.

THE NUMEROUS SEVERE FIRES which have occurred in our State the past year, and the late disastrous conflagrations in Portland, Springfield, Tallahassee, Oregon City and Jacksonville, should admonish property owners to seek indemnity against loss and damage by fire without delay.

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L. FLINN, Resident Agent, Albany, April 18, 1872-3m33

HENRI F. SAYES, General Business Insurance Agent, Notary Public.

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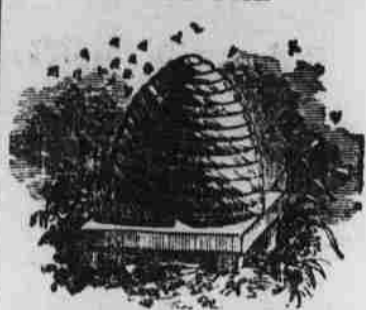
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