

The Democrat.

FRIDAY, APRIL 24, 1874.

A GALANT FISHERMAN.—Prof. Thos. G. Taylor, who teaches at the Jefferson Academy, is a gallant chap, particularly in the presence of the ladies. Last week he stepped down on the banks of the Santiam (which courses proudly past the Academy) and seeing a lady engaged in attempting to land a fish, he stepped in to help her. The fish was a large one, and he helped her to land it. The lady was a Miss Taylor, and she was a very pretty girl. The fish was a large one, and he helped her to land it. The lady was a Miss Taylor, and she was a very pretty girl. The fish was a large one, and he helped her to land it. The lady was a Miss Taylor, and she was a very pretty girl.

LOOK OUT, GENTLEMEN.—Of course nobody here in Albany has been answering those Albany letters about counterfeit money, sent at a low figure, as no one here is dishonest enough to want to have anything to do with such a base transaction; but in some places parties live who are known to have been bitten at the trick in the hope of gaining a "piece" by the operation; and for the benefit of such we will state that the authorities are about to adopt a rule having all such letters sent to the Dead Letter office from the New York office, (or whatever place they may be sent to) and that a list of the names sent back, to be publicly exhibited under a notice like the following:

"CAUTION.—The persons whose names are inserted below, have endeavored to procure counterfeit money from the pretended dealers in that article in New York."

This will show their neighbors what manner of men they are, and what they would do if they had a chance.

WHAT COCKNEY.—The Concert last Thursday night, given by the M. E. Sabbath school, was a pleasant and interesting entertainment and was highly appreciated by the spectators. The children's declamations were generally appropriately selected and well delivered; the singing by Misses Addie Beach, Nellie Cavines and the Griffin children, accompanied by the deep bass of Mr. Raymond and the cultivated tenor of Mr. Clement, was decidedly excellent and beautiful; and the recitation of the "Goddess of the Beautiful," participated in by Misses Addie Beach, Annie Street, Gusella Hallbrook, Mary Hannon, Susan Decker, Annie Bentley, Nellie and Melvina Cavines and Dora McCord—all dressed in appropriate costume and decorated with suggestive emblems—was truly magnificent and elicited the most emphatic approbation from the audience.

TOO HIGH.—The gentlemen who own the vacant lots in Albany, hold them too high, in our estimation, though the lots are theirs and they have a legal right to sell them for all they can get. Now we believe that when land is as plentiful as it is in our broad Albany, and building material so cheap as it is here, our city ought to grow even faster than it is now growing, and we believe that buildings would go up one hundred per cent. faster if the price of lots was brought down to the reasonably low figure. It now costs almost as much to buy a vacant lot in our city as it does to erect a comfortable house upon it, which we hardly think is a correct proportion in cost, considering the cheapness of material and labor. We only offer this as a friendly suggestion, and trust that as such it will be taken.

COLLEGIATE.—Efforts are being made to secure Prof. R. K. Warren as Principal of the Albany College. The Professor taught a successful school for several months in that institution a couple of years ago, and gave the most eminent satisfaction to both parents and students. Already something over eighty students have been pledged if he will re-locate from Portland (where he is now teaching) and take charge of the College. He has stated his willingness to accept of satisfactory inducements are offered, and promises to establish a permanent educational institution here of which our city and country may be proud. We earnestly hope that the necessary encouragement will be given and that we may soon see the Albany College again flourishing under its superior management.

A DELICIOUS BEVERAGE.—The lager beer now furnished by Tally & Houck, Mr. Tally is located at Corvallis, where the Brewery is established; and Mr. Houck runs Tally's old stand in this city. They are both agreeable gentlemen and fully competent to "discharge" the healthful beverage which they manufacture in the most approved style. A keg of their beer in our office at the present writing furnished us experimental knowledge of its excellence.

WOOL WANTED.—By reference to their new ad, elsewhere it will be seen that Messrs. Cox & Earhart, of Salem, want to buy wool for which they will pay the highest cash price. These gentlemen are entirely responsible and wool growers will find it a pleasure to deal with them.

THAT SKATING RINK business is the basest imposition that has ever perpetrated upon the civilized world. Last Tuesday night, while at Salem, we bought two bits worth of it and our ambition was satisfied in about three minutes "by this gold watch and chain." In the first place they aren't "skaters"—they are simply trucks or rollers—they all scot the wrong way and compel one to shove along in just the course that he doesn't want to go, and with a reckless disregard of the helplessness of the person upon which he is placed. The first bold strike we made on the trucks was to strike the floor, which made us think of Summer having his back-bone scraped by the French surgeon. But nothing daunted we arose to our majestic height and made a flank movement which caused the floor to fly up and strike our bump of girl-lovings in a manner that brought out our astronomical observations with two faculties, and induced several disagreeable bystanders to guffaw in a rude and boisterous manner. Two more essays at this juggernaut business brought us around the room to our starting point with a skinned elbow, a sprained wrist, a bruised knee, several loose teeth, an aching head, and an intense burning desire to mash the trucks over the blandly smiling truck-man's pate. But he was the biggest and in a much better state of preservation just at that time, and we gulped down our indignation and crawled off in search of a doctor-shop.

LOST CHILDREN.—Quite a sensation was created in our city last Monday evening by the announcement that two little boys, aged respectively 6 and 8 years, sons of Mrs. B. Turley, were lost. The people turned out and searched town and country until about 2 o'clock Tuesday morning, when the chiming notes of one of the church bells proclaimed the glad tidings that the children were found. They had obtained leave from their mother to go out to the depot, and after getting there the idea entered their heads that they would go on out to their Uncle Settlement's, about four miles from town, and they pottered off and walked that whole distance in about two hours. They were found there about midnight that night by the anxious hunters, and were snugly ensconced in bed, "sweetly dreaming their happy hours away," unconscious of the anxiety and interest manifested in their behalf. The young disciples of Weston were probably classically spanked for their extraordinary pedestrian feat.

BURIAL OF S. T. CHURCH.—The funeral obsequies of the late Stephen T. Church, at Salem, last Tuesday, were the most imposing of any we have ever witnessed in Oregon, and attest loudly that men or words the respect and love with which his intercourse in years past had inspired the people. The remains had been embalmed in California, where he died, and were brought up on the steamer by his strictest friend, the late Charles W. Church, of his quiet, Salem cemetery near his own cherished home.

The funeral was attended by delegations of Masons and Odd Fellows from almost every town on the river, and the body was entombed under the touching and solemn burial rites of Masonic Brotherhood—Grand Master D. G. Clark officiating. May Brother Church's sleep be as sweet as his memory is dear to the breast of every one who knew him, is our fervent, heartfelt wish.

A RIGHTeous JUDGE.—Judge Thayer, who so gracefully and classically wears the ermine of the Second Judicial District, last Monday adjourned Circuit Court for DeKalb county for three weeks, to permit the farmers who were in attendance upon Court in the character of litigants and jurors, to go to their homes and put in their spring crops, the weather having unexpectedly suspended judgment and put on a smiling and inviting physiognomy. This proves beyond a doubt that the Judge is eminently a practical and sensible man and is entitled to the confidence and respect of all people for his magnanimous conduct.

DISSOLUTION.—Elsewhere will be found a dissolution notice of the late firm of Moore, Gerst & Co., of Harrisburg, Mr. Moore, the senior of the firm, having disposed of his interest in the business. The new firm will be Gerst, Myers & Co., the "Co." meaning our energetic Harrisburg agent and friend, Mr. Gerst. May all the new firm have an advertisement attached to the dissolution notice which we trust our Harrisburg readers will peruse and profit themselves by hearkening to. All kinds of merchandise can be had at their establishment, and we know that their customers cannot fail to be pleased with their bargains.

CHARLES ROGERS is not going to France to take command of the patriot army, as was generally rumored in our city a few days ago. He is now determined to remain at the Albany Brewery, where he has already become so immensely popular as to cause a continual rush of patrons to that admirable institution; and his indefatigable services have probably caused that establishment to sell more beer, in the same length of time, than any similar one in Oregon. It would break the people's hearts to see Mr. Rogers leave the place, as both as the very best quality.

A MYSTIFIED DEVIL.—We have a new devil and the boys in the office "lured him into the mysteries of the 'art preservative' by sending him a millinery store after a 'rigning needle.' The Satanlike Majesty didn't fall any faster into chaos after the heavenly battle than our 'imp' flew out of the millinery store with a bygone dress, by attached to the rear admirally. His only ejaculation was, "Let'er rip!"

LADIES ONLY.—Skating at the Rink this afternoon and to-morrow afternoon will be for ladies only. Remember this, ladies, and all who come to see them.

WILL PREACH.—Rev. Jos. Emory, of Corvallis, will preach in the Court House, in this city, next Sabbath.

LOCAL PICKINGS.

SOMEbody stole J. H. Foster's skiff last night. The Treasurer Pardon will start for Pitt River about 10 o'clock. Harper & Co. will have some of those superior shot-guns to sell. Mr. Eli Carter will soon open a Real Estate office in this city. Hon. Jas. K. Kelly, U. S. Senator, will accept our thanks for pub. docs. The procession at the funeral of S. T. Church was nearly a quarter of a mile long.

Mrs. S. A. Johns is agent for the celebrated and popular "Singer Sewing Machines." We forgot to state, last week, that T. Flinn, Esq., was re-elected Clerk of this School District. Henry Myers wants everybody to pay him what they owe. Read his notice and fork over.

The "Rembrandt" pictures, made by Winter & Paxton, still attract large crowds to the gallery. Our former to-nman, Jerry Ream, has been promoted to Alderman at Eugene. He is still alive.

The railroad track is laid to the Callipool, ten miles above this city, where the bridge is now under process of construction.

The latest sensation in certain Oregon printing office was the order for printing horse bills with a "volley-bank" picture on "em."

Samm. Mansfield is now mail carrier between this city and Harrisburg, and you can wager your currency that he will be a good one.

We hear of a beef having been last year raised in Pitt River valley weighing seven hundred pounds. That wears us out in the boot line.

A German gentleman on Tuesday interviewed the Recorder five dollars' worth for the luxury of assaulting a colored lady on our streets the other day.

Messrs. L. Corum and L. Simpson started last Thursday to Pitt River, California, where they will make their future home. May prosperity and success attend them.

John Montelich, accompanied by Mr. J. B. Reed and Mr. H. N. George and family started yesterday for the Nez Perces Reservation in Idaho, of which he is the newly appointed Agent.

Thanks to Mr. Walker, manager of the Skating Rink, for complimentary tickets for our whole office force. The Rink is attracting great attention and is being largely patronized by the ladies and gentlemen of our city.

Minor & Pearson, the industrious and enterprising agents for the "Buckeye Sewing Machine," have built them a new and tasteful office, near the corner of First and Ellisworth streets, into which they are snugly ensconced and handily fixed up.

A skating rink is opened out next door to our office. Job was not a new paper man and didn't have to run a print-shop in the immediate neighborhood of a lot of those rumbling, squeaking trucks, and consequently he succeeded in establishing a star reputation for patience.

We blush to be compelled to state that Albany is now swarmed with several juvenile thieves who have recently given our merchants considerable trouble. Parents will preserve their children from a bad career and save themselves many a heart-ache by guarding their conduct more closely and keeping them out of the streets at night. "As the twig is bent so will the tree grow."

LEG BROKEN.—A little child of Mr. Wolf, of this city, fell so violently out of a chair in which it was placed as to break one of its legs. Drs. Tate and Alexander immediately re-set the fractured limb and the little sufferer is doing well.

THE VALUE OF ADVERTISING was never more clearly demonstrated than in the fact that a young man in Seio was married on the 2nd of April and his wife never knew it until she read the notice in last week's DEMOCRAT—six days afterward!

REPLY TO MR. CARTER.

MR. DEMOCRAT.—In your last week's paper, "WISCONSIN" appears under the signature of Mr. Eli Carter, to which, as I deem that it is calculated to create prejudice in the minds of the people at large against myself, and to convey the impression that there was full play exhibited in the trial at the March term of Court between Mr. C. and myself, I desire to make a brief reply. First, I desire to ask Mr. Carter why he omitted to state upon the stand many things which he admits in the card are true, as such statements would have certainly been decidedly beneficial to his case if believed by the jury. It seems to me that there are many assertions in his card that his memory or conscience (if he has any) would not permit him to make under oath. I do not intend to argue the merits of the case here, as it was properly adjudicated through the courts by a jury of twelve men, and I do not intend to argue the merits of the case here, as it was properly adjudicated through the courts by a jury of twelve men, and I do not intend to argue the merits of the case here, as it was properly adjudicated through the courts by a jury of twelve men.

THE STANDARD REMEDY FOR COUGHS, BRONCHITIS, SORE THROAT, HOARSENESS, CROUP, LIVER COMPLAINT, BRONCHITIS, HOARSENESS OF THE LUNGS, AND EVERY AFFECTION OF THE THROAT AND LUNGS, INCLUDING CONSUMPTION.

WISCONSIN'S BALSAM does not dry up a cough, but loosens it, clearing the lungs, and allays irritation, thus removing the cause of the complaint. None genuine unless signed by J. C. F. FOWLE & SONS, Boston. Sold by KENNEDY, HOSKIN & CO., San Francisco, and by dealers generally.

DR. SAGE'S CATARRH REMEDY. I do not like to inform you, reader, that with this distressing disease, which they know must ultimately take them to the grave. The reason simply is that they have never been able to procure a reliable remedy. Temporary relief only aggravates the disease.

THE DISCOVERED OF A PERFECTLY reliable and speedy cure has recently been made. The medicine now has no bad of A. CAROTHERS & CO., of this city, who are sole proprietors. The File Pills have been used by many in this country, and in no case have they failed to effect a permanent cure. Sent post paid to any address on receipt of \$1.00 per box.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALBANY. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING TESTED formerly occupied by Mr. Sears, before to be able to furnish the same with as good a quality and variety of meats as the country affords, and at prices to be represented there by a good, accommodating man and a liberal share of your patronage. PAN H. CLARK, Albany, Feb. 1, 1874.—v6n26t.

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FOR SPRING AND SUMMER TRADE.

—AT—

A. COWAN & CO.,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER.

—OF—

LARGE AND DESIRABLE STOCK
OF THE MOST FASHIONABLE GOODS.

—OF—

STAPLE DRY GOODS!

WHICH CAN AND WILL BE SOLD

AT MARVELOUSLY LOW PRICES.

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Cash or Merchandise Produce

CALL AND EXAMINE OUR STOCK AND PRICES.

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We Have Large Quantities

OF BLEACHED AND BROWN COTTON, TICK, LINEN, COTTONADES, DENIMS, 8 PAT, IRON AND CHEERS, PRINTS, DR. LAMPS, JARNS, CASIM, MEARS, TREWES, OREGON, MAN U. TERN.

—ALSO—

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

FANCY DRESS GOODS!

Latest Styles of Youth's and Gentlemen's

CLOTHING!

AND FURNISHING GOODS!

HATS, CAPS,

BOOTS AND SHOES OF ALL KINDS AND SIZES

CARPETING, WALL-PAPER

Paper & Linen Blinds & Fixtures

We would call special attention to our Stock of

IRON AND STEEL,

—AND GENERAL—

HARDWARE

WE FEEL FREE IN SAYING IT IS

The Largest this side of Portland!

Consisting in part of

FORKS, HOES, RAKES, SPADES, SCYTHES, MILLS, SAW, CROSS-CUT, TYLES, IMPROVED PATENT TOOTH, BILLET-WEBS,

MECHANICS AND BLACKSMITHS TOOLS COMPLETE

Butcher Saws, Barn-Door Hangers, Rollers and Trunk, Rope Chain, Hemp and Rubber Packing, Horse-Shoe Nails, Edits, Nails and Washers, Iron and Wagon Basing, Iron Ashes, Iron and Steel, and every kind of kind.

Shooting Powder and Fuse.

WE ARE PAYING IN CASH the Highest Market price for Hides, Tallow and Wool. Call and learn our prices, and then sell yourself.

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ALBANY BATH HOUSE!

THIS UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Albany, that he has taken charge of this Establishment, and by keeping clean, rooms and paying strict attention to business, expects to merit those who may favor him with their patronage. Having heretofore carried on nothing but

First-Class Hair Dressing Saloons, he expects to give entire satisfaction to all

Children and Ladies' Hair neatly cut and shampooed.

JOSEPH WEBBER.

April 24th.

WILLAMETTE NURSERY.

G. W. Walling & Co., Prop's,

OSWEGO, OREGON.

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A. CAROTHERS & CO., Albany,

Agents for Linn County.

A full supply of FRESH GARDEN SEEDS on hand.

The EARLY ROSE POTATOES supplied on demand.

A. CAROTHERS & CO. Feb 27th

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—FOR—

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MAJOR BOARDING HOUSE, by Prof. J. E. Bond, including fuel and light, \$6 per session (14 weeks). Washing, \$5 per session. Tuition: One-half in advance and the other half at the close of the session.

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Loans negotiable on first mortgages, real estate and collateral security.

Have for sale a large amount of property located in the towns of Albany, Brownsville and Corvallis.

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Persons desiring to know the value of their lands, or persons desiring to purchase property, can have no expense in placing it in our hands for sale unless a sale is made. Call at our office in Patrick's block, where we have a card of our business, and convey parties to view our lands.

J. C. MENDENHALL, Agent.

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20,000 ACRES!

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of the Willamette Valley and Cascade Mountain Range Road Company, made December 18, 1870, I am now selling

AT PRIVATE SALE,

At the Company's office in Albany, 20,000 acres of land, more or less, belonging to said Company, situated in Linn County, Oregon.

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PRIVATE MEDICAL AD.

DR. W. K. DOBRY'S

PRIVATE MEDICAL AND SURGICAL INSTITUTE!

No. 519 Sacramento Street, corner of Leidesdorff Street, (a few doors below Wall Street), San Francisco.

Established expressly to afford the afflicted sound and scientific medical aid in the treatment of all kinds of chronic diseases, such as Lung, Liver, Kidney, Digestive and Genito-Urinary Organs, and all private diseases, viz. Syphilis in all its forms and stages, Gonorrhea, Gleet, all the horrid consequences of self-abuse, Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, Nocturnal and Diurnal Emissions, Sexual Indiscretion, Back and Loins, Inflammation of the Bladder and Kidneys, etc., etc., and he hopes that his long experience and successful practice will continue to insure him a share of public patronage. By the practice of many years in Europe and the United States, he is enabled to apply the most efficient and successful remedies against diseases of all kinds. His uses no mercury, charges moderate, treats his patients in a correct and reliable way, and has references of unquestionable veracity from men of known respectability and high standing in society. All parties consulting him by letter or otherwise, will receive the best and gentlest treatment, and implicit success.

TO THE AFFLICTED.