The Democrat.

FRIDAY.....MAY 23, 1879.

Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F.

The Grand Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Oregon, met in annual session in this city last Monday. On the roll being called it was found that all the officers were present except T. M. Gatch, M.W.G.P.; I. R. Moores, R. W. G. T.; J. H. Lyon, W.G. M.; and W. Brades, W. G. S.

The following Encampments were represented: Ellison, No. 1; Willamette, No. 2; Excelsor, No. 3; Fall, No. 4; Oregonna, No. 5; Wimawhala, No. 6; Eleazer, No. 7; Harrisburg, No. 8; Union, No. 9; Grand Ronde, No. 11; Alpha, No. 1. W. T.; Vancouver, No. 1, B. C.

After conferring the Grand Encampment degree upon six candidates, the committees were appointed.

After hearing reports from the Grand Patriarch, Grand Scribe, Grand Treasurer and Grand Representatives, the Encampment proceeded to the election of officers which resulted in the choice of the following persons:

C H Stolte, of No 1, M W G P.
W S Newbury, No 1, M E G H P.
E E Turk, No 3, R W G S W.
J M Bacon, No. 4, R W G S.
I R Moores, No 2, R W G T.
J C Church, No 6, R W G J W.
A G Walling, No 1, R W G R for two years.

On Tuesday evening the officers were installed, and the following persons appointed District Deputy Grand Patriarchs:

District No 1—A J Marshal, of No 1.
2—T O Barber, of No 2.
3—Phil Metchum, of No 3.
4—M C Athey, of No 4.
5—J F Backensto, of No 5.
6—J J Walton, of No 6.
9—J W Wisdom, of No 7.
10—W J Bramwell, of No 8.
11—D S K Baick, of No 9.
12—Silas J Day, of No 10.
13—J H Shinn, of No 11.
14—C H Ralston, of No 12.
15—H Hoy, of No 2, B C.

After transacting a great deal of other important business the Encampment adjourned.

Hebrew Cemetery Dedication.

Notwithstanding the incessant rain, there was a large attendance at the dedication of the Hebrew Cemetery last Sabbath. The persons comprising this Hebrew Association reside in various towns of the Central Willamette Valley, hence many Israelites were in attendance from Portland, Corvallis, Junction and Harrisburg, besides our own resident citizens of that nationality, making itself quite an imposing procession as they marched from the cars to the cemetery grounds. Arriving at the gates of the Cemetery the procession halted and Mr. I. Senders, President of the Association, on behalf of his Brethren, read an address to Rev. Dr. May, the Jewish Rabbi of Portland, formally inviting him to perform the services of dedication, whereupon, after an invocation by the Doctor, the gates were thrown open and the procession entered the sacred burial grounds—the Rabbi in the lead reading the beautiful ceremony of dedication and the long column of the "sons and daughters of Israel" following with slow and solemn step and with bowed heads. Arriving at the center of the grounds where a neat house has been erected as a receptacle and purifying place for the dead, previous to interment, a fervent prayer was offered and an appropriate and eloquent discourse delivered by the Rabbi, which was followed by a solemn invocation and the most impressive poem of dedication ever used in the English language.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the procession reformed and marched to the cars and the people returned to the city.

This Cemetery is a model of neatness and beauty. It is located about one mile below the city, on the Salem road, is laid out in 62 blocks, 20x24 feet in dimensions, every block covered with fresh green award and surrounded by lovely young shade trees. The grounds are checkered with walks and avenues leading around the blocks, and the whole is enclosed with a neat white fence, indented at convenient intervals with entrances and exit gates. The Association which owns this Cemetery comprises 29 members, and considering their small numbers and their organization of only a short twelvemonth, they have accomplished a work of which not only themselves but our whole city should be proud.

The Harbor of Refuge.

Mr. T. P. Hackleman, secretary of the Albany Committee appointed to further the claims of Cape Foulweather as a Harbor of Refuge, has received the following letter which explains itself:

PORTLAND, Ogn, May 15, 1879.

T. P. Hackleman, Esq.

SIR: I am in receipt of your favor of the 10th inst. asking the time and place of meeting of the Board of Engineers for the Pacific coast in view of the act of Congress requiring an Examination for a Harbor of Refuge. I have to say in answer that the Board expects to make a *thorough examination of the subject*, and a report will be made only after every one has been heard. Public meetings will be held, at which the members will attend for the purpose of gathering all possible information upon the subject in hand. The notices for these meetings will reach the public through the medium of San Francisco and Portland papers. Arrangements are already in progress, and it is believed the examination will commence at an early date.

Very respectfully and truly yours,
G. L. GILLESPIE,
Maj. Eng. and Member of Board.

The "Rose" Pleasure Resort.

T. P. McKnight, proprietor of the Lower Soda Springs, has refitted and remodelled his hotel and made other needed improvements at that favorite summer resort, and is now prepared to accommodate travelers and pleasure seekers in the best possible way. He will feed horses with hay at 25 cents per head per day, and has erected a new shed of ample proportions to protect all from the weather. Don't forget that "Parley" and his estimable wife are the most hospitable couple in the world and will do everything possible to make their beautiful mountain resort a paradise to visitors.

At Lebanon.

G. R. Gilmour, at the Cosmopolitan Saloon, Lebanon, keeps the best brand of fine wines, liquors, cigars, etc., and has the famous billiard table on which the celebrated Portland tournament was recently played—acknowledged to be the best table in the State. And "don't you forget it" that "Bob" knows how to treat his friends and customers when they call upon him.

Quarterly Meeting.

Rev. P. M. Starr, of Salem, Presiding Elder of this District, will preach at the M. E. Church in this city next Sabbath, at which time the quarterly meeting will be in session. Rev. Starr is considered one of the best divines in the Oregon Conference.

Council Proceedings.

Our City Council was called to order on Tuesday evening of last week by Recorder Harper, the Mayor being absent. Present, Aldermen Martin, Kline, Scott, Mason and Bentley.

Minutes read and approved.

The committee on accounts reported favorably on the following bills, and orders were drawn for the several amounts:

A. B. McIlwain	$9 35	J. W. Anderson	$36 00
J. M. Nolan	1 00	D. B. Monteith	1 00
R. Saltmarsh	22 00	P. C. Harper	25 00
M. Baumgart	1 00	W. L. Watkins	1 00
J. B. Conlege	1 00	Carter & Co	1 70
M. Heffron	1 00	Delevan Smith	1 00
Clark & Davis	4 00	J. W. Babbitt	50 00

Report of City Marshal for the first quarter was received and placed on file.

A petition from Julius Joseph, asking for the right to run an eating house on the corner opposite St. Charles Hotel during the coming week, was not granted.

A petition from the Board of Fire Delegates, asking for the passage of the ordinance bill relating to the department election, was placed on file, and the same disposition was made with a petition from Linn Engine Co. against the passage of the same ordinance.

A petition from Hoffman & Davis, asking the privilege of putting up a small tent on the East side of Ferry street immediately north of First street, in which to dispose of candy, soda water, etc., manufactured in this city, the same to remain standing during the week ending on the 24th. Granted.

A. Hackleman petitioned the Council to repair a lot and fence belonging to him which had been damaged by a ditch being constructed by the city. Referred to Committee on Streets.

The ordinance bill, introduced by Mason, which had passed to its second reading and been referred at a previous meeting, was amended by Martin by substituting the first Tuesday for the second Monday as the time for the Department election, and requiring that firemen shall have been members of the Department only 25 days instead of 30 before they are entitled to a vote. Passed unanimously as amended.

On motion of Bentley property holders on 6th and 7th streets were ordered to repair the crossings at the intersections of those streets with Montgomery, so that vehicles could pass over them. The O. & C. R. R. Co. was also ordered to put in crossings where their track intersected 6th and 7th streets.

On motion of Martin the property-holders on First street, from Montgomery north, were ordered to bring said street to the required grade. Also ordering the property-holders on First street, between Ferry and Washington, to bring their sidewalks up to the required grade, and to the established width of ten feet.

Adjourned to meet on Monday evening, May 19th.

Called to order on Monday evening, the 19th, by Mayor Monteith. Present, Aldermen Martin, Kline, Scott, Mason and Bentley.

Committee on Accounts reported favorably upon the following bills, and orders were drawn on the treasury for the several amounts:

Mart Heffron	$62 00	W B Scott	$ 12 00
Scott & Monteith	1 00	P C Harper	150 00
J W Baldwin	5 00	J W Anderson	225 00
Thos Monteith	12 00	A J Hunt	15 05
L C Rice	12 00	R Saltmarsh	8 00
L Kline	11 00	W L Watkins	25 00
G P Mason	12 00	Albany Engine Co.	15 00
R Bentley	12 00	C H Stewart	8 00
L Kline	9 00		

A resolution offered by Mason to prevent the payment of city orders issued in favor of John Willisby was tabled.

Kline moved that that part of the grade on Washington street, between First and Third, be changed, by having a cut of two feet made where that street intersects Second, and from that point sloping north and south on such a grade as will run it out where it strikes the established grade on First and Third streets. Tabled.

Kline moved that the property-holders on Lyon street be given sixty days in which to finish the work ordered on that street. Carried.

On motion of Bentley the Marshal was ordered to put up a street lamp on the southeast corner of Fourth and Montgomery streets.

Mason was then excused from attendance during the remainder of the evening on account of illness in his family.

On motion of Kline the time for the payment of taxes was extended until June 20th, and all taxes not paid by that time will be declared delinquent and the Marshal is ordered to collect them by law, charging five per cent. additional as his fees.

Adjourned to meet on Saturday evening, May 24th, 1879.

No Humbug.

One significant fact in favor of Ames' process for preserving meats, etc., is that Goldson & Mattoon allow every purchaser of a county right, who has not seen the matter tested, *the privilege of trying the process for three months* before consummating the purchase, and they will hold the county in reserve for him, provided the party negotiating will agree to buy at the end of that time and give satisfactory references as to liability, integrity, etc. As they have been well known in our community for years as honorable men, the above proposition should satisfy everyone that if the process is a humbug they have not yet found it out. In fact, they keep on hand at Mr. Goldson's, in Corvallis, meat, fish, butter and eggs (and adding other articles all the time), where anyone who chooses can call at any time and examine for himself. We are told that Mr. Goldson sets out "a free lunch" every few days, and probably half the citizens of Corvallis have eaten his "preserved" provisions. Mr. Mattoon also tells us that negotiations are now pending for the purchase of nearly half of the counties in the State have more than half of the more important Ames, besides some in Washington Territory, and that they are receiving letters almost every mail from all parts of the Pacific coast, making inquiries about the matter. Read their ad.

The Cascade Wagon Road.

Mr. Gilliland, the toll gate keeper, was down last Tuesday and he informs us that he has been up the Lebanon Mountain Road as far as Hackleman's Pass. There is no snow to amount to much this side of that point, but there has been a light fall since Mr. G. came down. He says it will not be safe to start over with wagons for several weeks yet, but droves of horses and cattle can pass over within about five days after the weather clears up. He has the road well cleared out as far as the pass, and will go up again in a few days with a gang of men and repair it as fast as the snow melts.

The St. Charles.

The St. Charles Hotel this week, with Major Herren at the helm and Mart. Angel chief clerk, has done a rushing business, and the myriads of guests who shared the hospitality of that house are profuse in praises of its excellent management. We are glad to know that an Albany institution of such high importance is so thoroughly and deservedly appreciated.

SELF MURDER.

Suicide of I. A. Kenney—Another Victim for the Demon Rum.

Our people were startled last Sabbath upon hearing that a man had just been found dead in one of the rooms of the St. Charles Hotel. Upon inquiry we learned that the deceased was a man about 55 years of age, named I. A. Kenney, and that his home was in Oakland, California, at which place he has a family. He came to this State a short time ago and was engaged to canvas through this valley in the interests of the Oregon Mutual Fire Insurance Co., but being addicted to intemperance to such a degree that he neglected his business, he was discharged last week. Being almost out of money he became depressed, and buying some morphine he went to his room in the St. Charles Hotel last Saturday night and, after writing a note to Mr. Bretz, the manager of the insurance company, he took the fatal potion, and retired. In the afternoon of Sabbath the Chinaman who attends to the rooms at the hotel reported to Mr. Angel, the clerk, that Mr. Kenney had not yet arose, and that he could get no answer by rapping on the door. Mr. Angel then forced the door open and the unfortunate man was found reclining on the bed, with his head resting on his hand, cold in death. Upon a table by the bedside the following note had been left, addressed to A. Bretz, the manager of the insurance company:

ALBANY, May 17, 1879.

Dear Friend A. Bretz:

I have not been able to sleep any since you left, as I have taken a little morphine; if I have taken too much, it is not the struggle'll hush. I am a member of Templar Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., San Francisco, Cal.; my residence is 318 East 12th street, East Oakland, Cal. I. A. KENNEY.

I owe three lodgings to the hotel—no meals. K.

The Coroner was summoned who immediately impannelled a jury, and after inquiring into the circumstances returned the following verdict:

We, the jury, find the name of the deceased to be I. A. Kenney, and that he came to his death by an overdose of some narcotic poison.

C. H. HOWITT,
G. H. WEBBER,
E. P. DONSON,
C. A. BALDWIN,
FRANK PARTOS,
J. R. COX.

The deceased being an entire stranger, and the note showing that he was an Odd Fellow, the Master of the Albany Lodge, Walter Ketchum, was notified, and he immediately telegraphed to the San Francisco Lodge for instructions as to the disposal of the body. He received an answer telling him to "bury the body with honors and send bill to Templar Lodge." In accordance with these instructions the funeral occurred last Monday evening, being conducted by the Grand Lodge.

Personal.

Hon. T. J. Stites, Private Secretary to the Governor, Frank Hodgkins, Assistant Secretary of State, Mart. L. Chamberlain and other Salemites called on us during the week.

Hon. H. H. Gilfrey, after performing the functions of the office of Grand Master at the present session of the Grand Lodge, I.O.O.F., will take his immediate departure on the steamer, for the purpose of entering on the duties to which he has been assigned in Washington. We most heartily join his many friends in wishing himself and wife a pleasant residence in the national capital.

Gen. J. H. Turner, editor of the Pendleton *Oregonian*, wept various tears onto our heavin' bosom during the week, while sojourning and pilgrimaging among the "diggers." Jim says if Gen. Howard were to hit a mark he could hit the balls eye every shot!

Hon. J. D. Fountain, one of Linn's former boys, but now of Ashland, is now among us and looks more than ever like W. R. Dunlar who is also here and although both of them smile a great deal, neither of them will take a "hooter" of the critter.

E. E. Turk and Frank McKean, of Canyon City, are among our visitors of the week, and they are both as free in heart as their grand mountains and broad plains are open to the sunlight.

Mr. T. G. Richmond and Mr. Jones, of Polk, were among our visitors during the week. Tom was "fat and full of sap" and as usual had a kind word and some hard cash for the DEMOCRAT.

Joaquin Miller, the poet, passed up the road last Tuesday on his way to visit his parents in Lane county.

Charley Sitton, A. G. Marshal, A. G. Walling and other Portlanders twopped in with us during the week.

Mr. A. Noltner, of the Portland *Standard*, was among our welcome callers during the week. He looks as if Metropolitan journalism agreed with him, and reports the *Standard* in a flourishing condition.

The Jewish Wedding.

Last Sabbath afternoon at 4 o'clock the marriage of Mr. N. Kalisky and Miss Francis Jackson was solemnized at the Odd Fellow Hall, Rev. M. May, the Jewish Rabbi, of Portland, performing the ceremony. The hall was crowded with the elite and fashion of Albany, and among the guests we noticed quite a number of Jewish brethren from the other cities in the valley. Never before have we witnessed such an interesting wedding ceremony or heard such an impressive lecture given to the contracting parties, and if the newly wedded couple will follow the advice given them by the Rabbi, their happiness in life is assured. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. N. Baum, Mrs. Mitchell, of Portland, and Mr. Rupinski, of Salem, Sig. Fox and Miss Rachel Mitchell, of Portland, and Marx Baumgart and Miss Fanny Lewis, of Shedd's Station. After the ceremony was performed the wedding party returned to the residence of the bride's parents, where a reception was held. A great many friends called and extended their congratulations and partook of the hospitality of the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson. We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Kalisky and wish them a long and happy life.

Bad Prospects.

Our farmers are feeling blue at present, and well they may, for the present rainy weather is ruinous to their prospects for a good grain crop this fall. All the high lands in our county are pretty well sown, but wherever the soil is wet farmers are not half through seeding. And that is not all; this weather is very bad upon the fall grain, and in many places it is already turning yellow. Taking it all in all, the crop prospect in Linn looks very gloomy at present.

Clark's Marble Works.

Mr. Henry A. Clark has moved his marble works across the street from his old location, and he can now be found next door to No. Two's engine house. Mr. C. served his apprenticeship in one of the best New York marble establishments, and of course he is able to do good work and give perfect satisfaction.

HAMBURG FIGS the Universal Cathartic.
HAMBURG FIGS the mother's blessing.
HAMBURG FIGS for sale by all druggists.

Sweet Home Religion.

Editor Democrat:

An animated theological discussion, bordering on Beecherism, took place at the Sweet Home School House on Thursday evening, the 15th inst., and was participated in by Rev. Samuel Mathews, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Newton Russell, a Mormon, and his wife, a Second Adventist, known in this community as a Nortonite. Rev. Mathews delivered an able sermon to a large and attentive audience, and at its conclusion two boys, sons of Newton Russell, arose and in a frivolous manner attempted to reply. Their little speeches had been trumped up by the Nortonites in general, and closed with a perfect tirade of abuse and epithets fearful to contemplate. The audience dispersed thinking that if that was an exposition of Christian zeal they would rather take their portion with the "damned," as even the infidels live among us in peace and quiet, with the exception of being disgusted in this way by the so-called Christians once in awhile. Rev. Mathews, according to appointment, was met at the same place the following evening by a larger audience than before, and fully established his reputation before the critical eyes of his traducers and the community in general as a morally and mentally qualified minister of the gospel.

SWEET HOME CITIZEN.

Grand Temperance Rally.

HALSEY, May 29th, 1879.

Editor Democrat:

DEAR SIR:—The Halsey Temperance Alliance, at its meeting on the 24th inst., resolved to extend an invitation to all the temperance organizations throughout the county to meet us in mass convention at the Roberts bridge camp ground some time during the month of June, and appointed a committee of three to confer with a like committee from each of the other organizations as to the date of meeting and the arrangements necessary to make the meeting a success. Committees when appointed will please correspond with the undersigned, suggesting the proper time in next month for the assembling of the convention or mass-meeting, so that it may be announced at an early day in the various county papers. It is suggested that the various organizations take prompt measures to furnish music for the occasion. Also that the various committees meet in general committee on the camp grounds one hour before the time fixed for the commencement of the exercises to arrange its programme for the session.

T. J. WILSON.

Western Star Lodge.

The following officers were installed in Western Star Lodge, No. 10, in this city, on last Tuesday evening, by State Deputy L. N. Liggett:

W C T—Richard Fox.
W V T—Mrs Emma McCartney.
W S—Robert Murphy.
W F S—L. L. McCartney.
W T—A T Arnell.
W M—Robert Bentley.
W I G—Miss May Bentley.
W O G—P M Westfall.

The Lodge also elected L. N. Liggett, Robert Bentley and L. L. McCartney to serve as Trustees, and the following persons were chosen as delegates to the Grand Lodge, which meets in Salem on June 11th: Robert Bentley and L. N. Liggett; alternates, A. T. Arnell and Richard Fox.

The Fourth at Corvallis.

CORVALLIS, May 20, 1879.

Editor Democrat:

At a meeting of the citizens of this county held at the Court House on the 19th inst. it was unanimously resolved that they will celebrate the coming anniversary of American Independence at Corvallis, and the committee of arrangements was instructed to extend through your paper a general invitation to the people of Linn county to participate in the celebration.

W. S. MCFADDEN,
J. W. RAYBURN,
GEO. GERHARD,
JOHN BURNETT,
W. B. CARTER,
Committee of Arrangements.

Roll of Honor.

The following named pupils are entitled to be placed upon the roll of honor in Fox Valley District (No. 84) for the month ending May 16, 1879: Mary Rainwater, Amanda Gardner, Ada Gardner, Laura Gardner, Frances McLane, Duncan McLane, George McLane, Sarah Turner, Maggie Turner, Mary J. Irons, Nettie Irons, Eugenie Fenney, Walter F. Fenney, Rhoda Brotherton, Walter Brotherton, Willie Brotherton, Lewie Brotherton, Mary Gardner, Freddie Gardner, Ida M. Berry, Frank N. Berry, Lucy E. Robertson.

MOLLIE BERRY,
Teacher.

First Hebrew Congregation.

The regular annual meeting of the First Hebrew Congregation of Albany was held last Sabbath at the Benai Berith Hall, at which time the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing year:

President—I. Senders.
Vice President—Julius Gradwohl.
Secretary—Ignatz Fox.
Treasurer—Ed Baum.
Trustees—Moses Sternberg and Sig Fox, of this city, Sam May, of Harrisburg, M. Jacobs, of Corvallis, and S. H. Friendly, of Eugene.

Dr. Alexander Returned.

On Friday of last week Dr. Alexander returned to this city with his family, and on the same day went out to his farm near Peterson's Butte. A year or two ago he went up into the Walla Walla country in the hope that the change of climate would be beneficial to the health of his wife, but in this his hopes were not realized. His wife is now very low with consumption, and at the best cannot live many months. The Doctor will hereafter make his home on the farm.

Killed by the Indians.

Henry J. Clark, of this city, received a letter a few days ago from his sister, Mrs. John Circle, who lives on Beaver Creek, in Grant county, and it contained the news that a trapper named Pendleton, from near Harrisburg in this county, had been found dead over on John Day's river, and that it was supposed that he had been killed by the Indians. The letter was mailed on the 16th inst.

Prof. Chauvin at Lebanon.

Prof. Chauvin, the talented elocutionist, will shortly give one of his elegant entertainments at Lebanon, and we bespeak for him a full house, as we can promise our Lebanon neighbors an evening of rare enjoyment.

Attention, Ladies of the Country.

By calling on Mrs. C. P. Davis you will find something that will just suit you. Hats, bonnets, flowers, laces and ribbons, with prices cheaper than ever before.

Home and Abroad.

Is your crop in?

Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

The "Belle of New Orleans" gives entire satisfaction.

Try the "Belle of New Orleans," at Hoffman & Davis'.

Mr. Cyrus Westlake and wife started for California last week.

Calvin B. McDonald and a son of the late Gov. Curry called on us last Friday.

Buy your cigars of Hoffman & Davis. They have all kinds and prices to suit.

H. C. Newby, formerly of this city, is now figuring in an adultery case in San Jose.

Everybody can afford to smoke the "Belle of New Orleans." They are only five cents apiece.

Property holders have been given until the 20th of next month to pay up their city taxes.

Rev. A. Crecker will preach at the Evangelical Church next Sunday—morning and evening.

Mr. Gilmour informs us that it is a mistake about him and Dan Wagnon buying out Watkins' saloon.

Divine service will be held in St. Peters Episcopal church next Sunday, May 25th, both morning and evening.

The good book promises us a seed time and harvest, but we are beginning to believe our seed time was along last fall.

Remember the old and reliable Albany Soda Works. They have a man that understands the business to a gnat's heel.

Miss Bovia Alexander is now teaching school near Walla Walla, and will come back here as soon as the present term is ended.

Dr. DeWolfe has removed his office to the Odd Fellow's Temple. His residence is on the corner of Seventh and Calapooia streets.

A large and well assorted stock of gents' shoes from the celebrated factory of Thomas Emerson's Sons, Boston, just received by Samuel E. Young.

D. M. Thompson informs us that there were 116 delegates in attendance at the opening of the Odd Fellow's Grand Lodge last Monday. This was an unusually good showing.

On account of ill health, Dr. E. O. Smith, dentist, expects to leave this city about the first of June to be absent probably several months. Any of his customers who wish work done had best call soon.

We regret to learn that Hon. Enoch Hoult met with an accident last Monday which prevented him from visiting Albany this week. He fell from his hay loft in his barn and bruised his shoulder very badly.

Eugene Buchanan and his family started up to his farm in Klickitat, W. T., yesterday and will be absent about a week or ten days. Mr. Eaton, formerly of Salem, will run the agricultural warehouse until his return.

David Steel and his estimable lady, of Portland, honored us with a call last Monday. Mr. Steel's health is not very good and they have been rambling through the valley for several weeks. They started for Jefferson last Tuesday.

The St. Charles accommodated more than 150 guests, during the past week, all of which kept the Major extremely busy. The Revere House, the Commercial and the Comstock hotels were also crowded. In point of fact it was a good week for our public houses, and the guests express universal satisfaction at the entertainment afforded.

We acknowledge the receipt of the May number of D. W. Prentice & Co's monthly Mexical Journal, Portland, Oregon, price per year only 75 cents. Every person that owns a piano or organ should subscribe for this valuable Monthly. The present number contains three pieces of choice new music which at retail would cost at least one dollar.

Fine Lumber for Sale.

Ike Conn has made arrangements with S. Nickerson to do all his planing, and a large stock of flooring, rustic, furnishing lumber, etc., will be kept on hand at the planer in Lebanon. Flooring and rustic will be sold at $20 and $21 per thousand, and other lumber in proportion. Our readers will remember that the lumber from Conn's mill cannot be excelled anywhere.

New Dental Rooms.

Dr. G. W. Gray wishes his friends and patrons to remember that his new dental rooms are now located in Foster's brick block at the large bay window. Entrance to office, first door on the right of the stair landing, opposite the Y. P. C. A. Hall. n35m3

Do You Want Furniture?

Jas. Damals, in this city, now has on hands a larger stock of furniture than any other establishment this side of Portland, and if you want to purchase any it will pay you to give him a call. He has something to tell you in regard to his prices.

Band Reorganized.

Our Mechanics' Brass Band was organized last Tuesday evening, but still keeps the old name. Following are the officers: President and Business Manager, H. D. Godley; Leader, C. L. Pierce; Secretary, W. C. Tweedale; Treasurer, A. Staiger.

Lower Prices Than Ever.

Fred Dunning wants us to announce to our readers that for the next sixty days he will sell furniture at lower prices than ever. This is no advertising scheme simply; he means business, and you will find it so if you call around and price his stock.

HAMBURG FIGS cure Indigestion.

Linn County Council.

The Linn County Council, P. of H., will hold its next regular monthly session at the hall of the Sand Ridge Grange, convening at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, May 24th, 1879.

G. PARRISH,
President.

Wanted.

Four good reliable men, adapted to the Sewing Machine Agency business. Want them to travel and otherwise work up the business. Good wages guaranteed. Enquire or address Singer Manufacturing Co., Albany.

Two Hacks for sale.

Two second hand hacks, one a Shuttler and the other a platform spring, both are almost as good as new; for sale *cheap*. One will be sold for cash and the other on time. Call at this office if you want a bargain.

$5000 Reward.

Offered by Philip Cohen, who has moved back to his old stand, and will sell goods cheaper than the cheapest, for cash or credit. Call and be your own judge.

PHILIP COHEN.

A Popular Resort.

At the Cosmopolitan Saloon, on Broadalbin street, can be found the finest brands of wines, liquors and cigars. House open at all hours. E. WATKINDS,
Proprietor.

Church Directory.

U. P. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath, at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. by Rev. F. G. Irvine, D. D. Sabbath School at 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Preaching on Sabbath at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School 12:15. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. J. Bowersox, pastor.

CALVARY CHURCH.—Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and P. M. Sabbath School at 2:30. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening of each week. W. B. Floyd, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—Services every Sabbath at St. Paul's M. E. Church, South, at 11:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 10. Prayer meeting every Friday evening. P. A. Moses, pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Song service in the evening before sermon. Sabbath School at 2:30 P. M. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

ST. PETERS EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Divine service is held in the Church every Sunday at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M. R. L. Stevens, pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12. Prayer meetings every Thursday evening. W. J. Crawford, pastor.

SENATOR SLATER'S NEW ANTI-CHINESE BILL.

A Bold Effort by the Friend of White Labor.

Senator Slater has prepared and will shortly introduce a bill which provides that after July 1, 1880, it shall not be lawful for any subject of the Chinese Empire, then or thereafter becoming a citizen of the United States, to engage in, carry on, or work at any manufacturing or mechanical business, or to own, lease or work any mine, or to own or lease any real estate for any purpose other than that of lawful commerce, and for places of residence, or to conduct any farm, garden, vineyard or orchard; or to own, have or keep any herd of cattle, horses, sheep, goats or swine for the purpose of making profit by the increase of product or use thereof; or to keep any hotel or restaurant excepting for the use or accommodation of Chinese; or to work or engage to work as mechanics, artisans, laborers, waiters, servants, cooks, clerks, or in any other capacity; or at any other kind of labor, skilled or unskilled, except for and in the employ of subjects of China lawfully engaged in commerce in the United States, or traveling therein; or except as interpreters or teachers of the Chinese language. Every violation of these provisions by a Chinaman is to be punishable by a fine of not less than $100 or imprisonment in the penitentiary not exceeding six months, or by both fine and imprisonment; and also by forfeiture of all property used or invested in the prohibited business.

The second section makes it unlawful for any person, corporation or company to employ any Mongolian subject of China for any of the above named purposes, except as interpreters, or teachers of Chinese language, and imposes a fine of $100 for each offense.

The U. S. district courts are given jurisdiction of all cases arising under this proposed law, and the President is directed to notify the government of China of its provisions as soon as enacted.

The bill concludes with the following proviso, which is intended to cover all treaty requirements:

Provided, That the citizens of China, as respects the right to travel or reside in the United States, shall enjoy the same privileges, immunities and exemptions, while so traveling or residing in the United States, and shall be protected in person and property in the same manner as the citizens of foreign nations are entitled to by treaty stipulations with such foreign nations, and not otherwise.

Dedication of the Temple.

The dedication of the Odd Fellow Temple by the Grand Lodge, for which such grand preparations had been made, came off yesterday, but owing to the wet weather it was not near as successful as it would otherwise have been. At 10 o'clock the *McCully* arrived from Corvallis with a large excursion party on board, accompanied by the famous Second Brigade Band. At noon a great many people arrived on the mail trains, and the Northwestern Band, of Portland, which had been engaged by the Albany Lodge, put in an appearance. When the Roseburg excursion arrived it was met by a delegation of Odd Fellows, and all were escorted to the city. After that came the grand parade in regalia and the dedication of the Temple, but we went to press before the exercises of the day had been concluded. Taking it all in all, everything passed off in good shape, or as well as could be expected under the present state of the weather, but we are very sorry that we could not have had at least just one little "shower of sunshine" during the day.

Fracas At Corvallis.

Frank Rayburn, who broke jail at Corvallis a few weeks ago, was taken back by Sheriff King last Tuesday, having been arrested in California. During the afternoon of Tuesday, J. W. Rayburn, a brother of the prisoner, became very much incensed as the Sheriff and drew a revolver on him. King closed with him, and in catching at the pistol the hammer came down on his hand between the thumb and first finger, and thus probably saved his life. Rayburn was tried before a Justice of the Peace and bound over under $200 bonds.

Grand Lodge Officers.

The Odd Fellow Grand Lodge, which has been in session during the past week, elected the following officers and they were installed yesterday:

John Kenworthy, M W G M.
J W Case, R W V G M.
Phil Metcham, R W G W.
J M Bacon, R W G S.
I R Moores, R W G T.
E E Turk, R W G J W.
W S Newbury, R W G R.

At Harrisburg.

While at Harrisburg last week we were a guest of the Alpha House, kept by J. M. Fronk, and it is indeed appropriately named for it is the "Beginning" of good things in that burg. The furniture and rooms are neat and clean and the table is made to fairly groan under the weight of good victuals. We cheerfully commend the "Alpha" to the traveling public.

Gen. Miller's horse, "Rye-Straw," won the $1,000 race at the Dalles last week.

MARRIED.

BOLTON—OSTRANDER.—At the residence of the bride's father, at Oak Flat, Klickitat county, W. T., on Wednesday, April 16, 1879, by Rev. W. Koontz, Mr. SIMEON BOLTON, of Goldendale, W. T., and Miss ROSA OSTRANDER, of Oak Flat, W. T.

Thus one of Klickitat's fairest daughters and one of our best and most highly respected young business men have started on life's journey together, and we but voice the feeling of the entire community when we wish them God speed in their new relations. The number of invited guests was not large, and they were regally entertained. K.

CHAMBERLAIN—WELCH.—On Wednesday, May 21st, 1879, at the Presbyterian Church in Natchez, Mississippi, by Rev. J. B. Stratton, Mr. GEO. E. CHAMBERLAIN, of this city, and Miss ALLIE N. WELCH, of Natchez.

Several of the friends of George in this city sent him a telegram of congratulations, and the DEMOCRAT now joins the long procession of his admirers of Linn in wishing him and his fair bride the fullest happiness in their married state. We sincerely hope that they may find their future home in this the "far west" all that their fancy has painted it, and that the gallant lieutenant may always be able to provide "wood, water and grass" for his household.

LOVE—SUMPTION.—On Saturday, May 17, 1879, at the Commercial Hotel, in this city, by W. O. Palmer, J. P., Mr. JOS. E. LOVE and Miss ANNIE J. SUMPTION—both of California.

PACIFIC COASTERS.

The Lucky Queen mine has "fizzled."

There will be a convention of Universalists at Harrisburg in June.

The Harrisburg *Nucleus* says Bob Lane is a bilk. Do you know Bob?

Mitchell says its a "copper-head lie" that he is Jay Gould's attorney.

Puget Sound is afflicted with bilks, and East Portland with the paralysis.

Bart. Whitlow, of Lafayette, aged 73, died of heart disease last Sunday.

Why in thunder don't our exchanges quit calling Siuslaw (in Lane county) "Sinslaw?"

Mr. Lord and Miss Skye were married at Sacremento the other day. Lord! what a Skyerockit!

The Masonic Grand Royal Arch Chapter meets in Portland on June 6th, and the Grand Lodge on the 9th.

Jasper Wooley, of Puyallup Valley, W. T., has slain 59 bears in four years—and there's more deaths Bruin.

Last Monday morning a fire at Astoria burned the store of Trenchard & Upshur; loss $12,000, insured for $10,000.

Mr. Hadaway is to enlarge the Oregon City *Enterprise*. We knew that paper Hadaway that would succeed. (Cute!)

The Jacksonville *Times* gives a weekly column of mining news. That paper is always full of meat and condiments to match.

The *Standard* says "a Portland widower calls himself an expect." If he were married he would probably be an aspect.

The Portland city election comes off on the first Monday in June. The principal fight is against the Chief of Police Besser.

The Mormon, Miles, was last week convicted at Salt Lake of polygamy, and as a consequence all Mormondom is in a howling rage.

The 208 miles of projected railroad of the N. P. R. R., between the mouth of Snake river and Pen d'Oreille Lake, will be completed next year.

The wife of a Multnomah farmer is a kleptomaniac—can't help stealing. Put her in a newspaper office where there isn't anything for her to snatch.

Watronville (Cal.) editors are out of luck. One day last week one of them was unmercifully flogged and another was rotten-egged. We are not open for that kind of usage.

Gen. Howard has enlisted 20 Indian scouts for the service in this department. They had best not scout around among the Umatilla whites if they have any respect for their top hair.

Rattlesnake Jack is in jail at Canyon City. He showed us several scalps last summer, which he claimed to have taken from "reds" slain by his own hands, and we don't see how a single man and one jail could hold such a bloody hero!

At a recent election in Sacramento, California, Homeopathic physicians were elected to the City and County hospital, the people taking great interest; there were also two appointed members of health, the other three being Alopathic, who became indignant and resigned, after which three more homeopathic physicians were appointed.

The two brass bands, the City Council, the University students and the citizens, the religious and the profane, the preachers and politicians, the old maids and bachelors—all of Eugene City—are in a terrific quarrel now over everything, and, as a consequence, like the monkey and the parrott, that beautiful little burg is having a h—l of a time.

One night last week a Portlander named Shoemaker found one Dr. de Hoag in bed with Mrs. Shoemaker, and he went and got the police to haul the guilty couple from their warm couch to the chill and slimy atmosphere of the jail where they now languish on a charge of adultery. This nest-hiding couple were last winter converted to religion by Chaplain Stubbs.

A Portland wife caught her husband attending the Bare Blonde show by means of a telephone connecting the house and his store. He had forgotten about the machine when he told her he must stay late at the store that night, and when she tried to talk with him through the wires she got no response at any time during the evening. He was cornered and had to own up, notwithstanding his positive assertion that the "wires were down" that night.

DON'T FORGET IT.

If you are troubled with nervousness, are disheartened, tired of life, fear death or feel out of sorts as the saying is, you may safely conclude that you have the Dispepsia or Liver Complaint. The liver is very apt to become torpid this season of the year as poisons arising from stagnant water or decaying vegetation are more numerous and are through inhalation taken into the blood. Unless the liver is strong and active, and furnishes a supply of fresh and pure blood to drive out the impurities, the above mentioned sympto