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O. & C. R. R. TIME TABLE.
Albany Station.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.

BOUND NORTH.

ALBANY EXPRESS Departs at		5:30 A. M.
FREIGHT TRAINS " "		9:00 A. M.
MAIL TRAIN	Arrives at	11:45 A. M.
	Departs at	12:05 P. M.

BOUND SOUTH.

MAIL TRAIN	Arrives at	11:45 A. M.
	Departs at	12:05 P. M.
FREIGHT TRAIN " "		3:30 P. M.
ALBANY EXPRESS Arrives at		8:35 P. M.

All Trains daily, except Sunday.

NOTICE.—On and after this date regular tickets will be sold at our ticket office for following points on Columbia river: Upper Cascades, Dalles, Umatilla, Wallula, Walla Walla and Ainsworth.

WILL. B. RICE,
Freight and Ticket Agent
O. & C. R. R. Co.

Albany, June 18th, 188'.

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HOME AND ABROAD.

F. M. French, jeweller.

John Doe vs. Richard Roe.

E. R. Skipworth, lawyer, Albany, Or.

This week has been a harvest for boarding houses.

Fresh invoice of garden seeds at McCoy and Ellert's.

And still they arrive—spectacles at French's.

New supply of knives, forks and spoons at French's.

A second hand buggy in good condition, for sale, call at this office.

Before you are got sick and be an invalid, use Oregon Blood Purifier.

Remember the entertainment to-night and to-morrow night, at Y P C A Hall.

The office of Dr T W Harris is with E W Langdon in the Odd Fellow Temple.

You can get your prescriptions filled any hour of the night at McCoy and Ellert's.

Old Flax seed—A nice lot for sale by A. Umphrey, at his farm in Center Precinct.

Dr. G. Willis Price, dentist, office in Odd Fellow's Temple, over Plummer' Drug Store.

Dr Hill's new saddle is admired by everybody. It has no trouble in keeping up with his horse.

Cooper Turner has sold his property, on the corner of Frist and Lyon streets, to D B Monteith.

Remember that wood is wanted at this office on subscription, and now is a good time to bring it in.

The Art Gallery at the DEMOCRAT office is greatly enhanced in beauty since the arrival of some paintings, from abroad.

A fine brass piston valve E flat cornet for sale cheap. Call on or address M J Monteith, Albany, Oregon.

New potatoes are putting in an appearance. Frank Wood having the honor of exhibiting the first ones.

Steamers are to be despatched between San Francisco and Portland every four days instead of five as now.

Get your Skidegate oil from McCoy and Ellert as they are the agents for it and can give you better prices than others.

Weston boasts of a suicide, a lone, young man, by the name of Boyd having taken his own life by the use of morphine.

The Shedds School District voted a new school house at the last meeting, the vote standing 30 to 12. It is to cost $1500.

The ladies of the Presbyterian Church will give a social on the 4th of April. The place will be announced next week.

New subscribers for the DEMOCRAT are pouring in fast. Over a hundred have been added to our list within a short time.

The action of the Common Council in raising the city license from $200 to $500 was the principal topic of conversation Wednesday.

John Briggs has just received a large stock of bird cages which he will sell at prices considerably lower than ever.

Frank Wood has been showing up the Tuck water motor this week, and the machine is said to work in a satisfactory manner.

A Knights of Pythias pin was lost on our streets last Tuesday; the finder will confer a great favor upon the owner by leaving it at this office.

The W. C. T. U. will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Congregational church. All the members are requested to be present.

A large span of work horses for sale. They are gentle, true well broken and suitable for heavy work. For particulars call at this office.

Jurymen will return to their homes to-morrow full of boarding house hash, and home will be in splendid condition for renewed labors.

The Willamette fell so fast after the late high water that the *McCully* was unable to go up the river last week above Corvallis. Quite a change.

The bark "Balwark" sailing from China foundered in the Pacific and only three men are supposed to have been saved. They reached Coos Bay in a boat.

The Temperance Convention held in this city Tuesday and Wednesday was well represented, and terminated very satisfactorily to those connected with it.

A Bar Association has lately been formed in Portland. It is composed of some of the best attorneys in that city, and will evidently become a fixed institution.

The statement in the *Evening Telegram* that the funeral of Miss Annie Murray would be strictly private was entirely incorrect. It was public, and was well attended.

Attention is called to the ad. of the O P R Company, which appears in another column, calling for sealed proposals for material and work on four tunnels between Corvallis and Yaquina.

Any persons wishing to buy, sell, or exchange milk cows, beef cattle, fat or stock sheep, fat or stock hogs, will find it to their advantage to call on John Elder, at Jason Wheeler's in Albany, Or.

While assisting in fighting the fire at Independence, last week, Dr Smith, lately of this city, fell through a hole which had been burned, and scorched one of his hands, but not seriously.

Remember that Montague, of Lebanon, is offering better bargains than ever. He intends to make things lively this spring, and those dealing with him can depend on getting first class bargains.

The Star Brewery will keep running, as in the past, notwithstanding the rise in the license. Mr Bellanger will make it a point to deal out a better beer than ever, and his customers can depend on a first class article.

On Wednesday application was made to Recorder Henton by several saloon keepers for licenses under the old ordinance, but as their licenses do not run out till the first April they were refused. What will be the result we can not say.

Those wishing work performed by John Roach, the nurseryman, can leave their orders at the DEMOCRAT office, Hoffman and Joseph's or at the Post Office, a slate having been left at each of these places for this purpose.

The entertainment to be given to-night and to-morrow night by the Reading room and Library Association, are for worthy objects and should be liberally patronized. Reserved seats can be obtained at L. E. Blain's.

At a meeting of Albany Lodge No 4, I O O F, held last Wednesday evening the following representatives were elected to the R W G Lodge, I O O F, which meets in the city of Salem May the 16th, 1882: Dr J A Davis, W C Tweedale, Ed Zeyss.

Walla Walla has passed an ordinance forbidding persons under 16 to be on the street after 7 p. m., from Oct. 1st to April 1st, and during the remainder of the year after 8 p. m. It will probably be enforced the way our curfew ordinance is.

It will be noticed by the County Court Proceedings in another column that a new Precinct has been granted, to be called the Crawfordsville Precinct. It will be made up of the present Precincts of Mabel, Brush Creek and part of Brownsville. There was quite an opposition to it.

The gathering of Odd Fellows in this city last Friday evening was a big affair. Orgeana Encampment are to be congratulated on the sucess of the meeting. There was a large delegation here from Harrisburg, Brownsville, Lebanon, Eugene and other places, and everything went off very satisfactorily.

On the 21st, 22nd and 23rd of this month there will be held in St. Peters Episcopal Church a mission attended by Bishop Morris of Portland, with five or six other clergy from different parts of the valley. The evening services on above evenings will be at 7:30 p. m. On Wednesday and Thursday there will be morning service with Holy Communion at 9:30 a m. All are cordially invited to attend.

Dan Waguon thinks the DEMOCRAT and the other city papers did him injustice last week, and we are not sure but he is partly correct. One thing is certain, he did not attack his antagonist when he was unprepared, as Mr Hunt tells us he was ready for him and thought he could whip him. Dan says the reason he hit was that Andy was gouging his eye out. We don't know whether this is true or not, and don't care, but it will not do to let it occur again.

One of the Portland papers gives a suggestion made by a correspondent and calls it a novel one. It is that all persons who wish to drink liquor as a beverage be compelled to take out a license. The suggestion has been made for years in different parts of the United States, so it is not very new; but it has never been considered anywhere with enough seriousness to produce legislation in its favor.

The fire at Independence last week probably originated from a lamp, it having started from the place where the lamp was usually placed on leaving the store at night. It is thought that it was not entirely put out and in consequence exploded after standing sometime. The fire was extinguished before the building was burned very much, leaving it in such a condition that it can be repaired. The principal damage to the goods resulted from smoke and water.

A fire occurred Wednesday evening about half past five in the residence of A B Woodin. It started in the attic from a defective chimney, and had spread considerably when it was put out by the "Hooks." That is Joe Allison, foreman of that worthy institution was on hand and with a little water extinguished it before it had done any damage. No bells were rung, and everything was accomplished that would have been if the firemen had run through half a mile of mud.

To day is the greatest of all days among our Catholic brethren; a day on which the true Irish heart beats with warmth in memory of their patron saint. It is kept in festivity, and celebrated by having a universally good time, all over the face of the world, wherever the celtic tongue is heard. Particularly in large cities, the excitement runs high, and the good will which exists between the members of the Catholic Church on this occasion is unbounded. Wear a ribbon, even if you don't believe St. Patrick drove venomous creatures out of Ireland.

We received a call from Mr John Long yesterday, who wished us to give his version of the altercation which occurred last week between himself and A B Morris. According to his story Morris had taken part of the hogs out of Long's lot and driven them into his own, and part of them had been marked with Morris's mark. Long went after them with his son, taking down the fence, and was going to drive them through when Morris got in the gap, and on Long's approaching, reached his hand around as if for a knife, and said he "would rip his—— out." Then Long grabbed him, and turning him around struck him on the back with a small stick, about the size of a cane, which he had in his hand. This is his story, which we give inasmuch as we have already given Morris'.

New goods have been piling into L E Blain's large clothing establishment at an immense rate, and more are to arrive in a few days. He has received a stock of fancy and substantial summer shoes never before approached in this city. They embrace several varieties of elegant designs, and are the very latest. His whole stock is far ahead of anything else in the city. A large lot of polka dot shirts have also been received, and are of a splendid texture. The new line of hosery, neck wear, etc., is complete and takes the lead in this city. Another new feature is the introduction of some Brownsville suits for boys', youths' and men. They were made particularly for Blain, and are a first class stock of goods. Call and examine all these new things and you will be sure to buy.

Messrs Phil and Louis Cox, of Waitsburg, W. T., made us several calls this week, and returned home last Tuesday. We are told that they came down for the purpose of either making us retract certain statements made against them, or else bringing suit against us for libel. We are not in the retraction business. It is our custom to never attack any one unless the proof is strong against them, and then no retraction can be had until we are sure it should be made as a matter of justice. The Cox brothers deny *in tyto* the reports which have come down here from Waitsburg in regard to their transactions with Mr Canon, and it is simply a question of veracity between them and the many others who have put the reports in circulation. While we make no retraction whatever, we must say in justice to the gentlemen that while here their conduct was not such as to make us believe they were such rascals as we had supposed. Had we known them personally we might not have been so severe in our remarks against them.

SCALE ADDER SCALE

Fred Ries has been in Portland a while this week.

Miss Ida Webber has returned from Portland.

Mr J Sutton, of Scio, has been in the city this week.

J S Morris, of Scio, came to the city Tuesday.

We received a call from Mr Jas Williams, of Scio, last Tuesday.

Jas L Cowan and wife, of Lebanon, were in the city Tuesday.

Dr E O Hyde, of Scio has been stopping in the city a few days.

Rev Jos Emery, of the Corvallis College, was in the city last Friday.

Geo. W. Smith, Esq, Lebanon's boss tinner was in the city Wednesday.

Charley Wheeler, the obliging postmaster at Shedds, made us a call last Saturday.

Hon. B. F. Bonham of Salem, has been in attendance at the circuit court this week.

R S Bean, a lively attorney, of Eugene, was in attendance at the court this week.

We received a pleasant call from Dr. E. J. Somerville of Pendleton, last Wednesday.

Judge Burnett, successor to Judge Watson has had business in the court here this week.

Dr B R Freeland has been in the city several days attending to some dental business.

District Attorney Piper, has been on hand at his post in the Circuit Court this week.

Col S G Elliot, who has been laboring for Anti-Monopoly, is making Albany his head quarters.

Geo H Kaizer, formerly of this city, is engaged in the furniture business in Junction City.

Miss Alice Love, one of Harrisburg's fairest young ladies, has been visiting friends in this city.

Wila Rayburn, a pretty good looking lawyer from Corvallis was on our streets the first of the week.

Geo B Dorris, a successful disciple of Blackstone, of Eugene, has had business at Court this week.

W E Kelly, a thorough temperance man, of Scio, was in attendance at the convention held here this week.

George Piper, of Salem, formerly clerk in Fox Baum and Co's store, has been in the city this week.

Judge Chenowith one of Corvallis's oldest attorneys, has been in the city this week attending court.

We are very sorry to hear that Mr. L. Stites, of Harrisburg, has two children very ill with the fever.

W. H. Odell, proprietor, of the Salem *Statesman*, has just returned from an extend tour through the east.

W. R. Kirk, candidate for the State Treasuryship, on the Republican ticket, was in the city last Friday.

M. D. Ballard was in Portland last Friday and Saturday in the interests of the Red Crown Flour Mills.

Mr W A Wells, whose warehouse was recently burned at Corvallis was in the city the fore part of the week.

Miss Lizzie Chenowith, daughter of Judge Chenowith, of Corvallis, has been in the city this week visiting friends.

Simon Seitenbach sailed last night for San Francisco, where he goes to buy his spring stock of goods.

H C Humphrey, a handsome young attorney of Eugene, was in the city over Sabbath and the first of the week.

Bart Allen and Rev. T. J. Wilson, of Halsey, were delegates to the Temperance Convention from that city.

Dr W A Hyde, who has been in the city a few weeks, has gone to East Portland, and will open an office in that city.

Prof L J Powell, State School Superintendent, lectured at Harrisburg last Monday evening, on educational matters.

Miss Laura Houk came up from Gervias last Friday and remained in the city over Sabbath, visiting her folks and friends.

Hon C. E. Beattie, Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, is dangerously ill, at his home in Oregon City.

There are over 200,000 sheep around Hepner within a radius of about twenty miles. The wool from these yields about $240,000.

D. W. Wakefield was elected President of the Y P C A in Portland last Monday. He received the unanimous vote of the Association.

S. E. Young was to sail on the steamer that left Portland last night, for San Francisco, where he goes to buy his spring stock of goods.

S. S. Train, editor of the Harrisburg *Disseminator*, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday, as a delegate to the Temperance Convention.

Saturday Mr. H. B. Derrick, Crawfordsville's blacksmith, was in the city, and during the course of his stay, paid the DEMOCRAT office a visit.

Mr. Hamon Shelton, of Jourdan, in this county, was in the city Monday, and made us a call. We admire his taste in subscribing for the DEMOCRAT.

Allen Parker, of Oneatta, spent several days in the city this week on business. His mill at Oneatta is now being repaired and will start up soon.

J. B. Irvine, Peter Hume and D. H. Putnam, of Brownsville, were in the city Tuesday and Wednesday and attended the Temperance Convention.

Eliss G Hughes the well known railroad lawyer, of Portland, has been in the city this week looking after the interests of the Oregonian Railway Company.

Capt J E Denny, of Yaquina fame, who has received so many uncomplimentary notices from the press of the *Willamette*, has been in the city this week.

Mrs Dr Hagan spent several days in Albany last week. She will end her visit at Lebanon on the 10th of next month and will depart for her home in the East.

Rev Clarke Pringle, of Eastern Oregon, who was visiting last week with friends in this city, left Friday for Buena Vista, to attend some revival meetings in that place.

Mr. F. S. Mills, formerly of Brownsville, is now located at Pataha City, in the famous Garfield county, W. T. He expects to be back to Linn County sometime next fall.

Mr. J. W. Reed, of Jefferson, an old Kentucky Democrat has been spending a few weeks in the city, and Monday had his name adorn the subscription list of the DEMOCRAT.

O P Tompkins and his mother, Mrs. Lister, came down from Harrisburg last week and are now comfortably situated in the Brenner dwelling house opposite Peter Schlosser's residence.

Dr E O Hyde, of Scio was in the city several days, returning home Tuesday. He is doing well at that place, and proposes to remain there, as he has found no locality he likes so well.

Jas H. Foster left Albany Wednesday noon for California, with the hopes of improving his health. He will remain there some little time, and it is to be hoped that he will be benefitted by California climate.

Mr Robt Berwick, lately from the east has purchased a farm in Linn county, and will take possession of it next fall. In the mean time he will remain in Albany and give his children the advantage of our excellent school.

B. A. Cathey, a graduate of Albany Collegiate Institute, has announced himself as a candidate for School Superintendent before the Douglas county Republican Convention. He is now Superintendent of the Roseburg schools.

Samaritan Lodge, No 316, I. O. G. T. of Harrisburg, elected the following delegates to attend the temperance meeting in this city last Wednesday: Dr. H A Davis, N A Blodgett, T J Anderson, A L Morris and S S Train.

While the Odd Fellows had charge of Albany last Friday and Saturday we received calls from Hon Jas P Schooling, M W Canter and Jas Riley, a part of the delegation from Harrisburg. They report that their place will improve considerably during the coming summer.

Frank Ellert and Tom Curran returned Dr. Barkers visit at Brownsville Sunday. They left this city early in the morning each being astride a quadruped of the genus horse. They returned Monday morning looking haggard and wan, the mere shadows of the healthy pictures they usually present. It will be a long time before they attempt another such Quixotic expedition.

RUSSELL PRICE.

It will be remembered that on the 7th of last November this estimable young man was drowned while crossing the Santiam. Since then every effort has been made to discover his remains, but they all proved fruitless, until last Friday, when his body was found near Waterloo, about thirty-five miles below where he entered the river. A dog was observed to act strangely along the river, so much so, that he was followed to the remains, which, with other dogs, he had been disturbing. The body was only recognized by the pants, which corresponded with the coat and vest Russell throw off before entering the river, and by a pair of socks which his mother knit for him. The remains were brought to this city last Sabbath, and buried at two o'clock in the afternoon in the city cemetery. The services were conducted there by Rev. I. H. Cordit, assisted by Rev. S. G. Irvine, and although short were very impressive. They were witnessed by a large concourse of friends, relatives and citizens, who will remember with sadness the last rites over the body of one who when living was loved by all near to him and respected by everybody.

A Surprise Party.

A crowd of our citizens, on Thursday night, armed with sundry baskets and "sich" invaded the residence of O. P. Tompkins and mother, to give a farewell visit, as they were on the eve of departure for Albany. They found bachelor Ol entertaining a party of young ladies who had come to coxdole with him on the miseries of single blessedness; the tables were brought into requisition to hold the magnificent feast prepared. In a short time the strains of music from the Cornet Band were heard and the boys were brought in. Supper was soon announced and all did it ample justice. The evening passed in very pleasant social intercourse songs and music. At a late hour the throng took their leave, having fully evinced to Ol that he has a host of friends in this place, who are sorry to see him leave.—"Harrisburg Disseminator."

Chinese Fowls.

Tuesday John Denny, of Peterson Butte, received at this city several fowls, shipped from his brother O. N. Denny, consul at Shanghai. An account of them will be found in the State News on the first page. 12 of them were Chinese fowls of different kinds, one trio being of jet black, very large and handsome. These will be domesticated by Mr. Denny.

The golden pheasants will be let loose on Petersons Butte, for the purpose of increasing the species. It is earnestly requested of all sportsmen that they be let alone for the present until they become fully established here.

One or More Surgeons.

From the Pacific Surgical Institute, 305 Kearny street, San Francisco, will be at the St. Charles hotel, Eugene City, March 21st and 22d; at the St. Charles hotel, Albany, March 24th and 25th; and at the Chemeketa hotel, Salem, March 27th and 28th, fully prepared to treat all the diseases and deformities treated at this institute, such as spinal diseases and all diseases of the joints, rupture, nasal catarrh, chronic rheumatism, lung disease, paralysis, nervous diseases, piles, fistula, and female diseases. This is the only authorized branch of the Great Northwestern Surgical Institute on the Pacific Coast, and desires not to be confounded with any other institute.

Grand Jury.

The grand jury closed its labors yesterday noon. Two indictments were found against Eli Watkins, one for suffering gaming and the other for keeping open on Sunday. A true bill was found against John Long for assaulting A D Morris, No bill was found against Wm Lewis, who was charged with stealing. Two or three other indictments were handed in, but they were not public property.

ROLL OF HONOR.

The following pupils of Liberty School District 59 have neither been absent nor tardy during the month ending March 14th, 1882; Jerry Banks, Chester Harris, Dayton Harris, Joseph Grime, Jerome Skelton, Homer Manley, Ella Manley and Variana Skelton.

S. HORNARD, Teacher.

At Brownsville.

Dr. C. R. Templeton, of Portland, of the firm of Clark and Templeton, Dentists, of Portland will be at Brownsville, March 21st, and remain about 10 days. Those desiring first class work, will do well to give him a call.

The Grand Jury.

Following are the names of the persons chosen as grand jurors for the present term of Circuit Court: E T T Fisher, Benj Hardman, T P Goodman, F M Daniel, Wm P Anderson, F M Reinhart and R Cheadle.

COUNTY TEMPERANCE CONVENTION.

Meetings in this city Tuesday and Wednesday---Proceedings, &c.

Pursuant to a call issued by the Blue Ribbon Club of this city about thirty delegates appointed by the different Good Templar Lodges and Blue Ribbon Clubs of the county, met at the Y. P. C. A. Hall, last Tuesday evening. Their object was the establishment of a County Alliance and systematic work for the purpose of putting temperance men in office.

J. B. Irvine, of Brownsville was elected chairman, and E. F. Sox, of Albany, Secretary.

A committee on credentials was appointed, who reported in favor of the following delegates; most of whom were present:

Halsey Alliance—B H Allen, Rev T J Wilson, R A Robertson.

Valley Lodge—A J Windom.

Freedom Lodge—F M Rinehart, G W Davis.

Shedd B R Club—D P Porter.

Albany B R Club—T P Hackleman, E F Sox, G W Gray, W B Scott, L E Blain.

Mountain Lodge, of Brownsville—J B Irvine, P Hume, Dr Barker, D H Putnam.

Santiam Lodge, of Scio—J C Johnson, J L Miller, J D Sutton, W E Kelly.

Albany Lodge—Jas Pottinger, Rev J W Harris, Jos Tyler, C H Hewitt, R Fox.

Onward Lodge, of Knox Butte—J E Knox, Robt Chambers, Mat Chambers, John Roach.

Santiam Lodge, of Harrisburg—Dr H A Davis, A A Blodgett, T J Anderson, A S Morris, S S Train.

A committee on constitution and by-laws was appointed, consisting of T P Hackleman, T J Wilson, J L Miller, D P Porter and S S Train.

While the committee were preparing a report enthusiastic remarks were made by Bart Allen, John Conner, Peter Hume, G W Gray and R A Irvine.

The committee on constitution were given till Wednesday morning in which to report.

E. F. Sox offered the following resolution, which was adopted.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this convention that when we separate to go to our separate precincts we go to work and use our influence in nominating competent, independent, unpledged, pronounced and tried temperance men, in our respective parties, to represent our precincts in the coming county conventions.

On motion it was ordered that constitution should provide for organization as a permanent Temperance Alliance, subordinate to the State Alliance.

Dr G W Gray, D H Putnam and S S Train were appointed a committee to prepare an address to the voters of the county

Adjourned till 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The committee on constitution and by-laws reported, and their report with slight changes, was adopted. The constitution provides for a permanent organization, to be called the Linn County Alliance, to meet the first Tuesday in February of each year. The object is to carry forth the temperance work in the county.

The following officers were elected.

President—T P Hackleman.

Vice Presidents—G W Gray, T J Wilson and P Hume.

Secretary—E F Sox

Cor Sec'y—S S Train.

Executive Committee—Democrats, J L Miller, Dr H A Davis and C Davis; Republicans, L E Blain, J B Irvine, and Jas Pottinger.

The Executive Committee were empowered to ascertain if candidates are acceptable to Alliance, if not to obtain distinct candidates.

The committee on address reported the following, which was adopted:

To the voters of Linn County Oregon:

In view of the terrible effects of intemperance and the controlling influence that it sways over our public affairs—its influence and degrading tendencies being apparent in all departments of our government, local, state and national, the Linn County Temperance Alliance most earnestly requests all friends of temperance, irrespective of party affiliations, to use their best efforts to have tried and true temperance men placed in nomination for the various positions in the different departments of our government. Believing that the time has arrived when the minds of the people are fully awakened to the necessities of the case, we most especially urge active work at the present time, as the harvest is ready for the sickle and it needs but the reaper to gather it in. The especial place for effective work will be at the primary meetings. "If the foundation is solid, the superstructure is firm and complete." Friends of temperance, come to the front and make a firm stand and be true to your principles, and let us endeavor to make a successful campaign.

GEO. W. GRAY,
D. H. PUTMAN,
S. S. TRAIN,
Committee.

Completely False.

Last Sunday's *Mercury*, ambitious to be sensational, libels the character of J A Gross of the Depot Hotel in a most shameful manner. Henry Elgonbord has been in the employ of Mr. Gross for several years. His wife has been living with him, and lately gave birth to a baby. The *Mercury* states that on the next day the proprietor of the hotel peremptorily ordered and compelled her to move out of her room, and adds that "the inhuman proceeding has aroused the indignation of the whole community," &c. We have it from Mr Elgonbord that these statements are absolutely false. On account of the noise at the depot he had his wife removed to the residence of Mrs Rhiner in this city, where she could be taken care of, and Mr Gross knew nothing about it until it was being done. A complete retraction is due from the *Mercury* for thus trifling with the character of a respected citizen.

Blue Ribbon Club.

There was a large attendance at the meeting last Friday evening. The program as published last week was well rendered, and the different pieces were received with considerable enthusiasm. After the regular exercises an election of officers was had, when the following persons were chosen to serve the club for the ensuing six months:

E D Haven—President.
C C Hogue—1st Vice President.
A M Mattoon—2nd Vice President.
G I Foster—Secretary.
Miss Kate Conner—Treasurer.

School Meeting.

Little interest seemed to be taken in the election of school officers, held Monday, only 87 votes being cast. Following was the vote:

CLERK.

J. H. Burkhart	76
L. H. Montanye	25
Scattering	3
	84

DIRECTOR.

E. F. Sox	38
J. J Whitney	32
Chas Pfeiffer	17
	87

County Court Proceedings---March Term

L. Flinn, Judge; M. Cunningham, L. Douglas, Commissioners.

Application of Mark Hulbert and others for change of County road granted, road ordered established and fees of viewers and surveyors allowed.

Application of T J Cooper and others for change of County road granted, road ordered established and the county pay $40 damages.

Declination of A E Bloon as road supervisor of Dist. 14 accepted and S Cowder appointed.

Declination of B W Cooper as road supervisor of Dist. 21 accepted and John Denny appointed.

Declination of A Bailes as road supervisor of Dist. 26 accepted and A J Olin appointed.

Court ordered that $4 a week be allowed to whoever will take charge of Albert Hays, an indigent person.

Ordered that $4 a week be allowed Thos Humphrey from February 10 until further orders for taking charge of Chas G Miller.

Declination of J Burnett as road supervisor of Dist. 11 accepted, and John Orchard appointed.

Application of J L Hill, et al for change of county road granted, and following viewers appointed B W Cooper, J B Roberts, Wm Barrows.

Petition of D H Glass and others asking to make Carwfordsville as Crawfordsville Precinct for voting was granted.

Ordered that warrant be drawn to pay Mrs Smith's note, principal and interest, $2180.

Court ordered interest on $7000 due the O & W M S,B. March 15, to be paid.

Court ordered that Judge Strahan be appointed attorney in case of J J Charlton vs Linn county and that he be allowed $35 for his services.

Court allowed Dr J A Davis $3 on each of the Briggs and Haggerty inquests, balance due.

Court ordered that plans and specifications be received by next term of court, to act on building of bridge at Wilson's ford, on Muddy.

Application of A S Powell and others for location of county road granted, and D Froman, George Humphrey and W H Goltra were appointed viewers.

Ordered that specifications of J J Dorris be forwarded to J L Miller, supervisor of Thos Creek Bridge, and that said Dorris make plan according to specifications and have it advertised so as to bid on it by March 30.

Ordered that Clerk have side-walk built from court house to water closet.

Ordered that Clerk have all of deeds and mortgage record books overed and 2 books bound.

BILLS ALLOWED.

Fox, Baum and Co. $61.25; F E Robertson, $4.35, lumber; Watts and Godfrey, $5, printing; N Baum, $82.05, Clerk fees; John Gilliland, $200, for keeping Isaac Hutchins, a pauper a year; Wm M Allen, $5, nails; Charlotte E Charlton, $30, for keeping J W Lane, a pauper, a quarter of a year, ending March 7, 1882; H Bryant, $153, making county maps, road districts and roads. L Flinn, $75, 1 months salary; M Cunningham, $12, as Commissioner; L Douglas, $11.60 as Commissioner; J J Charlton, $12, 4 days attendance on Court.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

The National Surgical Institute of Indianapolis, with branches at Philadelphia, Atlanta, Ga., and San Francisco, which has a national reputation, will permanently establish a branch at Portland, Or.

Two of the skilled surgeons of this institute, prepared with every need apparatus for the successful treatment of cripples, will meet all the old patients and such new ones as may desire treatment this year at the following places: Portland, St. Charles hotel, April 8th, 10th and 11th; Albany, April 12th and 13th; The Dalles April 17th; Walla Walla, April 19th and 20th; Seattle, April 25th and 26th; and thereafter at Portland, Oregon, on the first two weeks of May and November of each year, commencing November, 1882.

Beware of all traveling doctors who may claim to represent any other institute, for this is the only Surgical Institute on this coast with facilities and experience for the treatment of deformities.

J. M. HINKLE, M. D.,
GEO. W. HANBY, M. D.,
Surgeons in charge, National Surgical Institute, 319 Bush St., San Francisco.

Grange Convention.

The subordinate Granges of Linn County are hereby requested to elect at their next regular meeting three delegates to attend a County Convention, to be held at No 10 Grange Hall on the first Saturday in April, for the purpose of selecting representatives to the State Grange for the ensuing year.

R. A. IRVINE,
State Deputy.

Y. P. C. A. Officers.

At the business meeting of the Young People's Christian Association, held last Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President—Dr. G. Willis Price.
Vice President—E. F. Sox.
Secretary—Gus Curry.
Financial Secretary—Mrs. L. E. Blain.
Treasurer—Jay Blain.
Organist—Miss Kate Conner.

Business Council.

The next regular session of the Linn County Business Council, P. of H., will be held at No 10 Grange Hall, on the first Saturday in April.

JOS POWELL,
President.

H C POWELL, Sec.

Public Examination.

The public examination of teachers for Linn county, will be held at the Court House in Albany, on Monday and Tuesday s. m., March 27th and 28th, 1882.

J. L. GILBERT.

The Menasha (Wis.) *Press*, says A Granger, Esq., of this city, uses St. Jacobs Oil on his horses with decided success and profit.

Dissolved.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Allen, Robinson & Co., is this day, dissolved by mutual consent. F E Robinson continuing the business.

N H ALLEN,
F E ROBINSON,
J A MARTIN,

Feb. 4th, 1882.

Program Linn Co. Institute.

Supt J. L. Gilbert, Manager.

TUESDAY P. M. MARCH 28, 1882.

Organization.
Institutes.....Supt. L. J. Powell
First day.....Mrs. S. S. Train
Daily Program.....County School Supt. J. L. Gilbert
Reviews and Examinations

EVENING.

Address of Welcome.....Mrs. E. G. Johnson
Address.....Supt. L. J. Powell

WEDNESDAY, A. M. MARCH 29.

Oral Language Lessons.....Mrs. S. S. Train
Bills Grammar.....Supt. J. L. Gilbert
Primary Composition.....Miss E. Turrell
Advanced Composition.....Rev. E. N. Condit

P. M.

Primary Reading.....Miss McCornack
Advanced Reading.....Miss E. N. Sparks
Orthography.....Miss M. Allison
Geography.....W. A. Paul

EVENING.

Address.....F. M. Martin
Elocution.....Judge McFadden

THURSDAY A. M. MARCH 30 1882.

Mental Arithmetic.....Supt. L. J. Gilbert
Primary Arithmetic.....Miss M. E. Gaston
Composition and Factoring.....C. C. Hogue
Denominate numbers.....Geo. M. Paul
Decimals.....F. M. Martin

P. M.

Percentage and Interest.....A. M. Mattoon
Analysis of Arithmetic (chart).....C. C. Hogue
Inducements to study.....Miss Jane Cranfield
History.....C. C. Hogue

EVENING:

Entertainment

FRIDAY A. M. MARCH 31, 1882.

School Government.....Supt. M. Elroy
Moral Culture.....Rev. J. W. Harris
Natural Science.....Supt. Powell
Fractions.....E. A. Milner
Calisthenics.....Miss McCornack

C. C. Hogue, Chairman,
Supt. Powell,
Supt. Gilbert,
Ex. Com.

E. F. Sox,
Chairman Entertainment Com.

The exercises will be enlivened by occasional music, recitations, etc.

Entertainment has been provided for about sixty teachers, and it is suggested that all wanting entertainment send their names to E. F. Sox.

Attention is called to Rule 29 of Rules and Regulations which requires the attendance of *all* public school teachers at Teachers' Institutes.

The entertainment Thursday eve will be for defraying expenses, and some of the best talent of Salem, Corvallis, Lebanon, Scio and Albany has been secured.

There will be a public examination of teachers the same week.

RESCUED FROM DEATH.

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers. He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs, followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my flesh and appetite. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half dollar. I expended over a hundred dollars on doctors and medicines. I was so far gone at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of Dr. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have the past three years.

"I write this hoping you will publish it so that every one afflicted with Diseased Lungs will be induced to take Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and be convinced that consumption can be cured. I have taken two bottles and can positively say that it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work." Sold by druggists.

Letter List.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the Post Office, Albany, Linn county, Oregon, March 16th, 1882. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Barker, J.	Brown, Mrs. A.
Bartenshaw, Wm.	Butler, Geo. H.
Foss, Frank	Foss, L. F.
Logsdan, Leema,	Markham Millie,
Miller, K. F.	Moore, R. E.
Southworth, Lewis,	Wristman, James.

P. H. RAYMOND, P. M.

Mrs. Parrish's Removal.

Mrs. L. J. Parrish has removed her millinery store from her old location into the Froman brick opposite S. E. Young's store and is now ready there to receive her friends and customers. She has a good stock of millinery on hand and keeps adding to it constantly, not allowing it to run down. Her prices are lower than usual and our readers will do well to give her a call.

A mother and son killed by King of the Blood. The mother was Dyspepsia, the son General Unhappiness. See advertisement.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the error and indiscretions of youth, nervous is weakness, early decay, loss of manhood &c. I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a saif-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City. 15m6.

A torpid liver has to wake up and attend to business when King of the Blood gets into the circulation. See advertisement.

O. B. P.

Wm. Pfunder's

Is the people's popular remedy it is warranted to give satisfaction, if you want testimonials call at the office We don't publish them, but refer you to the dealers and consumers. It has no equal. $1 per bottle or 6 bottles for $5.

DIED.

BREEDEN.—At Grass Ridge, in this county, on March 5th, 1882, of heart disease, A. R. BREEDEN.

[Mr. B. was one of the Oregon pioneers, having come to this country at an early day He leaves quite a large family and many friends to mourn his loss.]

BUCHANAN.—On Saturday, March 11th, at Walla Walla, of scarlet fever, FRANK BUCHANAN, aged ten years.

[Frank was a son of Eugene Buchanan, lately of this city, and was a bright, manly boy, who made friends with everybody, and was loved by all. The news was received in this city with great sadness, for it found many to mourn the loss of one, though young, yet possessing so many good qualities.]

NOTICE TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Oregon Pacific Railroad Company, Corvallis, Oregon, until noon April 1st, 1882 and will then be opened for furnishing the materials and doing the work on construction of four tunnels on the line of the Oregon Pacific Railroad, between Corvallis and Yaquina, varying in length from 400 to 750 feet, according to plans and specifications now on file in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Company at Corvallis.

The bids must be made on blanks which will be furnished by the Company on application.

The Company reserve to themselves the right of rejecting any or all bids.

MR. M. H