

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

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS.	ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.
ALBANY EXPRESS DEPARTS AT 5:30 A. M.	ALBANY EXPRESS ARRIVES AT 5:30 P. M.
ALBANY EXPRESS DEPARTS AT 11:30 A. M.	ALBANY EXPRESS ARRIVES AT 11:30 P. M.
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On and after this date regular tickets will be sold at our depot office for the following points on Columbia river: Upper Cascades, Dallas, Umatilla, Wallula, Walla Walla and Alamosa.

WILL B. RICE,
Freight and Ticket Agent
at U. & C. R. R. Co.
Albany, June 18th, 1881.

The Instantaneous Process.

Mr. A. B. Paxton, of this city, always up with the times, has learned the art of taking pictures instantaneously, and accomplishes it with success. The art has caused and excited a great deal of interest in the scientific world, and is one of the biggest inventions of the present day. Moving objects are taken as easily as if standing and landscape scenery is captured from a lightning train. Mr. Paxton has not yet gone so far as this, but by it he can take the pictures of the restless baby or the uneasy family dog with the greatest ease. The other day while four young ladies were getting their positions ready for a picture some happy remark made them laugh. In an instant their picture was taken, laugh and all. It is almost life-like and worth seeing. All the horrors of losing remaining in one position are now removed, so that there is no excuse for not having a counterpart of yourself always ready for your friends.

Current Topics.

Too many colds.
Which takes the lead, the U. or the O? Will business be pushed on the Albany and Yaguna R. R. in the Spring?
Tax receipts scare people in the face through the country, telling them "what it cost them for the year 1882 to assist in supporting the government."
The new Council has some knotty questions to tackle.
At a musical ball at Newport last week the following are some of the artistic characters assumed by some well known in this county: Miss Clara Parker, Fairy; Miss Rohna Parker, Jockey; Mrs. W. H. Parker, Fox-horn girl; Miss Nancy Parker, Winter; Mrs. P. M. Abby, daughter of the regiment; W. H. Parker, hard times; Ed. Mack, Dinah; Wallace Manner, Queen Mow; R. Rankin, Fireman; E. L. Abby, Texas Bill; Ted Parker, Kit Carson; S. G. Irvine, Angel of Darkness.

Metecology for 1883.

During the year 1882 the highest barometer was in March, it standing at 30.28 and the lowest in October, 20.10. The mean for the year was 29.81. The highest thermometer was in June, being 82 degrees above zero, the lowest in February, being 16 degrees above zero. The mean for the year was 50.65. The greatest number of inches of rain-fall was in December, being 11.64 inches, the next in February, 10.07 inches, and the lowest in August, .04 inches. Total for the year, 46.61 inches. The greatest number of rainy days was in December, being 29, next in October, 19, the lowest in July and August, 3 each. The number of rainy days, 121. Snow fell January 8 inches, February 41 inches, and March 4 inches, and at no other time during the year. Total inches of snow, 104. There were 69 frosty days, 19 in February and 10 in January, March and April.

Wachenheim's Afflictions.

Few men have ever been bounced around by the strong arm of the law more severely than Mr. A. Wachenheim. In the Multnomah county trials he came out ahead, and last Friday, was discharged from his long fingered clutches of the law which held him prisoner in that county, but to no longer was he released than Sheriff Humphrey had a Lien county warrant for him, and he was brought to Albany last Saturday, charged with burglary. Monday morning he appeared before E. R. Skippworth, Esq., when the case was set down for preliminary examination on next Tuesday, December 9th, in order to give him time to produce witnesses. A great deal of interest in the matter, but what will be the termination of it all is yet to be seen and can not be predicted.

Summary of Assessment.

According to the assessment roll now complete and on file in the County Clerk's office, we find the following statistics of Lin county's products, etc. Number of acres of land, 416,928; total value, \$3,750,155; number of acres of railroad land, 35,143; value, \$10,343; value of town lots, \$625,284; improvements, \$306,630; merchandise and implements, \$706,905; money, notes, accounts, stores of stock, etc., \$1,635,771; household furniture, carriages, watches, etc., \$228,221; horses and mules, 7030; value, \$339,431; cattle, 10,892; value, \$102,560; sheep, 40,494; value, \$53,564; swine, 9954; value, \$19,261. Gross value of property, \$7,838,534; indebtedness, \$1,771,011; exemptions, \$402,737; taxable property, \$5,737,796; number of polls, 1614.

Skating on Ice.

The water froze and the hearts of the young people rebounded with joy. Ice in Oregon is like angels' visits, so that when it does come, it makes an event of so small moment. Every forenoon during the first of the week large numbers gathered at Monteith's flats and made the thin ice bend and ring as they skimed over its surface. For the rarity of ice here it is wondered at the many good skaters which we have. There is no more exhilarating exercise extant, so that those who like it should take time by the forelock and cut a few spread eagles.

HOME AND ABROAD.

F. M. French, jeweler, Blue Ribbon Club to-night. Wheat 87 cents at the mill. River navigation is quite lively now. E. R. Skippworth, lawyer, Albany, Or. The Democrat, \$3.50 a year in advance. There is a dearth of socialites this winter.

Regular meeting of the H. & L. Co. this evening.

One of our young men is "up to his bloody ears" in business.

Ten murders have occurred near Princeton in the last few years.

A good second hand organ for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.

The Oregonian says Albany has an annual trade of about \$1,000,000.

Some full-blooded Berkshire pigs for sale by J. P. Gilmore at Miller's Station.

The total number of Indians in Oregon and Washington Territory is 10,562.

About \$3,000,000 were invested in Portland in building during the year 1882.

Oat and wheat straw for sale. Call on Fred Burkhardt, one mile east of Albany.

A fraction of an inch of snow fell Wednesday morning, but did not remain long.

For rent—House in eastern part of the city for rent cheap. Inquire at this office.

Dr. G. W. Price, dentist, office in Old Fallows' Temple, over Langdon's Drug Store.

Mr. Lewis Cox has purchased the Cannon farm near Waitburg, paying \$12000 for the same.

Trying to please everybody is like eating soap with a darning needle. It cannot be done.

Our merchants have been busy lately making their annual inventory of their goods.

Hon. J. J. Whitney has moved his law office to the O'Toole Block with E. R. Skippworth.

A few persons can find a first-class place to board in a private family by inquiring at this office.

Portland celebrated New Years in the latest style, and calls were made by nearly everybody.

Quite a destructive fire occurred at New Tacoma last Saturday, the loss amounting to about \$40,000.

Rev. R. Stevens takes the premium for being the best fancy skater in the city. He is a genius at it.

New Tacoma has increased from a population of four or five hundred in 1880 to about three thousand.

Three or four of our citizens started for Yaguna Bay the first of the week. We predict a rough voyage.

The cold weather has been bad on grain fields, as it always injures the kernels; but, nothing serious is apprehended.

Before a Turk gets married he asks all good men to pray for him. Americans thoughtlessly will till afterwards.

There is little work being done in the O. & C. R. R. extension this winter, but it will be pushed with energy in the spring.

A party of men went down the river Wednesday towards Salem from Corvallis, in small boats. They were after ducks.

Will Leavitt is carrier for the Northwest News, and will make a trustworthy, efficient man when he learns the route.

Foshey & Mason have just issued a large calendar, with weekly slips, which is well gotten up and quite tasty in appearance.

For the three years ending Dec. 31, 1882, there were 805 crimes drawn on the city treasury, amounting to the sum of \$17,341.

There is a reaction in the marriage business this week. Although we searched in every direction we were able to find but one.

The Council Proceedings will be of particular interest this week, and by reading them you can judge of just how the city stands financially.

Work is being pushed on North Santiam railroad bridge washed out by the recent high water, and it will be ready for use in about a week.

Hoffman & Joseph are doing a good grocery business, and deserve it, for they keep an excellent stock of goods, which they sell at reasonable prices.

There will be a social, given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the residence of Dr. Rice, on Lyon St., on Tuesday evening, January 16, 1883.

We congratulate the East Oregonian on the firm stand it has taken on what it believes to be right. It is exerting a good influence in wicked Pendleton.

Star Brewery beer is what is called for by those desiring the beverage. It has been found out that Mr. Faber manufactures the best beer to be found in the valley.

A saloon in this city is painted red and black. The proprietor must have forgotten the significance of these colors, the former meaning danger and the latter death.

A business corner of the city is that of Peter & Blain, on the corner of first and Ferry streets. Remember their location when you wish to purchase hardware.

In our account of the Rand Reunion last week we unintentionally omitted the name of Thos. Monteith, Jr., as being one of the old members who took part in the affair.

Advance Lodge No. 2, Ancient Order of United Templars, meets at Knox Bette next Tuesday forenoon at ten o'clock. The charter will be open thirty days for new members.

During the year 1882 there were consumed in this county just 131 mammals. As they are all published in the DEMOCRAT at the time of their occurrence we will not repeat the list.

In a certain will filed in the County Clerk's office the testator gives to "W. H. What his name \$25 (out of the \$100 he owes me) on account of his impudence to me and his lies to his mother."

Skating at the rink to-morrow (Saturday) evening for everybody. Next week the rink will be open Monday and Saturday nights for ladies and gentlemen, if accompanying them.

The annual meeting of the Lin county Bible Society takes place to-morrow evening at Y. P. C. Hall, at 7.30. It is earnestly requested by the management that there be a good attendance.

For the words of encouragement which reach us from different parts of the county and State we feel duly grateful, and will try to merit them by beginning the New Year with high resolutions to do better than ever in the past.

The following have been elected officers of

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Wm. Humphrey is in Portland this week. Mr. Wm. Webber was in Salem over New Year's.

Mrs. Talbot, of Seio, is visiting friends in this city.

Zel Job, of Corvallis, was in the city last Tuesday.

J. M. Nolan was in Portland the first of the week.

Mr. Lewis Ray, of Mt. Pleasant, has been in the city this week.

Miss Annie Gentry, of Independence was in the city last week.

Mr. G. Parish and family have moved to his farm near Brownsville.

Curt Wink is clerking in the grocery store of Redfield & Irving.

Mrs. C. W. Watta has been visiting her parents near Salem for a few weeks.

We acknowledge a visit on New Year's day from J. F. McCartney, of Harrisburg.

John Pratt and son of Seio were in the city last Monday and gave us a New Year's call.

Mr. Watson, lately from Indiana, but now stopping at Haley, was in the city over Sunday.

Mr. John Gilliland, of Sweet Home, was in Albany New Year's, and while here paid us a pleasant visit.

Mr. Fletcher Archibald, who is attending the Philomath School spent the holidays in this county.

Miss Della Hook came up from Gervais last week and passed several days with her friends here.

W. A. West and family have left this city for Watsonville, Cal., where they will reside in the future.

S. J. Archibald, of Tangent, one of Lin county's best farmers, made us his annual call last Saturday.

Mr. Don Wheeler, for some time a clerk in Foley & Mason's, left the first of the week to go on a trip down the river.

James Kester, of Lebanon, was in the city last Tuesday and set himself a year ahead at the DEMOCRAT.

M. M. Harvey is now in Seattle, which he intends to make his future home, and will move there soon with his family.

Mr. Fred O. Howland, of Renton, W. T., formerly of the same ill-fated as the local editor of this paper, called on us yesterday.

Miss Ida Webber and Misses Myra and Annie Mansfield, spent New Year's in Salem, where they assisted friends in receiving calls.

Miss Addie George, an efficient delivery clerk for the Portland Post Office, passed New Year's with her mother and friends in Albany.

George Hochstetler returned last week from Washington Territory, where he spent several days investigating the prospects of Tacoma and other places.

Judge Boise and wife returned home last Saturday from the east where they have been attending the National Grange. The Judge's health has improved very much.

Mr. Rebecca Young, left last Friday for Seattle, where she will reside with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Sox. Mrs. Young has resided in Albany a great many years, and it is with great regret her many friends now see her leave this place.

L. B. Cox, former editor and proprietor of the East Oregonian, but now doing a lively legal business in Pendleton, was in the city last week. Mr. Cox is relative of Gen. R. E. Lee and cousin to Judge Cox who tried Galt.

W. R. Kirk, of Brownsville was in the city Wednesday, urging upon the County Court the necessity of repairing the bridge across the Calapoos at Brownsville, which was so badly damaged by the late floods.

Joe Nixon, one of the new proprietors of the St. Charles Hotel, at Lebanon, was in Albany last Wednesday and made us a call. It is intended to make the St. Charles one of the best hotels in the valley, and the new proprietors are well fitted to do it.

Miss Nettie Henderson, of Lafayette, who has been on an extended visit to her brother, E. H. Henderson, of Harrisburg passed through this city on her way home yesterday. Miss Nettie made a host of friends during her stay at Harrisburg who will regret her return home.

Interesting Facts.

During the year 1882 there were 534,760 cases of salmon packed on the Columbia river, the Astoria Packing Co. taking the lead with 97,500 cases. The capital invested in canneries and appliances is \$2,000,000. The amount paid out on freight on exports last Portland during 1882, was \$2,700,000.

During 1882, 3,677,464 bushels of wheat were exported from the Willamette district, valued at \$3,599,535; of flour 402,667 barrels, value, \$1,856,052.

There is one match factory in Portland. Stores are manufactured in Portland of as good make as can be obtained at any of the large eastern foundries.

\$150,000 worth of beer was brewed in Portland last year.

Alky, Kramer & Co., of Portland manufactured \$36,000 worth of confectionery last year, 35 hands are employed. N. Baum, of this city, is a member of the Grand Jury.

During the same time there were imported into the same district, 8,277,701 pounds of salt, \$2,253,153 pounds of rice.

During 1882 the imports into the Willamette district were in value \$160,703 less than in 1881.

Albany.

Albany is the principal town of Lin county. Its population is 1800 and it is the seat of a really great local business. For a few years past business has been overdone here and during the past year times have been "slow" and "hard." Comparatively little has been done in the way of building and the population has fallen off slightly. But Albany is not going "down hill." It has the backing of a rarely good country and is far enough from Portland to hold its local trade. It will always do a good business of \$1,000,000 or upward per year, and in the future, when the big farms are divided and the mountain lands settled, will become a point of even greater importance. Three merchant flouring mills, a planing mill and a twine factory, all run by water power, are the principal industries of Albany. A college institute and good general schools afford first-class educational facilities.—Oregonian.

Land For Sale.

If you want to sell your land, send to us for blank applications.

We have customers now that will purchase either a piece of garden land, grain farm or stock ranch, if placed in our hands soon.

Money to loan at low rate of interest.

Real Estate & Loan Agents.

Albany Or.

"Buckskins."

Quick, complete cures, all annoying Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Diseases. \$1 Druggists.

MRS. E. G. JENKINS, President.

Secretary.

Council Proceedings.

Monday evening, Jan. 1, 1883.

Present—Mayor, Recorder, Marshal and Aldermen, Board of Health, Board of Education and Taxpayers.

Report of City Recorder for 4th quarter read and placed on file, it being found correct by the committee.

Reports of city officers, Recorder, Marshal and Treasurer read and laid on the table.

Resignation of M. M. Harvey read and accepted.

Moved and carried that Recorder be allowed \$75 for keeping books during past year.

The new Mayor and Aldermen were sworn in by Recorder Norton.

Retiring Mayor Diekey returned his thanks in an appropriate manner to the Council for their government of the city and treatment of him.

Mayor Walter Ketchum took his seat without any recommendations, but stated that he would make them as he saw the need of different things during the coming year.

An election of Councilmen for the First ward in place of M. M. Harvey, resigned, then followed, resulting in the choice of D. R. N. Blackburn, who was then duly sworn in.

The city government now stands as follows:

Mayor, Walter Ketchum.

Recorder, N. J. Henton.

Marshal, George Burkhardt.

Treasurer, Fred Muller.

Councilmen, Arch. Monteith, D. R. N. Blackburn, John Hoffman, A. B. Woodin, E. J. Lanning and John Brush.

The following committees were then appointed:

Ways and Means, Lanning, Woodin and Blackburn.

Accounts and Current Expenses, Brush, Monteith and Hoffman.

Streets and Public Property, Hoffman, Brush and Monteith.

Fire and Water, Monteith, Hoffman and Brush.

Health and Police, Woodin, Lanning and Blackburn.

Reports of city officers taken from the table and referred to the committee on accounts and current expenses.

Moved that the rules of order amended by the last Council be adopted.

The following bills were allowed on suspension of rules. Fred Muller, \$25; each of the old councilmen, \$1.

The following bills were referred: R. D. Murray, \$225; N. J. Henton, \$15.50; John Usher, \$1.50; Fred Muller, \$2.

Recorder's Report for 1882.

Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1882, \$222.33

Received from taxes, 5631.15

Received from license, 3828.18

Received from fines, 190.00

Received from dog tax, 81.00

Received from license, 45.90

Received rebate on insurance, 15.90

Total, \$9364.66

Disbursements.

Amount paid Mayor and Council, \$238.00

Amount paid Recorder, 592.10

Amount paid Marshal, 840.52

Amount paid Treasurer, 75.00

Amount paid Police and Fire, 1556.00

Amount paid Fire Department, 937.81

Amount paid building No. 2, 29.00

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Witness and juror, 25.00

Costs of Wilson suit, 139.50

Mr. Hook, rebate on license, 180.00

Judges and clerks of election, 38.00

Services City Attorney, 148.00

Services Surveyor, 662.50

Services Engineer, 19.50

Interest on bonds, 154.19

Rent, 58.25

Insurance, 59.70

Printing, 27.35

Coal and oil, 85.80

Hauling, 32.50

Rent on hydrant, 50.00

Electric, 43.00

Hardware, 96.07

Bills of 1881, 282.83

Total, \$9456.17

Bills due, \$110.15

Total expenditures, \$9566.32

Orders paid 1882, \$8776.79

Orders not paid, \$681.38

Cash in Treasury, \$1187.67

Net amount, \$9364.66

Valuable Remembrance.

Prof. D. V. S. Reid, principal of our public school received an invitation to be present at a gathering of his former pupils, at the Jefferson Academy, last week. He accepted the invitation, and passed a very enjoyable social time with them. In addition to the pleasure of social greetings extended to him by the large throng of former pupils gathered together he was also made the recipient of a substantial present from them in the shape of a valuable book—"The Lives of the Presidents"—and several other valuable articles. A remembrance of this kind is doubly valuable, as it shows, not only kindly feeling, but an appreciation of the arduous and honestly performed labors of the school room, and speaks a higher recommendation of the man than any other manner. Prof. Reid is justly proud of this kindly recognition of his former pupils.—Disseminator.

Advance No. 2.

Last Monday N. T. Moore, of this city, organized a new lodge at Knox Bette, of the Ancient Order of Templars, which starts out with a membership of about forty. Following are the officers elected:

J. E. Knox, P. T.

H. C. Powell, T.

Margaret J. Propst, V. T.

A. G. Marshall, Lecturer.

Wm. Ford, Guard.

Frank Trice, Marshal.

Michael Knox, Watchman.

Martin Miller, Treasurer.

Dr. E. G. Johnson, Medical Examiner.

Holland Club supper.

There is no society more deserving of notice than a well regulated literary club. Such a one is the Holland club. It was formed over a year ago, is now in a very prosperous condition, and is exerting an influence for good. Last Friday evening it held an entertainment and supper in the pleasant dining room of the Depot Hotel, and was attended by thirty, all told, including about fifteen besides the fifteen members, the guests being old members and those who had entertained the club.

At 8 o'clock the club was called to order, and some excellent readings from Shakespeare, Scott, Holland and other standard authors were rendered by Misses M. I. Foster, E. E. Irvine, D. H. Hook, Nova Alexander, Mrs. C. E. Wolverson