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LOCAL RECORD.

THE Y. M. C. A. CONCERT.—A good audience was present at the Opera House last Tuesday to enjoy the concert given by the Y M C A, and the general expression was one of commendation for the fine program presented. The College Orchestra opened the entertainment with a couple selections, and were heard at the beginning of the second part, furnishing some choice instrumental music. The Apollo Club, fourteen members, to-wit: Messrs Young, Littler, Acheson, McKee, Mitchell, Fortmiller, Hart, Goff, Miller, Sears and son, Lee, Hearst and ——— were heard second, and on four other occasions during the evening, singing with great harmony and receiving the encores they deserved. The Waltz song was particularly well presented. The Bavarian Yodle, with Mr Hart on the solo, was the gem of their numbers, receiving an enthusiastic encore.

The quartets by Acheson, Littler, Miller and Sears, "The Wolf is on the Hill," Young, Hart, Lee and Sears, "Blow on ye Winds," and "Good Night," were all well rendered. Mr Sears was heard in a bass solo.

Miss Moses, of the College, recited "The Message," with piano accompaniment, receiving a hearty encore, and "The New Lochinvar," displaying a versatile elocutionary talent.

Mr S Dudley, of Oberlin, O., was heard in two clarinet solos, doing some excellent work on that popular instrument.

Mr Geo Edwin Bryant, the canoeist and lecturer, from New Zealand, recited "Kissing Cup's Race," receiving a very enthusiastic encore. He is a talented elocutionist, with splendid stage presence, displaying great expression and a pleasing voice. His portrayal of how "Kissing Cup" won the race was an elocutionary treat of much merit.

Miss Mildred Burmester as accompanist for the different parts is entitled to credit.

CROOK COUNTY.—The Ochoco Review of February 28 was ten days in reaching Albany. We clip the following items:

Deputy Sheriff Slayton was over to Sisters the first of the week. He reported twenty inches of snow at Sisters and from four to six feet at Matoles.

Tobboganing is the rage here. A good track has been beaten on the hill north of town, and every night a crowd gathers there and while away the hours coasting down hill.

Something of a prospecting fever is being worked up in this section. Prospecting parties are going into the mountains every few days, and the hidden treasures of this county will no doubt be unearthed.

Treasurer White is in receipt of a letter from Senator Cogswell stating that the bill increasing the salary of the county treasurer of this county from $200 to $400 a year had passed both houses of the legislature.

Monday night Bob Harrington undertook to eject Billy Stroud from his (Harrington's) saloon, to which Billy demurred, resulting in a pugilistic encounter. Billy was given a trial before a jury in the recorder's court, Wednesday, and was found guilty of assault and battery.

NEW CORPORATIONS.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the secretary of state's office as follows: The Oregon Timber Land and Investment Co, of Oregon City; capital stock, $50,000, divided into 2,500 shares. The Squaw Creek Irrigation company, with the principal office at Prineville, Crook county; capital stock, $2000, divided into 40 shares. J W Howard, E T Stayton, T A Wren and G M Stayton are the incorporators. The Finnish Brotherhood association, of Astoria, Clatsop; real estate business; capital stock, $10,000, divided into 1000 shares. The Luckel King & Cake Soap company, of Portland; capital stock, $60,000, divided into 600 shares. The First Presbyterian church, of Myrtle Point. The Portland & Oregon City Electric Railway company; capital stock, $250,000 divided into shares of $100 each. Oregon Tontine company, of Portland; capital stock, $45,000, divided into 150 shares. The Bullard Creek Irrigation company, of Lakeview; capital stock, $5000, divided into 200 shares. The Riverside Congregational church, of Hood river Wasco county, Oregon.

AN INVENTION.—Mr W D McGee, of Salem, formerly of Linn and Lane counties, having taught school at Brownsville, and resided in Eugene many years, is the inventor of a device which promises to make a fortune for him and at the same time save many hours figuring and much vexation wherever the machine is used, says the Statesman. It is an interest and tax calculator, based on the decimal system. For four years Mr McGee has studied his device, and has added improvements upon it until the little mechanism is now complete. By its use in less than two seconds—time depending solely upon the dexterity of the manipulator—the operator can find the interest discount or taxes on any sum, at any given per cent for any number of days. It is simple in operation and construction, there being bars with figures on them, which, when slid out to the decimal stop-bar (decimal point) show in black and white the results of the calculation. The machines will be manufactured in Salem and will soon be on sale throughout the country.

A RING TO IT.—A despatch from Mr F L Such, owner of Cloverdale, received today, authorized the putting of his name down for $2000 toward the bridge at Albany. There is a ring to that that is decidedly healthy. It adds inspiration to the work of pushing the bridge movement forward. If is worth $2000 to Mr Such, it is worth many dollars to all of the residents across the river, who no doubt will generally give liberally, as well. Next Christmas we propose crossing the Willamette on a bridge.

THE EDITOR WHIPPED HIM.—Geo A Sanford, editor of the Jefferson Review, was in the city to-day. The pugilistic contest in which Mr Sanford was engaged Saturday, heretofore mentioned in the DEMOCRAT, occurred with Mr J H Rainey, formerly of this city, and was the result of an item in the Review about Mr Rainey wishing to secure a license for opening a billiard hall. The report is that Mr Sanford came out on top in quite an emphatic manner. Both were fined $5.

AN IMPLEMENT STORE.—W C Davis & Co have rented the storeroom in the Senders building, at the corner of First and Ferry streets, and will run an agricultural implement store, carrying the full line of Staver & Walker's agricultural implements. Mr Davis, who recently moved from Shedd to this city, is an old and reliable business man, well acquainted through the county, and the line of implements is a popular one.

INSURE YOUR STOCK.—To the owners of live stock—and especially those who own stallions—I desire to say that I have received the agency of the Oregon Live Stock Mutual Indemnity Association, and am prepared to insure all live stock at three-fourths their value. Owners of valuable stallions especially should insure. Call at my stables in Albany, corner Second and Washington streets.

FRANK TRITES.

IN THREE DAYS twenty-eight lots were sold in Railroad addition to Sidney. These lots are remarkably cheap at $75, and if you want a choice lot you had better buy now. First come, first served. Lots cleared, and warranty deed from Bank of Sidney. Only $25 cash.

MORGAN BROS.,
opp. Masonic Hall.

INDICTED.—The grand jury brought in an indictment to-day against one Hicklin, for larceny in the taking from the house of Mr Reinhart, who lives near Tangent, a lot of clothing, jewelry, etc, and account of which was published some weeks ago.

MANY FAILURES.—The recent teachers examination at this city resulted in the granting of certificates as follows: Two first grades, seven second grades, and sixteen third grades. There were thirty-four failures.

THE BEST PAVEMENT.—In view of the interest being taken here in the matter of street pavements the report of Wm Steyh, city engineer of Burlington, Iowa, published in the Municipal Engineers Journal, will be of value: He compares the qualities of the different kind of materials which he had examined, and his observations ranged from Toronto, Canada, through Iowa and Illinois to Wheeling, West Va. He says he found various pavements in use, but the following four were the least defective and were the only ones which had given general satisfaction from a healthful and economical standpoint. He compares them thus: Granite—merits: durable, clean, healthful; defects: noisy, uncomfortable, slippery when worn, and expensive, first cost. Sheet asphaltum—merits: comfortable, clean, noiseless, healthful; defects: short lived, expensive to repair, slippery on graded, expensive at first cost. Bricks—merits: comfortable, durable, clean, healthful, easy to repair; defects: moderately noisy, moderate first cost. Wood blocks—merits: comfortable, noiseless, clean (when new); defects: shortlived, unhealthful, moderate first cost. Of these four kinds of paving Mr Steyh decidedly favors brick to be used in the city of Burlington.

THIS YEAR FOR CERTAIN.—The following item from the Corvallis Times is a good one, and full of interest for Linn county people: "Mr Wm Rumbaugh, of Albany, one of Linn county's honorable commissioners, has been visiting a few days in our city. He says the bridge across the Willamette at that place will likely be built this year. It was the intention of the commissioners to wait until '92 before beginning work, but the people of Albany have shown such anxiety for its immediate construction by offering $40,000 towards building it this year, that Mr Rumbaugh thinks that it will span the creek before Christmas." Mr Rumbaugh also gives the DEMOCRAT information that under the proposition made he will favor the appropriation for the bridge this year, to be paid next year.

A VALUABLE LITTLE BOOK.—One of the handiest, and at the same time, the most valuable little books we have met with in a long time is a little pamphlet entitled, "Comparison-Item by Item," of the tariff law of 1883, the Mills bill and the McKinley bill as passed. Here in parallel columns are to be seen at a glance the rate of duties imposed by the tariff of 1883, the Mills bill and the McKinley law. It is arranged in such a plain, simple way as to be readily understood by anyone of ordinary intelligence. Every farmer, be he democrat, republican, alliance or other name, should send, by all means, and get a copy. This book is simply invaluable to everyone wishing to study this great question. Send 25 cents in stamps to Tariff-Reform, No. 52, William street, New York City, N. Y.

A PENDLETON TRAGEDY.—Mr W H Raymond, special agent of the Guardian Insurance company, was in the city today. Mr Raymond was in the sleeper going through Pendleton last Friday night, when a serious affray occurred, Easton, the porter doing most of the firing. About twelve shots were fired, and Mr Raymond says he began to think he might be hit when it ceased. He kept his birth and did not see any of the fight. The Pendleton E. O. says Buhnke and English, instead of the tramp, were the two men, it is alleged, who attacked Easton and were driven away by his shooting, and Lindsey the man who shot at and chased him afterwards. It appears that on account of an insult a job was put up by Lindsey and his friends to scare the porter and drive him out of the country. They had probably not reckoned on his having a pistol.

A DRIVER LOST.—News reached this city yesterday by private letter to the effect that the stage driver, who left Prineville for The Dalles, a week ago last Saturday, had become lost in the blinding snowstorm and that he had not reached his destination as late as Friday when he should have been there Monday. He had one passenger with him. It is thought he missed the road in the snow and may come out all right yet, though fears are entertained for his safety.—Salem Journal.

BASKET SOCIABLE.—There will be a basket sociable at Grand Prairie Grange hall, on the evening of March 20th. Everybody invited; come one, come all, and ladies don't forget to bring your baskets. There will be an interesting program in connection with the sociable.

W. J. MISNER,
J. A. BODINE,
Committee on Invitation.

FRIDAY EVENING.—Mr George Edwin Bryant, the eminent New Zealand canoeist and lecturer, has completed arrangements for delivering his lecture on his canoe trip of 2000 miles down the Murray river, Australia, at the W C T U Hall, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr Bryant is an eloquent talker as was fully demonstrated in his recital at the Y M C A entertainment. The lecture is one full of exciting and interesting events. Admission only 25 cents.

WHAT A HAT DID.—There being a scarcity of items this afternoon, a DEMOCRAT man invested in a bran new, latest style hat at L E Blain's. Being entirely too tony for the subject, and offering a great contrast to the remainder of the apparel of the wearer, it attracted some attention, causing numerous impertinent remarks, nearly resulting in several cases for the recorder.

"Where did you get it?"

"Shoot the hat."

"What a sight."

"A fire somewhere," etc.

And yet there are people who would like to run a newspaper just for awhile.

AN EDITOR'S FIGHT.—There was a mill at Jefferson Saturday morning between Editor Sanford, of the Review, and Merchant Curran. The latter had taken offense at something in the Review in reference to him. The contestants were taken before the recorder and fined $5 each.—Salem Statesman. According to a report received here the fight was between Mr Sanford and a former Albany man who had failed to get a saloon license. There is no reason why an editor should not be allowed to do his share of fighting.

CARD OF THANKS.—We take this means of returning our heartfelt thanks to many neighbors and friends for sympathy, kindness and assistance during the recent illness and after the death of our beloved daughter, Carrie, which have done much to lighten the burden of our great sorrow.

MR AND MRS CHAS. PFEIFFER.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—I am now receiving my first invoices of spring novelties in wash goods, prints, ginghams, seersuckers, etc., I have also just received a new line of all wool summer plaids and beiges.

SAMUEL E YOUNG.

Bargains!! Bargains!!

100 pairs of ladies black kid gloves at 35 cents, worth $1.50.

500 pair of ladies, misses and children's all-wool hose at 25 cents, worth 35 to 75 cents.

Ladies corsets 35 cents, worth 75 cents to $1.75.

Scotch Saxony wool 2½ cents per skein, worth 10 cents.

Remnants in dress goods at less than cost.

These goods and many other bargains to be found on our counters for 10 days only. Call early to secure the best bargains while the assortment is complete.

G W SIMPSON.

CHEAP WOOD.—Good fir wood delivered to any part of Albany, for only $3 a cord. Leave orders at F W Spinks' lumber yard.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a prime guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Foshay & Mason, agents.

BOARDERS WANTED, for table and one room. Inquire at DEMOCRAT office.

Cloaks at cost at W P Read's.

A fine stock of lace curtains for 90 cents to $10 to suit the customer, at Fortmiller & Irving's.

A pair of fast black hose free with every pair of ladies shoes costing $3 or more at Sears' shoe store.

CIRCUIT COURT.

P J Porter agt J C Elder. Partition. Continued.

Thos Jefferson agt G S Montgomery. Attachment. Continued.

T Dittenhoffer agt Perry Smith. To recover money. Continued.

State agt James Bannon. Burglary. Continued.

Toplitz & Co agt Mary Cougill. To recover money. Continued.

C F Cromwell et al agt Dasie Keeney et al. Partition. Continued.

Geo J Barner agt Mary Cougill. To recover money. Continued.

Earl Race agt Searl & Dean. Attachment. Dismissed at cost of plff.

Mooney, Valentine & Co agt Mary Cougill. To recover money. Continued.

Albany Farmers Co agt S S McFadden. To recover money. Continued for service.

Ella Mendenhall agt E H Belshaw. Partition. On docket by mistake.

W A Kimsey agt S M McDaniel. Partition. Sale confirmed.

J S Antonelle agt Anna McNulty. Equity. Continued.

May & Senders agt M T McGrath. Attachment. Settled.

Jerry Hay agt J P Schooling. Appeal. Settled.

Jesse L Adams agt Mary A Adams. Divorce. Dismissed at cost of plff.

Deyoe & Robson agt C G Stahl. To recover money. Continued.

W H McCoy agt J B McCoy et al. Equity. Sale confirmed.

S A Crowder agt Sarah A Crowder. Divorce. Divorce granted.

D F Leisinger et al agt Geo Rowell. Injunction. Continued.

Deyoe & Robson agt D T Leisinger and B F Parsons. To recover money. Continued.

Deyoe & Robson agt Wm Reeves. To recover money. Continued.

Hart Saddlery Co agt Maltby & Carey. To recover money. Settled.

Capital National Bank agt W F Crosby. To recover money. Continued.

F B Prater agt E B Kendall and wife. Specific performance of contract. Dismissed at cost of plff.

E J Daly agt M Alexander. Damages. Dismissed at cost of plff.

Wasserman & Co agt Metzgar & Moessenger. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

S Moor & Co agt Metzgar & Moessenger. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

D M Osborne & Co agt Jesse M South. To recover money. Dismissed.

D M Osborne & Co agt John Wickizer. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer, attached property to be sold.

W H Goltra agt Wm Sharp and Elmer Morris. To recover money. Judgment against Sharp, continued as to Morris.

D M Osborne & Co agt John Branning. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

D M Osborne & Co agt T J Montgomery. To recover money. Settled.

Hendrick & Woolsey agt Wm F White. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer; attached property to be sold.

I R Dawson agt J F Powell & Co. To recover money. Settled.

D M Osborne & Co agt Henry Bond. On note. Settled.

I R Dawson agt O Howell. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer, attached property to be sold.

I R Dawson agt Blackburn & Peront. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

Knapp Burrell & Co agt Chrisman & Beatty. To recover money. Settled.

L E Blain agt I and M E Holman. To recover money. Dismissed without prejudice.

D B Monteith & Co agt E L Gearhart. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

Assignment Blackburn & Peront. Continued.

D M Osborne & Co agt Henry Bond. To recover money. Settled.

W H Goltra agt John I Miller. To recover money. Dismissed.

John Gooch agt B F Shepard. Specific personal property. Dismissed.

Geo Sower agt H J Sower. To recover money. On docket by mistake.

Assignment of R C Warner. Continued.

Ashby Pierce agt B Mills. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

Susan Martin agt Robert C Martin. Divorce. Nunc protunc order granted.

Cooley & Washburne agt Nathan B Standich. To recover money. Judgment and attached property to be sold.

Dundee Mtge & Trust Investment Co agt T S Thompson; Confirmation, Sale confirmed.

L E Blain agt R R Humphrey. Judgment, attached property to be sold.

John Diamond agt Margaret E Findley. Foreclosure. Decree for want of answer.

Knapp, Burrell & Co agt E Becker et al. Foreclosure. Decree granted.

L M Curl agt J B Hughes. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

James A Roberts agt J B Hughes. To recover money. Judgment for want of answer.

D M Osborne & Co agt R N Morris et al. To recover money. Verdict for deft, for $40.

H R Biggs agt Caroline M Briggs. Divorce. Continued.

J F Hendrix agt Henry Boggs. To recover money. Continued.

Albany Iron Works agt J W Brown. Judgement on verdict.

STOP just about in the middle of the block, on First street, south side, between Broadalbin and Ellsworth, and you will find a place where you can always get first-class groceries and fresh produce at reasonable prices and be well treated without extra price. The sign reads "Parker Bros.," and everybody knows the name. Their baked goods are the best. Their stock of goods generally is kept replenished to meet the demands of a growing trade.

PAUSE A MOMENT.—If you want a tailor made suit of clothes or any part of one, well made, of the best material to be secured, have W R Graham do the job for you. He has just received an elegant line of suitings, of superior fabrics and durable textures, than which no better have ever been seen in Albany. He has marked his prices down to bottom figures. Those desiring to dress in style should call on Mr Graham.

FROM now until April 1st you can buy a pair of $3 50 Imperial Dorey kid shoes for $3. A genuine hand-sewed $4 50 flexible sole shoe at $4, and the best brand of Imperial kid and all other winter goods at a like reduction, as we must make room for our large spring stock, which is daily arriving at Klein Bros exclusive boot and shoe store.

WANTED.—A girl wants a place to work in a small family. Inquire at this office.

JAS F KNOTT was arrested by Marshall Hoffman this afternoon in the Third ward for being drunk and disorderly.

Paisley & Illey, Commercial Printers.

Patronize Paisley & Smiley, Our Printers

Tickets for ALL eastern points, over ANY route, for sale by W. L. Joster, ticket office,

MEN and women do not always agree, in fact they frequently disagree and seriously too, causing many divorces and collapses in the matrimonial market. One thing, though, they agree on, and that is that Conn & Hendricson keep the kind of groceries one needs in housekeeping, they treat men and women alike and give them bargains in goods in their line. Call on them for groceries and produce.

FOR SALE.—$500 to $1000 of household furniture in exchange for improved real estate. Inquire at office of

OREGON LAND CO.

January 22nd, 1891.

Good Work, Low Prices, Paisley & Smiley.

Money to Loan.

We have plenty of money to loan on real estate security, on two to five years time. Call on us at our office, opposite the Revere house.

BURKHART & KEENEY.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

MONDAY.

Keep your eye on Pasco. It has a social club called the "Razzle Dazzle Five."

Conrad Meyer and family left on Saturday night's train for Los Angeles, Cal, on a health seeking expedition.

Mr S A Sanford, formerly a Linn county school teacher, now with Ladd & Bush, of Salem, spent Sunday in Albany.

Mrs Thomas Monteith, sr, and daughter, Miss Tiny, returned this noon from a several months visit with relatives and old friends in Iowa.

Prof Horner, of Roseburg, was in the city today and his way north. The Prof has improved the public schools of that city in a marked manner.

W W Francis, of Myrtle creek, arrived at Halsey last Thursday, and will remain for some time under the treatment of Dr Michener.

Mr G L Savage is in the city after a trapping expedition up the Willamette, where he secured some fine furs. Beaver, otter, lynx, mink, muskrats, and other animals were trapped.

Mr Fred Waggoner, recently of Los Angeles, Cal., has been in the city with a view to locating and establishing a steam laundry. Mr Waggoner is an experienced man in the business, and deserves encouragement in such an enterprise.

Mr A A Ames and Mrs Mitchell returned last Saturday evening from a trip to Iowa. W F Read and family, who went with Mr Ames, will remain several weeks longer. Mr Ames reports a good winter there for that country.

TUESDAY.

Rev M O Brink, of Newport, is in the city to-day.

Mrs Adair, of Eugene, is in the city, the guest of her sister, Mrs J H Townsend.

S N Steele, who has been confined to his home for a week, with tonsiletus, is somewhat improved.

Licenses to marry have been issued to J F Gaines and Willia E Queener, and R E Lee Miller and Edith Miller.

Mr W L Carter, of San Louis Obispo, Cal, who was in the jewelry business in Albany two or three years ago, is in the city.

W H Parker, of Yaquina Bay, was in the city today, on his way to Salem, on a visit to Governor Pennoyer and several of his friends.

Marshal W H Ramsey, of Scio, over whose head no man in Linn county can look, is in the city to-day. Mr Ramsey is said to be making a first-class officer, a terror to evil-doers.

Mr Walker and family, recently of near Knoxville, Tenn., have arrived in Linn county and will make this their home. Mr Walker's daughter, Mrs John Thompson, of Oak Creek has resided here for thirteen years.

Stephen Phillipi, of Albany, a brother-in-law of Abe Weiss, of this place, was on Tuesday's train with his family, going to Los Angeles, and they were met at the Ashland depot by relatives here.—Ashland Record.

The Congregational Sabbath school held a private social at the church last evening, which the DEMOCRAT is informed was a very bright and entertaining affair. Besides games, and a fine lunch, Superintendent Thompson gave a magic lantern exhibition that was quite entertaining and amusing.

WEDNESDAY.

Hon T J Black, of Halsey, was in the city today.

Mr Peter Hume, of Brownsville, was in the city today.

Mr C H Hart, the painter, leaves tonight for San Francisco, on a several weeks trip.

Remember the social to-night at the residence of Mr C A Brown, given by the ladies of the M E Church. A good time is expected.

Mr Geo H Coshow, of Brownsville, was in the city today. Mr Coshow has charge of his father's business at that place, Mr Coshow being in California now on business.

Mr G W Smith left for East Portland today, where he will assist for awhile in the hardware store of C M Smith & Co. He will then return to Albany for the summer.

W N Miller leaves tomorrow morning for his cranberry ranch near Seabeck, opposite Seattle, where he will spend the summer. It is situated about ten miles from Port Orchard, and is already a valuable property.

George H Burnett, grand master of the I O O F, accompanied by Hon Phil Metchan, state treasurer, came on the noon train today from Salem, and will pay an official visit to Albany lodge No 4 tonight.

A Nine Hour Agreement.

Memorandum of an agreement made the 25th day of February, 1891, between the undersigned contractors and building tradesmen of Albany, Oregon, viz: that on and after April 1st, 1891, nine hours shall constitute a day's work at the usual rate of wages per day, that overtime shall not be allowed except in extreme cases and then only at an additional remuneration of at least one-half of such overtime.

D C Schell,	H C Chamberlin,
N D Conn,	B F Russell,
I F Conn,	F P Kitchen,
R B Vunk,	J R Chamberlin,
Peter Ruettner,	J K Wilson,
H A Crowder,	C H Wright,
G W Ells,	John A Hall,
J B Cougill,	A P Chamberlin,
J McChesney,	H Barns,
Geo D Ridinger,	J L Underwood,
W C Cassell,	Robt Shahan,
H B Miller,	C W Crowder,
A Skaar,	L W Moench,
C Kropp,	F Staal,
F S Campbell,	C S Headley,
G F Engels,	B F Thayer,
W S Trainor,	Robert Duane,
C E Webster,	J O Bushnell,
L M Brumley,	W A Cox,
W E Baker,	Joe Clark, jr.,
P P Donlav,	August Liee Wel,
M W Orton,	M C Bingham,
A F Krumrei,	N B Sprenger,
M Hoeem,	J F Whiting,
Park McDonald,	G W Hamilton,
C E Howland,	T A Pringle.

An Alliance at Jefferson.

JEFFERSON, Or., March 7th, 1891.

Editors Democrat:

Hon D J Cole, of Kansas, had an appointment to be at this place today to organize a Farmers' Alliance, but failed to make his appearance, as he was called to organize at the Follis school house. He will organize one at Jordan Valley on the 9th and at Fox Valley on the 10th. Notwithstanding his absence here the farmers met and effected a temporary organization by electing Hon Charles Miller, President, and Mr Libby as Secretary. There seemed to be a great deal of enthusiasm manifested. The extravagance of the last three legislatures has caused the taxpayers of Oregon to conclude that there must be something done. One speaker declared that there was but one member of the legislature from Marion county who had the manhood and courage to denounce extravagance right in the face of those who were voting away the people's money.

A FARMER.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.—Wanted at once chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys, dried fruits, butter, eggs, and all kinds of farm produce, for which I will pay the highest price in cash or in exchange for goods.

G. W. SIMSON,
Albany, Oregon

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, March 11, 1891. Persons calling for these letters must give the date in which they were advertised.

Buchart, Peter	Baker, C S
Crawford, G W	Graft, Herman
Gleason, W A	Elliot, Kunnan
Earnest, John	Everhart, Carl J
Ernest, John	Ewing, Mrs Jas
Sennig, Jedadiah	Johnston, Miss Nellie
Johnston, Miss Bell	Loughbottem, S O
Monroe, Alex M, D.	McKee & Sons
Mae, James, F	McGhee, Mrs Carrie
Vatterson, Mattie	Vorter, J
Verfert, Mrs Nancy	Ravine, Willie
West, Rose	Ward, Miss Alla
Weber, Gattlieb	Wilson, J J
	Young, Chas.

R. THOMPSON, P. M.

MISFITS.

Albany is destined to become the center of a great mining excitement, one that will mean much for the growth of this city. Big things are looked for from both the Santiam and Callpoola mines, from which ore has been taken that rivals the best from the richest mines of the Coast.

D C Ireland, the well known journalist, is again to live among the people. He has arranged to remove his newspaper plant from Astoria to East Portland, where he will publish the East Side Express. He will advocate consolidation.—Welcome. Ireland is almost equal to J H Stine in starting new papers.

Charles Barclay, first mate of the ill fated ship Elizabeth, has been presented with a purse of $1,000, subscribed by the business men of San Francisco as a testimonial of their appreciation of his heroic services at the time of the wreck. Mr Barclay is an Oregon boy, born and raised in Oregon City.—Welcome.

Blaine Klum, the 10-year-old editor of the amateur paper, the "Talent Birdsye," made the Record a fraternal call Saturday, inquiring to see the type-grinder, italic space-splitter and other wonderful things some of the printer's devils had told him about.—Ashland Record.

Mr Robert T Porter, the census man, informs the DEMOCRAT that the center of population in the U S is at a point where 39° 11' 56" latitute meets 85° 32' 53" longitude, which is in Southern Indiana in Decatur county. In ten years it has moved west 48 miles and north 9 miles. Albany's rapid increase in population in the last ten years has helped this along some. The movement westward is 505 miles since 1790. It has gradually gone west from near Baltimore, on about the same latitude, 39 degrees north, and is about even with Marysville, Cal.

For the benefit of the Salem Journal we will state that the name of the Kansas Farmers Alliance Senator is Peffer, while that of the popular proprietor of the Revere House, of this city, is Pfeiffer. It is possible Mr Pfeiffer does not care to be given a relationship to the Senator of a drought-cursed state.

Considerable amusement was caused in the Court room wher in reading the docket Judge Boise announced a case against the Farmers Alliance, instead of the Farmers and Merchants Insurance Co. It showed what the Judge has been thinking seriously about recently.

McKinley Mitchell, who failed at Gervais a few days ago, owed $40,000 and claims $50,000 assets, but as considerable of it is in accounts it is probable they do not amount to as much. His failure is attributed to heavy losses on wheat and produce. Only a few days ago he sunk $2000 on potatoes shipped to San Francisco, the market dropping like a meteor.

The people of Nebraska and Kansas have their eyes on the Willamette valley. It is the Mecca for farmers. The finest valley in the world for a home. Its climate is unequalled. Its soil is inexhaustible. Its crops never fail. No wonder they are looking this way. Advance prospectors are coming to the state to look up homes for them, and inquiries are pouring in by every mail. They should be given a friendly reception, and all the advantages possible. This promises to be a year of large immigration.

R P Earhart, inspector-general and emeritus member of the supreme council of the Scottish Rite for the Southern jurisdiction of the United States has conferred the thirty-third, or last, degree of Freemasonry upon Brothers Andrew Roberts, Philip S Malcolm and Seth L Pope, all of Portland. This increases the number of Masons of this degree in Oregon to ten, the other seven being: F N Shurtleff, John R Foster, I W Pratt, Chris Taylor, Joseph N Dolph; honorary members, R P Earhart and John McCraken, past, acting and emeritus members of the supreme council.—Oregonian. The Salem Statesman says the name of ex-Governor S F Chadwick, of Salem, belongs to the list of thirty-three degree Masons in Oregon. The degree was conferred upon him by Albert Pike.

A Marion county school teacher is in trouble because he kissed the big girls. What made the trouble was that one of the girls that he had been kissing made trouble. The girls didn't object as long as the kissing was equally distributed. The other morning by some strange fatality he missed one of the girls; that is to say, he missed kissing her, and she went on a strike. She gave away the whole "snap" to her mamma, and now the deuce is to pay. The whole district is in an uproar. The parents refuse to send their daughters to school another day and one of the trustees has petitioned the county superintendent to revoke the young man's certificate.—Astorian.

An Albany man hands the DEMOCRAT the following as an item worth perusing: According to an amendment of the school laws of the state of Michigan, children suffering from consumption or chronic catarrh must be excluded from public schools. The circumstance is interesting as a first step toward the public recognition of a most important truth, the fact, namely, that the disorders of the respiratory organs can be propagated by direct contagion, and that the atmosphere of a consumptive's sick room, unless constantly ventilated, is apt to become a virulent lung poison.

A Halverson was in Salem a few days ago, and brought more news of the rich discoveries from the Santiam mines. To confirm what he said, he showed several specimens of ore which had been taken from the mine of the Albany company. The experts here who examined the ore, pronounced it very rich. Mr Halverson has been in the Santiam mines two years, and is an old Californian miner, and an intelligent man on other subjects as well as mining. He says there are fine prospects for some rich developments to be made in that district. The last ore taken from the mine was so rich that a guard has been placed over it by the company to prevent a possibility of any of it being carried off. Free gold can be seen in abundance in the mass of ore that is now awaiting to be put through the mill. A much larger mill than the one now in use will be put in by the Albany Mining and Milling Company as soon as the snow goes off, and the recent, almost fabulously, rich discoveries there point certainly to one of the biggest mining excitements in that district that has been known in the Northwest.—Salem Journal.

Novelties in Jackets.

I have received a small assortment of novelties in ladies spring jackets, made in the latest styles of Blazers and Reefers, in cheviot, diagonal and worsted. I expect to carry a full line of these goods, as well as all the leading styles in Ladies, Capes, beaded, crochet and in cloth. Orders taken for special sizes and styles.

SAM'L E YOUNG.

FINE OIL PAINTINGS.—Mr A W Best, who has been conducting a large class in Salem, has on exhibitition in the store opposite Stewart & Sox, on First street, a valuable collection of the most noted and picturesque views on the Pacific coast, the result of three years' sketching, and which are pronounced by all who have seen them, to be the finest ever exhibited in Albany. He has also some figure pieces by Tojetti, the famous San Francisco artist, who is acknowledged by all to be second to none in flesh tints. The object of this exhibition is to give the public an opportunity to judge of Mr Best's work, as he is here to organize a class in oil painting, and all who are interested in art should call and see him. They will be on exhibition for the next two weeks, during the day and evening.

Excitement!

Runs high in Albany at Foshay & Mason's drug store over System Builder, as everybody is using it for Catarrh of the Stomach, Dyspepsia, Constipation and Impure Blood. Try it and tell your friends about it as it must possess a wonderful merit when all speak well of it.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Tuesday, March 10, 1891.

Present—Mayor, Recorder, Marshal, Street Commissioner, and Councilmen French, Hawkins, Tabler, Burkhart, Garreit and Smith.

The following bills were ordered paid: J W Reece, $2 50; N J Henton, $25 65; W B Barr, $50; J N Hoffman, U G Hale, $2 50; Cost bills, $8 25: Albany Electric Light Co, $260 50.

Petition of T J Stites and others for side and crosswalks was given a favorable report and work was ordered done.

The recorder reported that a communication had been received from the recorder of Hillsboro, that $200 of the $400 note due would be paid at once, and the remainder in May.

Marshal Hoffman reported $375 of delinquent tax as paid since last meeting, and was given until next meeting to report list of names of those delinquent.

Street commissioner Anderson reported recommending several sidewalk and street improvements, and that street signs be placed at the corner of streets. Referred to committee.

Petitions of I Conn and others, John Morrison and others, H Bryant and others, asked for sidewalks in their respective localities. Also of C B Harnish and others, and of H C Chamberlain. Referred.

Petition of R Ehret and others asked for latteral sewer connecting new brewery property with main sewer. Granted and work ordered done.

On motion the council unanimously extended its vote of thanks to Hon F L Such, for his liberal donation of $2000 towards the construction of the bridge across the Willamette at this city, the fund for which is now being raised.

The matter of printing copies of the charter was referred to the committee on ways and means, with power to act.

On motion the city surveyor was authorized to make a map of a complete sewer system for the entire city of Albany.

The chairman of the committee on ordinances reported that ordinances to conform with new charter would be prepared by next meeting if possible.

Bill of G W McBride of $45 for making certified copy of city charter, was ordered paid.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

Peter Bilyeu to David Shane, 40 acres, sec 30, tp 10, S R 1 w..	$ 650
A F Beard and Green Beard to H Ray, 300 acres, sec 29, tp 10, S R 1 w	5000
G B Hays et al to E N Tandy, 5 acres, sec 5, tp 15, S R 4 w	25
Brownsville Building Co to P L Gerow, lot 1, bl 2, Galbraith's A, Brownsville	75
J A Tyler to T J Patterson, lot 8, bl 24, Albany	1350
H Congrove to J H Robb, lot 2, bl 5, Halsey	240
R D Calavan et al to Parthena Calavan, 320.86 acres in D L C of Joel Calavan	1
Parthena Calavan to R D and D L Calavan, 155.53 acres tp 10, S R 2 w	1
A J Johnson to O E Holdridge, ¼ int in E half lots 35 and 36, Scio	100
Martin Payne to John Parsons, E half of D L C of M Payne	1
Daniel Bridges et ux to H O Schilling, lots 2, 3, 4, bl 3, B's A to Shelburn	95
Thomas Iorns et ux to School Dist 84, 1 acre sec 22, tp 9, S R 1 E.	1
Geo Wyer et ux to Adda E Bryant, 41 feet off east side bl 5, H's 3rd A	10
M H Shelton et al to G L Sutherland, 12½ acres sec 18, tp 10, S R 1 w	100
J C Cooper to H Bryant, 92 acres off the W side, sec 3, tp 14, S R	5
	$7654

WORTH CONSIDERING.

F. M. French keeps railroad time.

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

Egan & Achison are selling monuments at Portland prices.

Mens', youth's' and boys' clothing and furnishing goods at G W Simpson's.

Have you seen those parlor suits that T Brink has just received? They are nice.

Great reduction in men's furnishing goods for the next 30 days at W P Read's.

J W Bentley, best boot and shoe maker in city, three doors north of DEMOCRAT office.

For bargains in monuments, headstones etc., go to Egan & Achison, Albany, Oregon

RARE BARGAINS.—30 doz men's laundried white shirts at 50 cts—worth $1 00 to $1 25.

10 doz men's unlaundried white shirts at 40 cts—worth 75 cts to $1 00.

30 doz four-in-hand tie at 25 cts—worth 50 cts to 75 cts.

A few days only. Sale commences today and for a few days only at the above prices, at G W Simpson's.

TEN TONS of salt just received by R M Robertson, several grades, which will be sold at wholesale and retail. Lime, cement, plaster, feed, oats, hay, etc., kept on hand and sold at reasonable prices. Is now in his new quarters just east of the DEMOCRAT office, where he also has a large stock of flour for sale. A handsome sign points out his place of business.

CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH and Bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure.

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP.—G W Willis has just completed his blacksmith shop at the corner of Second and Railroad streets where all kinds of iron and wood work can be had and done in first class order Bring on your plows, wagons, etc., etc. for repair

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Foshay & Mason, agents.

MARRIED.

MILLER—MILLER.—On Wednesday March 11, 1991, at the Russ House, in Albany, by Geo. Humphery, Esq, Mr Robert E Lee Miller and Miss Edith Miller—both of Millers Station.

BORN.

ARNBERGER.—On Saturday, March 7, 1891, to the wife of Mr Frank Arnberger—a boy.

A LATE LINE FROM HAYES.

**The Corrective Properties of the Juices of California's Vegetable