The Democrat.

LOCAL RECORD.

A COMING DAIRY COUNTRY.—The following is handed the DEMOCRATas what a pioneer tells about the Willamette Valley for dairying. Col T R Cornelius, of Washington county, read a paper the other day at the farmers' institute at Forest Grove, of which we quote the following interesting notes: Feeding and raising dairy cattle.

1. The dairy undoubtedly offers more promise and encouragement to the farmer than any other branch of farming.

2. Some time, in the near future, the Willamette Valley will be one of the greatest dairy countries in the United States.

3. I have said that I could raise feed enough on one acre to keep a cow one year. Many think that an exaggeration, but I am quite sure that it can be easily done.

4628 THE FIGURES.—Mr William Obenauer completed his directory census of Albany yesterday, and the figures are 28 more than estimated by the DEMOCRAT, being 4628. This is really a fine showing, and speaks for a big increase in population since the 1890 census, which the enumerators, C W Watts, B F Tabler and R E Coon, insist was correct, the increase being 1349. This gives Albany a population of 1100 more than Eugene, according to a recent census there, a fact we mention on account of numerous little squibs in the local papers of that city.

FAKE NEWS is the heading the Salem Statesman gives to the following: The Telegram has curious ideas of what constitutes "age." Ever since the assault upon Rev Mr Metayer, the young Catholic priest at Albany, the Telegram has spoken of him as being a very "old" and infirm man, with one foot in the grave, and scarcely able to hobble around. On Friday, in dishing up the sentence of the two assaulting youths, the Telegram editor, in true "reportorial" style, commiseratingly styles the young priest as "aged and revered," and further on again patronizingly refers to him as the "old man." This must be intensely amusing to those acquainted with Mr Metayer, who is not more than thirty years of age and in the full enjoyment of health.

EUGENIC MITCHELL.—The Woodburn Independent gets off the true situation as follows: Senator J H Mitchell has been considered a man of common sense, but now it appears he has lost it all. Every newspaper in the state has received a letter, containing about four columns of clippings from different papers about the marriage of Miss Mattie Mitchell to the Duke de La Rochefoucauld. Out of pity for a fool and his folly few papers have commented upon such an uncalled for act of family egotism, but as if to make the thing more absurd every newspaper is now in receipt of a wedding card, announcing that, "Mr and Mrs John H Mitchell have the honor of announcing the marriage of their daughter, Mattie Elizabeth, to the Duke de La Rochefoucauld in Paris, Friday 11th, 1892."

A THUNDER BOLT.—The following from the Cottage Grove Leader sounds like Eastern style: Mr J B Rouse reports that during the recent thunder storm, the lightning came in contact with a tree near Mrs S Garoutte's home and completely destroyed it. Mr and Mrs Garoutte were sitting at their dining table when the shock of lightning struck them. They were insensible for some time. Mrs Garoutte recovered first and found him with his head lying on the table; she spoke to him, then he aroused and asked what had happened."

HOW HE GOT IT.—In the early days somebody owed Judge Marquam $800. He was honest and had lots of land around Portland. He offered the judge a block in settlement. The latter got into his buggy and drove out to see it. One of the lots had been sold out of it for a washing bill. Then he looked at another, and a lot had gone out of this one for a week's butcher bill. Finally he took the one he has now with the finest building on the coast or as fine as any in the country upon it—worth, well, worth a million or more. They don't pay washing and meat bills with lots now anywhere within fifty miles of the city.—Not much.—Welcome.

AN UNEVEN EXCHANGE.—The Albany DEMOCRAT has a good word to say about our shoe factory and thinks the samples exhibited by Carl Karr in that city were well made and offered at prices that will permit him to compete with the best eastern trade. Thanks, Mr DEMOCRAT, and as one good turn deserves another, it might be in order to remark that Albany is in it in the brewing of beer and nearly every keg that comes to this city now is labeled "Albany Brewing Co." So you see we can be of mutual benefit. It is well to go dry (shod) but not too dry.—Corvallis Times.

COMING THIS WAY.—The Hubbard Herald says: "A Gypsie outfit was camped here last week. They were horse traders and fortune tellers. We have often heard of queer people, but these beat them all with their cunning ways. They succeeded in making several trades here, and left here Monday morning. They are traveling south and will probably stop at every town they come to, and try to swindle the people, if they can."

ROAD SUPERVISORS.—Pursuant to a call published eight or ten road supervisors met in the Court House today and discussed roads and the duties of supervisors generally; but took no action, as none could be taken more than the general expression of opinion. The prevailing sentiment was that if the road tax was paid in money twice as much good could be done with it.

AN INDIAN RELIC.—Warm Spring Johnny left in this office today a stone chisel, which he found recently while digging in his garden on the island. It had evidently lain there for ages. It is of granite, and was used in making log canoes. The wood was burned some and then the chisel was brought into use. The implement is a great curiosity, and is worth preserving.

AN INSANE BOY.—Frank Snodgrass, a sixteen year old boy, was brought from Harrisburg today by his stepfather, H B Maxwell, and examined by Drs Wallace and Ellis as to his insanity and committed to the asylum. He seems to have been subject to fits, which his father also had. The boy loses his mind and everything is blank.

THE FISKS.—The Fisk Jubilee Singers sang last night to a very pleased audience. You get genuine music from beginning to end. All the parts from the veteran soprano, who belonged to the original troup to the new boss. Rich, melodious voices, in clean, enlivening songs gave one an entertainment of merit.

AN ACCOMMODATING WORLD.—Mr John Briggs would like to pull the noses of a few Michigan officials. He wrote to a recorder to learn the amount of some taxes there. Though the treasurer was opposite him, he wrote back "none of my business. Write the treasurer." Then he wrote treasurer, who answered "don't know. Send a description."

LINN SECOND.—A Salem paper says Marion county was the second to pay part of its state taxes. County Treasurer Curl informs us Linn county was the second, he remitting $16,500 on March 11, ten or more days ahead of Marion county.

A STALLION SHOW was held at Salem Saturday. From this county A Nichols exhibited Obell, a French Coach; F E McKnight the well-known Oneco; C E Barrows, Delmont, and Barrows Bros, Multnomah. Only twenty-three horses were in the parade.

THOSE BOYS who have lately been in the habit of breaking into a number of unoccupied buildings in the city, are notified that the owners and city authorities will prosecute them if they do not desist. A word to the wise is sufficient.

At Will & Stark's May be seen the finest stock of gold and silver watches, diamond and other rings, jewelry, silverware, &c, in the city.

5000 papers fresh garden and flower seeds greeting purchasers at C E BROWNELL'S.

THE APOLLO CONCERT.—A large and enthusiastic audience attended the Apollo concert last evening. Ten encores were evidence of the enthusiasm. The concert proved one of rare merit for local talent, and places the Apollo club in the front rank among the state musical organizations. The program was opened with the soldiers chorus by the Apollos, to wit: 1st Tenor—Geo S Achison, W S Thompson, Chas H Hart, A B Prichard. 2nd Tenor—Wm Fortmiller, Fred Fortmiller, John E Miller, C E Hawkins, O C McFarland. 1st Bass—John M Conelin, Jr., L D Miller, Frank Conelin, S N Steele, J C Littler, E E Goff. 2nd Bass—D H McCullagh, Chas A Sears, C W Sears, W H Lee. Like all their selections it was finely sung, with Prof Lee in front as musical director. Messrs Mueller, Phillips and Dubruille, of the Philharmonic club, were heard in the Schottische, "She's the Prettiest," and heartily encored. A vocal duet, "I Pescatori," by Mr and Mrs Prof Davis, was sung with talent, receiving a live encore. Miss Moses was heard in the recitation of "King Robert of Sicily," with piano accompaniment. It was elaborate and was rendered with artistic effect. "Blow Gentle Gales," by the Apollo club. Miss Bertha Ellis sang "A Day Dream" in a manner to give her a position among our leading sopranos, and responded to an enthusiastic encore with a delightfully rendered selection. "The Firemen's Chorus," in costume, by the Apollo club, followed. The Philharmonic club were again heard in an instrumental selection and encored. The Apollo club sang, "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep," which was warmly encored. Prof Davis presented "Out on the Deep," and the audience called him back and received a good response." The "Bavarian Yodle," by the Apollo Club, with C H Hart, as soloist, was their best vocal effort, and received an encore. Mrs Langdon, to hear whom is always a treat, sang "Dost Know," and received a deserved encore The livest affairs of the evening were the two selections by the Apollo vocophone band, with a complete set of seventeen instruments. Mr Sears sang "One Hundred Fathoms Deep" with excellent effect, and was encored. The entertainment closed with "Good Night" by the Apollo club.

RED TAPE.—County Clerk Paine has received from the secretary of state a "Register of Nominations," a red tape affair. The law to be followed in this regard is as follows: Immediately after each certificate of nomination is filed, the county clerk shall enter in a book marked "Register of Nominations," the date when the certificate was filed with him, the name of each candidate, the office for which he is nominated, and the name of the party, or convention, or assembly making the nomination, together with the names of the chairman and secretary certifying the same; and in case the certificate of nomination is made by individual electors, the names of the two signers who make oath thereto, and the total number of signatures thereto. As soon as the acceptance or withdrawal of the candidate is filed, it shall also be entered upon such register.

HALSEY.—Another fire called the "Bucket Brigade" to the rescue of the building occupied by Mrs Hathaway last Tuesday morning. It also started from a flue. The building would have soon been past control had it not been for the quick action of the company, who used the water buckets as if they were old hands at the business.

The stockholders of the city hall met last Friday night, the 18th. After electing a temporary chairman and secretary, it was decided to go ahead with the good work, which has been so long needed here. A committee was appointed to secure incorporation, and to report at the next meeting which was held last night. Ten shares had been subscribed, and only one "backed out." The building is to cost $1200, the other $200 to be raised by subscription.—News.

POOR RUSSELL.—Lane county is liable to have a very interesting law suit, according to the following from the Guard: As it is now pretty well established that a county cannot be sued for damages, there will probably be nothing it it, more than the interest in a peculiar case: Lane county is liable to have a large sized damage suit on hand from use of the jail. Thos Russell who is confined therein under a six months sentence has been treated somewhat as a trusty by Sheriff Noland and allowed the privilege of the sheriff's office occasionally. Of late he refuses to leave the jail and the deputies have suspicions that his mind is weakening. It has been asserted on good authority that when his term of imprisonment expires he will begin a damage suit against the county. He will claim that the grand juries have often condemned the jail as an unfit place in which to detain prisoners, and ask damages for injury to his health.

THEY WERE IN EUGENE.—Recently an Albany priest was called to his door and knocked down by a couple of young men who attempted to rob him. The boys were captured by the police and placed in jail. From the names they gave and the descriptions given of them, Marshal Eastland is of the opinion that they are a couple of fellows who were here a few days before the affair at Albany and he had them in the calaboose. They said that their home is in Portland and that they had been out to Roseburg.—Register.—It is also reported that a murder was committed in California recently and that these boys answer the description.

LANE REPUBLICANS.—Saturday the republicans of Lane county nominated the following ticket: State senator, Colonel B F Alley, of Florence; representatives, M J Billegas, of Camp Creek, Jasper Wilkins, of Coburg, and D C Baughman, of Cottage Grove; county treasurer, Frank Reisner; clerk, W R Walker; sheriff, E K Henderson; county judge, Rodney S Scott; commissioner, Eli Perkins; school superintendent, J G Stevenson; surveyor, C M Collier; corner, J W Harris; assessor, J E Bond.

THE JUNCTION HOTEL.—H. J Flanders, of Los Angeles, California, has leased the new hotel for a term of five years with the privilege of a longer time if he wishes it. He will furnish the building throughout and it will be thrown open to the public about May 1st. We learn Mr and Mrs Flanders have had several years experience in the hotel business and know how to conduct a first-class hostelry.—Times.

TAKE NOTICE.—Some of the city authorities have called the attention of the DEMOCRAT to the fact that quite a number of little boys, not yet in their teens, are in the habit of smoking cigarettes on the streets. We have been requested to call the attention of dealers to the fact that there is a law regulating the sale of cigarettes to minors.

MILLINERY OPENING.—On Thursday and Friday of this week the Ladies Bazaar will have their grand opening of spring and summer millinery. Our stock this season is larger than ever and embrace all the latest styles and novelties. The ladies of Albany and vicinity are cordially invited to attend. MRS H J SOWER.

YOUR ATTENTION is called to our line of Parisienne costumes, which is now complete. Capes, jackets, blazers and reefers.
They are tailor-made and guaranteed to fit. The cloths are of the latest fabrics.
Very truly,
SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

ALBANY IN IT.—The prospects now seem favorable for Astoria to get two railroads—one up through the Nehalem country to Hillsboro, and the other through the Tillamook country.—Ex. To Albany. Why not complete it.

LADIES OXFORDS.—I now have a complete line ranging in price from $1.25 to $4.50 a pair. Good value and every pair warranted. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

DRESS TRIMMINGS.—The latest novelties in dress trimmings can always be found at SAMUEL E. YOUNG'S.

COHN & HENDRICSON LEAD.—They have the groceries, the produce and the good treatment. They lead in prices and quality. If you want standard groceries, call on them; if you want the freshest produce do not pass by their store; their teas and coffees are the best. A good way to save money is by dealing with them. It will count in a month's trading. Try it.

GO TO GAS for 25c at C E Brownell's.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

MONDAY.

Mell Young, Oregon Pacific agent at Salem, spent Sunday in Albany.

Reason McConnell and wife are spending a few weeks at their Toledo ranch.

Miss Hattie Hackleman, of Dallas, is in the city, the guest of Mr T L Wallace.

O P Coshow, of Brownsville, was in the city today.

Miss Ida Settlemire, of Corvallis, who has been in the city the guest of Miss Minnie McFarland, returned home Saturday.

The DEMOCRAT acknowledges the receipt of the wedding card of its old friends the Baron de Rouchefoucald and Mattie Elizabeth Mitchell.

A dispatch from Victoria says: It is understood the Union Pacific is about to close its office here and C G Rawlings, the local agent, will be made a traveling passenger agent.

Ex-Councilman Gradwohl and wife left last night on their trip to San Francisco, where they will be the guests of Mr Sutro. He will lay in an extensive stock of goods.

Mr E C Pentland, secretary for the Oregon Press Association, has been tendered tempting inducements to conduct a boom paper at Frankfort, a little place in Washington, just north of Astoria, the destined terminus of some future railroad.—Welcome.

Col N B Alley, a resident of Albany for several months, a few years ago, now editor of the Florence West, has been nominated by the republicans for the office of state senator of Lane county. Col Alley is a brother-in-law of F J Miller, secretary of the railroad commission.

Mr Job Martin, a successful business man of Tacoma, and Miss Flora Lewis, of Ellensburg, were married at the residence of the bride's parents in the latter city yesterday. After visiting different Sound cities the happy couple will go to Tacoma, where a reception will be given them next Sunday, and they will begin their residence together in that city. Miss Lewis is a sister of Mrs Ignatz Fox, of this city, and formerly resided here and in Shedd. Mr and Mrs Martin have the best wishes of many here.

TUESDAY.

Mrs Carlile Laughead and Mrs Harry Chipman, of Albany, are in the city visiting Mrs W A Moores, their sister.—Statesman.

Mrs Moody took four Linn county boys up to the new Albany home today. They have been brought up at the Salem orphans' home and were a very nice lot of boys.—Journal.

Mr Pete Anderson went to Portland this noon to meet his brother, Robert, who will arrive there today from Denmark, and will make Albany his home. Mr Anderson thinks his mother will also locate here.

E C Pentland, secretary of the State Press Association, has moved his family to Frankford, where he proposes to publish a paper for a town yet to come, to be located opposite to Astoria. This leaves Oregon's Press Association without a secretary.

Mr N H Allen will leave the first of next week on a trip to Chicago. A new dynamo and other machinery will be purchased. The demand for incandescent lights for residences has been so great that more power is needed. Mr Allen was reported to be among the possible representatives on the republican ticket; but doesn't know anything about it himself.

WEDNESDAY.

H E Hayes, master of the Oregon State grange, will locate in Salem.

Mr Robert Huston, the popular Corvallis hardware man, was in the city today.

Deputy Sheriff, Chas Smith returned from a trip to Salem this noon, where he had taken Frank Snodgrass the insane boy.

T P Hackleman, J M Archibald, Mr W H St John and W E Kelley went to the state prohibition convention in Portland today. J E Knox will go in the morning.

County Clerk, D C Sherman, of Marion county, was in the city today on his way home from a trip up the Santiam. Mr Sherman is at least a pleasant gentlemen to meet.

Hon S F Chadwick yesterday received a telegram from Dayton, Yamhill county, announcing the fact that Col Chris Taylor was dying. Mr Taylor is an old resident of Oregon and a most intimate friend of the ex-governor. He is aged about 70 years. Mr Chadwick will go to Dayton this morning.—Statesman.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Wm Thurman was the victim of a serious accident at Irving Sunday evening, that may cost him his life, says the Guard. Mr Thurman went to Irving on the freight train Sunday evening, expecting to stop at that place. When the train arrived at the station it did not stop and Mr Thurman jumped off on to the platform, and was hurled with considerable force against a post, striking it with his head, and knocking him senseless. He was carried to a residence, blood running from his mouth and ears. The man is still unconscious and in a very critical condition, his skull being fractured.

DIED.—At the residence of his son near Scio, John J Crabtree, aged about 92 years.

IT'S NECESSARY.—The necessity for advertising is very apparent to any reflective mind. If an owner wishes to sell his property he must let some one know his wish—if he kept his intention to himself he would also keep his property to himself. To advertise means "to apprise, inform, make known, announce, promulgate, publish the fact that Parker Bros carry a first-class stock of groceries, produce and baked goods, which can always be depended on to be fresh and in season. The fact is one worth advertising.

Read, Think and Act

All civilized cooks not only want, but are entitled to the latest and best appliances to be secured for their use. Then we get none too good food for this very dyspeptic age.

READ

this over several times. It is an important fact, and if digested will be better than a dozen bottles of patent medicine.

THINK

about it until your thoughts are exhausted, and your brain power is weary. Sleep over it and then

ACT.

Go to Matthews & Washburne, the leading dealers in stoves, tinware and hardware, and select from their large and fine assortment of stoves one that will meet all the requirements of a first-class cook. They have them, as well as the best heating stoves and the best made tinware.

Will & Stark, the jewelers.

NO ADVANCE IN SUGAR.

A B McIlwain Offers Same Bottom Prices.

He makes the following reductions in sugar for cash:

17 lbs dry granulated for $1.00.
20 lbs extra C white for $1.00.
22 lbs extra C golden for $1.00.

He will also sell a five gallon keg of pickles for 90 cents.

The L E Blain clothing company have just received an uncommonly large stock of hats of all the latest styles and grades, and are prepared to fit and suit the most fastidious.

Pride of Albany syrup can't be beat. Try it. C E BROWNELL.

NEW ATTRACTIONS.—The show window at Mueller's Candy and Refreshment Parlors was today fixed up in a beautiful manner, a grand display of fine glaced fruits, fruit dips, bon bonieres, ribbon, Boston chips, candies, placed on a pyramid of many colors. Don't fail to go and take a peep at it. Blumberg Block.

For fine taffies go to Muller's. Oysters and lunch.

FOR BETTER ROADS.

Below by the kindness of Mr C H Schmidt, who was present, we are able to give in detail the proceedings of the meeting of the road supervisors, which will show that they finally, before adjournment after we had gone to press, did some business of importance:

ALBANY, Or., March 29th, 1892.

The following road supervisors met in the Court House and adopted some important resolutions: Those present were U B Peters, Albany; R L Devine, Scio; R L Smith, Tangent; E A Effunson, Brownsville; S T Crooks, Millers; B Harris, Sweet Home; Louis Zueldorp, Albany, and McMahon, Halsey. Supervisor John Burnett, of Sweet Home, could not be present, on account of bad roads, he stated, but sent a letter stating his views.

After considerable discussion in which a number of important points were brought out, it was agreed upon by all present that the present road system is detrimental to our county's need and that the interest of the people demands that more efficient and systematic methods be employed. It was clearly set forth by the gentlemen present that nothing is of greater importance to the development of our county than better roads. The present system has never given good satisfaction anywhere and all around us there is being done something more than heretofore to advance the peoples' interest. The following resolutions were adopted:

1st, That the road tax hereafter be paid in money instead of work and the tax shall be collected and together with other taxes.

2nd, That the road supervisor be elected by the vote of the people in each respective district.

3rd, That the county furnish a road machine, road grader, to each district.

Mr Peters is using one of the county's road machines and reports splendid work. He will be pleased to have people come and see what he is doing.

The county papers are requested to copy this and interest the people in the improvement of the roads.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Linn county republican convention met at the court house this morning and was called to order by W M Ketchum, chairman of the county central committee.

H H Hewitt was elected temporary chairman, J A Wilson, secretary, and P B Marshall, assistant secretary.

The following committee on credentials was appointed: W F Read, J R Wyatt and Wm Parrish. Committee reported list of delegates heretofore published.

On motion the following committee of order of business was appointed: J R Wyatt, R N Thompson, D B McKnight.

Committee on order of business reported, which was amended and adopted.

The following delegates to the state convention were duly elected: John R Smith, S A Dawson, O S May, W R Kirk, W W Parrish, H B Springer, R A Kampy, H H Hewitt, J W Miller, Sam McIlroy.

The following nominations were then made:

Representatives to the legislature—J H Wigle, W W Richardson and M Acheson.

County judge—J N Duncan.

Commissioner—J W Pugh, of Shedd.

Sheriff—A A Kees, of Lebanon.

Clerk—David Andrews, Sweet Home.

Recorder—W D Wright, Shedd.

Treasurer—J M Waters, Brownsville.

County Surveyor—E T Fisher.

School superintendent—J H Jewett.

Assessor—W F Deakins.

Coroner—Wm Fortmiller.

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES

Santiam—A Savage, G M Nelson.

Sweet Home—John Donaca, A Hamilton, Judd Mealy, Benson Harris.

Waterloo—Chas Williams, — Hudleson, Jas Bellinger.

Orleans—Robert McCune, Samuel McIlree, H M Stone.

Crawfordsville—W B Glass and E N McCaw.

Center—D B McKnight, Dean Wheeler.

Franklin Butte—Dr E O Hyde and AL Richardson.

Central Albany—P J Baltimore, W E Gillet, J A Wilson, P B Marshall.

West Albany—W F Read, John Robson, D C Schell, C J Stuart.

East Albany—B F Thayer, W C Davis, R N Morris, C L Shaw.

Albany—H H Hewitt, J R Whitney, J R Wyatt, J J Graham.

Tangent—J H Scott, J L Case and Mr Hunter.

Scio—O S May and J W Cole.

Price—S A Dawson, J R Stewartson, J W Propst and W H Thompson.

Halsey—T F Smith, J R Pearl, Frank Frisby, John Miller, B A Stafford, Berry Cummings, W H Sheppard, C Gray.

North Lebanon—Dr W H Booth, J G Eaton, J R Smith, C F Hardman.

South Lebanon—W H Klum, J G Reed, J A Roberts, W C Peterson.

North Harrisburg—E F Wyatt, Damon Smith.

South Harrisburg—M Cunningham, C L Morris, L Macy, W W Briggs.

Shedd—R H Wright, H B Springer, D S Gibson, and J B Davis.

North Brownsville—R N Thompson, W R Kirk, R Grover and E Evans.

South Brownsville—W A Templeton, A J Kirk, N B Standish and Jacob Wigle.

Sodaville—Wm Parrish, Wm Ingram, A P Story.

Syracuse—Wm Buchner, W E Fisher.

BROWNSVILLE.

March 29, 1892.

Born—To the wife of W T Cochran on Saturday last a son, also to the wife of E C Pyatt on Tuesday, a son. All doing well.

On Friday night of last week at about 9 o'clock some parties called the Chinaman, who runs a wash house in this place, to the door and threw some pepper in his eyes, and began to choke him, but did not shut his wind off enough, and the Chinaman gave a yell that brought assistance in time to save him from doubtless being robbed, as no one would be so little as to do such for fun, as the boys call it.

The case of the city of North Brownsville vs A S Rowland, was dismissed. It was not a good case, and the saloon can run at all hours of the night in defiance of all law, so it now looks.

We must tell you Uncle Sam's vision. Uncle Sam was approached a few days ago as to his backwardness in coming out to our republican club, when the following dialogue ensued:

Uncle Sam come to night and join the republican club.

No sah, can't do it, I'm gwine wid de democrats dis time.

Why Uncle Sam, what is the matter?

Oh, I had a vision.

Well what of that, tell us about it.

Well sah, St Peter come for me toder night and showed me all around in heaven, and asked me how I liked it. Oh sah dat was a nice place. Uncle Sam, said de good saint, come here I want to show you some more; clime on dat fence and look down, and I did sah, and what do you think I saw. Three big pens wid a fire in dem, oh so hot. In de first was de prohibitionist, and dey was burning up, wet as dey are. In de next was de democrats and dat was a hot place, but dey stood de fire well, ebry man for himself. In the next was de republicans and dat was de hotest place yet, and ebry one of dem scamps had a nigger holdin him up in front of him. No sah, I'm gwine wid de democrats.

A L E N B O R N T H E S
It is a big privilege to be able to get what you want when you go to a grocery store. Allen Brothers keep such a variety that they can always accommodate their customers. This saves running around. If it is fruit season they have the goods. In produce their stands are full of the latest and best. Their stock of standard groceries is always large, of the best to be secured in the market.

Buy your groceries of Parker Bros. You can depend on good goods and first-class treatment.

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The Official Government Reports:

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The Canadian Official Tests, recently made, show the ROYAL BAKING POWDER highest of all in leavening strength. *(Bulletin 10, p. 16, Inland Rev. Dep.)*

In practical use, therefore, the ROYAL BAKING POWDER goes further, makes purer and more perfect food than any other.

Government Chemists Certify:

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"The Royal Baking Powder is undoubtedly the purest and most reliable baking powder offered to the public. "HENRY A. MOTT, M.D., Ph.D."

"The Royal Baking Powder is purest in quality and strength of any baking powder of which I have knowledge. "WM. MCMURTRIE, Ph.D."

HOME AND ABROAD

MONDAY.

The Salem woolen mills have a branch store at Halsey.

The base ball season in Portland will open May 1.

It cost $635.41 to keep the paupers of Lane county during one month.

One assessment in the A O U W order for the month of April.

Mail from Albany reaches Sweet Home on the day on which it is posted, if placed in the office in the morning.

The regular meeting of the W C T U will be held in their hall tomorrow afternoon at the usual hour.

The four Linn county boys who have been in the Salem orphans' home were brought to Albany today and taken out to the Home.

A neat display can be seen in E D Peel's show window. It is a hundred pound block of ice in the center of which is a fresh bouquet. It was frozen by the Eugene Ice Works.—Guard.

C S Smith while on his way home from the city with a four horse team loaded with boxes, etc., was thrown from the wagon and quite badly hurt for the time, but was soon able to go on home.—Shedd cor. Halsey News.

The Bay View house will soon be opened to the traveling public. Help is being employed now with that end in view. The Times is pleased at this move as travelers have complained at hotel accommodations all winter.

At the skating rink Saturday night Jerome Williams won the right to the Telescope medal the second time, making the mile in 4.22; Frank Simpson making it in 4.40; Clyde Hill and Arthur Porter each in 4.50.

From present appearances two of the present county officials are almost certain of nomination by the democratic convention which meets a week from today. They are Sheriff Booth and County Clerk Hodges. Neither of them, we believe, will have any opposition.—Oshoco Review.

The report that Rev F Busche is holding German service instead of Rev G E Meyer is not true, as some of the people of Albany and vicinity have been told. Rev G E Meyer still holds services every first and third Sunday in the month at 10 a m in the W C T U hall.

A woman at Antelope a few days ago, having her life made miserable by the continuous sprees of her husband, determined to abolish the cause, and undertook an individual crusade against the saloon on her own account. She demolished the fixtures around the bar with a club, and then made for the coal oil lamps, when the barkeeper put her out.—Review.

POLICE COURT.—In Recorder Henton's court, Henry Simpson was fined $5 and costs for being drunk and disorderly and sentenced to two days in jail. George Homer was sentenced to three days for vagancy.

TUESDAY.

The Apollos tonight.

The prohibition state convention meets in Portland Thursday.

Some boy will own a monkey on April 30. See T L Wallace & Co's show window.

A heavy snow storm prevailed on the Oregon Pacific at the front last night. At Breitenbush six or seven inches it was reported, had fallen.

The stallion show at Brownsville last Friday is reported a success. A large number of fine stallions were in the parade, with a good attendance of horse men.

The republican county convention meets in this city tomorrow. Different men are mentioned for different places; but there is a big uncertainty about it, as there is little strife for most of the places.

A monkey in one of T L Wallace & Co's show windows has attracted general attention this afternoon. Some boy who buys a suit of clothes will be presented with the monkey in a few weeks.

A movement is on foot at Monmouth and at Independence to construct a 100 foot boulevard between the two places, on the extension of Main street, Monmouth. Trees will be planted on either side the whole distance of two miles.

An Astoria paper asserts that the eyes of railroad builders are on the Albany and Astoria R R and that when the road comes this way it will be to Albany. There is something in this worth considering and it calls for watchfulness.

WEDNESDAY.

Albany people appreciate local talent.

Rollins, a Corvallis man, a few days ago struck his mother-in-law, Mrs Harness, a cowardly blow, breaking her false teeth and bruising her face. He was arrested and fined $50. Good, so far as it went.

On April 2nd bids will be received for building a tight board fence around the fair ground. This looks like business, and as it means might be something done here with the grounds, the track on which is one of the best on the coast. Let us have a county fair.

It is reported from Breitenbush that a man named Bliss jumped the claim of Edward Wolfe while the latter was ill, and the settlers put a stop to it by blowing up his cabin. That country will be a dangerous place for claim jumpers, which is business.

"Beauty" may be "only skin deep;" but the secret of a beautiful skin is pure blood. Those coarse, rough, pimply complexions may, in most cases, be rendered soft, smooth and fair by the persevering and systematic use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

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FOR A DAIRY ASSOCIATION.

The dairy industry of today is the greatest of all home industries in the United States, both directly by its bountiful returns of gold and golden food—and indirectly by its manifold benefits to all classes. The income from Oregon cows at present—taken as a whole—is negative, for the same reason as would be the income from a factory that run only three months in the year and still kept and paid the hands the whole year. It used to be the same way in the Eastern states years ago but the time has past. In a remarkably short time, many millions of dollars, formerly wasted and burned up, have been converted into valuable stock food and the enormous saving in freight and hauling can hardly be realized.

We can and we must double the income from the farms, but in order to do it we must know the requirements of the times—we should learn the why and wherefores far as possible. It is like building a railroad—the roadbed must be surveyed, careful plans must be laid, and advantage must be taken of what experience has taught us of building and operating railroads most successfully. Training is a great factor in successful railroading—it becomes of great importance to secure skilled men, in fact a necessity. So it is with dairying. Dairy schools, dairy literature, farmers' institutes and dairy associations must be planted and planted firmly. Those institutions have quickly, surely, cheaply and permanently re-built prosperous dairy homes out of the forlorn run down wheat fields from ocean to ocean, and we must look to them also as our guard against the fraudulent trespasser, oleomargarine.

Let an Oregon State Association be the first step.

Everybody interested in the organization of a dairy association is cordially invited to address me at Albany and to make suggestions with a view to promoting this greatly needed institution, and I will use my best endeavor to get all interested to co-operate.

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DIED.

WARNER.—At his home at Rock Creek, Linn county, Oregon, March 27, 1892, Robert Warner, aged 62 years.

Mr Warner has been ailing for six months and died of cancer of the stomach. He lived at Salem for eleven years, removing to Rock Creek about a year ago. While here he worked at the Holman agricultural works and is a brother of Jas Warner of this city. He leaves a wife and six children, all grown, one daughter at Salem, Mrs D C Sherman, and a son William, a painter.—Journal.

MARRIED.

MAYER—SCANLAND.—On March 23, 1892, at the residence of the bride's mother in Lebanon, by Rev T P Boyd, Mr John Mayer and Miss Becca Scanland—both of Lebanon.

BORN.

FESSLER.—On Tuesday evening, March 29, 1892, to Mr and Mrs F W Fessler, in Albany—twin boys. All doing well.

WILL.—To the wife of J Wm Will, in Corvallis, March 26th, a daughter.

KYLE.—In Oklahoma, a few days ago, to Mr and Mrs R L Kyle, formerly of Alany—twins. All doing well.

GILBERT.—On March 27, 1892, in Albany, to Mr and Mrs WE Gilbert—a boy.

ANOTHER BASE BALL MEM.

ALBANY, Or, March 29, 1892.

Editors Democrat:

Permit me space in which to reply to their articles, and try to smooth the injured feelings of two members of the College Base Ball association.

They seem very much hurt and degraded in the eyes of the public, on account of having unwittingly associated themselves with a tramp ball player in a recent game of ball with the "Albanies."

They state they hired no tramp. Who did then? Surely the Albanies did not, for they do not need the assistance of outsiders to defeat the so-called College nine; this has been demonstrated in the three games already played.

I understand that they made their boasts as to how badly the "Albanies" were to be defeated in last Friday's game on account of their having secured the services of a self styled tramp professional pitcher. And now because their boasts instead of the Albanies suffered defeat they raise this great cry, and play the martyr act. Suppose they had succeeded in defeating the Albanies; surely the College nine would have claimed the credit, but as they did not beat us, they try by subtle subterfuge to mislead the public, as everybody knows the tramp's fine was payed by members of the College nine, and that he played with them.

Anticipating that they will say in reply, i e, that the persons who bailed this fellow out, are not members of the "A C B B A," let me ask, why then did they permit these persons to arrange the game under the head of the College nine? Again, if they are above associating with tramps, why did they play at all in the game? Why did they not flatly refuse at the outset? Simply because they fully expected to beat the Albanies, and claim the credit.

Again, all the players on the opposing side were members of the College nine, with perhaps the exception of Mr Rennie and the tramp. If this is not so, why again, did these persons permit their team name to be used?

But there is no use to multiply words, as every reasonable person can readily see that the truth referred to are the fruits of minds, sickened by three successive defeats, when they sanguinely expected victory. Very truly,

O M MCFARLAND,
Capt Albany B B Club.

More Base Ball.

Editors Democrat:

In referring to games recently played on the College campus, your correspondent speaks of them as being played between the "College" or picked nine and the "Albany." In justice to the College club I desire to state that they had nothing to do with the recent games and are not in the habit of hiring tramps to play with them. The College boys have a B. B. association which was formed for the purpose of playing for their own amusement and make no pr[illegible] but do not [illegible] impression [illegible] their social [illegible] play for the[illegible]

A. C. B. B. C.

Adjourned Meeting.

There will be an adjourned meeting of the Linn County Prohibition Convention to be held at Odd Fellows Hall in Albany on Thursday, April 14th, 1892, at 10 o'clock a m. All prohibitionists are invited and urged to attend. The object of the meeting will be to nominate a county ticket and to attend to any other business that may be properly brought before the convention. In order to nominate a ticket under the new ballot law as an "assembly of electors," it will be necessary to have in attendance at the meeting 100 electors of the county, who have not joined in nominating any candidates for the ensuing election for this county. Let every friend of the cause attend. No prohibitionist should fail to attend! Make a note of the date and be sure to come. T P HACKLEMAN, Chairm
J E KNOX, Secretary.

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