The Democrat.

MONDAY

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I PULL TEETH
I MAKE BRIDGE WORK.
MAKE GOLD CROWNS.
I MAKE LOGAN CROWNS
I MAKE METAL PLATES.
I MAKE RUBBER PLATES.
I SAVE THE NATURAL TEETH.
I MAKE REASONABLE CHARGES.

J. C. LITTLER, Dentist

CREAM CREPON

All wool, just the thing for graduating dress. Silk lace for trimming.

SATIN RIBBON

Two lots of all silk ribbon received this week. Black and navy in the extra wide. Good assortment of colors. Three grades.

BIARRITZ GLOVES

Sample colors and black. $1 per pair

PINK BUNTING

One piece came Friday morning and two more will be here about Monday. Plenty of white on hand.

S. E. YOUNG

Pointers by Stewart & Sox Hardware Co.

Wagons, Hacks and Buggies.

We have a good stock in this line. There may be better wood vehicles in town, but they will be in Dickey's shop for repairs long before ours show ratties in theirs we have for sale.

You Can Dig Worms

and go fishing, but we won't yet to buy your fishing tackle of us. There has been a "slump" in such goods, and we can sell you rods, reels, hooks, lines, baskets, etc. at prices you never heard of before.

Seed Corn.

Everyone knows that corn is the earliest varieties of seed corn succeed in Oregon. We have brought out four of the very earliest varieties from the East, and also have an early white corn that has been grown here for eight years.

You're Awfully Mean.

if you don't provide your wife with a good stove and lots of kitchen furniture for it's cheap. We have a big lot of stoves and tinware on hand that we would price to you low. Just how low you will find out by calling.

Bee Supplies.

We can give you a big bargain in bee hives, and will also sell you cheap bee smoker, foundation, smokers, etc.

Plows Don't Sell

very well at this time of the year, but if you need either a steel or chilled plow, we can put you in the way of saving several dollars.

Engines and Separators.

We want threshermen to hear that we have the slickest thing in engines that has yet come out. Something new that just "takes the rag right off the bush." Come around and learn all about it. Also some good bargains in second-hand threshing machinery.

Paint is Like Charity

for it covers up a multitude of sins. I works the same way on fly specks. Remember this when you commence house cleaning. We are not giving paint away, but we are selling the best mixed paint in town. It is made by John W. Masury & Son. Ask your painter about the reputation of their goods. We also have lead oil, varnish, brushes, etc.

That Wet Feeling

is caused by getting too close to our old leaky hose. Of course it will soaker all over you. Throw it away. We have hose, lawn mowers, sprinklers, sickles and everything needed to keep a lawn in good shape, and—we are anxious to sell them.

That Big Crop

must be saved. If it is grass, we have the mower and rake for you. If it is wheat or oats, we have the binder. If you live in "the forks" and have flax, our binder will excel all others in saving it. Easy terms.

The Caterpillars Will Get You.

if you don't watch out. They are taking the whole country. And then there is the codlin moth and the woolly aphis who are after your fruit crops. Come in and get spraying outfit and get to squirting the dead medicine on them.

Sailing Notice.

Steamer Parallon sails from Yaquina to San Francisco Sunday, June 9th. Passengers going by the steamer should leave Albany Saturday noon. Fare, cabin, $12.00; steerage, $8.00; cabin round trip, $18.00, good 60 days for return.

The fine steamer Arcata sailing from Yaquina June 10th, for San Francisco will call at Coos Bay. Fare to Coos Bay, $10.00. Cabin, San Francisco, $12.00; steerage, $8.00; round trip, $18.00.

THE SODAVILLE CREAMERY.—An Albany man who was in Sodadville yesterday went into the creamery of Claus Vehrs, and was surprised at the amount of business being done. Mr. Vehrs has two wagons out regularly and distributes among the farmers $400 or $500 a month, paying for milk according to the price received for butter, which he ships to Portland regularly. He makes about 200 pounds a day, an article of butter that gives satisfaction always. This is proving a fine thing for the country for many miles around Sodaville, putting a good deal of money in circulation.

The business committee of arrangements for the hose team for the Lebanon picnic met last night and selected the following team: Jas Shields, foreman and coupling breaker, Chas. Medin, coupler, Louis Dyer, assistant, A. L. Lamb, nozzleman, Wm. Hubbell, Roy Bentley, Thomas Riley, Gilbert McCully, Robert Chambers, Fred Bloom, Chas. Miller, Al. Stelmaker, ropemen, E. Snow, Willis Dorris, John Talt George Dodge, subs. This is a very fast team, one that ought to win.

The receipts of the county clerk for May were $237.35; of the recorder, $106.45.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Albany, Linn county Oregon, May, 28, 1895. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Buchanan. Mack	Bridges, H. P., 2
Bridges, Georgia	Crandall, Cora Mrs
Cassedy, Geo.	Buskirk Ed. Mrs.
Heise, L. O., 2	James, W. E. Mrs
McAfee, W. E. Mrs.	Pierce, Andrew
Rolte, I.	Radcliff, A.
Rice, Ora Mrs.	Stein, H.
Sarmane, Alma	Turner, J. W.

T. J. SYKES, P. M.

Linn County Council.

The Linn County Business council P of H. met in open meeting, and in the forenoon. There was nothing done in a business way.

There was quite a concourse of people gathered in the expectation of hearing Bros. Roach and Lubin of Calif., on subjects connected with agriculture. After a social talk among all hands in the morning, adjourned for lunch.

There was some good music by the grange choir.

Dinner being over, the people were called to order by music by the choir when Bro. Lubin was introduced, and in an interesting manner, spoke on subjects connected with agriculture. His points were well taken, showing how some things were protected and some were not.

It is impossible for your scribe to give a true account of Lubins speech (not being a shorthand reporter,) but suffice it to say that he says some truism that can not be gainsayed. However, he concluded that "where there is a will, there is a way." Anyone can afford to spend a short time listening to Mr Lubin when they have a chance.

Mr. Lubin was well applauded at the close of his speech.

The next council will be held at Shedd the first Saturday in July, 1895.

CORRESPONDENT.

SOME FOOT RACING. — The Cottage Grove Leader tells of some foot racing in a dramatic style that almost takes ones breath. Even if one does not believe in the average foot race, it will pay to read this item just for the effect: Jim Whitney, the Cottage Grove sprinter, says the Leader, under the name of C. F. Hales, visited Grants Pass, and while there had a go with Miller, the Grants Pass champion. The race was for $150 a side. Considerable money changed hands, Jimmy winning with hands down. The Grants Pass sports feeling rather sore over the result, put their heads together for sweet revenge, and at once notified Mr. Vinton of Southern Oregon, to come on the first train. The light footed gentleman made his appearance on the north bound train. They at once proceeded to business. $150 was placed in the hands of Mr. Mellon, a prominent mining expert, as a stake holder; they then proceeded to the race track to see the results, sixty-five yards being measured off. At this stage of the program excitement grew intense. Large sums of money were being wagered on both sides. They did not have to wait long before both athletes showed their dusky forms in radiance and splendor. As the nimrods came tripping up to the scratch, a bush fell upon the crowd. As the sprints toed the line, Whitney extended his hand which was grasped by his opponent with warm feeling and great respect for each other. By this time the Grants Pass sports plainly saw that they was'ent "in it," for Jim's wonderfully developed form easily convinced both sets that he was much superior to his opponent. They scored one hour and thirty minutes. Jimmy realizing the smoothness of his would be rival's tactics dare not give him an inch the best of it, as he had all his earthy possessions at stake. A flash, a sound and both racers sprang down the course to the post of victory. It was a battle to the finish, Jimmy winning by a scant four inches, and a little lifted up the sleeves. Jimmy's feelings was greatly relaxed at the result, as his brawny opponent came rushing down, with wonderful bounds, was fast closing the gap of victory.

IT IS ALL RIGHT.—The remodeling of the county jail is practically completed. Only a few small things remain to be done. It is unquestionably one of the safest jails on the coast. If any one ever gets out it will be through carelessness. There are six cells, with a cement floor and steel plate above it, in two rows of three each with a steel grating surrounding the whole and a steel plate above. Prisoners will be allowed to do the inside corridor during the day, but not the outside corridor, so it will be impossible to receive tools from the windows. At night an outside arrangement locks each cell. There will be four bunks in a cell, making a capacity of twenty-four, practically twenty, as one is a dark cell. The sanitary arrangement is complete. One tight door closes the whole interior, preventing outside interference. Besides this, is a single cell as you enter the jail for women or insane patients left temporarily. The Albany Iron Works did a creditable job and hereafter the county will have a jail it need not be ashamed of.

ELOCUTIONARY RECITAL.—Misses Helen and Lillian Crawford will give an Elocutionary Recital at the Opera House, Saturday evening, June 8th. One of the pleasant features of the evening will be the Emerson system of Physical Culture given by a class of 25 in Empire costumes. Another will be a recitation "How Gradma Danced the Minuet" followed by a Minuet drill by four little boys and girls in old style costumes. The entertainment will conclude with a lovely and charming drill called "The Feast of the Roses" by a rose bud garden of girls. Come and see how much Albany girls can learn in twelve class lessons. Admission 25 cts, gallery, 15 cts. Remember the date, June 8th.

Elmer Seeley is visiting friends in Eugene.

Frank Stimpson has accepted a position in a Portland barber shop.

Miss Zella Wood, is home from her first years experience in Portland University.

Judge Blackburn, of this city, delivered the address at Corvallis on Memorial Day.

Mrs. W. N. Phillips returned Saturday evening from a visit with her daughter in Oregon City.

On Friday evening Riley Hulburt's twenty-first birthday was celebrated in a happy manner at the residence of W. A. Kinsey.

License has been issued for the marriage of W. H. Boyle and E. E. Irvine, and A. E. Williams and Mrs. Frank Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Warmoth and son, of Brownsville, left on the overland Saturday evening on a visit in Sonoma county, Calif.

Lyle and Clayton Speer, students in the Albany College left today for their home at Warm Springs. They expect to return for the fall term.

Mr. David Lubin, of Sacramento, spoke to a good sized audience at the opera house Saturday night on relief to the American farmer. An export bounty is his means of helping the farmer.

J. G. Crawford, the photographer, and Dr. Collins returned last week from their trip to the Cascades. They went to Minto mountain and did the Independence valley country thoroughly. Stormy weather and slushy snow made matters unpleasant for awhile. On their return trip they captured a large amount of scenery as far down as Niagara, getting some fine views, about seventy in all.

Saturday evening the Bachelor's club gave their fellow member, Mr. E. D. Cusick, a farewell banquet at the St Charles hotel, previous to his departure for Benedictdum. The menu was one of the most elaborate ever gotten up in Albany. Thus the Bachelor Club is gradually being depleted in numbers, as all such clubs should be. Those present were E. D. Cusick, E. M. Horton, J. A. Cumming, Jas, Wilson, C. B. Winn and Chas. Clark.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

Lubin's Address.

The substance of Mr. Lubin's address given here and elsewhere, as reported by an exchange was as follows:

The manufacturing industries of this country have been built up at the expense of the agricultural industry. Every dollar that goes into the pocket of the manufacturer or the workmen in factories by virtue of the tariff, he showed conclusively was taken out of the pockets of the producer. Though himself a republican, he declared protection as now exercised to be the primary cause of the decline in prices of agricultural products, and he asserted that if it should be so continued all producers must eventually lose their land. Destruction and bankruptcy was he said, the goal to which agriculture was now swiftly and surely trending. Free trade he said would not do. The Japanese now operate 750,000 cotton spindles, and the operators are paid six cents for twelve hours work. As a result Japanese cotton goods are now being sold in Manchester, England, and English workmen are being brought into competition, with coolie labor. The way to rectify all these evils is too offer a bounty to be paid out of revenues collected by the government for farm products exported. If paid on products exported it must raise the price of all farm products consumed at home as well as those shipped abroad. He cited that such a bounty had been enacted in England when England was a protective nation, in 1688, and remained in successful operation until England reached a population that consumed all her products and left her without agricultural exports, seventy years later.

Mr. Lubin's theory has been indorsed by the state granges of seven state, Oregon among them, and by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, which at its own expense has sent a delegate to the National Grange to secure the indorsement of the plan by that organization. The plan proposes that for a starter the government shall appropriate five millions of dollars to be used in paying the bounty on exports.

A SOUTH AFRICA LETTER.—Mary Cary writing from Bulluwayo, South Africa, to the Prineville Review, says: I am manager of a large hotel here called the "Charter Hotel." I am running it on the American plan and it is meeting with great favor being crowded all the time. Board £10 per month now but from May 1st it will be £15 at this hotel. Since I have been here I have paid £42 for a bag of potatoes; potatoes are the only vegetable that doesn't thrive here, they get watery, and are not good.

Arthur L. Pearce, of London, the mining engineer who recently went into the Santiam mines to examine the Red Bull and other mines now bonded by a big syndicate of English, French and American capitalists, was in Albany Saturday on his return from the mines. He had a good supply of rock. His opinion will of course not be known for some time yet, mean weather deteriorated from the pleasure of the trip; but was probably not taken into consideration by miners. Pearce left on the overland for Arizonia.

Wheat, 44 cents.

S. T. Jeffreys, who has been practicing law in Corvallis for ten years has moved to Portland to reside.

On Friday $65,495.11 taxes had been collected by the sheriff, and since then about $7,000.

An Albany man received a letter from Nebraska stating that nearly every thing was again dried up. A failure of crops this year will mean a terrible disaster for that state.

In the game of base ball yesterday between Jefferson and Albany the former won 8 to 7. The contest is reported to have been a live one.

As anticipated by the DEMOCRAT the entire class of fifty law students examined by the supreme court Saturday were admitted to the bar. The state legislature should provide for a different system of examination.

At sheriff's sale Saturday afternoon the Red Crown mills were bid in by John Conner at $20,000; the Russ House by Buchner Bros. at $6570.00; the Lebanon ditch by O'Neil Bros. at $23,000; the residence of Geo. P. Warner by Conrad Meyer at $1050.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian Church will give an ice cream and strawberry social at the residence of J. P. Galbraith on Wednesday evening next, to which all are invited. Ice cream and strawberries, 15 cents.

At a special meeting of the Albany fire department Saturday evening it was decided to send a hose team to Lebanon on next Thursday to compete in the hose race. Committee on arrangements, Q. Propst, Chas. Metzgar and Fred Bloom. The committee will meet tonight to select the team.

Saturday lawyer Jeffreys received the news that he had won his case in the hotly contested divorce suit of Crow vs. Crow. The suit was brought about by Mrs. Parilee Crow and real property valued at $5,000 owned jointly by Mack Crow and his wife was involved. The case attracted considerable attention in Polk county, where the litigants were well known. Under the decision Mrs. Crow gets a decree of absolute divorce and half the property.—Corvallis Times.

TUESDA

Hurrah for Albany.

Mr. A. Senders, of this city, has agents buying wool for him all through the valley as well as doing the O. P., among others his son. Very naturally he treads upon other dealers toes, as the following received this morning will indicate:

INDEPENDENCE, Or., June 3.

A. Senders, Esq.

It is no use for your son to try to buy wool here as I can and will pay as much as you can. If he shows up here again I will retaliate by going to Albany and spoil your market if I don't get any wool. GEO. E. BREY.

Mr. Brey should by all means come to Albany, the center of trade, and bring as many other wool buyers as possible, Linn county has three big woolen mills, the most of any county in Oregon, and the more wool competition the more fun, and the better for sheep owners.

REPORTS BETTER TIMES.—Uncle Jim Elliott is entertaining at the present time, an old Missouri playmate of his younger days by the name of B. F. Bagby. In conversation with Mr. Bagby one day this week he informed us that times are much better in Missouri than one year ago. Land has increased all the way from five to fifteen dollars per acre in value. Cattle and hogs are ready sale. He says the sheep are mostly gone out of his state, only a few of the best being kept for "seed." Mr. B. is quite a well informed gentleman and claims the free silver sentiment to predominate at the present time in Missouri.—Ochoco Review.

WERE REWARDED.—Without doubt the musical event that entertained society most last week was the concert given by the students of Stanford and University of California at Scheel's Auditorium on Friday evening. The concert was well attended, there being no vacant seats in the entire building. All society turned out to greet this clever combination and were well rewarded.—S. F. Examiner March 31, 1895. At the Albany opera house next Friday night, June 7.

WHILE PITCHING A BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball took place at Hadleyville yesterday between the Hadleyville and Coyote club, in making a square pitch of the ball, broke his right arm square off about midway between the elbow and shoulder. While he pitched the ball very swift, he did not attempt to throw a curved ball, hence the breaking of the limb is unaccountable. The arm was set and he is doing nicely.—Guard.

SISTER ACADEMY COMMENCEMENT.—The commencement exercises of the Sister's Academy of this city, will be held at the opera house, June 10th at 8 p. m. The drama, "Through Darkness to Light" will be presented on the occasion and promises a very interesting and pleasant evening to all present. Tickets, reserved seats, 35 cents; gallery, 25 cents. Reserved tickets sold at Hodges & McFarland's, also at the Star Bakery, Mr. C. Meyer's.

Crop Report.

The cool, cloudy and showery weather, while not injurious to vegetation, retarded current growth. The weather was favorable to the future growth and to the success of the years' crops. Strawberries were retarded in ripening, but no material damage was done to them. Some clover and alfalfa hay had been cut previous to the rain in Jackson county, which may have been slightly damaged by it. The hay crop is unusually heavy. The late rains have been, as a rule, especially favorable to it. Many correspondents report the hay being unusually heavy. It is now ready to cut, and the week will see great activity in hay making. Fall-sown grain is heading. Spring grain is yellow in low, wet places, but as a rule it is most promising. The grain aphis in small numbers is again reported from Redlands, Clackamas county. Catterpillars are reported to be very numerous on trees about Gervais and Howell, in Marion county. One correspondent reports the appearance of hop lice in Lane county. Hops are growing with unusual rapidity. Seldom in years past have the hops made such growth and so healthy, too, to the 1st of June, as they have this year. Splendid growth and perfectly healthy vines is the condition of hops today. The prune, apple, pear, peach and plum crop is first-class; the trees are, as a rule, so heavily laden that hand pruning will have to be resorted to. From most every county comes the report that never since the country was settled did the prospect for hay, grain, hops and fruit appear so promising as they do at the present time. In Eastern Oregon the condition for bounteous crops of all descriptions have seldom, if ever, been better in years gone by than they are at the present time.

B. S. PAGUE, Director.

Mr. E. C. Small, of Salem, is lying dangerously ill.

Mrs. M. J, Monteith, of Portland, is in the city on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Parrish have returned from their trip to Coos county.

Mr. Anderson Cannon is now an attorney at law, having just been admitted.

Mrs. T. J. Stites, Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. James Cherry went to Jefferson this noon to institute a lodge of Rebeccas.

Charles Cusick, pharmacist at the insane asylum is in the city, to attend the wedding of his brother tomorrow morning.

Among those admitted to the bar by the supreme court was Mr. George Hart, of Grants Pass, brother of A. S. Hart, of this city.

In the notice of those attending the bachelors banquet at the St. Charles the name of J. R. Whitney should have been used instead of that of James Wilson.

Mrs. Van Houten who sued Asa Morse, a Boston banker, for breach of promise, has returned to Spokane with $20,000 as the result of it. Mrs. Van Houten resided in Eugene three years and was a student in the University, her maiden name being Smith.

Ted Piper, city editor of the Oregonian, and family, George Piper, of the news department of that paper, and Charles Piper, Southern Pacific postal clerk, came up this noon to attend the wedding of their sister Miss Grace Piper at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mr. James Williams arrived on the last steamship from Japan and gave the Sun a call yesterday. He has beed a resident and business man in Yokohama for 18 years, and will probably return to that country in a year. He brings word of greeting from Louis Eppinger to his Portland friends. Mr. Eppinger, he said, is doing great business, and has the finest restaurant in Japan.—Portland Sun.

J. W. Gaines, of the Forks, was in the city today with his brothers-in-law, Wash and Sam Crowley, of Andrew county, Mo., who are in the state on a visit. They were among Oregon's early pioneers one of them coming here in 1846. They returned to Missouri; but have visited Oregon two or three times before. To-day they all just came over from doing the West Side.

CABLED HIS REPORT.—Mr. Arthur L. Pearce, F. G. S., M. Am. Inst., M. E., I. M. M., mention of whose return from the Santiam mines was made yesterday, was also in Salem after his return. The Post says Mr. Pearce reports a splendid time and says he saw the most wonderful timber that he has had the pleasure of beholding, although he is constantly traveling and inspecting mining properties all over the world. When asked his opinion of the Santiam gold belt, he shrugged his shoulders and said that his report had been cabled to London. That is all he would say on the subject. Mr. and Mrs. Pearce spoke as if they would see more of our mining country later which led us to believe he contemplates returning, and in this event he can rest most assured that he will receive a hearty welcome.

SUIT AGAINST STOCKHOLDERS. — The Farmers and Merchants Insurance Company has brought suit against Henry and Leo Gerhard, of Corvallis, on two notes, which they made as stockholders, upon two 5 per cent assessments. The case is the first of a number which will probably be begun, as there are a good many of the stockholders who have not paid the notes given when the assessments were made.

Will Celebrate.

Albany will celebrate the 4th of July this year. A committee solicited subscriptions last evening and secured enough to insure a live celebration. A meeting will be held to night at the council chambers when an organization will be perfected for the celebration, a committee of arrangements appointed, etc. It is Albany's turn. Let the eagle scream this year.

The Oregon Pacific appeal case has been set by the supreme court for a hearing on June 18.

The Albany water works are appreciated for a few days by not having their use, the water being shut off while the ditch is being repaired.

Miller & Turner will take a back load of people to Lebanon and return on Thursday for 50 cents, provided ten will go. This beats the railroad

The daughter of Mr Moore, residing at 5th and Jefferson streets, fell off a horse, breaking both bones of one of her arms. Dr. Ellis set the bones.

The communication published yesterday from a young man from Shelburn should have been credited to the Scio Press; but was unintentionally omitted.

The train will leave the depot Thursday morning at 8:20 o'clock for Lebanon. A big crowd is going to the fraternal picnic.

There will be water in the mains of the city at 5 o'clock tonight for 2 hours, and then will be shut off until in the morning

Mr. Hubbell has moved his fish market next door to L. Viericks, where he will be found with the latest in the market.

Prof. R. A. Heritage, formerly of the Valparaiso, Ind., normal school has been elected director of the conservatory of music of Willamette University, to succeed Prof. Parvin, who has resigned

On our editorial page will be found a letter to the Prineville Review from Mark E. Cary formerly of Crook county now in South Africa, 17,000 miles away. It is of great interest.

A good deal of interest is taken in the intercollegiate field day sports at Salem on Saturday, and no doubt a good many will go on the Wm. M. Hoag which will leave Albany at 8 a. m.

Salem proposes raising $1,000 for a 4 th of July celebration; Corvallis will celebrate; likewise Eugene; Brownsville will do the business at home There will be plenty of jollification this year.

Otillia Dewitt commenced suit yesterday in the state circuit court against R. N. Thompson and Edith Thompson for $2000 and to foreclose a mortgage on lot 1, block 126, Caruther's addition.—Oregonian.

J. E. Edwards, of the Olympic Club wheelmen, Sunday at San Francisco lowered the five-mile road coast record one-fifth of a second, riding the distance in 12:13, as against F. M. Byrne's coast record of 12:13 1 5. Byrne rode in the races at Independence Saturday.

Millie Christine, the wonderful two-headed negro women or woman will show in Salem this week She or they passed through Albany yesterday noon. A DEMOCRAT man tried too see them but they blushed and held a big paper before their faces.

Col. Frank V. Drake, attorney for Secretary of State Kincaid, is in the city today to perfect an appeal from Judge Hewitt to the supreme court in the case of James Eddy, railroad commissioner, versus Harrison R. Kincaid, secretary of state His papers have been properly filed and an appeal has been taken.—Journal.

Potatodom.

More sunshine and less rain, is what we need from now on.

Potato planting is the order of the day in these parts.

Grandma Groshang is able to sit up part of time.

Miss Cora Thompson returned home Sunday, from a week's visit among Scio friends.

Paul Perry is working for a Jefferson firm this week.

D. H. Looney, of Marion county, and Harry Thompson of Potatodom, took in the ball game at Albany last Sunday.

The early ripened strawberries are no good on account of so much rain.

Frank Vorhees continues no better. James Groshang, his brother-in-law, started Sunday evening to Clackamas county after Mrs. Vorhees.

G. L. Thompson is quite an expert at house moving.

Mr. Rhodes, Jr., is up from California looking after his fruit interests in these parts.

G. L. Thompson and Paul Perry Sr., are getting to be experts at playing croquet.

Frank Miller is getting the material on the ground for a commodius hop building.

A social dance at Uncle Dick Burress's last Thursday evening was enjoyed by the young folks.

Job Karney and wife expected to attend the Dunkard love feast near Salem on the evening of the 7th.

Quite a number of Potatodomites have planted from 1 to 5 acres of corn, if it does well look out for some fat hogs from here next fall.

Some kind of an insect is killing the watermelons. Who can give a remedy?

L. B. Davis is enclosing his house and garden in a substantial picket fence.

WEDNESDAY

THE INDEPENDENCE RACES.—The bicycle races at Independence Saturday were largely attended and proved of great interest. C. W. Sears, of this city did not enter any of the contests. The one mile novice, was won by Paul Hansen, of Salem. Time, 3:49½; the mile open class B, with nine starters was won by Jas. A. Drain, of Spokane in 2:43½; half mile, class A, with fourtern entries, by Frank M. Byrnes, of California; the 3 mile Polk county race, by Chas. Staats. Fred Emmett, of McCoy in that county, a student in the Albany College, lead in this race and just before the finish was well in the lead, and would have won but one foot slipped from the pedal, his machine wabbled and he was unable to recover himself in time to spurt. The two mile class B, nine starting, was won by Eli Winesett, of Olympia, in 5:41½; five mile lap, class B, with fourteen entries, by Watt Skiff of Salem in 15 minutes; one mile tandem, with two entries, by Winsett and Lee.

SATURDAY'S RACES.—The local races heretofore mentioned to take place next Saturday at the fair ground are attracting some attention and promise to be well attended. The horses contesting will be C. E. Barrow's Wavemont, W. B. Shannon's Sadie O and J. M. Ralston's three year old, best 2 in 3. Purse, $75. Besides this contest there will be a half mile race between Del Norte and Charles Sears on a bicycle, a novelty in Albany, and probably a mile race between several Albany bicyclists, and Del Norte will be sent a mile to beat his record of 2:15.

ONE OF ITS BUNGLES.—Judge Shattuck, of Portland, has decided that, according to the Butler act of 1895, the fees paid to the clerk of the circuit court for filing complaints in civil cases covered all of the fees required to be paid in such cases, and that the sheriff is no longer entitled by law to collect fees for serving complaints. Neither can he collect mileage. This will knock the counties out of hundreds of dollars of fees. As it is while the clerks office is self supporting the sheriff's office returns nothing into the treasury in the way of fees. The law is a sample of the bungling done by the last legislature.

PROBABLY PERISHED IN THE CASCADES.—A couple weeks ago a man nearly seventy years of age, whose name is unknown left Crook county for the valley by way of the Santiam route, and it is thought he perished in the storms that recently prevailed, after having wandered south to the McKenzie route. Two men crossing by that route, just at dark, heard the cries of a man for help, which they were unable to locate. A search was made the next morning; but without avail.

Following is the personel of the two clubs which will be at the opera house Friday night: Glee club: B G Somers, Director, T V Bakewell, C R Morse, Chas A Whipple, Power Hutchins, Dwight Hutchinson, E Rickard, H P Veeder, C E Parcells, (solo violin) and W B King (accompanist.) C E Parcells, manager. Stanford University Mandolin club: W Bittle Wells, Thomas K Code, Edward C Small, W A Graham, A Kaufman, George B Wilson, W G Longwell, Mark S Porter, B T Weigle, W L McGuire, Chas K Field, W B Wells, director, and W A Graham, manager.

It is a constant round of care and toil from which there is no escape. How essential, then, are health and strength, and yet with how many women these are altogether lacking. They are tired all day and unable to sleep at night. In this condition the system will soon break down.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

J. M. Donaca, of Lebanon, is in the city today.

Jas. Matchett, of Lebanon, was in the city today.

Jessie Barker, of Dunsmuir, Calif., was in the city to day on a flying trip.

Ralph and Roy Gill, of Scio, were in the city today on their bicycles.

Mrs. Amanda Kester, who has been in Walla Walla several months, has returned to Newport to reside.

Hon. R. A. Irvine went with some friends to Sodaville on Monday, his first trip out of Albany for a long time.

Miss Mary Stewart celebrated her fourteenth birthday last evening with an old folks party, enjoyed by several of her young friends.

Among the graduates from the Eugene public schools this year are Ella McAllister and Lenna L. Reid, both former residents of Albany.

N. J. Damon, a well known grocer, and Miss Helen Osborn, who has a number of warm friends in Albany, were united in marriage in Salem this noon.

F. P. Caviness and wife, former residents of Albany, were in the city today on their way to Southern Oregon for the benefit of Mr. Caviness' rheumatism.

Mr. R. W. Caldwell, of Lebanon, Or., was in Albany Wednesday and sold 320 acres of timber land in Washington for $2,500 to Mr. B. O. Skelton, of Denver, Colorado.

J. J. Davis left today to work on his two claims between Gates and Quartzville. They are located about half way between the places and Mr. Davis thinks they show up as well on the surface as anything he has seen.

License was issued this afternoon for the marriage of Nathan Monroe Newport and Miss Emma Retta Cougill. The ceremony will take place at 8:30 tonight. Tomorrow the happy couple will leave on a bridal trip to Astoria.

Peter Wilson, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Willits of Ashland, was visiting the latter's family in Ashland for a few days, going down to Gold Hill last evening where he has some work in view at his millwright trade. His little daughter, Irene, came with him and will remain here with grand parents and other relatives for awhile.—Ashland Record. Mr. Wilson at one time worked in the Magnolia mills in this city.

F. M. Anderson and Elmer Applegate arrived Thursday evening from Stanford University, where they have been among the 1100 students in attendance the past year Mr. Anderson was one among over 150 members of the pioneer class that graduated from that prominent institution last week, and now holds the "A. B." degree from Stanford, as well as from Willamette College at Salem, where he had previously graduated. His major study at Stanford was geology and his high standing in the class did much toward securing him a position with a geological surveying party with which he will be connected during the summer. Mr. Applegate, who is a son of Lucien B. Applegate, of Klamath county, is an enthusiast as well as a thorough specialist in botany and is engaged with Mr. Anderson in gathering botanical specimens, which they find abundant and interesting in this section, and many of which will be added to the collections at Stanford University by them.—Ashland Tidings.

CUSICK—PIPER WEDDING.

Mr. Edward D. Cusick and Miss Grace Piper were united in marriage, at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, June 5, 1895, at the home of the brides brother-in-law, E. W. Langdon, in this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. W. Courtwright, of the Presbyterian church, and was an impressive and interesting event. The bride in a rich costume and the groom in conventional black were happily supported by Misses Flora Mason and Lora Vance as bridesmaids and Mr. George Piper as best man. After the ceremoney an elaborate wedding dinner was served, when almost the entire party accompanied the bride and groom to the depot and showered them with rice as they started on their bridal trip to the Sound country. The groom is a popular young man, cashier in the bank of J. W. Cusick & Co., and the bride is a bright young lady, almost a life time resident of Albany, several intervening years being spent at Salem and other coast cities. They have the best wishes of a large circle of friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cusick and sons, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Henton and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ortel, of Albany, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Piper, of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Langdon, Miss Ethel Cusick, of Salem, Misses Hattie and Lida Galbraith, Flora and Vesta Mason, Lora and Pearl Vance, Hattie Ball, Annie and Ora Flinn, Zola Winn, Velle Irving, Bertha Ellis, Emma Pfeiffer, Eva Cowan, and Messrs Chas. and Fred Piper, J. R. Whitney, C. B. Winn, J. A. Cumming, E. M. Horton, Anderson Cannon and Walter Peacock.

ROTTEN TIMBERS DID IT.—The railroad commissioners have made a finding in the case of the wreck of the freight train on the O. C. & E: Minute examination of the piles and stringers, the board is of the opinion that it fell because, since its construction, its strength has never been renewed, and that it was one of those structures whose decay has kept pace with the decline in the financial affairs of the road.

Albany College.

Following is the twenty-ninth Annual Commencement Calendar:

Sabbath, June 16.

United Presbyterian church.

10:30 a. m.: Baccalaureate sermon by Rev. A. L. Hutchison, of Salem.

7:45 p. m.: Farwell exercises of Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. Rev. R. Little will deliver the address.

Monday, June 17.

Presbyterian church.

8:00 p. m.: Junior entertainment.

Tuesday, June 18.

Opera House.

8 p. m. Drama "Under the Laurels" by the Sophomore class.

Wednesday, June 19.

United Presbyterian church.

10:00 a. m. Commencement exercises.

8:00 p. m. Alumni Reunion.

HOME AND ABROAD

As high as 11¾ cents has been paid for wool.

UNIVERSITY Clubs at the opera House Friday night.

Tinkle leads for fine photos.

See the new $1.50 photos at Tinkles; they are the best.

Four quarts of Sodaville soda water at Hodges & McFarland's, for 25 cents.

A great reduction of the prices of all photos commencing June 1st at Tinkles.

Sodaville mineral water on draught at F. H. Pfeiffer's. A very healthy drink.

Still the lowest in price, and highest in quality of work. Tinkle, the leader in photos.

The price of hides is higher than for several years, 8 cents per pound being paid in this city.

Mr. Ben Mills of Tangent, has the thanks of the DEMOCRAT for a couple boxes of very big strawberries.

Special evangelistic services at the Evangelical church every evening this week, and afternoons at 2:30, to which all are invited.

An old man named Eli Taylor it is claimed found a pocket with $8500 in gold in it, on Powells creek in Southern Oregon, a few days ago.

An illustrated talk will be given at the Viavi company, Baltimore block, June 6, by Mrs. M. Buoy, of special interest to mothers

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church will give a social at the residence of J. P. Galbraith tonight, to which all are invited. Ice cream and strawberries, 15 cents.

The steamer Waluski was seized Monday morning at Yaquina by Customs Officer Ball for running without a license She was released later on $1000 bonds.

F. C. Hutchison recently rode from Redlands, Calif., to Pendleton His best days ride was between Eugene and Portland, 130 miles. He traveled 1600 miles before puncturing a tire.

The W. M. Hoag has a special permit to carry 350 passengers on the excursion to Salem next Saturday. Tickets 75 cents for round trip, can be secured at Hodges & McFarland's, or J. A Cumming's.

F Co. are contemplating an outing of two or three days, in which a genuine camp life drill will be indulged in. A fine place near Thornton's Lake could be obtained for such a purpose.

A. L. Lamb has retired from the machinery and bicycle business and accepted a position with the Mitchell & Lewis Co. Walter Biddell has charge of the Victor bicycle business.

Don't forget Misses Helen and Lillian Crawford's Elocutionary Recital at opera house Saturday evening, June 8th. Tickets: reserved seats, 25 cents; gallery 15 cents. On sale at Hodges & McFarland's.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will give a strawberry and ice cream lawn party on the west lawn of the court house on Tuesday evening of next week Ice cream or strawberries, 10 cents, both 15 cents. Orchestra music will be in attendance.

Dr. Adams, of the Albany Dental Parlors, wishing to make a business trip east will pay a competent dentist $200 per month to take charge of his practice for a month or six weeks. Applicant must be posted in painless filling and extracting teeth.

A big hundicap foot race will be run at Eugene Friday. Following will be the order: Whitney, "whiskers," Ray and Foster, 110 yards; Gilpin, 107; Cooley, 105; Beam, Stomest and Davis, 100; Morgan and Roberts, 98; Claude and Prior Blair, Kompp and Lindley, 95

The huge grizzly, which has been death to much stock in the Lake creek section for some years past, was lately caught in a steel trap, but got away He had deliberately pulled his hind leg out, leaving considerable of his flesh, hide and muscles behind him. His trail was followed for several miles; but the chase was finally given up.—Times.

Following are the new officers of Safety Lodge A. O. U. W.: Wm. Fortmiller, M. W., H.