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MONDAY

ALBANY'S PAST.

From the DEMOCRAT of March 11 to April 22, 1870.

A big discussion was going on among valley papers as to the name of the river going through the valley. Different names were claimed, as followsa: Guillamette, Willamette, Wallamette, Wallamet, Wallamitte, Walihamette.

The democratic state convention was held at Albany on March 23. L. F. Grover was nominated for governor. J. H. Slater for congress, S. F. Chadwick for secretary of state, Lewis Fleischner and T. Patterson for printer. M. V. Brown of this city received 70 out of 156 votes for printer.

Thos. G. Taylor retired as principal of the public schools.

At the democratic county convention J. J. Whitney beat S. A. Johns 2 votes for judge. R. H. Crawford and Enoch Holt were nominated for senators, A. C. Jones for clerk, R. A. Irvine for sheriff, Jas. Shields for treasurer, Martin Payne and Jason Wheeler for commissioners, J. B. Sherry for assesor, T. J. Stites for Supt., opposed were E. E. Wheeler and Hiram Smith for senator, Thos. G. Taylor judge, J. B. Monteith for clerk, O. W. Richardson for sheriff, D. Andrews for treasurer, H. Powell for assessor, S. G. Irvine for superintendent.

Married, on April 12, 1870, Benjamin Johnson and Amanda Robinson, Rev. Wilson officiating.

Jas. Elkins was nominated for secretary of state on republican ticket.

Jas. O'Meara, founder of the DEMOCRAT spoke at a republican ratification meeting in Portland. The DEMOCRAT said that it should command the cheerful assent of all democrats.

From the DEMOCRAT of April 22, to August 19, 1870:

N. Baum is making arrangements to open a store in Albany.

J C Powell and N L Butler had a joint debate, as candidates for prosecuting attorney, at Albany on May 28

At the June election the state ticket in Linn was democratic by about 250 majority. Every democrat in the county was elected. R A Irvine, for sheriff again had the biggest majority, 283.

The firm McForland & Harvey was established.

"Shoo fly don't bodder me" was the great expression of this year.

The 1870 census of Linn Co. was under the charge of Capt N B Humphrey.

D G Clark was elected G M of the grand lodge of Masons which met at Astoria.

Wheat on July 8, 75 cts.

Judge Johns, filling the office by appointment, who was defeated by Judge Whitney refused to give up the office, claiming he had two years more to serve. A suit followed, decided too late to help Judge Whitney.

The DEMOCRAT in referring to an application for an extension of time for the road to reach Albany, said in June "this indicates that the road will not reach Albany this year, if, indeed, it ever does.

The "Shoo Fly" made its first trip to Albany, up the Willamette.

B. W. Cundiff, of this city, this year built the brick court house at Roseburg. Contract price $11,600.

M V Brown assumed sole control of the DEMOCRAT on Aug. 5, 1870. His partner Judge Bellinger shortly afterwards went to Portland, where he has since resided.

Gov. Ballard, late of Idaho, located in ebanon to practice medicine.

Real Estate Sales.

Jos S Clark to J C Davis, 1 lot bl 31 H's 2d ad ..... $ 200
W E Savage to A J Bilyeu, 100 acres in W 1 2000
A J Bilyeu to Mattie Savage, 10 acres 10 w 1 2000
M J Hilda to J K Weatherford and J R Wyatt, 1 lot N Brownsville 400
Areminta Hale to W H Averill, 8.69 acres 260
J A Valentine to M A E Smith ¾ acre Harrisburg 550
Mary J Wheeler to H C Moran, 7 lots Lebanon 850
Jennie B Caldwell to E P Wallace, 313 acres 12 w 1 907
A S Hart to G C Turner, 1 lot bl 45 Albany 800
G Myers to annie Myers, 3 lots Lyons and 320 acres 30
J D Burkhart to Sylvina Burkhart, 170 acres 11 w 3 2220
A J Whitaker to Sylvia Burkhart, 131¼ acres 275
V H Robnett to W H McConnell, piece land 13 w 4 3070
R R Forbes to Ida porter, 30 acres 600
H C Moran to Fred Mattke, 108.57 acres 2800
Anna Cannon to Nellie O Maston, 2 lots bl 129 H's ad 10
H Bryant to Anna Sharp, 12 82 acres 11 w 3 384
Albertine Whiting to Clara Reynolds, 40 acres 12 w 1 100
Sarah M Shields to J J Whitney, lots 1 and 2 and fractional lot E A Albany 500
W W Weltner to M M Calloway, 30 acres 500
A J Chance to Geo S Miller, 5.44 acres 400
M S Titus to B H Irvine, 3 acres 50
J D Irvine to G C Cooley, ¼ in lot in Brownsville 200
Sarah Foren to Hannah Clark, 40 acres 320
Lee Bilyeu to Martha Runker, 147 acres 2000
W J Guy to Willia E Gaines, 2 lots Lebanon 500
J A Anderson to Ruby Anderson, 2 lots Tangent 500
Carter Sharp to Trixey Sharp, 2 lots Tangent 500
C J Howe to F J Eggleston, 1 lot N Brownsville 50
W R Hardman to Silas E Starr, 1 lot Sodaville 40
Jas Cook to Charles Marias, 476 25 acres 6875
E J Lanning by sheriff to Jas Laurent, et al, several lots and parcels of land 7020
U S to O C R R. many pieces land
J L Hill to A Klein, 6x100 feet bl 1 Albany.

DRIVING THE CHEAPEST.—George Smith and George Horning started for Portland yesterday morning with a band of 78 beef cattle. It is estimated that this will be the finest drove of grass feed cattle ever landed in Portland. The buyers expect 50 of the band to average over 1,200 pounds apiece when they reach the metroposis. It is more than passing strange that the railroad company does not make rates of a character that will make it cheaper for a stock buyer to patronize the road than to drive the stock a hundred miles or more.—Corvallis Times.

Bryan & McKinley are both in the race to win a seat on the throne at the White House. Burkhart & Lee the druggists are in the race to win customers by selling pure, fresh drugs, and compounding prescriptions with the utmost care they will succeed.

Dawson will treat you right.

$6.00 buys a good Mandolin with book
$5.00 buys a good new Guitar with book.
$1.00 buys 16 choice "cat gut" Banjo 1s strings.
$1.00 buys 12 choice "cat gut" Violin E strings.
$4.00 buys a fine Violin with bow.
25 cts buys one dozen steel Violin 1st or 2nd strings.
$25.00 buys a 5-drawer sewing machine; high arm, light running; guaranteed 5 years

☞ Prices on Pianos, Organs, Banjos sent on application.

E. U. Will : : : : Albany.

Created a Storm.

According to a recent issue of the Call, Rev. Bronson, president of the Baptist college at Oakland, formerly of Albany, has caused a sensation there. Under the head of "Rev. Dr. Bronson Creates a Storm," extracts are given from a paper read by him. Following are a few extracts:

"The public schools give the pupil a smattering of everything and teach him nothing. He can neither read nor write and is seriously defective in arithmetic, while spellidg is to him worse than a foreign tongue. The average high school does not attempt to master anything. This is not its ambition.

"There are not 25 Baptists in the United States who are fitted to teach the Bible to college students. Their knowledge of the book must be the knowledge secured by a long course of intense and exhaustive study under the guidance of a master. Startling as may be the statements it is nevertheless true that there are no men in the Baptist denomination who are fitted to teach the Bible in a Baptist school of any grade below the theological seminary."

A dozen ministers who heard the paper arose to their feet and denounced the last two statements, and a live polemical time followed.

An Elegant New Residence.

One of the finest residences in Albany, in fact in the valley, has just been built by Mr. and Mrs. Perry W. Spinks on their nicely located lots in the 1st ward, a residence that would do credit to good times. The foundation is of solid stone surrounding an immense basement about 50x40 feet. The two and a half story structure above it is of an architecture that would do credit to the most expert metropolitan architect, and yet an Albany man, Mr. Andrew Touker drew all the plans and superintended the work, being ably assisted Mr. Chris Howland. There are sixteen large, well arranged rooms above the basement, a large verauda over-looking the city east and north of it. A roof proportioned to the structure cars the building and will always attract attention on account of a large, well painted eye bulging out from it on the eastern slope. Altogether it is a decided credit to Albany and Mr. and Mrs. Spinks may well be proud of their new home.

Gets a Live Letter.

The Poundmaster continues to have more fun than you can shake a stick at. This morning he received the following letter, and is now wondering what it means. The public is invited to be present at the meeting referred to:

Mr. Ed Davidson:—The ladies of this city are tired of your dog days, and request you to meet a few of us on the corner of the city hall block tonight to confer further on this subject. By order of city council. Signed by Mrs M. P., J. B., R. L., N. C.

W. C. Tweedale and family returned from the Bay today.

Mr J. A. Cumming left to-day on a trip east to be gone a month or two.

Mr. Elim Miller, who has been in the hotel at the mines, has returned to Albany.

Chris Vandran returned from Elk City this noon with a venison and some fine trout.

A. B Woodin and W. G Wood are at the Santiam mines doing development work on a claim of the former.

Private Secretary Dunniway of Salem was in Albany this noon to meet Mrs. Gov. Lord, on her way home from Seal

Mr. Frank Will returned this noon from a two months visit at his old home in Missouri. He came by way of San Francisco.

Mrs. Walter Monteith was injured a few days ago at Nye Creek by falling from a hammock. She will return to Albany as soon as able to travel.

Mrs. Cleland, mother of Rev. Cleland, left today for her home in Portland. Mr. Cleland will go to Montreal in a few weeks to finish his studies in theology.

Miss Clem, recently of Walla Walla, has located in Albany and formed a partnership with Miss Morris, of this city. They will do dressmaking at their rooms in the residence of A. B. Woodin. Rock.

Mr. A. D. Barker left on last Saturday night for Byron Hot Springs, California, for the benefit of his rheumatism, which has again attacked him. This is his second trip there, and his host of friends here will hope that the mud will knock his rheumatics completely out.

Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Stuart, recently of the Second U. P. church of San Francisco, spent Sunday in Albany on their way to Chicago, where Mr Stuart will work as pastor of the 3rd church. He is a former room mate of Rev. Little.

Mr. and Mrs A. B. Slauson left today for their home in Washington, D. C. They were detained here three or four weeks by Mr. Slauson's illness. After remaining four or five days at Portland they will visit a day or two in Spokane and then go directly to the Capital City.

Miss Rhoda Hail, who has been visiting with Albany friends during the past week left for Montana, where she has accepted the position of matron in the industrial school. She held a like position at Grand Ronde, which she resigned for the more lucrative and desirable place among the Blackfeet.

Mrs. Henrietta Brown and Miss Mildred Burmester, of Albany, were guests of our better half Monday. Miss Burmester is Albany's leading music teacher (piano or organ) and we are glad to state that she has secured a number of pupils here and will visit our city Wednesday of each week.—Jefferson Review.

This is the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr and Mrs N T Moore, the golden wedding day of their life. N T Moore and Catherine Packer were married at Senaca Falls, N Y, on Sept. 14, 1846 They came to Oregon in 1875. Half a century has been spent happily together. They deserve the blessing of a peaceful life as the sun goes down. Many friends will unite with the DEMOCRAT in extending them congratulations with the hope that the diamond era may be reached.

Jonathan Bourne Jr., has declared for Bryan.

Nerves

Are the Messengers of Sense,—the Telegraph System of the human body.

Nerves extend from the brain to every part of the body and reach every organ.
Nerves are like fire—good servants but hard masters.
Nerves are fed by the blood and are therefore like it in character.
Nerves will be weak and exhausted if the blood is thin, pale and impure.
Nerves will surely be strong and steady if the blood is rich, red and vigorous.
Nerves find a true friend in Hood's Sarsaparilla because it makes rich, red blood.
Nerves do their work naturally and well,—the brain is unclouded, there are no neuralgic pains, appetite and digestion are good, when you take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. All druggists. $1. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills the best family cathartic and liver stimulant. 25c.

Throw out the Line.

TANGENT, Sept. 7, 1896.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:

The following is by Rev. E. F. Ufford:

Throw out the life-line across the dark wave,
There is a brother whom some one should save,
Some body's brother! Oh, who then will dare
To throw out the life-line his peril to share?

Chorus—
Throw out the life-line; throw out the life-line,
Some one is drifting away,
Throw out the life-line; throw out the life-line
Some one is sinking to-day.

Throw out the life-line with hand quick and strong,
Why do you tarry my brother, so long?
See! he is sinking, oh hasten to-day
And out with the life-boat away then away. Cho.

Throw out the life-line to danger,—fraught men,
Sinking in anguish where you've never been;
Winds of temptation and billows of woe,
Will soon hurl them out where the dark waters flow. Cho.

Soon will the season of rescue be o'er.
Soon will they drift to eternity's shore,"
Haste, then, my brother, no time for delay,
But throw out the life-line and save them today. Cho.

The average number of citizens in the United States who fill drunkards graves each day is one-hundred and ninety-seven, and each voter may aid in throwing out the life-line to save this vast number from sinking.

Letter from Rev. Hill.

An Albany friend of Rev. G. W. Hill received a letter from him yesterday. Recently Rev. Hill was transferred to Chofu, Japan, on account of Mrs. Hill's health, and is preparing for work there. We are permitted to give extracts from the letter as follows:

CHOFU, Japan, Aug. 18, 1896.

Our own life has not had much interest to record since settling at Chofu. It is a very quiet place. My work just now is mostly study. There is much to interest and encourage us in our work. I am to have the native evangelists in for a conference soon. They have hard work and no sympathy and sometimes real persecution. I have a good interpeter and can do a little in encouraging them. Japan awakens much interest as a mission field; but it is exceedingly difficult now to reach the people.

The letter closes with regards to Albany friends.

College Notes.

Professor Corbet will meet new students for the purpose of classification, at the college tomorrow, beginning at 9 a. m.

College opens Wednesday 16th.

All alumni and former students, who so desire, will be welcome at the opening exercises at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The typewritting and shorthand will be taught in the library the coming year. All students contemplating taking these studies should confer at once with Miss Porter, stenographer, or President Lee.

A good attendance is expected the coming year. Among the first to arrive were Miss Dora Page, Marius Marcelu, of Oakland.

Prof. Parvin, of the Conservatory of Music, is at the college this afternoon ready to receive registrations.

Miss Marguerette Alderson arrived in Albany this noon ready for the winters work in music.

A FLIM FLAMMER.—In response to a dispatch from Chief of Police Minto, of Portland, Marshal Lee Saturday evening arrested a man going by the name of Chambers, probably Steele, wanted in Portland for flim flamming a man at the races last. Officer Griffin came up and took him back for trial.

The public schools opened today, the college will open Wednesday. The sisters school has been in session since Sept. 1.

A boy who escaped from the California reform school was arrested in this city yesterday by Marshal Lee and will be held until an officer calls for him.

Dr. Wing Lee, a Chinese doctor who has frequently been arrested for practising without a license, at last came to grief today. Formerly he always managed to escape punishment, but he carried his jug to the well once too often. He had a trial on a similar charge before Justice McDevett this forenoon, and was found guilty. The court fined him $100 and sentenced him to three months in the county jail.—Telegram. Wing Lee has practiced in Albany some. He is now getting his deserts. Jim Westfall says he talk too much, not much good.

Boston Roller Mills, Shedds, Or.

In order to correct false reports we would state we give 40 lbs of flour, in exchange for one bushel first-class clean red and white wheat and less flour for second grade. We have put in a large Turbin and can do some good chopping for 1-10th bushel.

SIMMONS & THOMPSON.

BICYCLE THIEVES.—Paul Sroat, of Salem, was in Albany last night on his way home from Corvallis, where he had been to regain two bicycles stolen from the bowling alley at Salem. Two tramps stole them and pretending to be from Tacoma and tired out, sold the two for $25. The man who bought them deserved to lose the money, for on the face of it the bicycles had been stolen.

Beginning on Tuesday of next week tickets will be sold to Portland and return for $4 85, including two tickets to the Industrial Exposition, good for ten days on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

A Chance to Make Money

I have berries, grapes and peaches, a year old, fresh as when picked. I use the California Cold process, do not heat or seal the fruit, just put it up cold, keeps perfectly fresh, and costs almost nothing; can put up a bushel in ten minutes. Last week I sold directions to over 120 families; anyone will pay a dollar for directions, when they see the beautiful samples of fruit. As there are many people poor like myself, I consider it my duty to give my experience to such and feel confident any one can make one or two hundred dollars round home in a few days. I will mail sample of fruit and complete directions, to any of your readers, for eighteen two-cent stamps, which is only the actual cost of the samples, postage, etc., to me.

FRANCIS CASEY, St Louis, Mo.

The New Hook Spoon Free to All.

I read in the Christian Standard that Miss A. M. Fritz, Station A, St Louis, Mo, would give an elegant plated hook spoon to anyone sending her ten 2 cent stamps. I sent for one and found it so useful that I showed it to my friends, and made $13.00 in two hours, taking orders for the spoon. The hook spoon is a household necessity. It cannot slip into the dish or cooking vessel, being held in the place by a hook on the back. The spoon is something that housekeepers have needed ever since spoons were first invented. Anyone can get a sample spoon by sending ten 2-cent stamps to Miss Fritz. This is a splendid way to make money around home.

Very truly, JEANNETTE S.

Dawson's Bitters for hot men.
" " " tired feeling.
" " " weak stomach.
Dawson's Bitters for harvest hands.

School books cheap at Dawsons.

TUESDAY

The Exposition.

Saturday night next, the Oregon Industrial Exposition will open at Portland. Arrangements have been made for cheap railroad fares to and from the city during the entire exposition. There are also being arranged special excursions at much cheaper rates to run into the city at the times of the greatest special attractions. The management has provided an attraction for every day of the fair. Some of these are extremely novel and highly entertaining. There will be a grand merchants' carnival; a flower carnival of children; a minstrel show in which the performers will be all well known Portland ladies; complete Chinese theatre; special nights devoted to the Odd Fellows, the Elks, the Woodmen, the Reo men, the Workmen, and the Foresters. On these occasions, excursions will be run from all points in the Northwest, bringing the members of these and their friends, for a grand celebration in Portland. There will be a grand choral night, at which there will be chorous and solo singing, a wedding night, when two couples will be united amid great ceremony and music and flowers. The exhibits will be more numerous and finer than ever before. The manufacturers of the Northwest will make special displays, and will have working exhibits, showing the various processes of the manufacture of goods. The greatest display of the natural resources and products of the Pacific Northwest ever brought together has been collected for this exposition. Twice as much space as has ever before been devoted to this feature is now occupied by this magnificent collection. Even the producers of the Pacific Northwest will themselves be astonished at this display, while the thousands of visitors from abroad will simply be overwhelmed by it. The attendance from outside the city promises to be the largest in the history of expositions in Portland.

County S. S. Convention.

The Linn County S. S. Convention will meet at Shedd on Thursday and Friday of this week. The first session will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev H L Hood will deliver the address of welcome and C C Hogue the response. There will be reports and papers and discussions by J H Mears, McNeil, Powell and Rev Smick. In the evening there will be addresses by Revs Cane, Snyder and Shulze. Friday forenoon timely topics will be opened by Revs McKee and Henderson. Mrs E Thrall, L E Blain and others will be called. In the afternoon different subjects will be treated by Rev McGhee, Rev Lamar, J B Marks, Rev Harmon, Rev Jenkins, Rev Poling, with a question drawer and resolutions. The convention will close in the evening with a Bible reading by Rev Copley, and addresses by Revs Spangler, Cleland and Little.

Miss Helen Crawford left this noon for Corvallis to begin her duties as O. A. C. elocutionist.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Cannon returned last evening from their bridal trip to Tillamook.

Mrs. W. F. Crosby has returned from Eugene, where she placed her son in the State University.

William Mack, Ed Zeyss and Henry Broders left this morning for the Sodas after the festive deer.

Mrs. A. S. Brasfield, of Salem, returned home yesterday after a visit at the home of T. G. Hopkins.

Mr. W. R. Graham has gone to Seattle on a visit with his son Robert Graham, and for the benefit of his health.

Miss Cora Alexander, of Douglas county, niece of Miss Jennie Clayton, is here to attend the Albany College this year.

C. H. Cummings and family left Saturday for Lebanon to reside, Mr. C. having sold his barber business to Ed. Settle who will carry on the business at the old stand.—Oakland cor. Plaindealer.

John Schlosser, Asa Beam and Lair Thompson returned last night from the mountains, when they succeeded in killing one deer. They report a good time.

Mr. Sam Goldsmith, the McKinley drummer, was in the city today asking people if they had heard from Maine. A great many people who have heard from Maine with its expected big majority, do not seem to have heard from Arkansas.

Leslie Scott, a son of Harvey Scott, editor of the Oregonian, has entered the the university in this city. It is said that Mr. Scott gave his son choice of all the colleges in the United States and the young man selected this institution.—Eugene Guard.

Mr. H. W. Wesco, the immigration board photographer, left this noon for Roseburg, having completed his work in Linn county. He secured a good many fine views in Albany and vicinity, a particularly good one being a First street view, a copy of which may be seen at the DEMOCRAT office.

Allan Cameron, Canadian Pacific agent at Portland, Or., has been appointed district freight agent, with headquarters in Vancouver, this being the position held by the late William Brown. Deceased was an uncle of Mr. Cameron. The promotion was a deserved one.

R. B. Wilkins came down from Albany yesterday and registered for the coming years work at the University. I. H. Van Winkle, of Halsey, who attended Willamette University last year, arrived by the 2:20 train yesterday afternoon. He is again registered at the University for the coming school year.—Statesman.

The DEMOCRAT yesterday mentioned the fact of its being the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Moore. Last night the W. R. C. tendered them a genuine surprise, going from the residence of S. S. Train, presenting them with a gold present and having them remarried by Rev. Poling. It was impressive, yet a lively ceremony heartily enjoyed by those present, towit: Mmes I. F. Conn, Mary Rowell, I. F. Irving, O. W. Warren, C. M. Monteith, J. H. Howard, G. W. Willis, S. McDonald, of Portland, Wm Meyer, Mary J. Kelly, Julia A. Hart, C. F. Howland, M. J. Train, Lizzie Woodin, E. Thrall, Misses Almira Kelly, Lena Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Hogue, Mr. and Mrs. Goff, C. E. Brownell, C. Crawford.

Li Hung Chang is not of as much interest as where to get good meats nicely cut. Try Haight Bros., opposite the DEMOCRAT office. They keep the best.

Before Retiring....

take Ayer's Pills, and you will sleep better and wake in better condition for the day's work. Ayer's Cathartic Pills have no equal as a pleasant and effectual remedy for constipation, biliousness, sick headache, and all liver troubles. They are sugar-coated, and so perfectly prepared, that they cure without the annoyances experienced in the use of so many of the pills on the market. Ask your druggist for Ayer's Cathartic Pills. When other pills won't help you, Ayer's is

THE PILL THAT WILL.

The Crops.

Following are extracts from Pague's U S crop report for the past week:

Seeding of grain for the next year's crop has begun. Most all of the summer fallow has been seeded. A rain is needed to soften the ground for the plum. It is expected that a very large crop of grain will be sown this fal., probably larger than the average.

All crops are approaching maturity rapidly. The potato crop has about made its growth, having received undoubted benefit from the early August rains, yet the crop will not be an average; the vines are changing color.

Activity in the harvest fields having ceased owing to all the grain except very late-sown having been secured and threshed, farmers and threshing hands have turned their attention to hop picking. For several years there has been an overproduction of hops, causing the price to fall so that many growers have neglected their yards. Throughout the hopgrowing sections yard after yard of uncultivated hops can be observed. Other growers have expended the usual amount of attention of time and labor on their hops; the comparison shows a marked difference in the cultivated and uncultivated hop.

Oakville.

J. E. Hamilton went to Yaquina Saturday.

Mrs. R. A. Bamford is dangerously ill with very slight hope of recovery.

Rev. Gould gave a prohibition lecture here on Friday evening. The audience was small on account of the ratification at Albany, but the lecture was good. After the lecture short speeches were given by Rev. Howell of Tangent, Uncle Bart Allen of Halsey, and Rev. Henderson of Oakville.

J. J. Cale and family returned from Sodaville feeling much better in health.

Will Barton came out from Albany on a wheel last Saturday evening.

John Vineyard passed through here Saturday evening dressed in his best and looking good enough to be kissed. He refused to be interviewed. All right John, we are ready for you.

Smith's tomatoes are ripening every day.

LITTLE ROSE BUD.

A RACE TRACK ASSAULT.—While Detective Griffin of Portland, was in Albany after the flim-flammer mentioned yesterday, he run across another man wanted in Portland, a jockey named Willie Holmes. Saturday evening Holmes unmercifully beat Walt Willis with a board at the race track, nearly killing him. He had ridden one of Willis's horses in the afternoon and been accused of pulling it. Willis nearly died from the effects of the assault, a slight concussion of the brain. Holmes skipped out and came to Albany. He is only 18 years of age, and looks too light to whip anybody.

THAT BALL CONTEST.—The Examiner base ball tournament is dragging along slowly. Saturday a number of games were "cleaned up" at Los Angeles, and when the smoke raised the famous Alerts were in the dust and the Tuft-Lyons on top 12 to 1. Four more games will settle the California championship and one more the Washington. A picture of the Monograms, designated the Oregon champions, who have played seventeen different men, when allowed only fourteen, is given. They received their title without earning it, never having defeated a club outside of Portland in a championship game.

TRAIN LOADS OF FLOUR.—The amount of wheat stored in the Red Crown warehouse has been very satisfactory. The present management has the entire confidence of the farmers of Linn county as well as the commercial world outside. The business of the mill during the first year under this management was very satisfactory. 23,000 barrels of flour were shipped from Albany, several long train loads, going to all parts of the coast. The second year promises to be better yet.

A POLITICAL JOKE.—Mr. Curt Winn has become quite a slight of hand performer. Yesterday he presented Mr. Martin Payne, the veteran democrat, with what was a Bryan pin when Mr. Payne accepted it. By a slight twist, though, it was a McKinley pin when Mr. Payne walked up street with it on the lapel of his coat. His Bryan friends were astonished, but not long, for the pin came off very rapidly when the joke was discovered.

THE MINES.—The Lawer mines will be closed for three months during the winter. Work in the tunnels, though, will be continued, and $25,000 will be spent in them. The development work on the Blue River mines will also be pushed during the winter. Mr Lawler will go to London in October to confer with the syndicate and when the mill starts again it will be with renewed energy.

LOSS ADJUSTED.—The losses by the recent fire at the residence of Wm. Emerick were adjusted yesterday as follows: Upon residence at $815.19; upon furniture $475. The insurance was $1500 on residence and $500 on furniture.

The State University opened yesterday morning.

Tramps have started southward. There is a tough gang of them traveling.

Florence has a Bryan club with 105 members and a McKinley club with 97 members.

A class in the Sabbath school of the M. E. Church South at Lebanon have presented through Mrs. W. E. Chandler, the Orphan's home at this city, with a fine quilt. It was gladly received with great appreciation

The large residence of W. A. Williamson, near Coburg, costing $2800 when built and two barns were burned last Sunday morning, all evidently having been set on fire at the same time. The house and furniture were insured in the Connecticut & Liverpool, London & Globe for $2000, half in each, the barns for $350 and the contents for $550

THE STEAMSHIP "FARALLON" with unsurpassed passenger accomodations will sail from San Francisco, returning leaves Yaquina for San Francisco Saturday Sept. 19th. Fare from Albany and points west to San Francisco, cabin, $9.00, steerage, $5.00, round trip good 60 days. $15.00. Call at Port Oxford, Coos and Humboldt Bays. For further particulars apply to H. L. WALDEN agt at Albany. EDWIN STONE, Manager, Corvallis Or.

EXTRAVAGANCE may be in paying too much for a thing or paying too little. If you buy groceries for less than we ask you'll not get as good quality—that's poor economy. If you pay more, you pay too much, for we sell the best. The best is the cheapest.

L. LOVE & Co., 1st St. Grocers.

Drs. H. E. and O. K. Beers offices and residence in the post office building. Special attention given to diseases of women.

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Fresh Oysters

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For the best drugs, Dawson's.

Eastern and Yaquina Bay OYSTERS at F. H. Pfeiffers.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, Sept, 15th, 1896. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Clark, A A
Gregson, Cora
Lines, W N
Sterling, Mrs M J
Seipel, Mrs H A
Downing, H J
Hatch, J O
Stoughton, Geo
Shovely, E
Tucker, C J

T. J. STITES, P M

Dawson wants your school trade.

WEDNESDA

HOME AND ABROAD.

Oysters at F H Pfeiffers.

All kinds of job printing at the Imprint job office.

The Ashland creamery has just been started to runing.

For the latest styles in job printing call at the Imprint job office.

Money saved by getting your job printing at the Imprint job office.

Best workmen, latest styles, cut prices, at the Imprint job office.

Sweet pickles and olives in bulk at C E Brownells.

Choice peaches fresh every day at C E Brownells.

Luscious sweet water melons can be found at C E Brownells.

There will be six dollars worth of prizes given at the new bowling alley.

Hair-Cutting reduced to 10 cents at Case Bros., 2nd door west of P. O.

Delicious eastern and Yaquina Bay oysters, now in season, at F H Pfeiffers.

Mrs. M. C. Miller, is giving lessons in embroidery, at the Revere Hotel.

The annual conference of the M. E. Church will be held in Roseburg next week.

Clothing cleaned and repaired by Mrs A E Owen, 3rd between Ellsworth and Broadalbin.

Prof. W. Gifford Nash, the new teacher in music at the U. of O. announces that he will charge $1 a lesson.

Some handsome birthday gems at Will & Starks, cheap. One for every month in the year.

500 ladies wraps, jackets and capes, of the very latest styles, just received at P. Cohens.

If you are looking for the best cheese the market affords you can find it at C. E. Brownells.

One of the latest inventions is a hop picking machine which the inventor thinks will pick from one to five acres daily.

The September Cosmopolitan is a splendid specimen of a magazine at any price. But the Cosmopolitan is only 10 cents.

Permature baldness may be prevented and the hair made to grow on heads already bald, by the use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

The U. of O. foot ball team are raising money for a good coacher. All the colleges will have teams, and there promises to be a hot foot ball season.

That pretended cripple who was recently in Albany is having a hard lot of it. Marshal Lee took a stroll with him to the limits of the city, and when he reached Eugene he was promptly treated in a like manner.

There will be public speaking in this county as follows, instead of as given yesterday: Hon A S Bennett at Albany on Sept 24; Hon J D Stephens at Albany Sept 18, at Oakville Sept 19, at Halsey Sept 21, at Harrisburg Sept 22.

The Lane county game warden received the following notice from Robert Campbell, before the open season began: "Notice.—To the Lane County Game Warden: If the Chinese pheasants on my farm belong to the state of Oregon, it is hereby notified to remove them at once, or else I will kill them.

Li Hung Chang said that his reference to the Chinese being better than the Irish was only a joke, and was misunderstood by the press reporters, and that he did not evade San Francisco for fear of being hit with a brick. He left yesterday on the Empress of China for home, after having been the center of attraction for several weeks in the U. S.

Gates.

GATES, Or., Sept, 16, 1896.

Gates and vicinity was treated to a fine shower Sunday eve.

W B. Lawler and wife came up from Albany Thursday and went to Quartzville the following day.

Mr. Roe, our general blacksmith, was bitten by a fly on the hand. It proved to be very serious. Blood poisoning was setting in when he consulted a physician.

Mrs. J. G. Blaine of Eugene, is visiting her daughter here, Mrs C. W. Dority.

Last Friday evening about 30 of Miss Iva Hall's friends tendered her a farewell surprise previous to her departure for Sodaville College where she will go to resume her studies. They met at Mr Roes and proceeded with well filled lunch baskets to Miss Iva's home where they gave her a grand surprise. They spent a while in games and music after which a delicious repast was served. They then retired to Iva's brother's new residence and tipped the light fantastic till the "wee small hours." As they bid Miss Iva farewell many fond wishes were expressed for her success during the absence. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. B. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Chatfield, Mr. and Mrs. Read, Mr. and Mrs. Newland, Mr. and Mrs. Dority, Mr. and Mrs. Marinan, Mes rs. Drais, Hester, Cramer, Hall, Stewart, Shaw and McCulloch, the Misses Smith, Putts, Robinson, Fuller and Hames.

Mr. Ben Eadleman and a party from here will leave today for Baker City in search of work.

School will begin next Monday.

Rex.

CHEAP PROPERTY.—The remainder of the Niagara mill property was sold at sheriff's sale in Corvallis last Saturday. It consisted of a few lots in Corvallis and Niagara, and some accounts. Twenty-one notes, aggregating $1,686, were bought by Joseph Wilson for $10. Accounts aggregating $12,193.50 were bought by R. E. Gibson for $2. Among the latter items was a claim of more than $5,000 for money advanced an irresponsible logger, another against the old carriage factory, a third against the Corvallis city hall contractor, etc.

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Has to Buy
GROCERIES.

Where to do it is the question. Albany people have learned from years of experience that

Parker Brothers

Can be depended upon. They keep standard groceries, fresh produce and the best fruits. Their baked goods are the best made and give satisfaction. Their prices are right.

Buy your groceries of them.
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Buy your fruits of them.
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THE LADIES.

The pleasant effect and perfect safety with which ladies may use Syrup of Figs, under all conditions, makes it their favorite remedy. To get the true and genuine article, look for the name of the California Fig Syrup Company, printed near the bottom of the package. For sale by all responsible druggists.

Corbett & Fitzsimmons have at last agreed to fight to a finish for the championship of the world. It makes no difference what the outcome may be Burkhart & Lee the druggists will still remain the same accomodating druggists that they have always been.

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Most Perfect Made.
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Born, to the wife of D. Prichardr, in Corvallis, on the 12th inst, an 8-pound boy.

Mrs. W. R. Power, of Salem, is in the city, the guest of her son Mr. E. L. Power.

Collector J. W. Ball and family, of Yaquina Bay, on their way to Sodaville for an outing.

Mrs. Earl Race and two children, of Salem, are in the city the guests of Mrs. E. Thrall.

Robert Murphy and Sid Dorris returned today from Fish lake with a big box of trout. They report a glorious time.

C. M. Charlton and Geo. S. Downing expect to open a law office this week in Salem, having formed a law partnership for that purpose.

R. B. Wilkins, of Albany, I. H. Van Winkle and W. R. Kirk of Halsey, and Bessie Settlemire, of Tangent are the Linn county students who have already registered at Willamette.

Mrs. Judge Wolverton came up from Salem this noon. She is expecting her sister Mrs. Horace Powell here on a visit by the Farrallon, which was to arrive at the Bay today.

Mr. John Morrison will leave tomorrow for Roseburg where he will enter the Soldiers Home. He will take with him the respect of our citizens and the best wishes for the rest and peace he deserves.

Mrs. Conrad Meyer and two sons of Albany, arrived in Corvallis Saturday and remained until Sunday visiting friends Sunday evening Mr. Meyers drove over and took his family home.—Corvallis Times.

Peter Thuson who was drowned near Cottage Grove Monday, was a former neighbor at Ord, Nebraska of Mr. Martin Paulsen of this city. Thuson's father was murdered about twelve years ago. The family seems to have been an unfortunate one.

T. H. DeCew, a prominent lumberman of Ainslie, Wash., is at the Imperial. He is accompanied by his wife and daughter. The latter will remain here at school at St. Helen's hall.—Telegram. This is the gentleman who made the big saw mill proposition to our citizens and the O. C. & E.

The following is taken from an item in some theatrical notes about the Daly troup, which will perform in New York the coming season: Mr. Daly has secured a few new people, notably Miss Maud Huffman, an American who recently made a success in London.

Lawyer H. C. Watson returned yesterday from Marshfiel where he had been in the Vanderburg contest case. A volume of testimony was taken. The result, will, as usual, depend on the complexion of the next congress. Mr. Watson reported that section of the state strong for Bryan.

Continues in Darkness.

Eugene continues at sea on the electric light question. The following from the proceedings of the city council Monday evening is very