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MONDAY

Defendant Cornall.

The DEMOCRAT office received a call today from Jas. Cornall, of Sodaville, defendant in the divorce case of Jane Cornall against Jas. Cornall. Mr. Cornall says he has employed Whitney & Newport and will fight the case to the end. He declares the charges that he treated his wife cruelly, threatened to kill her and tried to make her sign a check, to be untrue. Instead of not supporting her he alleges that he furnished $120 in the two weeks of married life and kissed his wife good bye on the 4th just before she stated for the divorce. He says the people around Sodaville have been putting her up to it and he blames them, particularly the marshal and justice of Sodaville. Cornall, though, declares that he has an anti-marriage contract, in which Mrs. Cornall deeded to him the real property and transferred the personal property, consisting of notes, etc, amounting to over $4000 to him, and hence he has a right to occupy the place. Mr. Cornall tells the DEMOCRAT with his English accent and in his "happy-go-lucky" style that he lived twelve years in Los Angeles, awhile in San Francisco, that Governor Budd's private secretary McCabe is his cousin and that he gets a pension of $20 a month. He says that when the crowd came to see him last Wednesday he was ready with two Colts revolvers, and that be is shrewd and knows his business. The old gentleman insists that instead of his courting the widow that she did the courting.

That's the little, gray haired Englishman's side of the case as he gave it. The DEMOCRAT has heretofore given the plaintiff's case.

The public is undoubtedly in sympathy with the plaintiff, and some will not believe all the defendant says, but he has a right to be heard.

The "Fraternal Union of America"

We called today upon Mr. J. J. Sturgill, Supreme Guide of the "Fraternal Union of America," to ascertain some of the particulars of the order, and upon our asking Mr. Sturgill, if they had ever paid a death in Oregon? he handed us a letter signed by the Deputy Co. Clerk of Baker Co., Oregon, from which we take the following excerpt:

Office of M. E. Swan, Clerk of Baker City, Oregon, May 14th, 1897

Mr. J. J. Sturgill, D. J. P., Albany, Or. Esteemed Frater:

The "Fraternal Union of America" is all that is claimed for it; for in the death of Mrs. Asa Shinn they promptly responded according to contract. Mrs. Shinn, if you remember, carried a $3600 policy.

Mr. Sturgill explained that Mrs. Shinn joined on the charter list of Baker City Lodge No 19, being the nineteenth lodge established in America by his order, and at that time they wrote for $1200, $2400, and $3600, but since they had reduced the amount to $2400 on new certificates.

He also stated that Mr. and Mrs. Shinn were very estimable people, having two small children and a large host of friends to mourn the demise of a loving wife, kind mother and esteemed "Frater," and that he had written to Baker City for full particulars.

Don't fail to investigate the plan of this society, as it will certainly be time pleasantly and profitably spent.

A PHYSICAL CULTURE ITEM.—Prof. Whitehorn's Albany pupils in physical culture are continuing their training alone. Marked results are being noticed among those who have sought to reduce their flesh, worthy of notice by anti-fat partakers. Mr. Mark Hulburt has reduced his weight 29 pounds, and is able to keep his weight just where he wants it. Miss Alma Dow, only 14 years of age, weighed 257½ pounds when she began, and in a little over eight weeks reduced it to 216 pounds, an average of 5 pounds a week, a remarkable result, attended by better health. Prof. Whitehorn is meeting with excellent success in in Salem, but it is the after results which really count for permanency. His system gives its best results as it is continued.

THE EXCURSION.—There will be excursions from Dallas on the motor and Salem on the boat, in connection with the excursion to Independence tonight. Dancing will be indulged in, in the auditorium at Independence for three hours. The boat will leave Albany at 6:30 tonight for that place. The Albany orchestra will do everything possible to make the trip a pleasant one.

AN EXHIBIT.—The members of the county court have informally decided after consultation with prominent residents of the county, to make an exhibit of our products for the Portland Exposition and state fair, one that will be a credit to the county. Large crops and the interest being taken in Oregon by eastern people have suggested the propriety of the movement at this time. The corner room in the P. O. block will be used for the collection. It is probable that C. W. Watts will be given charge of gathering the collection.

Eugene Lodge No. 15, A. O. U. W. tendered a vote of thanks to A. D. Barker and W. H. Warner for assisting in making a recent entertainment there a success.

A $10 PIECE OF COPPER.—Rare things are worth something. Mr. C. E. Brownell today received $10 from a Chicago collector for a Northwest Fur Co. medal of 1820, of which there are only a few.

Mr. Al Ketchum arrived in Albany this noon from Spokane.

Mr. A. H. Kroeschel has returned to Albany from Dakota.

Miss Minnie Reiner is visiting her sister Mrs. David Link, in Eugene.

Geo. W. Young and family have removed from Plainview to Albany to reside.

Miss Josie Watkins, a former Albany blind girl, is giving entertainments along the Columbia, and was at Astoria Saturday night.

Messrs. Stites, Barnes, Reece and Tweedale and Mmes. David Burkhart, Sears, Coates and Miss Clara Gard went to Portland today to attend the grand lodges I. O. O. F. and Rebeccas.

Today is the Norwegian national holiday, the same as our 4th of July.

Case Bros are putting a revolving fan in their shop, to be run by water power.

A train of 43 freight cars passed through Albany this morning. It was a test trip.

About eighty people went on the excursion to Yaquina Bay yesterday. They brought home rhododendrums by the hundreds.

On the excursion to the Bay yesterday, W W Rowell caught 129 trout, Will Mack 86 and others good sized strings, out of Yaquina River.

At the teachers' examination in Marion county there were 52 applicants. Just half failed to pass. Of those passing only one secured a first grade, Miss Minetta Magers, of Stayton.

Patents have been issued to Oregonians as follows: Joseph G Holcombe to R A Bensell, of Newport, for a quickaction triple valve mechanism for fluid-pressure brakes: Frank A Seufert, of The Dalles, can washing machine; John Shaw and C Scott, of Woodburn, dust collecting and separating machine.

Spring Medicine is a necessity which Hood's Sarsaparilla grandly supplies. It purifies and vitalizes the blood and thus gives tone and strength to the whole system.

Hood's Pills are the only pill to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cures all liver ills.

$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.

A LINN COUNTY MAN.

Under the head of "Some Oregon People" the Salem Journal has the following about one of our best known Linn county men:

Col. C. B. Montague, county clerk of Linn county, is probably the only man living in Oregon who witnessed the transfer of the Alaskan territory from Russia to the United States. He was chief clerk in the quartermaster's department of the regular army when the change took place. His duties required that he charter a steamer and several sailing vessels to take the timber and lumber from San Francisco, to Alaska, for the erection of forts and military post buildings at Sitka, Wrangell's Island and Ounalaska. This involved expenditures amounting to several hundred thousand dollars. Col. Montague, before the panic of 1893 set in was worth $100,000 of property in Oregon and Washington. While in the regular army Col. Montagde obtained a large and beautiful tract of land near Vancouver, where he was stationed, and for which he was offered $25,000 a few years ago. He still has that farm to fall back upon in case he should retire from a political career. It is not generally known that Col. Montague came within a few votes of being the fusion nominee for congress in this district last year, in which case he would now be occupying Mr. Thos. Tongue's seat, as he is a vote getter of acknowledged ability.

Our Schools.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Albany district was held Saturday evening. The principal business was the election of a principal. Prof. Hiram Tyree was re-elected. There were twelve applicants for the position. The assistant teachers will not be chosen until near the end of the term. It was decided to hold the graduating exercises from the high school on June 11 at the opera house, with 10 cents admission except for school children.

Among those applying for the position were Prof. Allen of Monmouth; Prof. Kittridge, of LaGrande; Prof. Anderson, of Salem; Prof. Cranston, of Portland; Prof Reid, of Eugene; Prof. Crawford, of Scio; Prof. Orton, of Eugene, and several eastern men.

This forenoon Chairman W. F. Read, of the board, handed his resignation as director to the clerk of the board, without stating the reasons. It is thought the vacancy can be filled only by election. It is not decided yet whether to call a special election, or wait until the regular election in the spring.

Millers

The Millers school is making rapid progress under the able instruction of Mrs. Hunton.

We predict that a certain young lady and gentleman, living not a hundred miles away, will soon be singing the old song "Sweet Hearts Again.

We acknowledge a pleasant visit from A. A. Bellinger from Salem last Friday. Mr. Bellinger is agent for the McCormack binder this season; but we are not in need of a machine.

Aunt Belinda has always something to say about those republican prosperity banners. Don't get excited Belindy. Give McKinley a show. The world wasn't made in a day.

The blooming of the fruit trees seems to have been for idle show, for in all the orchards we have yet examined, the fruit is mostly dropping off. especially the cherries; but I suppose we will get all we deserve.

Aunt Belindy must be a type of the "new woman" as she is up to date in politics, and wants to do all the sparking, and we would not be at all surprised, the next thing we hear will be "Aunt Belindy's wearing bloomers."

CUMTUX.

A CROOK COUNTY DEATH.—On Tuesday of this week Hanan McCoy brought word to town that Z. B. Offutt was found dead in his pasture, by Ad Black and Chas McCollum, on that morning. He had been dead for several day, for there were several horses in the corral two of them dead from starvation. These horses had been seen in the corral for several day which finally attracted attention and lead to the discovery. His saddle horse was found in the pasture with the saddle on which led the discoverers to believe he had in some way been hurt or killed by his horse. Mr. Offutt was about seventy years old; a native of Kentucky.—Journal.

WAS A JOKE.—Charles C. Miles, indicted for sending through the mails a challenge to fight a duel with deadly weapons, had his trial in Prineville, last Thursday, which resulted in a verdict of not guilty. The letter challenging John Elder was produced in evidence, and on its face was clearly a challenge, the Review says. The defense was that the whole thing was intended only as a joke.

DIDN'T COME OFF.—The bicycle race announced to take place this afternoon between Jas F Powell and Frank Kitchen did not materialize. The version given the DEMOCRAT is that Kitchen backed out.

BASE BALL.—On Saturday at Eugene, State University of Eugene. 25; Albany College, 24. On the first inning Albany made 11 and Eugene 9. McMinnville 10, Monmouth 2. That is more like it. Eugene will now play McMinnville and if figures indicate anything will not be in the game at all.

A FAMILY POISONED.—Yesterday the family of Mr. A. R. McCoy except Miss Ella had ice cream for dinner, which had been made at home. About three hours afterwards all were taken seriously ill but the latter. The Drs. Beers were called in and attended them. They were confined to their beds for some time, but are now all right. It is thought something was the matter of the milk.

Fourth-class postmasters for Oregon were appointed yesterday as follows: John Kindt, Kinton, Washington county; T J Butler, Zena, Polk county.

Good Blood

Is essential to health. Every nook and corner of the system is reached by the blood, and on its quality the condition of every organ depends. Good blood means strong nerves, good digestion, robust health. Impure blood means scrofula, dyspepsia, rheumatism, catarrh or other diseases. The surest way to have good blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. This medicine purifies, vitalizes, and enriches the blood, and sends the elements of health and strength to every nerve, organ and tissue. It creates a good appetite, gives refreshing sleep and cures that tired feeling. Remember,

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Is the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills cure Liver Ills; easy to take, easy to operate. 25c.

TUESDAY

Two New Divorce Suits.

Annie Dugger vs Samuel Dugger. The complaint alleges that they were married Nov. 24, 1892, that after living together two days defendant deserted plaintiff for eight months, then lived with her four months and on Nov. 15, 1893, deserted her permanently. There is one child. W. R. Bilyeu is plaintiff's attorney.

Melissa Hogan against M. D. Hogan. The complaint alleges that they were married March 30, 1876, the defendant treated plaintiff cruelly and inhumanly, called her names, made wrong accusations, etc., and on October 27, 1894 under threat of desertion the plaintiff deeded to defendant an undivided half interest in 213.18 acres inherited by her. There are three children. The plaintiff asks for divorce, custody of the children and that the deed be annulled. Weatherford & Wyatt are plaintiff's attorneys.

Tennessee Gatherings.

(By Nicto Putro.)

TENNESSEE, May 16, 1897.

Rev. Eugene Beaman, of Lebanon, favored us with his all-wise and gracious presence this morning at the school house and delivered an interesting sermon to his listeners.

Miss Monna Fronk and Thos. McKnight attended the teachers examination at Albany from here last week, and enjoyed the hospitality of the kind people of the First Presbyterian church while attending a match social given by the ladies of the church. They were favorably impressed by the fine musical program which was rendered. Mrs. Hammer, of Spicer, was also present at the examination.

Mr. Enoch Miller, of Crabtree, was in Tenn. this morning. He has purchased three carloads of potatoes of P. L. Wallace, J. Q. Swink, T. P. McKnight and Taylor Evans.

Theft: One of the Sir Knights of the highway, succeeded in escaping with three dozen fruit jars, which Mrs. Hammer, of Spicer, had placed over her young tomatoes to protect them from injury by the frost. She informs the writer that if the thief will return with the jars when the tomatoes are ripe she will furnish tomatoes and the lids of the missing property, for his living the ensuing winter.

Senator Johnson drove through the immediate vicinity of Tennessee this evening.

Linnie Baltimore successfully passed the college examination of Mineral Springs college at Sodaville and will pass the state examination soon.

Miss Eva Scandland, of Lebanon, has been visiting her sister Mrs. Swink.

Mrs. Will Wallace, Robie and Pearl Wallace were in this vicnity visiting friends during the week.

The fifth annual school picnic will be held in the grove opposite Mr. Geo. C. Davis's premises, on the 5th day of June. It will celebrate Miss Annie Blacklaw's sixth term of school, and the seventh year of the establishment of our school house.

Syracuse.

We gladly welcome Cumtux in the corps of correspondents. Judging him by his brilliant wit, we feel safe in predicting that he will get there with both -—boots.

The bicycle fever has struck this place in a very malignant form. A number of our young people have invested in the silent steeds.

Mrs. O. Flickenger contemplates improving her property by raising her barn some twelve feet and erecting a windmill. Mr. John Conser also intends erecting a windmill this summer.

Jos. V. Talt, of Albany, and Miss Cora Thompson of this place, were united in marriage last Thursday. The happy bride is one of our fairest belles and the groom one of Albany's rustling young business men. May the sunshine of peace and happiness ever follow them in the journey of life.

We notice with pleasure one kindly act of the much abused trusts. They have combined to force up the price of cigarettes. This is indeed commendable. These pesky little evidences of depravity should cost a dollar each, and then the dear boys, young and old, bent on self-destruction would have to choose the pistol or some other decent means of suicide.

We have been helping the men in the garden this week planting melons. Later on we will extend a cordial invitation to ye editor, Cumtux and the rest of the DEMOCRAT force to eat melons with us.

The good priest who christened Cumtux left the job half finished and we beg to supplement by prefixing 'Wake.' That is suggested by the eternal fitness of things, for what it lacks in euphony it makes up in appropriateness.

Cumtux gravely announces that the postoffice at Millers has been discontinued. This will doubtless be news to the Hottentots, but everyone in America, except Cumtux and Indians not taxed, have been familiar with that startling fact for the last three years.

Will, Frank and Archie Thompson left Tuesday for Idaho. They go by wagon. May they be successful.

BELINDA JANE.

G. W. Humphrey and wife of Jefferson went to Portland this morning on the Albany.

Mr. Jake Streitel, arrived home from Fort Stevens today on a two weeks furlough, and to get some of the sand out of his hair.

Mr. Whitney F. Polache, assistant general manager of the Hartford Insurance Co, for the Pacific Coast, was in the city today.

Mrs. J. H. Campbell left this morning on a trip through the east, and will visit her former home after a continued absence of forty years.

C. E. Hawkins, R. R. Findley, F. E. Allen and L. Laughead have gone to Roaring river after trout. When they get through whipping the stream it will cease its roaring.

Col Geo. W. Hochstedler and wife left this morning for Vancouver to attend the grand lodge K. of P. of Washington. The supreme chancellor, Philip T. Colgrove, will be present.

Mr. Wm. Dick, of Shedd, was in the city today previous to starting for Indiana, where his family went in February. They expect to remain a year, when they intend to return to Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Beatty, in response to a dispatch announcing the dangerous illness of their daughter, Mrs. C. L. Buck, who recently moved to Iowa, left this morning for Iowa, and will probably remain there permanently.

A. W. Whalley, W. A. Johnston and W. W. Ewing, representing the Post Intellingencer, arrived in Albany last evening on bicycles at 8:30 on their way to San Francisco, which they expect to make in ten days. They rode from Portland after 6 a. m.

Another Oregon young lady is gaining distinction as an actress. Says the Salem Statesman: Miss Portia Knight, of Salem, has signed contracts with Daniel Frohman, the prince of theatrical managers, for a six weeks' engagement in New York and London. The New York engagement begins the 1st of September.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Royce, and daughter, of Hartford, Conn., arrived in Albany this morning and stopped off to visit Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Young. Mrs. Royce and Mrs. Young were school mates and neighbors years ago. Mr. Royce is general secretary of the Hartford Insurance Co. and is one of the oldest and best known insurance men in the U. S.

Meeting of Indian War Veterans.

A meeting of the Linn county company of Indian War Veterans will be held at the court house in this city Saturday, May 22, at 1 p. m., for the purpose of making arrangements to attend the state encampment to be held in Portland June 15. The pioneer reunion will be held the next day. The officers of the Linn county company are Capt. Jason Wheeler, First Lieut. Sylvester Cannon, Second Lieut. John McFarland. As many as possible are requested to attend.

A large assortment of garden seeds, white clover, timothy and blue grass seeds just received fresh at

C E BROWNELL'S.

BODY FOUND.

The Remains of a Deck Hand Discovered.

Dan and Cole Rainwater were hunting in the Little Willamette about three miles west of Albany in Linn county, when about 10 o'clock this forenoon they discovered the remains of a man in the drift wood. His face was decomposed beyond recognition; but he wore a blouse and the suit of a deck hand generally, so as to leave no doubt as to his being Mr. Snyder, the deck-hand who fell off the Ruth at Corvallis three or four months ago, about a week after the disappearance of Jas Eglin. The Rainwaters came to Albany at once and notified Judge Barton, who telegraphed Coroner Wright, who was at Junction, and who will probably come to Albany in the morning. The place where the body was found being inaccessible except by boat the Rainwaters were authorized to bring the body to Albany, where the coroner will take charge of it.

A sister of Snyder resides at Milwaukee, Or., and has been notified, as well as the Sailors Union, of which he was a member.

More About the Fraternal Union.

At the smoker given by Union Lodge No. 1, of the Fraternal Union last Monday night, there were present a large number of visitors and the membership was well represented. A stirring address was made by F. A. Falkenburg, head consul of the Woodmen of the World, who holds certificate No. 1, the first one issued in the Fraternal Union. While Mr. Falkenburg is intensely loyal to the Woodmen, of which he is head, he commented the plan and operations of the Fraternal Union in terms the most flattering. Touching on the idea of a reserve fund, he said that older fraternal orders had come to recognize its necessity, but that in many it would be difficult at this late day for them to institute such a fund, as their membership would scarcely bear the pressure of more than current mortuary assessments, while the Fraternal Union had started right by having this feature incorporated in its organizations.

Addresses were also made by General Browning, head clerk of the Woodmen, and by Colonel Handley, supreme secretary of the Fraternal Union.

At a ten minutes recess ten or fifteen of the visitors applied for membership in the lodge

Denver News of Denver Colorado, Feb. 2, 1897.

Pague's U. S. Crop Report.

The weather has been ideal for the growth of vegetation. The ground was becoming too dry and the rain was most opportune. Clover is in bloom and haying will commence in sections before the close of the month. The hay crop promises to be unusually heavy. Fall and winter sown grain was never more promising; grain sown since April 1st is up and growing finely. Seeding is all done except in the northern portion of the Willamette Valley, where some oats are yet being sown, and in a few sections where corn is yet being planted. Corn sown since the 1st of the month is up and has a good color.

The condition of the fruit is really hard to determine. Some correspondents report that the cherry crop will be short, but that apples, prunes. pears, etc., will be a heavy crop; others report that the frosts of the 8th inst. injured prunes, but nothing else. It is thought that as a rule, and the section as a whole, that the fruit crop will be heavy.

At Oakville

OAKVILLE, May 17

Rev. J. W. Smith, of Albany, will speak on Christian Education at the old Willamette church, Oakville, Friday evening of this week, in connection with the "closing exercises" by Rev. Henderson's Latin class. We hope also to hear some "echoes" from the state Endeavor convention. Come.

THE BURRUS CASE.—B. Butler is in jail. He is the fellow who played the part of private prosecutor in the criminal information against Mary Burrus, charging her with polygamy. Butler called upon Justice H. A. Johnson yesterday and offered to pay the costs in the case against the Burrus woman, providing the complaint would be dismissed. Justice Johnson permitted Butler to talk as much as he desired and when he finished the story the justice consulted District Attorney Hayden and as a result of the conference Butler was held under $100 bonds as the prosecuting witness against Mrs. Burrus. This was a great surprise to Butler. Not putting up the necessary bonds he was ordered to jail.—Statesman.

BIG CATTLE SALE.—The Sichel Cattle Company last Saturday drove through Prineville 1000 head of cows, calves and heifers.

"This rodeo will gather about 5000 head of steers, from 2-year-olds up, which have been contracted to various eastern buyers. They will all be delivered at Huntington about June 25th. The distance from the finish of the rodeo, which will be the starting point of the drive, is about 225 miles and will require 20 days to make it.

"The prices for the beeves included in these contracts range from $17.50 to $20 for 2-year-olds and from $23 to $25 for 3-year olds."—Review.

A PASTOR CALLED.—Rev. Reed, who has just graduated from the Auburn, N. Y., Theological Seminary, has accepted a call as pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city. Rev Reed is a graduate of Yale and is said to be the brightest member of the class He was seen personally by Prof Lee, by whom he is highly recommended.

WANT OFFICE.—A good many of the members of the late fiasco legislature want office under the new administration. A. J Johnson would like to be bank examiner and J. M. Somers of Albany, U. S. district attorney, which is about the extent of Linn county's desires, except for smaller offices.

RURAL FREE DELIVERY.—The experiment of a rural free delivery system is to be tried around Salem Mr. Tongue notified the Statesman as follows:

"The inspector of the postoffice department will be sent at once to Salem to establish a rural free delivery service."

Salem has not yet secured its government building but it is to have an experiment in rural free delivery, which will give it an opportunity to crow.

All first class bakers and grocers sell the Aumsville and take no other.

There will be a two days shooting tournament at Sodaville on June 4 and 5.

The postoffice site of Linville, Lincoln county, Or., has been removed to a point one mile northeast.

About 200 went on the excursion of the Albany Orchestra to Independence last night, and report a pleasant time.

Marcus Wolf, of Portland, has sued the insurance companies, Henry Jacobs, Louis Praeger and District Attorney Lord for $50,000, damages caused by his arrest and indictment for arson.

Speaking of the Eugene Albany base ball game the Guard says: "The star plays for the visitors were made by Marks, Booth, Layton and Connoway, while Stevens, Smith, Coleman and Brown did effective work for the home team."

The Hospital Corps had a drill last evening, at which they elected J L Tomlinson steward and Angus Graham acting hospital steward, positions that will mean something at the Hood River encampment. An ice cream lunch at F H Pfeiffer's followed.

A gang of some 50 Mexicans gypsies, the lowest and dirtiest human beings that ever existed, is now making its way northward, having passed through Grant's Pass Thursday, after committing all sorts of backyard depredations in the way of stealing what they could find lying around loose.

They Can't Fade.

If you send your fancy colored shirts to the City Laundry, opp the St Chas Hotel We can give you high or medium gloss or domestic finish on your linen.

C. SIMPSON & SON.

You know coffee is used fresh-roasted. Tea ought to be—for the same reason—the taste.

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WEDNESDAY

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Arthur Gilleland, a U. of O. student went to Albany today where he will work during the summer.—Eugene Guard.

Mr. J. A. Smith and two daughters left this morning by boat for Astoria on a visit with the formers daughter Mrs. Russell, who resides near that city.

Mrs. Moses Miller and daughter went to Salem this morning to have the latter's eyes treated by Dr. Gillis. Miss Parker has lost the use of one of her eyes entirely.

From the McMinnville Transcript: Elton Connoway, brother of Harry Connoway, well known at this place, is becoming quite famous as a ball tosser and is wanted by a crack team of San Francisco. "Elt" has always been a good ball tosser, even when a small boy.

Roaring river will continue to roar. Messrs Hawkins, Allen, Findley, Laughead and Kinder returned from there last night with twelve trout and a large amount of unused bait. A great injustice has been done Mr. Loren Laughead, by naming him as one of the crowd. It was C A. Laughead, his brother.

DECORATION DAY.

General Order No. 1. Decoration Day has again rolled round, when those who survive the great struggle of 1861 to 1865 to meet to decorate with nature's choicest flowers the graves of our nation's dead heroes. It is our privilege as well as our duty to observe this day with reverence.

1st. Memorial service will be held on Sunday, May 23, at 4 o'clock p. m., at the M. E. church, conducted by the Rev. M. C. Wire. For this purpose all comrades are directed and the W. R. C. are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall at 3:30 o'clock and march to the church.

2nd. Decoration Day services will be observed at the city cemetery on Saturday the 29th day of May, in compliance with general order No. 6 national series. For this purpose the comrades and all old soldiers and sailors are directed, and the W. R. C. are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall promptly at 8:30 o'clock. The procession will form on Ferry street in the following order:

The Harmony Concert Band, followed by Co. "F" O. N. G. The pupils of the public schools arranged by the principal and teachers, pupils of the Sisters Academy and Albany College. All other civic societies that wish to participate in the service, arranged by the marshal of the day. Ladies of the G. A. R., and W. R. C. McPherson Post and old soldiers and sailors.

The procession will start promptly at 9 o'clock, on Ferry street to Fifth; up fifth to Maple, up Maple to sixth, up Sixth to the east gate of the cemetery.

After arriving at the cemetery the procession will halt and each society that has a decoration service will proceed to their various places.

At the expiration of 30 minutes all will return and form a square at the Unknown Grave" where the W. R. C. will hold their service together with appropriate music by the band and quartet and an address by the Rev. E. J. Thompson. The business men of the city are earnestly solicited to close their respective places of business during the services and join in the same. By order of

J. P. GALBRAITH,
A. B. WOODIN, Commander.
Adjutant.

The committee in charge earnestly request a harmonious and quiet observance of the day, Saturday, May 29, and that no pleasure excursions, games or races be given on that day.

Shedd X Rays.

Mrs. Frank Porter visited relatives at Eugene last week.

J R Davis went to Albany the first of the week.

A photograph gallery has located here for a short time.

The Misses Linger, of Corvallis, visited with their sister Mrs Walter Taylor last week.

Shedd is showing some notable improvements, in the line of verandas, wood-houses and yard fences.

Mr and Mrs Castleman, of Lane Co., visiting their daughter Mrs Fred Brock, and they in company with Mr and Mrs Brock, have gone to the Bay for a short outing.

Those attending the Christian Endeavor State convention, at Eugene, the past week were Rev H L and Mrs Hood, Mr and and Mrs Sears, Robt Acheson and Ella Dunlap, Will McConnell and Anna Acheson, C E Barton and Katie McConnell, Jas Fisher and Maggie Dunlap, J H McConnell and Mary Dunlap. They report a very good convention, and an enjoyable time.

OFTEN.

PATRIARCHS.—A 3rd degree was partly organized in the A. O. U. W. last night. The organization will be completed tonight, when the charter members are requested to be present at 8 p m. By order of the Chief Mogul, A. D. Barker.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, May 18, 1897. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Adkins, R C	Brown, A H
Baker, Henry	Miller, R H.
	T. J. STITES, P M

Beautiful eyes grow dull and dim
As the swift years steal away.
Beautiful, willowy forms so slim
Lose fairness with every day.
But she still is queen and hath charms to spare
Who wears youth's coronal—beautiful hair.

Preserve Your Hair

and you preserve your youth. "A woman is as old as she looks," says the world. No woman looks as old as she is if her hair has preserved its normal beauty. You can keep hair from falling out, restoring its normal color, or restore the normal color to gray or faded hair, by the use of

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

HOME AND ABROAD.

See the new leather belt hook at French's jewelry store.

Boys have you seen that new line of engagement and wedding rings at French's jewelry store? They are the proper thing.

Best
Ice Cream
Anywhere
At F. H. Pfeiffers.

See Smiley about it.

Smiley's pinters are in.

Dawson sells Liverine.

Liverine 50c at Dawson's.

Dahlia bulbs at F L Kenton's.

Apples at C E BROWNELL'S.

Smiley does the best printing.

A good second hand sewing machine for $6. CRAWFORD & HARNISH.

Delicious ice cream soda at F. H. Pfeiffer's.

The children will want to see the 40 inch Esquimaux lady.

Pictures from 75 cents to $25 per dozen at Longs gallery.

Conn & Huston have sold sixteen Waverlies this spring.

F H Pfeiffer's ice cream has stood the test. It is all right.

A beautiful line of butter dishes at French's jewelry store.

Belts and skirt supporters, new styles at French's jewelry store.

For a good physic take Liverine, for sale by Dawson, the "pill autocrat."

Crawford & Harnish for photographs. Prices from $1 to $20 per dozen.

Call at French's jewelry store and see the latest and newest shirt waist sets.

Water white comb honey from California. Just in at C E BROWNELL'S

The Ruth leaves for Portland at 7 a m on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Try C. Simpson & Son's City Laundry or first class work—opp St. Chas hotel.

73 ladies were selecting dress and shirt waist goods yesterday at P. Cohen's, at one time.

Two packages of garden seeds for 5cts, according to their usual custom at Stewart & Sox's.

Hair cutting 10c, shaving 10c, at the Bum barber shop. Fuller & Isom proprietors.

Remember when you want flour that Aumsville brand is the very best. Every sack guaranteed.

Dr. G. W. Maston, physician and surgeon, Albany Or. Calls answered promptly in city or country.

Mrs Vierick has opened her ice cream parlors and summer garden for the season. Ice cream 5 and 10 cents a dish.

Information that is worth its weight in gold: Get your meats of all kinds at Henry Broder's, on Second street.

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

That German washing fluid, which has proven such a fine thing has arrived at Parker Bros. in a large quantity. Call and try a bottle.

J. Norcross has moved to just east of Schmeer's stables, 2nd street, where he will keep in market fine fish, game and poultry. Call on him.

Mrs L Viereck is prepared to furnish ice cream in any quantity on short notice at her ice cream parlors and summer garden. Ice cream 5 and 10c a dish.

The price of genuine Oliver chilled plow shares has been reduced to 50 cents. Be sure the name Oliver is on every share For sale only by Hopkins Bros.

Buy the Aumsville, try the Aumsville and you will have no other brand. It is made of Oregon's best white wheat and is guaranteed to be the best flour.

One half of the ground floor of the new brick building now being put up just north of the DEMOCRAT office, will be occupied by Dr. J C Littler, dentist. about June 1.

Keep going until you reach the shop of the Albany Dressed Beef Company, where you will find a fine line of meats of all kinds. This company keeps the best and you will be sorry if you don't call on them.

Consider your ways, think before you act, and then go to Haight Bros., where you will find a choice stock of meats of all kinds to order from. You are bound to be pleased if you order of them.

From the Roseburg Review: Knecht & Meiser, of Albany, are fitting up their store room in the Sheridan block, formerly occupied by Parrott Bros., preparatory to putting in a stock of crockery, glassware, notions, toys, etc. They expect to be ready for business about June 1st, and will still conduct their big Albany store in the same line.

Following are the new officers of Corvallis: Mayor, E Woodward; police judge, E P Greffoz; chief of police, C B Wells; treasurer, A Cauthorn; councilmen, Thomas Samuels, Monroe Cameron, G W Smith, R E Gibson and P Hall.

A WORD OR TWO.

The arrangements for our store at Roseburg are now complete. Mr. Meiser is now at Roseburg, and will have charge there, while Mr. Knecht, will continue the business here. We have been contemplating this change for over a year, knowing that by having two places of business we could sell much cheaper. Everyone knows that goods bought in unbroken packages and in larger quantities is a greater per cent cheaper than the common way. We have been and are receiving goods under this plan. Now we wish to say that every item in dollars and cents saved by us in buying direct importations and from manufacturers and in large quantities will be given to our customers, and we shall be still more able to sell you cheaper, as our expenses are reduced one half at either store. All this will enable us to sell you crockery, glassware,, stationary, books, notions, toys, fancy articles, all imported goods, way down cheap, and we will sell so close to manufacturers cost that no one can sell closer. Come and see us any day in the week, month or year. We have bargains any and every business day; so no matter what day you come, the bargains are always ready for you. We sell as cheap one day as another and will treat everybody alike. Fair and square all the year around.

KNECHT & MEISER.

HOT CLIMATES.—The Douglas county sheriff was down south after a criminal a few days ago, and has just returned. He reports it was decidedly warm (106 in the shade) when he left Arizonia, and in California it was little better, everthing being scorched by the hot north winds. Farmers along the Sacramento valley are trying to save their wheat and barley by converting it into hay as fast as possible. When he struck Jackson county he thought he had entered Paradise and when he reached the Umpqua valley he was sure of it. Arizonia and California have no charms for him.

THE ASTORIA B. & L. A.—At a meeting of the Astoria Building and Loan Association held on Saturday evening officers were elected for the ensuing year. The second series of stock has matured and was ordered paid. This will cancell $21,800 in mortgages and will pay out $16,000 in cash. It was decided to open a new series on June 1.—Budget.

DECLARED INSANE.—Mrs. Abel E. Goulding, of near Lebanon, was brought to Albany today and commited to the asylum. She had tried to commit suicide. Mrs. Goulding came from the east with her husband and family a year or two ago.

MR. CORBETT OUT.—The senate committee yesterday heard the arguments in favor of seating H. W. Corbett, but took no action, which it is asserted means that Mr. Corbett will remain out and it will take a state legislature to elect a successor to Mitchell.

CONDUCTOR'S COMING.—Seven special trains of conductors, will pass through Albany next Friday on their way east from Los Angeles. They will be tendered a reception in Portland. Though punchers from way back, there will be no danger in sitting on the fence and seeing them go by.

JUDGE BRYSON DYING.—This morning Rock Bryson, who is attending the U. of O., received a telegram from his father, Judge J. R. Bryson, now in New York City, telling him goodbye, saying that he was dying and would live but a few hours.—Eugene Guard.

ALBANY'S PAST.

From the DEMOCRAT of Nov. 29, 1878 to Jan. 10, 1879.

In the city election Thos Monteith defeated J A Crawford for mayor 252 to 188; P C Harper was elected recorder; J W Anderson marshal, defeating D Rankin 247 to 186, Starr Mealy treasurer; L Martin, L Kine, W B Scott, D P Mason, L C Rice and Robt Bentley aldermen. 444 ballots were cast.

Rev Crawford, a young Baptist minister took charge of the Albany church. He is now principal of the Scio school.

U B Peters and Katie Meniert were married on Dec 13.

In a Christmas match hunt D B Monteith's team defeated Orin Rubart's team 2607 to 1762 There were killed 30s ducks, 81 snipe, 1 goose, 27 kildees.

Jay W Blain and Nannie T Osborn on Christmas. W R Blain acted as best man and Miss Hettie J Miller as bridesmaid.

Geo Humphrey was elected W M of St John's lodge; D Froman W M of Corinthian lodge and J K Weatherford H P of Baley chapter. Of the 24 officers of the three lodges only Geo Humphrey, John Brush, D Froman, John Briggs, J K Weatherford, Ed Carter, W B Barr, and L Senders, eight, are now residents of Albany.

J J Dubruille and Miss Ella Ketchum were married on Jan 1st, 1879.

The Drowned Body.

Coroner C. F Wright arrived in Albany this morning and with Dan, Cole and Will Rainwater towed the body found in the Willamette to the old ferry landing, where this afternoon a coroner's jury, consisting of Wm Fortmiller, W. H. Warner, J. A. Van Winkle and the three Rainwaters was investigating it. Only a bunch of keys was found on the body. The size of the man, his clothing and general appearance indicated that it was that of Chas Snyder, a deck hand on the Ruth, who fell in the river at Corvallis on Feb. 17. His sister Mrs Beeler, of Milwaukee, and Wm B. Flannagan, representing the sailor's union, were present, the latter to take charge of the body. The jury had not rendered its verdict at press time.

The O. C. & E. President.

A. B. Hammond, president of the Oregon Central & Eastern railroad arrived in Albany this noon, accompanied by Mrs Hammond, and at 12:30 o'clock, they were joined by several Albany men and left for the front on an inspecting tour. Mr. Hammond's presence here revives reports of the early extension of the road into Crook county, a result confidently expected. Past experience, though, suggests the waiting for definite action before giving it as a fact. The DEMOCRAT acknowledges an invitation to accompany the distinquished party to the eastern terminus. Without going he will endorse any proceeding looking to the extension of the road.

The Plainview Creamery.

It is with considerable satisfaction that we note the success of the creameries of Linn county. The new creamery of Seeley & Wheeler at Plainview is fast forging to the front as a producer of first class butter, under the skillful manipulation of Mr. Fred Bruckman, their manager. While the price of butter at present is nothing flattering, the farmers may rest assured, in patronizing them, that they will get the highest price obtainable for their butter, and in cash. Mr. Seeley has just returned from Portland, where he has made arrangements with the agents of the T. M. Stevens & Co. steamship line to send samples of their product to Hong Kong, Yokohama and Tokio, three of the largest ports of the Orient, where it is hoped they may work up a large trade and create a demand that will bring them better figures at times when prices are lowest here.

Fraternal Union of America

There will be an open meeting of the Fraternal Union of America held in the G. A. R. hall on Thursday evening, May 20th, 1897, and all persons interested in fraternal societies are cordially invited to attend. There is a nice program already arranged, consisting of instrumental and vocal music, recitations and an address upon the merits of the order by J. J. Sturgill, Supreme Guide, and a very enjoyable evening can be spent.

FOR THE 4TH.—Pursuant to the call of Mayor Burkhart a meeting was held at the council chambers last evening to take preliminary steps for a celebration The matter was discussed and brought out a sentiment in favor of keeping our money at home as well as in favor of celebration of the day, F. M. French, H. J. Hopkins and J. Gradwohl were appointed a committee on subscriptions, to begin work at once and report at another meeting Friday night at the council rooms. On the liberality of the subscriptions by those most interested will depend the question of a celebration. The committee will canvass the city tomorrow forenoon.

Albany people are bound to celebrate somewhere, if not at home then somewhere else, that is as sure as that the day comes, hence it takes no figuring to satisfy any one that the proper place is here. Every cent invested in subscription is kept at home and immediately put in circulation. Our business men should respond liberally.

ADVANCE FOR A COLONY.—Dr. Heintz and Mr. Lang, two prominent Minneapolis men were in the city, and this afternoon went up to the front, accompanied by Hon. Jeff Meyers and the Hammond excursion party. They are looking for a location for a colony, and will probably select one near Scio.

A NEW SUPERINTENDENT.—E. M. Croison of Salem, has been appointed superintendent of the state reform school to succeed R. J. Hendricks, who has resigned. Mr. Croisen will take charge June 1. Mr. Croisen is 42 years of age and Mrs Croisen, a daughter of Alex McNary of Polk county, who will be matron 34 years of age. The DEMOCRAT considers the appointment a good one. It also esteems highly Mr. Croisen's predecessor, who will now it is reported, take up the study and practice of law.

At the head—of all of the best known headache remedies stands Magic Headache Tablets. Takes a smaller dose to produce better results, while at the same time it is perfectly harmless and safer to use than most remedies Every box guaranteed by Burkhart & Lee, Druggists.

COME AND SEE my line of ladies and childrens hats Children's all trimmed for 75c. A complete line of fine new flowers also received yesterday. Any number of dozen eggs taken in exchange for hats at MRS JOHN N. HOFFMAN'S.

Ice Cream,
Soda Water
and Fruit
at
A. O. Beam's

Yes, it pays

To buy your groceries and produce of Conn & Huston. They keep the best and freshest and are all right on prices. They will help you to prosper in dull times.

See their fine line of crockery.

When you next want a sack of flour try the Aumsville—once tried always used—ask your grocer for it and take no other, every sack guaranteed.

THE
PLACE
TO BUY

Your Groceries and Baked Goods

Is at Parker Bros. Everybody knows where their place is. They keep a fresh stock of groceries, produce and baked goods, of all kinds, sell at reasonable prices and treat their customers well, all alike.

You may regret some steps you take in life but none taken into the store of Parker Bros.

It is a great thing to be well fed. Parker Bros keep good groceries.

A loaf of bread is not much but you want it well made. Try Parker Bros.

IN THE NAVY DEPT.

Disbursing Officer Glad to Recommend Paine's Celery Compound.

No department at Washington just now so absorbs the attention of the people as the splendidly growing formidable navy. It is not to the gold laced Annapolis graduates that the brunt of the responsible work falls. but to the able department officials, of whom Disbursing Officer F H Stickney is one. A letter from him says:

"Having taken Paine's celery compound for the last few weeks I have found it a perfect spring remedy, and been much benefitted by it."

Spring is the decisive time in the life of every person out of health. It is an assured fact that stubborn disorders become quickly curable in the spring. This is especially true of such persistent troubles as rheumatism, neuralgia and obstinate kidney diseases.

No one, sick or well, can afford to 'try' uncertain remedies in spring, or any other time.

The dishonesty of many self named spring remedies becomes startlingly apparent when their results obtained from this accurate, scientific preparation. Paine's celery compound. The general practice among careful people of purifying the blood and toning up the nerves in the spring has tempted scores of incompetent persons, schemers and clerks with only a dangerous smattering of medical knowledge, to venture to concoct so called spring remedies.

In sharp contrast with these risky preparations is the one valuable spring remedy worthy the name in the estimation of competent persons and medical authorities, Paine's celery compound.

This widely praised and widely prized remedy really does make people well, It is as far removed, in the minds of judicious men and women, from all other remedies purporting to accomplish equal results, as the north is from the south. Clear headed professional men, business men and the great body of hard working brain workers all over the country believe heartily, and with good reason, in Paine's celery compound.

Paine's celery compound gets its staunchest endorsement from physicians and scientific men who were led to verify its claims because of its discoverer, the distinguished Dartmouth college professor, Edward E Phelps, M D LL D.

Nothing will pull a tired out, nervous, "run down" man or woman out of the quagmire of sinking health so promptly and firmly as Paine's celery compound.

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Columbias, Windsors, B. O. E. Ajax.

Complete Line
For all ages and both sexes
Wheels to suit any purse or fancy

STEWART & SOX Hdw. Co.

The People's Friend

H. F. McILWAIN'S CASH STORE.

New Price List

—Groceries.—

7 pgs Arbuckle or Lion coffee	$ 95	Your choice of 4 brands flour, Jefferson, Boston, Red Crown, Stayton, per sacks	95
13 pkgs good matches	10		
1 lb best Gunpowder tea	35		
1 lb best Japan uncolored tea	35	9 bars Savon Soap	25
1 gal best syrup	45	5 gal keg refinery syrup	1 25
9 lbs best rolled oats	25	5 gal best Pearl oil	80
The Aumsville flour, per sack	1 00	Battle Ax tobacco, per 16 oz plug	24

—Dry Goods—

21 yds extra standard prints	1 00	21 yds good toweling	1 00
New check in dress goods, per yd	10	20 yds unbleach muslin	1 00
5 pr mens rib top socks	25		

Boots and Shoes—

Mens high cut standard boot	1 75	Mens fine shoes, $2.50 grade	1 50
Mens $3.50 grade best fine shoes	2 25	Mens plow shoes from	1 00
Ladies pat leather, 1897 toe	1 25	Ladies Ox Blood Oxfords from	1 00

—Clothing—

Mens Oregon wool suits	6 00	Mens Oregon wool pants	1 75
Mens heavy work pants from	1 00	Mens home made buck gloves	1 00
Mens all silk ties, 50c grade	25		

Remember McIlwain is working for the people's interests and is fighting combines and trusts.

H. F. McILWAIN, Cash Store.

May 18th, 1897.

Now is the Time For Wash Goods

Dimities from 8c up.
Tappets, oversoht effects
Swisses.
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All new goods and up to date.
Goods for Graduating Dress.

S. E. Young & Son.

Royal Worcester Corsets

Good Name
Perfect Corsets
Try Them

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R. N. MORRIS, MANAGER

We will sell goods as long as they can be obtained on the market at prices as follows:

8 bars best Savon soap	$ 25
3 boxes blueing	25
3 qt bottles blueing	25
5 pkgs corn starch	25
1 gal best vinegar, try it	15
1 gal best syrup, bring your jug	50
2 gal good syrup in bucket	75
1 box best axle grease	10
2 cans best tomatoes	15
2 " Morning Glory corn, good	15
1 lb Corn Cake tobacco and pipe	20
4 lbs best crackers	25
1 gal peeled peaches	30
1 sack Aumsville flour	1 00
7 pkgs Arbuckle coffee	1 00
7 pkgs Lyon "	1 00
1 paper coffee, ground to order	15
8 lbs rolled oats, good	25
3 lbs Gold Dust washing powder	20
1 can best baking powder	40
5 lbs Arm & Hammer soda	25
12 cans salmon	1 00
3 cans best cove oysters	25
3 cans spices	25
3 bottles extract lemon or vanilla	25
1 lb best Gunpowder tea	40
1 lb best Japan uncolored tea	40
50 lbs fine salt	40
12 packages good matches	10

Good stock working gloves 30c to 80c a pair which we wish to close out.

The above prices are strictly cash.

Albany Trading Co.,
Cor. 2nd and Main Sts.

LOST.—Purse containing $16, a few pennies, note for $30 and a few other things, between Mrs Reams and residence at 4th and Washington. Please return to Mrs Brattain and receive reward.

An old $5 piece of 1836 was also in the pocket book.

BARGAINS IN FURNITURE.—Bedroom set, bookcase, couch, pictures, etc. Call at residence of C. W. Elkins'

FOR RENT.—16 acres of land, near Albany, for rent, immediately. Inquire of S N Steele.

LOST.—A note for $140 payable in March, 1898, to the undersigned. The public is warned not to purchase same. J. D. ALKIRE.

LOST.—Saturday evening, a gold cross charm, enameled, from watch charm Please return to J O Dubruille.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.