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A few Ladies Long Cloaks that are being sold at a great reduction. If you want a large amount of goods for your money be sure and see them. All the capes and jackets in the department sold at a reduction.

A good serviceable umbrella for 50c

Lots of style in the 75c grade and lots of wear too

If you want a better one you will find it here at the same ratio of low price to good goods.

R and G corsets in styles and shapes that will fit any form. A line of French corsets, good fitters, made of French coutil, drab and white, all grades to $3 50 for $1 00

Have you seen our 50c and $1 line. There are no better for that price.

Agents for Butterick Patterns.

S E Young & Son,
Albany, Oregon.

READ, PEACOCK & CO,
Albany, Oregon.

In Dress Goods, Hosiery and Underwear you will always find our stock up to date. But just now we want to mention a few new things we have for the Holiday trade:

Handkerchiefs, a complete line all styles and prices from 2c to $1 25

Pocket books and Chatelains, a very stylish assortment

Kid gloves in popular shades, either wo clasp or foster hook.

Umbrellas, a catchy lot, sterling silver mounted, with metal rods

Roman embroidery sets, A NICE present for a lady

Belts, the new fancy metal goods, very stylish

Pen knives in fine pearl handles for ladies use

Feather boas, the latest patterns

Table linens and napkins, no better goods shown

Jackets and capes in novelty effects, something just out

As a special inducement for cash trade we will give away the Genuine Roger A 1 Silverware, which is also very suitable for a holiday gift.

The way we do it is this, with each purchase of fifty cents or more for cash we present you a ticket representing ten per cent of the purchase. When you hold tickets amounting to one dollar or more they will be redeemed by us on demand in said silverware, which we have on display. It will pay you to trade with us, we guarantee our prices to be as low as the lowest.

Read, Peacock Co.,
Albany, Oregon.

The Ladies Bazaar have the best selected line in late style handkerchiefs ever brought to Albany. Prices from three cents upward, also the up to date pocket books, purses, chatelaine and shopping bags.

MONDAY

Linn County Factories.

The New Years Oregonian refers to a few of Linn county's factories, omitting some of the most important, such as the paper mill, mattress works, iron works, several creameries, soda works, etc:

Linn is the pioneer county in the manufacture of woolen goods. The first mill in the state was started at Brownsville nearly 20 years ago. This mill and two others, located at Waterloo and Albany, respectively, are being run to their utmost capacity. They employ over 200 people. They used during the past year raw material of the value of $198,000, representing a finished product of $300,000 of strictly all-wool goods, of high grades, and which, on their own merits, as goods of Oregon manufacture, hold place among the best goods in the markets of the world.

"Two chair and furniture factories, representing capital invested of $50,000, employ 50 people, and turn out a finished product of $40,000 per year.

"In this industry the native woods are possessed of great value, being susceptible of high polish and beautiful finish. The local demand is of necessity small. Most of the output finds ready sale, however, in California, Washington, Idaho and Montana, in competition with goods from Eastern Oregon.

"Two tanneries have been lately put in operation, but as yet they are running on a small scale. They finish about 150 hides per month, and use 150 cords of hemlock bark yearly. The manufactured product finds ready sale in California at remunerative prices.

"One brewery manufactures 5000 barrels of beer yearly, and sells its products in Western and Southern Oregon and Northern California.

"The flouring mills of the county employ 75 men and produce a quality of flour which commands a top price in the Asiatic as well as in the local trade.

"More factories are needed. A beet sugar factory would be a paying investment. An analysis of beets grown in this county shows them to be considerably above the average in yield of sugar.

"The preference shown by people of this state and county for goods of home manufacture is of itself an indication of the undoubted growth of our manufacturing industries in the future. Strong encouragement is offered to bona fide investors in manufacturing plants, and free power and site may be secured in half a dozen different localities in Linn county. It is prophesied that the day is not far distant when the value of the output of the factories of Linn county will equal that of the agricultural product."

Ran Away from Albany.

From the Welcome:

A letter received by the Welcome from Isaac Tharud, of Albany, concerning the recent elopement of Alice Day, a 15-year-old girl of that city, with a young man who once clerked in a drug store in Portland, says: "Alice Day did not run away with young Allison. She simply accompanied him and the girl who did elope with him to Salem, returning home from that point."

But our correspondent fails to pursue the matter to the conclusion. Alice Day did run away from home and is now in Portland. She met a young man named Franks while in Salem with Allison. She and Franks agreed to go to Portland, where the latter has work and where he agreed to find employment for the girl.

Miss Day's parents died several years ago. She was their only child. A neighboring family adopted her and subsequently moved into the vicinity of Albany. The girl has caused her foster-parents a good deal of trouble during the past two years. The likelihood is that they will not persue her.

Mr. Tharud had probably not heard of his last escapade when he wrote the letter above alluded tg.

ALBANY DID NOT WIN.—The third game between Albany and Salem at indoor base ball was played at the opera house last Saturday night, in the presence of a large audience. It was the livest and loudest yet played. The Paranip band of Podunc was present and made pandemonium reign. They carried the noise decidedly too far not stopping for rest for nerves and ears. The result was 20 to 16 in favor of the boys of the capital city, who have clearly demonstrated their superiority at indoor base ball, having won three games straight.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
Pure Grape Cream of Tartar

$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.

WHEAT.

New York 94⅝c.
Chicago 91 ⅝c.
San Francisco 84c.
Liverpool 1⅜c, lower.
Albany 66c.

A Country Entertainment.

There was an enjoyable entertainment given New Years eve at the Grand Prairie Grange hall under the auspices of Grand Prairie's Union Y. P. S C E. and Union S. S.

A short program was rendered, consisting of songs, recitations and instrumental music, the latter by Miss Dora Altermatt, who also sang one of her best songs, receiving an encore. A recitation by Miss Minnie Major's, of Stayton, though now a teacher in the Lebanon public schools, was heartily encored. A unique feature of this program was the reading by Mr. C. H. Walker of a composition he wrote when a school boy 14 years of age, at Forest Grove, Ore., dated Feb. 17, 1852. He recited his first school boy poetry, so well thought of by a fellow school boy that it was published in the Pacific Christian Advocate. Then he sang one of the songs he learned when at the age of seven, he attended school at Dr Whitman's during the winter of 1845-46, with Mr. Ardrew Rodgers as teacher, who subsequently was one of the victims of the Whitman massacre in Nov. 1847. Mr. A. R. McCoy, of Albany, was named after him.

Following the program came a very exciting time. Twenty-three ladies had brought as many boxes, many of them very artistically prepared, each containing lunch enough for two, and with each box was her "baby picture." All were put into a bag, and were drawn out by the gentlemen participating, they paying twenty-five cents for the privilege. The lunch was thoroughly enjoyed, even where there was quite a desparity of ages between some of the couples. Games and a general good time followed until the midnight hour, when New Year's greetings were exchanged and the company separated.

Albany Won

The game of foot ball between Albany and Salem terminated Saturday in favor of Albany 6 to 0. The game was the best exhibition of foot ball ever seen in this city. It was a snappy, active contest. Instead of a continual center bucking, Port and style, frequent runs around the end were made and tricks resorted to. Scott, a Chemawa Indian, played a star game for Salem running like a deer, and but for him the score would have been 18 to 0 in favor of Albany. Miller full back and Olinger at the end also played good games for Salem. Watt Shipp, who was put into the game on account of his athletic abilities, was the weakest man on the Salem team, and the Albany boys soon found they could go through him at will. Reuben Thompson and Ed Stewart played star games for Albany. They were well backed by Sternberg, Howard, Weatherford, and in fact the whole eleven.

A large crowd witnessed the game, the day was fine, and there was no complaint at roughness.

ACCIDENT TO MRS. LYLE.—Mrs. Margaret Lyle, last Friday at her home on Calapooia street, was going from her ironing board to a table when her foot caught in the carpet, and she was thrown hard upon the floor. Being 78 years of age she was not able to save herself, and the result was the fracture of a bone in the left arm at the elbow and the dislocation and fracture of a bone at the shoulder, making the accident a serious one, on account of her old age. The Drs. Beers attended her, and she is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs J O'Brien and daughter Gertrude returned this noon from a holiday visit in Eugene.

Dr. Jessie Davis, of Silverton, has been in the city the guest of her brother, Dr. W. H. Davis.

On New Years eve the class in music of Miss Hela Gilbert and Mrs. Hammer gave a recital that was a pleasing affair. It displayed a marked improvement under the excellent training received.

George and Fred Piper, of the beattle Post-Intelligencer, went east about a month ago on business for the paper, when the former was taken ill at Chicago, and had been confined there since, but is now nearly recovered.

The Woodmen, about twenty strong, will go to Shedd tomo row noon to do some amplified work with the Shedd lodge in the evening. Any one wishing to go can do so on the noon train for 70 cents for the round trip.

The young ladies of the Magazine Club, last Saturday afternoon, from 4 to 8, gave a New Years reception to a large number of their friends, at the residence of Judge Fenn. It was a splendidly managed and well carried out affair. The young ladies have rare taste and displayed it in their decorations and appointments. The guest was entertained from the time of entering the door, in different ways, occasionally a vocal solo or piano solo adding to the interest. A delicate lunch was served prettily. A large bough of mistletoe was often a center of attraction. The DEMOCRAT man had a narrow escape from the grasp of a married lady. These receptions are becoming annual affairs, and many will look forward to one on January 1, 1899.

In Portland Saturday Multnomahs and Portlands played their third, and it is to be hoped, their last game of foot ball for the season. It ended 0 to 0. According to the reports it was the roughest game yet played, a regular slugging match at times. Downs, formerly of this city, received a special notice from the Oregonian for rough playing. His general game though was a strong one. A large and unruly crowd witnessed it.

BORN.

PEACOCK.—On Sunday, January 2, 1898, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Peacock, a girl. All doing well.

FROM FOOT TO KNEE

Ohio Woman Suffered Great Agony From a Terrible Sore—Her Story of the Cage, and Her Cure.

"For many years I was afflicted with a milk leg, and a few years ago it broke out in a sore and spread from my foot to my knee. I suffered great agony. It would burn and itch all the time and discharge a great deal. My health was good with the exception of this sore. I tried a great many kinds of salve, but some would irritate the sore so that I could hardly stand the pain. I could not go near the fire without suffering intensely. Some one sent me papers containing testimonials of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla, and I told my husband I would like to try this medicine. He got me a bottle and I found it helped me. I kept on taking it until my limb was completely healed. I cannot praise Hood's Sarsaparilla enough for the great benefit it has been to me. It cleanses the blood of all impurities and leaves it rich and pure." MRS. ANNA B. EAKEN, Whittlesey, Ohio.

You can buy Hood's Sarsaparilla of all druggists. Be sure to get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Price 25c.

NO-TO-BAC for Fifty Cents.

Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong like Mule. Sic $1. All druggists.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Award.

The Farmer's Institute

The Institute at Tangent last week created considerable interest and was of great value to those attending. Hon. J. H. Scott presided.

Following were the leading features of the two days work:

A paper by Prof. F. L. Kent, on Separating and Churning Cream, explained the method which has been used for years past, and the difference between the old and the new methods of separating, and the manner of churning.

A paper by Prof. Craig on "Plant Diseases," explained the different diseases plants and trees are subject to.

A paper by C H. Walker on "The Grange and What It Has Accomplished" showed the advantages to be gained by becoming a member of the grange.

An address by W. M. Hilliary on Farm Gardening explained the manner in which all such work should be done, and impressed the idea upon his listeners that it was essentially necessary to thoroughly cultivate and pulverize the ground before planting.

A lecture on "Beneficial and Injurious Insects," illustrated with stereopticon views, by Prof Pernot. The views were explained by Professors Kent and Cordley.

A Paper by S. P. Smith of Corvallis on "Silos and Silage" explained how to build a silo, and the manner of filling it; also how its contents should be fed.

Professor Cordley read a paper on "Nature Study in the Public Schools."

An excellent paper on "Roadbuilding" by Professor G. V. Skelton.

AT THE BAY—From the Newport News Hon. Jeff Meyers and Miss Annice F. Jeffries M. D., have for a week past been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bensell. Dr. Jeffries is a well known and successful practitioner in Salem, and being in need of a rest came to the coast in time to see old Ocean wild and grand. Hon. Jeff Meyers has several times represented Linn county in the house and senate, he was the democratic candidate for congress last year, and is a whole souled gentleman. He has devoted much of his time lately in aid of the proposed contract at this place, believing that no matter is of so much importance as this is to Western Oregon. They left this morning, having enjoyed their visit immensely. Come again.

JACK GERHARDT DEAD.—Jack Gerhardt, of Corvallis, a relative of Conrad Meyer of this city, died suddenly of heart disease, last night at Roseburg. His remains were taken to Corvallis this noon.

TUESDAY

WHEAT.

Leiter's influence has gone from the Chicago market evidently. Todays quotations are lower:

Chicago 90⅝c.
New York 93⅝c.
San Francisco 83c.
Albany 66c.

Oakville.

January 1st, 1898, was ushered in at this place by a dance, which shows that the moral habits of our people have been greatly improved since the change in the national administration. But we are a christian nation? Read Daniel 5 1:31.

We started early on New Years morning to make calls. We called on Messrs Wade and Stockton at their homes. We received calls and presents all the afternoon and evening. Many thanks kind friends.

We made a visit to the home of our friend, A. S. Hamill, and while there we were shown the set of Chinaware which Misses Stella and Lillie drew on Christmas. The set consists of 101 pieces and it is a nice present. We congratulate the ladies on their good luck. We heard an old bachelor say "I wish some older person had drawed that prize and I would have taken the whole job lot." We are like the man who was sentenced to be hung. The judge said he would give him choice of trees to be hung on and he selected a gooseberry, and the judge said it was too small. "I can wait till it grows" said the condemned man. See?

Belinda Jane why did you go and get married We had decided to go and visit you when the flowers are in bloom. Accept our congratulations. May your married life be one of happiness.

Miss Mary McBride of Albany spent the holidays here. We acknowledge a pleasant call from her accompanied by Miss Carrie and Mr Wellington Shearer.

Nathan Needham will again come among us. This time he will bring his family. He and A. Y Smith represent No. 20 two x's, ex county clerk and ex-P. M

A runaway team passed down State street late Saturday evening. We soon learned that it belonged to Mr Ed Davis. The runaway was caused by the hack tongue dropping as the team was going down hill, causing the hack to upset, no one hurt. LITTLE ROSE BUD.

Hon. J. H. Peery, of Rosa, was in the city today.

District Attorney Hayden, of Salem, was in the city today.

License has been issued for the marriage of W. H. Moore and Lena Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mayer, of Lebanon, returned this noon from their bridal trip to Aberdeen, Wash.

Mrs. E. C. Protzman, of Portland, came up this noon to attend her mother, Mrs Lyle, recently injured by falling at her home in this city.

Mr. Z. H. Rudd, of this city, is in Illinois, attending to the settlement of an estate recently left to him and his sister, Mrs. Knox Haight.

Secretary of State Kincaid has written an excellent article on the resources of Oregon, one that is reliable as well as interesting.

Mrs. Henry Taylor has returned from Portland, where she was about a month attending her father, upon whom an operation was recently performed.

Dr. J. C. Littler has just introduced into his office an electric illuminator for displaying the interior of a person's mouth. It is a fine instrument and a great help in dental work.

Mr. Geo. Alexander, of the Lebanon Advance, was in the city today to meet his father, of Eugene, who will visit with him. The senior was the founder of the Eugene Guard. He is now about eighty years of age.

Attorney John M. Somers came down from Albany this afternoon. It is understood Mr. Somers will associate himself with Attorney A. C. Hough, of Woodburn, in the near future, for the practice of law in this city.—Salem Journal.

Hon. T. L. Davenport, State Land Agent, returned last night from his vacation trip to New York City, to visit his son, Homer Davenport, and other relatives in the east. His daughter Miss Alice accompanied him on the entire trip and enjoyed it as much as her father, who is delighted in presenting her as a fine type of young Oregon womanhood. Mr. Davenport returns entirely recuperated in health, and looking fresh and rosy in spite of his over seventy years. Miss Alice shows signs of improvement for her ten thousand miles of travel, but for the sake of all the young men in Oregon The Journal is authorized to state that her heart beats loyal as ever for her native webfoot.—Salem Journal.

The Eugene Glee Club returned home this noon.

Albany creamery butter is now 65 cents per roll. Only a few people can afford to pay 65 cents for butter in Albany.

There will be a ball game at the armory tonight between two picked nines, after the regular drill, which will be short.

The Northwest Horticultural Association will meet in Portland on the 10th, 11th and 12th. There will be some good prizes given for the fruit exhibits.

A NIGHT IN BOHEMIA.—This was presented last night at the opera house to a pleased audience. It is a musical farce comedy of the variety order, with a number of specialties, bringing out some funny situations, never lagging in humor. The tramp and Irish policeman were the stars of the performance.

CITY COUNCIL.

Tuesday evening, Jan. 3.

Present—Mayor Burkhart, Recorder Henton, Superintendent Westfall and Councilmen Tweedale, Dannals, Hogue, Hopkins, Dickey and Martin.

The following bills were ordered paid: Chas. Pfeifer, $2 50; S. W. Ross, $4 50; C. O. Lee, $2.75; H. C. Harkness, $23.48; M. G. Stetter, $8.25.

Councilman Dickey reported the bridles stolen from No. 1's engine house. No action.

The report of the street superintendent was read, showing amount of work done to be $55.92 since last report.

The work on Washington, Seventh, Ninth, 2nd, Ellsworth, Montgomery and Eighth streets, all the work done, was ordered accepted.

Councilman Tweedale spoke of the excellent work done by the street superintendent and the committee on streets and public property during the past year.

Councilman Dickey then delivered a farewell address, showing his good will towards the Mayor and old council and with good wishes for the new council. He was followed by retiring Councilman Tweedale in a happy vein; and Councilman Hogue, who spoke of the pleasant relationships with his fellow councilmen.

Mayor Burkhart complimented the members of the retiring council for the harmony that had prevailed.

The old council then adjourned sine die and Messrs. Tweedale, Hogue and Dickey stepped from their seats, which were taken by Messrs. Galbraith, Senders and Graham.

Mayor Burkhart announced that at the next meeting he would make such recommendations as he considered proper and appoint his committees.

Upon motion adjourned.

Woodmen Notes.

About twenty choppers went to Shedd this noon to show Shedd neighbors amplified chopping.

The Golden Gate Camp of San Francisco, and the Webfoot Camp, of Portland, are now neck and neck for the largest membership, each being credited with 677.

Scio correspondent in Woodman: "As a further proof of our wakefulness out here in the jungle I can announce the birth of a little chopper to each of the following neighbors: John Ray, Roy Gill and S. P. Munkers."

Swann says in the Woodman: Editor Nutting, of the Democrat, I see takes me to task for speaking of Neighbor Brownson's wedding as a tale of woe and thinks I better try it myself. While I shall not take Nutting's advice and do as Brownson has done, I will say I spoke of the wedding only from the standpoint of our camp. Same has proved true, for Brownson has only been to lodge once since he has been under the lady's control.

The Woodmen put $34,000 in circulation on the coast this month on account of the following deaths: W J Arey, Durango, Colorado, $2,000; E Strellneaur, Genesee, Idaho, $1,000; J T Brown, Pueblo, Colorado, $1,000; F P Condra, Salt Lake, Utah, $3,000; S H Thompson, The Dalles, Oregon, $2,000; E F Goodnight, Del Norte, Colorado, $1,000; A Levings, Denver, Colorada, $1,000; V H Hexter, Oakesdale, Washington, $1,000; J W Divilbiss, Montesano, Washington, $2,000; W H Robinson, North Yakima, Washington, $2,000; C A Whorf, San Francisco, Cal, $1,000; H A McGrady, Eugene, Or., $1,000; B K Markley, San Francisco, Cal., $3,000; P G Martin, San Francisco, Cal., $2,000; W L Hale, Alameda, Cal., $2,000; Jas A Clifton, Pullman, Wash., $3,000; S F Johnson, Denver, Col., $2,000; T J Lee, Independence, Or., $3,000; E C Applington, Florissant, Col., $1,000.

Anti-Torredo.

The torredo is death to piling placed in salt water, and for years an effort has been made to invent something that would be a preserver of piling against their devasting inroads, without success. Mr. Ira Miller, of Newport, though, has at least invented a fluid that will do the work surely and reliably. Twenty-one months ago, at that city, he fixed several piling, putting the fluid in by hydraulic pressure. They are now absolutely solid, without the sign of a mark of the torredo, except perhaps a dead one on the surface, or of anything else, proving that it is an absolute preserver of piling. At the same time several piling were driven without any of the fluid, and they are already half eaten away. The invention should prove a very important one, as it will fill a long felt want.

JUST FROM DAWSON.—From the Astorian. James Keating arrived yesterday from Dawson City. Cord wood is selling for $35 per cord and then it costs $10 to have it sawed and packed. Rough lumber is worth $150 per thousand, with two small mills operating. Meals are $3 50 each. He left Dawson November 21, and made the trip in 28 days to Dyea, five of which were lost on the way. The trails are very rough and for 40 miles the river was open, necessitating sledding on the side of a steep mountain, with guy ropes to keep the sled from turning into the water. On top of Chilkoot pass there was heavy snow, but he considered that the best route. There is no danger whatever of any starvation at Dawson.

DR. CRAWFORD'S WILL.—The will of the late Dr. G. F. Crawford has been admitted to probate, with Mrs. Crwford as executrix without bonds. The deceased left his entire estate to his wife during her life time, the remainder to go to his children, Mrs. Dugger, J. G., W. W., Orville and Helen, equally. Mat Scott, John Denny and C. H. Stewart were appointed appraisers and reported as follows: Cash $430, real estate $10,360, personal property $1,460.

MORE KLONDIKE STEAMERS.—The DEMOCRAT is informed today that arrangements are being perfected for the sailing of two steamers every month from Yaquina for Alaska. This will be an excellent point to start from. It will make Albany the outfitting station. The particulars are not yet at hand.

NOTICE BOY'S CLUB.—The members of the Boy's Club are hereby notified to meet tonight at 7:30 in the bowling alley of the Y M C A rooms. All absentees will be heavily fined. Urgent business calls you together. H. CUSICK, Sec.

DIED.—Mr. Emil Schneider, a well known Linn county farmer, died yesterday after a short illness.

ALWAYS IN IT.— When it comes to choice poultry. That is the kind C. W. Vunk handles. Try him this week with your order. Leave your order at the Star Bakery.

DO NOT FORGET that C W Vunk is still dealing in choice poultry. Your order left at the Star Bakery will receive prompt attention.

The Weather.

This afternoon tonight and Thursday, fair, stationary temperature. River 4.8 ft.

F. M. FRENCH, Displayman.

The office that does high grade printing in good stock, for the price of the other kind. Smiley, the printer.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the Postoffice at Albany, Linn county Oregon, Jan. 4, 1897. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Anderson, Mary	Karney, D H
Abbey, J R	Logsdon, Claud
Benham, Nancy H	Locke, Horace
Bergin, Joseph	Large, D N
McAlister, J A	Balch, Miss Donna
Moore, F A	Davis, Mrs J N
Nichols, Mrs Minnie	Davis, Mr & Mrs J N
Neil, Mrs E W	Fulton, John
Riemer, Frank	Finney, J D, (5)
Rea, James	Fowler, Miss Anna, 2
Raney, Norman	Flock, Addie
Sherman, August	Gooden, S W
Tolson, Mrs Althea	Haslett, Miss Mattie
Winger, Miss Fannie	Hammond, John
Way, Mrs John S	Hammond, John
Whitlock, Miss Grace	Ingles, W
Johnson, Roy	Johnson, J W

T. J. STITES, P M

WEDNESDAY

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Licenre has been issued for the marriage of John Budley and Alice Ambler.

Mr. Henry Stewart has bought the Burkhart Jersey milk wagon and route and is now running the business.

G. W. Simpson and family have moved to Portland where Mr. Simpson will act as city salesman for Lang & Co.

Ben Butterworth, who spoke in the last presidential campaign in Albany, is reported to be dying at his home in the east.

Ex-County Judge Duncan, of Linn, was in Corvallis Sunday. It is said to be an affair of the heart.—Corvallis Times.

Mr. Ladue, the well known Santiam miner, is in the city, having come down this week. There was about two feet of snow at the summit.

George Wolverton, of Big Bend, Wash., is in the city on a visit, the guest of his father, A. Wolverton, after an absence of nearly ten years.

Mr. Ernest C. Heyward, a graduate of Stanford, arrived in Corvallis Monday to accept a position in the mechanical department of the college—Corvallis Times.

Mr. George Humphrey, recently of the U. S. Marshal's office, was in the city today. In about a month he will return to Albany to reside permanently, as the deputy marshal for this part of the state.

State Superintendent Irwin, who was referred to in Portland as the diploma maker, was in the city today. The DEMOCRAT predicts that Mr. Irwin is in the last official position he will ever hold in Oregon.

Mr. Herman Brant, a nephew of Mr. Peter Ruetner recently came to Albany from Minnesota, with a view of locating. His father is a prominent farmer, near Spring Valley, Minn., the home of the DEMOCRAT man's parents.

Mr. Frank Campbell is in the city previous to leaving on the next G. W. Elder for the gold fields on the Klondike He will be married in Oregon City next Sunday, when his wife will accompany him north.

The Woodmen report a fine time on their trip to Shedd last night. There were twenty-four of them and they were treated royally by the hospitable people of that city. Eight new members were initiated, and it took until about 3 o'clock to finish the work.

Rev. W. V. McGnee left last night for Los Angeles, with a view of locating somewhere in Southern California, having resigned as pastor of the C. P. church of this city. His family will follow upon his securing a location.

Prof. Lantz will leave tomorrow for Cincinnatti, Ohio, for the purpose of disposing of his patent syrup pitcher, having been in communication with a manufacturer there. It is the finest thing of the kind made, and ought to prove a good thing.

Ex-Governor Fletcher, of the Salem Independent, is in the city on his way to Lebanon, where he will lecture tonight on "Tilling the Soil," and tomorrow night at Sodaville, on "Common Sense." The governor is a genial gentleman who looks on the bright side of things, and has a witty vein, but believes in right living and looks at things from a practical standpoint. The DEMOCRAT man was made happy by a visit from him.

TONER'S QUARRY.—William Toner, W. F & Co's messenger on the O. C. & E. is testing the marble of a dark gray granite ledge which he located near summit some time ago. John Scrafford has just finished polishing a piece of stone from this quarry and it takes a handsome polish, but with Mr. Scrafford's limited means for doing such work he was unabled to procure what is termed, among the granite-workers, a glass finish. The product of this ledge very much resembles the Quincy granite which is sold here at the rate of $7 per cubic foot. In all respects it appears to be equal to the Quincy article, unless it be in its susceptibility of a high polish. To determine this quality it will be necessary to send a specimen east.—Corvallis Times.

DEVOE MENTIONED.—It is a fact that another election is drawing on, and candidates are becoming plentiful, some of them no longer seeking to conceal their identity. Among the up river candidates that have been named is L. W. Devoe, of Elk City, for sheriff. Mr. Devoe's friends from all over the county are urging him to become a candidate for the office of sheriff. Whether he will consent to allow his name to be used we do not know, but if he does there is a strong chance of his receiving the nomination.—Toledo Leader.

A LINN COUNTY APPLE.—Mr. A. Brownell shipped to Portland today a box of Linn county seedlings for the Horticultural exhibition to be given there next week. They are large, solid, red apples, regular beauties, and originated in this county with Mr. Brownell's nurseries.

ASYLUM CONTRACTS.—Bids for furnishing supplies for the state insane asylum were opened at Salem yesterday afternoon. Most of the contracts were secured by Salem men, though there were a number of bidders from outside. E. H. Ingram, of Eugene, was lowest on tobacco, the Eugene mill was lowest on white flour, D. J. Fry, of Salem, was lowest on drugs, and Burkhart & Lee next, Fleischner, Meyer & Co., of Portland, were lowest on dry goods, Salem men had their own way on the other things.

A TEACHERS INSTITUTE will be held at the Tennesse school house on Saturday, Jan. 15. We desire the presence and assistance of all who stand for the advancement of the public schools.

In Olden Times

People overlooked the importance of permanently beneficial effects and were satisfied with transient action; but now that it is generally known that Syrup of Figs will permanently overcome habitual constipation, well-informed people will not buy other laxatives, which act for a time, but finally injure the system. Buy the genuine, made by the California Fig Syrup Co.

LEAVE NOTHING TO LUCK.—But call on Will & Stars. They have a splendid stock of

Jewelry,
Silverware,
Novelties,

in the latest designs as well as a fine line of watches, clocks, cut glass ware, &c. They will will please you in goods and prices.

Hood's Pills are easy to take, easy to operate. Cure indigestion, biliousness. 25c.

Rheumatism is due to lactic in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla neutralizes the acid and completely cures the aches and pains of rheumatism. Be sure to get Hood's.

Just Across the Way.

At F H Pfeiffer's you can get the best Coast and Eastern oysters to be found.

He also keeps the best line of confectionary in the city.

Call on him for the best of everything in his line.

DON'T GUESS.—Perfumes are certainly pleasing, especially when you give Palmer's, the best. See our assortment in fancy boxes also our line of Toilet cases, albums, glove and handkerchief boxes, comb brush and mirror sets. All new and up to date goods, we ask your inspection. BURKHART & LEE.

Home First,
The World afterwards.—Get good groceries for your family. Conn & Huston keep the best, which they sell at the lowest possible prices. Fresh vegetables and fruits according to the season, always on hand.

A fine line of crockery.

Closing out.

Crockery and Glassware at cost.
C E BROWNELL.

LINN CO. ON TOP.

The following letter received in Albany today tells its own story, a pleasant one not only for the gentleman receiving it, but as well for our county, as it is an advertisement for it. During the past year Mr. Douglas has received prizes and premiums amounting to $136.50, a fine showing for one gardener:

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29, 1897.

MR J. R. DOUGLAS, Albany, Or.

DEAR SIR—

By the enclosed list of awards you will see that you have won the first prize of $35.00 for the heaviest specimen of Pink Prizetaker Onion, for which amount you will find our check enclosed. We will mail you a copy of the Farm Annual for 1898 in a short time and hope to be favored with your orders for seed this season. Yours truly

W. ATLEE BURPEE & Co.

A Growing Country.

A man who came from Minnesota to Linn county to reside, locating near Lacomb, weighed 140 pounds when he left Minnesota a few months ago, now he weighs 172 pounds, and doesn't know when he will stop growing. The gentleman is C. H. Young. In a letter to his former home paper dated Dec. 12 among other things he says:

The climate I think is the finest of any I have ever been in. The summers are simply perfect or as nearly so as can be found this side of the "Beautiful River." The winter is more wet, having rain instead of snow, but not rain enough to stop work any length of time. It is not cold or frosty—not even cold enough to freeze—except once we had a little skim of ice in the morning.

Garden vegetables are growing in the gardens now. The peas in my garden are 6 inches high, beets, onions, carrots, cabbages, and in fact, nearly all garden truck is in the ground—some the old crop and some the new—stock of all kinds living on the green grass; haven't fed mine (hay) except horses. Plowing is going on now, and seeding is about over till February, when the spring seeding commences. My grain looks fine and I expect to have good crops another year.

It looks queer to see flowers in bloom in the gardens and green everywhere, children going to school with straw hats, and bare footed, and then get a letter from home and hear of snow and 15 to 20 degrees below zero. What a change! There snowdrifts and frozen noses, here butterflies and lilies.

Drain Normal Notes

School recommenced after holidays on the 3 inst with all the old students and ten new ones in the different departments.

Old Santa Claus generously presented each pupil of the training school with a sack of candy and nuts on Friday afternoon before Christmas and in the evening of the same day he dished up the oyster soup to to normal students.

The result of the holiday examination in the lower school in the main was very satisfactory. There were two failures and two promotions, the body of the pupils having nobly held their places. The regular half year examinations will be held in four weeks.

A watch meeting was held in the boarding hall on New Years eve., in which some sixty young people participated. Old habits were shaken off, new resolves were made, and the usual bell ringing were engaged in. Caesar.

KLONDIKE GOLD IN EUGENE.—From the Register: There is now on display in Hampton Bros' show window a nice collection of Klondike gold, the property of Frank Adkins who owns a claim in the northern mines There are eleven nuggets on display, the largest containing $12.75, the second in size valuing $9.50, while the remaining nine are smaller in size. There is also a large gold ring handsomely ornamented which Mr. Adkins had made in Dawson City. The ring contains $48 in pure gold. This display has attracted great attention all day and doubtless has increased the Klondike fever to some extent.

A NEW ASSOCIATION.—At the recent meeting of the Linn County Council P. of H. a resolution was passed appointing a committee of five on the organization of A Tax Payers Protective Association. The objects is to secure the more complete assessment of personal property, it being claimed that a large amount of personal property is not assessed at all.

THE EQUALIZERS.—The state board of so-called equalizers completed their work at Salem last evening. It is not yet known what was done with Linn county more than that cattle were raised ten per cent.

Try our tea siftings at 10c. Extra quality.
C. E. Brownell.

Those Who Endure.

The pains of rheumatism should be minded that a cure for this disease may be found in Hood's Sarsaparilla. The experience of those who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla for rheumatism, and have been completely and permanently cured, prove the power of this medicine to rout and conquer this disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier and it neutralizes the acid which causes the aches and pains of rheumatism. This is why it absolutely cures when liniments and other outward applications fail to give permanent relief. Be sure to get Hood's.

A Laundry Nugget.

Laundry patrons who want first class work done without paying exorbitant prices should patronize the Albany Steam Laundry which have employed regularly five of the best hand ironers on the coast for shirts, dresses, and shirt waists, and ten cents is the highest price charged for any of these articles.

Don't Run Any Risks about health. Avoid coughs, colds, fevers, pneumonia, and all other similar ailments by keeping your blood rich and pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Hood's Pills are purely vegetable and do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists.

Good Times have come to those whom Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured of scrofula catarrh, dyspepsia, rheumatism, weak nerves, or some other form of impure blood

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

How is this, Burkhart & Lee are now offering guitars mandolins, banjo and violins 25 and 50 per cent cheaper than ever before in Albany. If you are thinking of purchasing any thing in that line you will do well to call on them.

MUSIC.—Miss Mildred Burmester teacher of piano or organ. System—the Mason touch and technique. Residence Fifth street, opposite U P church.

The best assortment of paper, envelopes cards and printers stationary of all kinds in the valley. SMILEY the printer.

When you are looking for Christmas goods do not forget to call at French's Jewelry Store.

J W Bentley, the pioneer boot and shoe man, does first-class work cheap. Call on him, just north of the DEMOCRAT office.

For Sale.

A well established and good paying business in Albany. Inquire at the Ladies Bazaar.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fail to Cure 25c.

MRS ASHBY has just received a fine line of Stamped linens, perfect beauties. Handkerchiefs, hose, facinators. Boas, mitts' fans, Chatalain bags. Call and examine the line of fancy notions.

A Large and Up-to-date Stock of

WINTER CLOTHING
For Old and Young,
At Low Prices
At the
BLAIN CLOTHING CO'S.

WHEAT.

Chicago 90⅝c.
New York 92⅝c
San Francisco 84c.
Albany 66c.

HOME AND ABROAD.

There were thirty seven marriages in Lincoln county last year.

Arrangements are being made to raise cotton in Oregon. It will probably fail, though small quantities have already been raised.

Several Corvallis men are making arrangements to buy or charter a steamer to go to Alaska, after gold. They have the fever badly.

Yesterday morning about 11 o'clock, J. S Cooper, president of the First National bank of Independence, was brutally beaten by Frank Smith, Cooper's face now showing the cuts and bruises received at the time. The trouble was over hops.

Last Monday O A Tweitmoe sold the farm of Al Waugh, on Depot slough, to John O Allen, who recently arrived from Windom, Minnesota. The farm consists of 160 acres about four miles from Toledo. The consideration was $2,800 in cash.—Leader.

The secretary of state, of Illinois has licensed the incorporation of the American Steele & Wire Company, of Chicago. The capitalization is $87,000,000, the incorporating fee for which was $87,000, the largest ever paid in any similar proceeding.

The Van Pelts, accused of murder in Curry county, will have to remain in the custody of the sheriff until September of this year, and he Port Orford Tribune says, this means a 10 month's board b