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THURSDAY

CIRCUIT COURT.

Mary Whitney agt J F Whitney, divorce. Granted. Custody of children awarded to plaintiff.

Mattie E Cruson agt Albert H Cruson, divorce. Will be tried Friday at 2 p. m.

Anna M Houck agt Robert Crawford, suit for roadway. Settled.

First N Bank agt Emma Harder, et al, foreclosure. Continued.

Adjourned to Friday at 2 p. m.

O'Malley's Rise.

Old times are recalled to many Corvallis business men by the presence in town of W. H. Dunphy, Pacific Coast manager of The Home Life Insurance company, of New York. The initial visit of Mr. Dunphy occurred twelve years ago. With him was King O'Malley, popularly known as "The Wild Irishman." The two, in a two weeks campaign, insured no less than sixty Corvallis business men, carrying away risks aggregating $200,000. Among those insured was President B. L. Arnold $10,000 Dr. J. M. Applewhite, $5,000 and Philip Weber, $2,000, whose policies at death were all promptly paid.

O'Malley, sometime after leaving Corvallis, retire from the insurance business, and went to Australia. In that country he prospered, and is now said to be worth about six million dollars. He is a member of parliament for South Adelaide, and in that capacity has secured the passage among other important measures of a bill for the construction of a railroad, which with connection, has a mileage of about 2,000 miles. O'Malley had strong convictions on the subject of temperance, and in Corvallis delivered a lecture to an immense audience with Prohibition for a text.—Corvallis Times.

Dr. Lamberson's Bark.

From the Criterion.

Mr. Mitchell is undoubtedly trying to play "solid" with his company and thus hold his job by making them believe that he is very watchful of their interests. The fact is the chittem bark from the road company's land has all been stolen off years ago and there is but little left on the company's land. The bark Dr. Lamberson will get is purchased from individual land owners, and the majority will be bought on the tree and then peeled by the doctor's men. When Dr. Lamberson goes gunning for bark he generally gets bark. Mr. Mitchell will probably be able to hold his job while the doctor proceeds to fill his big order.

Mrs Mary E Rader has been appointed P M at Niagara to succeed H D Baily.

Miss Ray Toole recently returned home from a trip to San Francisco and Medford.

Mrs. Ed Zeyss started on Wednesday for Lewiston, Idaho, where she expects to remain for some time.

Mr. Brewer of the Indian school took home two boys who escaped a week or two ago. They reached home all right.

Nee Mrs. Al Benicke, of Portland, has been in the city on a visit. She was married in Portland a few months ago.

Mrs. J. P. Jones returned home to Albany today after a short visit with Mrs. Van Wilson of this city.—Eugene Guard.

Last evenings' Telegram says that John Toshoy, of Albany, is a guest at the Perkins. This referes to Mr. John Foshay.

J. R. Chamberlain, of Portland, is in the city, and will assist his brothers on the brick work of the court house this summer.

L. E. Gray, of the Albany water works who has been seriously sick for several days past, is slowly recovering, but is unable to sit up yet.

Mrs. Dollarhide, of Dunsmuir, Calif., is in the city, called here by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. John Chiswell, jr., who died this morning.

Mrs. Charles Roth, a pioneer resident of Oregon, recently died at Harrisburg and was buried in the cemetry near Muddy. She was esteemed and respected by all knowing her and her death is generally regretted.

J. A. Archibald received a letter from his sister in Ohio stating that the settlement of the large estate, mention of which was made in these columns a few weeks ago, is nearing an end. The Archibald heirs will receive about $20,000 each.—Junction Times. Mr. Archibald was at one time Singer sewing machine agent at Albany.

Billy Schmidt has returned from Skagway, having sold out his interests there and those of his father, C. Schmidt. Lafe Wilson and Ben Olin had just arrived there when he left and were taking a survey of the situation. Hartless, Thayer and McLagan had been employed much of the time since their arrival but they had not entered into a permanent business for the season. Billy thinks now of going to the Buffalo Hump mining country.—Corvallis Times.

John Usher will leave tomorrow morning by boat for Sacramento, Calif., where he will enter the sailor's home. John came to Albany nineteen years ago, and has been a good and peaceable citizen, and he will be missed by many. He went on the sea at the age of fourteen and sailed the main for thirty or forty years. The best wishes of Albany people will go with him.

The Degree of Honor last evening gave another of their popular entertainments with a program prepared by Mrs Hogue's side, which they declare about the best yet given. It consisted of recitations by Jessie Clifton, Rosalie Greffoz, Miss Bentley of the public schools, Miss Grace Payne, Bessie Cameron and Isaac Butler, solos by Robert Nelson, Vira Stuart, Emma Warner, Mrs. Van Winkle and Anna McCauley, a duet by Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Van Winkle, a drill by seven young ladies, seven tableaux, representing, "Sent by Express," "Discontent," "An Old Man's Darling," "An Eclipse of the Son," "The Young Man's Slave," "The Flight of Time and Woman's" and club swinging by John Talt.

Salem contractors are decidedly in the swim. Welch Brothers are doing the work on the Albany court house, H. Snook on the Roseburg court house and Erb & Van Patton on the Dallas court house, while Mr. Burgraf is the principal architect. Salem men also propose to build the new government building at that city.

The Oregon Presbytery of the C. P. church meets at 7:30 this evening in the C. P. church of this city. By request, Rev. Dr. Bond, of Sodaville, Ore., will preach the opening sermon.

J. A. Longbottom, Pastor.

Parties in Albany desiring to attend the concert of the famous pianist, Godowsky in Salem on the 11th can secure tickets of Prof. Parvin now in the city or 75 cents. The regular price is $1.

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COUNTY COURT.

Resignation of P P Crabtree sup. dist. 3, accepted and J L Croisant appointed.

Application of N I Morison et al for removal of obstructions taken under advisement. Also petition of McNeal et al for grading roads.

Lottie Walter allowed to redeem land on payment of $3.38 also J Finger on payment of $17.94.

Application of J C Mayer for rebate of tax for 1898, disallowed.

Application of Ima Montcith for rebate of $14 on tax, allowed.

Petition for removal of H A W Henderson, of Brownsville, taken under advisement.

Petition of T J McClary for transfer of tax certificate granted.

Petition of J M Lindley et al for county road, granted.

Petition of D C Clifford et al for county road, granted.

Petition of W R Kirk et al for straightening Calapooia on Metcalf property taken under advisement.

Petition of F L Watson et al for county road granted.

Return of sheriff on tax roll of 1897 approved and clerk directed to make delinquent roll.

Witness fees in state and grand jury cases allowed.

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[illegible] of Linn county's expenses [illegible] as the court's fiscal year [illegible] one of the first [illegible] be made the counties [illegible] counts so on for [illegible] and time expired [illegible] 70 with expense of [illegible] ing the office.

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BILLS ALLOWED.

Judge Barton	$100 00
County Clerk Moore	66 10
Sheriff Moore	66 00
Recorder Ayer	150 00
Superintendent McDonald	50 00
Treasurer Jack	83 33
Deputy Clerk Montague	50 00
Deputy Sheriff Lewelling	50 00
Aid Mrs Hines	3 00
" Mr and Mrs Barnard	5 00
" Mrs Hockenbury	5 00
" " Stellmacher	3 00
" " Harry Myers	4 00
" " J Coleman and wife	4 00
" " Samuel Keith	4 00
" " Junsins	5 00
" " Henderson	5 00
" Mrs Slusher	5 00
" " Vale	5 00
" " R Senera sta	5 00
" " Koker minor	4 00
" Dinah Mosier	5 00
" Jas Larew	4 00

ACCOUNT POOR

N Drummond, supt poor farm	25 00
Margaret Mills, poor farm	4 15
Alb Dress Reef Co, poor farm	1 45
F E Allen " "	10 20
P W Spinks " "	23 82
Boston Shoe Store " "	8 65
Stewart & Sox " "	11 06
N D Conn, rent	2 50
R A Bamford, acct poor farm	3 00
C O Lee, two fares to Portland	3 00
C E Simmons, aid Nancy Simmons	5 00
C L Reed, aid Vinson	15 00
Hyde & Tyler, aid Mrs F Peters	10 00
M Hollick, acct poor farm	7 50
Tickets Geo Reed and wife	3 00
J L Carter, aid Riggs	10 00
J H Conrad	1 00
Aid W W Bellinger	5 00
Aid Katie Bray	5 00
" E C McClain	5 00
B F Ramp	15 00
Mrs Baumgart, rent	2 50
E F Truax, poor farm	10 00

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

L C Trask & Co	2 00
P W Spinks	11 29
A I Dover	12 75
G D Barton	4 10
Frank Miller	5 00
Davis & Calavan	9 50

MISCELLANEOUS

N A Blodgett, fuel	$ 80
Electric Lights	20 00
Tel. Co.	11 55
C H Croker, stationary	33 50
Inquest Joel Carey	26 80
C E Taylor, bounty	2 50
J M Owen, fuel	80
Ore agt E A Harris	5 85
Ore agt Ellis Allen	4 30
Ore agt Harry Haley	31 95
Ore agt Jas Upham	5 45
Ore agt I G Morris	17 75
I A Munker, board prisoners	66 00
A S McDonald, acct supt	315 50
Smiley the printer, stationary	82 45
Brownsville Times, printing	50
John Catlin, jan tor	20 00
Chester Skeels, fuel	6 00
B A Stafford, acct assessor	580 00
T M Powell, deputy sheriff	13 00
Mrs Munker deputy sheriff	38 00
I A Munkers, exense bill	64 45
S S Train postage	15 06
B Montague, acc't present ownership book	100 00
M B Kirton, acc't assessment	6 00
E E Montague, acc't assessment	14 00
G D Montague, acc't assessment	48 00
Herald, printing brief	20 00
J C Bilyeu, deputy sheriff	$ 55 00
Fred Dawson, acc't poor	7 35
" " stationery	8 35
D L Curl, commissioner	7 40
D C Swan, "	12 00

Lebanon.

From the Criterion:

Dr. Foley informs us that he will be required to pay the $50 broker's license because of having bought a few city warrants since July 1st.

B. R. Pendleton, formerly of Albany, moved to town last week and is now located in the Aldrich house in the east part of town.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Hickok will leave this evening for a three month's visit to the east. They will visit in several different states and no doubt will greatly enjoy their well earned vacation.

W. S. Dunn, of Woodburn, has taken charge of the S. P. Co's business at this place and will continue in that capacity until Mr. Hickok returns from his eastern trip.

Born, to the wife of Solon Faulkner, at the family residence five miles north of town, on Monday, April 3, 1899, a daughter; to the wife of Henry Sylvester at the family residence, six miles east of this place, on Sunday, April 2, 1899, a boy; to the wife of W. H. Klepper, in this city, March 30, 1899, a boy; to the wife of M. D. Wheeler, in this city, on Sunday, April 2, 1899, a daughter.

E. D. Cusick has purchased the George Humphry residence, into which he will soon move.

Claud Branton, the Lane county murderer, has been sentenced to be hanged on Friday, May 12, for the murder of John A. Linn on June 15, 1898.

The Eugene people are so jubilant over their new steamer that it is asserted that it can run on a heavy dew. As a matter of fact eleven inches are given as the figures

Conn & Huston, of Albany, have opened at 225 Commercial street, just south of the Ladd & Bush bank, an exclusive depot for the White Sewing Machine Company. Mr. S C Sweetland is local manager and has had a great deal of experience with the White machine, which he considers the best now on the market and he will be glad to demonstrate this to anyone on earth.—Salem Journal.

Albany Camp meets tonight at 8 o'clock sharp. A class of five will be initiated, after which a social session will be held. All members are requested to be present. Visiting neighbors welcome.

Spring Time.

Hark to the song that the sweet birds sing!
Now they know that smiling spring has come;
How they make the field and groves to ring,
They dance for joy in their forest home.

'Tis beautiful spring they seem to say,
When the bright eyed morning sun awakes,
And opens the rosy gates of day,
And through the Heavens his journey takes

Then waken the drowsy sleepers up,
To walk in the garden, grove and lawn;
Health offers to all her welcome cup,
Where the sweet birds sing at early dawn

J. H. C.
Sodaville, Ore.

McClains Suit.

The Corvallis Times gives the complaint of W. A. McClain in his suit against the Corvallis & Eastern as follows:

He alleges that on the 17th day November 1896, he was employed in removing obstruction from the tracks, roadbeds and bridges over which defendants railroad trains pass, and that on the said day, plaintiff and others were working on a railroad bridge across the south fork of the Santiam river; that without fault or negligence of plaintiff, and without any warning or notification, the defendant caused to be run an engine with car attached upon and against the plaintiff with such force and violence that plaintiff was knocked down upon and thrown from said moving engine, a distance of 25 feet or more, down to and upon a rock foundation at the base of the pier of said bridge. Plaintiff says his right leg was badly crushed and broken below the knee; that he was internally injured and that his flesh was badly bruised, lacerated and torn, to the plaintiff's injury and damage in loss of time and expended money to the amount of $5,000. Plaintiff further alleges that he has suffered mental anguish, bodily pain and distress to the additional amount of $10,000. He says that defendant was grossly careless and negligent in the management, operation, conduct and control of its business, in that no rules were established or adopted for the operation and control of engines and cars, while passing upon or over its tracks, roadbeds or bridges, upon which employes, including plaintiff was engaged in work.

FRIDAY

Dr. and Mrs. Winnard have been in Portland.

W. W. Rowell was in Portland yesterday on business.

Mrs. Milton Hale is seriously ill at her home near this city.

Lair Thompson came over from McMinnville on his bicycle.

Hon. A. J. Johnson, of the state fair board, was in the city today.

L. M. Curl left yesterday for Sherman county on legal business.

The engagement is announced of Miss Rose Bloch, the famous Portland singer, and Mr. Cecil H. Bauer.

A Manila correspondent in the Oregonian says that Private Perry was still suffering somewhat from the effects of heat and smoke.

There will be a regular meeting of B P O Elks tonight at their hall. Installation of officers and one candidate to be initiated. By order E R.

The Statesman says that Billy and Johnny Dugan the plumbers, who have been in San Francisco for several years expect to return to Salem to reside.

Rev Speer of the Warm Springs agency went to Halsey this noon, where he will preach next Sabbath. He was accompanied from Albany by his son of the college.

Recently in an Iowa town where the Monmouth, Ill., Glee Club sang, the following names appeared on the hotel register: S. S. Irvine pessimist and leader of Schneider's band. F. E. Dorris snake charmer.

A letter from Dawson, under date of March 6, states that Albert Grilley and Charles Craven are now on their way out over the ice and may soon be expected to arrive in Salem.—Salem Journal.

Mr and Mrs George Landreth arrived in Newport on the last steamer from California, and Mr. Landreth will probably open a barber shop there. They were residents of Albany for a few years, leaving here about five years ago for California.

Of the original trustees of Albany college, elected in the spring of 1867, only one is now a resident of this city, Mr. Jacob Nordyke, who subscribed $200 towards the original building. Of the eleven trustees eight are dead those surviving being Mr. Norcross, John Conner and W W Parrish.

Miss Sarah Francis, of the Salvation Army, is lying dangerously ill at the home of Mr. Ed Goins, with whom she has resided for several years. Mr. Francis of Eugene, her father, has been in the city. Mr. Francis was a resident of Albany for several years previous to 1887, working in the Red Crown mills.

A boy riding a bicycle recklessly ran into a young lady on a bicycle at the Charles Kleiter corner, this noon, knocking her off, and not only breaking the front wheel of her bicycle, but badly bruising her face. Boys ought to be made to know that the sidewalk is no place for sprinting. Complaint is made to the DEMOCRAT of several particularly.

J. B. Mulkey, the well-known deputy internal revenue collector, has just returned from a trip to California. One of the stories Mulkey told was that the California side of the board indicating the boundary line between the states was all dried up and cracked while the Oregon side was fresh and moist. Mulkey has been detailed to make a trip to Dawson city returning by the Yukon.

"THE PAY TRAIN" a big scenic comedy drama will be presented at Armory hall on Friday night, April 14. An exchange says: "Last night Manager Waterman of the Auditorium put one more feather in his cap when "The Pay Train" was presented to standing room only. There is not the least shadow of a doubt as to its deserving the title of the greatest railroad play ever written." Admission, 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

Court reconvened this morning and began the trial of the Scio case of Drill agt Dr. Hyde, when it was discovered that there was a defect in a description of a piece of property mentioned in the complaint. The plaintiff was allowed to amend upon payment of costs, and the case will not come up until the next term of court.

The divorce case of Mattie E. Cruson agt Albert H. Cruson was being tried this afternoon, and Lotly contested.

Salem contractors continue to lead. The contract for the new school house at Jefferson has been let to E. A. Stanton for $4,837. The highest bid was $5,700 by W. O. Heckert, of Corvallis. Welch Bros. bid $5,242. Not an Albany man bid.

Arrangements are being made to run a sleeper from Portland Saturday evenings direct to the Bay the same night, switching to the O & E at Albany, at least this is one of the railroad reports.

In the supreme court it was ordered on motion of Attorney-General Blackburn that the case of the State vs McGrath be advanced for hearing out of its regular order.

The Universal Boiler makes good flour. The Magnolia.

A Heavy Paper.

Mr. Jones, editor of the New Dispensation, of Corvallis, was in the city today. The paper is a reform journal, and the editor declares gets gold out of the dirt. The paper deals in heavy subjects, and it takes a trained mind like that of John Burkehammer for instance, to understand and appreciate its density. We give a few examples:

Heaven is the microcosm, the condensed, sublimated and purified essence of Being and Soul of the world. Hell is the external circumference, the objective reflection thrown out on a background of outer darkness.

Every human mind is a medium through which spiritual truth is transmitted more or less imperfectly. According to the grossness or purity of the mind is its capacity for being illuminated and transmitting truth with clearness.

All diseases both individual and social, now as in the time of Christ, are caused by evil spirits, the spirits of greed, selfishness, hate, bigotry, prejudice, fear, avarice, sensuality, subservience at hoc genus omne, especially IGNORANCE and MATERIALISM.

Physiology is the religion of the individual body. Sociology is the religion of the social body. Metaphysics is the science of individual mind and soul; Ethics the science of the collective mind and soul. These sciences will be the law and religion of the new era, the way of individual and social salvation.

We are in a state of anarchy. Everything is open to question. Doctors disagree. Lawyers, politicians, economists and jurists differ and dispute. Divines fight like devils. The whole strife, discord and unrest of the world is due to the fact that the most VITAL questions are unsettled and that empirics (quacks) instead of science is a rule the world.

Obituary.

Hunt—Hudah R Burch was born Aug. 26, 1849 in Burchville, St Clair county, Mich. On Sept 12, 1881 in Jewell City, Kansas she married W H Greenwood and they afterward came to Albany, Oregon, and in 1892 having lost her husband she became the wife of A bert Hunt and in this marriage found the happiest years of her life. She was a true wife and constant friend, an earnest christian and her faith in the love of her Heavenly Father sustained her in her illness. She was almost an invalid for years. All that kind friends and a loving husband and father could do for her was hers to the last. A faithful friend and neighbor Mrs Ruiter, cared for her to the last. But earthly love and care could not keep her here; her gentle spirit passed to the home beyond March 24, 1899, leaving a sad home for her husband. Only last autumn they moved to their new house near Scio, Ore. She was buried from the M E church at Albany, her pastor Rev M. C. Wire officiating. Beulah Rebekah Lodge I. O. O. F. took charge of the services at the cemetery and on a beautiful Sabbath afternoon they gave to earth all that was mortal of their beloved sister, leaving her grave with hearts bound closer in F, L and T to meet a united band in our Heavenly home.

April 6, 1899 K. B. M.

Scio.

From the News:

Miss Cora Shupe, of Albany, is visiting in Scio this week, the guest of Mrs. Geo W. Phillips.

C. H. Stewart, of the firm of Stewart & Sox, Albany hardware merchants, was in Scio last Saturday talking Piano farm machinery with some of our people.

J. N. Morris shipped a carload of hogs to the Portland market Tuesday. There were about 200 fine porkers in the car.

Wm. Brenner's barn which stood on the bank of Thomas creek, just back of T. S. Coffey's harness shop, was destroyed by fire Monday morning about 2 o'clock.

The Oregon Telephone Company installed their instrument in this city on November 26, 1898, since which date the receipts have amounted to $135.45, and we doubt if there is a town in the valley anywhere near the population of Scio which can show as good a record.

Miss Maude Cyrus who has been ill for several weeks past, is not improving, and her case has become a serious one. On Wednesday of this week Dr. Hyde, the attending physician, called Dr. Davis, of Albany, as council with him on the case.

College Notes.

Miss Griffothe, of the O A. C. was a visitor April 3.

The second term examinations were ended Thursday. The third term begins April 11.

Mrs. Buhl, of Lebanon, was visiting here with her sister Miss Smith, Thursday.

Prof Martindale, of the public schools, made us a visit April 6.

The Library is in a flourishing condition. Beside containing over 2500 volumes it has a great many of the leading magazines and newspapers.

Several of the students went home to spend the vacation of four days before the beginning of the third term. A C Cooley, F H McFarland and C C Snyder went to Brownsville, J W Gaines and E D Myers to Scio, G T Pratt to Halsey, O A Mulkey to Mehama, Miss Pet Smith to Lebanon, T W Zimmerman to Jefferson and B N McLean to Portland.

Real Estate Sale.

W H Pearl to Silas A Pearl et al ½ interest in 80 acres and 4 lots Halsey	$ 468
O P Coslow to A F Vallrath et al 1 block Brownsville	100
C F Hancock to F H Weber, 2 lots N Brownsville	75
James Nanney to Archie C Miller 46.16 acres 11 W 4	1500
F B Prater to Joseph J Kendall, 1 lot bl 21 H's 2nd ad Albany	100
Robert Crawford to Anna M Houck right of way on fair ground property	1

There were 81 deaths and 94 births in Portland in March.

A sugar war in San Francisco resulted in a cut of a cent a pound.

F. G. Powers has purchased the Lanning residence in the third ward, and moves into the same.

The Albany Farmers Co. are building a twenty foot addition to their warehouse at Tallman, the business demanding it.

Mr. R. N. Morris is making arrangements to run the warehouse at Crabtree this year, taking possession in time for the fall business.

The funeral services of Mrs. John Chiswell jr., were held at the residence of Mr. P. C. Anderson this afternoon at 2 o'clock, and the remains were buried at this city instead of being taken to Dunsmuir, as was at first intended.

The Rock Hill correspondent of the Lebanon Criterion says: Linn county cattle buyers are quite numerous here these days. They are offering $10 to $15 per head for calves, and from $20 to $30 for cows with calves. Prosperity has struck old Oregon in dead earnest at last.

Eugene Larimore, the linseed oil man, of Portland, formerly an Albany painter and base ball player, has returned from California and the east, and says he will run his mill day and night, and will want all the flax seed raised in the Northwest. He wants sixty thousand acres of flax seed, where he has contracts for only 30,000.

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SATURDAY

RELIGIOUS.

M. E. church: Services at 10:30 a m and 7:30 p m. Rev. C. M. Bryan will have charge of both services and will give a chart Bible reading on the Plan of Salvation, in the morning. Sunday school at 12 m, Junior League at 3:30, Epworth and Intermediate Leagues at 6:30. Everybody invited to these services.

Preaching at the M. E. church South morning and evening by the pastor. Subject of morning sermon, "The Good Samaritan."

United Presbyterian church: Morning worship at 10:30, subject of sermon, "The Seven Graces." Sabbath school at 11:45, Junio Endeavor at 3:30, Senior Endeavor at 7:30, evening service at 7:30. Subject of sermon, "In Need of a Physician." All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Presbyterian church: Morning worship at 10:30, subject of sermon, "Miracles of Grace." Sabbath school at 11:45 Junior Endeavor at 3:30, Senior Endeavor at 6:30, evening worship at 7:30, subject of sermon, "Born Anew." A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend all the services.

Congregational church: Services as usual at the Congregational church. Subject of morning sermon, "Rest and Pain." Sunday school at 12:15 noon and evening sermon at 7:30 p m. All not attending elsewhere are cordially invited to the above services.

Lebanon.

From the E. A.:

Walter Worrell was over from Albany Wednesday to see a sick friend.

Mrs. Chas. Scott and children, of Albany, are visiting Mrs. H. G. Everett.

The Wizard Oil company will give a performance in this city every night next week.

Mrs. Tapper and three children arrived here last evening from Nebraska, and Mr. Tapper will arrive today. One winter in that state was enough for them. Two Nebraska men are coming with Mr. Tapper.

Another mass meeting was held yesterday to consider the advisability of establishing a skimming station or creamery at this place. A good crowd was out and the question was pretty generally discussed. Some favored a creamery, and others a skimming station, but all present seemed to be highly in favor of one or the other. It was decided to leave the committee of nine still in the field, and also to appoint another committee of five to ascertain the cost of a creamery, a skimming station and a suitable location. The following were appointed as the new committee: C. H. Young, M. A. Miller, C. B. Montague, B. Burtenshaw and H. Y. Kirkpatrick. Both committees are to report Saturday, April 15, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which time another mass meeting is called, and at this meeting it will be decided which we are to have—a creamery or a skimming station.

The New Time Table.

The new time table on the Southern Pacific will go into effect tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock. The overland from Portland, which will be known as No. 6 will arrive at 10:55 and leave at 11 o'clock. The overland, from San Francisco, which will be known as No. 5 will arrive at 4:10 and leave at 4:20. The Roseburg local No. 17 will hereafter be known as No. 7, and the local from the North as No. 8, but there will be no change in their time of running.

The change will be a great inconvenience to railroad men and others, but time, tide and railroads wait for no man.

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A BAD BOY.—The boys of Mr. Orris Archibald are taking after their father, and already display a liking for the smell of powder. Yesterday afternoon, during the absence of their mother at the funeral of Mrs. Chiswell two of the boys secured a can of powder, poured some on the floor and touched it off with a match. It burst directly into the face of the second boy, burning it and his hair seriously. His eyes were swollen close and it is probable he will always have a scarred face from it. Dr. Walsh was sent for and relieved the sufferings of the boy. The oldest boy's hair was also scorched.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. Ren Ross is quite ill at the home of his parents on 5th street.

Governor Geer passed through Albany yesterday for Roseburg to view the soldiers home.

Marion Lee Teutsch, well known in Albany, and Miss Kate McMullin were married in Pendleton on the 6th.

Mr. N. Price has returned home from California, where he spent the winter with his daughters, Mrs. Horace Powell at San Bernardino, and Mrs. Lafallett at Messina.

Mr. John Simpson, who has been in the hardware business at Corvallis for twenty years, has sold his interest in the store of Simpson & Huston, to Mr. Bogue and the firm will be Huston & Bogue.

Mr. Ernest U Lee and Miss Bertha K. Washburn, both of Junction City, are to be married at the home of the bride's parents next Wednesday. Mr. Lee is a brother of Mrs. Fred Fortmiller.

Col. Montague, of Lebanon, is in the city. He reports great interest there in the proposed skimming station and Yaquina improvement and a combined meeting will be held next Saturday to consider them.

Mr. J. A. Weaver will open a branch store in Brownsville about the 15th, to be known as the The Fair. He has secured Mr. Raymond Lafferty, of Corvallis, to take charge of same.

On account of the serious illness of her mother at Philomath Miss Julia Taylor has been compelled to resign her position in the school at Toledo, and move to Philomath.

"The Village Orchestra" will make their first appearance in public, Friday evening, April 14th, at the W. O. T. U. hall at the sociable given by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church. Do not fail to hear them.

L. W. Devoe, formerly of Elk City, but now of Myrtle point, Coos county, dropped into town Tuesday morning. He is traveling for the Black & Devoe system of book-keeping and is making sales wherever he stops. The method is one of his own invention and patented.—Toledo Leader.

The Albany Musical Club gave a musical last evening at the home of S. E. Young, greatly enjoyed by a large number of friends. "Music is not merely a study," said Bryant, "it is an entertainment; where there is music there is a throng of listeners." This was so on this occasion. The excellent program consisted of Wagner overture, Tannhauser, performed by Misses Hopkins and Vance, a trio "Lift thine eyes," from Mendelssohn's Elijah, by Mmes Wirtz, Nelson and Langdon; a piano solo, Marche Funebre, Chopin, by Miss Burmester; a vocal solo "Don Juan," Mozart, by Miss Ellis, a piano solo 12th Nocturne, Chopin, by Miss Vance; "With Verdure Clad" from the Creation, by Mrs. Langdon; a duet, "I would that my love," by Mrs. Nelson and Miss Ellis; a piano duet, from Haydn, by Miss Burmester and Mrs Young, song by a quartet, "Rock-a-bye," by Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Young and Miss Ellis, a vocal solo by Mrs. Wirtz, a piano solo, "Valse impromptu," a la Tyrolienne, by Miss Hopkins, a vocal solo, "To you and but to you," by Mrs. Nelson; a piano solo, "Mendelsohn's Rondo Capricioso," by Mrs Young and three songs by the Club, "Lady Bird," "By the Sea," and "Welcome pretty primrose." Neat programs were presented showing the following active members of the Club: Miss Burmester president, Mrs P A Young vice president, Miss Ellis secretary and treasurer, Mrs H A Nelson, Mrs Wirtz, Mrs Langdon, Mrs Winnard, Mrs W Dee Lee, Mrs Nutting, Miss Irvine, Miss Vance and Miss Hopkins.

A LOST CHILD.—The people down in the Bend had a live hunt last night after a lost child. The two year old son of William Leveredge, who lives near the river disappeared about twilight probably leaving home about six o'clock and the parents became alarmed and feared he had gone towards the river. A hunting party was formed and a large crowd began a search. The childs tracks