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THURSDAY

County Court.

Court convened yesterday afternoon with the Judge and commissioners all present. The following business has been transacted:

Bond of T A Riggs approved and his resignation as justice of the peace accepted. Petition for the appointment of T A Riggs to succeed him filed.

Mary Lewelling permitted to redeem property sold for taxes on payment of $4.60.

R Glass was appointed justice of Dist. 11.

Petition of G W Pugh for position of justice not granted

In application of Thos Hagen et al for county road, viewers appointed.

In application of Clark R Long et al for county road, viewers appointed.

Ordered paid:

BILLS ALLOWED.

Judge Barton	$100 00
County Clerk Crabtree	166 30
Sheriff Munkers	166 00
Recorder Neal	150 00
Superintendent McDonald	50 00
Treasurer Jack	83 33
Deputy Clerk Montague	50 00
Deputy Sheriff Lewelling	50 00

ACCOUNT POOR

Aid Mrs Hines	3 00
" Mr and Mrs Barnard	5 00
" Mrs Hockenbury	5 00
" " Stellmacher	3 00
" " Harry Myers	4 00
" " I Coleman and wife	4 00
" " Samuel Keith	4 00
" " Junkins	5 00
" " Henderson	5 00
" Mrs Slueher	5 00
" " Vale	5 00
" " Rosencrantz	5 00
" " Koker minor	4 00
" Dinah Mosier	5 00
" Jas Larew	4 00
N Drummond, acct poor farm	25 00
N D Conn, rent Mrs Chapel	2 50
A E Ketchum, acct poor farm	34 30
N Drummond, tickets Mrs Berry and family	7 95
Albany Dressed Beef Co., acct poor farm	4 30
Stewart & Sox, acct poor farm	6 60
Geo D Barton, poor farm	5 85
M Sternberg, acct poor	3 00
Magnolia Mills, poor farm	7 15
Fred Dawson, acct poor	9 80
" " stationary	29 20
Mrs M A Bayless, acct poor	3 00
P Cohen, acct poor	19 90
F E Allen, acct poor farm	9 85

MISCELLANEOUS

Stewart & Sox, roads and bridges	32 00
F H Hughson, court house	9 00
D B Staudish, acct insane	10 00
R E Moore, stationary	1 50
J B Cook, roads and bridges	4 65
Burkhart & Johnson, roads and bridges	1 00
I C Dickey, roads and bridges	5 00
J H Scott, roads and bridges	50
Welch Bros, acct court house	110 00
People's Press, printing	17 25
J C Bilyeu, acct sheriff	55 00
Electric Light Co	15 00
F P Nutting, printing	16 00
Hughes & Troutman, acct C H	8 75
F M Jack, postage	8 75
Telephone Co	8 95
I Kitchen, clerk dist 21	7 60
Geo D Banard & Co, stationary	25 00
G Brown & Son, roads and bridges	5 60
A S McDonald, postage, etc	11 50
C C Rozell, acct C H and jail	6 75
B A Stafford, assessor	420 00
Dr Trimble, county physician	37 50
" " acct insane	5 00
N A Blodgett, fuel	1 50
Herald, printing	7 00
Smiley, the printer	26 65
John Catlin, janitor	20 00
E E Montague, incidentals	20 00
I A Munkers, board prisoners	78 40
T J Stephens, deputy sheriff	5 00
Alex Sumter, thistle commissioner	14 00
J J Whitney, Cooley case	2 20
Oregon agt Herbert Mills	13 15
S S Train, postage	7 00
Lebanon E A, printing	8 00
G D Montague, delinquent tax roll	56 00
C M Westbrook, hauling	1 00
Alex Gould, bounty	2 50
Oregon agt Cooley	40 70
W Kimsey, acct sheriff	3 00

OUR RAINFALL.—Some people imagine that it rains considerably in this valley, but it doesn't so very much, as the figures show. It was recently stated that the rainfall at Astoria was 75.77 inches since September 1. That is wet. At Albany it was less than half for the same time as follows: September 3.05 inches, October 1 63, November 7.56, December 3.45, January 5.67, February 5.15, March 5.54, April 2.98. Total, only 35.02 inches, as reported by Mr. F. M. French. That is just about right and what we need.

LOUEY MISSING.—Louey, the little Chinese cook, who has been a resident of Albany for a good many years, is missing, and his brethren cannot find him though they have hunted diligently and telephoned some. The truth is he is undoubtedly crazy. Before leaving he declared that the other Chinamen were all bad, that they were trying to shoot him through knot holes, etc., and he told a white man that he would leave to get away from them. There is nothing to occasion concern.

Mr. A. M. Cannon will leave next week for Chicago on a business trip.

Miss Clara Pooler, of Salem, is visiting with her friend Miss Erma Watts.

Rev. W. B. Moore and Dr. A. K. Higgs, of Shedd, were in the city today.

R. W. Long, of Douglas county, is in the city on a visit with his sister, Miss Marie Long.

Mrs. R. R. Findley has returned from a visit in Portland with her sister Miss Clayton.

Bishop Vincent, of the M. E. church, the head of the great Chautauqua movement will be in Oregon in September.

Governor Pennoyer has offered his big mill at Portland for sale at one quarter of its value. He wants to get out of the business.

Dr. E. O. Hyde, recenty beaten in his suit with Dr. Frill, will locate in Detroit, a number having agreed to pay a certain amount monthly.

Mr. W. T. Baker, of Salem, is in the city previous to leaving for Walla Walla where Mrs. Baker has been for several weeks. They are contemplating locating in a dry climate some where east of the mountains.

Miss Embleton, who has been a missionary in India since 1891 has been in the city on her way to her eastern home, having crossed the ocean landing at Vancouver, B. C., a few days ago after a trip of eleven thousand miles. She spoke last night at the U. P. church in an interesting manner.

The Degree of Honor last evening gave their twenty-third entertainment in the series of contests between the sides of Mrs. Hogue and Miss Maggie Barker, this being the last to be given by Mrs. Hogue. Next Wednesday evening the contest will close when Miss Barker will give the closing entertainment. She has sufficient points to insure victory for her side. A pleasing program was presented last night.

AT CORVALLIS.—As soon as the water and weather subside sufficiently, J. B. Tillotson will begin reconstructing the Fischer mill revetment. This work, it will be remembered, was rendered necessary by the encroachments of the Willamette river upon the millsite of Mr. Fischer and upon the county road leading to Crystal Lake cemetery. Mr. Fischer awarded the contract to Mr. Tillotson, but the work was not entirely completed last fall. High water of the past winter and other causes greatly damaged the revetment and the loss according to the contractor's statement is $150 to $200.—Times.

NORRIS BROS'.

Big Trained Animal Show Coming Next Thursday.

The Norris Bros' Big Trained Animal Show will exhibit in this city, Thursday, May 11th afternoon and night, under their enormous waterproof tents. A grand free street parade will be given at 11 a. m. at which time the entire company of over 200 animal actors will be seen. The Norris Bros' Show exhibited here last season, and left an excellent reputation. The show is nearly twice the size of last seasons and many new and attractive features have been added. Prominent among them being "Ajax" the only educated zebra in the world, and "Fargo", the smallest elephant in the world. Professor Norris will drive "Ajax" in the street parade.

Lebanon.

From the Criterion.

Our public schools will close May 19th. There will be three graduates this year—Bessie Miller, Cora Thomas and Ebert Thompson.

The Albany boys failed to show up for the ball game Saturday. They are excusable, however, as the weather was anything but favorable.

M. D. Hogan has fallen heir to $1000, which he will receive from his brother's estate. His brother died in Harney county about one year ago.

E. O. Temple arrived here last Friday from Morristown, Minnesota, and is now visiting with Mr. Soule at Lacomb. Mr. Temple will locate somewhere in this locality and engage in farming.

At a recent meeting of electricians held in Portland, while discussing the various systems of electric lights, Lebanon's electric light plant was pointed out as a proof of the superiority of the new system.

Last Saturday S. E. Correll came down from Whitcomb, bringing the sad intelligence that Geo Whitcomb's oldest little girl had died from diphtheria and that his other girl was not expected to live. Mr. Correll got a supply of medicine, from Dr. Booth, and returned that night, but upon returning he found that Mr. Whitcomb's other children—two little boys—had also taken the dread disease and were in a critical condition.

Real Estate Sales.

Effie Densmore to Chas Craft, 40 acres	$ 300
D A Holman to J R Gill, 2½ lots Scio	1500
J M Donaca to Cassie A Burss, 2 lots Lebanon	25
Silas Coney to Asa Hirons, 2 lots Shelburn	80
Robert Cooper to H Y Kirkpatrick et al, 120 acres	500
R L Burkhart to J C Galbraith, 1 lot bl 7 M's E A	550
Emma Littler to J C Littler, 1 lot bl 14 H's 2nd ad	1
T W Dilley to T S Coffey, ½ lot Scio	175
Alex Kirk to Brownsville Lodge A F & A M, 6 acres	18
Cora Philippi to Geo Philippi, 160 acres	5
J C Woodruff to Ruth Pyntz, 80 acres	90
J G Githens to W E Githens, 70 acres	5
Richmond Wheeler to E J Seeley, 1 acre Plainview	1000
Martha Rucker to Geo Soule, 40 acres	800
Rosa West to Laura Rupert, 2 lots W ad Albany	400
Robert Livingstone to Or Mtge Co about 2 lots H's ad	1

500 bicycle tags have been issued in Benton county.

The fat chimney sweep who was in Albany several times, was drowned while in swimming in California several months ago.

Lebanon is contemplating the erection of a new school house that will cost about $5,000, and a meeting has been called to consider the matter.

The city council of Salem are contemplating offering the government a block of ground off the west end of Wilson avenue for the government.

Mr. Julius Gradwohl is carrying his chin carefully as the result of a board flying up while keeping track of things yesterday afternoon at his new brick.

All of the county officials are now practically located in the Young brick the sheriff, assessor and treasurer down stairs, the recorder, clerk and county judge up stairs, the superintendent in the central building.

The Junction Times reports that Mr. Geo. A. Houck, of Eugene Oregon, who owns in Benton county the largest flock of Angoras in Oregon, has sold his clip at 34 cents per pound and is feeling very happy over his season's profits.—Rural Spirit.

J. B. Coleman today purchased from S. H. Friendly the brick block on Willamette street between Seventh and Eighth, now occupied by Mayhew & Ream's saloon. The price paid was $3500 The building is one story and the property 16x80 feet in size.—Eugene Guard.

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FRIDAY

Scio.

Prof T. J. Wilson is now engaged in teaching a spring term of school in the Platt district, east of this city.

Mr. Holub arrived in Scio Tuesday from Nebraska, and will without doubt make his home in this section. He was here last fall and looked the country over and decided to return.

Tuesday last M. M. Peery was appointed agent for Wells, Fargo & Co., at this place, W. F. Gill having resigned. Mr. Peery will make a good agent and one who will look well to the interest of the company.

Mrs. S. M. Daniel and the children left Monday by team for their new home in Monmouth. Mrs Daniel will be greatly missed by her many friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs O. Clark, an aged couple who reside on Crabtree creek in the vicinity of Larwood, had a narrow escape from death Saturday night last, caused by their house burning down. Mrs. Clark was injured somewhat, but how severely we have not been able to learn. These people are both quite old and it was with difficulty that they escaped. Their home was a total loss.

A TRAINED ZEBRA

With the Norris Bros. Big Show

"Ajax," is the name of a genuine African Zebra, with the Norris Bros. Big Trained Animal show which will exhibit in the city, Thursday afternoon and night, May 11th, under their enormous waterproof tents "Ajax" is the only zebra in the world who has been trained and taught to perform tricks. He will be seen in the street parade which takes place at 11 a. m. "Fargo," the smallest elephant in the world will also be seen with 200 other animal actors.

Prof Lee will preach at Newport next Sunday.

Claude Lambson, of Portland is in the city visiting Albany friends.

The Guard says that F. Senders, of Albany, was in Eugene.

Mr. Kent, of Portland, is at the Russ introducing acetylan plants in the city.

Miss Marie Parrish returned last night from a several months sojourn in Portland.

The Modern Travelers will meet at 2:30 tomorrow at the residence of Dr. Erskine.

E. E. Montague will be stationed in the clerks office at the court house in charge of the records there during the construction of the new building.

The many admirers of Dr. Edgar P. Hill are anticipating with real pleasure the treat in store for them on Monday, May 15th, when Dr Hill will deliver his delightful and instructive lecture "Cycling Through England with a Kodak." in the Presbyterian chuch. The lecture will be illustrated with views taken by Dr. Hill.

The College Y. W. C. A. of Oregon will meet in Portland tonight and hold sessions over Sabbath. Misses Pet Smith, Frances French, Emma Sox, Mary Stewart, Leona Francis, Jennie Cook and Ruth Flinn of Albany college, went down on the Ruth this morning to attend, fair of representatives of a splendid educational institution.

Joseph Webber, jr., with the New Home Insurance Company, of San Francisco, was in the city a few hours today, while on a trip through the Northwest. Joe's visits here bring sunshine into the hearts of his many old time friends in Albany, who appreciate his splendid talents and genial disposition. Joe left Albany in August, 1881, for Portland, from which city he was transferred to a better position in San Francisco, where his insurance ability has been recognized. He did well in marrying one of Albany's former popular young ladies Miss Mansfield, and they now have a model home in Oakland. They keep in touch with Albany people by the weekly visits of the DEMOCRAT.

Ben Hayden, the old warhorse lawyer of Oregon, has been sued at Salem for $19, for labor performed for him.

Geo. Hoflich brought to Albany today a curiosity in a four legged chicken. It was alive, but the prospects were good for an early demise.

Louey the lost Chinaman was found last night by Nightwatch McClain and permitted to spend the night in the city jail. He is at large today.

Search for the body of J. R. Buckman, the Harrisburg man, lost several months ago, is being continued, but without any new clues of value. The chances are against the finding of the remains.

In Fitzhugh Lee's farewell order to his corps he said: "The soldiers of the north and south took the sunshine and storm of camp together and marched side by side under one flag, in one cause and for one country."

The assistant Superintendent of the Indian school at Chemawa passed through Albany this noon with ten lovely dusky maidens in uniforms, on their way to Corvallis, where they will do up the Corvallis girls at basket ball tonight.

Miss Edna Culver was riding a bicycle along the road adjoining the river yesterday afternoon when she rode off the bank falling about fifteen feet into some willows, breaking one of her arms which was set by Dr. Hill.

Letters have been received from several of the Albany boys giving accounts of the battle of Malabon, in which they participated with signal bravery, substantially as reported in the letter from Roy Saltmarsh recently published in the Democrat. All of them wonder at the miraculous escape of I Co. the lucky one of the regiment.

The Old Man chimney sweep, who has done a live business in the city for several days, went to Salem this morning on the boat. He is fifty nine years of age and has been in the business twenty years. While he has had some narrow escapes he has never been killed and takes things as serenely as a man who spends his time on the ground.

Yesterday afternoon Fred Harris was at the O. R. & N. wharf with the delivery horse of the Sugar Pine & Fixture Co., which has done the delivering for the company for many years, when the horse persisted in backing and backed directly off into the Willamette, and as the water is deep of course drowned. Harris jumped from the wagon when he saw that he could not save the horse. The wagon was gotten out today.

Poundmaster Davidson was sent after the horse this afternoon, assisted by a large crowd of men, and at press time was hauling the outfit towards the shore out of about fifteen feet of water.

The Association known as the Mother's Club has adopted the name "The Child Culture Circle." It includes teachers, parents and any who are interested in the welfare of children. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Beeson on Fifth street, Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

Albany people seem to appreciate the effort being made by G. B. Milloy to give them cheaper bread. They have purchased of him up to 2:30 o'clock today 98 loaves. He sells at old prices of 40 for $1.00.

V. O. London went to Albany this morning and will bring back J. D. Gilbert, who is wanted here on a charge of forgery.—Roseburg Review. Gilbert was arrested in Corvallis and brought to Albany last night in time for the overland.

A big deal is said to be on at Mill city for the sale of the mill there and a special train went up there this afternoon with eastern capitalists interested in the movement.

JONATHAN WASSOM.

Lebanon's Honored Citizen and Pioneer of 1846 Dead.

Hon. Jonathan Wassom, of Lebanon, one of Linn county's most prominent and best citizens, died at 7:30 o'clock this morning, suddenly, of heart trouble, following an illness of the grippe and pneumonia.

Mr. Wassom has been prominent before the people of the valley for a great many years, a strong factor in its upbuilding. Besides possessing wealth he was a man of integrity, and was universally esteemed. He once represented Linn county in the state legislature. He came to Oregon in 1846 and to Linn county in 1847, locating at Lebanon, his home since then. Wassom's addition to Seattle is named after him.

The funeral service will be held next Sunday at 10 a. m and will be under the auspices of the Masons, of which order he was an old member.

The Wanderings of Rev. Harris and Miss Lear.

The Victoria B. C. Globe of April 27 says:

The Queen City, arriving last night, brought the sequel to the adventures of the Rev. Mr. Harris and Miss Lear. Rev. Mr. Harris, of Oregon, it will be remembered, ran away with the girl, and though separated at Westminster from the girl, Harris managed unseen to board the same steamer that bore the girl and her mother North from Vancouver. At Alert Bay Harris was put ashore and Miss Lear, determining not to be separated from him, landed also.

It seems that his reputation had preceded Harris there, for his reception by the people was not a pleasant one, and he could get nothing to do—an unpleasant predicament, as neither he nor Miss Lear had money or baggage.

When the Queen City touched at Alert Bay on the way North, the couple boarded her and went to Essington, and stayed at Cunningham's Hotel a couple of weeks, Harris pawning his watch to pay for his board.

Harris managed to get work in a general store, and in the meantime a letter has been sent to his wife telling where the wanderer is at present.

A New Magazine.

Oregon Native Son, is the name of a new magazine just issued by the Native Sons of Oregon, of Portland. It is an artistic and splendidly gotten up magazine. The frontispiece is Dr John McLoughlin, the father of Oregon, a pioneer of 1824, then there are pictures of William Grey 1836, Capt. John H. Couch 1840, A Lawrence Lovejoy 1842, Peter Stewart, Geo. Abernathy 1840, Gen. Joe. Lane 1849, John Whiteaker 1852, T. T. Geer our first native governor, W. S. Ladd 1851, H. W. Corbett 1851, Henry Failing 1851, C H Lewis 1852, Geo. H. Williams 1853, D. P. Thompson 1853, O. N. Denny 1852, Solomon Hirsch 1858 and Senator McBride, Congressman Moody, Homer Davenport, Judge Bean, H. D. McGuire, of the native sons. The contents are interesting and the magazine is bound to prove a valuable acquisition to Oregon literature.

A Great Fall.

This forenoon the entire front of the court house fell down, making a noise that could be heard all over the city. It was the work of the contractors, in order to give place for the new and modern front and corner that is to be erected, and was witnessed by a large crowd including the DEMOCRAT man. The new structure will be practically a new court house, with modern facilities. The wreck shows that Mr. Cundiff and his fellow workmen did some first class work with some first class brick. The name of Perry Watson, 1864, is somewhere in the ruins.

Tooting June 7 and 8.

It is an established fact that the state band tournament will be held in Albany on June 7 and 8, arrangements for which are already being made by ten or fifteen bands in different parts of the state, which are ordering new uniforms and doing their best practice for the occasion. It will be the greatest musical event in the history of Albany, and as it will take the place of a 4th of July celebration this year our citizens should give it the support it needs to make it a success. Not enough money has yet been raised. More is absolutely necessary. Stand by the bands.

Among the Students.

This was a live day in the public school. This afternoon was being devoted to rhetorical exercises. The rooms were gloriously decorated for the occasion with flowers, blackboard pictures displaying splendid talent, festoons, etc. Exercises were held in the rooms separately, except in the cases of the first and second and third and fourth, which combined. Such afternoons infuse life into school children and are very commendable.

List of Patents.

Granted to Northwest inventors this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C.:

T A Evans, Portland, Or, water pressure regulator; J A Russell, Tacoma, Wash, roasting and smelting furnace; I Smith, South Bend, Wash, pruning implement; M L Williams, Tacoma, Wash, coupling for chains for bicycles, etc.

For copy of any of the above patents send 10 cents in postage stamps with date of this paper to C A Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

TWO FINE THINGS.—Mr. Frank L. Kenton has decided to continue the manufacture and sale of two useful articles, discovered and made by his late father, the Sea Lion Polish and Kenton's Adhesive Salve. The DEMOCRAT man has had both in his family for a good many years, and knows them to be first class. The polish has no superior, it is a fine thing, and the salve is a marvel in curing cuts, burns, sores, etc. Home products they deserve to be generally used by our citizens.

An Albany wag says that the horse hat backed off into the rives last evening was backing yet and had reached Eugene. He is evidently a backer from away back.

President McKinley has informed Senator McBride that if he came west his summer he would come to Oregon, but he will probaply not make his western trip.

LADIES AID SOCIETY.—A special meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be held at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Blain on Monday, May 8, at 3 p. m. It is necessary that there should be a full attendance on account of important business, which should interest every member. The trustees are also requested to be present. By order of the President

The Weather.

Tonight and Sunday fair, stationary temperature. River 7.4 feet.

F. M. FRENCH, Displayman.

SATURDAY

A DRUMMER'S DEATH.

Ed. W. Copner, Schilling's Best Man Dies after a Debauch.

Ed. W. Copner, the well known traveller for Schilling & Co., died this morning at 3 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Watts, of heart disease, and from the effects of a debauch.

A nearly as the DEMOCRAT can get the facts the case is as follows: Copner and his wife and daughter Geneva, resided at Portland for several years.

Several days ago Copner returned from Calif. on the steamer, broken in spirit. On reaching Astoria, he began drinking hard, and has been on a debauch since. He arrived in Albany Monday night and registered at the Revere the next morning. Desiring a private place he went to the residence of Mrs. Watts for care. A physician was called in last night and worked with him during the night until his death this morning.

J. R. Chamberlain, working on the court house contract with his brother, resided in East Portland several years next door to Copner and his family and speaks in high terms of them. Copner was all right when sober, but whiskey did the business. His daughter is about seventeen years of age, and it is said Copner had his life insured in her favor a few weeks ago for about $6,000.

Copner was Schilling & Co's best man, last year receiving the prize for selling the most goods, and was a genial, pleasantman, greatly liked by his fellow drummers and patrons of the house.

Dispatches were received from Schilling & Co., and Mrs Copner at Portland, directing that the remains be sent to Portland, where Mrs. Copner and daughter reside. It was reported that Copner and his wife had separated and she was in San Jose but this is probably incorrect as nearly as can be learned, though it is possible Copner desired it to be thought so in this city.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Call at the Sugar Bowl for fresh fruit.

Chicken dinner at the Albany Lunch Counter tomorrow.

A. J. Apperson has been appointed receiver of the land office at Sitka.

The annual pioneers picnic will be held at Brownsville June 7, 8 and 9.

Dr. Mark Skiff, of Salem, has been appointed a member of the state board of dental examiners to succeed Dr Contris.

The Indian girls who went to Corvallis yesterday to play basket ball with the O. A. C. girls returned home today. They were defeated 28 to 8.

Claud Branton is to be hanged at Eugene next Friday between 10 and 12 o'clock. He thinks he will get a commutation of the sentence, but he will be and should be disappointed.

There were over six hundred speeches made in Albany yesterday, more than at the dedication of the new court house at Eugene. They were made by the school, nearly every one having a piece.

Hit in the Nose.

Frank Thompson, who enlisted at McMinnville in A Co., was among those wounded in the battle of Caloocan. In a letter to his parents at Brownsville he tells about it as follows:

At 8 o'clock the Oregons charged over their breast-works and started for the "niggers." It was only 150 yards to their entrenchments, but the sensation of running straight through a perfect shower of bullets made it seem a mile. But we drove them out and I had just crossed over their first trench when a Mauser bullet struck me in the nose, entering on the left side and going through. The shock knocked me down, but I got up and walked, or rather ran, back to the Caloocan depot, a distance of about a mile. Here I got on the train and came to the hospital, where I have been receiving the very best of treatment.

A Poor Trade.

E. B. Cornett, of the Santiam country, was in the city today, when a stranger bantered him to trade horses, which he did and placed the new property beside his other horse. He had only gone a block when the horse fell down exhausted. He was N. G. In the mean time the trader had gone across the river with the best end of the bargain. Mr. Cornett called on the Chief of Police, as he was in a pickel, having only one able bodied horse to draw his wagon, but it was not a case that could be reached in that way.

NEW FIRE DELEGATES.—No 1's W H Warner, J J Lingren, W M Wonderlick. No 2's W W Rowell, O C Clelan, Chas Medin. H & L Co., W H Worrell, J L Tomlinson, Ed Blodgett. No 3 will elect tonight.

A meeting will be held at the city council chambers on Friday evening May 12, for the organization of a Rod and Gun Club, to provide revenue for the maintainance of a deputy game warden, for the protection of the game of Linn county. At the call of the chairman, Mr. Stone.

All who desire to become a charter member of the Native Sons of Oregon, should attend the cabin meeting tonight at the G. A. R. hall in this city.

A juvenile base ball club went to Lebanon this afternoon to play base ball.

X-rays are not in it with our new system. Long photo Co.

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Whether on pleasure bent or on business take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches, and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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RELIGIOUS.

Presbyterian church: Morning worship at 10:30, subject of sermon, "Spiritual Embers." Sabbath school at 11:45, Junior Endeavor at 3:30, Senior Endeavor at 6:30, evening worship at 7:30, addresses by college students and a special musical service. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

United Presbyterian church: Morning worship at 10:30, subject of sermon, "The Eight Gates into the City of Blessedness." Sabbath school at 11:45, Junior Endeavor at 3:30 Senior Endeavor at 6:30, evening worship at 7:30, subject of sermon, "Abraham's Adventure." All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Congregation church: Services as usual at the Congregational church. Subject for morning sermon, introduction to a series of five sermons on 1st Peter. Subject for evening "A Study of Natural and Spiritual Species." Sunday school at 12:15. All not attending elsewhere are cordially invited to the above services.

The services at the 1st Presbyterian church Sabbath evening will be in the hands of the College Y. M. C. A. Special music has been prepared, orchestra, quartet and a solo by Mrs. Wirtz. There will be two short addresses by students.

The South Association of Congregational churches will meet in the Congregational church of this city Monday at 3 p. m. In the evening at 8 p m there will be an address by Rev. R. C. Brooks of Eugene, Or., on the subject "The Missionary Motive of the Church in the Light of Recent Events." You will be welcome to this meeting.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Helen Crawford of the O. A. C. is in the city.

H. N. Cockerline has gone to Grants Pass, where his father is dangerously ill.

Miss Alice Brenner returned last night by way of Portland from a trip to San Francisco.

Col. C. H. Dalrymple was up from Gold Hill Tuesday. He leaves in about two weeks on an extended tour through Eastern Oregon and at Tuscarora, Nev. After that he will visit his old home in Nebraska to be gone about three months.—Ashland Record.

W. W. Curtis, of Portland, has been in the city several days making arrangements for the purchase of the Santiam Lumber Co's mill at Mill City for several capitalists, but the papers have not yet been signed. This is one of the finest mill properties in the valley.

A. B. Hammond, of the Columbia & Astoria road, arrived in Albany this noon, and tomorrow noon will meet General Hubbard and party of the S. P. perhaps President Huntington, and make a trip over the Corvallis & Eastern. Significance is placed on this by people, but without authority.

Several Albany men are making arrangements to locate elsewhere. Mr. Henry Taylor and family will move to The Dalles next week; J. E. Brown and family and Miss Mollie Luper, it is said, will locate in Seattle; Geo. E. Fish is contemplating an engagement with a Portland house but has not yet completed arrangements for it nor disposed of his Albany business.

Miss Mary Cundiff, of this city, graduated on Friday evening of last week from the Columbia School of Oratory, of Chicago, with honors. She delivered the address for the class, the address to the class being delivered by the famous Dr. Gunsaulus. Miss Cundiff's graduating dress was made in Albany and arrived in the evening just in time for use. Miss Cundiff will spend the summer in Louisiana, and expects to locate some where in the south. Her splendid endowments are bound to bring her success.

This and That.

See Locals on every page.

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The best meats of all kinds and good treatment at the Albany Dressed Beef Company's market, just down Second street. Good weight and prompt attention.

Be sure and read the special sewing machine advertisement in another column; never in the history of Albany was there such a chance to get the best machines at such low prices.

The "cut" prices for sewing machines at E U Witt's music store are for 20 days only. Do not delay to get you a new machine and you will do your friends a favor if you will tell them of the special sale; they may not see this notice.

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