

Corvallis, May 6, 1881.

Mr. J. H. Bates, Newspaper Advertising Agent, at Park Row (Times Building), New York, is authorized to contract for advertisements in the GAZETTE at our best rates.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH. Services—Preaching every second and fourth Sabbath in each month at the College Chapel, by the Rev. F. P. Davidson. Services begin at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. All are invited.

CITY ELECTION.

Below we give the vote of the City of Corvallis for the various city officers. There was no politics in the matter, and the issues were either on personal favoritism or local issues. The vote is as follows:

Table with columns for Mayor, Recorder, Treasurer, and various wards (First, Second, Third). Lists names and vote counts.

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FOR PORTLAND.—The 2nd Brigade Band will go to Portland on the coming 4th of July to blow for the celebration at that place. We are informed that arrangements have been made for a special train from this city to Portland on that day at half fare rates leaving here at 5 a. m. The contract price for the band on that occasion is \$250. They will furnish 16 men, and are the best band of the Willamette Valley by the universal verdict of every eye who hears them play.

CORVALLIS.—Mr. John A. Wynn, of Linn County, reports to us as a natural curiosity in a child, hatched on his farm, that has four perfectly formed legs and feet, the surplus tissue being first in the form of a natural cone. At last accounts it was living and doing well.

LOCAL NOTES.

County Court this week. Samuel Case of Newport, in the city. Wallis Nash, Esq., has gone to the Bay. Firemen's picnic by and by, afterwards, Hon. Jas. Gingles was in the city this week.

The Yaquina road is reported in good condition. C. C. Cherry of Albany was in the city Wednesday. Grandpa's birthday-to-night at Hamilton's opera house.

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KING'S VALLEY.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—At present this valley is prosperous, happy and beautiful. We have better grass, better wheat and oats, and better children than before, for many a long day. The nice weather and warm rains have brought every thing that grows, almost to perfection. Even some of the children have sprouted.

The late rains have raised the waters of the Luckamute sufficient to enable Frantz & Connor to bring down all their saw-logs. They (Frantz & Connor, not the saw-logs) are jubilant and can now furnish plenty of good lumber to all their customers.

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ATTEMPTED ESCAPE.—The prisoners now confined in the county jail at Roseburg, emboldened by their former success, came near affecting their escape last Wednesday night. Through the assistance of some one outside they obtained a saw, and succeeded in breaking and sawing off their shackles, and had almost got into the cell through which they escaped before, when daylight overtook them and they were detected.

SELLING OFF.—Owing to the death of my husband it is necessary to close out the business formerly carried on by him, and I will sell the entire stock at greatly reduced price. Any wanting anything in the line of groceries, canned goods, cutlery, liquors or notions will save money by calling at the Star Bakery, Apr 22nd Mrs. H. WARRIOR.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—The following are the officers of Monumental Engine Co. No. 2 organized last week: President, John H. Lewis; Vice President, J. R. Baldwin; Treasurer, B. T. Taylor; Sec. F. H. Sawtelle; Financial Sec. W. H. Goldson; Foreman, A. E. Belknap; 1st Asst. N. B. Avery; 2nd Asst. B. G. White. B6

A man named String, by occupation a butcher, committed suicide, at Junction city, last Saturday by hanging himself by the neck. He was just one of the peeps of that sort, and we are informed that the cause of his taking his own life, was financial difficulties. We have been unable to get the particulars of the sad affair.

MONKY.—Under the head of new this week will be seen the advertisement of Bryson & Young, money lenders. They propose to loan money at a lower rate of interest than has ever been done before in this city. They also have real estate for sale.

Geo. Stephenson, of Jacksonville, will stand his celebrated station, Sir Walter, in Corvallis and Albany the coming season, commencing April 2nd and ending July 1st, 1881. For particulars inquire at Sol King's stable, Corvallis. tf.

Hon. M. C. George has returned to his home in East Portland in good health and spirits. His experience in Washington last winter, where he was only a looker on, will be of much advantage to him at the next meeting of Congress and those who expect in him an honest and able representative of Oregon will not be disappointed.

Have Wislars Balsam of Wild Cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, Bronchitis, whooping cough, Influenza, Consumption and all throat and Lung complaints. 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle.

The Peruvian ayru has cured thousands who were suffering from Dyspepsia, Debility Liver complaints, Bolls, Humors, Female complaints, etc. Pamplets free to any address. Both W. Fowler & Sons, Boston.

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FACTS WE KNOW.—If you are suffering with a severe Cough, Cold, Asthma, Bronchitis, Consumption, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, or any affection of the throat or lungs, we know that Dr. King's New Discovery will give you relief. We know of hundreds of cases it has completely cured, and that where all other medicines have failed. No permanent cure can show one-half as many permanent cures. Now to give you satisfactory that Dr. King's New Discovery will cure you of Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Consumption, severe Coughs and Colds, Hoarseness, or any Throat or Lung Disease, if you will call at Graham, Hamilton & Co.'s drug store you can get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size bottle for \$1. Hodges, Davis & Co., wholesale agents, Portland.

Sad Havoic is Created Among the tenants of the mouth by allowing impurities to collect upon their surface or in their interstices. SOZODONT removes every vestige of tartar from the teeth, and renders their premature decay impossible. It not only imparts to them whiteness and vigor, but communicates hardness and resilience to the gums. The breath acquires a most acceptable fragrance from its use; it is a purely botanic liquid, and it may be relied on to accomplish its beautifying effects without injuring the enamel like a gritty tooth paste.

Backlen's Arnica Salve, The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. The Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded, Price 35 cents per box.

Now this Week. GRAND MAY DAY PICNIC & BALL, GIVEN BY THE Corvallis Fire Dept't Monumental Co. No. 2. BASKET PIC-NIC MAY 31st, 1881.

Committee of Arrangements: GEO. M. GERHARD, R. F. BAKER, N. BEASEN, E. A. VINCENT, N. B. AVERY, E. H. TAYLOR. Full Programme next week. W.

J. R. BRYSON, Atty-at-Law. A. J. YOUNG, Atty-at-Law. BRYSON & YOUNG, Real Estate, Loan, AND INSURANCE AGENTS.

MONEY TO LOAN. I desire to sub borrowers, on real estate security, on short notice, and better terms than have ever been offered in Benton Co. WILL ALSO BE FURNISHED IN JACOBS & NENGAS' new brick, opposite Occidental Hotel.

Equalization Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DIRECTORS OF School District No. 17 in Benton County, State of Oregon, will attend the public school on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1881 commencing at the hour of 9 A. M. of said day to publicly examine the assessment roll of said district, assessed pursuant to the action of the legal voters of said district by a vote taken at a public meeting held on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1881; and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of lands, lots or other property, and all persons there interested are hereby notified to appear at the time and place appointed.

Administratrix Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED has been appointed Administratrix of the Estate of Joseph P. Frickley, deceased, by the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same with the proper vouchers, within six months from this date, to me at my residence, one mile west of Corvallis, in the County of Benton, State of Oregon. And all claims due said estate must be paid to E. Holgate attorney for said Estate at Corvallis, Oregon. AMANDA FRICKLEY, Administratrix of the Estate of Joseph P. Frickley deceased. Corvallis, May 6th 1881.

Hostetter's Bitters. WHY SUFFER NEEDLESSLY With the convulsive spasmodic tortures of fever and ague and biliousness, which are the result of Hostetter's Bitters, acknowledged to be the real curative of malarial fever, will eradicate the cause of your suffering. So effective is this hostetter's alternative in cases of constipation, dyspepsia, liver complaint, and in general debility and nervous weakness. For sale by all druggists and dealers generally.

FOR SALE. The undersigned will sell from 100 to 200 acres of land, situated in Benton County, Oregon, about three miles west of Corvallis. An outlet to an extensive range, well-watered, well-timbered and a fine site for building. The line of the railroad survey crosses the land. For particulars, inquire at the place. WM. BLODGETT. 17-14m6

ATTENTION LANDBUYERS! I HAVE SOME FINE LOCATIONS ON AND NEAR THE Bay for sale at reasonable prices, also a Store and good business, and well stocked, for sale at bargain. Persons wanting land should address or call on me. Newport, Benton County, Oregon. R. A. BENSELL, 17-23m

We Want You to Know. PAUL, THE PAINTER. AGAIN IN TOWN, AND PREPARED TO DO all kinds of plain and ornamental painting in the best style and at lowest rates. Orders left at Allen & Woodward's will receive prompt attention. Corvallis, June 4th, 1880. 17-23m

F. A. JOHNSON, M. D. Physician, Surgeon. Oculist and Electrician. Surgery a Specialty. Office with Allen & Woodward. 16-2

NOTICE. Our Descriptive Illustrated Price List, No. 2, of Dry Goods, etc., will be issued about March 1st, 1881. Prices quoted in No. 25 will remain good until that date. Send us your names early for copy of No. 25. Free to any address. MONTGOMERY WARD & CO., 227 & 229 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

ASSIGNMENT NOTICE. IN THE MATTER OF THE ASSIGNMENT OF J. S. Synnott & Co. Notice is hereby given to all persons claiming any debt due to or from J. S. Synnott & Co., or any of the assets of said firm, to present their claims to the assignee, J. S. Synnott & Co., at their office, 227 & 229 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill., on or before the 15th day of May, 1881. The assignee of said firm are required to present their claims to the assignee, J. S. Synnott & Co., on or before the 15th day of May, 1881. J. S. Synnott & Co., Assignees.

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