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CORVALLIS, OR., MAY 31, 1889.

THE SCHOOL OF TO-DAY.

The large audiences present at the closing exercises of the public schools on Friday afternoon and evening last, in the city hall, were vivid evidences of the growing importance of the public school system. There was not one scholar in the whole 200 but what had feelings of pride over the fact that he or she could assist in the carrying out of the programme. And was there a parent present but what looked on with joy and happiness knowing that in that band of young hearts they had one or more who, year by year, are being promoted farther up in the elements of educational life.

Then there are the teachers who have, during the past school year, faithfully attended to the duties dependent on them and helped to raise the young minds this one step higher. To them does the father or mother owe a debt of gratitude, for were it not for their untiring efforts many a child would be less proficient in the knowledge power that rules the world. Before another year passes by Corvallis will have a high school building which will stand as a monument everlasting to those who will preside in the capacity of instructors over the youthful minds that will ascend into its halls to educate themselves for their future life.

WITHIN two days' time last week \$5,000,000 worth of 6 per cent. gold bonds of the Oregon Pacific company, placed on the market in New York and Philadelphia, were all taken, and this alone shows that the first mortgage bonds of this company are no drug on the market. With this amount of money the work on the eastward extension can be pushed rapidly, and a connection made by 1890.

TO WATER CONSUMERS.—1st. All persons intending to use water for irrigating lawns or sprinkling streets must report at the office or to the superintendent. 2d. All persons who have had faucets put in for their own use, must prohibit others from using from them or their hose. If water is allowed to be used an extra charge will be added or the water turned off. 3rd. No person shall use water for other purposes than that contracted for. 4th. All persons wishing to use water must give notice to have it turned on. If they wish to discontinue notice must be given to turn it off or charges will continue to be made monthly. 5th. All persons caught using water without giving notice will be charged for the same until the bill is sufficient to pay for the water used. 6th. The use of water for irrigating lawns is prohibited, except between the hours of 6 and 9 a. m., 4 and 9 p. m. All persons caught running the sprinkling will be shut off and an extra charge will be made to have it turned on again. 1m.

WILL MEET.—The Sunday school convention, for Benton county, will meet in the Presbyterian church on next Monday morning, June 3rd, opening at 11 a. m. and closing at 12 o'clock m. on the 4th. Then at 2 p. m. on the latter date the state convention will also convene continuing until 12 on the 6th.

TO PORTLAND.—John L. Johnson, the lively stable man, shipped, via steamer Accident, to Portland on Tuesday, fifteen head of horses. They are for J. F. Burke and Mr. Mathews and will be used in the United Carriage & Transfer Co., and also on the Portland & Mount Hood stage line.

TAKE NOTICE.—I wish it understood that I am not in the employ of L. L. Hurd, neither do I desire to be, as I can always obtain employment from gentlemen and men that are responsible. WALTER HOLMAN.

TEN ACRE TRACTS.—For sale. Two and one-half miles directly east of Corvallis, very desirable for fruit land. Enquire of W. H. Millhollen, Corvallis, Oregon, or of Craig & Conover at the GAZETTE office. 1m.

MONEY TO LOAN.—On improved farms at 8 per cent. interest for three years and upwards. Lombard Investment Co., J. W. Rayburn, agent, Corvallis, Or. 2w

Chas. Ulmer, of the Yaquina Republican, was in Corvallis on Friday last.

BRIEF LOCALS.

There's one degree that college life imparts That opens to the maiden many doors: She'll understand the art of bachelors.

Eli on next Tuesday night. The circus and the 4th of July come next. See Sells' circus ad. in another place in the GAZETTE.

J. M. Nolan has been over to his Yaquina City store this week.

Charlie Young is at work again having nearly recovered from his runaway of last week.

A number of items are crowded out of this issue on account of want of space.

Salem has decided not to celebrate on the 4th, but will assist Albany in whooping her up.

The windmill at the waterworks has been rearranged and is now working like a charm—whenever the breezes blow.

Four "coons" have been giving exhibitions on Main street during the week, in singing, dancing and tumbling.

Ross Hibler, of the job printing firm of Royce & Hibler, of Albany, was in this city on last Sunday.

The snag boat is again at work on the river, the water being low enough now so that the snags and obstructions can be got at.

A splendid new shot gun with all the necessary loading apparatus, is offered for sale Enquire of F. S. Craig, at the GAZETTE office.

While you are thinking about the circus don't forget that Eli Perkins will lecture in the city hall on the 4th of next month. Admission 50 cents.

Quite a number of masculine and feminine switch wielders were in Corvallis on Wednesday afternoon attending the quarterly examination of teachers.

The general association of the Congregational churches of Oregon will be held at The Dalles Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 27, 28, 29 and 30.

Next Sunday at the Congregational church the pastor will speak in the morning on "The Pharisee," and in the evening on "The Pharisee." The seats are free and there is room for all who may honor us with their presence. A. Rogers, pastor.

One million six hundred thousand dollars represent the value of brick blocks now in course of erection in Tacoma, eighty-six brick blocks, averaging four stories in height.

M. E. church, south. Revival services will continue every evening this week. Preaching by Rev. D. H. Comoun of Albany. Regular services by the pastor. Sunday morning and evening.

Lieut. Dupuy, W. Lyman, and S. Stock of E. Company, went to Albany on Decoration Day with a large lot of flowers to decorate the grave of F. S. Mattoon, buried in the cemetery near that city.

At their meeting on last Saturday evening E. company of this city decided to go to Albany on July 4th. There were, before the meeting, some kicking about going, but when the motion came up for a final test the eyes were unanimous.

Service at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath both morning and evening. Preaching by Dr. Thompson. The service of song will begin at 8 p. m., at which there will be a solo and instrumental selections. Dr. Thompson preaches at Oak Ridge at 2:30 p. m.

John T. Apperson of Oregon City, has been appointed register of the Oregon City land office, in place of W. T. Barney, removed. Mr. Apperson is known all over the state, having been a member of the last legislature, and is president of the state fair society, and one of the regents of the agricultural college.

The plans for a mechanical hall and dormitory building were decided upon by the executive committee of the agricultural college last week. The mechanical hall is to be a two-story building, 78x38 feet and have a small office attached, and will be built near the college on the Arnold tract purchased lately. It will be first-class in every particular.

THE Y. P. M. A. The programme of the Y. P. M. A. which meets at the M. E. church next Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m. is as follows: Music; by the society; prayer; scripture lesson, Jessie Groves; music, choir; declamation, Bertha Spangler; music, society; reading, John H. Spangler; solo, May Warren; report of officers, committee, etc. Every young person is invited to attend these meetings.

CLEAR GRIT.—A large house greeted the Chicago Comedy Company last night on their fourth evening in Corvallis. "Clear Grit" is a thrilling rough-and-ready play. Mr. Love in his part of Snow Top did some strong acting. Bell Innan in the dual role of Mable Holt and Reddy displays a versatile talent. Jas. A. Devlin as the senator displayed his great genius as a comedian and kept the audience in a continuous roar of laughter. The play is alive with thrilling adventures, and the presentation of it last night was enthusiastically received by the four or five hundred present. To-night "Facing the Enemy" will be produced in which a squad of E. company has kindly volunteered to assist. After this performance a dance will be given under the management of the company. To-morrow night, "Terry the Swell." Don't forget the matinee to-morrow afternoon when a handsome souvenir will be given to every lady present. Prices 10, 20, 30 cents.

PROGRAMME

Of the sixth annual convention of the Benton county Sunday school association which will be held in the Presbyterian church, this city, beginning at 10:45 a. m. June 1st. Music; Praise Meeting led by Rev. E. J. Thompson; minutes of last convention, read by Mrs. S. C. Starr; How is your Sunday school getting along? To be answered by the delegates; Afternoon session—Music; Devotional, led by Rev. J. M. Dick; How to Teach the Little Ones, Prof. W. E. Yates; General Discussion of the Above Subject; Music; "Chalk Talk," Prof. Hull; Object Teaching and Kindergarten Method; Mrs. H. A. Nash; How to induce the Student to Study his Lesson, Prof. J. D. Letcher; The Teacher's Preparation, Miss Nettie Spencer; Evening Session—Praise meeting led by Rev. Spangler; Who ought to be in the Sunday school and why? Rev. Rogers; Morning Session—Praise Service led by Rev. Atkins; Temperance Lesson in the Sunday School, Speaker supplied by the W. C. T. U.; Music; Statistical Report; General Discussion, Topic: Our Country work; What are our needs and how shall they be supplied; Music; Election of Officers. Then follows the state Sunday school convention.

HE SENT IT EAST.

For a year I was troubled with pains in my back and side, and headaches, the result of liver and kidney trouble. I was attracted to Joy's Vegetable Kidney Pills in the papers and although prejudiced against such things generally, they seemed so practical I was induced to try it, knowing that as it was purely vegetable, it would do any harm to my system. It was pleasant to take and acted as a gentle laxative. After the second bottle my pains and aches disappeared and I felt like a new man. It did so much for me that I sent several bottles to my family in New Jersey, who also took it with the most satisfactory results.

J. R. Fournell, Master Caulker, foot of Clay street San Francisco.

Yes, it is a fact, that that drain extending along the coast, which is still full of pure F. L. T. H.

CRADLE.

HOLMAN.—In Corvallis, on Sunday, May 26, 1889, at the residence of H. Holman, Fourth street, to the wife of Walter J. Holman, a son, weight 72 pounds.

LOWELL.—In Corvallis, on Sunday May 29, 1889, to the wife of Russell Lowell, a girl.

VERNING.—In Corvallis, on May 27, 1889, to the wife of John Vering, a son.

FOUND

That the best and cheapest place in Corvallis to buy all kinds of

HARDWARE

Cutlery, Tools, Iron, Nails, Pumps, Rubber hose, Iron and Lead Pipe, Rope, Barb Wire,

STOVES RANGES,

Granite ware, Stamped ware, Tin ware, Japanese ware and Home Furnishing goods, or to get all kinds of job work in the line of sheet metals or plumbing done is at the Hardware and Stove store of

J. D. CLARK.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

The Board of Directors of school district No. 9 Benton county, Oregon, invite sealed bids for the construction of a two-story (and basement), frame building at Corvallis, Ore. According to plans and specifications which can be seen at Burnett's hall at Corvallis, Oregon. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of five hundred dollars, payable to said Board as a forfeit on failure of said bidder to enter into contract and give bonds as required by the Board in accordance with his bid. All bids will be opened on Friday the 7th day of June 1889, at 7 o'clock p. m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. ST. CLAIR, Clerk T. GRAHAM, Chairman. Dated May 23rd, A. D. 1889.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Arthur B. Buckingham, deceased, by the county court of Benton county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at my office in Fisher Block, on Second street, Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, duly verified as required by law.

LAURA K. BUCKINGHAM, Administrator of the estate of Arthur B. Buckingham, deceased. May 24, 1889.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Frank S. Mattoon, deceased, by the county court of Benton county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at my office in Fisher Block, on Second street, Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice, duly verified as required by law.

F. M. JOHNSON, Administrator of the estate of F. S. Mattoon, deceased. May 8, 1889.

PHYSICIANS

J. M. APPLEWHITE, M. D., PHYSICIAN and SURGEON, Corvallis, Oregon, Office at R. Graham's drug store, on Main street, opposite, reading room.

G. R. FARRA, M. D., PHYSICIAN and SURGEON. Special attention given to Obstetrics and diseases of Women and Children. Office upstairs in Crawford & Farr's brick. Office hours, 8 to 9 a. m., and 1 to 2 and 7 p. m. 1:13-14.

A. G. SMITH, M. D., PHYSICIAN and SURGEON, Corvallis, Oregon. Graduate of Rush medical college, Chicago, also of the California medical college, a member of the medical society of California. Headquarters at Allen & Woodward's store. Office on Main street, four doors south of drug store.

NOTICE to the PUBLIC!

Having Combined our Two Stores, Corvallis and Philomath, we take this way of announcing that

We now have one of the largest and most complete stock of General Merchandise in Benton county, well selected and at prices to meet Competition. In the foregoing we state a fact which we can verify by giving us a trial and examining our goods and prices. Our many years' experience and close attention to business affords us advantages to serve our customers WELL, which advantage is not enjoyed by many others.

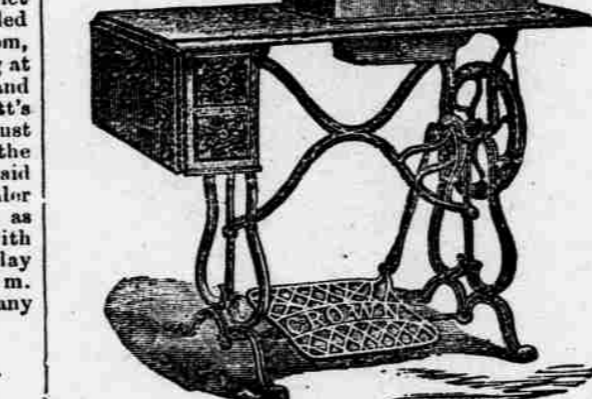
To the country trade we devote special attention, carrying in stock nearly everything desired, taking in exchange therefor all kinds of marketable produce, hides, furs, etc., at highest market prices. We extend a cordial invitation to all to call and examine our goods and prices.

HENKLE BROTHERS, Philomath, Benton County, Oregon.

J. W. WILL, SEASON, 1889!

The Leading Dealer in—

SEWING MACHINES, RIFLES,



- SHOTGUNS, Ammunition, Fishing Tackle, Organs, Pianos, Etc., Etc.

You will always find him leading in bargains for his customers. He is selling off Bird Cages, Gloves, Purses, Canes, Baskets, Albums, Childrens Carriages, Toy Wagons, &c, &c, extra cheap, to increase his Organ and Sewing Machine trade, as he is the oldest and largest dealer in this line in Corvallis. You will do well to call on him before purchasing elsewhere, as he can and will give you good bargains. Orders by mail solicited and promptly complied with.

T. C. CASE, THE BARBER.



Ladies' and Children's haircutting in the latest and best styles. Call in and get work done

Rooms next door to R. Graham's drug store, Main street, Corvallis,—the place formerly owned by F. S. Davis. The finest shop in the city. 119-4f.

CASE'S HAIR TONIC, 75 cents per bottle. TRY IT.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. In the county court of Benton county state of Oregon. In the matter of the estate of A. T. Keese, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account of said estate in said court, for final settlement of the same, and the said court has fixed Saturday the 8th day of June, A. D. 1889, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day at the court house in Corvallis, Benton county state of Oregon, as the time and place, for hearing objections to said final account and a final settlement thereof.

W. M. KNOTTS, Administrator of the estate of A. T. Keese, deceased. May 6, 1889.

Remember fellow-citizens that Irvine & Helm do an exclusive boot and shoe business. They have nothing else to offer you and a part of your custom would be thankfully received by them. Go to Case's for a bath, shave, or anything else in the barber line.

I have received for this season the largest and most complete line of Carpets, ever carried by any other House in Corvallis consisting of

- Velvet Tapestry WITH BORDERS Body Brussels Roxbury Brussels Smith's best Tapestry MATCH.

Three-ply, All Wool Two-ply, All Wool —and— All the Grades down to a Cheap 6-yards-for-One-Dollar Hemp Carpet.

The patterns are all new and choice, and prices the lowest. Country orders solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed.

PHILIP WEBER, Furniture Store!

BILLIARD and SAMPLE ROOMS! THOS. WHITEHORN, Proprietor.

The most famous whiskies W. H. McBrayer hand made Sour Mash whisky, and Old Crow bourbon shipped direct from bond; also the finest brands of imported

LIQUORS and CIGARS Kept constantly on hand. Schlitz's celebrated bottled beer and Weinhard's beer on tap. Main street, Corvallis, Oregon. 39-17.

F. M. JOHNSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW, CORVALLIS, OR.

Does a general practice in all the courts. Also agent for all the first-class insurance companies. 224

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. Notice is hereby given that I will be responsible for no debts or book accounts whatever contracted by any body except by myself or by my written orders. Merchants take notice. W. W. DOW, CORVALLIS, June 22, 1888.

FREE 10 SILK AND SATIN NECKTIES. Agents' Ship box and Outfit, 12 cts. THE NECKTIE CO., Augusta, Me. Please state what periodical you saw our advertisement in.