

THE REGENT'S WORK.—All of the thirteen members of the board of regents of the agricultural college, excepting the president, W. S. Ladd, J. W. Grimm and J. K. Weatherford, were present at the board's meeting on last Tuesday.

THE NEW BRICKS.—Workmen are now busy on the foundation of L. G. Kline's two story brick on corner of Main and Madison streets and the work is being rushed right along as fast as it possibly can be.

HAD TO FOOT IT.—After the circus on last Thursday night two of the large elephants became contrary and refused to go into the box car used for transporting them from place to place.

ARM BRUISED.—Prof. B. J. Hawthorne, of the state university at Eugene, who was in attendance at the commencement exercises of the agricultural college in this city, was returning from the alumni meeting on Wednesday night, and by some cause he came in contact with a lot of boards piled on the walk where Avery's wooden structure has been standing, which caused him to fall.

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.

FOR SALE.—Scotch Collie dogs of fine breed. Enquire at the GAZETTE office.

THE ELEPHANTS WERE INDIGNANT.—Yesterday morning as a train load of circus was coming into town over the West Side road a short distance south of town a car containing some of the elephants was derailed. No damage was done, but two of the elephants were obliged to walk into the city.

THE WEEKLY SHOOT.—The Corvallis Rod and Gun Club held a meet at the club grounds on Friday, the 21st; the attendance was small and a very strong wind made the birds hard to hit.

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, 21. All persons who have had faucets put in for their own use, must prohibit others from using from them or their hose.

A GOOD BOOK.—B. L. Steeves is now canvassing in Corvallis and Benton county for the "Panorama of the World's Great Nation," compiled by John C. Simmons, John F. McEanis, and John Clark Redpath.

MONDAY'S ENTERTAINMENT.—A large audience was present at the Adelphi society's drama, "Soldier of Fortune," Monday night at the city hall. For amateurs those that took part did very well.

PERSONAL.—Dr. W. A. Connack, wife and two children, of Kansas, arrived in this city on Monday last. They were in Seattle at the time of the fire there and had a lot of their household effects burned.

NO PAPER.—There will be no issue of the GAZETTE on next Friday, it being the "4th of July" week. The condition of things in the mechanical department of the office requires a slight re-arranging and the time will be occupied in attending to this.

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.

THE R. R. RATES FOR THE FOURTH.—On July 4th the fare for the round trip over the Oregon Pacific, between Corvallis and Albany will be fifty cents. The first train will leave Corvallis for Albany at 8 a. m., the second train at 10 a. m.

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THE IVTH AT ALBANY. WHAT IS GOING TO OCCUR IN "TEN MILES AWAY" ON NEXT THURSDAY. If the full programme of Albany's exercises on the 4th of July is carried out the day will be a very lively one, and all will be of a lively nature.

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CLOSING SCENES FOR '88-'89. No more interesting and pleasing commencement exercises ever took place in any educational institution in Oregon than those of the past week at the agricultural college in this city. Sunday's baculaureate sermon by D. E. Loveridge, of Eugene, was very interesting, and one full of sound thoughts and good advice to the student.

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BRIEF LOCALS. The Oregon Pacific pay car went over the road Tuesday last. The stock fair association failed to organize on last Saturday in the court house. The people of the Summit are going to have a large time on the 4th—next Thursday.

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