

BRIEF LOCALS.

Bargains in dry goods at Nolan's. New clothing arriving weekly at Nolan's.

A. F. Herschner continues to lead the grocery trade.

See the new advertisement of S. L. Kline this week.

Blue Label Pearl Oil \$1.25 per can at A. F. Herschner's.

Buy your groceries of A. F. Herschner and save money.

Egan & Achison are selling mon- uments at Portland prices. tf.

Chas. Winant, of the Bay, was in Corvallis during the week.

F. M. Stanton, of Siletz, had business in Corvallis this week.

R. M. Wade was in Corvallis this week. He had business in court.

For fine silk shirts, black, white, red, blue and all colors go to J. H. Harris'. One hundred pair plough shoes from \$1 to \$2.50 opened this week at Nolan's.

If you want a monument see Egan & Achison, of Albany, before purchasing. tf.

Three hundred pair men's fine shoes from \$1.50 to \$6, just received at Nolan's.

Mrs. J. Mason went to Portland Saturday on business and returned Tuesday.

The largest, most complete, and best assorted stock of groceries at A. F. Herschner's.

Men, boys, little boys and other kinds of boys, go to J. H. Harris' and buy your hats.

For bargains in monuments, headstones, etc., go to Egan & Achison, Albany, Oregon. tf.

Hon. P. H. D'Arcy, attorney, and mayor of Salem, was in the city the first of the week.

J. W. Will has removed to his old stand the stock of goods recently purchased from M. H. Kriebel.

French cream candies in all the popular forms and flavorings, nuts, fruits, cigars, etc., at Small & Son's.

Gents' and boys' ties and scarfs in all the late makes, found in immense quantities at J. H. Harris'; prices the lowest.

S. W. Condon, prosecuting attorney of this district has so far recovered his health as to be able to attend his official duties.

Mrs. C. B. Mays and family on Monday started for the Cour d'Alene country, in which section they expect hereafter to reside.

Hon. T. E. Cauthorn starts for California this week. He goes in the hope that some of the medical springs will benefit his health.

The new residence of E. Bond is approaching completion, and will be an attractive addition to the northwestern part of the city.

One hundred thousand dollars to loan on improved valley land. Apply to Geo. F. Egin at the office of the land company, Corvallis.

Charley Pearce was the recipient of a pleasant surprise party at his residence on Wednesday evening, April 15th, being his 29th anniversary.

Our line of dress goods embraces everything new in the line. Call; will be pleased to have you inspect and get prices. J. H. HARRIS.

The room until recently occupied as a gun store, near the Star Bakery, has been leased by Mrs. J. Mason, who will occupy it as a branch millinery store.

Small & Son manufacture their candies by the new process, the advantages of which enable them to make very low prices at retail as well as at wholesale.

The five-year-old son of Rev. J. F. Stewart, of Albany, fell from a wagon this week and was run over, receiving injuries from which it is thought he will not recover.

Egan & Achison handle the celebrated Portland cement walls for cemetery lots. These walls can be furnished at half the cost of any other and are far superior. tf.

It transpires that the grand attraction at Job's Theatre, which was hinted at recently, will be the Social Sessions Company. This company is expected on May 24th.

An ice-cream social was given at the Congregational church Wednesday evening which was highly enjoyed by those present. A large quantity of ice cream and cake was served during the evening and an excellent musical and literary programme was presented.

An entertainment was given in Fisher's hall on Thursday evening for benefit of the Y. L. A. S. of the Christian church. Miss Griffin gave a number of her best selections and was ably assisted by local musical talent. The attendance was good.

At Lambert's landing one day this week Rev. S. P. Wilson, of Salem, a presiding elder of the M. E. church, attempted to board the steamer Bentley as it moved away from the wharf and he fell in the water, narrowly escaping drowning.

Some man in town Monday was either awful sick or else wanted to start a drug store somewhere on a small capital. Anyway he broke a pane of glass in Allen & Woodward's show window and helped himself to a considerable quantity of patent medicines.

The Agricultural College has been presented with some fine marine specimens in alcohol by M. H. Kriebel, consisting of marine worms, mollusks, fish, etc. An interesting little specimen of the pipe fish (siphonoma) has been donated by some unknown party in Newport.

Housecleaning is now in full blast. The female contingent of the household have exhausted their strength in raising carpets and tearing things up generally, and the renovation has reached that stage which compels the ladies to admit that man is a necessity even in household affairs.

A fire alarm was faintly sounded on Tuesday forenoon, occasioned by the threatened destruction of the China wash-house opposite the Burnett brick. The fire was extinguished before the arrival of the department, much to the disappointment of the firemen, as there was a strong force of water in the mains.

The Alba Haywood Concert Company will appear at Job's Theatre on the evening of April 27th. Tickets for the entertainment will be on sale at T. Graham's from April 20th. There are thirteen members of this company, the majority of whom are ladies and gentlemen who have in some specialty achieved distinction in the profession.

The builder of the Salem street bridge will bring suit jointly against Polk and Marion counties to recover \$13,000, balance due on construction. Both counties admit the justice of the claim, but each claims that the other should pay the amount. A change in the original plan of the bridge and increase of cost is what created the misunderstanding.

A GAZETTE correspondent writes that a few days ago as Dave Pearson was going home from John Buchanan's he was stopped near the Grange hall and ordered by two highwaymen to throw up his hand. Instead of complying, Mr. Pearson quickly turned his pony and took the back track as rapidly as his animal could carry him. As he sped away the villains fired a number of shots after him but none took effect.

The Ministerial Association, of Salem district, Oregon Conference M. E. church, will meet in the M. E. church in Corvallis, April 20th. The first service will be held Monday evening at 7:45. Dr. C. C. Stratton will preach, and after the sermon the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered. Further notice of the meetings of the association which will be continued two days will be given in due time. All are invited.

SPEEDING THIS WAY.—The presidential party left Washington at midnight of the 13th on their visit to the far west. They come by the southern route and expect to reach Portland at noon May 5th and depart the following midnight. Portland is making preparation to give the president a cordial welcome. Salem has tendered the presidential party an invitation to pay the capital city a visit but it is not yet known whether they will stop over.

The name of the Chemawa Indian school near Salem is changed to Harrison Institute. The government pays a quarterly rental of 25 cents for its Salem postoffice building, business men in the vicinity paying the balance of the rent, for reasons which they consider sufficient. The Statesman now urges that the presidential party should stop over at Salem so that Mr. Harrison could inspect "Harrison Institute" and Mr. Wanamaker view his two-bit postoffice building. The attention of the party should also be called to the site of Oregon's proposed dome.

BOARD OF REGENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Regents of the Agricultural College was held in this city on Wednesday afternoon. Of the board there were present W. S. Ladd, president, Wallis Nash, secretary, Sylvester Pennoyer, E. B. McElroy, J. T. Apperson, W. P. Keady, H. E. Hayes, J. K. Weatherford, T. E. Cauthorn. The most important business transacted was the appointment of a building committee composed of Messrs. Pennoyer, Nash and Apperson. The business of the committee is to select sites for the proposed new college buildings, employ an architect, let the contracts for their erection and to superintend their construction generally. On Thursday morning the committee reported that for the new dormitory a site about 300 feet south of the college barn. This building will be constructed so as to accommodate 150 male students. The building to be occupied as the U. S. experiment station was located 300 feet south of the present site of the main college building.

DEPARTMENT OFFICERS.—On Thursday evening of last week the business of the encampment at Astoria was wound up and all hands participated in a grand banquet at the opera house. A fine programme was successfully carried out, and the tenth annual encampment of the Oregon department of the Grand Army of the Republic closed in a blaze of glory. Salem was chosen by a good majority, as the place for the next encampment, and February 11 and 12 set as the date. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: O. Summers, Portland, department commander; Charles S. Wright, Astoria, senior vice commander; C. P. Halloway, Huntington, junior vice commander; B. H. Bradshaw, Salem, medical director; Rev. T. E. Clapp, Portland, chaplain. Council of administration—C. H. Dauchy, Oregon City; T. A. Swan, Lebanon; C. Rockwell, Portland; E. H. Brodick, Astoria; W. N. Ladue, Salem. Delegates to national encampment—Rev. J. T. Ellis, Forest Grove; R. A. Frame, Portland; J. C. Cooper, McMinnville. Alternates—B. B. Tuttle, F. K. Arnold, Portland; George Williams, Salem.

MISDIRECTED EFFORT.—Ben Barker, who made a raid upon Henry Wortham's wardrobe some weeks ago has been determined to evade the lowering frown of Judge Pipes. His attempts to escape from custody during his preliminary examination were narrated at the time, and his determination to obtain liberty since his confinement caused the sheriff to ornament his ankle with a heavy shackle. Upon the approach of the court session he redoubled his efforts to escape and on Saturday night succeeded by prying open the cell door and passing out through the window of the front apartment of the jail. He is said to have been seen in Albany the following morning without his shackle. Ben might have spared himself much effort and the county considerable expense, as the grand jury on Monday found not a true bill against him.

A SUGGESTION.—It seems difficult to regulate human affairs so that they will be just right—so that all will be satisfied. A number of our athletic young men some time ago hired a piece of ground in a secluded spot on the south side of Mary's river to which place they repair on Sundays, and at other times, for the purpose of developing their speed, and it is admitted that they usually divest themselves of their superfluous clothing. It is alleged, however, that wild flowers grow abundantly in the vicinity of the track, and that many of the ladies desire to go there and gather them. We do not wish to pursue the subject further, but it is suggested that the boys, especially upon Sundays, do their training in full dress.

An entertainment was given in Job's Theatre on Saturday evening last under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Miss Lucia B. Griffin gave a number of fine recitations, impersonations and vocal imitations of birds. The Sailor's Dance, in costume, in which Miss Griffin introduced a number of very pretty steps, pleased the audience greatly. Very excellent vocal and instrumental music was provided by Mr. Pearce, Misses Ollie Thompson, Nina Hughes and Sadie Brassfield.

When you are out looking for pretty half-shoes, don't forget to call on J. H. Harris. He has them in all styles, patent leather, undressed kid and Dougola and at prices to suit the times.

BASE BALL.—Considerable interest is now being manifested upon the subject of base ball, and the boxing craze may subside somewhat. The public school boys have two clubs which expect to acquire distinction the coming season. The agricultural college students are organizing and they will present a strong first nine. George Denman, of the college, is becoming a splendid pitcher and Asa Tunneliffe is a power behind the bat. Mr. Small, of the candy factory, has also shown much cleverness as a catcher. A practice game is up for to-morrow afternoon in the southwestern part of the city. A fine field is in preparation at the college, but it will not be in condition for a few days yet. The first of the season's Northwestern league games were played Wednesday. The Portland defeated the Spokanes at Portland in a game of 5 to 3. At Seattle the home team was defeated by Tacoma by a score of 9 to 8.

A car-load of Pearl oil, just received at A. F. Herschner's.

Many years' practice has given C. A. Snow & Co., solicitors of patents at Washington, D. C., unsurpassed success in obtaining patents for all classes of inventions. They make a specialty of rejected cases, and have secured allowance of many patents that had been previously rejected. Their advertisement in another column will be of interest to inventors, patentees, manufacturers, and all who have to do with patents.

A CHANCE FOR A CHEAP FARM.—A bargain for some one. A farm consisting of 115 acres, 85 acres in cultivation, balance timber, fine orchard, house and barn on the place, situated 4 miles north of Monroe and 12 miles south of Corvallis, adjoining Finley's warehouse. Will be offered for a short time only at \$14 per acre. Enquire at this office.

Weber & Son wish to inform the public that they are still in the business and are selling boots and shoes cheaper than ever. Special bargains in ladies' and misses' shoes. They mean business. Give them a call.

A company has been formed to build another railroad from Coos bay, connecting with the S. P. at Winchester, six miles north of Roseburg, the present objective point of the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern road now building from the bay. A railroad company was organized some time ago to build a road from Coos bay to Drain, on the S. P., 35 miles north of Roseburg. It is claimed that there are four proposed roads with Coos bay as a terminus.

Protect Your Health.

Cold and moisture combined have a torrid effect upon the bodily organs, and the digestive and secretory processes are apt to be more tardily performed in winter than in the fall. The same is true, also, of the excretory functions. The bowels are often sluggish, and the pores of the skin throw off but little waste matter at this season. The system, therefore, requires opening up a little, and also purifying and regulating, and the safest, surest and most thorough tonic and alterative that can be used for these purposes is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Persons who wish to escape the rheumatic twinges, the dyspeptic agonies, the painful disturbances of the bowels, the bilious attacks, and the nervous visitations, so common at this time of the year, will do well to reinforce their systems with this renowned vegetable stomachic and invigorant. It improves the appetite, strengthens the stomach, cheers the spirits, and renovates the whole physique.

Joseph V. Dory, of Warsaw, Illinois, was troubled with rheumatism and tried a number of different remedies, but says none of them seemed to do him any good; but finally he got hold of one of them that speedily cured him. He was much pleased with it, and felt sure that others similarly afflicted would like to know what the remedy was that cured him. He states for the benefit of the public that it is called Chamberlain's Pain-Balm. It is for sale here at 50 cents per bottle by our druggist, T. Graham.

For fine trunks go to Nolan's.

DR. ABORN:
—AT—
Portland Until July 5th.

DR. ABORN, Fourth and Morrison Sts., Portland, Oregon, the most successful physician on the American continent for the speedy, positive, absolute and permanent cure for Catarrh of the Head, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pleurisy and Consumption. Twenty-five years' successful practice.

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Dr. Aborn can be consulted from now until July 5th, when he leaves for Europe. Note.—Home treatment, securely packed, sent to any part of the Pacific Coast and Territories for those who cannot possibly attend in person.

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The Largest Stock of Men's and Boys' Shoes in town, including a fine line of the celebrated S. L. & Co.'s make.

Men's and Boys' Ventilated Tennis Shoes.

Hats in Endless Variety, from a \$5 Stetson to a 10-cent Straw.

Workingmen, Mechanics, and Painters' Outfits.

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Clothing Made to Order—300 samples to select from. We Guarantee a good fit or no trade.

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