

The New Northwest.

PORTLAND, OREGON, THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1881.

LOCAL EPITOME.

A Clarke County Agricultural Society has been organized at Vancouver.

Captain L. L. Williams, of Roseburg, died in San Francisco on the 25th instant.

The chapel of the Baptist Mission Sunday School of East Portland was dedicated last Sabbath.

The Willamette Conference of the Congregational Church will meet at Oregon City on Tuesday, April 12th.

Owing to the superior quality and excellence of work, Abell stands preeminent as a photographer. Give him a call.

Mr. and Charles Fishel have arrived in San Francisco from New York. They will soon return to Portland.

The new dramatic season at New Market Theater will be inaugurated this evening by the Baldwin Theater Company.

On Saturday, the 19th instant, Rev. I. D. Driver was tendered the most successful donation party ever given in Eugene.

Incendiaries made an unsuccessful attempt on Tuesday morning to set fire to the warehouse of Newberry, Hawthorne & Co.

The coroner's jury in the Mollie Ross case has rendered a verdict to the effect that the girl came to her death from an abortion.

The card of Daly & Butler, an enterprising and reliable law firm of Dallas, Oregon, appears among our new advertisements this week.

Dr. Atkinson lectured in Providence, R. I., on the 9th instant, on the subject, "How Dr. Whitman Saved Oregon to the Country."

Horses are needed for the Hayes truck, as the Hook and Ladder Company has hardly sufficient members to draw the machine to a fire.

The Oregonian Railway Company has completed its telegraph line between Dayton and this city, and no longer uses the Western Union wires.

The County Assessor has this year made large poll-tax collections from the Chinese, under a plan proposed by Prosecuting Attorney Caples.

The poor invalid wife or mother will find in Plunder's Oregon Blood Purifier a strengthener and invigorator, a help, relief, and happiness.

Two engineers of the Portland Fire Department, Wm. Everson of No. 1 and Frank Reed of No. 5, have filed certificates as required by the recent ordinance.

On complaint of the Superintendent of Streets, three merchants were arrested last week and fined for obstructing the sidewalks with boxes of merchandise.

Last Thursday evening, Mr. H. T. Bingham and Miss Euphemia Knott were married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Lee Knott, in East Portland.

The raffle for choice of lots in Cole's Forestland, East Portland, took place last Saturday evening. Mr. J. K. HAYES drew the "5000 lot," on which stands a residence.

The Spirituality of Portland and vicinity are celebrating at Liberty Hall, No. 150 First Street, the fifth anniversary of the date of the first baptism.

The powers of special policemen have been compared on janitors of public school buildings, that they may protect weak children from violence and violence on the part of the strong.

N. Verslag announces that he will sell slab wood for the next three months at \$1 25 per load, C. O. D. Orders may be left at Weidler's Mill or with drivers, and will receive prompt attention.

Mr. W. K. Withersell has received the postal news that his little daughter Sose was run over by a freight train in San Francisco on Wednesday last and very seriously, perhaps fatally, hurt.

The ladies of the Congregational Church given a pleasant concert on Tuesday, at Smith's, Mr. J. Van Emden, Mrs. J. A. Murray, Miss Cora, and Mr. F. W. Smith.

On Sunday, during last, a medium (and known as "Black Jack") was lynched at Alton, W. Va., by the friends of Abner Bibb, a gambler, who had been treacherously stabbed and fatally wounded by the said "Black Jack."

Two wives and daughters of members of George Wright Post, No. 1, G. A. R., gave a coffee and rockle party at Mission Hall last evening, the proceeds of which will be used to purchase a new banner for the Post. The so-called a success in every way.

Mr. D. J. Starnett, who intends to write up a serial history of Oregon since the days of Lewis and Clark, has written in Portland. The history will comprise ten parts of about 100 pages each, and the first number will appear in the Fall or early Winter.

Under "New This Week" may be found the millinery announcement of Mellis Bros. & Co., No. 126 First and 27 and 129 Front street. Their assortment is large and varied, and their prices are exceedingly low. Catalogues are furnished on application. Call and examine their goods.

Mrs. M. J. Ensign has removed to the corner of Fourth and Oak streets, where she continues to do first-class dress-making at living prices. She keeps on hand all the latest styles of fashion plates, and gives instruction about trimming free. Suits cut and basted for \$1, and satisfaction guaranteed.

The Supreme Court granted a new trial to Henry Wintzingerode, the Washington county murderer, on the ground that his confessions were improperly received; and in the State Circuit Court at Hillsboro the young man was allowed to plead guilty to murder in the second degree, for which he was sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Mr. J. W. Bailey has removed from No. 47 to Nos. 83 and 85 Yamhill street, between Fourth and Fifth, of two blocks west of his old location. No finer staple and fancy groceries can be found in the city than at his new, neat and commodious establishment. His prices are the very lowest, as he sells for cash. All orders promptly attended to, and goods delivered to all parts of this city.

On Monday last, Judge Eady of the United States Circuit Court granted an injunction restraining the Willamette Bridge Company from

proceeding with work on the prison-street structure, giving as a reason that the company has not obtained the permission of Congress. There is great disappointment among the people on both sides of the street about the order of the Court, as the bridge is a public necessity.

On Friday last the class of 1881 of the Portland High School planted its class tree, a fine laburnum, in the southeast part of the Park School grounds. Mrs. Camilla Coburn delivered a neat address, and Mr. Nathan Simon deposited at the foot of the tree a galvanized iron box containing several articles suitable to the occasion. Professor Warren made the class a pleasant and instructive speech, when the students filed into the building.

On Tuesday evening, the 22d instant, about four-score people living in the vicinity of Mt. Tabor met at the residence of Mr. J. A. Fisher to tender a farewell reception to Prof. J. R. N. Sellwood, who for the past four years has been principal of the public school at that place. Miss Laura Fisher delivered a graceful and affecting speech, and the Professor feelingly responded. His services are highly appreciated by the residents of the district, and he leaves them with their best wishes.

On the 22d instant, at 3 o'clock P. M., a number of South Portland ladies met at the Hall-street M. E. Church and organized a Woman's Christian Temperance Union. The officers are as follows: President, Rebecca Clawson; Vice-President, Mrs. Quivey; Secretary, Mrs. Phillips; Assistant Secretary, Mrs. Allen; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Briggs; Treasurer, Mrs. Carter. A meeting will be held on Tuesday afternoon of each week at 2 o'clock at the same place. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

An immense stock of everything imaginable or desirable in the millinery art can now be had by dealers who visit the mammoth wholesale house of Fleischer, Mayer & Co., who are importing a very choice lot of bonnets, frames, straw goods, novelties, flowers, feathers, brocades, cashmere goods, etc. Their pattern bonnets, for inspection of milliners and dealers, are marvels of good taste and cultivated fancy, and their stock cannot be excelled in San Francisco in style, price or quality. They are also in constant receipt of large quantities of staple and furnishing goods, which are offered to the trade at lowest living rates.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

Miss Katherine Rogers, an English actress of great ability and versatility, supported by the entire Baldwin company, will make her first appearance in Portland this (Thursday) evening in the thrilling emotional play of "Miss Sarah Multon," when a dramatic season will be inaugurated at New Market Theater which for careful attention to detail and true artistic merit has probably never before been equaled in this city. In the past, when prominent stars have visited us, they have usually been so poorly supported as to greatly mar the general effect of their performances; but from personal knowledge of a number of the comedians, as well as the reputation of the Baldwin Theater for the excellent manner in which every piece is produced by its company, we are confident that not only will the principal characters be well sustained, but that the scenery and the subordinate parts will be so arranged, that the San Francisco Chronicle, in a well-merited notice of Miss Rogers at the close of her first engagement in that city, says: "The lady is an actress of high intelligence, not particularly fervent, but she is careful to avoid an extreme display of the emotional, effective in the more level styles of acting and competent in the interpretation of characters which appeal to reason rather than to passion. In a word, Miss Rogers never excites, but always impresses." The names of the ladies and gentlemen comprising the support, together with the particulars, which contain all the latest London, New York and San Francisco successes and is quite extensive, appears in our advertising columns.

Apple Grove will play "M'lady" in England at season.

The Espinosa concert company will appear at Astoria this evening.

Robins and Crane have given up posters, and will advertise only in the newspapers.

C. B. Jefferson, son of the late Dr. N. W. Winkler, preparing for a new professional year in "Tip Van Winkle" and "The Doctor."

Mr. F. W. Stechlin, manager of the New Market Theater, has leased Reed's Opera House at Salem during the State Fair. The fair will open on the 29th of June.

It is related that poor Stehern almost rebelled at the idea of dying with nothing but buffoonery associated with his name, and that some years ago he made an honest but wretched failure to be tragic in "Othello."

The escaped lunatic whom the detectives have been after so long was captured in Cincinnati last week, but was permitted to finish his musical criticism for a Cincinnati paper before being brought back.—Philadelphia News.

On the night of the 23d instant, the opera house at Nice, France, was the scene of a most terrible disaster. Gas had escaped from old pipes and collected at the back of the stage, and it was lighted in some manner. An explosion followed, and the theater was burned. The audience was panic stricken, and the passage-ways were soon blocked. The weaker were trampled under foot, and hundreds of persons were burned, sixty-nine to death. Several members of the opera company also perished.

The time has gone by, says the London Court Journal, for actors to be sneered at as "rogues and vagabonds." Quite a number of young gentlemen of good family, many of them members of the two universities, now make the stage their profession. Their talents probably are not of the very highest order, but they are, as a rule, of very good appearance, deport themselves as gentlemen, dress well, and utter their lines without showing "stage fright;" and very little more is required nowadays of the youthful heroes of modern comedy.

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