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AN ANNUAL MESSAGE.

FRIEDMAN'S Annual Message to the People of the Great City of Salem.

I feel very much slighted at the recent People's great convention, in which Councilmen were nominated by them, without consulting S. Friedman, who believe that he was one of the People, because he deals with the People; as Freidman does not believe that the business of the People should be done only by a few, but say come all ye People and meet in grand convention and vote that S. Friedman should be patronized by all the People, because he does sell his goods alike to the poor People as well as to the rich People, and takes the workingman's seventy-five cents for a pair of good Overalls as well as the rich man's five dollars for a pair of good pants, and will sell a pair of good shoes for a dollar and a half to the rich People as well as to the poor People.

In making your nominations for city officers you should propound this question to them; Where do you buy your cigars and tobacco? Do you buy your collars and neckties at Friedman's ?

In case you are caught in a rain do you buy your umbrellas there? And if you start traveling will you promise to go there for your trunks

And while you remsin here you should buy you a good pair of ealf boots for five dollars at Friedman's. Be sure to get your overcoats, socks, handker-

chiefs and neck ties of Friedman. You can get you a good suit of clothes at from

ten to twenty-five dotlars of Freidman. For a good assoriment of hats go to Fried-

man's. Ladies will find it to their interest to buy their embroidery, laces and ribbons of Friedman. Shoemakers will find aumerous articles in

their line at Friedmau's. The majority of the People will vote, from now until the first of January, that it is to the interest of the People to buy their toys for the boys and dolls for the girls, and Christmas gifts at

Friedman thinks it is proper for the City Council to pass an ordinance that all the People have a right to buy their goods of S. Friedman, THE PEOPLE'S PRIEND.

Piano Tuning.

Frank A. Owen, just from San Francisco, has come here to reside permanently. He is a first-class plane and organ tuner and repairer, being highly recommended as such by two of the leading music houses of San Francisco, besides of the Gardner Brothers, of Salem. He guarantees satisfaction or no pay. His prices will be for one tuning, \$5 00. By the year, two tunings, \$8 00; three tunings, \$9 00. Leave orders at Gardner Bro's deldw tf music store.

The court calendar at Walla Walla includes thirteen suits for divorce. At Olympia there are eleven, and by court time next month there will probably be no less than a dozen in Seattle, and a number of precincts to hear from.

It is easy for young ladies to do good. Even in kissing each other, they act on the golden rule—do unto others as ye would that men should do unto you.

J. B. Rigdon, Esq., Special State Deputy, on 1st inst., organized a lodge of I. O. G. T., at Linkville, with twenty-two charter mem-bers. William Taylor is Lodge Deputy,

An old resident of this city moved last Fall to California, and writes back to friends here saying: "Have a premium offered for the biggest fool in the country at the next State Fair, and I'll try and get there in time."

MARRIED:

LA FORE-FORD-In Portland, Dec. 8tb, Mr. Louis LaFore and Miss Alice Ford, all of this city.

PORTER-WELCH—At the residence of the Hon.
W. Forter, Nov. 24th, 1877, by W. H. Powell, J.
P. Mr. Henry C. Porter and Miss Minnie
Welch, all of Marion county.

WENTZ JOHNSTON—December 11th, 1877, at the residence of D. Brower, by Elder David Brower, Mr. Lewis Wentz and Mrs. Ann Jonns-ton, all of Salem Hills, Marion county.

DIED.

JENNINGS—At Junction City, Dec 9th, Mrs., Martha Jane Jennings, wife of J. E. Jennings, aged 35 years.

SENDERS—At Junction city, Dec. 9th, infant daughter of Issac and Bertha Senders, aged 2

Peruvian Syrup.

Brooks, Me., Sept. 7, 1870.

Dear Sir—From early youth I was in feeble health, troubled with humor in my blood, weakness and debility of the system generally; was unable to labor much, and only at some light business, and then only with great caution. Seven years ago, the past spring, I had a severe strack of Diphtheria which left my limbs paralized and useless, so I was unable to walk or even strup. Noticing the advertisement of Peruvian Syrur, I concluded to give it a trial, and to my great joy soon found my health improving, I continued the use of the Syrur unal three bottles had been used, and was restored to complete health, and have remained so to this day. I attribute my present health entirely to the use of Peruvian Syrur, and hold it in high estimation. I cannot speak too highly in its praise. I have in several cases recommended it in cases very similar to my own with the same good results. good results. Yours truly,

CHARLES E. PEARCY.

From S. Thatcher, M. D., of Hermon, N. Y.

"WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY gives universal satisfaction. It seems to care a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs, and allaying irritation, thus removing the cause, instead of drying up the cough and leaving the cause behind. I consider the BALSAM the best cough medicine with which I am acquainted." Sold by all druggists.

Appearances are Deceiving.

A South Salem youngster came home late prised at your—" "Oh! I'm solid, I am, I'm one of the toughs, a regular muldoon, I'm an old elephant with a tusk; ante up some of that steer and pass the bread," The "old man" didn't stop to reply, he lit upon that youngster as though he'd been struck with a brick, and in another minute that bey was picking up ten feet to the jump with his hands clasping the basement of his pantaloons and his throat emitting more noise than a full brass band.

In Memeriam.

"Old Charley" is dead. After an illness of only a few days he gave up the ghost and old Death "gathered him in." Although only a horse, he will be missed, and sadly, too, for he was an intelligent animal. He was about fifteen or twenty years of age, yet up to the time of his last illness he was hale and hearty, and the was the way the sand hearty, and the was the way the and hearty, and the vigor of his youth was unabated. He served the greater part of his life before a dray, and of course, was well up in the business, sometimes understanding his duties better than those who bosued him. He served his apprenticeship in this line, in Salem, and was last owned in that city by Captain L. S. Scott, but was transferred to this city about two years ago, where he was owned by Georga Burknart, up to the time of his death. He was universally respected by all who knew him, and his place in this community will be hard to fill. But it is appointed to horses, as well as men, to die. appointed to horses, as well as men, to die, and at last Death claimed him as his own. Peace to his ashes, Requiescat in pace, etc., etc., or words to that effect,—Albany Dem-

Board of School Land Commissioners. A regular meeting of the Board of School Land Commissioners was held this week, commencing on Tuesday. Among other matters three decisions were made in land cases. The tide land contest of D. E. Em-mett and others from Tiliamook was decided in favor of Emmett. In the matter of Ward, Herman and others against Henry Pohl of Coos, the decision was in favor of Ward et al. The question of jurisdiction of tide land in the Columbia river was determined in favor of the applicant, J. W. Cook & Co.

Lucky Queen.

A private letter received yesterday from Dr. W. B. Royal, who is at the Lucky Queen mine, says that work has again commenced, and that rich ore in any quantily is being taken out. The furnace is being built under the direction of Prof. Tiernan, and is expected to be ready for operation in about two weeks. The company is out of debt, and Mr. Royal writes that Lucky Queen stock will yet be in demand at way up figures, or words to that effect.

A special meeting, held last evening, of the Hook and Ladder Company, in the city, the Chief Engineer made to the members a full report of the cause and the action of the Council had taken against them. It was then ordered that the motion made some time ago, to loan the city what surplus money the company had in the Treasury, something over three hundred dollars, be rescinded, and the Treasurer to retain the money until the difficulty between the Council and Hooks are satisfactorily settled.

Buy Your Music at Home-Buy Yeur Music at Home.

Why send to San Francisco or Portland for new sheet music when you can get it for the same price of Gardner Bro.'s, Salem? They have all of Will L. Thompson's popular songs, such as "Gathering Shells by the Sea Store," "Drifting with the Tide," "Since Benny went over the Sea," "They say there's a land o'er the Ocean," etc. In fact they keep the best assortment of sheet music, etc., in the State.

Burglary.

During the festivities last evening, when there was no one passing on the street, some one raised the back window of Mr. J. G. Holbert's candy store, and crawled through and took the lock off the middle door and entered into the sale room and got away with between twenty-five hundred and three thousand cigars, in fact, just naturally cleaned him out of that article. Mr. H. says that he cannot tell, as yet, all of the articles that are missing.

A Neat Monogram.

Mr. J. Henry Brown, Secretary of the Pioneer Association, exhibited to us to-day the design of a monogram intended for that association. It was manufactured by Mr. J. P. Orr of N. Y. It is very plain, yet stylish, and the letters "O. P. A" are interwoven in a very nest manner. It is just the "cheese," that that association have been looking for.

San Francisco is supplied with Oregon wheat, Oregon barley and Oregon cats, and these grains are still lying to a great extent in the Californta farmers granaries and store-houses awaiting the disposal and consumption of the supply from Oregon. Oregon, Nevada and Utah are all shipping us potatoes to supply the deficiency this year in California, so that our farmers have not the monopoly of our markets as they had before the days of steamship lines up and down the coast and railroads across the continent.—Sac. Union.

Resolutions Not Adopted.

Last evening, Capital Engine Co., No. 1 held a special meeting for the purpose of transacting general business.

Besides transaction of the routine business. I. H. Albert was elected Fire Delegate to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of David McFadden. The following resolutions coming up on a motion to adopt were indefinitely

postponed, by a vote of 28 to 30:

WHEREAS, We deem the action of the Hororable City Council for the city of Salem, at its last meeting, in disbanding the Alert Hook & Ladder Co., one of the oldest and most reitable companies in the service, as tending to demoralize the efficiency and destroy the harmonious action of the Fire Department of the city; and

WHEREAS, We are not assured in our own minds that said Council had sufficient cause for so doing; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, as members of Capital Engine Company and citizens of Salem, respectfully ask that said City Council reconsider their action in regard to said Alert Hook and Ladder Company, and reinstate said company to its former position in the Salem Fire Department.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be furnished the City Council and the daily rapers of the city by the Secretary of the Company. postponed, by a vote of 28 to 30:

IRREGULAR MAILS.

A South Salem youngs er came home late the other evening, having been kept in school for not getting his lesson, threw down his books on the floor and slung his hat under the table, kicked the favorite tably cat that was quietly napping in front of the fire-place, and then sided into his seat at the supper table and remarked, "Say, dad, wasn't old Jeff. Davis a regular snide?" "A what, my son?" said the paternal relative. "Why, a crooked hairpin, you know; a shark, a sort of a frand generally." "He was a traitor to his country, my son, but where on earth did you learn such language?" "Oh pull down your vest, wipe off your chin. I'll take a hunk of that roast beef old man." "Why, William," interposed his mother, "I'm surprised at your—" "Oh! I'm solid, I am, I'm one of the toughs, a regular muldoon, I'm an old of the toughs, a regular muldoon, I'm an rive on Saturday evening, and sometimes." destination on the same evening, but instead of doing so they nearly always arrive on Saturday evening, and sometimes not until the following Week. This we first attributed to political dislike some of the postmasters or mail agents might have for us, but we have since learned that it is the result of gross carelessness. Week before last our agent was sent over Week before last our agent was sent over there to look into the matter, and was in the Scio office when the mail arrived on Fiday. When the mail bag was empti-ed the contents were found to be in a very bad condition; large packages of papers, wrapped in heavy manilla paper, had been broken open and the papers scatter-ed promiscuously through the heap. The postmaster at that place says it is not only the case with our paper, but also with all the Salem papers and the Oregonian. By sending our agent over we find the irregularity does not occur at Scio, and as we put the mail into the bags at the Albany office ourselves, we essness, and the offenders should be fer-eted out and removed. We are inform-ed that if Postal Agent Steel will also examine closely into the receipts for regis-tered packages at the Marion and Scio offices he will probably find something else that will be interesting to him. We do not wish this investigation made simply on our own account alone, but also for the benefit of the different newspapers of the State, and the public in general.-Albany Democrat.

PAGANISM AND DEATH.

The old pagan philosophers did not, as we have recently seen it stated. 'clothe death in horrors which christianity refuses to recognize." So far from this, they had no conception of many PRODUCE & COMMISSION of the horrors with which the popular the inevitable event. They knew nothing about an eternal hell. They painted no pictures of "the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone." They would have deemed it an insult to the Deity to believe that beyond the grave, human souls were fed upon by undying worms and scorched by quenching flames. In some cases of exceptional and enormous criminality they intimated that the punishment might be everlasting, but that the great bulk of mankind were doomed to such an awful fate was an idea that never entered the pagan mind. And the Greek and Roman beathen, whom we so often pity on account of their ignorance and superstition, would have rejected with scorn and contempt the suggestion that an error in belief deserved, and would receive, endless damnation. Death to them was not a curse, but a blessing. They met it calmly and cheerfully, as something they could not avoid if they would, and would not if they could. They represented death, not in the shape of a represented death, not in the shape of a loathsome skeleton draped in a shroud and carrying the dismal emblems of mortality, but as a winged boy with downcast face and inverted torch—a bright and beautiful angel, not a grim and ghas'ly demon. It is strange, to say the least, that a faith which professes to teach as a fundamental principle the fatherhood of God and the infinitude of His love and mercy, should, through the influence of its theology, surround the end of life with a darker doubt and deeper gloom than did that ancient religion which christianity extinguished. ligion which christianity extinguished.

You Have no Excuse.

Have you any excuse for suffering with Dyspepsia or LiverComplaint? Is there any reason why you should go on from day to day complaining with Sour Stomach, Sick Head-ache, Habitual Costiveness, palpitation of the Heart, Heart burn, Water-brash, Gnawing ard burning pains at the pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue, and disagreeable taste in the mouth, Coming up of food after eating, Low spirits, &c. No! It is positively your own fault if you do. Go to is positively your own fault if you do. Go to your Druggist—and get a Bottle of GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER for 75 cents your cure is certain, but if you doubt this, get a Sample Bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two does will relieve you. doses will relieve you.

To the Afflicted-Ladies in particular.

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