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HOUSE COMMITTEES.

The make up of the house committees, as created by Speaker Carlisle, have been before the country long enough to have been considered and their aims, objects and probable results estimated.

The Chronicle sums up the matter in this manner: "Although Mr. Carlisle is not a novice in his position, it is evident that he woefully misunderstands the legitimate functions of the speaker of the house. The enormous power reposed in him by his fellow representatives is not meant to be used to favor his particular schemes or notions. He is not invested with autocratic authority, nor is he made supreme arbiter over the actions of the house of representatives. No one complains if he gives the prominent places on committees to those of his own political faith; but when he plants himself squarely on one side or the other of such a great question as the tariff question, or when he wholly ignores the whole Pacific coast in the composition of the house, for the direct purpose of influencing legislation so as to meet his own peculiar views, he is guilty of gross and unpardonable injustice and favoritism, and shows himself unfitted for the honor which has been conferred upon him."

The strictures of the Chronicle are well taken, and the facts it states cannot be denied, for a study of the committees will substantiate every statement that it makes. There is no question whatever that Mr. Carlisle had particular reference to influencing legislation in favor of free trade when he made up those committees, and that he entirely ignored this coast in all matters in which we are interested.

Our representative, Mr. Hermann, who is not a new member and therefore could not be objected to on the ground of inexperience, is given places on only unimportant committees as far as we are concerned—public lands and manufactures. On such committees as we are particularly interested in he is rigorously excluded. For instance on the committee of rivers and harbors the Atlantic coast states are fully represented, while this coast has but one representative, and that a new member from California, instead of Mr. Hermann, an old and experienced man in the business. In the importance of this coast in that connection there should have certainly been two members of that committee given to us.

Under the peculiar economical measures of the postoffice department, too, we are somewhat interested in the postoffice and post roads committee, but here again this coast, which has suffered the most thorough restrictions is entirely overlooked. Indeed, the Pacific coast will have occasion to remember Mr. Carlisle's effort to legislate by committee making.

John P. Irish says of the California and Oregon railroad: "The California and Oregon railroad is the finest scenic route on the continent. Its route through the canyon of the Sacramento is simply exquisite. It is proposed to preserve the timber for a mile on each side of that canyon, creating a park or reservation. This should be done by all means." He could safely extend his remarks to include the Oregon part of the route also.

There is little doubt but that fall and winter snow wheat in the Willamette valley will suffer from the present freeze. The extent of the danger thus far is not necessarily great, but it will depend on whether or not the freeze terminates with rain or snow, or with alternating warm days and freezing nights.

The sons-in-law of Queen Victoria seem to be all afflicted with throat maladies. The Marquis of Lorne is now sick with his throat. Is it possible that they have to talk so much to keep up with their royal wives that it exhausts the larynxal muscles?

Near Portland ice packers are putting up ice from some of the stagnant ponds whose water is pregnant with impurities and malarial poison. The ice is to be used for the purpose of packing

salmon. This ought to offer a good job for the health officer in summarily preventing such an outrage on the salmon-eating public.

Two Chinamen, having the euphonious names of Dan Lee and Phil Wing, have joined the Baptist church in New York state, having been formally baptized and admitted to the fellowship of the church. They are said to be the first Mongolians ever received into a church of this faith in the United States.

At Fort Spokane the thermometer has reached thirty-four below zero. This is enough to send a shiver down the spine of those who are complaining of the little cold snap the Willamette valley is now enjoying.

From Eastern states still come reports of freezing weather, which we can now appreciate ourselves, as we have a slight taste of it.

The San Francisco smallpox epidemic is at an end, the cases having recovered and no new ones appearing.

DEATH. CAROLINE—In Lebanon, on Sunday, January 8th, M. L. Carothers, aged sixty-eight years.

MARRIED. BROWN—WEISS—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. H. P. Webb, in this city last evening, Mr. C. J. Brown and Miss Mary A. Weiss.

They leave today noon for Portland on their wedding tour.

NEW TO-DAY.

Contractor and Builder. THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LOCATED in Albany, solicits patronage from city and country. Will contract to build bridges, barns and all manner of dwelling houses, including Queen Anne, Eastlake and Elizabethan styles of buildings. Will furnish plans and specifications without charge. Satisfaction guaranteed. W. C. CASSELL.

Notice to Debtors. ALL PERSONS KNOWING THEMSELVES indebted to the firm of Hoffman & Pfeiffer are hereby notified to call and settle their accounts immediately, as the same will on Feb. 1st be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. JOHN HOFFMAN, FRANCIS PFEIFFER.

Dissolution of Copartnership. THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between John Isom, E. J. Lanning and Edward Goins, under the firm name of Isom, Lanning & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent, Edward Goins retiring. JOHN ISOM, E. J. LANNING, EDWARD GOINS Albany, Jan. 2, 1888.

The business in the future will be conducted by John Isom and E. J. Lanning, under same style of firm name, Isom, Lanning & Co., who will pay all liabilities of the late firm, and are alone authorized to collect all outstanding accounts.

Dissolution Notice—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between John Hoffman and Francis Pfeiffer, under the firm name of Hoffman & Pfeiffer, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be carried on by the latter, who will assume all liabilities, and all outstanding accounts will be collected by the old firm. Dated Albany, Jan. 4, 1888. JOHN HOFFMAN, FRANCIS PFEIFFER.

Real Estate. IF YOU HAVE FARM PROPERTY FOR sale call on Curtis & Montfort, as they have customers for a number of desirable tracts of land. They also have some choice property for sale, and a few lots ranging from \$25 to \$500 in price. Terms sent to purchasers.

ROAD SUPERVISORS ARE REQUESTED to include in their annual reports the roads belonging to the county in their respective districts, and also the condition of the roads in their respective districts, and about what amount of lumber will probably be needed or required thereat next season. And any person hearing of any lumber being purchased at county expense by any supervisor and not used upon bridges upon public roads, all please take interest enough in county affairs to report the same to the county court that we may investigate the matter. J. J. WHITNEY, County Judge.

FOR SALE.

YOUNG TEAM, NEW HARNESS, NEW Democrat wagon, first class outfit for lander. See Kenton & Chase, Grocers, between Opera House and Postoffice.

HORSE—FIVE YEARS OLD, 16 HANDS high, very gentle in harness, single or double. Enquire at Her office.

PLANNING MILL FOR SALE—THE MOST desirable factory privilege in the city. Inquire of C. L. Brush, foot of Lyon St.

HOTELS.

REVERE HOUSE, ALBANY, OR. CHAS. R. PEPPER, Prop. Only first class house in the city. Large sample rooms for commercial men. No Chinamen employed in the kitchen. General stage office for Corvallis.

RUSSHOEK, ALBANY, OR. J. GIBLIN, Proprietor. This house is now furnished with the best new furniture. Everything clean and commodious, offering to the general public superior accommodations so many in the city.

FRESH OYSTERS EVERY DAY AT HOFFMAN & PFEIFFER.

CITY RESTAURANT, FRESH OYSTERS every day served in any style.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FORTY DOLLARS REWARD—A REWARD of \$40 will be paid for the recovery of the body of Benjamin Olling, who is supposed to have been drowned in the Willamette at Corvallis on Friday, Dec. 16. The above reward will be paid by Olling Bros. At adv. Dec. 20.

Real Estate and Employment Agency. PARTIES HAVING FARMS FOR SALE of about 100 acres, or those having larger tracts which they wish to sell to divide up into lots of 20 to 25 acres, are invited to call at our office, we have a number of customers for that class of farms. We can also furnish parties with reliable information as to the value of the city and country, and will have a few shares on short notice and we also have a few shares for both city and country in the city and country. Call at our office if you want help or want something. We can get either for you. Office No. 10 First Street, adjoining W. C. Theobald's store. F. A. BUEHLER & CO.

NEW DEPARTURE! SHANE AND LONSWAY

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE Will offer their entire stock of boots and shoes to the general public at FIRST COST until disposed of. Their object in so doing is to close out promptly that branch of their business so as to devote the entire available space of their store to dry and fancy goods, ladies and gents' finishing goods and millinery. As the entire shoe stock was purchased last fall, the opportunity to purchase new and desirable goods at actual cost is a rare one. During this sale we will also offer below cost our entire stock of winter cloaks and millinery. We will also make a sweeping reduction in all woolen hosiery, warm underwear, and especially in heavy winter dress goods, as our policy is to carry nothing of that kind over the present season. They leave today what we say. SHANE & LONSWAY.

AN OPEN LETTER.

To THE LADY OF THE HOUSE—Dear Madam: Appreciating your desire to supply your family with a good variety of wholesome food, we take great pleasure in calling your attention to our grocery store that we have just opened, between the opera house and postoffice, in this city, where we keep a large assortment of fresh groceries and provisions. Every thing in our stock is new and clean, and the very best quality to be found in the markets within our reach. In addition to our stock of staple groceries, we keep a nice line of confectionery and fruit, which we can furnish in any quantity you desire. When receiving articles from our store if they do not give entire satisfaction we would be glad to have you notify us, and we will cheerfully refund the money. Now as to terms and prices: We sell for cash in hand, and do not wish in any case to deviate from this rule, desiring to treat all alike. We believe this to be the better way for both you and us, and you will understand that no discount is intended by our refusal to sell goods on credit. Our prices are made uniformly low, and we offer no special inducements or "baits," but will sell everything in our line at as low prices as articles of as good quality can be furnished. Soliciting a share of your patronage, we remain, Yours Respectfully, KENTON & CHASE.

Just a Moment, Please.

—YOU WANT AN—

OVERCOAT

We Have Them.

—THEY ARE—

BARGAINS!

For two weeks prices will surprise you.

They Must Go.

TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION

Clothing and Hats

REDUCED.

We must run this stock down before invoicing January 1.

THE LARGEST STOCK

we have the nicest, nobbiest, cheapest

Ties, Silk Handkerchiefs, Gent's Slippers, Etc

—IN THE BURG.—

LADIES

They will make your gentlemen friends happy. They are

SPECIALTIES

Found only in our store.

L. E. BLAIN,

Among the many articles to be found at

S. E. YOUNG'S

—SUITABLE FOR—

All Seasons!

—ARE THE FOLLOWING—

Ladies' handkerchiefs, Ladies' fine gossamers, Gents' handkerchiefs, Ladies' hand-bags, Fine dress goods, Silk Umbrellas, Portemonnaie, Carpets, Rugs

—AND MANY OTHER—

NOVELTIES!

REMEMBER IN SELECTING

Everyday Wear

—THAT—

S. E. YOUNG

Has always a well-selected stock of

Shoes and Slippers!

Suitable for the holidays.]

Gent's Fancy Slippers!

LADIES' FINE SHOES,

Ladies' Misses Slippers

S. E. YOUNG,

FIRST STREET

Star Bakery!

—A FULL STOCK OF—

Staple Groceries!

Fine Glassware, Crockery

The best quality of tea, coffee, raisins, currants, etc.

CAKES, PIES,

Fresh Baked Bread

Every Day.

At this old and reliable house is also to be found a complete assortment of fresh family groceries, to which is constantly being added the seasonable lines of groceries and provisions.

Cranberries, Fine Pickles, Dried Beef Chipped to Order, Anchovy Mustard, Candies and Nuts, Eastern Buckwheat Flour, Canned Goods of All Kinds, Bohemian Glassware, Etc.

The goods were all bought when prices were low, and the benefit of the margin will be given to his customers. Remember the place at the old corner on First and Broadway Sts.

CONRAD MEYER.

HOFFMAN AND PFEIFFER,

—Proprietors of—

ALBANY SODA WORKS

And manufacturers of

Choice Confectionery.

We are now prepared to furnish choice, fresh candies of best grade, consisting of pure sticks, assorted flavors, tarts, candies, extra cream and chocolate creams, fancy mixed, confections and a general assortment of fine candies.

AT WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

Orders from country dealers promptly attended to. Factory on First street, Albany, Oregon.

Red Crown Mills,

ISOM, LANNING & CO., Prop's,

NEW PROCESS FLOUR.

(Superior for family and bakers' use)

The Best Storage Facilities

The highest price in cash paid for wheat.

ALBANY OREGON.

PURITY

Trade Mark

Contains no ammonia, lime, alum, or other impurities, but is warranted to be a pure cream of tartar powder, and made on scientific principles.

The trade supplied at wholesale rates.

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Wallace & Thompson,

ALBANY OREGON.

CROSSEN & ALLEN,

—PROPRIETORS OF—

Albany Truck and Dray

COMPANY NO. 1.

Goods handled with care. Moving household goods a specialty.

NEW AND

Second Hand Store

Owing to the increased demands of our business, we have been compelled to remove into a larger store, and we can now be found next door to S. E. Young's, where we will be pleased to see

OUR PATRONS.

If you need any stoves, tinware, crockery, furniture, clocks, carpets, pictures, trunks, books, skates, saddles, saws, planes, or a household article, call on us. We have a lot of goods at a low price.

San Francisco

That you can do with us on a purchase or an exchange.

M. FRANKLIN & CO.,

FIRST STREET ALBANY.

Revere House Restaurant,

(ON EUROPEAN PLAN)

—Conducted by—

H. DIERCKS.

Dishes served from 25 cents to \$1.25.

Customers order whatever desired. The table is set at the best in the market.