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Mrs. Dr. Patton's elegant art rooms, in Blumberg's block, are now ready for the reception of students in painting and music.

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Has just been opened on First street, opposite the Russ House, where you can get all kinds of broken articles mended. Clocks, guns and locks repaired, keys fitted, etc. Work from the country promptly attended to.

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PARTIES DESIRING PIANOS TUNED should call upon Prof. D. Van Horn of this city, the well known and reliable piano tuner. He is well known to the people of Albany and the entire State, having had years of experience in this business, also in a pianoforte manufactory, and has no equal in that line of business. It always pays to patronize home enterprise and the public should remember that they can now get pianos tuned in a more skillful manner in Albany than elsewhere in the State. Leave orders at Will & Link's

Stockholders Meeting.

OFFICE OF BROWNSVILLE WOOLEN M'F'G CO. }
ALBANY, OR., April 21, 1890. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE regular meeting of the stockholders of the Brownsville Woolen Manufacturing Company, will be held at their office in the city of Albany, Linn County, Oregon, on the second Tuesday of May, 1890, the same being the 13th day of May 1890, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of electing four directors of said company, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting. Done by order of the president.

J. P. GALBRAITH,
Secretary and Treasurer.

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Stock Holder's Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the Albany Mining and Milling company will be held at the office of L. H. Montanye, secretary of said company on the 28th day of April, 1890, at the hour of 4 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for one year from the date thereof, and for such other business as may come before such meeting.

By order of the president.

Dated March 28, 1890.

L. H. MONTANYE,
Secretary.

M. H. ELLIS, PHYSICIAN AND SURgeon, Albany Oregon.

Land Surveying.

PARTIES DESIRING SURVEYING DONE CAN obtain accurate and prompt work by calling upon ex-county surveyor F. T. T. Fisher. He has complete copies of field notes and township plats, and is prepared to do surveying in any part of Linn county. Postoffice address, Millers Station, Linn county, Oregon.

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THOSE WISHING A FIRST-CLASS INstrument, the best made to stand the climate of this coast, can be suited by calling at Mrs. B. E. Hyman's, opposite the Masonic Temple, First street. The latest vocal and instrumental music kept for sale. Also the largest assortment of stamping patterns select from this side of 'Frisco. given in painting and embroidery at her studio over Linn County Bank. Give her your order and you will be pleased.

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Buy a house in beautiful Fair Dale, the lots are cheap.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

A. O. U. W.—Safety Lodge No. 13; meets every Monday evening at the G. A. R hall on Ferry street, between Second and Third, Albany, Oregon. Strangers in the city and transient brethren cordially invited to attend.

McPherson Post No. 5, G. A. R. Stated meetings at the G. A. R Hall on the second and Fourth Friday evenings of each month. Transient Comrades are cordially invited to meet with us.

S. W. REECE,
B. F. TABLER Commander.
Adjutant.

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I have both wild and bronze turkeys for sale at $5 per pair; turkey eggs 5 for $1; Brown Leghorn eggs $1 for 13; also Wyandotte and Light Brahmas at same price

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Only grand matinee Saturday afternoon.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned was by order of the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, on the 1st day of April, 1890, appointed executor of the last will and testament and estate of James S. Dickson, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will present them to me at the premises of the late James S. Dickson with proper vouchers within six months from this date.

Dated this April 1st 1890.

MARY E. DICKSON,
Executor of the estate of James S. Dickson.

CHAS. E. WOLVERTON,
Attorney.

A good second hand organ for sale cheap at the art studio over Linn County bank.

FLOODS IN THE SOUTH

Great Devastation Along the Mississippi.

AN EDITOR IS ACQUITTED.

John L. Sullivan Says He Is Ready to Fight Peter Jackson—Eastern News.

NEW ORLEANS, April 23.—The Times-Democrat's Bayou Sara special says: Seven crevasses are reported broke between this place and Waterloo. The devastation in this parish is terrible.

PLAQUEMINE, April 23.—The rain came down in torrents last night. The town is filled with people from the country, some bringing in their families and cattle and others seeking material to fight the flood.

News from additional crevasses near Baton Rouge and Bayou Sara lead to the belief here that the disaster to the sugar belt will equal that of 1874.

BOOM FOR TACOMA.

Gould Favors Making That City The Terminus.

NEW YORK, April 23.—G. Gould, president of the Pacific Mail steamship company said yesterday that he was heartily in favor of establishing a steamship line between Tacoma and China ports. He said: "We could take two vessels from our San Francisco line and put in monthly on the new route. There is no intention of making Tacoma the sole port of the company on the Pacific but there is no reason why San Francisco should be the only one. While I am in favor of it, I can only say negotiations have not been finished.

CHINESE SMUGGLERS.

Caught Sneaking Through Canada with Opium.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 23.—The United States custom inspectors last evening captured three Chinese smugglers at the foot of Hertel avenue at Black Rock. In their possession was found several hundred dollars worth of opium. They had crossed the river in a small boat and had a wagon in waiting on this side. The party landed from China at Vancouver and came through Canada.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN.

He Says He Is Ready to Fight Peter Jackson.

BOSTON, April 23.—John L. Sullivan was asked last evening what answer he would make if the California Athletic Club would agree to give $20,000 for a fight between him and Jackson.

"Why I'll accept the conditions and fight him," was the champion's reply.

The Chicago Strikers.

CHICAGO, April 23.—There is no change in the carpenters strike to day and the prospect of any compromise is still very gloomy.

One of the labor leaders at the stock yard said to-day that he confidently expects a strike of 15,000 packing house employes on May 1st for 8 hours a day.

White Cap Outrages.

ST. LOUIS, April 23.—Advices from the Chickasaw Indian nation state that a large band of White Caps raided a wide section in the southern part of the reservation last night and whipped a number of men and gave them notice to quit the nation in five days.

Notable Death.

BOSTON, April 23.—Hon. F. D Steadman died at his home this morning, aged 89 years. Steadman was the only surviving grandson of W. Ellery, one of the signers of the declaration of independence.

Fatal Explosion.

NEWCASTLE, PA., April 23.—An explosion occurred at the Aetna mills this morning. Three men were killed and six badly hurt; two of them will probably die. While the men were working in the flue of a big boiler it collapsed.

Patronizing Home Industry.

COLUMBUS, O., April 23.—The legislature has enacted a law which requires officers of all the state and county institutions to buy native live stock for consumption.

The Miners Escaped.

ROCK SPRINGS, WYO., April 23.—There was no loss of life in the coal mine fire here last night. The mine has been sealed to extinguish the fire.

The Pan-Americans.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The members of the late Pan-American convention, now in this city, went to Mt. Vernon to-day as the guests of Secretary Blaine.

A Big Fire.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 23.—John G. Wagner's five-story block burned this morning. The loss is $195,000.

The Queen Arrived.

BERLIN, April 23.—Queen Victoria arrived at Darmstadt.

The Railroad Strikers.

PITTSBURG, April 23.—The men presented a final proposition to the railroad to-day and met with a refusal. The matter now lies in the hands of the supreme council of the federation. These men will decide whether a strike is to be ordered or the terms of the railroad accepted.

THE GERMAN EMPEROR.

He Has Stirred Up a Hornet's Nest in Berlin.

BERLIN, April 23.—The emperor, who for some time past has been trying to see what effect toleration and kindness would have on the socialists, has now determined upon another course in regard to the proposed 1st of May demonstrations. Forty halls, that had already been rented by the labor orders, will be closed on May day. All the liquor saloons will be compelled to close; street gatherings are forbidden. In fact, Berlin will be declared in a state of siege for one day. Bloodshed is apprehended by the authorities.

A FIERCE BATTLE.

The French Attack the Dahomians and Kill 500.

PARIS, April 23.—Advices from Lagos say that the French garrison at Porto Novo, having been warned that the Dahomians are advancing on that place, have advanced to meet the enemy. A battle which lasted two hours took place. Five hundred Dahomians were killed and 50 Frenchmen wounded.

War Papers Stolen.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—Documents embodying plans for the mobizilation of Russian troops on the German and Austrian frontiers in the event of war have been stolen from the war office.

THE SILVER BILL.

AN AGREEMENT REACHED BY THE COMMITTEE.

A Compromise Measure Accepted Teller Dissents and Favors Absolute Free Coinage of Silver. Its Provisions.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—The republican house and senate committees have agreed on a basis for the preparation of a silver bill. The agreement is in harmony with the measure adopted by the senate caucus committee with an important amendment. The bill provides that the secretary of the treasury is directed to purchase from time to time silver bullion to aggregate 4,500,000 ounces of pure silver in each month at the market price thereof, not exceeding one dollar for three hundred and seventy-one and twenty-five-hundredths grains of pure silver, and to issue in payment treasury notes of the United States treasury, the notes issued to be redeemable on demand, and when so redeemed may be re-issued, but no greater or less amount of such notes shall be outstanding at any time than the cost of the silver bullion then held in the treasury purchased by such notes. Provided that upon the demand of the holder of any treasury notes provided for, the secretary shall exchange for the notes an amount of silver bullion equal in value at the market price thereof on the day of exchange to the amount of such notes. The secretary of the treasury shall coin such portion of the bullion purchased under the provisions of the act as may be necessary to provide for the redemption of the treasury notes provided for.

The act authorizing the coinage of the standard silver dollar, and to restore its legal tender character as it requires the monthly purchase and coinage of the same into silver dollars of not less than $2,000,000 or more than $4,00,000 worth of silver bullion is hereby repealed.

Senator Teller of the senate subcommittee dissented. Later he said he would make an effort to secure the free coinage of silver; failing in that he would accept the next best thing he could get. When the measure came up in the senate he said he would move to make certificates legal tender.

At the caucus to-night the silver bill was adopted with but few dissenting votes. The opposition was because of the failure to give a full legal tender quality to the treasury notes specified.

Prof. H. C. Palmer's Conservatory of Music.

Tweedale's block, First street, Albany, Oregon, opened January 20, 1890. The course of instruction will consist of classes for piano, organ, harmony and voice culture. There will be a normal class and diplomas furnished to teachers, specifying capacity and experience. Students participate in monthly recitals, and are graded to insure equality in rendition. This conservatory will be conducted on the same basis as those in Boston, New York, etc. This is the only recognized successful system known for a thorough musical education. Send for circulars and references. Office hours from 1 to 3.

Durno's Catarrh Snuff.

Sure cure for sore eyes, deafness, headache, and the worst forms of catarrh in the head and throat. Price 25 cents. Sold by Foshay & Mason, Albany, Oregon.

Go to Lango's for your groceries

WILL VISIT OREGON.

General Alger and Mrs. Logan Coming to Portland.

A STEAMSHIP DISABLED.

The Supreme Court Adjourned Until May 1—Mrs. Yocum Secures $4500 Damages.

PORTLAND, April 23.—N. R. Rankin, commander of Geo. Wright post, G. A. R., received a message this evening from San Francisco from Gen. Alger, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., of the United States, saying that he will spend one day here en-route to Ellensburgh, where he will attend the department camp of Washington on the 30th inst. Gen. Alger and party, including Mrs. Logan, will arrive Saturday. While here they will be the guests of the G. A. R. On Saturday evening a reception will be tendered them at the Tabernacle.

STEAMER DISABLED.

The Wilmington Bound for Port Townsend Breaks her Machinery.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The steamer Wilmington, which sailed last Saturday with 47 cabin passengers and a cargo for Port Townsend, returned to-day on account of a break in her machinery. The accident occurred Monday evening 40 miles north of Humboldt, but with the help of sails and wind the vessel returned safely and docked here this afternoon. About half the passengers refused to again proceed northward and left the steamer, getting their passage money back. The vessel again started north.

SUPREME COURT.

An Adjournment Taken Until Thursday May 1.

SALEM, April 23.—The supreme court adjourned to-day until Thursday, May 1st. The following cases were disposed of:

E. K. Anderson, apellant, vs. W. Hammon and E. W. Hammon, respondent; appeal from Jackson county; argued and submitted. H. K. Hanna and Francis Fitch, attorneys for apps; C. W. Kahler, att'y for resp.

The state of Oregon, ex rel; Edwin Hardy, respondent, vs. James Gleason, appellant; appeal from Multnomah county; judgment of the lower court affirmed. Opinion by Strahan, J.

E. L. and Fannie Schieffelni, appellants, vs. William L. Weatherred, respondent; appeal from Washington county; argued and submitted. S. B. Houston att'y for appellant; T. H. Tongue, att'y for respondent.

Sunday School Association.

TACOMA, April 23.—The state Sunday school association to-day elected D. S. Johnson of Tacoma, president; A. Burwell of Seattle first vice-president; C. D. Ives of Spokane Fall second vice-president; J. O. Howell of Tacoma corresponding secretary; G. H. Brooch of Port Townsend recording secretary; G. B. Gloyd of Tacoma, treasurerr and D. S. Johnson, J. O. Howell, D. J. Pierce, D. D. D; Rev. G. A. Anderson of Tacoma, and Rev. G. H. Randall of Seattle, executive committee.

The Portland Strikers.

PORTLAND, April 23.—The Chamber of Commerce held a special meeting this afternoon and appointed a committee to consult with the builders and mechanics and to try to harmonize the strike so that a speedy resumption of work may be brought about. It is probable that a committee of three from the builders, union men and non-union men, will be appointed to meet with a committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to consult together and try to arrange matters in a manner satisfactory to all.

Awarded $4500 Damages.

PORTLAND, April 23.—The jury in the state circuit court to-day awarded $4500 damages to Mrs. Yocum, who sued for $30,000 damages against the Portland & Willamette Valley Railroad company, for injuries received in a railroad accident at Elk Rock two years ago.

Notable Wedding.

TACOMA, April 23.—Howard Cranston Potter, son of H. Potter of New York city, was married at Trinity church this evening to Alice Kershaw, daughter of C. J. Kershaw, formerly a prominent Chicago grain merchant.

California Republicans.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—The republican state central committee met to-day and decided to hold the state convention in Sacramento on August 12. The convention will consist of 677 delegates.

General Miles Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Major-General Nelson A. Miles returned to-day from Washington.

A FIGHT WITH INDIANS.

The Mexican Forces and the Yaqui's Have a Bloody Battle.

CITY OF MEXICO, April 23.—Yesterday the Mexican forces attacked the Yaqui Indians at Los Conones de Jubsiben and la Coni and after several hours' fighting routed them. The Mexicans lost one officer and two privates, and five soldiers were wounded. The Indian loss is heavy but the number of killed is not known.

AN EDITOR ACQUITTED.

The Omaha Bee Comes Out Victorious in a Criminal Suit.

OMAHA, April 23.—E. Rosewater, editor of the Bee, was to day placed on trial at Tekahama, Nebraska on a charge of disturbing a religious meeting last fall. He appeared before an audience listening to a temperance lecture and asked that he might be heard in order to refute certain slanders which it was said had been made against him. The privilege was not allowed, and when he insisted he was arrested for disturbance. After the examination of four witnesses today the case was dismissed by the prosecuting attorney.

Where They Have Muddy Roads.

From the Pittsburg Dispatch.

There is less exaggeration about another story that used to be told of a very muddy country road.

A man was riding along this road, when he saw something waving above the mud. It looked peculiar, and he got out and waded to the spot. It proved to be a riding whip. As he began to pull it out of the mud, a voice came from the depths saying: "What are you taking my whip for?"

"I beg pardon——" began the man above ground.

"Well, let go of my whip; I'm riding to Blankville.

The starch trust threatens to make shirt fronts a costly luxury.

THE DEMOCRATS.

FORECAST OF THE NOMINATIONS TO-DAY.

It Will Be Pennoyer and Webb—Rev. A. Leroy of Brownsville for Superintendent—Shattuck for Supreme Judge.

PORTLAND, April 23.—Late tonight it looks as though the state democratic ticket, which is to be nominated at the convention tomorrow will be made up about as follows: For congressman R. A. Miller, of Jacksonville; for governor Sylvester Pennoyer. For secretary of state no name has been mentioned yet as far as is known. For state treasurer, G. W. Webb; for supreme judge, D. Shattuck of Portland, if he will accept; for superintendent of public instruction, Rev. A. Leroy of Brownsville; for state printer, J. Obrien of Portland.

THE MARKETS.

ALBANY, April 24.—Market is dull, no movement in wheat. Fifty-five tons of oats shipped.

Quotations as follows:

Wheat—61½c.
Oats—33½c.
Flour—$4.25 per bbl.
Potatoes—90c @ $1.25.
Eggs—16 @ 17c.
Butter—25c.
Lard—11c.
Hams—12½, Eastern 15c.
Shoulders—8 @ 10c.
Bacon—10 @ 12c.
Hay—Timothy, $11 @ $13, oats and cheat $10 @ $11.
Apples—None in market.
Plums—Dried 5c. per lb.
Apples dried—Bleached 8c, sundried 7c.
Chickens—$5 @ $6.
Hides—Beef hides, green 4c, 10c; deer skins, 20c; sheep pelts, 10 @ 75c, according to wool.
Beef—2 @ 2½c gross.
Mutton—$2 per head.
Hogs—5 @ 6c, dressed.
Lard—Kegs, or 5 gallon tins, 10c.

PORTLAND, April 24.—Wheat—Receipts the past week were 15,545 centals, of which amount 9430 centals were valley; 6115 centals were Walla Walla. Quotations: $1 20 @ $1 21½.

Oats are quoted at 42 @ 45c.
Hay—Ten tons received, $16 @ $16 50.
Potatoes—$1 50 @ $2.
Butter—Firm, 12½ @ 30c.
Eggs—18c.

Cereals—The fall wheat continues promising, the cool weather retards it; on low lands in the Willamette valley occasional patches are burnt. Spring seeding is being pushed. If weather continues favorable, most of the seeding will be done this month yet.

Fruit—The peach crop was generally injured by the cool weather on the 12th, 13, 14th, 15th. From most every county comes reports of damage to the small fruit. Generally the peach, plum, cherry and apple blossoms are out in Western Oregon, and near the Columbia in Eastern Oregon. The warm days and cool frosty nights are injurious. The week has slightly advanced the blossoming and leaving.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 23.—Wheat inactive; buyer year 1890, $1.38⅞.

CHICAGO, April 23.—1:15 close, wheat firm; cash 88; May 88½; July 86⅝.

LIVERPOOL, April 23.—Wheat firm; holders offer sparingly; corn firm; demand improving.

Fair Dale lots will soon be all sold. This property will bring $200 per lot before fall.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS

The Senate Learns a Profitable Lesson from the House.

AND WILL AMEND THE RULES

The Oklahoma Bill in the Hands of the President—Some Bills Passed—Canadian Freight Rates.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—In the senate to-day Chandler offered a resolution to incorporate among the standing rules one to expedite the taking of votes, and facilitating public business, which was referred to the committee on rules. It provides for a procedure similar to that of the house, to head off dilatory motions, etc., and also provides that the presiding officer may cause to be entered on the journal the names of senators present and not voting to make a quorum.

Among the bills passed were the senate bill appropriating $6076 to reimburse the senate of Washington for the expenses of the recent constitutional convention, also the senate bill providing for a commission to determine the northern boundary line of the Warm Spring Indian reservation in Oregon and making an appropriation therefor.

The conference report on the Oklahoma bill was agreed to in the senate to-day. The bill now goes to the president.

Senator Cullom has concluded to report on the investigation made by the committee on inter state commerce into the relations of the railroads of the United States and Canada, and also whether there any discrimination in charges made in tolls against vessels passing through the Welland canal. The report asserts that unjust discrimination is made by Canada on American vessels on the lake in the matter of entrance and clearance fees. Vessels passing the Welland canal bound for Montreal have a rebate of tolls for canal passage; if bound to American ports or to St Lawrence a rebate is not made. The report claims this is a violation of the revision of the treaty of Washington.

History of Oregon.

Everybody has heard of Herbert Howe Bancroft's History of Oregon, published during the present year, in two volumes. Oregonians are justly proud of the early history of this state, and they can likewise be proud of the manner in which that history has been recorded by Mr. Bancroft. It presents a complete record of the events as they occurred from the time of the earliest settlement to the present, setting forth the material interests and progress of the state fully and faithfully. Mr. J. V. Tait is now engaged in canvassing the city for these desirable books. The two volumes form a work that every Oregonian will want.

Courteous to Every One.

From The Lewiston Journal.

A story-telling friend of the editor is very particular in instructing his children to speak politely on all occasions. The result of his teachings is sometimes amusing. This was the case one day last week when he was putting the youngest of four through his preparatory course. The question was asked: "Who tempted Eve?" The little fellow, after a moment's thought, with an air of confidence replied: "It's the gentleman who lives in hell; I've forgotten his name."

THE negotiation of reciprocity treaties with Mexico and the South American states seems likely to relieve the situation on the tariff subject to some extent.

The results of the Pan-American conference will be far reaching, and of incalculable benefit to all the nations represented. It will be the historical event of this decade.

McPherson Post No. 5 G. A. R.

A full attendance of the members of McPherson Post requested at the regular meeting on Friday evening of this week, as preparations for the observation of memorial day will be commenced at that meeting. By order of the commander.

Why Is It

That people linger along always complaining about that tired feeling? One bottle of BEGGS' BLOOD PURIFIER and BLOOD MAKER will entirely remove this feeling, give them a good appetite and regulate digestion. G. L. Blackman, druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is Guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Foshay & Mason.

Remember we have our own delivery wagon and will call at your house morning or evening for orders if you wish. Spencer & Blackburn.

Don't forget that at Mrs. B. E. Hyman's is the place to get your sewing machines.