### "THE PROHIBITIONISTS."

## A Full County Ticket Put in the Field.

THEY WILL STAY IN THE FIELD.

A Lot of Disgruntled Republicans and Disappointed Democrats that Wouldn't be Missed."

FROM FRIDAY'S DAILY.

Some of the delegates to the county prohibition convention from the various precincts in the county met at the W. C. T. U. hall yesterday morning, with their object the nomination of certain dis-gruntled members of the two old great arties for the various offices which will e vacant in July next. To look around the room, it was surprising at the num-ber of the delegates who had been in times past "squatted" on by either a con-vention of the republican or democratic party. Yet it must be admitted that were several representative men from both parties, but particularly from the grand old republican party that has ever been the friend of temperance and

of temperance people.

Promptly at 11 o'clock "Brother" Dimmick loomed up in his majesty and might, his face burning with smiles, and called the convention to order and appointed Prof. Jory, of the Willamette niversity, as temporary chairman, after hich "Brother" Roork asked divine ng on the delegation there assembled, and prayed mightily for the success

of the prohibition party.

Mr. Floed nominated E. E. McKinney for temporary secretary.

Mr. J. L. Brown, of Silverton, was

minated as assistant secretary, both of which nominations were confirmed. On motion the chairman appointed Messrs. Darby, Savage, Stephens, Rutherford and Brooks a committee on cre-

On motion of Mr. Dimmick, Messrs. McKinny, Hutton, Floed, Dimmick, Hubbard, Sanck, Hang and Claggett were appointed as committee on resolu-

On motion of Mr. Jory a committee on

On motion of Mr. Jory a committee on order of business was appointed with Messrs. Jory, Patty and Cooper.
On motion Messrs. Riches, Russell and Adair were appointed by Mr. Dimmick by request of the chair as committee on permanent organization.

ermanent organization.

Mr. McKinney moved that one dele e from each precinct be appointed on ommittee to apportion the delegation state convention, and on motion gation was authorized to choose

Dr. S. W. McDowell then presented a request or petition for the increased delegation in Salem precinct from three to six. Mr. McDowell stated that the Salem precinct should have a strong delegation, as Salem is the stronghold of the liquor traffic. On motion of Mr. Floed the petition was referred to the committee on credentials.

The committee on state apportionment was appointed as follows:

Howell prairie, Mehama, and Gervais not represented; Turner, W. T. Riches; Stayton, J. B. Grier; Fairfield and Aurgra, not represented; Silverton, C. F. Deguire; Jefferson, not represented; Hubbard, L. S. Thomas; Butteville, Jno. Batchelor; St. Paul, not represented; Lincoln, W. H. Darby; Marion, S. S. Callagan.

M. Elegal record that the convention Dr. S. W. McDowell then presented a

Mr. Floed moved that the convention adjourn until 1 o'clock, which was ignor-ed; and a motion for a five minute recess evailed. The selection of the appor-ment committee, a new thing, by

the way, in political circles, was then made, as follows:
Sublimity, Jno. Downing; Abiqua, J.
W. Robinson; Woodburn, not represented; Champoog, J. G. Eberhard; Labish, Wm. Harritt; Garfield—(when this was called, N. Matlock arose and said he was here on his own book from that precinct, and, on motion, he was admitted as com-mitteeman); Salem, W. D. Claggett; South Salem, E. H. Piper; North Salem, J. Brooks; East Salem, J. Roork; AFTERNOON SESSION.

The session was called to order by the temporary chairman at 1:45 p. m.

The committee on permanent organization reported a suggestion that the temporary officers act as the permanent officers of the convention; adopted.

# THE DELEGATES.

The committee on credentials brought in the following report: "We, the committee appointed on credentials, beg leave to report and find the following named persons are authorized to vote at the prohibition county convention now

Turner prebinct, E. W. Robinson by J. Turner prebinct, E. W. Robinson by J. C. Robinson, proxy, S. B. Crocker, W. T. Riches, E. E. McKinney, D. H. Halstead—5; North Salem, A. Stevens, L. A. Savage, John Brooks, W. H. Adair, L. Winters—5; Lincoln, W. H. Darby, S. Condit, M. B. Cockerlin—3; Salem, F. Cooper, D. Claggett, S. F. Floed—3; Sublimity, R. Reed, Jno. Downing—2; Stayton, H. C. Porter, V. G. Haag, L. C. Darby, N. S. Brown, J. B. Grier—5; Ab-Darby, N. S. Brown, J. B. Grier-5; Abiqua, J. W. Robertson, J. P. Shuck-2; Butteville, Jno. W. Batchelder-1; East Salem, W. R. Patty, W. A. Mills, E. B. Piper, J. H. Roork, R. S. Wallace—5; Brooks, M. Kirkland, Wm. Harris—2; Silverton, C. F. Deguier, L. C. Russell, Julius Fisher by G. W. Daws, proxy, K. L. Hibbard, J. C. Hutton, G. Haynes, J. M. Brown—8; Marion, T. Adams, J. McCully, R. H. Rutherford, A. M. Banta, S. S. Callaghan—5; Hubbard, G. W. Dimmick, L. S. Thomas, G. D. Dimmick -3; South Salem, C. L. Weaver, H. S. Jory, E. H. Piper, Wm. Holcome, T. C. Jory-5. The committee reported adversely on Dr. S. W. McDowell's petition. versely on Dr. S. W. McDowell's petition.
Mr. Roork presented the proxy of E. B.
Piper for Prof. Van Scoy.
Champoeg's delegation, consisting of
J. G. Eberhart and T. E. Osborne, were
also admitted and the report was adopt-

The committee on order of business re-ported by recommendation, and the report was referred to the committee.

Mr. Roork moved that the ladies be in-vited to seats in the hall.

two great parties, on account of their "hard fight for the votes of the liquor traffic." The resolutions show this convention to be against any compromise with either of the great parties—against the manufacture, importation, and sale of liquors—against license law—against the giving of public lands to help corportations, and requiring that it he held for the giving of public lands to help corporations, and requiring that it be held for the actual settlers—against the introduction of Chinese or other foreign labor—against eontract labor—against the demonetization of silver, and that they are in favor (strongly) of "getting the offices"—in favor of absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic—in favor of, and they call on the legislature to pass at once a law similar to the "Maine law"—in favor of "industrial and moral worth being the standard of greatness, instead of wealth—in favor of enforcing the present law only until they can get another in its place which shall have for its basis "absolute prohibition of the liquor traffic"—in favor of lawful protection from unjust appreof lawful protection from unjust apprehension or discrimination by corporate powers. The resloutions were adopted. The convention then took a recess of

The committee on apportionment for the state convention reported as follows: We find that the precincts of Silverton, Abiqua, Garfield, and Howell Prairie are collectively entitled to two delegates; woodburn, Hubbard, Buttevile, Aurora, and Champoeg 2; Gervais, St. Paul, Labish, and Fairfield 1; Salem, East Salem, North Salem, South Salem 3; Turner, Marion, and Jefferson 2; Lincoln, Stayton, Mehama, and Sublimity 2; making a total of twelve delegates to the state convention.

The committee on order of business then reported a revised order of business. which was adopted.

The order was then taken up as follows: DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

The following-named were elected delegates to the State convention from their respective districts, as set out above: T. C. Jory, South Salem; Adam Stephens, North Salem; S. F. Floed, Salem; J. P. Shuck, Abiqua; K. L. Hibbard, Silverton; G. W. Dimick, Hubbard; J. W. Bacheler, Butteville; Wm. Harris, Labish; E. E. McKinney, Turner; R. H. Rutherford, Marion; J. B. Grier, Stayton : R. Reid, Sublimity.

### NOMINATIONS FOR SENATOR.

On motion, nominations were declared in order, and the following nominations were made for State Senator : John Downing, K. L. Hibbard, E. E. McKinney, Sylvanus Condit, John Brooks, G. W. Dimick, N. Matlock, Thomas Van Scoy.

Mr. McKinney and Prof. Van Scoy each desired to withdraw his name. Prof. Jory and J. B. Grier were placed

Mr. Hibbard's name was then with-John Downing said he was not a can-didate, and that he did not have the

Mr. Haag, a worthy Teuton from Stay ton precinct, arose at this point and said, "I think, from the way it looks that these men who are declining are a little afraid

they will get beat!"
At this point several looked crosseyed a little bit, then a few, with more temeri-ty than the rest, said, "I'm not afraid," and Prof. Van Scoy then said he guessed

he'd try it. he'd try it.

Esquire H. S. Jory was also nominated. The nominations were then declared closed, and balloting began, resulting in the nomination of Prof. Van Scoy and G. W. Dimick, and another ballot for the third man resulted in the nomination of John Brooks, of North Salem.

Silvanus Condit, John Downing, H. S. Jory, John W. Thomas, N. Matlock, S. F. Floed (declined), J. P. Robertson, J. W. Bachelor, R. H. Rutherford, V. G. Haag, placed in nomination.

The next order being for sheriff, K. L. Hibbard, C. B. McCoy, and V. G. Haag, were placed in nomination. The ballot resulted in the choice of K. L. Hibbard. J. B. Grier, of Stayton, was nominated for clerk.

For county judge, Seth R. Hammer of Salem and J. C. Hutton of Silverton were pisced in nomination.

An inquiry being made as to Hammer's eligibility, Frank Cooper said "Seth was on the roll all right."

So Seth was nominated. vere nominated for commissioners. The other nominations were:

School superintendent, Prof. T. C. Jory; county treasurer, W. A. Mills; surveyor, E. B. Piper; assessor, S. B. Crocker; disputed amounts. All nominations were made unanimous and the convention adjourned.

Mas. I. G. Moon,-I. G. Moon, of Ashland, brought down on the cars yesterday the body of his deceased wife, Lydia E. Moon, who died on Wednesday in the above named town of puerperal fever, leaving two children, one a boy of 6 years and the other an infant, born on the 6th inst. Mrs. Moon was a daughter of A. B. and Almeda George, of Newberg, who immigrated to Oregon from near Burr Oaks, Jewel county, Kansas, about eight years ago. Mr. Moon took the remains to the residence of the parents, on the Salem yesterday.

Bound Over .- D. A. Ashelman had his preliminary examination before Justice Coffey yesterday afternoon, on the charge of libel, by publishing some allegations of how Mrs. Gash runs her dairy business. He was bound over in \$100 bonds to appear before the next grand

Paro.-Marion county has paid all her state taxes for '85 except a few hundred dollars, and there is plenty of money to pay that, only there is a slight misur standing between the county and state of-ficers in figures, which will soon be set-

The committee on resolutions reported a platform of principles, which, in the manning, of Gervais, was granted a certain was the curse of the world, and inflored pleasantries being thrown at the public schools of this county.

CERTIFICATE GRANTED.—Miss Martina Went to Silverton.—County Super-intendent Peebles went to Silverton yesterday on business connected with the public schools of this county.

### FROM SATURDAY'S DAILY.

ARTICLES FILED.-Messrs. John Burnett, J. R. Bryson, M. S. Woodcock, L. A. Homing, M. Jacobs, D. Carlile, T. E. Cauthorn, P. Avery, and J. B. Lee, of Benton county, have filed articles with the secretary of state, incorporating the State Agricultural College association, of Corvallis, with \$23,000 capital stock in 920 shares of \$25 each. The objects of the corporation are to raise money for construction of and to erect a building for the college and to maintain and conduct the State agricultural college, in accordance with the acts of the legislature

Goup Hall.-The quartz excitement about Gold Hill, says the Ashland Tidings, has settled down to a somewhat quieter basis, but many prospectors are searching the hills for gold. There are no doubt ledges of good rock in the neighborhood, which will eventually be discovered, if prospecting be kept No big strike has been made, in the of a solid, rich ledge, but one or two lit-tle seams of rich rock have been found near large ledges of quartz which do not appear to carry much gold.

AT THE ASYLUM.-A special reporter visited the asylum last evening, and reports a spiendid entertainment, consisting of a minstrel programme, gotten up solely by the employees of that institu-tion. It was equal to Happy Cal Wag-ner's crack show. Jamison's personifi-tions were immense. Many local "guvs" and hits brought down the house. The patients were well pleased, in fact every thing about there runs like clockwork. This will be the last entertainment for

Coming Home. - Charles Schlbrede writes from Drakeville, Iowa, that he is enroute home, and expects to arrive here with his family about the 26th or 27th. It will be remembered that he visited In-diana to attend at the death bed of his sister. He writes: "I have now again been over the grounds, and visited the scenes of my childhood days; and while I have a sort of love for Kentucky, the state of my birth, and Indiana, the state where I was raised, I could not now think of exchanging Oregon for either of them.

THE COMING HORSE-SHOW. - Horseraisers and breeders are making big preparations for the stallion show to take place here one week from to-day, (Saturday, March 27.) There should, and sure ly will, be a large turn-out of fine horses and probably more good stock will be shown here than has been seen on the streets of Salem for a long time. Let it

INSANE,-Mrs. Maggie Myer was examined by deputy prosecuting attorney P. H. D'Arcy, assisted by Dr. W. A. Cosick and Dr. H. R. Holmes, in the presence of his honor T. C. Shaw, county judge, yesterday, and was declared in-sane and for such reasons dangerous to be at large. She is a resident of Polk county, is married and is the mother of three children, the youngest being 5 months old.

Two Runaways .- Yesterday was a good day for runaways, two occurring. The first took place on Liberty street. early in the morning, and was A. D. Ashelman's milk team on one of its peri-odical spins; the other started near the corner of State and Commercial, ran up Commercial nearly to the bridge, when the team, a fine large farm team hitched to a farm wagon, was stopped.

GONE HOME -Last evening's tr the Tacoma Ledger, brought three Indi-W. A. Mills, and L. C. Russell were an boys from the Indian school at Salem, Oregon. Two of them went to the Pu-The following nominations were rate fied: John Downing, Sylvanus Condit, J. W. Thomas, J. W. Batchelder, N. Madison. One of these was thinly case, and nearly dead with consumption. The others were also in a very delicate condition as to health. All three have come on account of sickness.

WON'T HOLD.-The old notion that the sight of a hanging has a good effect as a warning upon the witnesses, is not borne out by the recent experience at Jacksonville. After acting as one of the promi-nent guards at the execution of O'Neil, a young man of that place shot a companion the same evening in a dispute over some trifling matter.

THE COUNTY'S LIABILITIES.—As here-tofore stated in this paper, the county is out of debt, virtually. Out of \$17,600 G. B. Eberhard and R. H. Rutherford due the State on taxes, \$15,000 have been paid, leaving \$2600 yet to cancel. The money is in the hands of the county treasurer, awaiting settlement between the county and state authorities on some

> Big Calf.-Geo, Anderson is the proud owner of a fine calf, which made its bow to this terrestrial sphere on "St. Patrick's Day in the morning." It is from a Guernsey father and a Devonshire-Durham mother. It stands thirty-three in-ches high, measures thirty-four inches around the chest, and weighs 105% pounds. Beat it!

> APPOINTMENTS.-The governor has appointed and commissioned Lewis Beckhart, of New York, to be commissioner of deeds for Oregon, and W. G. Brown, of Arlingtom, B. F. Cooley, of Woodburn, J. M. Knifong, of Hebe, J. C. Clark, of Gervais, H. G. Huriburt, of Arlington, and A. B. Manley, of Wapanitia, to be notaries public.

THERE ARE. -There are 75 widows in Albany. There are the same number of churches and saloons in this city.-[Albany Democrat. Albany must be a funny town! How it can support 75 or 50 churches and the same number of saloons gets the average passer through. The old maids and grass widows we can account for.

BRICE WALK.-Workmen were gaged yesterday in laying a brick sidewalk on the borders of Geo. Collins' residence, corner Court and Church

### THE NEW SCHOOL REILDING.

The Work of Completion Going Steadily on--- A Fine Building, and a Credit to Salem.

A reporter of this paper visited the new East Salem school building, and found a crew of several men at work on different parts of the building, under the superintendence of R. T. Denham.

The work has progressed very rapidly since last commenced, and portends a speedy completion of the lower floor,

On the outside, the rear dome is being completed, and is nearly finished. The portices, at the east and west entrances. are being constructed now, and the columns are being placed in position. The steps for the portico stairways are being made by J. O'Donald, and will be ready to be placed in position in a few days.

The work of completing the painting of the outside will be resumed in a few days if the weather remains favorable, after which the outside ornaments, consisting of 4,000 pieces of white metal, will be placed, together with the other trimmings. around the dome.
Inside, four recitation rooms have been

finished by the plasterers, and the remain der of the plastering work on the first floor will be completed during the com-The work of wainscoting has begun

The wainscoting is to be of cedar and spruce, in panels adjoining, finished in oil and varnish. The balustrades will be in the same style, and the effect will undoubtedly be very handsome.

The basement of the north wing is being filled in, and preparations are being made for putting in the closets and hontore

It is expected to have the lower story completed before very long, and it will probably be furnished in time for the opening of the next year's school in Sep tember. At least it is to be hoped that such will be the case, for increased school room is almost absolutely necessary in

When this building is completed Salem will have the finest public school building

DRIVE WRIST AND BISTRIDAY PARTY .-Quite a number of people gathered at the residence of Werner Breyman at 230 State street, on Thursday night, and went in a body to the residence of William Brown, at 188 State street, surprising both Mr. Brown and his amiable wife, the or asion being the anniversary of Mrs. Brown's birth. The evening was spent very pleasantly, the new game of drive whist being played, for the first time in this city. The game was introduced in Portland society but a short time ago. Refreshments, which were elegant and exceedingly tempting, were served at the proper time, and at a late hour the guests departed wishing their hospitable stess many happy returns of the day The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs Werner Breyman, Capt. and Mrs. W. W. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo H. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Moores, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lafore, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gilbert, Miss Breyman, Miss Annie Breyman, and Mr. F. S. Dearborn.

COMPLETED.-The party of engineers who have been surveying the route of the O. P., from Corvallis to this city, completed the survey of the first preliminary line yesterday afternoon. The line sur veyed, crosses the river at Corvallis and runs down on this side of the river, passing through Albany on nearly the entire length of Sixth street. This, of course, connot be taken as any indication of the final route, as two other preliminary lines will be run, and from these three the line be definitely located. The party, which consists of thirteen surveyors, returned to Corvallis yesterday evening.-[Albany Herald.

THE LATEST SCHEME.-The Coos Bay News says: Shedden F. Wilson, Esq., vice-president of the Oregon southern improvement company, and W. P. Granger, Esq., the company's chief engineer, were in town Friday evening on their way to Roseburg by way of the middle fork of the Coquille. They were accompanied by Mr. Loggie, the company's new manager. It is said that the object of Messrs. Wilson and Granger's trip to Roseburg is to organize a company to survey a railroad to Huntington, the terminus of the U. P. R. R., to Coos bay.

WILL HAVE HIS HANDS FULL.-The Dalias Itemizer has a Salt Creek correspondent. Immediately after election the fellow will have his hands full giving the last arrivals.—[Albany Demecrat Yes, and since the "Bohiprishionists" have put a ticket in the field he will have to increase his hotel accommodations.

AT EUGENE.-A new brick building is being constructed at Eugene to be occupied by Messrs. Krausse & Klein, of this city, as a boot and shoe "dispensatory." Mr. Klein will probably take charge of the Eugene house and Mr. Krausse will manage the business here. They expect to open there about May 1st.

THE OPEN SOCIETIES .- The open meeting of the Alka-Hesperian society last night was well attended, and quite a number of the ladies from the Athenieum society were present. The question, pro-hibition vs. high license, discussed by S. F. Floed and Wm. Kaiser, was decided for prohibition.

OUT-DOOR Flowers .- The early cultivated plants are begining to bloom already. At Mrs. Rockenfield's green house may be seen daisies, and several other kinds of out-door flowers in bloom. Thus is spring's advent heralded.

ENTERTAINMENT AT GERVAIS .- Rev.E. R. Pritchard and Miss Binnie DeForest went to Gervais, to give to the people of that place an elocutionary and musical treat last night. Mrs. Pritchard and Miss Thompson accompanied them.

Lots of Patients .- There are now 437 patients in the insane asylum here, that being the largest number ever confined there at one time.

PERSONAL.-Thomas Hubbard returned home yesterday from a business trip to Southern Oregon.

### FROM SUNDAY'S DAILY.

DEATH OF EX-POLICE JUDGE MORELAND. -Ex-Police Judge Moreland died very suddenly at his residence in Portland at 11 o'clock Friday night. For the past five or six weeks he has been troubled some-what with shortness of breath and slight pains in his chest, but as he suffered no serious inconvenience from it, he attribu-ted it to some slight disorder of the lungs. Friday evening he ate a hearty supper, and then went to lodge. About 9 o'clock he returned home and after going to bed commenced reading. All of a sudden he was seized with a paroxysm, and a sharp pain through the breast, followed by a initing spell. Mrs. Moreland, who was attracted to the room by the noise of the dying man's struggles, administered camphor and other stimulents as soon as they could be procured. Dr. Watkins was summoned with all possible haste, but just as he arrived Judge Moreland gave one gasp for breath, and then all was over. Heart disease was the supposed cause of his death. S. A. Moreland was born in Jackson county, Tennessee, Nov-lst, 1836, and at the time of his decease was 49 years of age. He came to Oregon in 1852, and for a while taught school. He studied law with Smith, Grover & Page, and was admitted to the practice of the profession in 1863. In 1865 he was elected assessor of Portland, and in 1872 as justice of the peace. He resigned this position to become associated editor of the Oregonian. This place he filled with credit for eleven years, and until he was appointed police-judge during the year 1881. On January 1, 1872, he was united in marriage with Miss Fanny A. Case. Deceased leaves a daughter aged S vears.

RETURNING WANDERER.-The Evening Telegram, published at Salem, Massachusetts, has this: John J. Dalrymple, son of James Dalrymple, inspector of the board of health, returned to lais city this afternoon after an abscence of 23 years in California and Oregon. When Dr. Loring was postmaster of Salem, Mr. Dairymple served as clerk of the office. He after-wards visited Chili. He then went to California where he remained three vears. Next he took up a residence in Oregon, where he has been for the past twenty years. He is doing an extensive business in general merchandise in Salem, of that state. While his principal object east is to see his aged parents. yet he will inspect the workings of the electric light system with a view of having the same adopted in his own city. The citizens of Salem, Oregon, have already taken steps in this direction, and have made Mr. Dalrympie chairman to forward the scheme. He has a wife and three grown up daughters, the former having been visiting in Salem for the past four months. We extend to Mr. Dalrympie a most cordial waterone to his paties. ple a most cordial welcome to his native

Tobacco Prizes .- October first of last year P. Lorillard & Co., the largest tobacco manufacturers in the United States, sent circulars to their customers, offering prizes to the value of \$42,560, for the largest orders, divided in one of \$5,000, two of \$1,000, ten of \$500, fifty of \$100, one hundred of \$50, two hundred of \$25, five hundred of \$10, and to two thousand retailers buying the next largest quantity of tobacco they presented a box of twelve pounds of Climax tobacco. Messrs. Cof-fin, McFarland & Co., of Arlington, drew one of the \$500 prizes. Squire Farrar & Co., of this city, dr w one of the \$10 prizes, and Keller & Sons, of this city, drew one of the prizes of a box of to-

WHAT THE OREGON PACIFIC IS DOING .-It may be surprising to people in certain portions of the state to know how extensive is the business which is now done by the Oregon Pacific railroad. Even in this city it may hardly seem possible, but it is nevertheless true, that within thirty days over 2,000,000 pounds of freight or 1,000 tons, has been handled at the Oregon Pacific wharf. Traffic over this line is rapidly increasing, and after its connection with the O. & C. railroad at Albany this summer, a still larger busi-ness will be done.—Heraid.

visited Dr. S. R. Jessup a tow days ago, and, in reply to the query, "What is your opinion of the well water in this city? e replied: "I think a great deal of well water is impure, especially in the lower part of the city. The subsoil is of a coarse, gravelly formation, and the drain age from cesspools, etc., penetrates right through, and commingles with the water. With this the case, the water could not help being impure and dangerous to use."

Personal,-Mrs. R. Wilson, of Salem. is visiting in this city, the guest of Mrs. J. K. Weatherford. Mrs. J. A. Hollenbangh, wife of Rev. Hollenbaugh, of Sa-lem Evangelical church, who has been visiting her parents in this city, Rev. S. county on a ple E. Davis & wife, leaves to-day for her to his old home. She will be accompanied by Mrs. home. L. A. McConnell.- Albany Herald.

FILED HIS INTENTION PAPERS.-Robert Archibald filed papers with the county clerk yesterday renouncing allegiance to all other powers, monarchies, empires and potentates, and especially to Her Majesty, Queen Victoria, of Great Britain, and declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States.

PATENT CHURN.-W. S. Smith, the deaf mute, has just completed the model of and applied for a patent on a new churn. It is quite a novelty in the way of a butter maker, and will undoubtedly do good work. It works with a crank and and is quite a neat arrangement for a

I. O. O. F. Sidewalk.-Work has begun on the new sidewalk from South Salem to the I. O. O. F. cemetary; and the walk is being pushed forward rapidly to competition. Lyman Savage and J. H. Bridges have the contract and have laid a good deal of the work aleady.

INSANE AND PRISONERS .- Deputy Sheriff Wing of Portland brought Williams to the penitentiary, sentenced to two years from Portland for larceny. Deputy Sheriff B. G. Noel brought an insane woman from Hillsboro, both arriving on Friday.

A. Wing, a prominent merchant of In-dependence was in the city yesterday.

# BRIDGE NOTES.

What Our Neighbors Say-Business Men, can you Ignore the Matter?

The surveyors under Capt. Powell are moving right ahead with their work.

Salem is going to have a bridge over the Willamette to Polk county.-Appeal.

The STATESMAN, of Salem, deserves the support of the reading people of this county for the energetic way it has pushed the bridge question.—Polk County Itimizer.

There is no use in kicking, you, who do There is no use in kicking, you, who do not wish to see this city improve for fear some body else will come in here and go into business. Despite your kicks, Salem is now going to awake from her lethargy, and is going to forge ahead. She has lain idle long enough, and the moss is now going to be scraped off. Within the coming fiscal year, Salem and Marion county is going to extend the right hand of followship to our paighbors. right hand of fellowship to our neighbors on the west, by reaching out with an arm of wood and iron and steel in the shape of a free and open thoroughfare across the Willamette river. It has to come. Salem must see that bridge built and that as soon as God and the engineers and courts (which we pray will not step in) will let it be constructed.

Business men of Salem, can you afford to antagonize this movement? Can you not better afford to put forth your hand and aid in its construction? There are but a few who are now to be counted among the "kickers" in this city, and they are gradually beginning to appreciate that they are largely in the minority. Let it soon be said that Salem's residents tax payers and business men are unanimously in favor of a free bridge across the Willamette river and its early construction and completion. In this bridge lays Salem's future prospects. No bridge same dull town-no going ahead-no impetus to improvement; with the bridge, the dawning of a new day. Improvements, manufactories, increased ousiness, a broader field for the sale of your wares, and everything favorably for a large city. A city is made. It does not come by chance or "happen."

INSANE MAN ESCAPES .- Jacob Ellis, an old bachelor who has lived alone on his land claim on Wagner creek, Jackson county, for a number of years, became in sane this week, and on Wednesday even-ing called at G. H. Lynch's place, and told Mr. Lynch that the men at Wagner creek saw mill were trying to kill himthat a machine working underground un-der his cabin that would kill him. Mr. Lynch allowed him to remain at his house, but just after the household had retired Ellis grew wild, said "they" were retired Ellis grew wild, said "they" were a ter him, and rushed up stairs and out on the roof, flourishing a big knife. Two neighbors, Messrs. Pervis and Goddard, were called, and they with Mr. Lynch, brought Ellis to Ashland in the night, keeping him at the town jail. About daybreak he escaped from them, and, it is supposed, ran off into mountains back of town. Up to last evening no trace of him had been discovered by the parties searching for him, and it is feared he has perished of cold if he remained out over ast night,-Tidings.

THE "PILORIM FATHERS."-The cantata 'Pilgrim Fathers" will begiven at Reed's opera house, instead of at the university, as the management believes that the attendance will be too large for the university chapel to acommodate all. The cantata will be given on the evening of the 30th, and is being given for the bene excellent solos during the evening

INSANE CHINAMAN.-Yesterday Deputy Prosecuting attorney, P. H. D'Arcy called to his aid, Drs. W. H. Byrd and A. G. Deardoff who examined in the presence of County Judge Shaw, China Jim, former cock in Hellenbrand's, on a charge of insanity. He is 37 years old, is married, his wife living in Canton, China. He was declared insane and committed to the asylum. Smoking Dr. Jessue's Orinios. - The reporter opium is supposed to be the cause.

> Pensonal -- A Virginia paper says:-Edwin Booth has engaged for his leading man next season John T. Malone, originally a lawyer of San Jose, Cal., who some time ago made his debut as Iago. Mr. Malone, who edited a paper in Jacksonville in early days, and is well known in Oregon.

> PAID AT LAST .- Yesterday Marion county was given a receipt "in full, to date, of all demands," by State Treasurer Hirsch, the last cent of taxes due the state being paid. Marion county is now out of debt in fact.

> R. J. Hendricks, went to Douglas county on a pleasure and business trip



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