

LOCAL RECORD.

THE CANNERY.—The Willamette Packing Company will buy all the black berries that are brought to their cannery. This firm pays cash for everything and allows people to trade wherever they please. The cannery, notwithstanding some difficulty to obtain as much fruit as is desired is having a successful season. This fall another large building will be erected and it is expected to probably more than double the business next year. This will create an increased market for all kinds of fruits and many vegetables, and our farmers should prepare to meet the demand. No country in the world is better adapted naturally to fruit raising, and now that we have a progressive cannery should do more than meet its demands. Bonuses are demanded for so many things now-a-days that one is almost necessary in order to have an institution appreciated. All this institution has asked is the bonus of the good will of the people and it is entitled to their support.

FOR OREGON.—State Superintendent McElroy arrived in the city last night. The Professor has been doing some remarkably active work for Oregon as well as for our educational institutions. Most of the Eastern teachers passing through here are doing so at his suggestion, and the impression they are obtaining of our fair State is a good one. We should help them on. Friday a large number will pass through. Suppose we deluge them with apples, prunes, berries, etc., so that they will have a particularly good impression of Albany. At a nominal cost we can feast them on our fruits. A prominent Oregonian says to-day Albany has the brightest prospects of any city in the State beside Portland, and we must show our hand on every occasion, if we would help push things upward.

THE PARDON BUSINESS.—Governor Penneyer to-day commuted the sentences of three prisoners of the penitentiary. Wm Peek, who was sentenced from Multnomah county, Sept. 27th, 1886, for five years for larceny in a store, on the recommendation of the district attorney, and in consideration of the severity of the sentence. Aug. Schultz, who was sentenced from Clackamas county April 23rd, 1888, to five years for arson. The reason in this case was a grave doubt as to his guilt, based upon the fact that all persons upon whose testimony he was convicted, have subsequently made affidavit that their testimony in the case was false. In this sort of a case, a pardon is a hollow mockery. S. J. Hitchens, sentenced to five years from Polk county for an assault with intent to commit rape, commutation based on the recommendation of the district attorney, and grave doubts as to his guilt, *Journal*.

PLUMS.—Plums are about the first thing that attracts the attention of the new comer, and the last that of the old settler. They are a scarce article in most places in the East. Here they will almost grow on a post. In the yard of Mr. Viereck near here is a small tree that has broken and fallen to the ground on account of the immense load of plums it has been carrying. The stranger passing by pauses and looks at it with wonder, and remarks at the great fruitfulness of everything here.

CAMPAIGN HATS.—The Oregonian claims to have settled this matter of plug campaign hats. It says the democratic hat is a pearl plug with a white band; the repub. hat, pearl plug with a black band. There is such a confusion over the matter that you can't tell what a man's politics is by his hat anyway.

ONE THING.—However much the Willamette valley papers may disagree on politics and a few other minor matters, there is one thing they are solid on to a unit, and that is that this valley has the making of the best fruit country in the world, and we propose a general and continued push forward together on this line.

ERRATA.—The Celestial arrested yesterday for larceny left his \$100 greenback at Fritz Huffman's restaurant, and not with Mr. Joseph as stated. He is a cook at Huffman's. In the Star brewery row it was Eddy who was fined and not Clark; but we do not see as it makes much difference which one of the five had the fine fastened on him.

TWENTY-SIXTH.—Last evening several of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tweedale gave them a surprise party at their pleasant home on Washington street, in honor of the twenty-sixth anniversary of their wedding. It was an informal but enjoyable affair, much appreciated by all who participated in it.

HOME AND ABROAD.

New shoes at Read's.
No. 1 fresh butter at Kenton's.
Six shaves or a dollar at L. Viereck's.
New wheat is 64 cents at Corvallis.
New ribbon all shades and styles at Read's.
Choice Muscat grapes and fine peaches at Kenton's.

J. P. Wallace, Physician and Surgeon, Albany, Or.

Mr. Thos. Monteith is home from a trip to Yaquina Bay.

Very fine selection of ladies' and gents watches at H. Ewart's.

Jewelry, clocks, spectacles and Roger Bros silver plated ware at H. Ewart's.

A clean towel for every customer at L. Viereck's barber shop.

Six shaves for a dollar and a clean towel to every customer, at Thos. Jones.

A new invoice of fine eastern cigars just received at F. L. Kenton's.

A whipping post for wife beaters and tramps is needed in Oregon.

The Albany Juvenile Band will go to Waterloo next Sabbath in full uniform.

Ex-County Clerk Galbraith and wife returned last night from their trip to the Sound.

The Portland Mercury has come out with its semi-occasional attack on the Oregon Pacific.

A bet has been made in Walla Walla of \$20 to \$5 that Cleveland will carry Texas by 150,000 majority.

T. H. Paldady, a former resident of Corvallis, recently of Eastern Oregon, has been sent to the insane asylum.

There will be a special excursion from Albany to Yaquina Bay, leaving here Friday noon Fare \$2.50. Tickets good for ten days.

Mr. Abby, of Harrisburg, was in the city to-day on his way to Portland. He intends starting a commission house at the former place.

J. D. Wilcox, proprietor of the Portland News, has also been arrested on the charge of blackmailing Dr. Mrs. Murry. This matter seems to be working up considerable feeling in Portland.

Miss Fannie Davenport is to be in Portland. Isn't Albany nearly big enough to have Fannie here one night, so that we can hear the best actors perhaps who have been in Oregon.

John H. Mascher, ex-postmaster of Silverton has bought out an Albany drug store, and will move the stock to Ritzville, W. T., where his future home will be. *Salem Journal*. What drug store, please.

Mr. Doolittle, connected with the geodetic survey service, is in the city, the guest of Mr. Frank Wood, a relative. A DEMOCRAT man mistook Mr. Doolittle for Prof. Condon, of the State University, so great is the resemblance.

A SAD CASE.—To-day, Mrs. Nellie M. Holmes, wife of Mr. E. B. Holmes, of Shedd precinct, was brought to this city, and examined before Drs. G. W. Maston of this city, and Gaff, of Shedd, on a complaint of insanity. They found that, though her mind was not in a healthy condition, she was not a fit subject for the asylum, and she was discharged. Mrs. Holmes is a young woman of about twenty-four. Sometime ago a child died, the loss of which affected her mind, bringing on several insane spells. Her father, Rev. T. J. Wolfe, also died several days ago, adding to her great sorrow. Mrs. Holmes is naturally a very bright woman, and, with good treatment and pleasant associations, when her great sorrow wears off, will, we hope, be herself again.

VOID.—Judge Bean on Monday decided that the contract for the construction of the Benton county jail was void, on the following grounds: "The statute of the State confers upon the County Court authority to construct jails and at the same time provides, 'that before it enters into any such contract, shall give notice by advertisement published in some newspaper of general circulation in the county for at least three weeks before the time for letting the contract, etc.' The mode being the measure of power under the authority above cited, the contract in this case, not having been let as provided by statute is void."

WITHDRAWN.—The Salem Statesman is authority for the statement that Isaac Hyman, has withdrawn his bet with D. B. Monteith on the result of the coming election. As the DEMOCRAT was first to make the announcement it continues the item. Mr. Hyman is invited to explain the matter. Mr. Monteith says this is a fact, and gives as Mr. Hyman's reasons that he wanted Mr. Monteith to deposit coin instead of a note and that he was tired of the immense notoriety the case had given him. The DEMOCRAT at the present time has no comments to make.

IN THE CITY.—Col. Lee, the affable Superintendent of the Indian school at Chemawa, is in the city, having come in on the O. P. R. R. from Siletz Agency, whither he had gone for recruits for the school at Chemawa. He had with him five Indian lasses and five lads all for the school. The Col. is making a success of the school and conducting it financially to the best interest of the government. He has never used up the entire annual appropriation since he has had charge of the school.

A HARDY BOY.—This afternoon several boys were having some fun on the banisters at the court house, when Charley Hardy, a ten or twelve year old boy, slipped and fell about fifteen feet to the stairs below, striking on his head and shoulders, bruising him considerably, but fortunately causing no serious injuries. The attending physician said he would come out all right.

LOST.—Black wool shawl, in Albany, on Tuesday. Return to Dr. McAllister's office.

Brownsville.

July 30, 1888.

J. M. Moyer returned Saturday evening from a business visit to Portland.

Prof. A. J. Hackett, principal of the public schools of Union, was here last Wednesday.

The town children were amused immensely last Wednesday evening watching the three men and two bears "play circus" on our streets.

H. A. Sammerville returned from the Okech country last week. His reports matter as being very dull. Since the rains of June the grass has begun growing again and prospects are better than just before the rain.

Messrs. Dr. Starr and Thos Kay and Mrs. C. H. Bishop went to Albany last Saturday. Mrs. Bishop will remain in Albany for a week, in order to receive medical treatment from Dr. Jones.

Our town was almost entirely deserted Sunday, nearly everybody having gone to Lion's most popular summer resort, Waterloo.

Last Saturday Mrs. O. P. Coshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Fraizer and Miss Grace Riley returned from a week's sojourn at Waterloo, and Mrs. R. N. Thompson, Miss Thorpe and Miss Ida Coshaw departed for a short stay at the Springs.

A certain firm dealing in picture frames under the name of Ottum & Fish, located at 1105 and 1107 Market street, San Francisco, are sending circulars throughout the country asking for photographs for enlargement, promising to make you a full life size crayon portrait, free of charge. This firm has recently been proven a bilk by one of our citizens who accepted their proposition but could get no life size portrait without paying them a sufficient price for making the portrait and still giving them a handsome profit on their frames. To those who have received circulars you can depend they, the said firm, will never live up to what they promise in their circulars, they are only trying to get a "bite."

Messrs. A. Jack Adams, president of the Trinity Mining Corporation, and W. W. Stevenson, returned from their mines in the Blue River District last week, and will leave again for the mines Thursday of this week. They are very much encouraged over their prospects. All mining interests held by our citizens in that and the Calipsoo District are on the look up. Owen Osborn sold to Andrew Young Saturday a one-half interest in an extension of the "Emma" in the Blue River District for five hundred dollars. Considerable work is being done now and we soon hope to see a mill in operation at the mines and some returns coming to the pockets of those who are out of pocket so much hunting out those mines.

We cannot refrain from noting the fact that every defender now of the republican party's high protection plank, whether through the newspaper or the mouth, assert that the "free trade" Mill bill will enable England to kill our infant industries. According to the Oregonian we are to have free trade in wool and lumber only and leave the manufacturers protected, yet that paper continually tries to show the people that England would ruin all our industries. Let us take wool and woollens and see how they stand now and the effect of the Mills bill. If protection does the wool grower the good they assert, instead of wool being worth 16 cents here now our mills will buy it for 11 cents or about two-thirds the present price. England under free trade gets her wool for two thirds of what we do, pays less for her labor and all kinds of material, consequently is not only able to drive our manufacturing industries entirely out of foreign ports, and imports into this country about \$44,000,000 worth of woollen goods annually. But suppose the tariff is so modified as to give two manufacturers of our country as cheap material of all kinds as those of England get, except labor, and then give our manufacturers 40 per cent. protection, which is pretty near enough to pay the entire labor in our woolen mills twice, and then how is England going to hurt our manufacturing industries? Our papers are continually quoting from the English press to scare the people into the idea, that England will ruin our industries if the Mills bill becomes a law in the face of such facts. How preposterous. Surely they think the common people very foolish indeed. Does England produce wool and lumber? Every one that has given the subject a moment's thought must know that the present bill would be the greatest kind of a boon to our manufacturers. It would benefit the laborer and farmer too, for instead of paying a tribute of 60 per cent. he will have only 40 per cent to pay for his woollens, and by keeping out English woollen goods, as it certainly will, give our mills more steady runs and thus increase the demand, consequently the price of labor. One of its best measures, however, is the one that relieves the farmers' grain bag from a 2 cent tax, thus virtually bringing the over-taxed farmer one cent more per bushel for his wheat by lessening the tax on his product. This is one feature of the bill we have failed to notice as being brought out by our republican paper men. We propose to look up some of these matters between now and voting time.

CHANGE OF TIME.—In addition to what the DEMOCRAT said several days ago in reference to a change of time on the Southern Pacific is the following from a San Francisco paper: "General Manager A. N. Towne, of the Southern Pacific company, started for Oregon on Friday night in company with some friends. He has been in poor health of late, and in taking this trip he will combine recreation with business. It is reported that his tour has connection with the proposed changes in the train arrangements of the Oregon line. A new express train is proposed. An arrangement will soon be perfected whereby the regular train for Portland will run up the Sacramento canyon by daylight, and eating houses are now being built at Redding and Shasta to accommodate the new order of things."

NOTHING IN IT.—As suggested by the DEMOCRAT there was nothing at all in the item generally published that an opium smuggler had entered Yaquina Bay. In the first place there was nothing tangible to lead one to believe anything of it. Just a strange little craft entered the Bay, that was all.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

As recorded in the County Recorder's office of Linn county, Oregon :
A Hackleman to Silas Shupp, 110x132 feet bl 35 H's 2nd A. \$ 450
John Rogers to Mathies Gerhardt, 4 lots, block 60, Albany 2350
A Wheeler to Cecilia Cohn, 2 lots, block 49, Albany 1300
Jonas R Boneto, Andrew Laubner, 1 lot, Halsey 120
Medders Vanderpool to Geo R Curtis, 80 acres, 12 w 2 1600
W D Trites to Frank Trites, 125.35 acres, 10 and 11 w 2 and 3 3000
H Bryant to Charles Goehunger, 28.25 acres, 11 w 2 400
W T Pierce to Martha Berry, 81 acres 15 w 2 400
U S to Martin Riland, 165 acres, tp 12, E 1

Crawfordsville.

Harvesting in this section has commenced in earnest. Grain is good everywhere around us. Also the gardens are, I think the best we have had for years.

There is considerable sickness in this vicinity at present. For the past eight days three different doctors, of Brownsville have visited parties in our community.

The rumors are now that there will be a large store open up here this fall.

Mrs. Henry McDowell, of Harney Valley arrived here a few days ago. She intends to go to Eugene soon to have her little boy doctored.

Mrs. P. V. Crawford reached this place a few days ago from Waitsburg where she and Mr. Crawford have been stopping with their son Jap. She intends to visit her children here and on the Mohawk for about six weeks. She will probably go back to Waitsburg then.

James Keeney is just completing a fair sized warehouse attached to his grist mill. He intends to buy several thousand bushels of wheat this season.

LOST.—To-day on the streets by Reuben Thompson the Examiner Route Book, (a little pass book,) containing list of names of subscribers to that paper. Finder will please leave at the post office.
REUBEN THOMPSON.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.—For the 24 hours beginning at 12 o'clock, noon.
Clear weather, lower temperature.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—G W Staver, W Scott, G W Large, Theo Bernheim, J T Parkinson, Portland; Jno Groat, W Rue, city; W S Laueles, Eugene; L S Kellogg, Racine, Wis; John Lee; I S Chemawa; John Brown, Jashley Brown, Bobbie Depoe, Fred Freeman, Grant Cass, Sarah Pierre, Annie Logon, Della Depoe, Emily Charly, Cella George, Siletz; A W Hayward, Chicago.

RUSS HOUSE.—M O Flaherty, Vancouver, W T; Bert Moore, Oregon City; John Andrew; E E Knickerbocker, Iowa; S L Martin, S F; E I Green, Thomas Mann, A Jones, Portland; S L Wilson, Littleton, Iowa; R F Ashby, Harrisburg; Chas Porter; Ada Sharpless, Libbie Moran, Hattie Bushnell, Grace Bushell, Eugene; R H Leabo, Miss Leabo, Mrs Lesley, W B Galliher, Salem; J T Michael; J B Chambers and wife; Geo Raabe; Miss Callahan; Mrs B Cook and two children; E E Lander, Monterey, Cal; John Unger; M Hinkle; C P Holgate, Tacoma.

ALONE.—Mr. Deringer has purchased the interest of his partner, Mr. Emerick, in the Albany Meat Market, and will now run the establishment alone.

CANVASSING.—Andrew Hale and Mrs. F. E. Robinson are out canvassing for the "Daughters of America," a book telling all about the noted women of America. They also have the fine Primrose Album. The book is executed in a very neat and tasty style by Trus & Co., of Augusta, Maine. The Primrose Album is also manufactured at the same house. These articles will sell like hot cakes. Subscribe for one of each and be happy.

1000.—The Willamette Packing Company, of this city, want 1000 bushels of Bartlett pears. Notify them at once if you have them.

The largest assortment of buggies, wagons and hacks this side of Portland at Knapp, Barrell & Co.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

TEACHERS

Who wish to secure first grade certificates should send for Normal Question Book which contains about 500 pages of question and complete answers. Price, \$1.50. Address Prof. A. B. Childers, Brownsville, O.

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HERE IS A BARGAIN FOR YOU.

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE

OF

Brownsville Clothing,
COMMENCING JULY 2nd.

We offer stock of mens' clothing on the Brownsville counter at wholesale
The Co. feel that they have manufactured more goods this season than they can wholesale, so give the public the benefit of the prices to close them out.
These goods are made from BEST OREGON WOOL and are first-class.

Terms of Sale---Cash.

This is a splendid opportunity to secure all wool goods at very low prices.

If the manufacturer can't give you

BOTTOM PRICES, WHO CAN ?

We have several lines of light weight suits and some odd lots which we have
located in our counter at 2087

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