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LOCAL RECORD.

M. A. T.—There is now a hole in the toes of the shoes on each of the Man About Town's feet caused by contact with high headed nails evenings when electric lights were not near enough to do any good. It is getting so that it is necessary for one to feel one's way along the street nights past protruding nails. A friend advises us to sue the city for the price of the shoes, but we are not long faced enough for that. Hundreds have been having the M. A. T.'s experience. Speaking of suing a gentleman says the water from the ditch is widening his sidewalk and he is contemplating an action for damages.

THEIR HEAVY ONES.—The following Crook county tax payers pay taxes on \$10,000 or more : B F Allen, \$16,683; Baldwin Sheep & Land Co., \$30,000; Castle & Hutchins, \$14,739; Castle & Son, \$18,760; D W Claypool, \$13,125; Wm Foster, \$29,435; W H Guilford, \$11,730; Heister Bros., \$11,638; A Hackleman, \$23,785; J Logan & Son, \$23,165; C C Malling, \$10,680; M Sichel & Co., \$11,200; W V & C M R Co., \$263,611; D M W R Co., \$77,037; Widding L & L Co., \$18,685.

CHINA PREVIEW.—Last evening quite a number of invited guests gathered at the residence of Mr I M Adair near the O. P. depot for the purpose of celebrating Mr. and Mrs. Adair's china wedding, or twentieth anniversary of their wedding. It was a lively as well as musical company and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Mr and Mrs Adair were remembered with some fine china ware, of which there was a good display.

COST \$50.—Last Sunday while coming from Corvallis, Mr Edward Will, of this city, seeing a fine Chinese pheasant near the road, drew a bead on it and fired, killed the bird and put it in his wagon. Mr Reuben Kiger saw the transaction, rushed out, went through Mr Will's wagon, discovered the bird and the next day made complaint. Mr Will went to that city plead guilty and paid \$50 fine. It seems sort of tough to see one person singled out when dozens of others make it a business to kill Chinese pheasants right along.

FARMERS CONGRESS.—This new National Agricultural Society, with branches in the various States, will assemble for important business, over machinery hall, at the fair grounds, on Wednesday, Sept. 19th, at 7:20 p. m. The officers are : M Wilkins, Lane county, President; John Osborne, Marion, Vice President; Joseph Gaston, Multnomah, Secretary. All farmers and all persons directly interested in farming are urged to attend and take part.

MILITARY BALL.—"F" Co's. grand military ball to be given Sept. 14, will be the event of the season for dancers of Albany and neighboring places. If you are fortunate the recipient of an invitation do not fail to attend. Parson & Bray's orchestra, of Portland, have been engaged, which insures splendid music. The boys are sparing no pains or expense to make the affair perfect in every detail. Tickets without supper \$1.50.

WHISTLES.—The Salem papers to-day give a lively account of the antics of Wm O'Brien, the young man who stole the cutlery of Stewart & Sox, and who is now serving a term in the penitentiary. He spends his time whistling, and only says he wants to see his mother. Poor boy.

COFFEE CLUB EXCURSION.—The ladies of the Corvallis Coffee Club will sell excursion tickets to Yaquina and return, good for trip to Yaquina on Sept. 19th only, and good to return until Sept. 30th, for \$2.50, from Albany or Corvallis.

AN IMMENSE MILKER.—Commissioner G. W. Phillips tells a DEMOCRAT man that he has a cow that gives twelve gallons of milk a day. That would be forty-eight quarts or about 96 pounds. We pause in astonishment at such a record, and Mr. Phillips word is good.

SPECTATORS.—Arrangements have been made for the accommodation of spectators at "F" Co's ball, Friday evening, Sept. 14. An admission fee of 50 cents will be charged for all who attend as spectators.

DIED.—On Wednesday evening, Sept. 12th, 1888, in this city, the infant son of Mrs. Harry Noel.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Call at A. B. McIlwain's and see the ladies' kid and pebble goat shoe, for \$1.50, former price \$2.50. A DEMOCRAT man has seen the shoe and can pronounce it a remarkably cheap shoe for the former price.

THE HOUSING.—The committee of arrangements for housing the new steamer, met last night and made out the program for the same, as follows: No. 1's will meet in uniform and at 1 o'clock march to No. 2's hall, where the engine will be formally received from the city. An address will be delivered by Mayor Cowan responded to by Hon. W. R. Bilyeu on the part of the company. Then the department headed by No. 1's with the engine will march to No. 1's hall, which will be neatly decorated for the occasion, and the engine will be formally housed, followed by an exhibition of its work on First street. C. W. Watts, W. H. Warner and Chas. Crowder were appointed a reception committee to attend to visiting firemen. Our citizens should turn out.

LOSSES SETTLED.—The losses on the house and barn of Mark Hulbert were adjusted yesterday. The Hartford Insurance Co., in which the house was insured, which is ably represented here by Mr. H. F. Merrill was satisfactorily adjusted, as was also the loss on the barn in the Albany company, which was paid at once. Our contemporary says the loss in the Hartford "may be paid." There is not a more reliable insurance company in the world than the Hartford, and the loss has already been adjusted and the money for it is as sure as anything can be. There are no "may bes" about the Hartford. Of course the DEMOCRAT though advises people to insure it, our home company; but that company neither expects nor wants to carry all the policies in the county.

FROM THE BAY.—Hon. Allen Parker, of the Bay, is in the city. Notwithstanding the so called strike by the fishermen Mr. Parker is running about 15 boats right along; but the catch is not large. Of the union men there only about a fifth are fishing anyway, as they have no boats or nets of their own. Mr. Parker offered 2 cents a pound, which is as much as he will give.

BEING SIFTED.—Mr. C. G. Burkhardt, who went to Portland to arrest the Siftings editor failed to find his man; he had fled out of the city, and it is thought he had been notified of the issuing of the warrant. Mr. Burkhardt will capture him if there is such a thing. The identity of the correspondent is suspected, and the feeling against him is very strong, as well as against one or two anticipated confederates.

FOR SALE.—Furniture, garden implements, 2 cows, 2 calves, 2 horses, a wagon, hack and buggy. Enquire of J. H. Townsend, just southeast of the city at once, as he expects to move to Portland in a week or two.

BORN.—In Corvallis, Tuesday, Sept 11th, to the wife of Geo W Waggoner—a boy.

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

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—J Pinjou; W Perry; C A Hawk, Corvallis; Henry Callen, O P R R; W R Wyant, J G Begham, Portland; J P McKee, Rochester, N Y; A Green; M Leobo; Philomath; W H Raymond, city; O Krausse, Salem; F Carter, S F; J Stephenson, S F; E D Matlock, Eugene; S Mooney, Portland; G W Cable, Northampton, Mass; Miss A M Lansing, S F; J T Bragg, S F.

RUSS HOUSE.—S G Foster, McMinnville; J H Loftus, F Anderson, A Olson, O Jakobson, Portland; H Gubeler, Heppner; Wm Martin; Wm Windham; G E Hardy, E Boslar, F H Moreland, Francis Springer, Lebanon; A Hardy, T J Butler, Fox Valley; A J Phillips; A Loren; A G Watkins; L Kinston, city; J C Murray; T Martin; E Barnhart, C Nelson, Brownsville; F E Joseph; L M Henry, Cal; J Whitton, Ellensburg; L M Henry, Cal; J Whitton, Boston; J J Hartsoil, Bangor, Me; T Allen, Racine, Wis; G W Harris, Turner; J J Brown, O P R R; H B Martin, Dallas; J Misner, Shedd; G Noah, Ceos Bay; P McKinney, Roseburg.

\$25,000
Worth of Dried Fruit Wanted.

And I must have it. Having made contracts with merchants in Eastern Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and Montana, thereby saving commission and adding the same to the price of your fruit. No offer made on fruits unloaded and placed in any other house in my line in the city. If you be lieve in the doctrine of buying in the cheapest and selling in the highest market and have no conscientious scruples about party or religion, you must come to see me or be untrue to yourself and family. To satisfy yourself, call and get my prices.
Yours respectfully,
P. COHEN,
Albany, Or.

Carpets.
Cheaper than you can buy them in Portland. Will sell a good grade of Brussels carpet for 60 cents; a heavy three ply carpet for 75 cents, and two ply carpets from 40 cents to 50 cents. Carries a large line of oil cloths, linoleum and window shades.
A. B. McILWAIN

Letter List.
Following is the list of letters remaining in the Post Office, Albany, Linn county, Oregon, Aug. 23th, 1888. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised:

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| Brown, R D | Brittingham, Chas |
| Burdick, F H | Charon, Mr C |
| Crockett, J | Davidson, Mrs |
| Delaney, Mr John | Dehn, Mr |
| Engledinger, Mr Geo | Givens, Mr T J |
| Harms, Mr Peter | Hilton, Geo |
| Hunt, Chas W | Hyman, Mrs Mattie |
| McQuinn, Daniel | Peri, Miss Kittie |
| Powell, Mrs Mary | Powers, J C |
| Sandner, Mr Jake | Twitchell, Mr Cyrus |
| Weiser, Mr Reinhard. | |
- R. THOMPSON, P. M.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Wheat is 73 cents to-day.
IN Griffin, of Seio, is in the city.
Six shaves or a dollar at L. Viereck's
Hops are 19 cents per pound at Seattle.
New ribbon all shades and styles at Read's
H Ewert, practical watchmaker and jeweler.
Geo W Cable pronounced his name Cobble.

Hops are 15 cents in Eugene City, and 22 in Seattle.

The District W C T U is in session in Lebanon to-day.

Fresh salmon and trout every day, and venison twice a week at Hydes.

Go to A. B. McIlwain's and ask to see those \$6 suits for men.

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

A musical band of darkies are in the city to-day doing the town.

Goldensen, the San Francisco murderer, is to be hanged to-morrow.

O E Krausse, of Salem, of Krausse & Klein, was in the city last night.

Geo W Cable to-night. Turn out and hear something worth hearing.

E C Frost, manager of the Pacific Mutual Life Ins Co, has been in the city.

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

Barbains in general merchandise at M J Monteith's at the old Young store.

New Fall goods just received at Ida M. Burns's, successor to Mrs E J O'Conner.

The cheapest place to buy men's underwear in the state is at A. B. McIlwain's.

The house of Frank Rankin, the photographer, was burned at Eugene Monday night.

A serious time prevails in France over a rise in the price of bread, caused by poor crops.

A young lady in Chicago died yesterday from tight lacing. We knew it would come to this.

Rev H P Webb is at Yaquina Bay rusticated, and there will be no services next Sabbath.

Gov Hill was nominated by the democratic convention of New York yesterday by acclamation.

Judge Strahan went to Salem Yesterday to be ready for the October term of the supreme court.

Walla Walla has been requested to raise \$1500 by Sept 30 if it desires the firemen's tournament next year.

The New York State Democratic Convention is in session at Buffalo to-day. The silver tongued Geo Raines, of Rochester, was made chairman.

Washington Territory hop raisers are having a serious time about picking their hops. Who will do it, now that the Chinese are proscribed, that is the question.

M J Monteith is now prepared to meet the demands of customers at the old Young store, into which he has just moved. He has bargains for you that will open your eyes.

W F Road, Chas Brush, Mike Cowan and B M Huston returned from the mines to day with good reports of the prospects there, bringing home some more fine specimens.

You will go to the Juvenile Opera Company's entertainment Saturday afternoon and evening. "Pinafore" in the afternoon and "Olivette" at night. Reserved seats at Blackman's.

Parents don't forget the special matinee of the Juvenile Opera Company, Saturday afternoon. Admission, school children 25c. Adults, 50c. "Olivette" in the evening. Usual prices.

The strawberries mentioned yesterday were brought into our office to-day by Mr John Millard, and are the bona fide article. September strawberries are something to be proud of. Hurrah for Oregon!

The sidewalks in many parts of the city are in a horrible condition, but we suppose nothing will be done until some one gets a leg broken. The city will have to do something then. —Corvallis Times. Ditto here.

Prof B L Arnold returned from his extended Eastern tour last Saturday much pleased with his trip says the Times. His visit to other Colleges will greatly assist him in making our institution an Agricultural College not merely in name.

Geo W Cable, the novelist, arrived in Albany this noon, and will give readings at the opera house to-night. The Portland papers speak in very high terms of him, and we think our citizens will get a treat in hearing him.

The Hudson-Eckert Opera Company passed through Albany to-day for Corvallis where they will play. The troupe is composed of about twenty-five as fine looking boys and girls as you often see, and the DEMOCRAT predicts they will give an entertainment Saturday worth attending.

SURVEYING.—Mr. E. T. T. Fisher is prepared to do surveying of all kinds at reasonable rates. He has complete copies of field notes and township plats in the county. Address—Miller's Station, Linn county Or.

McLaughlin, Practical Tailoring.

Summer and fall suits and pants in any style a specialty. Cleaning and repairing promptly attended to, Main street, Albany, Oregon.

Wanted.
We will pay 45 cents per roll for choice shipping butter.

THOMPSON & WATERS.
A Sound Legal Opinion.

E Bainbridge Munday, Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Tex., says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with Malaria, fever and jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr D I Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: "He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters."

This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure all Malaria Diseases, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach Disorders stands unequalled. Price 50c. and \$1, at Foshay & Mason's.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.
Edited by Albany W. C. T. U.

At the last regular meeting of the Union, a unanimous vote of thanks was given to Mr Thomas Brink, wholesale furniture dealer, in this city, for presenting to the Union, two good, substantial tables. With these tables so kindly donated by Mr Brink and several others procured by the ladies, there will be a sufficient number to furnish the hall for any occasions or dinners. The Union now has its own dishes, cutlery, cooking utensils and tables, and is pretty well fitted up for general house-keeping. The next thing is the furnishing of the Reading Room, which being an enterprise of greater dimensions than furnishing the kitchen, had to wait until plans could be devised for maintaining it. We hope however, to have it opened and running in good shape before many weeks elapse.

Mrs S M I Henry, Nat. Evangelistic Superintendent of the W C T U; a lady of great talent as a writer, has just published a volume of poems, entitled "Victoria." Press notices are very complimentary, and speak of it as one of her finest productions.

The one thing which the liquor-men evince a special dread of is the loss of the legal status which the regulation or license system gives them. The amount of the fee they care, relatively, little about. Prohibition, with its contingency of bolts and bars, is always and everywhere most unwelcome to them. It is true they say prohibition is a "failure," but it is also true that they leave no stone unturned to prevent, wherever possible, its having any opportunity to "fail." Their action in the premises gives the lie to their words. The localities, in various States, from which the open dram-shop has been altogether banished, and the several commonwealths which have substituted prohibitory for license legislation, have abundantly demonstrated the wisdom of their action. Biblical admonition, and practical experience, therefore, alike point to legal prohibition, rather than the imposition of high-license fees, for the successful solution of the great ethical liquor problem.

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