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LOCAL RECORD.

SMOKE.—The DEMOCRAT thinks all this fussing and yelling and bonfire building over the election of a candidate is a great waste. Think of the thousands of dollars spent in "smoke" just for a glorification, while there are ragged knees and empty stomachs on every corner, and poorly paid ministers and bad sidewalks and empty treasuries, and so forth.

A TOURNAMENT.—Recently the pupils of the State Normal School at Monmouth had a regular athletic tournament, consisting of sprinting, jumping, etc. The time given for a 100 yard race was 11 seconds; it probably was not less than 12 seconds; for a 50 yard race, 5 seconds; there is no one in Oregon, if in the world, who can run 50 yards in 5 seconds.

A COUNTRY DANCE.—Peter the Poe, in Klamath Star, thus describes a grand ball at Keno: "The dance at Keno hall on Thursday night gave unbounded satisfaction all around. While it had no jangling element, it was supplied with two inspired fiddlers who tore great chunks of harmony out of the catgut. Pelted by these glorious chunks, the dancers hurried around the floor and wished for wings with which to get there, Eh!"

DIED.—Mrs. C. T. Ingram, another of Linn county's pioneers, died at her home in this city on Monday evening, Nov. 12th, 1888, of a complication of rheumatic troubles, at the age of 66. Mrs. Ingram had been an invalid for a great many years. She leaves a husband, several children and many acquaintances particularly among the old residents here, to mourn her loss.

WHEAT.—A wheat man tells us that the market has been looking a little blue, with a prospect of a slight drop in a few days. 78 cents, though, continues to be paid, and the outlook is that this will not be increased. A great many have not sold yet, though the sales have been much more active than generally at this season of the year. Some one who has figured the matter out says the best average price for twenty years has been in October and November.

SHIPPED HOPS.—On Saturday W. J. Herren shipped to New York seventy-two bales of hops which had been sold previously on the same date he sold sixty bales to parties in Cincinnati, which are to be shipped during this week. The prices for hops are lower by from 1 1/2 to 3 cents per pound than a few weeks since and the outlook is not favorable for any advance.—Journal.

NEARLY THROUGH.—The O. P. contractors are completing their contracts. Mr. Brink last week closed his labors, Searle & Dean expect to be able to finish by the first of December, and O'Conner & Barr are nearly through track laying. The bridge contracts and timber for the same are being made now and work will continue, and as well some rock work, during the winter.

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

HORSE FOR SALE.—A good, gentle 6 year old horse for sale. Enquire of BROWNELL & STANARD.

PAINTS, OILS AND BRUSHES AT DEYOE & ROBSON'S.

SMALL POX IN PORTLAND.—The papers of that city of today say very little about the condition of small pox there. Nevertheless there are over fifty cases of the disease. Dr. Cusick, brother of J. W. Cusick, who has been there, says the number exceeds fifty. A drummer says it is nearly one hundred. A stray case in the suburbs of Salem is reported in full, while the many and the progress of the disease at their own doors are not mentioned. With them it is the business of Portland against the welfare of the Northwest. If the reports that reach here in reference to the extent of the disease there are true the course of the press of that city in suppressing and lying about the disease is reprehensible.

A PREDICTION.—The Statesman says that in 1857, when the matter of finally locating the capital came up, the work of two men decided the matter in favor of Salem. Had either of them failed to act the part he did, the capital would have been elsewhere. "Elsewhere" has those two men to thank. The DEMOCRAT hopes to see the capital grow so as to be an honor to Oregon; but the history of states is that the capital is a drawback to the growth of a place, and we predict that in less than ten years both Albany and Eugene will have a much larger population than the state capital, and there is no sour grapes in this either.

PROVIDENCE SCHOOL.—The following is a report of District No. 2, of Linn county, taught by C. H. Jones, for first month of school ending Nov. 9, 1888: Whole number of days attendance, 400; number of days absent, 8; number of times tardy, none; number of pupils enrolled first week, 16; second week, 18; third week, 23; fourth week, 28; whole number enrolled, 28; daily average attendance, 20. Those who were not absent during the month, having attended 20 days, were Frankie Boswick, Loffa Arnold, Jimmie Arnold, Eddie Cyrus, Arlie Cyrus, Icy Carlton, Carson Charlton, Addie Leever, Geo. Leever, Willie Leever, Lizzie Young, Rose Young and Harley Young. Persons who visited the school were H. K. Arnold, C. L. Kruger and Lucella Bilyeu.

ANOTHER LINE.—Another transcontinental line is coming this way, steering straight for Albany. It begins with the Illinois Central, going to Sioux City, thence to Ogden and San Francisco; also branching off for Oregon with a view to connecting with the Oregon Pacific. In view of the many roads coming towards this city Albany must secure the terminal facilities of this road. It will mean eventually untold advantages for Albany.

A COAL MINE.—A Portland paper gives an account of the discovery of the new coal mines made on the Santiam near Sweet Home, in June. An analysis of the coal made in Portland, shows it to be of a superior quality. There is no doubt that there is a good formation in the neighborhood of Sweet Home, perhaps equal to the Seattle mines. Could the O. & C. be extended to Sweet Home and the mines be placed in the hands of men with capital to develop them we might have an industry in our midst of immense value. Perhaps this will be done.

TOO MUCH.—All through the northwest have been reports of typhoid fever, but the Big Bend country, W. T., seems to have been afflicted the most. In Waterville and its immediate vicinity alone, twenty deaths have taken place in the last month, and every day one or two fresh victims are added to the list. It seems impossible to prevent the spread of this epidemic, and its origin and cause are unknown.

AN ENTERTAINMENT.—J. H. White, of Chicago, will give a free entertainment at the Court House to-night, consisting of lectures, impersonations in costume, etc., on "Cures for Labor Strikes," "Sam Jones' adventure with the Devil," etc. The press notices of Mr. White are good ones.

POPULATIONS.—1474 votes were cast in the East Portland precincts in the recent election, and the Vindicator figures out from it a population of 8844. On the same basis Albany has a population of 5652. Letting the East Portland paper figure for us a remarkable growth will be observed.

WIDE INDIGO PRINTS.—A large invoice of the above goods has been received, and will be sold at reduced prices. They are desirable patterns and are a bargain. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

SURVEYING.—Mr. E. T. T. Fisler 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.

Ike Hyman, the commercial gentleman who obtained some notoriety several months ago on account of a certain wager, was in the city to-day. Mr. H., we understand, lost nearly \$4000 on the election.

Wanted. We will pay 50 cents per roll for choice shipping butter. THOMPSON & WATERS. For hand made harness go to E. L. Power.

Fine line of Guns and good stock of Ammunition at Deyoe and Robson's. Special bargains.

HOME AND ABROAD.

The State levy will not be made until about Dec. 15th.

Mrs L E Blain and niece left for Portland to-day on a weeks visit.

We would like to ask the farmers of Linn county if their machinery is under cover.

How would the Astor's, South Coast & Albany R R sound anyway. It is one of the possibilities.

There is a project on foot to start a wholesale tobacco house in Albany, and it is quite a possibility.

Albina claims to have increased its population over 700 in the last six months. Some day it will be a part of Portland.

If Astoria should become the terminus of a transcontinental line there are reasons to believe its growth would astonish people.

Mr Mitchell, who recently came to Oregon from the East, has rented one of Dr G W Gray's farms at Oakville, and moved to the same to-day.

With the famous Bill Watkins at the head of the Santiam coal mines there is no reason why things should not boom around Sweet Home.

And now comes into the DEMOCRAT office a gentleman who says that the crosswalk at the corner of Fifth and Lyon streets is in a very bad condition and needs rebuilding.

The official canvass of the vote of West Virginia is now going on. Both parties claim the state and the legislature. The official vote will show that the democrats have both.

Mr I N Smith has the contract for building a residence for Mr Ralph Ohling on the lots recently purchased of Ed R M Carter, in the First Ward and will begin work in a few days.

The many friends of Miss Carrie Pfeiffer will be pleased to learn that since she went to California she is rapidly recovering her health, having gained 13 pounds since she went to San Rafael.

There will be a Sabbath School concert given at the M E Church, Friday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock, consisting of music and recitations. A good program is being prepared which will be published later.

The United States has 164,000 schools and 215,000 saloons. The former build up communities, while the latter tear them down. Which will come out ahead is a grave question.

Several Albany gentlemen are flourishing some money around our streets which they lost four years ago. In the long run it is poor policy to gamble. There is nothing in it except its bad influence.

Several Albany people went to Portland to-day to attend the ratification to be held to-night. Among the number were O T Porter, C W Watts, D B Monteith and J J DuBraille.

Mrs Jack Huston, of Socia, was in the city yesterday. Recently two of her three children were taken from her probably by her husband from whom she recently had a divorce, and it is thought were sent to relatives in California.

Sheriff Smallmon began his round of tax collecting yesterday, beginning business at Rock Creek. He is at Fox Valley to day, and will be at Socia to-morrow. The taxes promise to flow in at a rapid rate.

Mr Presley Denny, brother of Judge O N Denny, and Mrs Wm Ralston and Mrs Gotta, and one of the prominent lawyers of Salt Lake City, who has been in the city accompanied by his wife, visiting relatives and friends, left this noon for Portland, on their way home. Mr Denny had not been in Albany before for about twelve years and was very much struck by the change that had taken place here.

A COMPOSITION.—Just what little girl wrote the following composition on "Boys," we do not know; but it is cute enough to have been written by some Albany school girl: "Boys are men that have not got as big as their papas, and girls are young women that will be young ladies by and bye. Man was made before woman. When God looked at Adam He said to Himself, 'well, I guess I can do better if I try again,' and then He made Eve. God liked Eve so much better than Adam, that there has been more women than men ever since. Boys are a trouble. They are wearing on everything but soap. If I had my way, half the boys in the world would be little girls, and the rest would be dolls. My papa is so nice that I guess he must have been a girl when he was a boy."

Hotel Rivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—E Hammock, Tallman; C Woodward, H Lang, P G Seeley, J R Hunter, G Lange, Portland; M Alexander, Linn Co; J Darnewood, C H Newell, A F Romarck, E Komarck, C Richter, O P R R; J Shelton, Jordan, Or; I Hyman, C J Mitchell, S F; E Fuhr, city; Mrs Homer Roseburg; Miss Mary Thomas, Halsey.

ST CHARLES.—G Boole, E H Moise, S F; W C Durane, Portland; A Wellhouse, Europe; Z Job, Corvallis.

RUSS HOUSE.—A B Pellard and son; A H Johnson, Cal; W B Staphord; R D Graham; W Sperling; A Robinson; A Weiss, Portland; A W Dames, Mill City; M H O'Conner; H D Scott, Rock Creek; C Peterson; J Desmond; A Weldman; R Sultor, T Sultor, H E Ames, Omaha; W R Down, W Staiger, F Staiger, Salem; S Hill; J M Bown; C Keeferstan; J M Kirth, Stockton; H Umstead, Halsey; L Schilling; C G Jaeger; J M Swank.

CLOTHING.—A large and complete line of gentlemen's clothing and furnishing goods at A. B. McIlwain's. In the clothing department he has a large line of pants, regular value, \$5, which he will sell during the coming week for \$2.50.

TIN WARE AND HARDWARE OF ALL KINDS AT DEYOE & ROBSON'S.

"A Wheel-bar-row Ride,"

SHEDS Nov. 12th, 1888.

The city was thronged with people here to-day. Mr. Martin Mullen enjoyed a ride on a wheel-bar-row at 10:30 this morning at the expense of I. C. Robnett, who, according to agreement, stopped the wheel-bar-row at each request of Mr. Mullen and gave three cheers for Harrison. The large crowd of laborers who were present felt their defeat, knowing that the vote had gone against them in favor of corporations. Cleveland made a gain in the precinct of 12 votes over that of 183. The Chinese who left before the election have resumed and resumed business.

GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

Cash Gets a Long Ways at Julius Gradwohl's

I have made arrangements for buying goods direct from the factories in Europe, and will sell at wholesale or retail, cheaper than any where else on the Pacific Coast. The following are some of my cash retail prices:

- 1/2 dozen unhandled tea cups and saucers, 35 cts. 1/2 dozen unhandled coffee cups and saucers, 45 cts. 1/2 dozen handled coffee cups and saucers, 50 cts. 1/2 dozen seven inch dinner plates, 45 cts.

These goods are all iron stone China and not a cheaper grade of goods. These prices are for 30 days. JULIUS GRADWOHL.

Why people will continue to suffer from day to day, constantly complaining to their friends of pain in the back and loins and with every symptom of that terrible scourge, Bright's disease, starting them in the face, is certainly a mystery when they might be made strong, healthy and happy by using Oregon Kidney Tea. It has wonderful medicinal properties and if given a fair trial, will prove a boon to those afflicted with disorders of the kidney or urinary organs. Sold by Foshey & Mason.

Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!!!

Remember we are closing out our stock of boots and shoes and have yet some very desirable styles. Come and see for yourselves and you will not regret it. BROWNELL & STANARD.

NURSERY.—J. F. Backensto is the accredited agent of Vancouver Nursery. Apply to him for fruit or ornamental trees at Albany, Oregon.

SUPERIOR.—That is the name of the stove at G. W. Smith's attracting so much attention. It is a splendid cook stove.

3000 POUNDS.—Wallace & Thompson have just received a fine lot of bacon, hams and lard, the best in the market. Buy them, quick.

F. L. KENTON

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Confectionery, Cigars and Tobacco.

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Fine line of bread kneading pans at G W Smith's. Another lot of Hull cheese at Brownell & Stanard's.

A large stock of lifting force pumps at G W Smith's.

Goods at cost at M. J. Monteith's, at the old Young store.

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

In a calm sea every man is pilot. In dry goods W. F. Read is leader.

If you want to save from 10 to 25 per cent by your goods of W. F. Read.

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

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

Buy your tickets through to the East of W L Jester and save fare to Portland.

A complete line of heating and parlor stoves at G W Smith's, no better in the valley.

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

Those small mixed pickles at F L Kentons are very nice. Try them. Only 50 cents per gallon.

W. F. Read can and will sell dry goods cheaper than any house in Albany. Call and see for yourself.

All the latest novelties in millinery goods at E and C Howard's. Call and see them. No trouble to show goods.

The line of Pacific and Royal Argands at G W Smith's is a large one. These are among the best cook stoves made. See them.

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

Goods not sold for less than cost, goods not given away. But good honest goods sold at reasonable profit at W. F. Read's.

Julius Gradwohl is now making a specialty of crockery, fancy goods and silver ware, of which he carries a large and select stock. His silver ware is 1847 Roger Bros, his stock of crockery is the best in the market and his line of dolls and children's play things generally is complete. His prices are the lowest on the coast.

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Dealers in all the latest improved Pianos Organs, Sewing Machines, Guns. Also a full line of warranted Razors, Butcher and Pocket Knives. The best kind of sewing machine oil, needles and extras, for all machines. All repairing neatly and reasonably done.

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