

Annual Floods Raging at Pittsburg.

IN ALBANY.

People Who Come and Go

E. W. Rathbun, Brownsville. A. L. Barnes, Portland. J. F. Wesely, Scio. D. J. Samuel, Chicago. A. W. Hartwain, Portland. T. C. Parker, Natoma, Cal. M. C. Cormick, Lebanon. W. L. Merritt, S. F. Kola Neis, Salem. R. A. Hoerner, Louisville, Ky. G. J. Trask, Lyons. L. M. Tuttle, Portland. R. J. Case, Chicago.

OUR AIM—is to be the dependable druggist to whom you can bring your prescriptions. It is essential that your prescription should be compounded just as your doctor wishes it. If he writes for a certain make of any preparation that particular drug goes into the prescription and we use no other. Ask your physician. BURKHART & LEE.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 15.—The annual floods are raging. The waters are above the danger mark and many businesses are suspended. In many towns the people in the lowlands are moving out and much damage is expected.

Olson is Stoical.

OREGON CITY Feb 15.—The defaulting school clerk, Otto F. Olson is still in jail and maintains stoicism. He refuses to try to get bail. He declines to have an attorney and seems desirous of speedy punishment.

Just Talked Politics.

Some one who was at the big booster meeting at Salem tells how Congressman Hawley forgot all about how the meeting was simply a Salem booster and talked politics pure and simple, and he took so much time at this the chairman had to call him down. Nothing like knowing one's place.

LEBANON WON

The State Should Aid Our Public Highways.

The DEMOCRAT knew how the Lebanon-Brownsville debate had gone this morning when the train arrived from Brownsville, without asking any questions. The faces of the young ladies told the story. Lebanon won unanimously. All the judges, who returned this morning, Messrs. Marlotte and Tozier, of Salem, and C. E. Sox of this city thought the Lebanon team made a little the strongest arguments in the west style, though they commended the work of the Brownsville team, and declared there was very little difference, what there was being in favor of Lebanon.

There was a large crowd present and much enthusiasm. Some strong arguments were made in favor of a law providing for state financial aid for public highways, an important question for Oregonians to consider. Perhaps Lebanon had the better side of the question, for there is a strong sentiment in favor of a general improvement of our highways.

Much credit is due Prof. Barns, superintendent of the Lebanon schools, for the good work of the team, well organized and equipped with argumentative weapons.

The state is divided into four districts. The winners in each will now fight it out for the state championship.

Died in Michigan.

Word was received here today by M. McAlpin announcing the death of his father, Daniel McAlpin, at Cass City, Mich., at the age of 72 years. He leaves four sons and one daughter. One daughter is dead. Mr. Alpin was in Albany several weeks the first part of last year, and those fortunate in making his acquaintance will generally regret the news of his death.

Fancy Dressed Chickens

At The Oregon Market for Saturday. All farmer dressed, ready for the pan at prices cheaper than any place in Albany.

Oysters bought at the metropolitan Market, Broadalbin street, are not opened by Chinamen and Dagoes.

Baby won't suffer five minutes with crup if you apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil at once. It acts like magic.

STAYTON

As Boosted in a Special Edition of the Mail.

The Stayton Mail has just issued an eight page booster, with its regular issue, which is a good one, and speaks for that growing and prosperous town. Besides the business houses, saw mill, woolen mill, school and its principal, Miss Corneliun, flour mill, engine house, electric light station, churches and commercial club, the following residences are shown: J. T. Kearns, E. T. Mathis, P. C. Freres, Peter Freres, Dr. Brewer, Dr. Kitchen, W. F. Thomas, L. Brown, Willis Caldwell, A. D. Gardner, W. A. Weddle, E. D. Alexander, Chas. Streff, A. L. Shreve, G. B. Trask.

The churches are the M. E., G. O. Liver pastor; Catholic, Father Laineck pastor; Baptist, Rev. A. H. Carman pastor; Christian, Rev. J. P. Conder pastor.

The public schools have a tenth grade high school department.

W. L. Freres is mayor, R. A. Elwood recorder, E. Roy treasurer, Dr. Brewer, R. L. Wimer, Chas. Streff and G. W. Murphy councilmen, Henry Smith marshal, W. L. Freres is president and R. A. Elwood secretary of the Commercial Club.

The showing is a good one for Stayton.

HOME AND ABROAD

Next Tuesday will be Salem's big boosting day.

The American ship, Emil Reed, was wrecked off Tillamook yesterday and six of the crew lost.

The additions to the Christian church at Eugene through Dr. Martin's services have reached 180.

At a big republican rally at Eugene to form a club thirty-three were actually present, according to the Guard.

A Corvallis ordinance requires all shade trees over the sidewalk to be trimmed fourteen feet above the ground.

A. A. Wigle, son of J. L. Wigle, of Portland, was killed in a mine accident in West Virginia recently. He was born in Linn county.

The Portland high school team last night at Eugene defeated the Eugene team by 23 to 21 in a hard fought contest. Word played a great game for Portland and Clay Watson was the star for Eugene. They call Clay the Midget Wonder.

KEEP an EYE on the Vienna Bakery or good things to EAT. Second street between Ellsworth and Town streets.

Haviland China at Half Price.

Commencing Monday, Feb. 10th we will sell Haviland China in four patterns at half price. Call early to get first choice.

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At the Sign of the "Big Pad Lock" 310 W. First St., Albany, Or.



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If you are wise. Cut out all the fuss and trouble of running around to find choice meats, poultry, game or fish by coming direct to the store. You will always get satisfaction in choice cuts of prime beef, mutton, lamb, and your meat is cut and trimmed for the tables of the fastidious by an expert in this line. We guarantee quality, satisfaction and fair prices.

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SALE OF IOGA WARE

We find that we have too much Ioga ware at present. We prefer the ready cash so as to discount our bills of Dinner, Glass and Granite ware now being shipped.

For the next 10 days we will give 33 1-3 per cent off on all Green, Red or Brown Ioga wares.

This is a Big Discount for these wares, but we want them to go.

Table listing Ioga ware items and prices: A 80c plate—Brown Ioga, Monk or Indian head sells for 50; A 90c Mug, Elk or Indian head for 60; \$1.25 Vases—20 different shapes in Red, Brown or Green colors 83; \$1.75 Vases—handsome shapes \$1.17; \$2.25 Vases—elaborate designs \$1.50.

Sales last until Feb. 25th, but if you wait someone else will obtain the shape you want.

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