

LOCAL RECORD.

A CHARTER MEETING.—A special meeting of the city council was held last evening to confer with the Oregon Pacific officials in reference to the extension of the city limits. In the absence of the recorder F M French filled the position. Manager Hoag and Mr. Wallis Nash were present. Mr. Hoag on being called on stated the position of the road in reference to being brought into the limits, substantially as heretofore given by the DEMOCRAT, that is that it would give the city power to run streets through their lands and thus defeat the object for which it is intended. It is proposed to erect the terminal works, enlarge the round house, build a large brick depot and make various other improvements, and this could not be done if the land was cut up. A motion was made that the amendment to the charter be changed so as to exclude the O P's lands from the city, and will be acted on to-night at another meeting. As suggested yesterday by the DEMOCRAT a compromise is in order. This land is bound to be included in the city some time. Why could it not be done now with restrictions exempting it from the provisions of the charter in reference to opening streets.

CROOK COUNTY.—E. Lorillard, the young fellow who was mentioned last week as having skipped out without settling his bills, was arrested at Frank Weber's place on Friday and brought back to town and placed in jail. John R. Wilson, a young man well-known in this section, died at the residence of Knox Huston last Sunday morning of typhoid fever. Luther Claypool informs us there are only two alternatives left the Beaver stockmen—either to quit the business or prevent foreign sheep from coming on their ranges. Everybody anxiously awaits the appearance of the O. P. surveyors in these parts, and wonder why they have not showed up as advertised. Those who have ice-houses took time by the forelock and harvested enough ice in the past two weeks to supply the demands of the town the coming season. —Review.

A CHINESE DETECTIVE.—Some time ago two Chinamen were murdered at Monmouth. The murderers were unknown. Ah Sue, a Chinese detective, took the case, and is now at Monmouth. He claims that he traced the murderers from Monmouth to San Francisco, and from there to New York, from which point they left for China. Ah Sue holds sufficient evidence to secure the extradition of the fugitives and was at Monmouth getting evidence of the commission of the crime.

A MEAN JOKE.—Several days ago a very respectable gentleman received a dun through a legal firm for some mds. purchased. He immediately went and paid the bill; but dropped the dun on the street. Some one picked it up, and thinking it would be cute tacked it on an electric pole, where it attracted great attention. It was the matter referred to several days ago. The lawyers, the merchant and the debtor would all like to get hold of the fellow and give him a football kick.

INFREINGING.—The DEMOCRAT doesn't intend to interfere with the private business of any one; but simply as a matter of self defense wearis and object to Messrs. Stewart & Sox introducing the new fangled feed cutter they are offering for sale. It is so constructed that the knives can hardly be reached by the most ingenious youth, thus stealing from the newspaper one of its most fertile fields for news.

A SUCCESS.—The legislature is half over, and has been an electric success so far as the introduction of bills is concerned. The following illustrates the principal pastime up to the present time, a program that will probably be followed to the end:



STUTZ.—"Lucretia Borgia" was greeted last evening by a good house. Mr. Stutz is a powerful actor and does good work, and the play altogether was well received. To-night "Crystal Cross" will be presented and should be greeted by a good house.

WALL PAPER.—The finest line of wall paper in the valley in forty or fifty varieties, elegant designs and prices down, at Portmiller & Irvine's. It will pay to see them.

FOUND DEAD.—W. A. Purdey, of Co. burg, but formerly of Harrisburg, was found dead Sunday morning just across the river from Eugene. A coroner's jury decided that he came to his death from natural causes.

We will sell you groceries cheaper than any one else.

BROWNELL & STANARD.

THE STABBING AFFRAY.

An inquest was held over the body of the young man stabbed by A. T. Thompson on Jan. 28th, who died yesterday afternoon, before Justice Humphrey and a coroner's jury. The testimony showed that the real name of the young man, who went by the name of Jesse Clark, was A. D. Springer, and that he ran away from home because he didn't wish to work on his father's farm. Substantially the same facts were testified to as before Justice Humphrey in the preliminary examination of A. T. Thompson. A post mortem examination was made by Drs. Maston and Wallace in the presence of the jury. It showed the knife to have been thrust between the first and second ribs on the left side, passing through the pleural cavity into the lung, causing a hemorrhage and gradual collapse of the lung, and the consequent shifting of the heart to the right side, death necessarily following. The jury found that the deceased came to his death from a knife wound made by A. T. Thompson, and that the said Thompson was guilty of the crime of killing the deceased.

Thompson was taken before Justice Humphrey to-day, waived examination and was held to await the action of the grand jury under \$5000 bonds, in default of which he will reside in the County jail until the March term of the Circuit Court. He is a bachelor, and owns a farm near the city, partly paid for.

CALLS US NAMES.—A man named Mahanna was here awhile ago and tried to get our citizens to invest in a creamery. They didn't like the looks of the man and so did not take to the scheme. McMinnville did, and here is what a paper there says. It includes a very mean little cut on the part of Mr. Mahanna, entirely uncalled for, and we advise McMinnville people to keep their eyes open: "Monday, of last week, Mr. Mahanna, the creamery proprietor, and D E Smith, boss builder of the firm, arrived here and will begin the construction of the creamery immediately. Figuring for the different jobs is now being done by the various machinists in this city. Mr. Mahanna informs us that although he could have put in a creamery at Corvallis, he concluded not to, but will establish a daily route from that place to this city for the cream. The cream will be collected at Corvallis and shipped here by express. This scheme will answer the purpose and Corvallis people can dispose of their cream just as well as if a creamery was located there. Mr. Mahanna reports that the people of Albany are not alive to their own interests and there is not enough public spirit in the community to stuff a pack saddle. That is right Albany, sleep, and McMinnville will astonish you without your railroads."

QUITE INDIGNANT.—A Rock Creek correspondent to a Salem paper thus goes for the creditors of Searle & Deane: "The attachment of Searle & Deane's goods here last week was as unjust as it was uncalled for. These gentlemen hold themselves in readiness to pay off every creditor, just as soon as the final estimate can be made, and their money paid over to them. Why can not creditors wait like men instead of swooping down vulture like, and trying to ruin a man's business before he can possibly get it so adjusted as to pay what he rightly owes, and is willing to pay to the last cent?"

ROW AT MEHAMA.—A few days ago a misunderstanding arose between Dr. R. A. Pratt, postmaster at Mehama, and J. E. McCoy, a patron of the office, says the Statesman. Particulars of just how the trouble came about have been heard from both sides, and are so conflicting in detail that it is best to leave them for future adjudication; suffice it that the two men had a scrimmage, that Mr. Pratt considers himself the injured party and that a heavy suit for damages in the U. S. courts is likely to be the outcome.

FRESH SEEDS.—Wallace & Thompson have just received a large supply of choice fresh garden, flower and lawn grass seeds from the celebrated seed house of A B Cleveland & Co, which are sold at bed-rock prices. Most liberal discounts to gardeners and others who buy in quantities.

LONG FELT WANT.—Just received a fine assortment of genuine French candy from San Francisco of the following celebrated varieties: Esperanza bon bons, French Macelines, Opera Caramels, Cream Marshmallows, Apricot Panache, Palenno dips, Angel food, Peerless chocolate creams, and an endless variety of creams at Willamette Packing Co.

PURE MILK.—Mr. Henry Stewart has established a milk route in this city and asks for the patronage of our citizens. Tickets for sale at Brownell & Stanard's

CARPETS.—Finest line of carpets ever brought to Albany just received at A. B. McIlwain's. His Brussels and velvet Brussels attract great attention, being superb patterns.

SEASONABLE. That means seasonable over coats, coats, a large and fine stock of which has just been received at L. E. Blain's. Call early as the over-coats have begun going

The largest, finest and best assorted stock of groceries in town can be found at Brownell & Stanard's.

NEW COMERS.—To our city will find it to their advantage to price our goods before buying in their outfit of groceries and provisions.

BROWNELL & STANARD.

HOME AND ABROAD

Burkhart & Royce, job printers.
Choice Herkimer Co cheese at Brownell & Stanard's.

Best artist's materials in the city at Dr. Guiss & Sons.

If you want any kind of stove repairs call on G. W. Smith.

Dr. Rich, the skillful O. P. physician left yesterday for Chicago.

G. W. Smith gives the white enameled iron ware with his fine cook stoves.

A full assortment of brass kettles from one to eighteen gallons at G. W. Smith's.

Flour delivered to any part of the city at \$1.15 per sack by N A Bldgett.

New line of artist's materials at Dr. Guiss & Sons. Costs nothing to see them.

Hon. W. R. Blyen has been in Salem watching the State Legislature.

Mrs. John Foster, a Benton county pioneer, died at Corvallis on Saturday.

Choice onion sets at Wallace & Thompson's. Call early before they are all sold.

Mr. Shipley, agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Co. is in the city. Are you insured.

Call on G. W. Smith and get one of those Missouri Steam Washers warranted to do as recommended.

The train was delayed this morning a couple hours on account of a collision with a cow at Gold Hill.

A fine line of all kinds of furniture, plain and upholstered, best stock in this part of Oregon at Fortmiller & Irvine's.

Mrs. Martin Payne is prepared to take first-class boarders at her residence opposite the Congregational Church.

Get your job printing done at Burkhart & Royce's. Best work and most reasonable prices. Their facilities are complete.

The Railroad Commissioners do not propose to be removed and propose holding meetings and doing nothing as usual.

The articles incorporating the Albany Building and Loan Association were filed yesterday in the Secretary of State's office.

Services are being held this week at the Evangelical Church. Rev. Poling will be present Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

A Woodburn editor a few weeks ago knocked down T. D. Porter, formerly of this city, and then got roaringly mad because a Salem paper told about it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Shields have the DEMOCRAT's thanks for a supply of nice wedding cake. The happy couple are now in Portland, where Mr. Shields has a position in a wholesale furniture house.

George Miller received a despatch from the father of A. D. Sprenger, the young man recently stabbed to death, requesting him to send the body to Dodge City, and it will be expressed in the morning.

Owing to the ill health of Mrs. C. E. Chase, Mr. Chase will close out his business and will seek another climate. Mr. Chase's store was quite an addition to the business of this city and we regret his leaving. —Leader.

Mr. W. R. Graham has begun the construction of a barn on his place near the city, where he will store his effects until a house can be erected. Andy Hunt is wielding the hammer.

There were seventy-two failures in Los Angeles and California during January, and the bubble continues to collapse. Mr. Stutz the actor, now in the city, paid \$37,000 for property there for which he could now only get \$18,000. We are not hunting for such booms.

According to the following from a Princeton paper that city is more virtuous than Albany in its manner of preventing gambling, arresting even the women: "Last Saturday J. M. Fisher and wife got a benefit of \$20 apiece and cost in Recorder Bell's court for violating a town ordinance which provides that all persons having no visible or lawful means of support, or who shall make a living by gambling shall be deemed vagrants."

READ THIS.—Mr. W H Greenwood has purchased the gallery formerly occupied by Mr. L V Clark. He is now prepared to do all styles of photographic work from a locket to life size and can finish in oil, water color, India ink and crayon. Mr. Greenwood is just from the east and is thoroughly acquainted with first-class work. He has come here to make this his home and cordially invites the public generally to call and get acquainted. He comes highly recommended as a first-class artist.

BABIES.—The finest line of baby carriages in the Valley just received at Stewart & Sox's. Prices are remarkably cheap considering the superior quality of the carriages.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—Mrs Dr Geary, Halsey; G Gillispie, Newport; F Golden, Polk Co; M L Weatherell, Dr J B Pilkington, L Wasserman, J D Scharf, Portland; A E Pike, wife and child, Dixie, Or; J F Starr, Eugene City; C Clingman, Peoria; A Prahm, A Stillmacher, Seio; M G Maple, W H White and wife, G St Denis, S F; Mr Bishop; Mrs McGoon; J Parker, Stavton; J Blaker, Shedd.

ST. CHARLES.—J H Townsend, E J Sharpley, E M Cox, Portland; C D Woodworth, City; R C Callahan, St Louis; Mrs L A Holstien, Wis; D M Large, W L Smith and wife, C E Hart, Corvallis; John Berry; A S Looney, A Shell, G Shell, Benton Co; A Crawford, Lima; P H Williamson, Cincinnati, O; John F Nolan, E A Hubbard, S F; A C Modie; W M Davidson, Polk Co.

RUSS HOUSE.—H L Neff; M M Gilbert, Salem; E Schneider; S M Baldwin; C Thomas, Klickitat; J W Baldwin; A Hunt; A P Schoelling, E Worts, N C; R W Dickie, Ill; O Jennings, J C Warner; E S Hawkins, Minn; D Forbes, Bathol, D T; F M Hearing; A J Shelton; A Boyle, W T.

CURE FOR SICK HEADACHE. Do you want a remedy for Biliousness, Pimples on the face, and a sure cure for sick headache, ask Dr. Guiss and Son, the Druggists, for Dr. Genet's Live Pills, try a dose, samples free full box 25 cent.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

Monday, January 4.

Bills were introduced providing for the reduction of pilotage rates, providing for cancelling of county warrants after seven years. Local appropriation bills seem to pass very easily, two passing the house without much opposition. Layman's high license bill was referred, and numerous bills were read second time and referred.

KEEP POSTED.

Wheat, 70 cents.

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

G. W. Smith has the largest stock of sugar kettles in Albany.

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

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

Smith & Washburne, successors to Tweedale, carry the best heating stoves and sell them the cheapest.

Call and see those Early Breakfast stoves and ranges at Smith & Washburne's, successors to W C Tweedale.

If you want a tender chicken be sure and get one of those new style roasters at Smith & Washburne's successors to W C Tweedale.

If you want a clean and fine smoke ask for J. Joseph's home made white labor cigars. For sale by most cigar dealers and at his Joseph's factory.

If you have any job work to do call on G. W. Smith who is prepared to do it with neatness and dispatch, and as cheap as anyone.

If you want the cheapest and best heating stove call on G. W. Smith, who is offering some of them at cost to make room for his large spring stock of cook stoves.

Notice.

To Eye, Ear, Catarrhal, Lung, Nervous, Chronic or Rectal Sufferer: Dr. J. B. Pilkington will be at the Revere House, Albany, all day Tuesday, February 5th, 1889, and will give special free examination and opinion to all afflicted as above. Refers to Mrs. Jas. G. Cherry, Chas. Wagner, Mel Young, and more than twenty others in Linn county.

BORN.

TRITES.—On Monday, February 4, 1889, on the Albany prairie, to the wife of Wallace Trites—a girl.

MARRIED.

CROWDER—MILLER.—On Monday Feb. 4th, 1889, at the residence of C. W. Crowder, by M. E. Brink, J. P., Mr. S. A. Crowder and Miss Sarah A. Miller—both of Linn county.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

I desire to call special attention to our

PREMIUM SAVON

I purchase this soap in large quantities direct from the factory and thus secure it at the lowest price. Each box contains 20 bars full weight, and it never fails to give satisfaction. Since introducing this soap the demand for it has constantly increased. The present price is \$1.10 per box.

I endeavor at all times to keep on hand a good assortment of

Groceries, Confectionery, Fruits, Etc.

and respectfully solicit the patronage of the public

Very Respectfully,

F. L. KENTON.

Albany Furniture Co.

NEW GOODS

in the old furniture stand opposite Stewart & Sox's Hardware Store.

We desire to make known to progressive people that we carry in stock such goods as will satisfy a refined taste, and as the demand may require will add to our supply. We cordially invite the people to come and see us and we will take very great pleasure in showing our goods.

WANTED.—A respectable, middle aged lady as house-keeper. Can have a permanent home if satisfactory. Call for two days at the City Restaurant.

NOTICE.—All persons are notified not to trust my wife, J. M. Long, on my account for I will not stand good for any thing contracted by her. Seio, Jan. 31st, 1889. G F. LONG.



A KNOCK DOWN ARGUMENT.

That is the kind of argument we are using. We propose to make the lowest prices made in this town and we will discount the best figures that any other merchant can or will make.

This Knocks Down Competition

and gives us an undisputed precedence in our field of business. We want to convince every one that they can be best served in our store and we propose to

POUND IT INTO PEOPLE

by our low prices until the fact is universally recognized that for high grade goods and the lowest living prices no one can touch

Brownell & Stanard,

Cor. Broadalbin and 1st St., Albany, Or,