

LOCAL RECORD.

B. & L. ASSOCIATION.—The first meeting of the directors of the Albany Building and Loan Association was held last evening at the office of Hewitt, Bryant & Irvine. The directors were sworn in immediately and organized by the election of the following permanent officers for the ensuing year: C. Cassell, President; C. H. Stewart, Vice President; Jay W. Blain, Secretary; Geo. Keeney, Treasurer; O. H. Irvine, Attorney; H. Bryant, F. P. Nutting and G. H. Keeney, Finance Committee. The bonds of the Secretary and Treasurer were placed at \$5,000. Blanks were ordered secured once by the Secretary, with recommendation that he confer with the Portland Association and giving preference to Albany firms as far as possible in securing same. The stock book is now at the office of the Secretary where subscriptions will be taken until the third Friday in March, when the first regular meeting will be held at the office of Hewitt, Bryant & Irvine, and about \$1200 will probably be loaned, and perhaps more, depending on the amount of stock taken. In a city like Albany the number of shares should be at least one thousand, and those who have not invested should be urged to do so.

GOT MAD.—Pipes, of the Benton Leader, got mad because the DEMOCRAT spoke of his in (our type read un) exhaustible articles on the Agricultural College and of the fact that he would probably be writing on the same subject twenty years hence. Really we didn't intend any offense; but some people in this world will get frustrated if you put a pin in their chair. We didn't do that much. We have never interfered in the matter because it was a Benton county affair, not from a lack of interest in the College, because some of our brightest men here were educated there, and we hope to see it placed on a solid footing. Hold your temper, Brother Pipes, and don't get mad at a little pleasantries. We appreciate your efforts in behalf of the college, and if any one ever advocated a cause from Alpha to Omega it is Mr. Pipes, the Leader, and we admire the ability and perseverance and grit displayed by him. Now do keep your hat off, and we'll take it all back.

THE JURY LIST.—The Clerk and Sheriff drew the following jury for the next term of Circuit Court commencing Monday, March 11th: J. E. Ennis, M. V. Bilyeu, Lewis Croison, G. F. Coffee and Wm. Goin, farmers, of Scio; J. McGregor, S. W. Fowler, M. F. Dawson, Wm. V. Baltimore and Strauder Froman, all farmers of East Albany. J. F. Hyde, Lebanon, farmer, M. Rogers and M. Cunningham, farmers, Harrisburg. A. P. Maxwell, A. S. Basset, Rogers and J. R. Bone, liverymen, Halsey; T. Cochran, W. B. Smith, Geo. A. Dyson, Rogers and E. W. Orabough, mechanic, of Wnville; A. E. Ansoorge, farmer, Waboo. John Barten and Alex. Brandon, farmers, Shedd's. V. H. Caldwell, farmer, Kane; Matt Scott, farmer, Center; J. P. Fry, farmer, Fox Valley; E. T. T. Fisher, mayor, Syracuse. John Kirk, farmer, Perry. D. W. Rumbaugh, tanner, Sweetmeat. J. Carlton, farmer, Santiam. Wm. Miller, merchant, West Albany.

LITTLE MIXED.—In speaking on the thrup bil Senator Watts thus eloquent brought down the House: "When the mariner, after battling with the elements for weeks and months at last approaches the yawning portals of the Columbia river, he watches his 'barometer' closely in order to ascertain its exact position in which, etc." Of course he is not compass, though very few noticed that. The Astoria Pioneer in comment on the speech says: "It requires neither barometer nor chronometer to get Fog's position on a matter that has a final string attached to it."

PECULIAR ACCIDENT.—Joe Avery, is very ill, had a very peculiar accident when to him last Sunday, which seemed while would terminate fatally. The doctor placed a thermometer in Joe's mouth to take his temperature, and the little fellow unconscious of what he was doing, bit his teeth on the thermometer break. Before he could be prevented he swallowed the mercury. We learn as we go to press that he has somewhat recovered from the effects of the mercury, and some hopes are entertained for recovery. —Benton Leader.

RT.—To-day B. R. Hardman sold his place and 8 acres, southeast of the city to V. Pipe for \$2500. Mr. John Miller has placed on the market, F. A. Burk agent, thirty acres on the fair ground at \$250 an acre. Sale on Elkin's lots been discontinued for a few days.

Gor It.—The man that was running round town hunting horse radish yesterday a nice lot of fresh radish at the Mette Packing Co's store.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

Monday, Feb. 18.

In the senate, Bain's bill to make husbands support their wives passed; also Eastern Oregon agricultural society bill; also on elections and ballot paper; also on wharfage and warehousemen; also bill making salary of treasurer of Linn county \$1000 and of Marion county \$800; also bill defining duties of recorders; also bill allowing bridge at Corvallis; also Veatch's bill in reference to voluntary sending of newspaper. J. W. Grimm, Wallis Nash and F. A. Bailey were confirmed as regents of the agricultural college. A large number of incorporation bills passed ready for the governor's signature.

In the house Condon's bill providing for state board of horticulture passed; also Haskell's \$10,000 wagon road bill, which had previously been lost. Meyers' bill for protection of contractors, etc., passed; also Paulsen's bill for agricultural institutes; also Pope's bill regulating practice of medicine and surgery. Powell's bill providing for county road supervisor was lost. Price's bill for recorders in Jackson, Clatsop, Clackamas, Umatilla and Union counties passed. Stafford's bill amending law in reference to publication of financial condition of counties passed. Morelock's bill amending school law failed to pass. Northrup's bill relating to disposal of property by will pass.

Special to DEMOCRAT.

SALEM, Feb. 19th.

This morning the Governor returned the Portland water bill with his veto. A vote was taken on the bill in the House, resulting as follows: 39 against veto, 21 for, thus sustaining the veto and defeating the bill, the necessary two-thirds not being obtained.

STREET CARS.—The meeting of subscribers to stock in the proposed Albany Street Railway Company was held last evening at the office of Burkhardt & Keeney. G. F. Simpson was elected temporary Chairman and G. W. Maston, Secretary. E. J. Lanning, A. Hackman, G. F. Simpson, W. F. Read, C. E. Wolverton, W. H. Goltra, S. E. Young, M. Sternburg, W. C. Tweedale and A. B. McIlwain were elected incorporators. The capital stock was placed at \$16,000. G. F. Simpson, W. H. Goltra, S. E. Young and C. E. Wolverton as attorneys were appointed a committee on articles of incorporation and to present a petition to the Council for a franchise, with instructions to act as expeditiously as possible. It is proposed to build the lines of railway just as soon as the franchise can be secured and the contract let and the material and rolling stock secured. The 4th of July will probably see cars running in this city.

PROVIDENCE SCHOOL.—The following is the report of District No. 2, of Linn county, Oregon, taught by C. H. Jones, for fourth month of school, ending Feb. 15th, 1889. No. days attendance, 615; No. days absent, 105; No. times tardy, 5; No. of pupils enrolled, 36; daily average attendance, 31. Pupils not absent during the month: Adda, George and Willie Leeyer, Loffa and James Arnold, Frankie and Willie Bostwick, Lizzie and Harley Young, Ora and Ernest Miller, Dee, Bell, Jessie and Noah Miles, Walter Smith, Emma, Gerlie, Georgia and Alta Davis, Lole and Mittie Kelso. Names of persons who visited the school were Mrs. Miles, Bostwick, Davis, Williams and Coffelt and F. Gaines, Sam Paul, W. C. Miles, W. H. Young, F. Smith, C. Foren and O. Hasler.

DISGUSTED.—Said a disgusted tramp to his New York associates on his return from a western tour: "They said I would find wonderful advance in the west, but I didn't find a man who would advance me a cent." Had he gone to Conn Bros., Albany, Oregon, he would have been able to buy groceries, of a splendid quality so cheap that even a tramp could not growl. They are in the advance in this respect.

ROCK CREEK.—A big dance at Mill City Friday night. It is reported that the contract has been let for building the tunnel, and hence expectations are great.

To become a policeman in Seattle a man must be 5 feet 10 inches in height, be between 25 and 45 years of age, must weigh 165 pounds. The present force of that city numbers 28. In Albany there are a marshal and two policemen, and to become one of the latter it takes four votes in the council.

At its last business meeting the Astoria Building & Loan Association loaned \$9,800, at 61 and 58 months advance.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—W. H. Roberts, Cleveland, Ohio; W. T. Pease, city; C. D. Lawson, Salem; J. Wright, J. Hunsaker, F. A. Knapp, J. G. McCollum, Portland; H. Wolf, A. D. Rockfellow, Portland; W. Orain; E. C. McNeil, B. Cogswell, Eugene; Morris Milton, E. Harrison, F. Rowe, S. Mooser, H. F. Hiller, H. Morgenthau, S. F.; E. G. Isaacs, Cal; D. Griffin; A. Meins, city; C. H. Roberts, Independence; R. Satterthwaite, Mill City; J. T. Domes, W. H. Gore, Medford.

ST. CHARLES.—J. M. Ralston, Lebanon; W. A. Wells, E. McConnell, M. S. Neugass, W. Baldwin, Corvallis; C. P. Stayton, Elma; W. T.; M. S. Sparks, Cal; John Estes, Salem; C. S. Clark, Norton; Geo. Kline, Portland; M. Likins, Minn.

RUSS HOUSE.—A. Douglas, Minn; R. M. Hanson, Corvallis; A. M. Esson, Newport; F. Bennett; A. Sheldon; S. L. Smith, Biggs, Cal; G. Scott; G. W. Taylor; John Dickens; J. J. Leabo; W. J. Poffrath, Minn; A. E. Hays, Mich; J. F. Fittsford; C. Brown; A. Brink, Salem; J. L. Pitchford; C. H. Roberts, Harrisburg; D. W. Kennard, W. H. Kennard, Iowa; E. A. Mansfield; J. F. Cook.

HOME AND ABROAD

Street cars.
Good weather.
Will you build?
Council to-night.
Lively times ahead.
Real estate market lively.
New goods at W. F. Read's.
Washington's birth day Friday.
Bargains in boots and shoes at Read's.
Sam May, of Harrisburg, is in the city.
There is a famine in the interior of Russia.
Keep your eyes open for swindlers and dead beats.

\$100,000,000 is to be spent improving the English navy.

For a Sterling or Emerson piano call on G. L. Blackman.

Dr. Negus removes cancers without the knife or pain.

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

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

G. L. Blackman is agent for the Weber piano. None better.

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.

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

A fine seven-eighths short horn young calf for sale. Inquire of N. A. Blodgett.

Speaking of natural gas we'd like to know where there's more of it than at Salem.

\$14,608 was the size of Salem's woolen mill subsidy, \$415 being added, yesterday.

I have reduced prices on all heavy wear in boots and shoes. Call early at W. F. Read's.

G. W. Smith is spending this week in Portland on business and with relatives and friends.

The Western Cottage and Packard are two of the best organs made. G. L. Blackman sells them.

A fresh supply of horse radish and a barrel of very fine sauer kraut received to-day at F. L. Kenton's.

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

A fearful earthquake at Costa Rica ruined hundreds of houses, thousands of people being left homeless.

Fifteen acres in the suburbs of Vancouver yesterday sold for \$15,000. Not so good a place as Albany either.

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

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

Next fall and winter promise to be a remarkably prosperous season. The state legislature will not meet then.

At a parlor meeting in Corvallis recently this question was debated: "Are drugs necessary in the cure of disease?"

The Albany police are now uniformed and cut quite a swell. —Journal. More than that they are as useful as ornamental.

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

To-day is the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Order of Knights of Pythias. The Salem and other lodges will have a silver anniversary.

Jos. Webber, Jr., and wife, the latter of whom has been visiting in the city several weeks, left for Corvallis to-day on their way to Portland.

Mr. Thomas, of Minneapolis, is in the city. He says Albany has the best prospects of any place in the valley, and he intends investing here.

People talk a great deal about the wealth of the Vanderbilts and Goulds. We'd like to know just for a change, the exact wealth of the Smiths.

One of the bills introduced in the legislature provided that abusive language should be punished the same as assault. Of course it failed to pass.

Rev. McDermoth, representing the Portland hospital, has been in the city with a view to establishing a branch hospital here, an institution greatly needed.

"What are all these people to do in town," is a question a Los Angeles paper once asked. They ate boom as long as they could stand it and then rode off on a brakebeam.

A drummer who came down from Lebanon this morning said five men were arrested there yesterday for attempting to break into the bank. There proved to be nothing in it at all.

Rev. Acheson, of Oakville, recently received a letter from a young lady in the east, asking if there was any chance for her getting a position in one of the dry goods stores there.

Every city in Oregon that has a new block or public building erected begins to talk of a boom. This word boom is a nuisance. The less boom we have the better. They had booms at Los Angeles and San Diego.

Spokane Falls has 17 dry goods and 25 grocery stores, 15 hotels, 41 saloons, 41 real estate firms, 11 meat markets, 13 cigar stores, etc., etc., the city licenses from which yield \$32,000 per annum.

Portland's great daily knows on which side its bread is buttered by a big majority. It is the most advertised concern in the northwest. As a sample, the last weekly Astorian uses the name Oregonian forty-one times.

Coleman's hotel, the variety theater, Mr. Henderson's residence and several barns were burned at Eugene City yesterday morning. There was an insurance of \$3500 on all of the property, while the loss was several times that. It started in the rear of the theater, a new institution, with a bad reputation, and was probably incendiary.

Mrs. Jones, mother of Harry Jones, of this city, is ill at her home in Drain Station with the smallpox. She had been taking care of a young woman supposed to have the fever, but which proved to be this dread disease. Mr. Jones who had been in Portland went home last night accompanied by a nurse.

ON THE SOUTHERN BOUNDARY.

Feb. 16th, 1889.

Since our last this community has been visited by a wedding, a death and a fire. The wedding was that of Miss Emma Vaughan, daughter of T. J. Vaughan, and J. W. Shumate, of Eugene, and was a very quiet one. The death was that of W. A. Purdy, the hop grower, a notice of which has already appeared in the DEMOCRAT. The fire was the residence of T. J. Vaughan which was burned to the ground the afternoon of Feb. 11th, most of the furniture was saved and all the windows and doors in the lower story. There was no insurance on the buildings.

Bush Taylor and family, of Colfax, W. T., has been visiting friends and relatives here recently.

It seems that the coyotes are making things lively for people along the foothills, they are said to be more numerous than ever before and there is some talk of a general hunt to exterminate them.

George Allingham is home again after a short sojourn in Monroe, where he has been assisting Mr. Thompson in his store.

Farmers have been sowing grain until the last three days, which have been too unsettled for field work. Most of the plowing for spring crops is done.

Mr. Beeler, agent for the State Insurance Company of Salem, was canvassing our neighborhood last Thursday and insured the residence of J. Q. Vaughan and perhaps others.

We were visited by the Assessor this week consequently taxable property is very low just now, but will soon rise.

Miss Nellie Willoughby is very low again with but little, if any hopes of recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher, of Salem, were visiting at Mr. Getchell's last Sunday.

The new road along the boundary is already located in the minds of the residents, but we'll venture to say that the survey does not agree with their views.

A party of hunters came down from Eugene the first of the week snipe shooting. They were said to have been unsuccessful and bagged but few birds.

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

WEATHER INDICATIONS.—For the 12 hours beginning at 12 o'clock, noon.

Rain.

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.

H. Ewert, practical watchmaker and jeweler.

BORN.

ANDERSON.—On Sunday, February 17, 1889, in Albany, to the wife of Mr. Peter Anderson, the blacksmith—a 10½ pound boy.

KLEIN.—On Sunday, Feb. 17, 1889, in Albany, to the wife of A. Klein—a girl.

DIED.

MCBRIDE.—On Monday, February 18, 1889, at the residence of Mr. Bamford, in Corvallis, of typhoid fever, Miss Florence McBride, of Oakville, aged 18 yrs., 8 mos., 16 days. The deceased was a young lady of bright intellect, great purity of character and sweetness of disposition. She was a member of the United Presbyterian Church of this city, and leaves many relatives and friends through the county to mourn her loss.

Funeral services occurred at Oakville this afternoon and were attended by several from Albany.

ANNUAL MEETING.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the Opera House in Albany on Monday, March 18th, 1889, at 7:30 p. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting.
Dated Feb. 19th, 1889.
W. F. READ, Secretary.
W. C. TWEEDALE, President.

WANTED.—Girl to do general house work.
E. E. MONTAGUE,
Albany, Or.

WANTED.—A young, fresh milk cow. Apply to O. C. Olsen, Third street, two blocks east of the ditch.



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.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, the Administrator and Administatrix of the estate of J. W. Tyner, deceased, have filed in the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, their final account and said Court has appointed

Monday, the 1st day of April, 1889, for the hearing of objections thereto and the settlement thereof, and same will be heard at one o'clock, p. m. of said day at the Court House in Albany, Oregon, February 19th, 1889.
LEONARD TYNER, Adm'r.,
MRS. MARY TYNER, Adm'rix, etc.,
J. P. GALBRAITH,
Attorney for Adm'rs.

WE ARE NOW IN THE FIELD FOR BUSINESS

for 1889 and respectfully call attention to our stock of

Groceries, Confectionery, Etc.

We shall endeavor at all times to serve our customers in the best possible manner. We always aim to purchase goods of the best quality and to sell them at the lowest cash prices. In addition to our groceries business we receive subscriptions for all the leading newspapers and magazines. Also take orders for all kinds of rubber stamps, seals, etc. We cordially invite all who have not done so to favor us with their patronage. We hope by fair dealing and careful attention to business to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon us,

Very Respectfully,

F. L. KENTON.