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LOCAL RECORD.

KICKED IN THE FACE.—Wednesday evening Mr. R. N. Williamson, at Well's Station, was driving a young horse which he was breaking, when the animal became frightened at the top of the buggy and becoming unmanageable began kicking and running, throwing Mr. Williamson on to his heels.

INSANE.—Mr. Henry Ridenger who lives in this city on Wednesday developed symptoms of insanity when down town. He sang and made considerable noise and was finally taken home and medical aid summoned.

MIGHTY SLOW.—That is the way the Statesman heads its woolen mill item this morning. \$19,019 was the amount raised last evening. Only \$110 was raised yesterday.

A NEW BUSINESS.—Mr. L. Viereck is erecting a wooden building on his Broad-albin Street block, to be 14x35 feet, and to be occupied by Mr. Gilmour, Mrs. Chadler's new son-in-law, as an upholstering establishment.

A KENO BALL.—The Keno hall looked well on the night of the 22nd inst. Attached to the ceiling was a hand, above the wreaths and banners, lifting the American flag from the head of an artistically draped cradle, leaving room for several big thoughts beneath the starry drapery and allowing the stripes to hang carelessly over the side.

A GRADUAL CHANGE.—A California gentleman has just been in Albany for the third season. The first time he didn't like the country, the second time he was more favorably impressed and this time he thinks there is nothing like it on the face of the globe and will send money here to be invested.

ENTERPRISING.—Albany has an enterprising real estate firm in Burkhardt & Keency. They publish a monthly paper for the benefit of immigrants, and hire a young man to distribute them on the north bound passenger trains at Ashland, thus giving people an idea of, and an interest in their city before reaching there.

SALEM'S NABBY.—This morning R. Dearborn assumed his position as Postmaster at Salem, and if he is treated the way his predecessor was will fill the office during the entire administration of President Harrison and into the next when it may be too late to get another Republican R. M. there for several years.

TAKE IT.—A copy of the enlarged EVENING DEMOCRAT placed under the vest and covering the lungs is an excellent chest protector against the pneumonia that is now so prevalent. A fresh one should be had every evening just before supper. We deliver them daily, Sunday's excepted, at 15 cents per week.

NEW MINES.—Mr. Jud Mealy, of Sweet Home precinct, was in the city a few days ago with some rich gold ore which he took out of the ground at Upper Soda. He claims that they have struck it rich there, and our real estate column will show the confidence in gold there by the number of claims taken up.

HEAVY COLLECTION TOWN.—The total amount of collection taken up during Mason Long's two meetings in Salem was but \$13. Light and fuel cost him \$10, so says the Journal. That is the way reformed men get rich, as some people imagine. Mr. Long, though, derives his revenue mostly from the sale of his book.

WILL BE CLERK.—George Waggoner has been appointed clerk of the Legislature's new R. R. Commission for two years. That's next to being a Commissioner, and will be just as much of a sinecure. Mr. Waggoner deserves it as much as any republican.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

As recorded in the Recorder's office for Linn county, Oregon: R Koehler to Ed Huston, 5 lots M's 2nd A. \$925

CURRENCY.

The railroad commission will cost Oregon \$21,000 a year, and will offer nothing in return. It is the greatest sinecure ever offered in the state and is a good deal like a bonnet without a woman.

Under the present literary taste some novel has to have a big run and be talked about and dursed and all that. Now it is Robert Elsmere, and to-morrow something else.

AN ALBANY M. D.—The Lebanon Express gives an Albany physician the following notice: "Dr. W. C. Negus, whose address appears in another column, is an old Union soldier who was terribly wounded and disabled in the dreadful fight on Missionary Ridge while surgeon of a New York regiment.

FOR NEWSPAPERS.—A little legislation was enacted for the newspapers this year. It is the law framed by Senator Veatch, and its object is to stop the practice which some newspapers have, that of sending papers to persons whether an order for the same has been received or not.

ATE A BOY.—Twenty nails, a screw, two pieces of lead pipe, a piece of glass, two oyster shells, two clam shells and a handful of bird shot was found in the stomach of a Connecticut cow that died suddenly. That cow had either made a meal of a small boy, or in some way obtained the contents of the urchin's pocket, for nothing short of a boy's pocket could ever supply her with such a motley collection.

ENLARGED.—The daily and weekly DEMOCRAT hereafter will appear somewhat enlarged, in fact just as big as our press permits. We propose to continue to make the DEMOCRAT as good a paper as we know how, and are willing for the public to be the judge and jury.

Fresh garden and grass seeds at Stewart & Sox's.

HOME AND ABROAD

New goods at W F Read's. Bargains in boots and shoes at Read's. The Lebanon Express is a solid Blaine paper.

Fresh garden and grass seeds at Stewart & Sox's.

The Oregon Pacific boats are now rushed with business.

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.

Just for down right crowing commend us to the Roseburg papers.

Yesterday the Bentley's stuck on a bar near Salem so low in the water,

W H Beadle assumes charge of the Indian school at Salem to-day.

Plant some of those silver skin onion sets, for sale at Stewart & Sox's.

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.

Another large house greeted Mason Long last evening at the W C T U hall.

There are 440 children in the Roseburg school district between the ages of 4 and 20.

Mr. Clark, of Clark's mills, is in the city. He reports a great scarcity of cougars up there.

Georgia minstrels next Monday. The papers everywhere speak very highly of them.

D H Shaw has been appointed nightwatch at Lebanon. He will be paid by the business men.

Mr. L. Viereck has purchased of W H Goltz, 20 acres adjoining the city paying \$5000 for the same.

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

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

The government work at Corvallis is now to be finished, else that city will be without a river.

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 Misouri Steam Washers warranted to do as recommended.

Mrs B E Hyman has just sold to Mr Tryon, residing near Albany, a fine \$500 Hemme & Long piano.

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

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

The Dolce Far Niente dance last evening was well attended and those who participated say they enjoyed themselves hugely.

Hon E B McElroy, is now department commander of the G A R of Oregon. A good selection. He will put the snap in any position he may fill.

Yesterday Mr J C Wadsworth recently of Kansas, purchased of C E Stohrer, 160 acres near the O P R R on the Coast range, paying \$850 for the same. He will use it for stock purposes.

Mrs Celia Burkhardt is making arrangements to plat fifty acres of land just east of J A Gross' fine suburban place, and put it on the market as an addition to the city.

The New York World has offered a 20-dollar gold piece for the most remarkable dream, and mince pies are in consequence in demand among the competing Gothamites as an article of diet just before retiring.

There was one man at least who didn't think the treasury was accumulating too much of a surplus. He was an eccentric Long Island, N Y schoolmaster, who, dying two weeks ago, bequeathed all his property, amounting to about \$25,000 to the United States Government.

J H Albert and I Vauduyn yesterday afternoon purchased the Lewis and Allen tract of 212 acres lying south of the University addition. They paid for it \$22,000. It will make a very desirable addition.—Journal.

We would like to see any land near Albany in this county be bought for \$100 an acre.

A novel lottery scheme is proposed in Russia. A young woman of noble birth is the chief prize. Her name is to remain a secret until after the drawing, and the total receipts from the sale of tickets, amounting to 5000 roubles, are to be her marriage portion.

The holder of the lucky ticket is to marry the young lady, or if she won't marry him she is to forfeit to him half of the receipts.

Weather.

Summary of Meteorology for Feb., 1889, from observations taken at Albany, Linn Co. Oregon, by John Briggs, vol. observer for the Signal Service, U S Army.

Highest barometer on the 25th, 30.26. Lowest barometer on the 12th, 29.48. Mean barometer for the month, 29.99.

Highest daily average of bar, 30.23. Lowest daily average of bar, 29.53. Highest temperature on the 26th, 65. Lowest temperature on the 16th, 16. Mean for the month 44.24.

Highest daily range of ther. on the 25, 30. Lowest daily range of ther. on the 14th, 5. Mean temperature at 7a. m. daily 37.2. Mean temperature at 2p. m. daily 52.67. Mean temperature at 9p. m. daily 42.3. Prevailing directions of wind, N. and S. Maximum velocity force, 2. Total rainfall or melted snow, 0.95 inches. Depth of snow at end of month, 0. Number of days on which .01 inch or more rain fell, 9. Number of days of cloudiness average 8 scale of 10, 5. Of 24 observations 27 were clear, 19 cloudy, 7 fair, 12 foggy, 3 rain, 8 hazy, 4 overcast, 3 snow. Light frost on the mornings of 7 days. Killing frost on the mornings of 4 days. Temperature, 73.55 on an average of 10 years. Rainfall—4.50 on average of 10 years.

H. Ewert, practical watchmaker and jeweler.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Edited by Albany W. C. T. U

Illinois has four bills for local option and a constitutional prohibitory amendment before its Legislature. One of the bills proposes taking the licensing power from municipalities and giving it to county authorities. No license to be granted for less than \$1,000.

The high license fallacy was pretty well shown up during the recent session of the State Alliance in Albany. Mrs. Narcissa White Kinney made a most admirable address, chiefly on that subject. She was followed the next evening by Major Hilton, on the same subject, in perhaps the best effort made by him in Albany. If the people of Albany and those in attendance on the Convention were not enlightened as to the workings of that system, it was certainly not the fault of the speakers. And if not convinced of the utter failure of high license as a temperance measure, they were surely wilfully blind, and none are so blind as those who will not see.

Edward Atkinson says that the distribution of bakers' bread after it is baked, now costs the average working man of the cities as much as it does to grow the wheat, mill it, barrel it, move it 1,500 miles and convert it into bread. A strong argument for teaching our girls breadmaking, so their families will not have to depend upon bakers.

We can congratulate ourselves as a people upon having won an effective law for prohibiting the sale of tobacco in its various forms to minors. If our officers will now take hold of the matter and see that the law does not become a dead letter, as so many other good laws have we will soon see fewer boys sauntering around our streets with cigarettes in their mouths. If the men must and will use the noxious weed, in the name of humanity let us use the power now given us to keep it away from the boys, that its direful influences may in the next generation at least, be somewhat mitigated.

The new Common Council of Detroit, Mich. has in it fourteen liquor dealers. A sorry chance for honest legislation there.

Bonfort's "Wine and Spirit" circular says: "That in Pennsylvania features in trade have been lost sight of at the present time, as the liquor men are absorbed in the question of prohibition, and adds: 'There will be no foolishness this time; the line of action will be High License vs Prohibition.'"

It is stated that in Massachusetts the liquor dealers propose to spend a million of dollars in fighting the amendment if necessary.

The brandy cigarette is the latest device of the devil for ruining the youth. It is made of tobacco that has been soaked in brandy, and the smoker is enabled to keep mildly intoxicated without touching a drop of liquor.

KEEP POSTED.

Wheat, 70 cents. A full line of Child's bath tubs at G. W. Smith's.

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.

BETTER ATTEND.—The annual school meeting will be held at the Court House next Monday evening. Our citizens should turn out too as it is an important matter, if nothing more than to display an appreciation of the efforts of our directors to give Albany a good school.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—W J Traphagen, J H Bacon, Chicago; L Hirsch, G H Holbrook, L Wasserman, Portland; P Ferguson, C Baron, O P R R; T E Heron, Turner; C Piper, J M Keene, Salem; J A Bilyeu; F T Barlow, Oakland; M L Hass, A M Cary, H A Lawson, S F; C Hardin, N Y; G H Burt, Shedd; G Morrow, Scio; John Capp, Pilot Rock.

ST. CHARLES.—J H Andrews, T S Townsend, D R Strauss, Portland; P Cunningham, Sweet Home; L Black, S F; J H Roos, Mrs Kuy Kendall, N Hudson, A Evans, A Praeger, A Peterson, Portland; Miss Mattie Burnett, Miss G Heffelman, Corvallis; E Washburn, G Washburn, Albany; M Mayer, Boston; C Lippman, Penn; J E Ransom, Chicago.

RUSS HOUSE.—G Robertson, Independence; W Lane, Toronto, Canada; G W Haydon, McPherson, Kan; D W Tilton, Coburg; Jas Morrison; J Holaday; M I Kaufman, Peoria, Ill; Mrs Baldwin, Corvallis; D Myers, Scio; J H Jones, city; W P Krauer, Minn; C H Wolf, Sheridan; S C Singhtery, Harrisburg; H Willard.

GOLDEN RULE BAZAAR.

Cash Goes 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.

These goods are all iron stone China and not a cheaper grade of goods. I have also added a good stock of groceries, which I ask people to call and examine and judge for themselves as to equal and prices.

JULIUS GRADWOHL.

J. F. WHITING,

Artistic Painting,

BANNERS, SIGNS, DESIGNS,

Wood Engraving and Mechanical Drawings

LETTERING A SPECIALTY.

Rooms 8 and 9 Foster Block

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.

SCHOOL ELECTION.—Notice is hereby given that the regular annual school election in School District No. 5, Linn county, Oregon, will be held at the Central school house in said school district on Monday the 11th day of March, 1889, for the purpose of electing one director to serve three years and one clerk to serve one year. Said election to begin at 2 o'clock p. m. and continue until 6 o'clock p. m. of said day. By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated February 23rd, 1889, C. G. BURKHART, District Clerk.

L. FLINN, Chairman.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.—Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school District No. 5, Linn county, Oregon, that the regular annual school meeting of said school district will be held on Monday, the 4th day of March, 1889, at the hour of 7 o'clock, p. m. of said day, at the Court House in the city of Albany, Or., for the purpose of hearing the reports of the directors and clerk and to levy a tax for the support of the school for the ensuing year. Also for the purpose of levying a tax for the purpose of paying interest on the bonds of said school district, and for the transaction of any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors, L. FLINN, Chairman Board of Directors.

C. G. BURKHART, District Clerk. February 15th, 1889.



A KNOCK DOWN ARGUMENT.

That is the kind of argument we are making. 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 pre-eminence 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. Broad-albin and 1st St., Albany, Or.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

DR. W. C. NEGUS.—Graduate of the Royal College, of London, England, also of the Bellevue Medical College. The Doctor has spent a life time of study and practice and makes a specialty of chronic diseases, removes cancers, scrofula enlargements, tumors and wens, without pain or the knife. He also makes a specialty of treatment with electricity. Has practiced in the German, French and English hospitals. Calls promptly attended day or night. His motto is: "Good Will to All." Office and residence Ferry Street between Third and Fourth Streets.

WANTED.—Three girls for general housework. Extra wages. Inquire of Chas. Metzger & Co.

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 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 done so to favor us with their patronage. We do so to favor us with their patronage. We do so to favor us with their patronage.

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

Albany Furniture Co.

NEW GOODS

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

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