

LOCAL RECORD.

DURING A YEAR.—During the past twelve months the number of deaths of pioneers in this county has been remarkably large. Slowly the men who built up this grand county and made it the garden spot of the State are passing off, in most cases at advanced years. As there has been considerable comment on the subject we give a list as nearly complete as we could secure it. James Garrett, Levi Fanning, Martin Costello, W H McFarland, Geo B McKinney, Willis Gates, J R South, J W Tyler, Martin Wertz, Hiram Smith, Jas Shields, Thos Humphrey, W R Cannon, John A Robinson, R S Burkhardt, Jas Ridgeway, Chas T Ingram, Wallace Cushman, J J Davis, F Healy, Enoch Hout, Samuel T Althouse, Henry Penland, Nathan Bond, Samuel T Miller, John McDaniel, John McCoy, D P Porter, Thurston B Davidson, twenty-nine among the men besides a number of pioneer women.

A BIG HOUSE.—Nearly four hundred people witnessed the presentation of "The World Against Her" by the Grismer-Davies troupe. A more pleased audience rarely congregates in the Albany Opera House. The Company is a strong one in every instance. There are no "soups" in the cast. Every part, unlike in most troupes now-a-days is well filled. The play is an emotional one; but the third act alone has more comedy in it than some of the so-called comedies that once in awhile storm our valley towns.

BROWNSVILLE.—Brownsville is said to be showing a decided improvement this spring, particularly since the purchase of the woolen mills. The outlook is remarkably good for that place. An evidence of improvement is the establishment of a real estate office, the first, we believe in the history of the city. It is to have a \$5000 school house among other things. A writer to an Ex. from there sarcastically says: "We have no electric light plant nor street railway franchise, but we 'git thar EH' all the same."

LEBANON.—The railroad has had a new sidewalk and railing put up at the depot. The sidewalk is nearly twice as wide as the old one, and the danger of falling off is checked by the railing. M E Hearn has offered five dollars reward for the arrest and conviction of any person defacing this property. Messrs Ruff Hilt and Clint Gordon, who recently took a thousand head of cattle to Montana, returned Wednesday. The boys report having had a nice trip, although very rough at times. —Express.

BRINGS MONEY HERE.—Perhaps no institution in Albany brings as much money into the city from outside sources as Albany Farmers' & Merchants' Insurance company. This month the receipts in premiums will amount to about \$5000, and for the year it is safe to predict they will be \$100,000, or near that amount. Considerable comes from eastern cities, a check being received yesterday from one agency for \$500. This is an institution that is proving an honor to the city.

FIRST STRAWBERRIES.—On this 27th day of April, 1889, Mr Wm Peacock comes to hand with a box of fine strawberries raised in the open air, red, luscious berries that put to shame the California article. For years at this office Mr Peacock has received the first credit on the strawberry question. We only remember of one previous occasion on which the presentation was made at as early a date. Last year it was some later. The outlook is good for good crop.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 8.—Members of Company are by this order notified to assemble at the Southern Pacific depot, uniformed, armed and equipped, at 6:10 a. m., Tuesday, April 30th, for roll call. Done this 27th day of April, 1889, under orders of O H Irvine, Captain commanding F. Company, 2nd Regt. O. N. G. T. J. OVERMAN, First Sergeant.

TAXES.—County taxes are now delinquent, and the sheriff is anxious to have them attended to at once. Call at his office and save mileage. Arrangements are being made to visit different parts of the county, when mileage will be added.

SERIOUS RUNAWAY.—On Thursday Mrs Mally Brandenburg, of Harrisburg, was riding in a buggy when the horse became frightened, ran away, threw her out and hurt her quite seriously but not dangerous.

TWO SUITS.—Two suits were commenced to-day in the circuit court, one by W Chastain against the S P R R company to recover the value of a horse killed, and one by P A Moses for the value of two horses killed by the railroad.

DON'T FORGET.—This is Saturday evening and of course you will call at Kenton's and order your supplies for Sunday. Call early and avoid the rush.

SOLD.—A Burtenshaw's farm of 320 acres three Germans, \$5000. The Elkins farm of 210 acres near Lebanon, to James Hett, \$4200.—Express.

STRUCK OIL.—At \$1.25 per 5 gallon can of Standard No. 1 oil, at the Willamette Lumber Co.'s store.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Mr. Jack Dempsey has arrived in Portland. We advise him to keep away from Albany, as we have a couple youngsters here who wouldn't take a dare.

Of course it is necessary in dramas and stories to have people make fools of themselves, and then find out some awful mistake has been made, and repent and make up; but we would like to see one drama in which the fool of a husband who throws his wife off, believing everybody but her, would end the play at a whipping post. But, alas, it wouldn't do for a troupe with such a play to appear the second time. They would play to benches.

Nothing sounds more peculiarly in Oregon than thunder. It rattles our bones, as it were. Coming only once or twice a year a genuine thunder clap is a curiosity. Perhaps we don't have enough of the attendant electricity, but there is one thing on which we are to be gloriously congratulated, it saves being bored by electric light men.

Hereafter the prevailing price in Albany for shaving will be 15 cents. Everything else in Oregon dropped but the fees for shaving, now they have tumbled at least in this city. It may hurt some of the old settlers here to pay fifteen cents; but a majority of people will not kick.

Men coming from California here tell great stories about how the people of that state lie about Oregon. Some of them must live on ashes. On the other hand Oregon treats California more courteously than she deserves. We are not all gamblers and hoodlums here, and when a neighbor cuts down a cherry tree we don't immediately declare it was a whole orchard of red woods. Oregon is a better country than California, and some day the fact will be stamped on the pages of the history of the world.

\$1000 REWARD.—The following has been received by the valley banks from the Sioux City Savings bank. Here is a chance to make \$1000: "April 9th; a man, by fraud, secured from us our six months' certificate No 1815 for \$4000; also a pass book, No 3071, on which a credit of \$1500 was entered. We also gave him two \$1000 bills. Should any of these be presented, arrest the man and advise us by wire. We will pay \$1000 for his apprehension. He is a man about 60 years of age, with gray hair and full beard; his hair and beard streaked with red; about five feet, ten inches high, and weighs about 175 pounds; dressed plainly, but neatly; had both a slouch hat and silk hat; wore a Knights Templar charm on his watch chain, also a cluster ring with three diamonds. He had an innocent face and manner, well calculated to deceive."

To accommodate those wishing to visit Portland to attend the centennial celebration on April 30, a special train will be run on April 30 leaving Eugene at 4 A. M. and keeping 15 minutes ahead of the schedule time of the overland train. Excursion tickets will be on sale from April 29 to April 30. These tickets will be good to return until May 2. These tickets will not be good on the north bound California express trains. E. P. ROGERS.

TOWN TALK.—An immense shipment of Town Talk Savon soap received at Wallace & Thompson's, made especially for their trade. They knew it would cause the town to talk when the price, \$1 a box, was known, so they gave that name. The quality also is unsurpassed. It will slip away at a terrific rate at \$1 a box.

ELECTED.—6000 rolls of wall paper in an immense number of patterns at Fortmiller & Irving's, the finest line in the central Willamette Valley. It is an art gallery to see it all.

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.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.—For the 12 hours beginning at 12 o'clock, noon. Rain, nearly stationary temperature.

List your lands and city property for sale at the Willamette Valley Land Agencies Office, in St. Charles Hotel block, Albany, Or. SCHULTZ & HENDERSON.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—Mrs Baldwin, Corvallis; M C Bingham, Astoria; L Euphrat, G Lamb, H D Norton, W Gruhn, S F David Scott, Fox Valley; W H Hartless, Philomath; J A Bilyeu, Seilo; C F McMan, Nunda, N Y; W A Mathews, Oakland, Cal; H Kelley, H Smith, Salem; J Rayburn, Oregon; E Schmeer, Prineville; C C Cherry, Tacoma; Will G Emery, Klamath Agency; H Grader, Sacramento; C L Stanley, Eugene; J T Parkinson, Portland; A B McRae, O P R R.

ST CHARLES.—E C Harrington, M W Falger, G H Hewitt, F B Grannis, J A Tompson and wife, S F; D M Large, Mill City; T F Morray, Janesville, Wis; J A Beard, Lebanon; H J Cassidy, Chicago; G N Orcutt, Cal; G H Holbrook, J Reed, J M Bellinger, A L Bratten, P W Wineman, R F Wineman and wife, J M Keith, Portland; A A Whitney, Springfield, O; I Penthere, Salem; W C Crawford, Corvallis; S B Powers, F H Powers, Shedd.

RUSS HOUSE.—S C Wellcome, Seilo; A H Runner, Salem; B H Perkins; Nest Jones, Stayton; F M Healine and wife, Stayton; A W Dawes, Mill City; James Brett, Dakota; W C Waddell, N C; R Rankin; J Blumberg, Corvallis; J J Graham, Millers; S A Sanford, Millers; G N Green; S V Venable, Col; J K Roerden, S F; W C Robnett; Z Marple, Corvallis; Jas H Mahoney, Oakland; J Bryant, Oakland.

HOME AND ABROAD

Wheat, 66 1/2 cents. Town Talk. A second-hand organ for sale cheap at Mrs Hymans.

Buy your watches at French's. Big bargains. Miss Ida Montague, of Lebanon, is in Albany on a visit.

In Oskaloosa, Kan, the mayor and committee are all women. Mr John Merrill died at Fox Valley yesterday morning.

Fresh strawberries every morning at Wallace & Thompson's. Four Ashland houses are closing out at cost. What's the matter.

Side saddles and ladies riding aureingles at Thompson & Overman's. Thompson & Overman, agents for the great Dynamite buggy whip.

Pickles, 90 cents a keg at Conn Bros., until the present stock is sold. Finest line of rugs in the city just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.

Tubb's & Co's pure Manila twine, best quality, at Stewart & Sox's. Car load of Scio flouring mill flour just received at Bardue & Underwood's.

All competition promptly met at Conn Bros. 5 pounds of T for \$1. How is that. Church bells all over the United States will be rung next Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

A fine line of buggy harness and fly nets at Thompson & Overman's, the leading harness dealers. J A Beard, of Lebanon, has sold a half interest in his drug store to D C Holt, of Harrisburg.

An elegant line of silk table spreads, in beautiful designs, just received at Fortmiller & Irving's. Indian Agent B Coffey has been indicted by the U S grand jury for embezzling government funds.

A despatch from Dakota directed that the body of H B Morgan be delivered to W S Denham for burial. Just received at H Ewert's a fine line of ladies and gents watches and jewelry. A fine lot of diamonds in stock.

There was no foundation for the report that the woolen mills of Ashland were to be moved to Albany.—Yaguina Republican. The Dynamite buggy whip is catkin lined and gut center loop and warranted to give satisfaction. For sale by Thompson & Overman.

Leander Stiles and daughter, Estella, left on the O P train to-day to go to McCoy, in Polk county, on a visit to the son of the former. Funds are being raised in Salem for a preliminary survey of a railroad to Astoria. The survey will be something nice to have framed, and will cost \$2500.

Yesterday the Occident went down the river with ninety tons of wheat from Peoria, which looks very much as if Coryallus was not the head of navigation by fifteen miles. Mr Kelley, the contractor, already has the lumber ordered for the new street railway. 25 pound T rails will be ordered from St Louis and active operations will be begun by the 15th of May.

S P Barger, at Brownsville, has purchased the necessary machinery and will hereafter manufacture woven wire mattresses. These mattresses are now manufactured in three places in Linn county. The first loans of the Ashland building and loan association were sold at the adjourned meeting on Friday evening last—\$700 being knocked off at 36 months' advanced interest to Mr Sontichsen, and \$260 at five months' advanced interest to T W Lynch.—Tidings.

The following from the Albany correspondents of a paper called the War Cry will be startling news to many of our citizens: "We visit nearly every house in the place, and are received with a 'God bless you.' The Christian Church (which we occupy during our stay) is always filled with a beautiful audience. The people like the Army."

Pendleton "lays over" any other town of its size in the state in the matter of the number and enterprise of its hotel runners. At every train an amusing comedy is enacted with an irate passenger, overlaid with baggage and family, and two or three runners in the principal roles.—East Oregonian. Now, what's the matter of Albany.

There are two twin boys in the Lewisville, Polk county, school, who look so much alike that when one gets head in the class, the teacher has to ask him which boy he is, so as to give the right one the head mark. The only difference between them is in their names, and that one weighs a very little more than the other, but the teacher cannot take time to weigh them.—Cor. of Ex.

The following item from the Washington, D C, Star, will interest many in Albany: "Reading Clerk Giltry, of the senate, has two little girls Sallie and Helen, eight and six years old. There is exactly two years difference in their ages, both being born on the same day of the month. They are always dressed alike, and are pretty little girls."

I O Dickey, until recently one of the guards in the penitentiary, will soon have a ferry ready for operation on the river here. It will prove a great convenience to people living opposite the city in Marion county, and it is hoped remunerative to its owner.—Itensider. The DEMOCRAT is informed that Mr Dickey has given up the project and will return to the penitentiary.

C N Scott, receiver, Mr Mackay of Scotland, liquidator under the courts, and J McGuire, superintendent of the Oregonian narrow gauge railway lines in the Willamette valley, went up to Eugene the other day and thence to Coburg and over the line of the Narrow Gauge. There are many reasons to believe the road will be extended to Albany and probably also to Eugene.

SUMMER WRAPS.—Novelties in beaded and stockinet jackets just received. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

JUST RECEIVED.—F L Kenton has just received by last steamer a good supply of very fine California full cream cheese which will be sold cheap. Also received a new barrel of choice mixed pickles. He keeps a first-class stock of groceries and confectionery, and when in need of anything in his line you will do well to give him a call.

BORN. SHIELDS.—In Portland recently, to the wife of Jas Shields—a son.

ONE WAY.

E. O., April 26th, 1889. Editors Democrat:

Your sister city, Salem, is representing to emigrants who travel the O. S. L., through their agent, Mr. Drake, at Pendleton, that Salem is the only town in the Valley Drake boars the train when it stops and distributes pamphlets and maps representing Salem as a great metropolis, etc., etc. Salem is trying to boom by drawing the flow of emigration to its center. These train loads of home-seekers that arrive daily are generally settled by such schemes. Now if Albany will do something of the sort to divide the flow of emigration, she will get her share and be on equal footing with Salem or any other town in that particular. It is undisputed that Albany has a better prospect for a brilliant future than any other city in Oregon. Salem can delude these emigrants into the belief that Salem is the only town in the Valley, only as long as she can keep them from going further up the Valley. Yours Truly, E. OREGONIAN.

Look Here. A few of the best bargains in city property, which can be bought to-day:

- 2 lots in Hackleman's 2nd Add., \$725. 6 lots in block 41, Elm and 6th Sts., \$1400. 8 lots in Hackleman's 3rd Add., \$1800. 2 lots with 6 room house, block 41, \$1600. 2 lots with 8 room house and good barn on Baker St., \$2400. 2 lots with 6 room house on Jackson St., \$2000. 10 acres with 6 room house, (hard finish) large barn, good out buildings, 133 bearing fruit trees, 1/4 miles from Postoffice, \$5500. 10 acres on Fair ground road, 1 1/2 miles from Postoffice, \$1000. Willamette Valley Land Agency. SCHULTZ & HENDERSON, Office in St. Charles Hotel block, Albany, Oregon.

South Albany. A most desirable and beautiful location for suburban residences, owing to its natural advantages and nearness to the center of business. Compare the size, location, view and access to and from these lots, and you will be convinced of their merits. Call early and secure a home before the advance in price. Apply to TWEEDALE & REDFIELD, Agents. First door south of Post Office.

REAL ESTATE SALES. As recorded in the Recorder's office for Linn county, Oregon:

- Julia A Parker to M Hess, part of blk 15, E A, Albany, \$ 50. Jason Wheeler to J H Burkhardt, 1/4 of acre, \$ 1. A Hackleman to M E Ferrell, one acre, H's 3rd A, \$1200. A Hackleman to J R Stewart, 3 lots, blk 16, H's 4th A, \$ 425. P J Baltimore to R and H R Schultz, parts of lots 2 and 3, blk 15, E A, \$3500. E B Hackleman to A Hackleman, 16 acres near Albany, \$ 10. A Hackleman to A Wolvertan, 2 lots, blk 8, H's 3rd A, \$ 350. H Bryant to S and E Walpert, 200 acres near Brownsville, \$ 350. W H Raymond to F H Roscoe, lot 2, blk 23, Albany, \$1200. A fine line of gold head ed cases H Ewert's.

GIRL WANTED.—To do general house work. Address C. DEMOCRAT office or call at office.

FOR SALE.—Six lots in Block No. 41, Albany, from \$125 to \$325 per lot. These are the cheapest lots in the city, less than 10 minutes walk from P. O. high and dry. Willamette Valley Land Agency. SCHULTZ & HENDERSON.

Pure Brown Leghorn eggs at \$2 per setting. The Leghorns are the greatest egg producers now raised. Address, F. C. Hoffman, P. O. box 376, Albany, Or., or call at residence on 3rd Street between Montgomery and Railroad Street.

J. R. WINDFELL, J. C. JOHNSON, J. MAYERS, E. SHELTON. WINDELL, JOHNSON & CO., REAL ESTATE DEALERS AND MONEY BROKERS.

Conveyancing and all Notarial work promptly done. P. O. box, 806. Seattle, Washington.

Dr. J. J. West, the old and reliable physician, has located permanently at 196 East Sixth street, where he is prepared to treat all kinds of diseases in a careful manner. He readily LOCATES A DISEASE, and gives its name and origin by examining six places on the breast and two under the shoulder blades. He manufactures his own medicines and gives consultations and information free. Call on him for experienced treatment.

Miss Minnie Parker, of Portland, has opened an art studio in Flinn's block, and will give instructions in OIL PAINTING, at reasonable rates. Mt. Hood, Three Sisters and other local scenes executed by Miss Parker may be seen at her studio. The public is invited to call and inspect them.

City Meat Market. SHULTZ BROS., Proprietors. Keep a full line of meats of all kinds, in a cool place, completely protected, and always fresh. Also have constantly on hand salmon and other fish.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Edited by Albany W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting of the Union will be held on next Tuesday afternoon. Let the attendance be full. The last meeting was an interesting one. The new President appointed her committees and a part of her superintendents. A complete list will be published as soon as all appointments are made. The new year opens very auspiciously and good work in many of the departments may be expected.

Miss Kate Field recently gave in Washington a "reception" with an anti-prohibition address, followed by an elegant wine supper.

The matron of "The Tombs" of New York City, Mrs. McAuliff, was asked in a recent interview, "what was the chief cause of crime among women under her care in the city prison," she promptly responded "cheap drink." The women often tell her that they can get trusted for all the drinks they want at saloons. "Drink," says the matron, "is the root of all evil. Every crime, every wrong deed is the result of drink. And sending women to the Island does more to promote the evil than anything else." "No woman," she adds, "who serves a term on the Island ever reforms." These unfortunate women become helpless slaves of the drink appetite, and sacrifice everything for it. The State owes them protection by closing the doors of temptation, and sheltered homes, with industrial opportunities, should be provided for them. They are neglected and ostracized by society at its own peril.

Kid Gloves! Kid Gloves!! I have just received a full line of kid gloves branded Our Own. This is a genuine kid glove. I buy direct from importers in New York and consider them the best value of any glove I ever sold for this price. 5 button, 3 rows of stitching, \$1.50 per pair. S. E. YOUNG.

THIS WEEK ONLY.—Fine mixed or plain pickles for \$1 a keg. Having sold out all those fine peaches last week we now give you an opportunity to buy pickles cheap this week. WALLACE, THOMPSON & CO.

Grand Master Workman, Mr. Powderly, is a grand man and not afraid to say just what he thinks. His views on all questions of labor are clear and his utterances forcible. He does not hesitate to urge temperance. He measures upon the organization he represents, stating his position in a manly, straight forward way. In a recent interview he said: "Some men say to me, 'whatever the Lord has put in this world is for a use. Here is liquor. Isn't it to be used?' Yes, and the Lord put iron ore in these mountains, but He never intended that it should be made into Jimmies and burglars' tools. If men will not listen to advice and reason, if their appetites have become so depraved as to lead the brain, then the temptation should be removed; and there is no more effective way of doing this than through absolute prohibition. If a man is known to have a mania for suicide the law will prohibit him from taking his life in so sudden a manner; and I see no reason why we should not establish a law which will prohibit a man from not only taking his own life by slow degrees, but ruining the hopes of salvation hereafter, and the temporal happiness of wife and children. And now that the question has come before the people of Pennsylvania I shall vote for prohibition."

JUST RECEIVED, a nice line of Parasols, Henriettas in Black and Colors, Carpets and Clothing. Boots, Shoes, Clothing, Carpets, AND GROCERIES, at greatly reduced prices. A. B. McIlwain.

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 grocery 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.

LOOK OUT FOR LOW PRICES. FURNITURE. I am now retailing furniture at my factory at cost. People wishing furniture can do well to look here for bargains, as I am going to sell very low for the next 30 days. Come and examine my goods before purchasing elsewhere. Factory at the river end of Lyon Street. C. J. DILLON