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RATES WEEKLY.

LOCAL RECORD.

A PRINCELY CAR.—Dr Seward Webb, president of the Wagner Car Co, passed through Albany yesterday morning in his platina car, "Elsmere," lighting up the heavens, as it were, with the grandeur and glitter of its make up.

WENT TO SALEM.—This noon, D P Mason, Geo Humphrey, W B Barr, C E Wolverton, L C Marshall, W R Bilyeu, G W Maston, Geo W Smith, J L Cowan, Chas Calen, Mr Farrell, H Bryant, Geo E Chamberlain, H P Webb, E R Prichard, of the Knights Templar Commandery of this city went to Salem to attend the funeral of M N Chapman, who died at that city Saturday evening.

STATE CAPITALS.—Salem is getting a grain of comfort from the fact that Boston is 6 times, Providence 5 times, Denver 3 times, Richmond 3 times, Little Rock 3 times, Indianapolis 3 times and Wheeling 3 times as large as any other cities in their respective states; and New Haven, Atlanta, Topeka, Des Moines and Nashville are far ahead of any other cities in their respective states, while in Alabama, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, Oregon and South Carolina the capitals rank second.

THEY COMPLAIN.—Our exchanges seem to be spreading themselves in giving L Samuels, of the West Shore, choice send-offs. The Olympian says: Mr Samuels, of the West Shore, was in the city yesterday collecting his bills for the meager write up and illustrations he gave this city.

A BIG RAFT.—A big raft is to be run from the Puget Sound to San Francisco this year. It will have about 5000 logs, as against the 25,000 in the big Joggins raft of last year on the Atlantic, but none will be less than 100 feet long, and the great size of the sticks, it is thought, will bring the amount of the lumber up to the amount of the eastern raft.

P. OF H.—Saturday, at Jordan Valley Grange hall, was held a big meeting of Grangers from all parts of the county. Hon R A Irvine, who attended from this city, reports a large gathering and a fine time. The next meeting will be held the second Saturday in June at Sand Ridge.

FOR THIRTY DAYS.—All goods bought at Ida M Brush's will be discounted at 10 per cent. She has an immense stock and all the latest Parisian styles. Special bargains. Call early while stock is complete.

SELL THEM.—Our Albany merchants are advised to sell their wire bustles before Miss Jenness Miller gets here. She reduced the price in Portland by her lectures from thirty-five to ten cents.

THE REASON.—We now know why the Albany company was treated so well. They were entertained by Co D, of Albany, whose captain is named Vinegar—something, we forget the last part.

A splendid stock of watches, jewelry, clocks, etc., at Will & Starks, many new things being just received. Also a fine line of gold headed canes. Call on them for bargains.

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.

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

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

HOME AND ABROAD

Wheat, 63 1/2 cents. 15 cent shaving at Viereck's. 8 tickets for \$1 at Viereck's. New dress goods at Mellwain's. A second hand organ for sale cheap at Mrs Hyman's.

The Wade—Leroy troupe play at The Dalles to-night. 3 chairs running steady at Viereck's shaving parlors.

Mr B F Tabler has gone into the real estate business in this city.

Side saddles and ladies riding surcingles 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.

It is thought wool will start in this season at 18 to 20 cents a pound.

A fine line of buggy dusters and fly nets at Thompson & Overman's, the leading harness dealers.

Mellwain can give you the best fitting suit you ever wore, at prices to suit each and every one.

An elegant line of silk table spreads, in beautiful designs, just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.

10 tickets for 25 cents and double teams 10 cents, are now the rates for crossing the Portland bridge and ferries.

Money can't buy better boots and shoes than Mellwain is selling, because better goods are not manufactured.

The Evening Transcript is here. It is Republican flatfooted. The other dailies in Astoria are simply independent.

It will be worth farmers' time to come around and see C H Dohl & Co's twine, while they are looking for twine.

The Dynamite buggy whip is eelskin lined and gut center loop and warranted to give satisfaction. For sale by Thompson & Overman.

Et-County-Clerk, M N Chapman, well-known in Albany, died at Salem Saturday night of bright's disease at the age of forty-two years.

At the last meeting of the H & L Co, F D Cusick, E F Wyatt and J D Guise were elected members of the Board of Fire Delegates. No. 1's and 2's will elect members to-night.

Rev S E Snyder, of Heiska, Mon., says that Mrs. Lillie White, alias Mrs Owen, who has been lecturing in the Valley, is a fraud. She hasn't been here yet.

Eyes even of land were bought near Albany recently for \$700 an acre, \$350 more than was paid for it a month ago. Just see our sister city boom!—Salem Journal.

Salem is preparing for a preliminary survey of a road to Astoria. This shows enterprise, and is the proper thing for that city to do. When a road reaches Astoria from the Valley, though, it will start from Albany.

Rain or sunshine a good buggy is needed in a city like Albany. Those carried by the Mitchell & Lewis Co., have to superior, and the price is the bottom one, because there are no middle men.

Mr McLaughlin, the tailor, is making arrangements to leave Albany, and will probably go to Chico, Cal., to locate. In the meantime, we understand, Mr W R Graham contemplates again opening a shop in the city.

The Northwest Mining Co. was organized at Corvallis Saturday by the election of directors. The object is to mine the Wyatt farm near that city for coal, gas or oil, or anything else they can find. A laudable purpose certainly.

The despatches to-day tell of the drowning of Chas B McHenry at San Francisco. McHenry was in the insurance business, and was well known in Albany, where he has been in the interest of the North British Insurance Co. a great many times. His father was a U P minister.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W B Scott, of Lane county, is doing the city.

R W Moses, Crawfordville's Naseby, is in Albany to lay.

Mrs Dr W H Davis returned from Harrisburg yesterday morning.

Ei Goin and Pete Smith, two of Scio's solid citizens are doing Albany to-day.

Dr E W Rossiter and wife, of Salem, are in the city visiting Dr Rossiter, of Albany.

Mrs R H Coshaw, of Joseph, Eastern Oregon, is in the city the guest of Judge Blackburn.

Mr Adams, of Halsey, is in the city making arrangements to open a branch agricultural implement house here for a Portland firm.

A private letter from "Jim" Foster shows him to be running a large gang of men on the C P R between Sacramento and Truckee, putting down new steel rails. His headquarters are Auburn, Cal.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

As recorded in the Recorder's office for Linn county, Oregon:

Lebanon Lodge, A F & A M to Jonathan Wassom, lot 54, Masonic cemetery, Lebanon, \$10

Thomas Alford to Harrisburg Grange, three quarters of acre, Scio, 1

I N Woodle to W C Cassell, 10 acres near Albany (bond for a deed) 1

Wm J Henderson to Wm Ralston, lots 1 and 2, blk 24, H's 2nd A., 1959

Louis Viereck to A W Reed, lots 2, 3, blk 6, V's S Albany A., 225

Louis Viereck to Mrs M L Cornwall, lots 3, 6 and 7, blk 5, V's S Albany, A., 325

Louis Viereck to Mrs W F Jewett, lot 2, blk 5, V's S Albany, A., 125

David Rice to Hiram Skinner, 60 acres of the Phillister Lee's D L C 2050

Advice to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain in the bowels, and wind colic, by giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25c. a bottle.

Don't fail to examine Mellwain's carpets. You will find them from 10 to 15 per cent cheaper than any other place in town, taking consideration the quality.

THAT FAMOUS LEDGE.

GOLDEN CITY, Or., May 3, 1889.

Editors Democrat:

Several of your readers have no doubt heard of the Burkhardt ledge. It has been called up here the lost ledge, as several parties have spent a long time looking for it, and have failed to find it and it was thought by some a myth. Lloyd Magruder, a prospector, while out hunting last October came upon a drill and spade gleaming up against a tree and began to investigate to see why it was placed there, when he came upon a ledge and supposing some lost miner had turned up his toes or some cougar had devoured him, bones and all, left drill and shovel as a monument for the unknown. We were talking to him one day and wanted to know if in his rambles he had ever run across a drill and shovel, and how to find it. And the 28th day of April we left camp just as the sun was coming over the mountains, to look for the lost ledge. We started up what is known as Dry Gulch, a deep and narrow canyon for two miles until we reached the summit of a high mountain which divides Canal creek and the north fork of the South Santiam. We then took the trail that leads to the meadows, following that along the summit for about four miles, climbing over logs and fighting our way through bushes until we were completely worn out; but hope spurred us on and by 11 o'clock found us in what was supposed to be the locality of this wonderful ledge. The first object that we beheld was a mountain of quartz and granite hundreds of feet high. My partner, after looking around at the immense pile, remarked something about lunch, and never was bread and butter and bacon more relished than at that particular time. The hungry dog that stood begging me for some of my lunch got nothing but crumbs.

We imagined ourselves Goulds and hereafter would ride in private cars. After lunch we commenced climbing down the mountain. One needs up here a buckskin pair of pants stuffed and plated with steel plates to insure softness in going down some of these canyons. We found the place without much trouble and when my partner sighted the rich yellow carbonite he shouted that it was King Solomon's mines. It looks to be a regular bonanza. The vein is about five feet wide and is called by Magruder yellow carbonite, the richest and highest silver ore to be found.

There is some talk of a quartz mill being put in here this summer, and there are several Portland capitalists interested in the mines here, and no doubt but it will be done. There will be several Portland men up here just as soon as the weather settles to see about it. Smith will commence placing the toll road in order right away so teams can get in here. There is as good prospects here for mines as there is in the country. Lloyd Magruder has commenced work on several of his ledges and just as soon as the weather will permit a number of men will be placed upon his different locations. Lloyd Magruder has just returned from Portland where he took down some ore, and ore from his Golden Fleece mine shows a surface rock eight and a half dollars, and down five feet in the ledge five hundred and thirty-five dollars, to the ton, the ledge is eight feet wide and the vein is two and one-half feet.

PROSPECTOR.

S. S. Convention.

PORTLAND, Or., May 3, 1889.

The Fourth Annual Convention of the Oregon State Sunday School Association will be held in the Presbyterian Church, Corvallis, commencing at 2 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday, June 4th and closing at 12 m. on Thursday, June 6, 1889. While this is a mass convention, and all interested in the work are most earnestly and cordially invited to be present, yet, to insure representation, all Sunday Schools in the state are requested to select two or more persons pledged to attend. Word comes to us from Corvallis that the friends of the work there will open their homes and hearts and take care of all who may attend the Convention. That they may know who are to be entertained, all those expecting to be present will confer a favor by sending their names to Prof W E Yates, Corvallis, that places may be assigned them. Arrangements have been made with the lines of the Southern Pacific Railroad in Oregon and the Oregon Pacific Railroad to return at one-fifth fare all those in attendance who have paid full fare in going to the Convention over these lines. Prof Henry Sheak, of Philomath, Oregon, is the Statistical Secretary of the Association, and he desires to secure a report from every Sunday School in Oregon. Will the proper officer of each school see that such a report is sent him in time for the convention? Pastors, Sunday School Superintendents and all interested in the work are requested to give this notice as wide publicity as possible.

E. W. ALLEN, President.

Some Bargains.

60 feet on First street with one brick and one frame store building, \$7500. Or 35 feet with the frame for \$3500, and 25 feet with the brick for \$4200. 2 lots with large house and barn on Elm street, \$1,300. 45 feet on Broadalbin street near 2nd St. \$2,200. 225 feet with good house and barn on Depot street, \$5,000. 1 lot, 7x110, good 5 room house, barn, etc., corner Railroad, \$1,600. Willamette Valley Land Agents. SCHULTZ & HENDERSON.

Progress.

It is very important in this age of vast material progress that a remedy be pleasing to the taste and to the eye, easily taken, acceptable to the stomach and healthy in its nature and effects. Possessing these qualities, Syrup of Figs is the one perfect laxative and most gentle diuretic known.

Evangelical Conference.

The Evangelical Conference closed at Corvallis Saturday evening. A strong resolution was passed on Sabbath desecration and the following on temperance:

Resolved, That we will endeavor, by all fair and available methods, to secure statutory provisions declaring it a misdemeanor to either drink or furnish to others intoxicating beverages in any way whatever.

The next conference will be held at Albany.

The members of the conference were stationed as follows for the coming year: Oregon district—C C Polling, P E; East Portland, L S Fisher; Albina, J L Hersher; St Johns and Lacamas, H L Pratt; Newberg, to be supplied; Dayton, J M Beauchamp; Salem E S Bollinger; In dependence, to be supplied; Suvar, O N Plovanin; King's Valley, G McElroy; Corvallis, I M Dick; Albany, I B Fisher; Columbia, M Burlingame; Nehalem, J A Ray; Sweet Home, Thos A Yost; Lafayette, F L Locke. Washington Territory district—J Bowersox, P E; Brooks, J Bowersox; Portland, H Schuknecht; E Portland, G F R, to be supplied; Milwaukie, H Bittner; Seattle, to be supplied; Tacoma, to be supplied; Sprague, A R Johnson; Spokane Falls, H I Bottner; Rockford, to be supplied.

The Weather.

Signal Service U. S. Army, Division of the Pacific, San Francisco, May 1st, 1889.

SUMMARY FOR APRIL, 1889.

The month has been marked by the absence of storms accompanied by dangerous winds. Copious showers have fallen during the month in Oregon, Washington Territory and Northern California and light showers in Southern California. The temperature has been much higher than usual in all districts.

The following table shows the distribution of the rainfall for the month and season up to May 1st, 1889:

Table with 5 columns: Stations, Normal rainfall, Total rainfall, Average rainfall, Total rainfall. Rows include Olympia, Walla Walla, Portland, Roseburg, Winnemucca, Red Bluff, Sacramento, Santa Rosa, San Francisco, San Jose, San Mateo, Santa Cruz, Fresno, Los Angeles, San Diego, Yuma.

WM. BELL, Sergt. Sig. Corps, Roseburg.

Business Change.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between S W Smith and Edward Washburn, under the firm name of Smith & Washburn, has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr A B Mathews having purchased the interest of Mr. Smith. The firm will hereafter be Mathews & Washburn. The new firm will assume all the indebtedness of the late firm and will collect all accounts due the same. A continuance of the liberal patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Albany, May 3rd, 1889.

S. W. SMITH, EDWARD WASHBURN.

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—J Freedland, F Metzgar, Portland; J Hohle, Medford; J Mack, Bay City, Mich; W Howe, E Cable, S H Gunn; O Miller, Tacoma; P A Bates, Yamhill; J N Knox, P R Kaewing, S F; D Bond, W Q Adams, Halsey; R Moses, Crawfordville; M B Stanford, Salem; E Goin, P O Smith, Scio.

ST CHARLES.—W W Wetzler, E Crumy, W A Cunningham, W A Turner, P J Purcell, Portland; W F Dugan, Salem; A A Whitney, Springfield, Ohio; A L Roberts, N Y; B M Cushman, Miss A Kirk, Brownsville; W R Southard, G W Herr, D E Kirtledge, Rochester, N Y; L E Gray and family, Max Baumgart and family, Mr Wright, Dr Ellis, S B Powers.

RUSS HOUSE.—M Peysler, R F Asby, C H Hart; D O Day, Eugene; D B Allen, Jefferson; A P James; M Hate; F Seclouka, Redding Cal; P Madden; I N Alford, Harrisburg; I Conklin, Salem; I A Miller, Yaqulna; W R Kirk, Brownsville; I D Rice, Grants Pass; J Gibson, Owatonna, Minn; D F Gorham, Ellington, Minn; G L Carlton, Ellington, Minn; J Eglin, Corvallis; A Lackey, Portland.

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one week only, commencing

MONDAY, MAY 13.

In the following strong repertoire of plays:

THE DIAMOND MYSTERY, FACING THE ENEMY, QUEENS' EVIDENCE, CLEAR GRIT, TICKET OF LEAVE MAN, TERRY THE WELL, THE COTTON KING, ETC.

Change of bill each night. Popular prices of admission, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Reserved seats at Blackman's, Secure them and avoid the rush.

Miss Minnie Parker,

of Portland, has opened an art studio in Finn'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.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

CLOVERDALE, Benton Co., May 2nd. Having purchased of Mr. Ashby Pearce his entire farm in Benton county, Oregon, the public is notified and forbidden from taking or removing therefrom any gravel, sand or loam from said premises.

F. L. SUEH.

CLOVERDALE, Benton Co., May 2nd. I am instructed by Mr. F. L. Sueh to prosecute any and all persons depositing dead animals upon his lands in Benton county, Oregon, formerly owned by Mr. Ashby Pearce.

CHAS. E. WOLVERTON, Attorney at Law.

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.

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.

For hand made harness goto E. L. Power

Farmers, if you want the best harness at hand made, call on E. L. Power, next to Democrat office.

Dr. J. J. West,

the old and reliable physician, has located permanently at 106 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.

Qwong Wa Gee Co.

MRS. JIM WESTFALL,

has just opened, next door to C. H. Spencer, and elegant line of

JAPANESE GOODS

of a large variety and many designs. Also a superior line of teas.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.—This is to certify that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Chas. Metzger and J. J. Dorris doing business under the firm name and style of Chas. Metzger & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent, J. J. Dorris retiring from the business. Chas. Metzger will collect all money due the firm and pay all debts of the firm.

Dated at Albany this 2nd day of May, 1889.

CHAS. METZGER, J. J. DORRIS.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

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.

JULIUS GRADWOHL'S Golden Rule Bazaar.

His stock has been enlarged so that it equals any on the Coast, and consists of

Roger Bros. Silverware, French China and Crystalware, Boys' Wagons, Doll Carriages, Fancy Goods, and a general assortment of Crockery and Toys.

He buys direct and carries the largest stock in the Willamette Valley, to which he has added a complete line of

FAMILY GROCERIES.

Is Agent for insurance companies with a capital aggregating \$75,000,000.

Not on parle Français. Hier wird deutsch gesprochen.

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I am now retailing furniture at my factory at cost. People will do well to look here for bargain, as I am going to sell the next 30 days. Come and examine my goods before purchase.

Factory at the river end of Lyon Street.

C. J. DILLON.