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LOCAL RECORD.

"CLEAR GRIT."—A large house greeted the Chicago Comedy Company last night on their fourth evening in Albany. "Clear Grit" was written by Mr. Val E. Love, who took the part of David Holt, and is a thrilling, rough and ready play. Mr. Love in his part of Snow Top does some strong acting. Bell Inman in the dual role of Mabel Holt and Reddy displays a versatile talent. One of the best sustained characters ever presented here was that of Chas. C. Patterson as Moses Levi. Jas. Devlin as the Senator displays his great genius as a comedian. The play is a live with thrilling adventures, and the presentation of it last night was enthusiastically received by the four or five hundred present.

To-night "Facing the Enemy." Remembrance of the Matinee to-morrow afternoon, when a handsome souvenir will be given to every lady present.

IN SALEM.—"Albany is determined to have street cars, whether or no, and has decided to build their cars at home. This morning a couple of gentlemen from that city were in the city and took the measurements and plans of Salem's cars, with the purpose of having them built similar. They have taken the measurement of every bolt and even the capacity of the lamps. Their idea in constructing their cars at home is to give employment to home labor and to save expense. It is doubtful if their cars will be as handsome as those running on the Salem line, as there is some fine workmanship on the cars here."—Journal.

How to Do It.—An exchange gives the following advice of "how to blow up a town without dynamite—oppose improvements; mistrust its public men; run it down to strangers; go to some other town to trade; lengthen your face when a stranger talks of locating in it; if a man wants to buy your property charge him two prices; if you can't hog everything, judge everybody by yourself, and accuse them of doing it; do not support the newspaper. Explain to the editor how much better and cheaper the city blanket sheets are."

A GOOD WIFE.—A good story is told about a man who has twelve acres of land in Seattle to sell. He asked \$850 per acre, and finally found a purchaser at that figure. His wife, however, refused to sign the deed, and the sale was off. Then he offered the land for \$1,000 an acre, and again a purchaser was found, and again the good wife exercised her royal prerogative and refused to sign the deed. The property is now for sale at \$50,000 for the twelve acres. Fortunately is the man who possesses a wife who knows how to sign deeds judiciously.

SQUEALED.—J. W. Haddock and L. W. Woods, of Princeton, bet on an election and the former lost, \$50 being the amount wagered. Then he brought suit against Woods and a few days ago a verdict, after a trial, was obtained in his favor. Betting is mean business, but it is meaner business to bet and lose and then squeal.

THE CROPS.—This is mean weather for fall wheat, and reports come from some quarters that the stalks look rusty; but it is true that some stalks look rusty every year, and the results may not be serious. Also in some places the fall wheat is being lodged, but how badly can not be told yet.

MANY LIKE HIM.—Willie Rock, a eleven years old Salem boy, disappeared Monday night and was not found until Thursday, when he refused to return to his home. He had concluded to go it alone because his parents insisted on his going to school. Deluded boy. Probably had gotten hold of a five cent novel.

WHY NOT.—Mr. A. J. Anslyn is investigating the street cars at Portland and Salem, with a view to bidding for the manufacture of the Albany cars. Mr. Anslyn has had years of experience, and if he can build a superior car right here at home it would be a feather in Albany's cap to have it done.

TAKE THIS ADVICE.—Instead of going home for your supper, or staying at home for it, go to the W. C. T. U. hall and get a fine lunch for only two bits, consisting of chicken, ham, eggs, biscuits, etc., with desert in the shape of strawberries and ice cream for 25 cents extra, or either for 15 cents. Sociability thrown in.

MARRIED.—Mr and Mrs. C. H. Monroe yesterday received a wedding card, announcing the marriage of Miss Veva Wiswell to Mitchell Gilliam at North Yakima, W. T., on the 11th inst. Miss Wiswell formerly resided in Salem and is the daughter of Oliver Wiswell, of Statesman. The bride has several friends in Albany.

ATTENTION, LADIES.—A new invention for dress-cutting taught in half hour for \$5, including scale. The agent for instruction of this system invites the ladies of Albany and vicinity to call and get a perfect fit. Mrs. S. W. Gilbert,oyer Golden Rule Bazaar, Albany, Or.

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.

REV. HARRIS DEAD.—Rev. J. W. Harris died at Salem on Thursday evening, May 16th, 1889, at the age of 58 years and 21 days. The following sketch of his life we take from the Statesman: "Mr. Harris was born in Cornwall, England, on the 25th of April, 1831. He was left an orphan when eight years old, and came to Wisconsin when twelve. He was what is termed a 'self-made' man, being entirely dependent on his own exertions. Deprived of educational advantages in childhood and youth, his early manhood was given to heroic effort to make up for the loss he so keenly felt. While successfully winning his way in obtaining an education he was brought to feel the claims of God upon his heart and life; at eighteen he yielded to the call, professed his faith in Christ the Savior, and united with the Congregational church in Union Grove, Wis. His college life was spent in Beloit, Wis. He began the work of the ministry in 1860, and through the years of his active working life, he served with great fidelity and acceptance the churches at Grand Rapids and Evansville, Wis., and those of The Dalles, Albany and Salem, in Oregon. He was a hard student and a conscientious worker. His sermons took high rank in rare application to profound human need, and were charged with the fervor of a deep love for his fellow men and an evermastering desire to do them good. Not a field where he ever labored but he was held in highest respect, and loved as a man ever ready to sacrifice his own comfort and his personal interests to the welfare of any he could serve. An upright man—bold, just, earnest, faithful, loving and true in all the relations of life—he was one of the kind whom the world can ill afford to spare. But his work here is done; he goes to his rest, blessed be his memory. Retaining the use of his mental faculties through his protracted illness he wavered not, but was sustained by a firm faith in the mercy and love of God and an abiding trust in his promises."

The funeral of Rev. Harris will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Congregational Church, in this city, where the remains will be brought.

THE FACT OF IT.—Probably there is no place anywhere where the Christian people of a city take more pains to attend to the wants of the sick and afflicted than those of Albany. There are Christian women here who spend much of their time in works of humanity, and men who keep their pocket books open without advertising it to the public. Because there happen to be cases in which this is not done it is not justice to criticize the whole Christian church. They cannot be blamed for not coming to the front in cases which have not been brought to their notice. Take the world over and it may be true that not enough attention is paid to the sick and distressed; but in Albany it is the exception when there is neglect in this respect. There are no doubt though individual cases where money making comes before everything else; but it is not the rule here. Where one case of neglect is made prominent there are dozens of cases of humanity by the Christian people of the city that very properly are not given notoriety.

BOARD OF TRADE.—A special meeting of the board of trade was held last evening at the G. A. R. hall for the purpose of hearing the report of the committee on publication. A report from the committee recommended that five thousand copies of Col. B. F. Alley's pamphlet and ten thousand of the Elliot Publishing Co's birds eye view of Albany with descriptive articles, be contracted for. Adopted. Also that \$200 be given Commander McElroy to use in the National G. A. R. encampment at Milwaukee.

A meeting of the citizens of Albany was ordered called at some future date to hear an address by Commander McElroy on some day when he can come to the city.

PORTLAND BUSINESS COLLEGE.—Read what Prof. Armstrong says in our advertising columns about shorthand. Those who contemplate taking up this branch should correspond with him. It may not be generally known that the Portland Business College is now an incorporated institution. Such is the case, however, and its board of directors is composed of such men as will add great strength to this already popular school. They are Hon. D. P. Thompson, Hon. L. L. McArthur, Prof. T. H. Crawford, Hon. Wm. Kaps, Mr. Philip Wasserman, Mr. Walter F. Burrell and Mr. D. Solis Cohen.

IN A PRECARIOUS CONDITION.—Mr. Archie Hammer, who was injured Wednesday by falling from a scaffolding in one of the Cranor houses, is reported this afternoon by Dr. Hill, who is attending him, as in a precarious condition. He continues out of his mind most of the time, and just how the case will terminate cannot be foretold. A most estimable young man, his many friends hope for a change for the better.

FRESH FROM GERMANY.—Elber Premus, a nephew of Mr. Albers, arrived in the city to-day from Northern Germany after a journey of just three weeks, clad in the peculiar habiliments of that country and looking like a picture. Young Premus was about to be made to do military service, being almost of the requisite age, and left his fatherland to avoid such a life.

WORK TO BEGIN.—Wallis Nash, of the O. P., was in the city to-day and stated that he had just heard from Wm. Hoag at New York, that he would leave immediately for Oregon and work would begin eastward at once.

IMMENSE.—A strawberry measuring nine inches in circumference has been left with the Salem Statesman, and unless some one equals this we shall hereafter cease our crowing over our sister city.

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

HOME AND ABROAD

Wheat, 62 cents,
15 cent shaving at Vioreck's.
8 tickets for \$1 at Vioreck's.
New dress goods at Melvian's.
Chicago Comedy Company to-night.
New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

St. Charles only strictly first-class hotel in Albany.
3 chairs running steady at Vioreck's shaving parlors.
Nobody stops at the St. Charles under a boycott.
Best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyers.

There are eighty Granges in Oregon with a membership of 3,200.
A Corvallis barber advertizes four shaves for a dollar. Must be a 49er.
Side saddles and ladies riding surcingle at Thompson & Overman's.

Thompson & Overman, agents for the great Dynamite buggy whip.
At the matinee to-morrow school children will be admitted for 10 cents.

The State W. C. T. U. convenes in Salem next Wednesday for three days.

If you want a good silver steel syringe, the finest in the market, go to Stewart & Sox's.

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

The "Penneyer" strawberry is a new variety raised at Salem. It ought to be one fall of vim.

Sol Hirsch, of Portland, has been appointed minister to Turkey. So Oregon does get something.

Mellwin 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.

5 cans Golden Star tomatoes for 50 cents at C. Meyers, and all other canned goods cheap for cash.

A fine pair of horns taken from a long horned Texas steer may be seen at Schultz Bros meat market.

The Building and Loan Association meets at the office of Hewitt, Bryant & Irvine to-night. \$1000 will be loaned.

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

To-day William Obermeyer purchased of Mrs. L. Fanning her farm two miles from Tangent, paying \$30 an acre for 160 acres.

The finest selection of window shades in the city, just received at the Albany Furniture Company, corner First and Ferry Sts.

Corvallis is making an organized effort to get the Southern Pacific extended to Junction. It would be a big thing for Corvallis.

Ten or twelve San Francisco boys have recently been committed to the Napa asylum on account of insanity produced by cigarette smoking.

The 4th of July committees are requested to meet at the office of Curran & Monteith to-night at 7:30 o'clock. By order of committee on general arrangements.

Thirty-five sacks of gold ore went through Albany from Riddles, bound for San Francisco, via Yaquina Bay, this morning, probably indicates a new bonanza.

Children's day at the M. E. church South Sunday. Sermon to parents at 11 o'clock A. M. Sermon to children at 2:30 o'clock P. M. Services begin in the evening at 7:45.

The persons indicted for horse stealing, or some of them, think that they cannot have a fair trial here, and ask a change of venue. The change was not granted by the court.—Prineville News.

Your are cordially invited to call and examine our stock of wall paper and borders. We have a complete assortment and would be glad to show our goods. Albany Furniture Company, corner First and Ferry Sts.

The local paper is a mirror of the community in which it is published, and when a copy is sent east it speaks for the business and enterprise of a city, and shows the social as well as money side of matters.

Some have thought the story about Bannan taking a couple meals at Sodaville Tuesday was a blind; but it was probably true, and it is thought by some Lebanon people that he is in that vicinity now.

Hunt's proposition to bond Walla Walla county for \$300,000 to build a railroad from Walla Walla to the Grande Ronde Valley has been accepted by the county officials, and the next legislature will be petitioned to ratify this action.

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.

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.

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

SCHULTZ & HENDERSON.

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

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

7 Oils cures rheumatism, neuralgia and toothache. Fosbury & Mason Agents.

For hand and made harness goto E. L. Power

Do not wait until to-morrow, when you feel sick, but take immediately a dose of Flanders Oregon Blood Purifier and prevent a serious attack of sickness. It is the best liver regulator and blood cleanser in existence. Try it.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

R Koehler has been up the Oregon Pacific as far as Mill City.

Mr. Fred Schubert left this noon for Portland, where he will reside.

Prof. Gilbert and J. M. Riston, of Lebanon, have been in the city.

J. G. Crawford is home from his Columbia river trip with some fine views.

Hon. F. M. Wadsworth, of Toledo, who has been in the city, returned home to-day.

Chas. Piper, brother of Mrs. Langdon, of city, recently appointed a postal clerk will travel between Portland and Huntington.

The ladies of the Congregational society will give a sociable in the church Friday evening, May 24, to which all are cordially invited.

Jo Spiehl, an old Corvallisite, and well-known in Albany has located in Los Angeles county, Cal., where he has invested in property.

I. Flinn, C. J. Smith, Sidney Mann, C. Simpson, J. S. Simpson, A. Simpson and George Gallup and wife, of Albany, were registered at the Portland hotels yesterday.

Rev. J. F. Hutchinson, D. D. and wife, of Rushville, Ind., arrived in the city this noon and are the guests of Dr. Irvine. Rev. Hutchinson will preach in the U. P. church on Sabbath.

Around and About Tangent.

J. E. Jenks, son of J. B. Jenks, left here in company with his uncle, Henry Calaway, of Benton county, on last Monday's train for Texas. They expect to make their future home if they like that country and climate.

Miss Minnie McFarland left here last week for California.

Grandma Bryan, as she is familiarly called is quite sick at her son's, E. L. Bryan. Her numerous friends feel uneasy about her health as she is quite aged, being about 75 years of age.

R. J. Moses and family of Alsea are visiting in and around Tangent.

Miss Maggie Dearman and Grandma Vernon have associated together in the poultry business and are doing a flourishing business.

Mr. Scott, of Lebanon precinct is visiting A. Barnes, his son-in-law, of this place.

She said it had a bad influence, meaning croquet playing on Sunday.

Born, to the wife of Albert Bryan, on May 16th, a girl.

BEATS ELI.—Eli Perkins will please try again after reading the following from a Cowlitz county paper: "Little Willie Perkins, the son of the postmaster at Kelso, swallowed a dollar just two years ago, and day before yesterday he extracted from his left ear a dollar and twelve cents, the twelve cents being the interest on the dollar for two years at six per cent. Little Willie is now kicking because he did not receive more interest."

IF—Astoria papers crow considerably about what a railroad would do, and the truth is with considerable reason for it. Should it ever become the terminus of a transcontinental line there will be a boom down the Columbia that will make other Northwest booms drop out of sight.

H. Ewert, practical watchmaker and jeweler.

Hotel Arrivals.

ST. CHARLES.—N. C. Winston, St. Louis; J. W. Harris, The Dalles; B. J. Howard, Jr., F. O'Neill, W. W. Webster, P. P. Shaw, Portland; C. B. Winn, city; W. B. Hoyt, A. Penblaw, N. Y.; F. Such, L. C. Caple, Geo. Roole, S. F.; J. M. Riston, Lebanon; Geo. W. Whit and wife, Ogden; L. K. Smith, Chicago.

RUSS HOUSE.—C. H. Work, D. F. Hecy, Mill City; J. Armstrong, city; J. Martin, New Mexico; O. E. Brooks, C. T. At-Eola; E. L. Claire, Portland; O. Rutche-puechet; J. H. Jones; T. W. Peck, Evansville, Ind.; M. C. Miller; R. S. Poole, Junction; H. L. Lassell; I. M. Cameron; W. K. Caldwell, Roseburg; B. C. Agee, Roseburg.

REVERE HOUSE.—W. J. Smith, H. Nelson, Mo.; F. Collins, Denver, Col.; G. Gallup and wife, Farwell, Mich.; G. McKnight, W. H. Raymond, city; T. McGuire, Dodge, City; Kan.; J. B. Rodney, Chambersburg, Pa.; D. Plant, Hammondville, N. Y.; C. S. Smith, Yaquina; H. L. Beebe, Salem; O. Tarr, Portland; H. J. Russell, Portland; I. E. Downey, Albion; M. Levi, J. Davis, S. F.; A. C. Presley, Philadelphia; J. Christlet, Cal.; J. Conner, King's Valley.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.—Notice is hereby given that the County Commissioners of the city of Albany, Linn county, Oregon, will sit as a Board of Equalization; at the Council Chambers of the city of Albany, Tuesday, the 28th day of May, 1889, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the purpose of equalizing and correcting the assessment roll of said city for the year 1889.

By order of the Council made May 15th, 1889.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, this 16th day of May, A. D., 1889.

N. J. HENTON,
Recorder of the City of Albany.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Notice is hereby given that at the next regular term of the County Commissioners Court for Linn county, Oregon, to be held at the Court House in the city of Albany on Wednesday the 5th day of June, A. D. 1889, sealed plans, specifications, strains, diagrams and bids will be received for building a bridge across the South Santiam at Water 10; said bridge to be about 180 feet long and sixteen feet wide in the clear. Also for the building of a bridge across Crabtree Creek where the County Road crosses said creek near the saw mill of Deakin Bros. and J. E. Cyrus; said bridge to be about 100 feet long and 16 feet wide in the clear. Also for the building of a bridge across Muddy Creek at the place known as the Wilson ford. Bidders to submit estimates on this bridge for construction of same at Waterloo ford and also where the old bridge washed out. Said bridge to be about 80 feet long and sixteen feet wide in the clear. All of said bridges to be covered. All bids must be filed with the Clerk on or before 1 o'clock p. m. of the above mentioned day. All bids must be accompanied by deposits of 5 per cent of bid. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Done by order of the Court this 28th day of May, A. D., 1889.

E. E. MONTAGUE,
County Clerk.

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. SUCH.

CLOVERDALE, Benton Co., May 2nd.

I am instructed by Mr. F. L. Such 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.

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.

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.

WHAT'S THIS?

\$420.00 in valuable gifts to be given away and to cost the recipients absolutely nothing. Everything strictly legitimate, and the drawing to be conducted with the closest regard for the rights of all concerned. You will learn particulars at Blum's Cigar Store, opposite the Ryere House Albany.

BRICK, BRICK.—The undersigned are now prepared to supply all with brick of the first quality and in small or large quantities. Call early.

MORGAN & HIRST,
Albany, Or.

EGGS WANTED.—I want 40 dozen Chinese Pheasant eggs to send East. They must be fresh, not having been set on. Will pay \$2.50 per dozen.

J. H. BORKHART.

TO EXCHANGE.—An upright Decker & Son piano, been in use a few months, in first-class condition, guaranteed for five years, which I wish to exchange for a lot or lots in Albany. Inquire at the residence of B. W. Cundiff, Mrs. A. B. MATTHEWS.

TO THE FARMERS AND WORKINGMEN

—OF—

Albany and Vicinity.

We cordially invite you all to visit our

NEW AND SECOND HAND STORES,

and we will convince you that our prices beats all. You cannot afford to do your purchasing before you visit our place. As we have a large establishment in Portland we have named it

The Portland Branch.

We claim to be the closest buyers in the market, and we also claim to undersell all without exception.

F. WISE & Co.,

S. E. Young's Old Stand.

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.