

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

An Albany young lady propounds the following conundrum: "How can you prove from history that Caesar's best girl was Irish? You give it up, of course. Here's the answer: "Because when he came to the Rubicon he proposed to Bridget." She evidently rejected him for it was Calpurnia who became Mrs. Caesar.

Agassiz could name the fish from the scale; but that is no reason why a whole body of any kind, church or society, should be judged from a single member; yet there are plenty who will find a mud sucker's scale somewhere in the dark and immediately declare the whole river is stocked with mudsuckers, and several, that the M. A. T. knows of, live in Albany.

What one city seeks every other one wants, like a boy who sees another one with a red apple. Here is a case. The Eugene Guard says: "Mr. B. F. Durphy offers to start a shoe factory in Albany, with capacity of 1,000 pairs of boots and shoes per day, for a bonus of \$15,000. Eugene would correspond with the gentleman."

The Man About Town understands that Jackson, the famous puglist, who made an ill hunt for dust, passed through Albany this morning. As the morning train rather early now-a-days only a few of our citizens are favored by such enormous gifts.

The Oregonian's sentence of excommunication against the Oregon & Transcontinental is one of the most Junius like articles the Man About Town has ever seen on a paper. It is in cases like this that Mr. Scott displays his greatest powers as a writer. In this he knows whereof he speaks.

Teacher's Institute.

The teachers of the Local District including Lebanon, Albany, Tangent, Shedd, Halsey, Harrisburg, Crawfordville, Brownsville and intervening districts will convene at Brownsville, in the City Hall, on the 25th day of May, 1889, at 9:30 a. m. All teachers and friends of education are invited to attend.

The following program will be observed: MORNING SESSION will begin at 9:30 o'clock a. m. Object of Institutes, Supt. L. M. Carl. Discussions. Orthography, Prof. G. F. Russell, J. Van-Winkle, Halsey. Reading, Frank Stanard, Birt Cable, Brownsville. Language, Prof. Hunt, of Lebanon, Miss Hatlie Long, Brownsville.

THE 4TH.—A meeting of 4th of July committees was held at the office of Curran & Monteith last evening. The finance committee reported nearly \$1000 raised. On report of the fireworks committee it was decided to have day fireworks. Arrangements were reported made for half fair rates on railroads running into Albany. On motion the secretary was directed to invite Hon. M. C. George to deliver the oration. Prof. Walker, chairman of the committee on literary exercises, reported the formation of a boys' military company with sixty members, who will be equipped for the occasion with wooden guns, etc. Other committees reported progress. The celebration promises to be the greatest in the history of the city.

LEBANON.—Mr. J. W. Menzies, of Portland, has bought out the interest of R. C. Miller in the firm of Curran & Miller, hardware and machinery business. We are glad to welcome Mr. M. to our town, and bespeak for the new firm a liberal patronage. Mrs. S. W. Hindman returned home last Tuesday evening from Albany, where she had been for the past three or four days. The match game of baseball which was played last Saturday between the Lebanon and country boys turned out in a complete victory for the Lebanon nine, by over double the number of tallies. Mr. George Ridgway, a former citizen and native of this county, died at his home near Princeton on the 8th inst.—Express.

RECORD BREAKER.—Mr. Jas. F. Powell, who is authority on matters relating to Chinese pheasants, informs us of a very peculiar incident. A few days ago a nest of Chinese pheasants eggs were found. They were taken home, placed under a setting hen and the next morning a fine brood of Chinese pheasants were hatched out, and may now be seen in Judge Powell's yard.

TWO LOANS.—The regular monthly meeting of stockholders of the Albany B. & L. Association was held last evening at the office of Hewitt, Bryant & Irvine. Two loans were made, one to S. W. Ross of \$1000 at forty-eight months interest in advance, and one of \$500 to Geo. K. Warren at thirty seven months interest in advance. The first series was closed.

REVEREND FUNERAL.—The funeral of Rev. J. W. Harris occurred this afternoon at the Congregational church. By special request of the deceased a short time before death the sermon was preached by Dr. Irvine. Revs. Webb, Fisher, Prichard, Connan, Transbull and Rogers acted as pall bearers, and the remains were followed to the city cemetery by a large concourse of citizens.

YOUNG THIEVES.—Several large nuts and other attachments to the new machinery for the Albany Ice Works have been stolen by the boys of the city. If the young desperadoes are discovered they will wish they had never seen Salem.

REMOVED.—T. Jones barber shop to Cuck Block. Old and new customers shaved for 15 cents. Hair cutting, 25 cents.

FOOD AND DRINK

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

St. Charles only strictly first class hotel in Albany. 6wl 3 chairs running steady at Vierock's sewing parlors. Nobody stops at the St. Charles under a boycott. Best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyers.

There is not a house in course of construction at Astoria. Who lost that little finger ring advertised in another column?

Side saddles and ladies riding umbrellas at Thompson & Overman's. The hotel arrivals in Portland are much larger than in San Francisco.

Thompson & Overman, agents for the great Dynamite buggy whip. If you want a good silver steel keythe 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.

McIlwain 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.

The biggest strawberries ever seen in Albany were exhibited at Wallace, Thompson & Co's. Several measured a foot in circumference.

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

Services in all the churches in Albany will hereafter begin at 7:45 o'clock in the evening, during the summer.

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

A twelve by six board has just been erected near the depot for Sells Bros. great circus, which will be here June 19th.

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

Mr. Durphy, the boot and shoe man has now made his \$15,000 bonus proposition to Portland, and will probably locate there.

The W. C. T. U. will give a dinner and lunch at their hall on the 4th of July. It may also be remarked that their name appears on the 4th of July fund.

You 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.

Jacksonville recently had a band contest. There were five contestants resulting as follows: Number of points: Roseburg Junior 124; Jacksonville band 81; Central Point band 65; Medford band 45; Ashland (brick yard) band 37.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

County Superintendent Carl has been visiting some of the county schools.

Mrs. Rev. Harris and daughter, Edith, intend making Albany their future home.

Mr. Archie Hamner, recently injured by a fall, is reported much better, being in his right mind and improving fast.

W. C. Tweedale, Wm. F. Pfeiffer, R. F. Wilson, J. McKay and M. Cohen, were registered at the Portland hotels to-day.

The U. P. floral social and strawberry and ice cream social last evening was a great success, several hundred people sitting down to the tables. The receipts were about \$75. Nice speeches are rarely seen in Albany.

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.

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.

Tubb's & Co's pure Manila twine, best quality, at Stewart & Sox's.

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

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.

For hand made harness goto E. L. Power

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

Hotel Arrivals.

REVERE HOUSE.—M. B. Stanford; D. E. Event, city; J. M. Birmingham, A. G. Hutchins, P. Woodruff, J. D. Forbes, J. D. Meek, C. Klinger, Portland; J. H. Cleghart; J. Munckers, Seio; W. J. Dunkard; C. A. Johnson, city; J. Goldberry, H. Hamburger, S. F.

ST. CHARLES.—E. L. J. Atterson, A. J. Marton, J. Kerk, S. F.; J. B. Maher, Independence; Jas. Knox, P. Montgomery, Albany; Geo. Lange, J. Jackson, E. Smith, Portland; E. DeWill, W. W. Oglesby, Tulare, Cal.; C. J. Clark, Yaquina; Rev. N. B. Brown, J. T. Turner, Salem; J. L. Jackson, St. Louis; Thomas Moore, N. Y.

REAR HOUSE.—B. H. Buck, Junction City; J. T. Chimcock, Salem; R. A. Chimcock, Salem; Jas. Armstrong; P. O. Miller, Chitwood; J. Keyes; W. Dohme, Seattle; G. W. Taylor; C. L. Atwood, Eola; G. Greene; E. Yarell; S. Love; J. M. Windsor; W. Rainwater; C. M. Meldon; W. Busey, Harrisburg; L. S. Bushy; W. D. Potter and wife, Champaign.

GOLDEN CITY.

GOLDEN CITY, Or, May 7, 1889.

Editors Democrat:

At a meeting called of miners and prospectors at Golden City, District No. 3, Linn Co, State of Oregon, May 4, 1889, A. R. Campbell was elected president and L. Magruder secretary. The following laws and by-laws were presented by E. R. Barker and read by the secretary. Motion made by E. E. Smith and seconded by E. W. Evans, that these laws and by-laws be adopted as read. Carried by an unanimous vote. P. E. L. handed in by E. E. Smith that E. R. Barker be appointed deputy recorder of this district. Motion made by P. M. Smith and seconded by Thomas Phillips that the petition be adopted. Carried. The following by-laws were adopted:

ARTICLE I. SEC. 1. Length.—The length of any lode claim hereafter located, may equal, but not exceed, fifteen hundred feet along the vein.

SEC. 2. Width.—The width of lode claim hereafter located shall be three hundred feet on each side of the center of the vein or crevice.

SEC. 3. Location certificate.—The discoverer of a lode shall within thirty days, from the date of discovery, record his claim in the office of the deputy recorder of this district, by a location certificate which shall contain: First—The name of the lode. Second—The name of the locator. Third—The date of location. Fourth—The number of feet in length claimed on each side of the center of the discovery. Fifth—The general course of the lode as near as may be.

SEC. 4. Any location certificate of a lode claim which shall not contain the name of the lode, the name of the locator, the date of location, the number of linear feet claimed on each side of the discovery shaft, the general course of the lode and such description, or shall identify the claim with reasonable certainty, shall be null and void.

SEC. 5. Boundaries and staking.—The surface boundaries shall be marked by six substantial posts, hewed and marked with the name of the lode, and sunk in the ground to wit: One at each corner and one at the center of each end line. Where it is impossible, on account of bed rock or precipitous ground to sink such posts, they may be placed in a pile of stones.

SEC. 6. The locator of any mining claim shall, at the time of making the location, place a substantial stake or post, not less than 4 inches square or in diameter, at each end of the ground claimed, and as near as practical along the course or line of the vein or lode, and also a similar stake or post at each corner of the location. Such stakes or posts shall be at least 4 feet high above the surface with the name of the claim. Each and every claim hereafter located shall be distinctly blazed through the center and across each end, so as to be easily traced.

SEC. 7. Claim defined by the surface lines.—The location or location certificate of any lode claim shall be construed to include all surface ground within the surface lines thereof, and all lodes and ledges throughout the entire depth, the top or apex of which lies inside of such lines with such parts of all lode or ledges as continues to depth beyond the side lines of the claim, but shall not include any portion of such lode or ledge beyond the end lines of the claim.

SEC. 8. Labor.—The amount of work or improvements made during each year shall be that prescribed by the laws of the United States.

SEC. 9. Proof of labor.—Within six months after any set time, or annual period, herein allowed for the performance of labor, making improvements upon any lode claim, the person on whose behalf such onlay was made or some person for him, shall make out a record and affidavit in substance as follows:

State of Oregon, County of Linn. Before me the subscriber personally appeared _____, who being duly sworn, saith that a least one hundred dollars worth of work or improvements were performed or made here describe claim or parts of claim situated in this mining district, No. 3, County of Linn, State of Oregon. Such expenditures were made by or at the expense of _____, owners or owner of said claim.

Witnesses. And such signature with two witnesses shall be preface evidence of the performance of such labor.

SEC. 10. No rights can be acquired by location before the discovery of a vein or lode within the limits of the claim located.

SEC. 11. The placing of a monument in the center of a mining claim upon a mineral vein, and posting a notice thereon stating that the undersigned claims 750 feet easterly and 750 feet westerly therefrom, together with 300 feet on each side of the vein, with all the dips, supers and angles, giving the name of the lode and district, without distinctly marking their location, on the ground so that the boundaries can be easily traced is invalid.

SEC. 12. Prospectors' rights.—A prospector by posting a notice on the ground shall be allowed 30 days in which to discover or prospect his claim before locating and recording.

SEC. 13. Value of labor.—That in estimating the worth of labor required to be performed upon any mining claim to hold the same, by the laws of the United States, in the regulation of mines, the value of a day's labor is hereby fixed at the sum of five dollars, provided, however that in the sense of this statute, (8) eight hours of labor or actually performed upon the mining claim shall constitute a day's labor.

SEC. 14. The laws regarding the working, discovery and locating placer mines must conform to the United States statute.

By publishing the above laws and by laws you will confer a favor on the miners of this district and for reference to those who expect to come in.

Yours Respectfully, E. R. BARKER.

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.—Notice is hereby given that the Common Council 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. HENSON, Recorder of the City of Albany.

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

7 Ochs cures rheumatism, neuralgia and toothache. Foshay & Mason Agents.

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 Revere House 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 6th 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 Waterloo; 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 Deakins 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 bids 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. Bids by order of the Court this 9th day of May, A. D., 1889. (L. S.) E. E. MONTAGUE, County Clerk.

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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

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

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for 1889 and respectfully call attention to our stock of

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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.

Real Estate for Sale.

25 feet front on east, First street, \$2,000. 4 lots in Hackleman's 3rd Add., \$1,000. 2 lots in western part of town, block 60, \$425 each. 2 lots in block 62, \$500 each. 2 lots with large house and barn on Baker street, \$2,100. 225 feet front with large house and barn on Depot street, \$5,000. One block of 12 lots in Schultz front addition to South Albany, \$1,200. SCHULTZ & HENDERSON.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOUND.—On Washington street between Second and Third a small finger ring. Owner will call at this office.

SAND, &c.—Persons desiring sand, loam or gravel from the premises of F. L. Such in Benton county, can procure tickets for the same at my office, Crawford's block, Albany, Oregon. CHAS. E. WOLVERTON.

FOR SALE.—A phaeton. A grade, full leather top, good as new. For sale cheap. Inquire of M. J. Monteith.

WANTED.—A good girl to do general housework in a small family in the country. Permanent place. Call at this office.

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 & HINSH, 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. BURKEHART.

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.