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LOCAL RECORD.

THE SANTIAM MINES.—Nearly every miner who comes from the Santiam mines is loud in his praise of these mines, where the prospects are pronounced unsurpassed and equal to the mines of Montana and Idaho. The Albany mine is now down nearly fifty-five feet and expect to strike a rich ledge at seventy-five or eighty feet, when matters will boom. There is a big future for the Santiam.

Mr W F Read returned last evening from the mines, and is quite enthusiastic over the outlook. An old mine has been retuned deeper and an eight foot ledge of gold and silver ore struck, mostly of the former, of great richness. It is thought it will pan out \$180 to the ton, and already the Company is fearful lest so much gold is secured that with the present facilities it will be impossible to bring it to market.

THAT WAS HOT.—Down at Needles, in San Bernardino county, on the banks of the Colorado, the mercury stood 118, 119, 119 and 117 on four days, ending on Tuesday of last week, the lowest temperature on last day being 95. So says the Signal Service report. Good advice is to keep away from such a place. Better advice is to buy your groceries at the popular store of Conn Bros. They keep everything in season, in groceries and produce, and carry a fine line of crockery ware as well. See some of their novelties. It pays to keep cool and a good way is always to trade with Conn Bros.

ON HIS FEET AGAIN.—The clothing emporium of O H Blount opened up again Tuesday morning. The closing up was only temporary, and as soon as the creditors understood the situation all agreed that they would give Mr Blount plenty of time, and thus let everybody receive 100 cents on the dollar, besides having money left himself, instead of having a big stock of goods on their hands. Thus says the Albany Record, and Mr Blount's friends in Albany will be glad to know of the fact.

AN THERE.—The item in this morning's Herald, headed "Fruit Tree Swindlers," was written in the DEMOCRAT office and published word for word about two weeks ago. We only mention this fact because our contemporary did likewise a few weeks ago when we put our feet in it by the way a very easy thing to do considering the versatility with which items go the round of the press in Oregon.

\$1200 LOANED.—At the monthly meeting of the Albany Building and Loan Association last evening two loans were made, after some spirited bidding, one to Mr Charles Wagner, of \$800, at 51 months, and the other to J R Stewart of \$400 at 44 months.

THROWN FROM A HORSE.—Jas Bodera while riding a horse yesterday afternoon was thrown off and dragged by one of his feet some distance, receiving some injuries, which have already run into brain fever. He is at the Waverly boarding house.

A BIG YIELD.—Mr Elijah Willis of Syracuse precinct, informs the DEMOCRAT that eight acres of his land yielded 480 bushels of wheat, the remarkable yield of 60 bushels per acre, the largest yet reported in this or adjoining counties. His oats average 50 1/2 bushels per acre.

ALL OF NEXT WEEK.—Mr E L Power, now of Tacoma, will be in the city all of next week. All parties owing him will please call and settle while he is in the city. He will give great bargains in harnesses, saddles, collars, etc.

GOT IT AGAIN.—What? Why the finest lot of fresh smoked beef in the market. Chipped to order. Also a fine supply of our famous gold medal cream cheese. WILLAMETTE PACKING CO.

MONEY TO LOAN.—At a low rate of interest, on good farm property in Linn county, or on best improved city property in Albany. Apply to Blackburn & Wright, Albany, Or.

BIGGEST YET.—10,000 rolls of wall paper, latest varieties, finest decorations just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.

WANTED.—Girl to do general housework. Call at once at office or residence of Dr O C Aubrey.

A SHARP ITEM.—The finest line of cutlery and shears in the city at Stewart & Sox's. Their goods are the very best and will stand the test.

TO NEW COMERS.—We would say that we have no baits to give you, but we do guarantee good values for your money and we kindly solicit your patronage. BROWNELL & STANARD.

FOR SALE.—A young driving mare, well broken and gentle. Inquire of F. M. French.

AS A BUSINESS CITY

Albany Takes the Lead in the Valley.

Albany is a great trade center. People come here from far and near to buy their goods.

We have some rustling, enterprising business men, as our advertising columns show.

It takes pound after pound of dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, hardware, etc. to supply the market.

Talk is cheap, any paper can talk; but figures count. The freight handled is what tells the story. During July there was handled at the Southern Pacific freight house alone 3,304,000 pounds of freight. Add the freight handled by the Oregon Pacific and O R & N and the record is increased wonderfully; but the record of the S P is sufficient for the present article.

Comparisons are odious; but here are some. At Corvallis, a local paper boasts of 600,000 being handled by the S P. At Salem, we are informed the amount was a third less than here, but we haven't the exact figures. Enough said.

Albany is also a great traveling center. During July the ticket sales at the Albany office were approximately \$10,000, which also speaks for itself.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

The Man About Town was not there, as ghost matters do not agitate him; but several who wanted some fun were hovering around the wood yard of Perry Splinks last evening, watching for the ghost reported to have been seen by several. The audience at one time approached one hundred. It would take a temeritous ghost to face such a crowd. As the gloom deepened the audience thinned until finally only five or six remained. Suddenly in the awfulness of the approaching midnight hour a form appeared in the middle of the road, arranged as much like a Chinese ghost as anything, with a white upper story and flowing garments. Mr McClain, the night watchman, one of the party ordered it to halt. In deep, sepulchral tones the apparition said, "Come out here, you coward, and I will show you." Mr M. went and found the ghost to be flesh and bones, and when uncovered bearing the countenance of Mr James Blackburn. Several not wishing to have the audience disappointed had put a job on them and appointed Jim to take the star part. As the boys have had their fun it is to be hoped this ghost business will stop, for while it has no terrors for men, it affects the nerves of some women.

A park in the eastern suburbs of the city is undoubtedly in order and would ensure to the glory of Albany. Action should be taken now when the land can be secured for nothing. It ought to be at least two blocks long and perhaps located in the 4th addition. We need a place like this for resort, and it should be kept up in a lush and lusty style, in the language of the great Shakespeare. Street cars should then be continued from the present line on Ninth street east directly to the park. Should the Sisters hospital be built on the Elkins place, with probably other institutions and residences, street cars could then be continued from the St. Charles south along Washington street to South Albany, and the city would have a line of street railway that would be a credit to it, and yet none too long.

WHY?—Why do you not go to Waterloo? As a summer resort it is unexcelled. Good level ground, good shade, excellent soda water, good hotel accommodations. Board and lodging from \$5.00 to \$7 per week to suit customers. Six miles above Lebanon on the Santiam river. I will be at Lebanon every Saturday at arrival of train to convey parties to Waterloo. Good feed stable in connection with hotel. J. G. Gross, Proprietor Waterloo Hotel.

GET FIRST CHOICE.—Just received at L E Blain's tailoring department a large and elegant line of piece goods for suits and pants, never before equalled in Albany. They embrace the very latest patterns, are in style and will make up, under the skillful workmanship of Mr. Schiffer into the finest suits to be obtained in the Valley. Call early and get choice of patterns.

VERY NICE.—Don't cook this hot weather. Drop in and get some of our lunch delicacies. We have just received a fresh supply of cream cheese, Limburger cheese, smoked beef chipped to order, etc. WILLAMETTE PACKING CO.

OFF FOR THE MOUNTAINS.—A barrel of lard beef, some fine cheese and a large invoice of choice lunch goods just received at Brownell & Stanard's. Get some.

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.

SYRUCUE OIL.—At \$1.25 per 5 gallon can best Standard oil, at the Willamette Packing Co.'s store.

This Trade Mark on a stove means it is the best that experience and skill can contrive. Sold only by G. W. Smith.

To lessen our stock of canned goods we will sell in that line at remarkably low prices. BROWNELL & STANARD.

Go to Hibler & Paisley for your job printing. They do any and all kinds of work in the publishing and job printing line. Quick work and low prices.

Fresh cream cheese just received at F. L. Kenton's.

ASTORIA.

ASTORIA, Aug. 15th, 1889.

This section of Oregon is receiving just at this time a great deal of consideration, and the first thing to notice or speak of is the proposed railroad to the Willamette Valley. This railroad is no longer a question, it has passed from doubt to a certainty. The iron and rolling stock for twenty miles is purchased, and much of the road bed is made and some of the track is laid. The road will run from this city west crossing Young's Bay and the Skipanon to Seaside, or quite near it, about eighteen miles, thence easterly to the Willamette Valley, entering the Valley somewhere between Hillsboro and Forest Grove. This will be the most profitable route for coal and timber. In consequence of the building of this railroad, real estate has taken a raise that seems wonderful. The hills facing Young's Bay and the Columbia River are held at high prices and much of the land is being cleared for the market. Look in this city held at prices that seem fabulous compared with those of the past. Was this railroad completed to Seaside, the expense of building it would soon be paid for.

As a place of resort, this city is very pleasant, but Newport has some advantages over it. They are of a class however that may be improved here should the people or enterprising citizens ever discover the advantages that are now hidden here in the way of making attractions for visitors. Newport will be a leading place for summer escape by those living in the Valley, who want rest and comfort. And there is room enough for all the "watering places" we have in Oregon or Washington.

The salmon season closed on the first instant. The "catch" falls short this year about 30,000 cases less than last year. There is another thing worthy of the attention of residents near Newport. On the Skipanon there are large cattle ranches, made out of diked tide land on which grass and clover grow in great profusion. Hay may be cut twice a year, and for hay this land will pay from thirty to fifty dollars per acre. The markets on the Bays and Columbia River are supplied with beef and mutton from these ranches which afford green grass the year round, and finer beef and mutton do not go into any market. The ocean fog keeps grass on these ranches green all the time. It is estimated that 7000 people are here on the Coast north and south of the mouth of the Columbia River taking their summer vacation which is attended so far by every thing that can make it pleasant.

This is a wooden city, built on piles with streets of plank. There are a good number of fine buildings here a few of which are brick. They have as they should, steam fire engines and an excellent fire department and constant attention is paid to this subject.

MILL CITY.

It has been said that Mill City is one of the busiest towns in Oregon.

Mr Shaw, Mr Crable and Mr Belle are building fine houses.

Mill City Provision Store have the finest watermelons on hand we ever saw, selling from 25 to 40 cents each.

Dr Hughes has returned from Portland. Mrs Crable and Mr Raiger are at Albany on business.

Mrs Lee Berry has returned from Oregon City, stating that her mother is getting better.

A large black bear was killed by Mr Hennis and Mr Shepard last evening only a few miles from this place.

Mrs Zimmerman of Stayton is visiting her daughter Mrs Henline at this place.

Three boys Frank Smith, Zeb Ray and Will Hobson were arrested and fined for disturbing a public meeting on last Friday. Smith could not pay his fine which was \$4.75 and was taken to Salem and put to jail. This will give other boys a valuable lesson.

Lulu Hastings's three year old daughter was buried last Monday. Sweet thing, and she so quickly laid to sleep?

Teachers Examination

Notice is hereby given that the regular public quarterly examination of teachers for Linn county, will take place at the Court House, in Albany, commencing at noon, Wednesday, August 28th, 1889. All teachers desiring examination will please be present at the beginning.

L M Curl, Co School Supt.

Lace Curtains. Lace Curtains.

I have just received my full stock of lace curtains bought direct from importers, the largest stock ever brought to this market, and best value for the money. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

Hotel Arrivals.

St Charles.—J B Crossfield, H A La Barra, J W Phalan, J F Yates, J Cahn, W A Turner, Portland; A R Barber, R B Smith, Corvallis; C F Miller, R H Renebone, J O Cummins, J W Pippitt, S F; C W Pomeroy, E T Parsons, G W Sackett, L B Merwin, Chicago.

Russ House.—C W Field, Cal; Dr H Love; E Spillman, Scio; A Carpenter; S B Roop; H E Burmister; J Gooch; E J Daly; H F Pens; J A Whitaker; V Cox; J Carl; W Worn; W H and F D Gill; W A Charles, Portland; W Castleton and wife, Shedd; J H Taylor.

Exchange Hotel.—C Angel; Geo Scott; P Brown; J Randall; J Irman; Buffalo, N Y; J O Holloran; R R Liggett; P Smith; A A Elliott; J Sullivan; Oakland; J A Aley, S F; W O'Meara; J Huston; W Hill; J Kernes; W Egan; R G Cochran; G Diebert; B Johnson.

Revere House.—Jeff Myers, J A Blyven, H Blyven, Scio; G W Pugh, Crawfordsville; W F D Merced, Al Hale, Colins, L Wasserman, Portland; J Munch, C L Divire, Salem; J W Brown, C Butcher, J B Hearing, S A Oden; P Jurgensen, Baltimore; H Lane, Seattle; Mrs Post, Summit.

HOME AND ABROAD

First rain for several months this after noon.

Mr Phil Smith, of Santiam precinct is in the city to-day.

Mr Omar Henderson and family left for Newport to-day.

J Fred Yates, who is studying law in Portland, is in the city.

W C Tweedale and C G Rawlings left his noon for the raging ocean.

Mrs Prof Lee and daughter returned to day from a visit to Olympia.

Don Conn, E W Langdon and Fred Fiper left this morning on a trip to the mountains. Don Alex Dowling, residing in this county, across the Santiam from Stayton, is reported dangerously ill.

A very enjoyable tea was given last evening by Mr and Mrs E W Langdon, in honor of the seventh anniversary of their marriage.

Judge Field was arrested yesterday at San Francisco and at once Justice Sawyer issued a writ or habeas corpus. The writ will be heard next Thursday. Bail was axed at \$5000.

The attention of our readers is called to the card of Dr G A Whitney which appears in another column. The Doctor has permanently located in Albany and solicits the patronage of the people.

Wheat, 65 cents,

15 cent shaving at Viereck's.

8 tickets for \$1 at Viereck's.

Refrigerators at Stewart & Sox's.

Boots and shoes at cost at Read's.

Ice cream freezers at Stewart & Sox's.

New invoice of fine gold rings at French's.

The best line of kid gloves at W. F. Read's.

Now cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

For sale, cheap, second hand organ, Mrs. Hymans.

3 chairs running steady at Viereck's shaving parlors.

Best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyers.

Just received new table linen at W. F. Read's.

I W Starr, physician and surgeon, Albany, Oregon.

Good cooking stove only \$10 at Hopkiss & Saltmarsh's.

The best watch in the world for the money at F M French's.

Another car of big watermelons at LaForest & Thompson's.

Side saddles and ladies riding uncreebles at Thompson & Overman's.

Thompson & Overman, agents for the great Dynamite buggy whip.

For a number one quality of knives forks and spoons call at F M French's.

Tabbs's pure manilla birding twine in large quantities at Stewart & Sox's.

The choicest line of table luxuries can be found at Brownell & Stanard's.

J W Bentley, best boot and shoe maker in city, opposite Fortmiller & Irving's.

A large and fine line of window shades just received at Fortmiller & Irving's.

We have the best \$1.50 kid glove ever brought to Albany at W F Read's.

Now is the time to save money by buying boots and shoes at cost of W. F. Read.

Some fine California cheese, a barrel of golden drip syrup and some fine comb honey just received at Brownell & Stanard's.

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Church Directory.

U. P. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath, morning and evening by Rev. F. G. Irvine, D. D. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Preaching on Sabbath at 11.00 A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School 10:00. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening 7:30. Rev. Fisher, pastor. All are invited.

M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.—Preaching every Sabbath morning at 11 o'clock A. M. and 7 o'clock P. M. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening's at 7 o'clock. Rev. D. H. Comans, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath morning and evening. Song service in the evening before sermon. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening. Rev. H. F. Webb, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Services every Sabbath morning and evening in Church cor. Broadalbin and Fifth Sts. Sunday School immediately after the morning service. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening Rev E R Prichard, pastor.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Preaching every Sabbath morning and eve'g. at Church on 5th Street. Sabbath School immediately after morning services. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Trumbell, pastor.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Services every Sabbath morning and evening. Sabbath School at 12:15. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening of each week. Rev. Rogers, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Preaching every first Sabbath in month, morning and evening, at 11 o'clock. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock, A. M. Rev. Humphreys, Pastor.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Service every Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7 P. M. Last Sunday of the month service at Eugene City. Rev. Louis Metayer, Rector.

MARRIED.

WEDDLE—PATON.—In Salem, on the afternoon of Thursday, August 15th, 1889, Mr Anthony Weddle and Mrs Asenath C Paton, Rev Siscofoose officiating. The groom, aged sixty, is a well known resident farmer near Jefferson, and the bride, aged fifty-seven, has made Salem her home for some time.

Oregon State Fair!

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