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LOCAL RECORD.

A GO-AHEAD CITY.—J M Colver, who is just returned from Albany, says that improvements that are being made in Albany are simply wonderful, says the Echo Review. He says fire-proof buildings are going up in localities that a few years ago were the residence part of the city, and everything denotes enterprise and improvement. Only a few years ago Albany was a sluggish, dull place, but now it is the most go-ahead city in Willamette valley. This change has been brought about simply by her citizens showing plenty of enterprise by using their own wealth and offering inducements to foreign capital to locate in their midst.

VERY POLITE.—Minor Jackson, of Brownsville, formerly of Albany, addresses in his home paper in the following very aesthetic and original manner: "I have been the barber here for ten years, at the old stand, on Mill street, down from Main. I will give you a first-class shave for 15 cents, and hair cut for 25 cts. Shampooing 25 cts. Coloring mustache to order. I will be pleased to have the public patronage. I am the chief barber of the city. If you want a clean shave call on Minor Jackson, and he will accommodate you all in very polite manner. Please call and see me soon."

MRS. DEMPSEY AT WILHOIT.—Visitors returning from Wilhoit saw Mrs Jackson Dempsey there says the Salem Journal. They speak of her as being a modest lady of refinement and intelligence. She avoided speaking about her husband's engagement with La Blanch, and from her general conversation it was inferred that she disapproved of sparring matches, and would prefer to have Jack seek another occupation. Mrs Dempsey is highly thought of by the other sojourners at Wilhoit, because of her good, practical sense.

AN OLD STORY.—We were looking for the first case, and knew that it would occur; but hardly expected that the victim would be one of the most astute real estate men in the United States. Yesterday afternoon he took a ride on the street car, and not having the change dropped a fifty cent piece in the box, and it jingled downward out of sight. Then he asked the driver for the change, but of course did not get it. Suddenly it dawned on him that he had made a traditional blunder and he held his peace.

CALL FOR IT.—A registered package sent from Albany to Mrs C W Jones, Elk Club, Neb., has been returned to the Albany Post Office, it being uncalled for, and waits the sender. It contains three handkerchiefs, a comb, a thimble and some money. The sender will please call at the P. O. for it, at once, as it will be sent to the dead letter office in thirty days.

BLOCKADES.—The Salem man who blocks because one of the streets is blocked on account of a couple bricks being spilled, should be given a bath in a mud puddle. Albany is free bathed in several places that way, and we are anxious for several more blockades, and Second Street waiting for the fun.

DIED.—Mrs. Johnson, an old lady, died at the house of Mr J H Upham, on Water Street, Sunday, Sept. 1st, and was buried this afternoon.

REMEMBER IT.—Maud Hoffman, at the Opera House, Friday night. The elocutionary treat of the season. Reserved seats at Blackman's, 50 cents; gallery, 25 cents.

ALL PERSONS.—Indebted to the late firm of Brownell & Stanard are requested to call and settle at the store of C E Brownell without delay or make some satisfactory arrangements.

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

THE SAME PAUL.—The following from a Washington paper is about a former Albany gentleman, well-known by residents here during the days of '78 and '79: "Monsieur Paul d'Hierry, of the Seattle delegation to Walla Walla, has gone to his old home in Walla Walla to work up a boom for Klinefar for Governor before the arrival of his delegation there. He was on the cars east bound yesterday with R O Dunbar, of Klickitat, with whom the Seattle gang has formed a combination, and was circulating all sorts of stories about Ferry and Squire. Monsieur d'Hierry is a very small man, but not any smaller than his colleagues will look when they come back from Walla Walla next week."

THE Y. M. C. A.—Noel H Jacks, traveling Secretary of the Y M C A for the N. W., gave two very earnest addresses yesterday, one in the afternoon to young men alone, and in the evening before a union meeting of citizens at the Opera House. Mr Jacks is quite enthusiastic over his work and is an able talker. A subscription was taken up, resulting in \$319 being raised for the work here. A business meeting of members of the Albany Y M C A will be held to night. It is to be hoped the association is placed on a good basis here.

LEGAL MATTERS.—On next Saturday at 1 o'clock p. m. 160-56 acres of the D L C of Jas Junkin will be sold by the Sheriff on execution, in case of L Kline against Jas G Junkin.

On next Saturday at 1 o'clock p. m. in the case of I R Dawson against J W Ellison the Sheriff will sell 2 lots in Shedd.

The final settlement in the estate of W R Canon will be heard next Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m.

AN EXAMPLE NEEDED.—Complaint is made to the DEMOCRAT office that there is a great amount of petty stealing of peaches, apples, etc., from the grocers, a very contemptible, mean practice. Marshal Hoffman tells us that unless the business is stopped an example will be made of a few choice cases.

NOT CORVALLIS.—Yesterday two Corvallis men were in the city pretty well loaded with tarantula essence. Forgetting themselves and becoming a little hilarious one of them braced up and in a loud whisp said to his companion: "This is not Corvallis; let's go." And they went.

A HOSE CART.—The Lebanon hose car was taken to Corvallis this morning and will be used in the Tacoma tournament. One of the best teams ever organized in the Valley is being gotten together and if the Washington cities get any of the prizes it will be because of some cyclone speed.

FINE HOPS.—A bunch of hops from the yard of Mr S O Wallace, of Lebanon precinct, was laid on our table to-day by Mr Brice Wallace. Larger, healthier looking hops the DEMOCRAT has never inspected. The Linn county crop is proving a good one.

AN INCREASE.—Saturday E W Langdon sold to Dr J P Wallace a half block at the east end of Third street for \$1700. Two years ago the Doctor was offered the whole block for \$1400.

IN THE LEAD.—Mr. Julius Gradwohl leads in his business and wishes it understood that he will carry the finest stock of crockery ware in the Valley, receiving his goods from headquarters, and keeping up with the times in all the latest novelties. He has received a fine lot of Wedgwood & Co's Newyacht decorated ware, called Ruby ware, handsomest goods in the market. Mr Gradwohl makes crockery a specialty and will meet the demands of the public in any line. Do not send away for goods but give him a call.

ONLY \$1.50.—I have a fine stock of ladies and children's fall and winter trimmed hats, which I will sell at \$1.50 each. These are hats that usually sell at \$2.50, \$3 and \$4 each. Must make room for my fall opening. Call early and make your choice.

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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.

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

MET AND METED.

The Oregon Press Association at Newport, Oregon.

The Telephone-Register publishes the following witty take-off on the Oregon Press Association:

The Oregon Press Association has met and meted a dose of patent medicine men which will be as disgusting to them as their medicine is to other people. There were several remarkable features in this meeting, the most remarkable, however, belonging to Bob Johnson, of the Corvallis Times.

Brother Bell's avoridupois was largely added to, a free dinner makes him smile. He increased his physique so much that he cannot sit in the President's chair for the coming year. Chas. Nickell, of the Jacksonville Times, will wear a hole in his pants this year holding the seat.

The meeting was noted for its good speeches and essays, at least the speakers endeavored to make them.

The Albany Herald introduced a Train of thought which we thought it never possessed; we arrived at this conclusion by reading the paper.

The Salem Statesman introduced a speaker named Davey; his other name should be Jones.

Mr. Mason, of the Pacific Farmer, was there with his emblem: of course, it was a Masonic emblem, a red nose.

The Beach was used quite frequently for a stroll by Miss Whitney.

The gentleman who was to furnish the address on "The Courtship and Marriage of Newspapers," from appearances would rather furnish one on "The Courtship and Marriage of Fish," especially the Bass, he seems to know something of this subject or at least should, as he spent his time fishing for one.

L. Campbell of the Guard broke his bottle and then attempted to Bag Pipe's but it would not work. He is a Scotchman.

Mr. Seal has now come to the conclusion that the proprietor of the Ocean House is a hard case.

The Doughy warrior of the Dallas Observer was there and carried dismay and food for the fishes wherever he went on the briny deep.

Eddy-fie the audience again if you can. Rats!

TANGENT. TANGENT, Aug. 31st, 1889.

Mr E L Bryan and family and also Rev P A Moses and his family intend moving away this fall. We are sorry to lose such good people.

We had the pleasure to step in and take a peep at Beard Bros dry house, they are doing a lively business.

Little Roy Reel, a nephew of Mr B S Mills, while playing with some other small boys about a new hay press in some way got one of his feet caught in a lever and received a pretty bad bruise on the side of his foot.

Mr George Mills who fell off the new school house several days ago is on our streets again.

The new school house is nearing completion and it behooves us to have a good school here this winter and well attended.

Miss Mary Leslie, of near Sodaville, is working for Grandpa Beard.

Mr B S Mills has also got back to Tangent. He has been away most all summer down in the lower part of the county and he reports that grain down in that section of the country turned out well.

Born.—To the wife of Foote Blevin, a big girl, on Aug. 30th, mother and child doing well.

The familiar face of Mrs Anderson, of Albany was seen here in Tangent on Saturday.

Mr Mart Forrester will start his new hay baler on Monday.

Mr Sam Moses has accepted a position in Mr Settlement's nursery.

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.

HOME AND ABROAD

T B Wait and Mrs CD Snyder came up from Salem this noon.

The Sisters Academy opened this morning with a good attendance.

Go to Bardus for honest weights, good goods and lowest living prices.

S Philippi arrived in the city from Sisters, across the mountains this morning.

W E McPherson has moved his real estate office to opposite the Postoffice.

Dick Fox and S W Reese returned on Saturday from their Santiam homesteads.

Mrs A J Clifton, of Spokane Falls, is in the city the guest of her father, Mr E A Parker.

Ethel Bentley, daughter of J W Bentley, has returned from a two months visit in Yamhill county.

W B Barr came over from the Nestucca yesterday, and left again to-day. He reports steady progress and easy routes.

Albany Engine Co. No. 1 and Linn Engine Co. hold their regular meetings to-night. The latter will elect officers.

Jas F Powell, Saturday evening severed his connection with the First National Bank and expects soon to go to Tacoma and enter one of the banks of that city.

The regular meeting of the Y W C T U's will be held at their hall to-morrow night, Sept 3rd. All members are requested to be present.

Miss Laura Goltra has resigned her position as instructor in music in the Albany College and will devote all her time to her Salem class.

Miss Kate Coshaw, went to Albany Wednesday morning. She is thinking of staying there this winter, and enjoying the advantages of "city society." Her many friends regret to see her leave.—Times.

Wheat, 63 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. Saratoga chips at C E Brownell's. Ice cream freezers at Stewart & Sox's. Try the full cream cheese at C E Brownell's.

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers. 3 chairs running steady at Viereck's shaving parlors. Best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyers.

Call at F M French's for bargains in watches, clocks or jewelry. Choice large yellow Crawford peaches, 75 cents per box at C E Brownell'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 P Read's.

Now is the time to save money by buying boots and shoes at cost of W. F. Read. Go to Hibler & Paisley for your job printing. They do any and all kinds of work in the bookbinding and job printing line. Quick work and low prices.

Weather Summary of Meteorology for Aug., 1889, from observations taken at Albany, Linn Co. Oregon, by John Briggs, vol. observer for the Signal Service, U. S. Army.

Highest barometer on the 5th, 29.29. Lowest barometer on the 30th, 29.77. Mean barometer for the month, 30.04. Highest daily average of bar, 30.21. Lowest daily average of bar, 29.83. Highest temperature on the 10th, 13th, 88. Lowest temperature on the 19, 28, 29, 52. Mean for the month 63.04.

Highest daily range of ther. on the 16, 37. Lowest daily range of ther. on the 31, 13. Mean temperature at 7 a. m. daily 56.6. Mean temperature at 2 p. m. daily 79. Mean temperature at 9 p. m. daily 58.41. Prevailing directions of wind, N. Velocity or force, 3. Total rainfall or melted snow, 1.17. Depth of snow at end of month, 0. Number of days on which .01 inch or more rain fell, 4. Number of days of cloudiness average 8 scale of 10, 3. Of 93 observations 37 were clear, 7 cloudy 5 fair, 4 foggy, 3 rain, 3 hazy, 3 overcast, 33 smoky. Light frost on the mornings of 0. Temperature—2.71 on average of 11 years. Rainfall 70.66 on average of 11 years.

Sleeplessness. Dr. Flint's Remedy is the best remedy known for insomnia, or sleeplessness, which afflicts so many persons, and which leads to so many serious nervous diseases, particularly to insanity. Descriptive treatise with each bottle; or, address Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

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MARRIED. WILLIAMS—BURRIS.—On Sunday, Sept. 1st, 1889, at the Russ House, in Albany, by George Humphrey, Esq., Mr John Williams and Miss Rosa Burris, both of Millers Station.

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.

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