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LOCAL RECORD

ALBANY TO ASTORIA.—J. L. Cowan, J. K. Weatherford and E. J. Lanning, of the Albany and Astoria Railroad Co., were in Astoria last Friday looking over the proposed line of the road at that end. The Pioneer says: On arrival they were met by Drs. Alf and August Kinney, Engineer Habersham, of the Astoria & South Coast line. Mayor-elect Crosby, J. O. Hanthorn, B. Van Dusen, Engineer Jackson and others. After a drive about the city the party boarded the steamer Electric and an examination of the water front was made. The shore line at Smith's point was examined and soundings taken. The party then visited Tansy point and Fort Stevens and the shore line between Tansy and the railroad trestle, and between the railroad bridge and the head of Young's bay was carefully examined. The steamer was then headed up the river and steamed around Tongue point and up to the John Day river. The east side of the point was critically examined. As to the route, it is not settled yet. When the survey between this city and Tillamook is completed the work of building will be commenced. Building will be done both ways, from this city and from Albany.

GOOD FOR THE FARMERS.—In the sixteen cases brought by the farmers of Polk county against the Southern Pacific railroad company for damages from fire caused by sparks escaping from its locomotives last July, judgments were rendered at the recent term of the circuit court at Dallas against the company and in favor of the farmers, in all to the amount of \$12,840.65. After the fire the company offered as a compromise, to pay the farmers in full of the damages sustained, \$5,307.56, which they refused to accept and brought suits on their respective claims with the above result.

OH, DONT.—It is an amusing sight to see the street car in Albany, run up and down the two or three blocks in its allotted run, without a single passenger the whole afternoon.—Cor. Brownsville Times.

The man who wrote the above ought to be sent to the penitentiary or asylum. Two or three blocks. Why not honest and say fourteen or fifteen. The fact is the road does a pretty good business; but it is not all in the middle of the afternoon. Naturally enough it is mornings, noons and evenings.

AN OBVIOUS COMPARISON.—After the principal business men of Salem had subscribed stock for the Astoria railroad \$20,000 of the \$300,000 had been raised. When the leading capitalists of a city only put down their names for \$5000 in stock it looks rather measly. Why in Albany ten men alone have put about \$10,000 in preliminary work for a railroad to Astoria, just as a starter. Another case of an obvious comparison.

NEW OFFICERS.—At the regular meeting of St. Johns Lodge A. F. & A. M. held Saturday evening the following officers were elected.

T. L. Wallace, W. M.  
D. V. Reid, S. W.  
F. E. Allen, J. W.  
D. P. Mason, Treas.  
E. D. Cusick, Sec.  
D. T. Wyman, Tyler.

BIGAN RUNNING.—The new ferry boat began running this morning. It is 75x20 feet and is a solid easy running structure, being twenty feet longer than the old one. Increased travel to Albany demanded a larger boat and the new one will prove a great convenience to the travelling public. Mr. F. Cone was the contractor.

HEAR THE JINGLERS.—The Jingers at the Opera House next Thursday evening. The Orange, (Cal) Tribune, says: The M. E. church was crowded Monday evening for the concert by the "Jingers." These remarkable singers made a very favorable impression upon their hearers at Orange, and the concert was an immense success in every way. Encores were repeated from the beginning of the entertainment to its close.

XMAS COMING.—That season of the year has come when Christmas presents are in order, and we advise our readers by all means to give; but not to give before calling at Guise & Sons, where there is a nice display of goods of a large variety to select from.

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

What every one says must be true, and that is, French has the finest display of Christmas goods in the city.

You will be surprised to see how cheap you can buy ladies and gents gold watches at F. M. French's.

REAL ESTATE SALES

M. Lynch to Mary Pechacek, Attorney W. S. Chapman to John Bluerick, 600 acres in tp 9 and 10, S. R. 1 & 2, E. W. Robertson to D. E. Budd and W. S. Chapman, 600 acres in tp 9 and 10, S. R. 1 & 2, E. W. Robertson to E. W. Robertson, 600 acres in tp 9 and 10, S. R. 1 & 2, E. W. Robertson to Ida M. Menzies, lots 7 and 8, bl 14, R. A. to Leblanc, S. H. Roberts to J. A. Crawford, lots 5 and 6, bl 105, H. A. to W. C. Cassell to J. H. Mullan, 40 acres in tp 11, S. R. 3 & 4, Rebecca A. Cooper to W. P. Johnson, lease for timber, Albany Cem. As to J. F. Hall, lot 300 bl 26, Albany Cem. A. P. Hall to Margaret A. Hall, 10 acres in tp 12, S. R. 2 & 3, Mahala F. Turner to G. Y. Heaton, 320 acres in tp 14, S. R. 1 & 2, D. Smith to E. E. Hammock, 1 1/2 acres in tp 11, S. R. 2 & 3, United States to Lucy M. Russell, Patent

BROWNVILLE.—Yes, there is truth in the report that Brownsville is to have another railroad. It is not all talk, but steps have really been taken to construct a standard gauge railroad from Albany to the extensive mineral and timber interests in the Calapooia. A company composed of some of our best citizens has been organized and articles of incorporation drafted. Influential parties in Albany have taken up with the idea and there can be no doubt that the road will be built. It is a solid substantial company and its success is a question of the greatest importance to the citizens of Brownsville, and Southern Linn county.

The pupils of the Brownsville Public School will give an entertainment at the City Hall Thursday evening the 19th inst. The exercises will consist of music, and two dramas: the first a farce, "The Greatest Plague in Life," eight characters, the second, a farce, "The Dutches of Dublin," ten characters. Admission, 25 and 15 cts, the proceeds to be used for purchasing an organ for the school.

Messrs Cox & Finley of Crawfordsville, passed through town Monday morning on their way to Portland, to purchase a stock of general merchandise, which they intend to open out soon.—Times.

WANTED.—An erudite gentleman, a college graduate, to black boots. Address, box 728, Albany.

An eighteen year old youth, who is a cyclopedia in his own mind, to build a railroad on wind for capital. Address R. H. Salem, Oregon.

A man to act as escort for a young woman afraid of rats. Call at No 15 Rodun Ave.

Some leaves that will turn over themselves on the 1st of the year. Call on Jim Shiftless, at Jay Gould's saloon.

To exchange a large bustle, now out of date, for a bottle of anti-lean.

A young woman who can speak the languages and dresses in style to take care of a Chinese "kid." Call at San Wa's, Second Street, Albany.

Some one to follow a five year old boy who spends his time in the middle of the street. Wages, \$400 a month. Call on A. B. S. At this office a boy to return manuscript written on both sides.

A renter for desk room in the pump room of the water works.

Some nervy young women to propose to several chronic old bachelors in Albany.

Y M C A NOTES.—The attendance at the Gospel meeting yesterday afternoon was 48.

Five new members were added to the list in the business meeting Saturday evening.

The reading room was well attended during the last week at the regular hours, from 4:15 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. daily, and at these hours a warm and comfortable room will always be found. All the men in the city are cordially invited to take advantage of this.

Last Saturday evening the regular association business meeting was held, at which a great deal of interest was taken in hearing the reports of the different officers and the chairman of the several committees on the work of the association. A committee was appointed to see to carpeting the room before the year expires, if possible, and another very important committee was appointed, called the building fund committee, whose duty is looking into the matter of giving the organization a permanent home. The liveliest men were set to work and with the aid of the citizens this will be but a starting point for a great work in the future.

NEW MILLINERY STORE.—Mrs S. A. Wayne, of San Francisco, having sold her millinery business in both San Francisco and Oakland, after having looked over considerable country has concluded to establish herself in the millinery business in Albany as being the best place she could select. She will open about the middle of next week one door east of Fortmiller & Irving's. Mrs Wayne will devote much time during the winter to dressmaking insuring perfect fits and guaranteeing satisfaction.

A VERDICT.—That the grand display of nest, ornamental baskets, each containing one pound of choicest tea, at LaForest & Thompson's, is the finest importation ever brought to Albany. This tea is basketed, dried, pure and of rich flavor. We offer it at the astonishingly low price of 40c.

IMPORTANT.—H. C. Hubbard is selling holiday goods cheaper than any house in the city. Call and be convinced.

DON'T MISS IT.—Holiday goods at bed rock prices at Hubbard's new Drug store.

COMING.—More new Christmas goods at F. M. French's, the corner jewelry store.

LINN CO. BIBLE SOCIETY.

The Linn County Bible Society met at the office of Dr. Gray Saturday night, Dr. Irvine, President, in the chair. The reports of the officers showed the following: Books on hand Dec 22, 1888 \$44.20 Books received since \$53.00

Total \$97.20  
Books donated \$70  
Books sold \$11.25  
Books on hand \$29.95

Total \$95.20  
Cash on hand Dec 22, 1888 \$41.60  
Collections \$26.91  
From sales \$11.25

DISBURSEMENTS.

Freight \$55.20  
To Oregon Bible Society \$72.21  
The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Rev E. R. Prichard, President; all resident pastors, Vice-Presidents; W. H. Hearst, Secretary; John Foshey, Treasurer; J. B. Coughlin, D. P. Donley, Dr. D. M. Jones, Dr. G. W. Gray and Prof. W. H. Lee, Executive committee.

At the meetings Sunday evening addressed by Agent P. C. Hetzler the following collections were made: At U. P. Church, \$20.60; at M. E. Church, \$18.50.

TANGENT.

Rev W. H. Howard has moved into the new parsonage here.

Mr Hunter has moved on his farm some few miles away.

Mrs Adams, from the East, has rented the property where Mr Hunter lived. She is a relative of Peter Ryan and came here to stay.

The young folks had a very nice party at Mr Bridgefarmer's last Friday night.

The Tangent public school will close on next Friday afternoon.

There is going to be a shooting match here on Tuesday, the 17th.

Elder J. W. Craig spent a few days last week here.

Every building will help the looks of the city. There are going to be several new residences built here next summer.

We think our contemporary correspondent in last week's issue of the DEMOCRAT was fast in writing up the history of several young men in Tangent. It hurt some of their feelings.

Tangent directory is as follows: J. J. Beard, post master and ticket agent; Smith & Moore, general merchandise; blacksmith, I. W. Newcomb; painters, J. J. Beard, F. L. Fisher, R. Moore; mechanics, R. E. Moore, L. F. Smith; carpenters, B. W. Mills, F. Fisher, R. Moore, I. Smith; A. Barnes, school teachers, R. E. Michener, I. Mills; druggist, J. J. Beard; minister, W. H. Howard; warehousemen, A. Barnes, A. Blevins; section boss, Peter Ryan; nurserymen, W. H. Settlemyre, Smith & Moses and M. L. Forester.

Dave E. Vernon has been spending a few days with his many friends in and around Tangent.

MAKE THEM HAPPY.—Parents should not fail to fill the childrens stockings on Christmas eve, with those delicious candies and nuts kept in stock by the Willamette Packing Co.

HOLIDAY ANNOUNCEMENT.—From now until Jan. 1, I will sell my \$4.00 Ladies Curacao kid shoes all brands at \$3.00 pair. I will also make a 10 per cent discount on all my slippers for men, women and children including felt slippers and feet warmers. My Curacao kid shoes, are first grade and of the best make, marked in plain figures and will be sold as represented and guaranteed. These goods are not marked for the occasion, but are a genuine reduction sale. A boy can buy as cheap as a man.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

NEW TO-DAY.

Toilet cases, Odor cases, Shaving sets, Work boxes, Cuff boxes, Albums, Scrap albums, Scrap pictures, Xmas cards, etc., at City Drug Store, Guise & Son, Prop's.

ASTORIA.—Lots in the North addition to Astoria. Price \$55 each on the installment plan or a discount for cash. These lots are selling rapidly in Portland and other cities. I am authorized to sell but a few blocks and it will pay you to call early and get your choice.—E. G. Beardsley Real Estate Agent Broadalbin St Albany.

SAVE MONEY.—By buying your drugs and medicines as well as your holiday goods at Hubbard's new Drug store.

THE PLACE TO GET THEM.—For bargains in shoes go to A. B. McIwain. He sells A. J. Johnston's French kid shoes, (as good as made) at \$3.50, Curacao kid shoes (same brand) \$2.50, Grain leather, and other brands that defy competition. Also a large stock of mens boots & shoes which will be sold at prices never known before.

NEXT.—New and best place in town is Gilson's new haberdashery in the Froman Block, next door to Fortmiller & Irvine's. Best barber in town.

I O O F.—Albany Lodge No 4 holds its regular meeting Wednesday evening of each week. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend.

APPLES.—A carload of wormless apples just received at LaForest & Thompson's, finest in the market.

We have just opened a fine assortment of silk handkerchiefs for holiday trade.

BARROWS & SEARLE.

Low prices and first quality goods at French's, The corner jewelry store.

HOME AND ABROAD

Go to Guise & Sons For Christmas goods.

Foggy weather this.

Xmas cards at Guise & Sons.

Silk mufflers at Barrows & Searle.

Quinoces 75 cents per bushel at C. E. Brownell's.

Begin practicing on 1890. It is almost here.

Home made mince meat at C. E. Brownell's.

Plenty of Oregon apples at C. E. Brownell's.

Trains have begun running from California again.

Choke cran berries and sweet oranges at C. E. Brownell's.

It is a treat to see the holiday goods at Guise & Sons.

Have your prescriptions filled at the City Drug store.

Perfumery in handsome cases at Guise & Sons for Christmas.

The rainfall in Oregon is unquestionably diminishing somewhat.

If you want pure, fresh drugs patronize the new Drug store.

Everybody should come to the City Drug Store for holiday goods.

How does your account foot up for the year and do you owe the printer.

An assortment of library lamps are being offered cheap at C. E. Brownell's.

Before purchasing holiday goods be sure to see the display at Guise & Sons.

Low prices are what counts and C. E. Brownell's is the place to get them.

Sauerkraut, pickles, pickled pigs feet and everything nice at C. E. Brownell's.

Mr L. E. Blain has bought a block in Goldra's Park addition. Consideration, \$2000.

Call at F. M. French the corner jewelry store and see his display of fine silverware even if you have no idea of buying.

A Lebanon man who gets boozey sees legs of negroes instead of snakes.—Silverton Appeal.

The display of holiday goods in the jewelry line at Will & Stark's is unsurpassed anywhere.

Marion county has three editors whose names are prefixed with Mr, viz. Mr Mitchell, Mr Mahon and McGill.

A big supply of choice vegetables, such as sweet potatoes, cauliflower, cabbage, etc are displayed at the W. P. Co's store.

1022 votes were cast in Astoria's city election. A good showing for the city; and shows about the population it claims.

Mr George Fish to-day began business as a resident of Corvallis, having purchased a half interest in the Weber stove and tinware store.

New Subscribers to the Youths Companion for 1890 will receive the paper free the remainder of this year. Price 1.75. F. L. Kenton, agent.

The D. Myers Lumber Manufacturing Company, of Scio, has sold its lumber mills, eight miles east of Scio, to W. C. Miller & Co., for \$10,000.

Have your prescriptions filled at the new drug store. Our new druggist makes a specialty of prescription work. Accuracy and purity guaranteed.

Subscriptions for all the leading news papers and magazines received by F. L. Kenton, near the Postoffice. All orders forwarded without delay.

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

Ladies shoes, mens shoes, misses shoes childrens shoes, mens boots, boys boots, slippers, etc. at C. E. Brownell's.

The following ad appears in the San Francisco Examiner: Woman who have fallen and wish to reform can find a Christian home and friends by addressing Rev J. W. Ellsworth, 1014 Washington street.

Per Humphrey and family left this noon for California, which they expect to make their future home. They will stop off at Eugene on their way to visit former neighbors.

Keep and consider the fact that the stock of watches, jewelry, silver ware, gold headed canes, etc., at Will & Stark's is an splendid one to select a Christmas present from.

Mr Kenna, of California, Herman, of Oregon, and Carter, of Montana, compose the roll of honor of congressmen from the silver producing states who voted for Reed for speaker in the caucus.

At th city election in Brownsville to-day Mr O. F. Coshow was elected Recorder by an overwhelming majority. About the remainder of the ticket we cannot state, as the election is not yet over. Mr Coshow has no opponent. The fight on Councilmen was saloon or no saloon.

A committee of Newport's business men had a meeting with the Salem Board of Trade last Friday evening in reference to building a railroad between the two places. It is now in order to advertise that the road will be positively built within a year, eighteen months at the most.

Hotel Arrivals.  
ST CHARLES.  
S. Mayberry Lebanon L. Jones Oakland  
J. Cleland Portland J. Thompson Fairfield  
I. Sager St Louis B. Louis Chicago  
G. Right City

REVERE HOUSE.  
G. M. Boice, Portland F. C. Hetzler, Salem  
J. J. Bevens, " G. W. Pearmaine, "  
O. S. Robinson, S. F. T. B. Burr, "  
A. A. Starwalt, " J. Benjamin, wt  
H. L. Rothchild, " L. T. Brock, Newport  
W. H. Cramer, Wash J. Dalsen  
A. R. Phelan, " R. S. Ellis, Eng

RUSS HOUSE.  
M. W. Wilkins, Cory J. Boreas  
H. C. Mackey S. A. Sanford  
J. Chandler, Salem Dan Croissan  
H. Parrish John Loftin  
W. H. Loftin Jos. Rinehart  
J. H. Wilkes, Leb W. H. Grant, Dallas

EXCHANGE HOTEL.  
F. Nelson C. Smith  
J. Thompson J. Clarkson  
M. Downley A. Wagner  
J. Hergrington G. Farle  
S. Ambrose L. Gilson  
H. Owens S. Gordon  
H. Walters S. Graber  
F. Burnell J. Ross

ALBANY property is good. I have lots both improved and unimproved in all parts of the city. Bargains in business property, and some good farms for sale on easy terms. Astoria property is also good, a number of Albany capitalists have invested heavily there. It is probable that this place will rival Seattle in a short time. Think of the fortunes that have been made by those who bought property on the Sound when the boom commenced. \$50 lots have been sold for \$3000. I have a few lots left in the North addition to Astoria at \$55, on the installment plan, \$10 down and \$5 per month. These lots are liable to be withdrawn from the market or raised in price at any time. Do not miss this chance. Many are regretting that they failed to purchase in Seattle before the boom. E. G. Beardsley, Real Estate Agent, Broadalbin St.

KID GLOVES.—I have just received an invoice of the celebrated P. Centemeri kid gloves in black and colored. These with the other brands I handle, Foster genuine hook and our own brand, makes an assortment that any lady can be suited in prices and quality. These are all first-class goods and warranted as represented. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

COUNTY TREASURERS NOTICE.—This is to notify all concerned that there is now sufficient funds in the County Treasurers office of Linn county Oregon to redeem all outstanding warrants. Interest on all ordered warrants will cease from this date.  
Dec 16th.  
H. FARWELL  
Treasurer.

Money to Loan  
On real estate. Will loan in sums to suit on approved security at the low rate of eight (8) per cent per annum.  
E. G. BEARDSLEY,  
General Agent, Broadalbin St., Albany.

GET A Christmas Present  
for your gentlemen friends. H. S. Ellis & Co have a fine stock of Meerschaum and other pipes, cigar holders, etc., which will be just the thing.

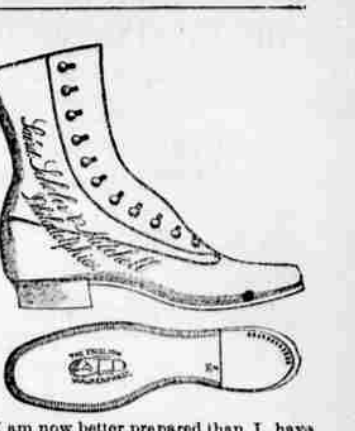
TRY  
The Pride of Albany soap by far the best laundry soap in the market contains no rosen. Try it and you will use no other. For sale only by  
C. E. BROWNELL.



Gold, Nickel, Shell and Steel Spectacles and Eye Glasses at lowest prices.  
F. M. FRENCH,  
Agent.



Johnny will have to get his gun supplied with telescope sights and do some tall shooting ere he strikes a better stove for solid comfort than the Jewel. This stove is a real beauty and is constructed on the latest improved principles. Sold only by  
MATTHEWS & WASHBURN.



I am now better prepared than I have ever been to suit my customers in the shoe line. I have just received a large invoice of the celebrated Laird Scheber & Mitchell fine shoes for ladies. There is no manufacturer who claims anything better than these shoes. I intend to keep a full assortment of them in all prices, widths from A to EE and can suit the most fastidious in fit and price. I have received another invoice of the popular shoe E. P. Reeds in Waukenphast and Patent leather tip. These shoes are well known in Albany as a first class shoe style shoe. Orders from the country filled with care and satisfaction guaranteed.  
SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

WANTED.—A girl to do light house work. Call on A. McEsfenger, a Fortmiller & Irving's.

GET YOUR WOOD NOW.—The undersigned having purchased the wood yard and wood of F. W. Spink do desire to inform the public that he is prepared to fill all orders for oak, ash, maple and fir wood. Orders left at the office of Wallace & Cusick will be promptly attended to.  
FRED W. BLUMBERG.

Albany Nurseries.

We are permanently located on the old Cline homestead 3 miles from Albany on Corvallis road, and have on hand a large stock of

Choice Fruit Trees  
of our own growing, which we sell at a lowest living rates.  
Parties contemplating planting trees will consult their interests by examining our stock and prices before purchasing.  
HUMAN & BROWNELL,  
Albany, Oregon.

1889. HOLIDAY GOODS. 1889.  
F. M. FRENCH,  
THE CORNER JEWELRY STORE,  
Headquarters for bargains in Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, etc. You can get the best goods for the least amount of money of any place in the city. Call and examine goods and prices.

Matthews & Washburn,  
ALBANY,  
OREGON