

LOCAL RECORD

THE HUBBARD CHILD CASE.—No case that has ever been tried in Albany attracted more attention than what is now called the Hubbard child case. At last evening's session the Court room was packed, many standing. The interest was due mostly to talk and reports made from month to month and not from newspaper notoriety, as the city papers have just given the news in reference to the matter, as it is their province to do. Nineteen witnesses testified for the prosecution, to wit: Mrs. A. B. Matthews, C. H. Spencer, Mrs. B. W. Condliff, Mrs. F. H. Roscoe, all next door neighbors of the parents of the child, Mrs. W. T. Harst, at whose house they took meals, Mr. Van Wilson, who ate at the same table, Mrs. Sarah Hines, who washed for them, Miss Dora Harris and Miss Mattie Patterson, who worked for them, Miss Ida Goin, who worked at Mrs. Harst's, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wallace, with whom they boarded for awhile, Mrs. S. S. Train, a next door neighbor, Mrs. W. M. St. John, a next door neighbor, Miss Emma Pfeiffer, who waited on them at Reserve House, Mr. D. C. Schell, who saw Mrs. H. take Barbara out of a buggy one day, Dr. and Mrs. Ellis, who took charge of the child on the beginning of the trial for the Sheriff, and Mrs. M. J. Monteth, a next door neighbor of Dr. Ellis. The testimony was as to the treatment of the child by her mother by cruel whipping, other modes of punishment, amount of food given her, remarks made, disposition of child, etc., which the Democrat has not the space to give and which would not be satisfactorily explanatory unless given in full.

For the defense there were six witnesses, Mrs. Fred Blumberg, Judge Powell, and Miss McClung, who worked for Judge Powell, testified as to stubborn disposition of child, Mr. Hulin, clerk of Mr. Hubbard, as to disposition of child and treatment of same by parents, and Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard. Their testimony showed both children to be adopted, Genevieve in June, 1885, and Barbara in April, 1886. That Barbara was taken from a children's home in Des Moines, on account of a resemblance to a deceased child, and was the illegitimate daughter of a servant girl there named Mollie Tyler. Both denied the charges of cruel treatment, asserting that no severe punishments had been given than was necessary for the child's government and testified that the child had plenty of plain wholesome food.

As in all cases the testimony of the prosecution and defense was very conflicting. The court at the conclusion of argument by counsel summed up the evidence and made an order that the child be taken from the custody of Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard and placed in the Children's Home at Portland. The decision was received with enthusiasm by the large crowd present.

DECOLLETTE.—The Democrat notices that in the East society is greatly agitated over decollette dressing. This refers to the party dress cut low in different shapes at the neck. The agitation is over how low the dress shall be, and there's the rub, sort of a high and low license question you see, conservative people being for high license and young, plump women for low license. There are three styles of cutting, and here they are V—U—Take your choice.

ON TO ASTORIA.—Last evening Messrs J. O. Writman and Henry Susens returned from the front on the O. P. with five ear loads of the Searls & Dean railroad plant, recently purchased by the Albany & Astoria railroad. It will be kept in this city until weather permits the beginning of operations toward Astoria. The capital stock of the company is \$2,000,000 and it is proposed to build the road with money.

NUMBER 3700 WINS.—The drawing for the pure China tea set took place at the Willamette Packing Co's store at half past one o'clock to-day. The half gallon jar of beans were counted by three disinterested parties. The number contained in the jar was 3709, thus making the holder of ticket No. 3700 the nearest correct and winner of the premium.

NEW MARBLE SHOP.—S. A. Riggs, of Salem, has opened a shop for Marble and Granite, foreign and domestic, and all kinds of cemetery work, at lower figures than have ever been offered in the Willamette Valley heretofore. Next door to Democrat.

BIGGEST YET.—10,000 rolls of wall paper, latest varieties, finest decorations just elved at F. M. French & Co'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 we can buy ladies and gents gold watches F. M. French.

The Old North State smoking is fast gaining popularity.

A RACE.—A big item in an Astoria paper is headed, "Race between two cities. Salem and Albany will see which can build a railroad into Astoria first."

"The project to build the road," said a Salemite named Rogers to an Astorian reporter, "was only broached about two weeks ago and now a good portion of the \$200,000 required has been subscribed."

Yes, fully one-tenth has been taken. The man further said:

"It looks now as if the fight will be between Albany and Salem to see which will get the road into Astoria first, and there are no odds either way as both cities mean business."

No odds, eh. Albany has a capital stock of \$2,000,000, the survey made, an oil painting several rods long made of the route, and a railroad plant on the ground, while our worthy neighbor has a subscription paper for stock.

NEWSPAPER HUMOR.—The editor of the Transcript cares just about as much for the threats of bullies as he does for the barking of little poodles, and he will edit it to suit himself, regardless of the wishes of the mobsters.—Astoria Transcript.

We claim nothing as charity but there are those in this vicinity who have seen us toll day and night in advancing the interests of the city and community and they have never aided us in patronage or otherwise when such acts would have greatly benefited themselves. We are known to each other here but a great gulf of darkness will separate us hereafter.—Pomroy Independent.

Salem and Albany can't harmonize on which one is to build the Astoria railroad. Let both.—Polk Co Observer.

BROWNSVILLE.—The election at Brownsville Monday was an exciting one. The issue was high or low license. The high license ticket won, excepting President of the Council and one Councilman, Mr. Jos White being elected on the other ticket. Following are the new officers:

E. I. Roby, President of the Council.
O. P. Coshaw, Recorder.
G. E. Starnard, Treasurer.
John Senger, Marshal.
J. M. Howe, I. D. Meyer, C. H. Ellsworth and Jos White, Councilmen.

GRANGE OFFICERS.—Following are the new officers of Grange No. 10, which meets a few miles from this city: M., N. P. Payne; O., Jas Hunter; L., Morgan Henshaw; Steward, M. Payne; A. S., J. A. Madine; chaplain, O. Fry; treasurer, T. Froman; secretary, Nellie Wallace; G. K., Fred Price; Pomona, Nancy Henshaw; Flora, Mary Froman; Ceres, Margery Gordon; L. A. S., Rozella Fry.

REACHED ALBANY.—They are never asleep at the depot. In order to be up with the times a nickel and slot arrangement has been put up at the depot. It is attached to a telegraph pole and a handle inserted into the pole is placed in communication with the electric current, so when a nickel is placed in the slot the fact is registered in New York or London, simply on turning the crank. The affair needs to be seen to be appreciated.

SAKTA CLAWS HEADQUARTERS.—We have just received an immense stock of holiday goods, consisting of the following:

Tapers, Walnuts,
Tree ornaments, Filberts,
Taper holders, Brazil nuts,
Cream candies, Pecans,
Ribbons mixed candies, Peanuts,
Plain " " Oranges,
Fancy " " Lemons,
Vegetables,
Cauliflower, Parsnips,
Celery, Cabbage,
Sweet potatoes, Caultrai,
Beets, Carrots,
Poultry, Ducks,
Turkeys, Chickens,
Geese.

All of the above will be kept on hand during the holidays.

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 per 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.

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

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

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 best rock prices at Hubbard's new Drug store.

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

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

Try the full cream cheese at U. E. Brownell's.

A beautiful line of Christmas cards at Guise & Sons. Call and see them.

AT YAQUINA.

The clouds, which viewed from Albany hung low over the mountain tops—too far to cause any apprehension of rain or trouble of any kind, proved to be a reality, and were industriously and steadily fulfilling their mission on this side of the mountain range. As the hours of the night passed by the wind, which during the evening had been coming strong from the south, increased in force, the smooth clouds were doubled up or folded into waves, and the rain fell in hard showers at short intervals. At 2 a. m. our fears were realized—the wind had increased to a gale and a heavy sea was on. The ship did not go out to sea this morning, as it was deemed unsafe to try to cross the bar. After breakfast the passengers were all brought ashore and comfortably quartered at the Yaquina Hotel under the courteous treatment of Mr. Humphrey, at the expense of the company to await another high tide and the developments of the future. The prospect is gloomy, but we are hopeful of sailing to-morrow. The ship has a good cargo of freight, but a light list of passengers, among whom Albany is well represented. Below I give you a list of the names: W. D. Humphrey, W. C. Humphrey, Chas. Devereaux, F. Hansard, Bart. McQuillen, D. Swanson, Rob. Knox, M. Nestor, L. F. Bryant, H. Parrish, Pat Doyle, John Degman, Z. Morris, all of Albany; R. A. Starr, of Corvallis, and a few others whose names I am at this writing unable to obtain.

YAQUINA CITY, OR., Dec. 17th, 1889.
W. D. HUMPHREY.

CLEARANCE SALE FOR 10 DAYS

At Barrows and Searls.

Including all men's leather boots and shoes in stock, also a large amount of women's, misses' and children's shoes. Men's calf lined mittens at 75c. All ladies cloaks at cost. They must go. We mean business.

BARROWS & SEARLS.

AN EXCITING OCCURRENCE.—Among those who have been working at the front were a man and wife, and child, the woman supporting the three by taking in washing. They came to Albany finally and the woman being disgusted with the man, claiming that he had shot at her twice, and knocked her down once, since arriving here, left him. This afternoon while going along First street they met in front of the Flinn Block, when the man tried to steal the child from the woman and get away. A big crowd gathered and the woman succeeded in getting into LaForest & Thompson's store with the child, the brutal husband being refused admittance. A warrant was issued out of Justice Humphrey's court, and he will be compelled to keep the peace.

A TALENTED ELOCUTIONIST.—The Young Men's Christian Association of this city signed a contract last evening, engaging the services of Miss Jessie Couthoul, an elocutionist of the highest order, to entertain the public in the Opera House Friday and Saturday evenings January 17th and 18th, 1890. There is no doubt that the citizens of Albany will be very glad to hear that the Association has been successful and wide awake enough to secure the services of so talented an elocutionist and that all will be so fortunate as to have an opportunity of hearing her.

ENTERPRISING BROWNSVILLE.—An enthusiastic meeting was held at Brownsville last evening for the purpose of making arrangements to build a railroad from that city this way, probably to Albany, though Corvallis is offering big inducements. O. P. Coshaw, J. M. Waters and Peter Hume were appointed a committee on incorporation and were in Albany for the purpose of having articles drafted. The capital stock was placed at \$100,000, and the citizens of Albany will be called upon to take their share of the same.

IT WAS ACCIDENTAL.—The shooting accident at Sublimity by which Mr. Wm Riggs was killed, it transpires was purely accidental as claimed by the defendants Mr. Hammon and son, and on examination they were discharged. The deceased was a member of the A. O. U. W., and his family will receive \$2000.

SENSATIONAL.—It is the duty of a woman to look pretty and be happy and if she has one of those lovely French felt hats trimmed in the latest and highest style of a milliners art sold at cost at the store of Mrs. Merie Davis & Co., she can be beautiful and if beautiful, she will realize a felicity unknown to many but a well dressed woman. Come and see them.

Adown the corridor of Time,
Come these words we've heard before,
Like the choicest bell's sweet chime,
Shut

That Door!

But
At Goss Bros shut it on the inside,
and then examine their large and splendidly selected stock of groceries, produce and crockery ware, as well as Christmas novelties, of which they have a large and varied stock.

CHRISTMAS 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.

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

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

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

HOME AND ABROAD

Go to Guise & Sons
For Christmas goods.
Xmas cards at Guise & Sons.
Quinces 75 cents per bushel at C. E. Brownell's.

Home made mince meat at C. E. Brownell's.
Plenty of Oregon apples at C. E. Brownell's.

It is a treat to see the holiday goods at Guise & Sons.
Have your prescriptions filled at this City Drug store.

Perfumery in handsome cases at Guise & Sons for Christmas.

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

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

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.

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

Read 8 E Young's big holiday adv. He has the goods and it will pay to inspect them.

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

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

The Jingles went to Corvallis yesterday and will be here to-morrow evening.

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

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.

Mr. Peter Hume, of Brownsville, who was in the city to-day, requested us to state that he was not a candidate for State Treasurer, as has been stated.

Ladies shoes, mens shoes, misses shoes childrens shoes, mens boots, boys boots, less than cost to make room for other goods at C. E. Brownell's.

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

New carpets in the latest colors and designs, oils, cloths, linoleum and window shades just received at A. B. McIlwain's. Parties wishing goods in the house furnishing line will do well to call, as he has made another sweeping reduction and will save you at least ten per cent on all these goods.

The teachers institute of the Second judicial district will be held at Corvallis on Dec. 26, 27 and 28th. The only Linn county teacher who will take part is Prof. G. A. Walker, examinations in schools, and Superintendent Carl.

Your wasted cheeks may have all the plumpness and bloom of health through your use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This time-honored remedy still leads the van. It improves digestion, purifies the blood, and invigorates the system. Give it a trial.

No remedy for blood disorders can equal Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Though concentrated and powerful, this medicine is perfectly safe, and may be taken by children as well as adults. Physicians recommend it in preference to any other. Price \$1. Worth \$5 a bottle.

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.

THE PLACE TO GET THEM.—For bargains in shoes go to A. B. McIlwain. He sells A. J. Johnson'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.

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

HUGHES.—On Tuesday evening, Dec. 17, 1889, at the residence of Mr. Chester Skeels, in Benton county, Mr. Frank Hughes, age about 27. Mr. Hughes was a son of Ben. John Hughes, of Albina, and for several years worked as telegraph operator at different points. Recently he came here for the purpose of working in the gardens of his Uncle Mr. Chester Skeels. The deceased leaves a wife and two children. He was a steady, reliable young man.

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 price and quality. These are all first-class goods and warranted as represented.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

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.

COUNTY TREASURERS NOTICE.—This is to notify all concerned that there is now sufficient funds in the County Treasurer's office of Linn county Oregon to redeem all outstanding warrants. Interest on all endorsed 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.

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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.



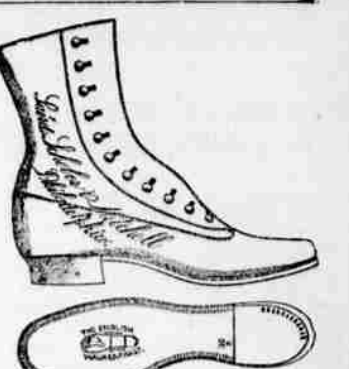
Gold, Nickel, Shell and Steel Spectacles and Eye Glasses at lowest prices.

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 Schuber & 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 get the most fastidious in fit and price. I have received another invoice of the popular shoe E. P. Reeds in Waukenphat and Patent leather tip. These shoes are well known in Albany as a first class nice style shoe. Orders from the country filled with care and satisfaction guaranteed.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

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.

WANTED.—A girl to do light house work. Call on A. Moessenger, 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.

LOST.—A small nickel watch, silver chain, somewhere between Jefferson street and Central school house. Return to G. W. Smith and be suitably rewarded.

S. W. Paisley,
—WHOLESALE DEALER IN—
Tobacco and Cigars.
Orders solicited from the trade.

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.

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