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LOCAL RECORD

DESERVE BIG HOUSES.—It was a small house; but a remarkably well pleased one at witnessed Elford & Brophy's presentation of "Lady Audley's Secret." The play, heretofore presented in Albany, is a telling one, particularly as so well given by this troupe. Miss Lottie Beaumont is considerably plumper than one Lady Audley in Albany; but she, as well, fills the part fuller too, making a charming nobleman's wife. Mr Brophy is a strong Robert Audley; Mr Elford carries the house as a Mark; and the parts of Sir Michael Audley and George Talboys were peculiarly well sustained. The entertainment closed with "Confusion," one of the funniest and best presented little farces ever seen.

MEAN MEN.—There has long been a contest in this world to find the meanest man, and a great many items appear on the subject, some of them not very savage, but nevertheless interesting. Here is one: Reports are true, Pendleton contains a very lazy, good-for-nothing citizen, who is a son of the same calibre. They do not work, but allow the women of the household to do the rustling for the family. A cord of wood was bought for the family by sympathizing neighbors, and the tale members would not even do the sawing act, the husband endeavoring to hire a persuade some one else to saw the wood. Pendleton lays claim to the "meanest man" in Oregon.

NATURAL GENIUS.—Some men do things as natural as geese fly north and south at a time when the temperature is just exactly right. An Albany young man without having taken a lesson hear a tune on the guitar and repeats it correctly. A few days ago a country boy from the "Forks," who looked as if he were out for following the plow, came to Albany and told an artist that he would like to take lessons. He was given one and a picture to copy. In a few days he brought back an exact duplicate, painted by himself so well as to startle the artist. Without any previous lessons he displayed a marked genius. Fine clothes do not produce fine thoughts or natural genius.

A SURPRISE PARTY.—Last evening a large number of the young friends of Mr Samuel Guts gave him a genuine surprise party at the residence of Dr Guis. In order to get the victim present he was sent home at the proper hour on urgent business and found himself in the midst of a live company of friends. An enjoyable evening was spent in games and other amusements. Our young people are awakening to the need of more sociability and all kinds of parties are in prospect.

THE PRINCE OF ADVERTISERS.—It is generally known that Ralston Cox, of Corvallis real estate dealer, is a nephew of the late "Sunset Cox, of New York, but such is the case. Owing to his bad habits he was sent into the "wild and woolly west," in order not to disgrace his family. After a rather chequered career in Corvallis he braced up, married a good woman, was started in business, and to-day is considered one of the brightest business men in Benton county.—Baker City Blade.

SOME PHILOSOPHY.—Cold weather is as congruous to the Willamette valley as a hat on a tramp. It is a breeder of content, disease and ennui. Cold weather is supposed to invigorate according to the books; but here it causes, lacerate, an empty feeling and all the symptoms mentioned in the patent medicine. Oh, give us the warm, delicious, rectifying rays that brace up, enliven and make glad the heart. This is the cry of the Webfoot.

THE GENUINE GRIPPE.—There are no cases at one of the hotels pronounced the genuine Russian gripple, the men have all the symptoms, to wit: bleeding at nose, chills, fever, and even insensibility. The effect is said to be weakening the extreme.

BE CONVINCED.—To be convinced that a railway addition to Astoria is the nearest and cheapest and best property now offered for sale by any agent. Call on E. G. Hardsley and see the maps showing the locations of all the different additions to the booming city of Astoria.

ANOTHER CASE.—Frank Cooley, an independence boat, has just been taken to the insane asylum. His insanity is caused by too much strong drink. This makes two cases in Oregon within a week, from the same cause.

Dr. M. H. Ellis, physician and surgeon, Albany, Oregon. Calls made in city or country.

A LARGE AURIFEROUS LEDGE.—A W Purdon, J S Purdon, James S Rea, W P Turple and C W Rea, on December 23rd, each located 1500 feet on the Estella ledge, situated in the Estella mining district, on Eagle Creek. These locations are extensions of the "Estella Mining Claim," of which notice of location was filed by John Green and others on December 5th. A half pound of crushed rock from this claim shows about 20 "colors," the light of very small shot. If the residue of small gravel and gold exhibited was not "salted," the Estella contains millions, and capitalizing the stock at \$1,500,000, 1500 shares at \$1000 each, which is talked of, is not a lousy scheme by any means.—Oregon City Courier. A W Purdon is a resident of Albany, and J S Purdon, his brother, is well known here. J O is now agent at Oregon City.

LEBANON.—The new city officers, just elected at Lebanon are D Andrews, mayor; W B Donaca, J S Courtney, J J Swan, C C Hackleman, councilmen; A C Peterson recorder; F M Miller, marshal; J Roberts treasurer. The election is reported to have been an exciting one.

The new officers of the board of trade are D Andrews, president, C H Ralston, J J Swan, 1st and 2nd vice-presidents; S O Wallace, secretary; M A Miller, treasurer. The standing committee are: S O Wallace, M A Miller and H Y Kirkpatrick on advertising; C C Hackleman, M A Miller, J A Beard, on finance; J J Swan, W B Donaca, Jas Elkins, C D Montague, and G T Cotton on manufacture.

Y M C A NOTES.—Business meeting on night at 8:30 at the rooms.

The association has provided for one of the best elocutionary entertainments ever in this city, to take place at the opera house next Friday and Saturday evenings. Miss Jessie Couthou is an artist in this line of the first degree, and the public may expect a good time. Tickets on sale at Blackman's Monday next. Remember the dates and save these evenings.

The acting secretary, Lewis E Lee, is confined in bed with pneumonia at the residence of his brother.

The members are earnestly requested to make a special effort to attend the business meeting to-night, to make special arrangements for the entertainment next week.

A SLANDEROUS ITEM.—It is said that a new fashion has struck Albany, and becoming quite popular among a certain class of young men. The gable end of pants are to be different from the main pants. Cause, too much sitting.—Salem Journal.

Did the Salem man know the active, rustling, electric motor style of the Albany young men the above would have never been penned. They do not have time to sit down, and even do their courtship on the wing; but the amount of shoe leather worn is enormous.

FIGURING ON IT.—The new electric light system has one good feature for the company. On being turned on the meter keeps running until turned off. Wednesday night worthy Master T L Wallace was exhibiting the beautiful hall to a visiting brother, and of course turned the entire set of lights on, producing an unsurpassed effect. They burned all night and the meter kept running. Mr Wallace, at the suggestion of several, with one hand on his pocket book, is working on the following problem: If electric lights cost 1 1/2 cents an hour apiece, how much will 21 cost for ten hours.

AN OREGON ROMANCE.—A Long creek girl named Short, long loved a certain big Mr Little; while Mr Little, little thinking of Short, loved a little lass named Long. To make a long story short, Little proposed to Long, and Short longed to be with Little's shortcomings. So Short, meeting Long, threatened to marry Little before Long, which caused Little in a short time to marry Long. Query: Did tall Short love big Little less because big Little loved little Long.

WHERE TO GET IT.—The following from an exchange is quite well put; but who ever heard of a newspaper office being robbed. Most of them are not even locked: All burglars are hereby notified not to pay us any nocturnal visits with the expectation of getting money. If they want our money they must call on our delinquent subscribers, a list of whom will be furnished on application to this office.

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.

CENTER TABLES.—A large and elegant shipment of center tables, in new designs, finest stock in the valley, just received at Fortmiller & Irving.

WHERE TO GET THEM.—When wanting an organ or piano call on G L Blackman, where you can select from a first class stock.

SOME BUTTER.—A large supply of fine fresh butter at the Willamette Packing Co's store. Call early as butter is generally scarce.

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

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 any one.

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

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

(D. R. N. Blackburn, Judge; B. W. Cooper and G. W. Phillips, Commissioners.)

The following Supervisors of roads reported and their claims allowed for services as indicated and new Supervisors appointed as follows:

DIST.	OLD.	NEW.	
39	O Chesney	E P Large	\$24.00
51	Frank Winkler	Reappointed	34.00
26	W D Washburn	J M Nicholls	16.00
44	C E Maxson	J W Grimes	30.00
27	A F Ayers	Thos Nicholls	30.00
32	E N McCaw	Robt Glass	26.00
52	W J Turnidge	Reappointed	32.00
45	H Dnwidde	"	10.00
12	W E Fisher	C Buckner	22.00
14	David Scott	J W Gardner	53.00
5	E Goins	J M Arnold	50.00
13	Mart Miller	G Geisendorfer	30.00
14	W C Stellmacher	C Burkhardt	93.00
18	T L Dugger	Jas Wallace	42.00
25	Ino Duncan	W W Rowland	32.00
31	E A Evans	Reappointed	46.00
29	S V Barr	"	16.00
6	A E Randall	A Summers	32.00
24	A E Carrie	E E Gordon	32.00
15	G W Cline	Reappointed	88.00
21	M Scott	W S Churchill	20.00
47	C S Mullan	Reappointed	32.00
32	J H Rehham	H H Kirk	32.00
38	Win Spurling	A M Templeton	20.00
17	H Frickson	Reappointed	23.00
48	J A Jones	J J Graham	40.00
27	W W Richardson	"	42.00
10	John Reed	J Huddleston	50.00
34	Sam Daw	Flem Smith	24.00
19	E Keebler	J R Saitman	53.00
20	O Healey	F Blodgett	76.00
28	G W Klum	Reappointed	36.00
22	Alfred Blevins	S Cannon	20.00
11	M A Fitzgerald	Gus Kruger	26.00
4	J H Anderson	C Titus	25.25
50	John Shea	A Thompson	30.00
41	Wm Rumbaugh	"	36.00
9	Elb Plummet	John Cre	74.00

The Jefferson bridge matter was continued.

A new voting precinct was organized out of a part of West Albany and Center. Also arrangements were being made for one off East Albany and one off Peoria, making three new precincts.

The following Judges and clerks of election were appointed for the next two years. The first three are the judges and the other two, clerks.

West Albany.—D Froman, M Payne, B W Cundiff, T J Sittes and C W Watts.
Albany.—Ellis Knox, W M Ketchum, G F Crawford, C G Burckhart, and J R Wyatt.
Tangent.—Dan Houck, Henry Frickson, J B Jenks, J Beard, and H W Settle.

Shedd.—Scott Ward, Alex Brandon, Geo W Davis, and C J Shedd.
Halsey.—M V Koontz, Harry Godley, Robert Andrews, J R Bone, and W J Stewart.

Harrisburg.—M Fuller, E N Tandy, J F McCartney, Geo Alford, and Damon Smith.
Syracuse.—F D Leverich, I D Miller, J J Graham, Eugene Fisher, and L C Stratton.

Brush Creek.—J N Rice, F M Malone, A C King, T J Philpott and David King.
Crawfordville.—Robt Glass, Fletcher Moses, J H Scott, Geo Finley and W B Glass.

Brownsville.—J H Washburn, A C Hausman, O P Coshaw, A W Stanard and Peter Hume.
Center.—John Huston, M Parker, W K Temple, D Wheeler and W W Crawford.

Orleans.—Joseph Yates, Johnson White, A M Acheson, R A Bamford and J Turner.
Peoria.—A L Cameron, Cyrus Clingman, W R Garrett, W E Githens and J K Haight.

Rock Creek.—E A Hester, Thos Butler, H Hennes, E C Hester and Newt Lewis.
Fox Valley.—Henry Lyons, P Berry, Mart McClain Davis, Scott J B Trask.

Seilo.—Wm Cyrus, E Goins, Harry Shelton, O S May and G I Sutherland.
Franklin Butte.—N G McDonald, J L Chapman, W W Richardson, Clay Myers and A E Randall.

Santiam.—J K Charlton, M Hickman, F M Smith, J E Michael and S J Paul.
Lebanon.—W H Kilm, F C Hansard, Z T Bryant, D F Hardman and Geo Rice.

Waterloo.—Geo Gross, Geo Klum, W W Parrish, J Newman and Frank Davis.
Liberty.—John Kirk, Coe Frman, Wm Ingram, F Kreig and S V Barr.

Sweet Home.—F M Rumbaugh, H Moran Thos Morris, Frank Burnett and Geo Markhart.

IN MEMORIAM.

At a regular session of the Ladies Presbyterian Society, on Jan. 9th, 1890, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His loving mercy has removed from pain and suffering our sister, Mrs. Clara E. Prichard, to His Refuge of Rest, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this Society has lost a sister whose gentleness of behavior, christian charity, and tenderness for others, is a lasting example to us, and none of us could see her without feeling the better for it, we are all the better because she has lived.

Resolved, We extend to our pastor, Rev. E. R. Prichard, our sympathy, in the loss of his wife, a wise and loving counselor, and an inspiration in his work, and that although now passing through the deep waters they shall not overwhelm him, but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy on thee, saith the Lord thy Redeemer.

And as he guides the little children, thus early bereft of a loving mother, may he remember that the tender Shepherd will feed them. "He shall gather the Lambs with His arm, and carry them in His bosom."

Resolved, Our sympathies are also extended to the sorrowing parents, brothers and sisters in their bereavement, and we share with them tender memories of the one gone before.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this society, a copy furnished to each of the papers for publication, and a copy to friends of the deceased.

CLARA E. PRICHARD, LIZZIE A. REDFIELD, Comtee.

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GARLAND STOVES RANGES

HOME AND ABROAD

The weather has been fine—for plumbers. Seedless oranges for sale at FL Kenton's. Quinces 75 cents per bushel at C E Brownell's.

102 votes were cast in the Lebanon election.

Home made mince meat at C E Brownell's.

Plenty of Oregon apples at C E Brownell's.

Ladies all wool scarlet underwear, 75c; B & S.

Babies' charms, incense at Barrows & Searls.

Choice cran berries and sweet corn at C E Brownell's.

For dentistry try Dr Wagener over the Linn County Bank.

Rev Motayer was in Salem yesterday on a visit with Father White.

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

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.

New England condensed mince meat at F L Kenton's, at 15 cents a package.

Ask to see our Railroad Engineer shoes, just received at Barrows & Searls.

A good second-hand organ for sale cheap at the Art studio over Linn County Bank.

Mrs Henrietta Brown returned to Portland this noon, with the expectation of remaining several months.

Barrows & Searls have just received an invoice of ladies fine shoes from George W Ludlow, Chicago.

Gov Penroyer has called an Assessors convention for February 11th, at Portland. This is a good thing theoretically.

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.

The Lafayette Ledger, of which Mr S G Dorris is one of the editors, is offered for sale. Sid has probably amassed a fortune out of it, and is now willing for some one else to do likewise.

A new Evangelical church has just been completed at Sweet Home, and will be formally dedicated on Sunday. Rev Fisher, of this city, will conduct the services, and owing to his absence from Albany there will be no services at the Evangelical church here.

The famous St Louis Browns, one of the best base ball clubs in the United States, passed through Albany yesterday morning for Portland. They intended, notwithstanding the climate, to show the Portlanders how base ball is played, in the pavilion; but have been ordered East.

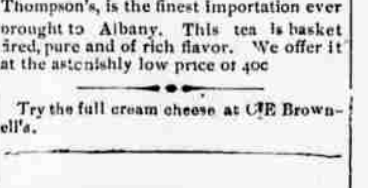
The Postage Stamp troupe passed through Albany to-day for Corvallis. One or two of the name is about what they will take in whether at Corvallis, or any other place in the valley, this epizootic weather about nine out of ten remain home nights taking quinine and such.

Attention is called to the local of I D Holden, the Stockton druggist, whose medicine is on sale at H C Hubbard's. It is of peculiar interest just now, when people are having such a siege of coughs and colds. These medicines are Pacific Coast medicines and are said to be remarkably effective. Try a bottle.

Beware of the Threatening Danger. Do not neglect cough or any affection of the lungs. Delay is fatal. Holden's Etheral Cough Syrup will cure you if taken promptly. Large size \$1.00, small 50 cents. For sale by H C Hubbard, druggist.

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

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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.

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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.

PIANO TUNING.—Parties desiring pianos tuned should call on Prof. D. Van Horn, the old and reliable tuner. Prof. Van Horn has tuned pianos in Albany for many years and his work in this city universally speaks of his skill as a tuner, acquired first by years of experience in a pianoforte factory. He has no equal in the valley. Leave orders at Will & Link's, and do not buy a piano or organ without consulting him, thus being sure of securing only first-class instruments

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Column.

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One of the best 40 acre farms in this section of the country, not a foot of poor land on the place. Is especially adapted for fruit and is situated convenient to the city. Price low and terms easy. This is a special bargain for a few days only.

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Farm property at all prices. n. t. y. ter. a. Two cottages for rent; \$8 each.

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Lots in the RAILWAY ADDITION to Astoria. This property, is situated just one mile and a quarter from the center of Astoria and is practically inside property. This addition has been on the market but two weeks and is already more than half sold to parties in Portland, Astoria and other cities. The prices are \$70 for inside lots and \$85 for the corners. These prices will positively be raised by Jan. 15, to \$100 and \$85. Now for sale on the installment plan, \$20 down and the balance at \$5 per month. Call quick and select the finest. This is by far the best and cheapest Astoria property that is offered for sale in Albany. Come and compare locations. An exclusive agent in Albany for this property is

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