

LOCAL RECORDS

WORTH DIGESTING.—The following from an Ohio paper was on a ticket to a county fair, and so well illustrates the situation not only in reference to fairs, but also entertainments of all kinds, that we give it, and we hope some Albany people who like to have considerable done sometimes without any recognition at all will sleep over it: "This ticket probably has been sold for ten times over by the paper to which it is issued. It will be honored in the hands of any man, woman or child, white, black, red or yellow, who favors the association by presenting it. It is good for entrance and grand stand, and the bearer, if driving, will be entitled to pass a team free. The association recognizes the fact that its splendid success is owing largely, if not wholly, to the notices so freely given by the press, while we cannot tender an equivalent in cash, we return our grateful thanks."

THE FORKS COAL.—A noted mining expert visiting The Forks for the purpose of looking up and testing the quality and quantity and value of the mineral wealth of this favored section, and if opportunity offered he will examine our newly discovered coal beds. The recent new coal strike near this city is quite promising, the coal being much the best quality ever exhibited here. The frequency of coal finds hereabout, would seem to indicate the presence of large and valuable deposits that have only to be sought for in an intelligent manner, to be secured and utilized.

A SOLEMN DUTY.—Newspapers often have painful duties to perform. But these are self-imposed tasks of the profession and it would be cowardly to shirk them. It is a solemn duty which the DEMOCRAT owes to the public to disclose the unsavory fact that the man who in these gripping times goes to bed with his chest covered with a hot onion poultice and his stomach full of boiled onions, will have the consolation when he wakes in the morning to find la grippe disgusted and gone. The remedy is heroic but effective.

LOOKS BETTER.—The following from the Transcript doesn't make it look as much like starving railroad laborers as a few days ago: The citizens committee, consisting of C. W. Fulton, W. L. Robb, E. A. Taylor and John Fox, provided for ten more destitute railroad laborers making thirty three in all. Many of the boarding houses are now taking their time checks at face value, as every one is satisfied that they will be paid in full. Some of the citizens are giving the men work at clearing off land. This action on their part is worthy of imitation and all who have any work to do should give the railroad boys a chance.

CROOK COUNTY.—Crook county, with 336,855 head of sheep, shows up far in the lead as the banner sheep raising county in the state. Next to Crook in the sheep industry is Grant county, with 240,201.

BEAVER CROCK.—Beaver creek to his friends and well wishers in Prineville that he has not lost any sheep—that he has plenty of feed; that the snow is a foot deep; that he doesn't care a darn; that he is going to save his flocks.

TAKE AIM.—When wanting anything in the gun line, shot, rifle or revolver, call on Price & Robson. They carry a first-class stock, and as well a full line of ammunition and will not be undersold.

MADE TO CUT.—When buying an axe get the best, one that is durable as well as sharp, and the place to do it is at Price & Robson's, who also have a fine line of wedges, etc.

RECENTLY AT BROWNVILLE.—William Hunter, aged 81, and Mrs. Bramer, aged 78, were united in marriage. The happy young couple have the DEMOCRAT'S best wishes for long life and prosperity.

UPS AND DOWNS.—Some of the principal ups and downs in business life is to keep quality up and prices down. This is being done very successfully at LaForest & Thompson's, and those dinner sets to be distributed among our customers Jan. 1st are a crowning no little interest as well as our prices.

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.

AMNEY'S ADDITION.—51 lots in this addition to Albany, near Hackleman's 3rd addition, for sale, at \$25 to \$125 a lot, at Curran & Montelth's.

The best 5 cent cigar in town at C. E. Brownell's.

MEAN BUSINESS.

Mr H C Kinney, President of the Grants Pass Sugar Pine and Lumber Co., has been in the city in the interest of the company. Arrangements have been consummated for the establishment of the branch warehouse and factory here. This afternoon the contract for doing the brick work for the warehouse building at this city was let to Mr W C Cassell. The wood work will be done by the company. The building is to be 49x70 feet and two stories high, and will be located just south of the switch, opposite the present factory of Hochstetler & Sears, which will become a part of the new plant. A DEMOCRAT man saw Mr Kinney a very affable gentleman, who spoke very encouragingly of the outlook for the combined factory. The Albany branch, with its increased facilities and capital, will be pushed as the trade demands and will be an important industry here. The factory will be run here as in the past, with an increased force; but shipment of dressed goods will also be made from Grants Pass.

A meeting of Albany stockholders was held at the office of the Linn County Bank this evening for the purpose of naming two directors for the company, who will be called at a general meeting of the stockholders at Grants Pass on Monday.

Edward Zeyss and E. J. Miller were nominated.

THE COMMITTEES.—The dedication of the new Masonic temple, to take place on February 21st, promises to be one of the liveliest events of the season. The following are the committees appointed to manage the same:

On Reception—D P Mason, Miss Vest, Miss J L Cowan, Mr and Mrs D C Shell, Miss Tina Montelth, E D Cusick, W F Crook, Mr and Mrs L C Marshall, Miss Belle Sanders, Mr and Mrs F M Redfield, Mr and Mrs L Sanders, Mr and Mrs Webster, Mr and Mrs D Froman, Mr and Mrs M Payne, Mr and Mrs D V S Reid, and Mr and Mrs G F Simpson.

On music—E R Prichard, Chas Barrows, W Fortmiller, Mrs G E Chamberlin, and Mrs E W Langdon.

On decoration—Mr and Mrs D C Shell, Mr and Mrs W H Garrett, Mr and Mrs B F Tabler, Mr and Mrs T L Wallace, Mr and Mrs S S Train, Mr and Mrs E La Forest, Mr and Mrs W B Barr and Mr and Mrs Hawkins.

On finance—J L Cowan, D P Mason, W Ralston, J W Cusick, L Sanders, Goo W Smith, F E Allen, Dr M Jones, Hon J Waterford and H Bryant.

On program—Geo E Chamberlin, C E Wolverson, W R Biley, G W Maston, G Humphrey.

On invitation and printing—D P Mason, J R Whitney, F J Miller.

On refreshments—T L Wallace, D Froman, L C Marshall, W H Garrett.

On transportation—G F Simpson, L W Deyoe, Jason Wheeler, J R Abbey.

TO THE PEOPLE.—Dr Patton now has his office fully arranged to suit every convenience and is prepared to treat all who may apply. Ladies suffering with those ills peculiar to their sex can be assured of speedy relief, as the doctor has made female diseases his special study. He holds two diplomas and is a member of the Oregon State Medical Society. He prepares his own medicines and everything is confidential. Consultation is free and a visit to his office costs you nothing. Office in Blumberg's Block. Deserving poor treated free.

DON'T MISS IT.—The chance to double your money by purchasing lots in the Railway addition to Astoria. These lots will positively be raised in price on the 15th (Wednesday) to \$85 for inside and \$100 for corner lots. This property is nearly all sold, and but few more lots can be had. Do not make a mistake and buy Astoria property without first carefully comparing locations. You will then buy in the Railway addition and find plenty of Albany people to keep you company.

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.

FOUND.—On Ellsworth street this afternoon, by J F Hallan, Odd Fellows ring. Call at this office, pay charges and secure ring.

TANGENT.

Tangent public school started up on last Monday under the able management of R E Michneras principal and Miss Maud Beaud in the primary department.

The quarterly meeting at the M E church south has closed after a weeks services.

Most every one has been suffering from light attacks of the La Grippe.

Born, to the wife of Elder J W Craig, a daughter on New Years morning.

The Tangent people are happy over the new voting precinct.

There is talk of building a new church here.

Mr Irwin Mills contemplates going to Southern California in a few days where he will look for a situation in some store.

Mr G W Smith, who got his thumb shot off by the discharge of a shotgun week before last is getting a great deal better.

Arthur Beard and Nathan Barber went to Harrisburg and came down the river in a skiff hunting last week and report game plentiful.

H F Jackson who has been down sick with lung fever, is able to be up again.

Another wedding on the tapis near Tangent.

Mr Glas Rogers, of Portland, is stopping at L F Smith's, and is trying to get up a class in Telegraphy.

Mr A Blevins made a shipment of between 8,000 and 10,000 bushels of wheat during last week, which was sold at the low price of 55 cents per bu.

There is some talk of building a large college here in a short time.

PEORIA.

Mr M P Taylor, recently from Kansas contemplates engaging in the dairy business near here, in the spring, he being an old dairyman.

Mavor Johnson and family, who went East on a visit last spring, will spend the winter in Missouri.

F L Bayne, one of our solid grangers, believes in being in the fashion, and is layed up with La Grippe.

A Mr Thomas and wife, old neighbors of E D Underwood, in Iowa, arrived here last Saturday. They have come to stay.

On Tuesday eve, Jan 21st, there will be an entertainment and basket social at the M E Church. The ladies are expected to bring a basket of lunch, which will be sold to the highest bidder. The little folks will also bring baskets, which will be sold in the same way. The proceeds to be used in buying a stove, etc. Every one cordially invited.

TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

Edited by Albany W. C. T. U.

The commissioner of Internal Revenue estimates that about 8,000,000 gallons of alcohol are used in the arts and manufactures.

Eli Perkins has been lecturing in Kentucky. At Petersburg three distillers were on the lecture committee. Upon being asked by the lecturer if he might say a few words that evening for temperance, they answered, "Do so by all means," and declared that although distillers they were emphatically for temperance in Kentucky, saying: "We want you to understand that we don't make this whiskey for our Kentucky boys; we make it to poison the Yankees and the Irish!"

Our temperance friends must turn a new leaf; we also must nationalize ourselves; the laws in regard to liquors being essentially national, we must meet our wily enemies in the national halls of Congress, not by petitions or other like nonsense. The enemy cares nothing for such "foolery," as he calls it, and never did. We must be prepared to cope with the now powerful liquor interest by their own means, the votes of congressmen, which are to be obtained, by the votes of those who send them to Congress.—Horace Greeley.

I D Crothers, in the Scientific American, says of the effects of alcohol on the mind: It is one of the curious errors that alcohol stimulates the imagination, and gives a clearer, more practical insight into the relation of events of life. The whirl of thought roused up by the increased circulation of the blood in the brain is not imagination; it is not a superior insight or conception of the relation of events, but is a rapid reproduction of previous thoughts soon merging into confusion. The inebriate never creates any new ideas or new views; all his fancies are tumultuous, blessed and barren. The apparent brilliancy is only the flash of mania, quickly followed by dementia. The physicians who are supposed to have greater skill when using spirits, have paralyzed their higher brain center, and have lost all sense of fear or appreciation of the consequences of their acts, and hence act more automatically, simply doing what they have done before without any clear appreciation or discrimination of the results. The man who uses spirits to give mental force and clearness is doing the very worst thing possible to destroy this effect. Alcohol is ever and always a paralyzant.

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HOME AND ABROAD.

State Printer Baker is in the city. Notice Matthews & Washburn new rd Quince 75 cents per bushel at C E Brownell's.

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Plenty of Oregon apples at C E Brownell's.

Ladies all wool serbet underwear, 75c, B & S.

Babies Christ's muscous at Barrows & Sears.

Good evening—Have you tried Hubbard's Elegant Lotions?

These cran berries and sweet orange at C E Brownell's.

Nightwatch Witter, of Exeter, was in the city this forenoon.

For dentistry try Dr Waggoner over the Linn County Bank.

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.

You can save many a dime by trading at H C Hubbard's new drug store. Try it.

The Oregonian on account of a breakdown failed to put in an appearance to day.

G W Simpson left a day or two ago on a business and pleasure trip to California.

Sauerkraut, 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 & Sears.

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

Salem is being greatly elated over the prospect of a \$100,000 postoffice building.

Boats are again running on the river, now entirely free from ice and other floating obstructions.

Have your prescriptions and family receipts compounded by H C Hubbard, the prescription druggist.

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

That Hungarian monk is in the city again converting ministers, and is to talk to night at the Court House. Admission free.

Albany has no Salvation army, but Scio has; that city having succeeded in getting one away from us, a fact generally commended here.

Subscriptions for all the leading new 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.

A teacher in San Francisco was granted a leave of absence a year or so ago and the director, while she was away, dismissed her and put another teacher in her place. She brought suit and the supreme court has just awarded her \$5000 and reinstated her in her position.

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ASTORIA PROPERTY.

Lots in the RAILWAY ADDITION to Astoria. This property is situated just one mile a quarter from the very center of the city and is practically inside property. The 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 corner. These prices will positively be raised by Jan. 25 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.

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