

LOCAL RECORD

SHERIDAN WANTS IT.—Pursuant to call the citizens of Sheridan met recently for the purpose of listening to the report of the committee sent from Sheridan to Salem and Albany to confer with the citizens on railroad matters. A committee of three on statistics was appointed, consisting of R. B. Hanson, D. C. Coleman and H. B. Sommer. This committee was instructed to furnish both the Salem, Astoria & Eastern and Albany & Astoria railroad companies with facts and figures as would show the advantages of running their lines of road through Sheridan. A committee of three, consisting of Dr. W. Smith, I. P. Mayes and C. S. Clark, appointed to ascertain how much stock Sheridan would be asked to take in either railroad providing it is built to Sheridan. Several enthusiastic speeches were made and all were warmly in favor of the road.

Another meeting was to be held to-day.

A NEW LEBANON.—Stephen Bach who has acted as head clerk at John Hughes' grocery store for sometime past, has signified his intention of resigning and will launch out in business for himself at Lebanon. Mr. Bach will establish a general store and carry a nice line of goods. He is a gentlemanly business man and will be a good addition to the city of Lebanon. It is rumored also, that Mr. Bach will soon investigate the doings of matrimony and may conduct the two businesses together. That's a correct idea, Stephen.—Salem Journal.

ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.—The annual encampment of the G. A. R. and W. R. C. convention will be held next month, beginning the 12th. It is expected that a very large crowd will be in attendance, delegates and visitors coming from all parts of the state. The members of those organizations in this city are preparing to entertain their guests in the best manner possible.—Eugene Register.

GOOD BYE, ISABELLE.—A few days ago the little steamer Isabelle, which has been familiar sight to Albany people for many years was sunk near Selwood. Capt. Smith ran the boat for a number of years, and several excursions were made from Albany on it. Its principal field though was in handling logs and doing a kind of a "pickup" business.

FARM SOLD.—Today at administrators sale the N. 1/2 of the John McCoy farm was sold off, after a short contest, to Mr. Robert L. Smith at \$25.00 an acre. It consists of a fraction over 305 acres, and is one of the finest farms around Oakville. Messrs Jas. McCoy and F. M. French are administrators of the estate.

THEIR WEATHER.—Mr. Jos. Cox has shown us a letter from Mowry, on Crooked River, Crook county, in which it is stated that the snow was fourteen inches deep, and two feet deep on Beaver Creek. Stock was suffering and it looked as if half would go. The outlook was that there would be a lot of poor people there.

A peculiar case has just occurred in Chicago circles in Albany. Several Celestials wanted to kill a particular chumman, and attempted to do so. A friend of the latter in the speculation, tried to get the victims insured; but of course failed, as Americans will neither insure their lives, for goods.

PROF. H. C. PALMER'S Conservatory of Music, Tweeddale's block, First street, Albany, Oregon, opened January 20th, 1890. The course of instruction will consist of classes for piano, organ, harmony and voice culture. There will be a normal class and diplomas furnished to teachers. Students graded to insure equality in rendition. Prof. Palmer's is the only recognized successful system known for a thorough musical education. Send for circulars and references. Office hours 1 to 3 p. m.

SUNDAY CHICKENS.—We have a fine lot of dressed chickens for your Sunday's dinner. Leave your orders early and secure the best.

WILLAMETTE PACKING CO.

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

A RIGHT IDEA.—We refer to the large and fine line of saws and carpenter's tools at Price & Robson's. The best in market and prices the lowest.

ADNEY'S ADDITION.—54 lots in this addition to Albany, near Hackleman's 3rd addition, for sale, at \$50 to \$125 a lot, at Curran & Montelith's.

SPECIAL MEETING.—There will be a special meeting of Albany Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., on Saturday evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Work in degree of Friendship. Team members be on hand promptly.

A GOOD BEGINNING.

An Orphan Home and Hospital Assured.

In response to the call issued by Mayor Cowan an enthusiastic though not a large crowd gathered at the Opera House, and did some very effective work towards securing an Orphan home and hospital at this city, an institution universally admitted to be needed here, one that will be a credit to our growing city.

Mayor Cowan called the meeting to order and stated its object in a stirring speech, after a short prayer by Dr. Irvine.

On motion Mayor Cowan was elected Chairman of the meeting.

Mrs. Dr. Kelly, President of the Ladies Aid Society, under whose charge this movement is being made, read an interesting paper on the history of the society and its present and future purposes. According to the paper it was founded twenty years ago by Mrs. J. H. Foster, Mrs. Dr. Geary, Mrs. J. P. Backensto, now deceased, and Mrs. Walter Montelith and Mrs. McMeekin. Soon after they were joined by Mrs. S. E. Young, Mrs. L. E. Blain, Mrs. Dr. Crawford and others, and still later by Mrs. Opp, Mrs. Harzey, Mrs. Geo. Stevens, Mrs. Geo. Turrell and others. The Ladies Aid Society has done a great deal of good in a quiet way in our city; but Albany is growing and the work needs to be centralized. Mrs. Kelley thought \$2000 would erect a building sufficiently large to begin in, one with a couple dormitories, for an Orphan home and hospital department, for the young and sick and needy.

A short address was made by Rev. T. J. Wilson, and in response to calls short remarks were made by Judge Finn, Rev. Condit, John Foley, Mrs. L. E. Blain, Mrs. Walter Montelith, Mrs. John Albhouse, Geo. W. Wright, F. P. Nutting and L. E. Blain.

The last named emphasized his remarks by subscribing \$100 for the Home, and Mayor Cowan, Judge Finn and S. E. Young did likewise, others following with smaller amounts, enough to insure the building of the Home, providing a suitable location is secured.

Interspersed through the program were well rendered vocal solos by Mr. C. E. Barrows and Mrs. J. H. Remington, and a piano solo by Prof. Lee.

JUSTICE DEMANDS IT.

ALBANY, OR., Jan. 25th, 1890.

Editor Democrat:

I noticed an item in the morning Herald of January 24th, stating that Chief of Police Hoffman had suppressed the Chinese gambling dens, which was very commendable in him. Now let the good work go on. We have one or two saloons in Albany that permit the game called stud poker to be run in open violation of law, and not only the men but the boys are allowed to buck at the game. And we still have another innocent game called dice, which is not only carried on in saloons but run in stores and express offices, etc., and some of our high toned quill shavers indulge in the last named innocent amusement. Now, Mr. Editor, why don't our very efficient police turn their attention to those places. Justice demands it also.

EIGHT SPOT.

HAMLET TO NIGHT.—Bandmann deserves a full house to hear his Hamlet. Those who never heard this most wonderful of all plays should go. There is but one Hamlet, and Bandmann gives it with a power surpassed by few. His acting is remarkable, and his support is very strong.

ANOTHER MAN HUNG.—His "stocking by the chimney with care" and was tickled almost to death to find that his good wife had anticipated his near hand wants and filled the stocking with Standard Seeds, grown and put up by D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Michigan, who on application, will mail you free a copy of their Seed Annual, for 1890. This is the most useful of all seed catalogues, not only for experienced gardeners, but for the novice as well. Send your name and address for a copy to D. M. Ferry & Co., Detroit, Michigan.

LEBANON.—Mr. D. Andrews has bought a half interest in A. F. Hamilton's store at Sweet Home, where he intends going as soon as he can get well enough to take charge of the store. He will not move his family up there now.

Mr. Ben Barker has closed his billiard and pool hall. We suppose the reason was that it was not paying enough.—Express.

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.

GET A MACHINE.—And when getting one let it be either a Domestic or Davis Price & Robson are agents for these superior sewing machines, and invite an inspection of what they can do.

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

All I ask is an honest comparison of my prices with those of other dealers.

C. E. BROWNELL.

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

Contents every user.

Charles E. Brownell.

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.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN.

Herr Bandmann, looking like a rancher, in his slouch hat and flannel shirt, while standing in front of the Revere House got into a very heated discussion with a horseman about the relative merits of Percheron and Clydesdale stock, Bandmann, who has a big ranch in Montana and many Percherons offering to wager a thoroughbred Percheron could walk four miles to a Clydesdale's three, and this the horseman disputed, and the coin jingled, for it was a matter of blood. Finally Bandmann said: "Come in and get something," and he gave the man his card, who was greatly surprised to learn that he was the eminent tragedian. The argument stopped. Bandmann was talking to the horseman for fun, the horseman for business.

A small mistake sometimes causes a tangle of amusement. When the chairman at the Orphan's Home meeting got stuck Lawyer Wright for Dr. Hill and called for a speech from the latter, it was considered a good joke. No bones broken.

For the benefit of new comers it may be remarked that this is a genuine Oregon mist.

Mr. White, the Man About Town is informed, is quite immense as the first grade digger in Hamlet. Better see him to-night. He is the man who did Launcelot so well.

ECONOMY IN BREAD MAKING.

Valuable Baking Powder tests made by the Government Chemist.

Dr. Edward G. Love, the Analytical Chemist for the Government, has made some interesting experiments as to the comparative value of baking powders. Dr. Love's tests were made to determine what brands are the most economical to use, and as their capacity lies in their leavening power, tests were directed solely to ascertain the available gas of each powder. Dr. Love's report gives the following:

Name of the Baking Powder	Cubic inches Gas per each ounce of Powder.
"Royal" (absolutely pure)	127.4
"Patapoco" (alum powder)	125.2
"Rumford" (phosphate) old	122.5
"Bunsford" (phosphate) old	122.7
"Hansford's None Such," fresh	121.6
"Hansford's None Such," old	85.33
"Redhead's"	117.0
"Charm" (alum powder)	116.9
"Amazon" (alum powder)	111.9
"Cleveland" (contains lime)	110.8
"Sea Foam"	107.9
"Czar" (alum powder)	106.8
"Dr. Price's" (contains lime)	102.6
"Snow Flake" (Grosf's S. Paul)	101.88
"Lewis" Condensed	98.2
"Congress" yeast	97.5
"CE Andrews & Co's" (contains alum)	78.17
"Hecker's"	92.5
"Gillies"	84.2
"Bulk"	80.5

In his report the Government Chemist says: "I regard all alum powders as very unwholesome. Phosphate and Tartaric Acid powders liberate their gas too freely in process of baking, or under varying climatic changes suffer deterioration."

Dr. H. A. Mott, the former Government Chemist, after a careful and elaborate examination of the various Baking Powders of commerce, reported to the Government in favor of the Royal brand.

Prof. McMurtre, late chief chemist for the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Washington, says: "The chemical tests to which I have submitted the Royal Baking Powder, prove it perfectly healthful, and free from every deleterious substance."

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.

A VERDICT.—That the grand display of cat, ornamental baskets, each containing one pound of choicest tea, at LaForest & 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 astonishing low price of 40c.

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

MARRIED.

WATERS—MOORE.—On Jan. 21st, 1890 at the residence of J. M. Waters in Brownsville, by Rev. C. Sperry, Mr. W. W. Waters and Miss Ida Moore. The wedding was largely attended and a fine display of presents was presented the happy couple.

BORN.

BURKHART.—On Jan. 25, 1890, to the wife of J. H. Burkhardt a boy. All doing well.

Return Engagement.

ALBANY OPERA HOUSE.

—ONE NIGHT ONLY—

Saturday, Jan. 25th.

The Great Tragic Actor,
DANIEL E. BANDMANN,
and his New York Company of 18 well known artists in Shakespeare's masterpiece,

HAMLET.

Reserved seats, 75c, admission, 50c. Tickets for sale at Blackman's.

HOMER AND ABROAD

Hamlet
To-night
By Bandmann.
Bargains at Real's.
Portland also has some snow.
Seed of H. C. Farmer in another column.
Ladies all wool seersucker underwear, 75c.
B & S.
Babies' Chamois moccasins at Barrows & Seals.

The wires are all down between Albany and California.

Mr. S. G. Davis has retired from the Lafayette Register.

Great clearances sale for the next 30 days at W. F. Read's.

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

For dentistry try Dr. Waggoner over the Linn County Bank.

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We can and will sell cheaper than any Portland house. W. F. Read.

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Cloak Sale.

The ladies of Albany have now within their reach an opportunity which may never again present itself of purchasing a first-class, stylish garment at one-half its actual value. They are samples from the well-known cloak manufacturers, Bohm Brothers, of New York, Max Judd & Co., St. Louis, and Springer Brothers, of Boston. In order to form any idea of what the stock is like it must be seen. Mr. Geo. Caldwell who has charge of the sale will be pleased to show all the ladies and their friends the different styles at his sample rooms, immediately east of Revere House. Call your neighbors attention to this. All that is asked is an examination of the stock. Don't miss it.



Watches, Watches,
Springfield watches,
Hampton watches,
Seth Thomas watches,
Automatic watches,
at
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The Jeweler.

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