

THE DAILY DEMOCRAT.

Wednesday Evening February 20, 1890

A BOLD ROBBERTY.

A Harrisburg Man Faces a Revolver.

This morning about 3 o'clock two men called at the house of Mr Damon Smith, in Harrisburg, and requested him to go to his drug store and put up a prescription for them, it was needed at once. Mr Smith went, accompanied by the men. When inside of the store and a lamp was lighted one of them presented a revolver and ordered him to open the safe or he would fire. Mr Smith did as directed, and the men helped themselves to the contents, which proved to be \$100 in money and a valuable gold watch. After tying and gagging him so he could not give an alarm, they left. They were both complete strangers, and no clue was secured as to their identity, or where they went. It was a very bold affair and caused a great sensation in Harrisburg. Mr Smith for a while a resident of Albany, being one of the leading citizens there.

TOO MUCH FOR THEM.—Two rural guests who occupied a room at the Golden Rule the other night, says the Pendleton E. O., were much puzzled over that "gold-darned, new-fangled thing," the electric light. Their conversation, overheard by parties in the next room, was as follows:

"Can't you blow it out, Jack?"

"Naw, blank the blashed concern, any how."

"Wait, let me try," and a sound was heard like the laborious puffing of a steam boat as it rounds a point in the distance. Finally it appeared as though both were engaged in the "blowing-out" process, and were straining lungs and muscles to see which could blow the hardest; all to no purpose.

At last a muffled curse was heard, followed by the consoling remark: "Wall, we might smother to death if we blowed out the consamed thing, let's let 'er burn."

And so they did, for the clerk turned it out in the morning.

JAH BREAK.—This morning the discovery was made that all the prisoners in the county jail, six in number, had made good their escape. They evidently had assistance from the outside, for they had a piece of a spring made into a saw with which they cut through the boards on the inside and then they removed a stone from the wall, making a hole barely large enough to crawl through. At present there is no clue to their whereabouts but the officers commenced searching for them as soon as it was learned that they had escaped. Reed, the timber land swindler, was the worst man in the lot and he has gone with the rest. Most of the others were waiting for the grand jury on a charge of larceny.—Eugene Register.

SEVERAL ADDITIONS.—There will be lively times in the southern suburbs this coming year. Besides the large Gorla addition now on the market, three other additions are being platted ready for sale. These are J. H. Townsend, 35 acres; J. W. Cusick, 20 acres, and Milton Hale, 15 acres, all adjoining each other, and opposite the Gorla Park addition. Mr Townsend who has been in the city getting his splendid property ready for sale, tells us that he will put it on the market at prices that will make it go fast. Being one of the finest garden spots in the neighborhood of Albany there promises to be a lively demand for it.

SOME COTTON.—In the window of Wallace & Cusick may be seen several bolls of cotton, the limbs and pods being mixed with the cotton. They were sent out to Mr J. R. Stockman from Louisiana, and to a person never south of Dixie line are a curiosity. To those who came from the Southern States the sight is as familiar as wheat to an Oregonian. Cotton seeds have been planted in this valley and a plant produced, but we have never seen any Oregon cotton yet.

WILL START A VILLAGE.—The Oregon Land company have bought six hundred and fifty acres of land four miles south of the city, and have platted it in five and ten acre lots. They have also laid off a village plat on the tract, where there will be a post office, school house, church, shops, etc.—Statesman.

A WICKED DAY.—Last Monday was a day of crime in Oregon says an exchange. A Morrow county man shoots his brother; a Linn county man shoots his wife and then himself, and a Polk county father and son are suspected of murdering their aged wife and step-mother. Surely this record is enough for one day.

A NEW P. O.—The Oregonian says a new postoffice has been established at Creston, Linn county, with Henry Varner as P. M. We have been unable to learn in what part of the county this new place is located. Does any one know.

NEW ARRIVAL.—A large and complete stock of carpets, linoleum, oil cloth, shades, etc., at the store of A. B. McElwain, all of the latest designs, and which will be sold at from 10 to 20 per cent lower than by other houses.

CHANGED.—The proprietors of the Woolen mills have selected F. F. Croft as superintendent in place of Mr J. F. Haskell, who will retire from the mills.

DR. PATTON treats successfully all diseases of women, and guarantees to cure all curable private diseases. He has a sure remedy for catarrh of the head. He sleeps in his office and answers city calls day or night. Consultation is free and everything is strictly confidential. He can be found in his office in Blumberg's Block from 10 to 12, 2 to 4 and 7 to 8.

DON'T FORGET IT.—The time of the year is approaching when it will be in order for horse men to issue a call for a stallion show. The one held last year was the most successful in the valley, but it will no doubt be surpassed the coming season.

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

CONDENSED TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

John Kelley has been appointed Supervisor of the census of the First district of Oregon.

In the Scott murder case at Wheatland the evidence against the husband is growing stronger.

An explosion occurred at a colliery near Deep Creek Wednesday. Thirty four bodies have already been taken from the ruins.

The state senate of North Dakota yesterday by a vote of 21 to 8, adopted the Australian election system.

The steamer Highgate collided with the ship Sovereign in a fog off Lundy Island yesterday, and sank. A boat containing six persons from the steamer is missing.

According to a London cable, Shanghai dispatches give the details of a wholesale execution of criminals in Peking recently. Nine were beheaded and five hanged. The prisoners were compelled to dig their own graves and after the execution their bodies were exposed to be prey of crows.

IN MEMORIAM.

At a special communication of Thurston Lodge, No. 28, A. F. & A. M., held in their hall at Harrisburg, Oregon, on Tuesday, February 18th, 1890, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, The inevitable scythe of time has invaded our ranks and taken from amongst us our beloved brother, Wm. McCulloch,

Resolved, 1st. That while we humbly and submissively bow to the will of the great Architect of the Universe, we sincerely mourn the loss of one whose station will not be filled, true to the fraternity, true to his family and true to his country, always charitable in accordance with the necessities.

Resolved, 2nd. That in his death the Lodge loses one of its most faithful members, his family an affectionate parent, and the vicinity one of its best citizens.

Resolved, 3rd. That the Lodge be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, 4th. That these resolutions be spread upon the Lodge records, a copy be given to the family and a copy furnished the Herald Disseminator and DEMOCRAT for publication.

W. W. BRIGGS,
S. S. TRAIN,
DAMON SMITH,
Committee.

A CHINESE STORY.—Some people think the Chinese have no appreciation of the funny side of life; but the following translated from the Chinese shows that they are a little cute once in a while:

Less familiar is the story of a worthy old man who was unmercifully beaten, at regular intervals, by his undutiful son. The cruel treatment did not prevent the old man from lavishing caresses on his little grandson, bringing him many presents and indulging all his caprices.

One day the old man was asked why he was so very good to the child of the undutiful son who beat him so cruelly.

"Sh!" said the old man; "I'm spelling him, so that he may beat his father when he grows up."

THE K OF P.—Yesterday was the 26th anniversary of the order of K of P. in the United States. It had been the intention of the members of the lodges of this order at Corvallis, Albany and Salem to celebrate this anniversary jointly at Salem this year and arrangements looking to such observance had been made. But the flood and prostration of the railway and mail service made it necessary to postpone joint celebration until a year hence, when it will be held at Salem. As it was the Salem lodge celebrated alone, and the U. R. K. of P. were formally inspected by the Major of the regiment at Albany.

A SALE.—Mr M. Peery, of Dayton, has sold his house and lot on Washington street between Fifth and Sixth, to Mr Ralph Ohling, the consideration being \$1800. Mr Peery paid \$650 for the lot, and the house is a new one.

PIANO RECITALS.—The piano recital to be given at the college by the pupils of Prof. E. Lorillard will take place next Monday evening Feb. 24, at 8 o'clock, instead of Tuesday as previously announced. The public are cordially invited to attend.

FUNERAL.—The funeral services of George Saltmarsh will occur to-morrow at 2 o'clock at the family residence. Firemen are requested to meet at No 1's Engine house at 1:30 and attend in a body.

BABIES.—The finest line of baby carriages in the Valley just received at Stewart & Son's. Prices are remarkably cheap considering the superior quality of the carriages.

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

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Lace Curtains.—Lace Curtains.

I have just received my fall stock of lace curtains bought direct from importers, the largest stock ever brought to this market, and best value for the money.

—SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

A NEW DISCOVERY.—Hubbard's Headache Capsules. They are a positive cure and fill a long felt want.

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

BORN.

HANLEITER.—On Wednesday evening, Feb. 19th, 1890, to the wife of Rev. Hanleiter—a girl. Weight 12 pounds.

DIED.

TURNER.—On Wednesday afternoon, February 19, 1890, of dropsy, Mrs Ephraim Turner at the age of 63 years. Mrs Turner came to Oregon from Missouri in 1866, residing in Linn county since then. She was a woman highly respected by all, and leaves a husband, a large family and many friends to mourn her death.

SALTMARSH.—On Thursday morning, February 20, at 3 o'clock, Mr George Saltmarsh, aged 21 years.

Notice of Administration.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of J. J. Dorris, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate must present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned administratrix within six months from the date hereof.

January 20th, 1890.

M. E. DORRIS,
Admin. of the estate
of J. J. Dorris, deceased.

HOME AND ABROAD

Hops are rising.

Bargates at Read's.

F. M. French keeps railroad time.

For artists' supplies go to Stanard & Cusick's.

Great clearance sale or the next 30 days at W F Read's.

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

The flood is past and still you can get the best printing at Phelps.

Bandmann began a weeks engagement in Portland Monday evening.

Don't fail to get your printing done at Phelps—he does the best.

Large size \$1, small 50 cents. For ale by H. C. Hubbard, druggist.

10 per cent off on all cash sales for the next 30 days at W F Read's.

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

Low prices are what counts and C E Brownells is the place to get them.

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

Sauer kraut, pickles, pickled pigs feet and everything nice at C E Brownells.

Watches, clocks and jewelry carefully repaired and warranted at F. M. French's

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

No need to suffer with the headache when Hubbard's Capables will surely cure you.

If you want a fine toilet or bath soap call on Stanard & Cusick, City Drug Store.

McKinley Mitchell, of Gervais and an Eastern cousin, were in the city yesterday. The former is a merchant and editor.

Dr Maston returned from Astoria to day, and on being interviewed said he had nothing to say.

Mr J. C. Littlehale has just arrived from Mr Waggoner dental fixtures and will open an office in the Tweeddale block.

On last Monday there was born to the wife of Rev. G. H. Lee, in Pendleton, a daughter. Her Albany uncle is doing well.

Albany is a good place to put your money and there will be plenty of good lots to buy at reasonable prices, the coming summer.

The funeral of Mrs Ephraim Turner occurred this afternoon, Dr. Irvine preaching the sermon, and a good number of our citizens were present.

The ladies of the Congregational Church will give a social on Friday eve., Feb 21st, at the residence of W. L. Vance. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

You want good clean printing! Of course you do! Then give Paisley & Fish a trial. Satisfaction guaranteed. Go and see samples and give them a call any when.

An interesting poker game was played the other night at the Villard House says the Pendleton E. O. In one deal one man held four aces, another four kings, another four queens, and another four jacks. Each staked his pile on his hand, but as the game was merely for the "treats," the loser did not suffer much.

SULLIVAN ARRESTED.—This afternoon a strange man of the tramp order was discovered breaking into the house of the section boss near the depot. Marshal Hoffman was notified, and the man was arrested and committed to the jail to await examination by Justice Humphrey.

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Dec 24th 1889.

WELL!

Sold the man, after counting his cash, I have

Saved Many Dollars

By taking advantage of the low prices now being quoted by

C E BROWNELL,

The Reliable Grocer

of

Albany.

ALBANY Marble and Granite Works, having lately purchased the stock of S. A. Riggs and G. W. Harris, we shall be pleased to show designs and give prices to all intending purchasers. Best of workmen employed and prices as low as any for first-class work. Visit us before purchasing elsewhere.

EGAN & ACHISON (next door to Democrat office) Albany, Or.

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

C. E. BROWNELL.

Tan Old North State smoking is fast gaining popularity.

The ladies