

LOCAL RECORD

The gross taxable property of Salem reported by the city assessor this year is \$1,589,000, exclusive of exemption and indebtedness. Although the city is richer this year than last the total valuation is \$69,149 short of the assessment of \$89, which shows that the lame assessment laws let much property escape taxation under the indebtedness clause.

The lame assessment law is no doubt a snare Albany; but this is a substantial city, containing valuable property, and for the indebtedness and exemptions were taken out the taxable property is \$1,589,000, or \$124,000 more than that of the city which sometimes sneers at its southern neighbor. It is simply ridiculous for a city claiming the population of Salem to present such an assessment. Not only ridiculous; but it indicates something rotten in Denmark, as a matter of fact the value of Salem property, even after taking out public buildings, which play quite an important part, is considerably more than that of Albany. The showing, though, considering the bluster about improvements, which have been estimated at a million dollars for 1890, is a very shamefaced one.

B & L A's.—The Building & Loan Association meets to-night. Speaking of such associations, W A Linn, in Scribner's Magazine, gives some interesting facts concerning the Building & Loan Associations. He has compiled reports of over 4000 of them in this country, which gave 872,000 members and assets amounting to \$335,480,080. The receipts for one year are placed at \$130,000,000, and the gains divided among shareholders at \$70,000,000. The expense of doing this large business is only \$1,375,300.

A CHERRIE PRIMER has just passed away at Eddyville. He was the founder of the town, which consists of two houses, his own cabin and a post office. For years this strange man slept every night in his own coffin and there he died. He had also performed the task of selecting his own burial spot, and if he had had more he would have dug his own grave, to now sleep in his coffin day and night. I have not been able to learn whether he belonged to the order of the raptist monks or not, but he certainly deserves to be enrolled among their membership.—Journal.

A BIG FREIGHT BILL.—A car-load of aspen a lot of furniture as has ever been in Albany, has been received by Portland & Irving. It consists of about twenty varieties of elegant center tables, 16th century and other finish; handsome bedroom sets, stands, tables, etc. People wanting the latest and prettiest of the furniture line should call at once and see these goods. Though the freight bill was large the prices will be as reasonable as possible.

OREGON AHEAD.—Recently the Rural New Yorker offered five prizes for the best samples of seed wheat. Out of over a hundred samples presented prizes were given to R L Smith, of Tangent, John Brown, of Brownsville, and John Ruse, of Washington county. Oregon getting three out of the five. Whoopla.

WHAT TIME IS IT.—Last evening about ten Oregon Pacific men surprised F J Bier, recently bridge carpenter on the road, and completely "floored" him by greeting him with a beautiful gold watch, of Waltham make.

THE WHITE FAMILY.—At a family reunion recently held at the residence at Skille, Linn county, there were present people in number, all members of the family for four generations back. They had a photograph of the group taken by not Gros, of this city.—Gazette.

"Bright as a Sunbeam," is the name of a new song by Prof H C Linn, of this city, published by Wiley Allen, and dedicated to Mrs A B Seal, Albany.

PREACHING.—In the absence of the pastor, Rev T J Wilson, will preach in F church, south, in this city, next Sunday at 11 o'clock, a m.

NEW EMBROIDERIES.—Flouncings, lace trimming in cotton and silk, black and white. Laces in imitation point, also new designs in black and white lace, including edgework and Effel Tower. New rushings.—SAMUEL E YOUNG.

CANNING CHERRIES.—We are receiving daily large supplies of fine Kenish, Duke, Oshheart and Royal Ann cherries. Orders for canning left with us receive prompt attention. MUELLER & GARRETT.

FINE FRUITS.—Raspberries, currants, cherries, peaches, apricots, plums, blackberries, strawberries and a full supply of all vegetables the best in the market ready daily at Mueller & Garrett's.

TEN ACRE TRACTS.—Some choice to 20 acre tracts for garden purposes, secured for sale at a bargain. Inquire Guiss & Hedrick.

ALBANY BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION. Fourth series now open. Only 50 shares to sell. Those wishing stock in this series must apply soon to JAY W BLAIN, Secretary.

THE ALBANY WOOLLEN MILL will pay 20 cent for wool.

WOLLEN UNDERWEAR.—In great variety styles at bottom prices. Samuel E Young.

MISFEITS

A two year old boy, stopping in Albany, on being asked what was the matter of his hand, which had been scratched, remarked that "it is an abrasion of the cuticle."

The Salem Journal has no time for peanut politics. It contends for principles, not men. Yes, now tell us all about it. Just so we have high and robbing tariffs, what the odds whether decent men are elected or not. While on the subject, the Journal is one of the papers that wanted Thompson elected, because he would make Salem his home. That is about the size of the Journal's principle in the matter.

An exchange says that Col Hogg, of New York, who built the O P railroad, was found and buried and is now president of that line, is a man of great pride, and has made millions out of the line, which now extends to Bracken, Ohio, and is headed for Boise City, Idaho. Good for the Col, but come now and tell us how he made it. Not out of the profits of the road, certainly. We wait breathlessly for the great secret.

A shoe factory at New Canaan, Conn., has just made a pair of shoes for a Charlotte, N C man. They are the biggest ones ever made. The size is No 32. Each shoe is 20 inches long and eight inches wide. The man who is to wear them is a clergyman, 6 feet 10 inches tall and weighs 450 pounds. The people of Rhode Island would be entirely annihilated should he ever visit that state.

A man residing near the east end of First Street complains that the sidewalks are being built like the billows on the ocean. You tumble over one and under the next one. A drunken man could not possibly navigate them, and our informant says that when he goes home after eight o'clock he is so well banged up by tumbling that his wife would hardly recognize him. Only a first-class Alpine climber could reach the farther end.

A HOUSE SHOE STORY.—Twenty-five years ago an apple tree was planted on the Baker place, in the eastern part of the city, by Frank Baker, then a young boy. The tree grew for ten years without bearing fruit, when one day it was suggested to Frank that he hang a horseshoe on one of the limbs, which was done, more as a joke than any belief in the proverbial "good luck" attending the saving of a horseshoe. Since that date, and for fifteen years past, the tree has been the most prolific bearer in the orchard, and the horseshoe has become lost to view, the limb growing completely around it, with the exception of one of the toes, and this particular limb produces apples of monstrous size, nearly twice as large as any others upon the tree.—Walla Walla Statesman.

STOPPED BY THE PACIFIC.—A young editor, whose own grandeur causes the great monuments of the world to sink into insignificance, has at last found a great thing, the Pacific. Hear him.

My disappointments in travel have been many. The mountains of Pennsylvania and the Virginias were too low. The Rockies were very tame. Aside from the Giant and Old Faithful the geysers of the National Park were not worth visiting, except to say one had seen them. Aside from these, the Falls and Grand Canyon, Yellowstone Park was not surprising. But there is not a particle of dust or legal tender for all it is represented to be, day or night, never tiring, never the same, endlessly changing, clean, pure and beautiful.

GREAT DISSATISFACTION prevails everywhere all over the United States over the census being taken. The almost universal verdict according to the dispatches is that it is all being half taken, any number of people, it is charged, being left out. The truth is cities everywhere have been setting the mark too high, and seeing that their wild claims will not be verified, are trying to squeeze out of the dilemma by laying it to the census takers. Right in Albany, the figures will be less than many have been putting them at.

PHILOSOPHICALLY SAID.—The Willamette Valley has not had the boom this summer that many had expected. People are flocking from the east to the Pacific coast, but their destination has been decided on through flaming announcement rather than through facts. But the advantages of this neck of the woods will some day be learned by our eastern friends and the counties of Western Oregon will double in population before we realize it.—Corvallis Times.

WHEN Jay Gould was a struggling young surveyor, with hardly one cent to rub against another, he stamped his initials and the date on a copper cent and put it in circulation. Recently Mr. Gould received some pennies in change at the Twenty-third street ferry, and on looking them over he found the coin he had stamped was not among them.

The above is going the rounds of the press. With the last not out there is some sense to it. With it in there is none.

A BIG CONTRACT.—In the field against several competitors the Sugar Pine & Lumber Co. of this city has secured the contract for furnishing the Oregon City Soap works with 8,000 soap boxes a month, or 96,000 boxes a year. This is a big contract, and speaks for the push of this company. It will take a large force of hands to meet this contract alone.

BASE BALL.—A game of base ball was being played this afternoon between the Second Nines, of Albany and Lebanon, on the Court House grounds. At the time of going to press the score stood: Lebanon, 13, Albany, 8, on 4 innings.

CONSIDER THIS.—By calling at Jas F Powell's you will see a large and fine stock of vegetables and fruits just received by steamer, consisting of fresh oranges, lemons, cabbage, cauliflower, onions, celery, ripe cherries, and choice fruits of all kinds.

SPRING AND SUMMER DELICACIES.—The largest and finest line of foreign and domestic woolsens in spring and summer novelties just received and is ready for inspection at ZACHES & SON, Merchant Tailors and Drapers, Opposite Post Office.

PARASOLS.—I have just received a new invoice of Parasols. Samuel E Young.

NOT CORRECT.

Editors Democrat: I clip the following from the DEMOCRAT, which, with your permission, I wish to correct, having in my possession the decision of Judge Smith in the Naperville injunction case:

A correspondent in a Corvallis paper says the legal principles involved in the case of the Oregon conference under the presidency of J Bowersox vs that under the presidency of T Rowan are precisely the same as those involved in the following decision, taken from an Ottawa, Ill., paper: "A motion for dissolution of injunction came on for hearing to-day before Judge C B Smith in the matter of the Naperville church of the Evangelical association. The court continued the injunction in an elaborate decision. The court held, that Bishop Escher was legally suspended, and could not act as bishop; 2d, the Illinois conference, presided over by Elder Byers, was the legal conference, independent of whether Escher was legally suspended or not; and that Escher's conference had no power to send a preacher to the Naperville church, and that C J Frey is the legal pastor of that church, and the trustees were enjoined from interfering with his occupation of the pulpit."

Now, the fact is, no such decision was given by Judge Smith as above stated. The case, after many delays, came up on June 2nd for hearing. At the request of Judge Upton it was heard by Circuit Court Judge Smith, of Champlain Co., a neighboring circuit. The hearing began at 3 p. m. and at 10 o'clock the same evening Judge Smith, as a Circuit Court Judge, rendered the following decision: "The opinion of the Court is that this injunction shall remain, but I think that a bond should be given (by the plaintiffs). I think the case requires a substantial bond; I think the bond should be \$2,000, and the order will be that in ten days the bond shall be filed, with the clerk of the Circuit Court of Du Page county, to provide for the payment of all damages which may arise to any one or all of the parties. The bond must be shown to the attorneys for the defense before it is presented to the clerk. The bond must be for the payment of any and all damages finally assessed upon one or all of the complainants, and it will be approved by the clerk. If the bond is not filed within ten days, then the injunction will be dissolved."

Upon this decision the defendants i. e. "seceders" at once suggested an appeal to the Appellate court. The result of the motion to dissolve injunction, which motion was made by loyal trustees of the Evangelical church in Naperville, is, that whereas no bond to indemnify the defendants had been filed in the case at all, now the plaintiffs are obliged to file a bond in the sum of \$2000, and to that extent, at least, something was gained by making the motion. Nothing prevents the defendant trustees, who were the only ones that filed an answer, from reviewing their motion to dissolve at any time before any other judge. Of course, those defendants who have not yet filed an answer, may make their motion to dissolve whenever it suits their convenience.

Nowhere, in his decision, did Judge Smith say that "Bishop Escher was legally suspended, and could not act as Bishop," nor that "the conference presided over by Elder Byers was the legal conference," nor that "Bishop Escher's conference had no power to send a preacher to the Naperville church, etc." In fact this case, and the decision of Judge Smith, in no way prevents the preacher appointed by Bishop Escher from preaching in the said Naperville church. It only gives the preacher appointed by the Byers conference privilege of preaching in said church, while the trustees and three-fourths of the congregation are loyal to the Evangelical church, and thus sustain the pastor appointed by Bishop Escher. These are the simple facts.

The most essential statement made by Judge Smith, in his preliminary remarks, was, that the case should not come into the civil courts at all. So said also Judge Horton in the Chicago case, and all sensible Christian people agree with them. I. B. FISHER.

Sore Shoulder Cured.

Charles A Stiles, 180 Carroll St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "I have been a clerk in the Continental Hotel, corner Exchange and Michigan streets, for some years, and first used Alcock's Porous Plasters three years ago for a sore shoulder. I fell down stairs and got a terrible wrench and bruise. For several weeks I suffered acute pain in the shoulder joint and, getting no relief, or only temporary, from numerous liniments, I put on an Alcock's Porous plaster; kept it on for two or three weeks and my shoulder was well. They also cured me in six weeks of a most obstinate form of dyspepsia."

Order your Kentish and Royal Antichries for putting up of Jas F Powell & Co.

FINE DRESSED CHICKENS.

For Sunday Dinner.

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WARM WEATHER.—A fine stock of refrigerators and ice cream freezers may be seen at Stewart & Sox's. Nothing like them for the house.

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

DR. PATTON, the specialist on female and private diseases, in Blumberg's Block. Office hours, 10 to 12, 2 to 4 and 7 to 8. Consultation free. Residence 3rd and Montgomery.

FRUIT BOXES.—For all kinds of fruit boxes go to the Sugar Pine Lumber Co. Red rock prices.

P Centennial Kid Gloves.

I keep a full line of these gloves in black and colored. Am sole agent for Albany, Oregon. Samuel E Young.

This Trade Mark on a stove means it is the best test experience and skill can contrive. Sold only by Smith & Senders.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Jas F Powell & Co. Casick's addition. Gold canes at Will & Stark's. Buy your groceries at Lange's. F. M. French keeps railroad time. Rock candy drips at C E Brownell's. A new line of neckties at E C Seal's. Novelties in parasols at S E Young's. Leave your order for bread at Aug Lange's. Go to Aug Lange's for your staple dry goods.

Fruit cake and wax at Matthews & Washburn.

Choice canned sweet potatoes at C E Brownell's.

Preserved mackerel, in 1lb cans, at C E Brownell's.

Headquarters for garden seeds at C E Brownell's.

For artists' supplies go to Stannard & Casick's.

The latest sheet music, 1/2 discount, at Mrs Hyman's.

Lange will sell you staple dry goods cheaper than any one.

The Albany Woollen mills will pay 20 cts a pound for wool.

Dressed chickens constantly on hand at J F Powell & Co.

Don't fail to try the H mace & Long pines at Mrs Hyman's.

Delicious canned cranberries at C. E Brownell's.

Spring over coating at Zachs & Son, opposite Postoffice.

Genuine Iowa sorghum on draught at C E Brownell's.

A large and fine stock of gold canes to select from at Will & Stark's.

Have you seen those parlor suits that T Brink has just received? They are nice.

Spring jackets and headed capes at reduced prices at Samuel E Young's.

Berries fresh every morning. Orders promptly filled at J F Powell & Co.

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

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

The Foster genuine, hook glove Fosterites, in black and colored, at Samuel E Young's.

When wanting the best groceries in the market at reasonable prices call on J F Powell & Co.

Buy a lot in Casick's addition, the finest suburban addition. Its location speaks for itself.

Don't fail to call on Will & Stark and price their large line of ladies and gents watches before you buy.

The Humme & Long piano is the best made piano to stand the climate of the coast. Don't fail to get one at Mrs Hyman's.

In buying carefully consider you have the largest stock and most carefully selected one when you buy goods of Powell & Co.

Genuine Martini kid gloves, in all sizes and colors, at \$9. per pair until May 1st. Every pair warranted, at G W Simpson's.

A lot in Casick's addition is better than ten per cent, or better than a lot in foreign cities where the tide ebbs and flows twice in twenty-four hours.

Crisman keeps ice cream freezers.

Go to the 5c and 10c store for your pearl buttons.

Tinware and oil stoves at the 5c and 10c store.

Some handsome ladies house shoes at E C Seal's.

E G Beardsley, of Portland, is in the city on business.

Chatair bags, from 25c to 85c at Crisman's 5c and 10c store.

A fine bin of New Orleans molasses just received at Cann & Hendrickson's.

Spring and summer woolsens just received Zachs & Son, opposite Postoffice.

Mr. Joe Myers has bought a third interest in the delivery business of Hundley & Eastham.

G W Wright, the rising young lawyer of this city, will deliver the oration at Brownsville, July 4th.

Mr J H McQuade, roadmaster of the O. P., has made Albany his headquarters and is now residing near the O P depot.

Dr Irvine will preach in the United Presbyterian church at Portland next Sabbath, exchanging pulpits with Rev W W Logan.

The shell of Hon. Geo. E Chamberlin arrived to-day, and is undoubtedly the finest boat on the Willamette south of Portland.

A team belonging to A Hackleman ran away this forenoon, breaking the wagon pretty well to pieces and injuring one of the horses.

Yesterday evening Mr Williams, a brakeman on the freight on the O P, fell off a car at Philomath, and was quite seriously injured.

Mr Jas Foster, an old resident of Albany, was in the city this morning on his way to Portland. "Jim" is in the employ of the Southern Pacific, and has been cruising as far south as the City of Mexico.

To Carpet Buyers.

We have just received a new line of carpets, consisting of the latest styles and patterns, both in Brussels and Woolsens. Our stock is the most complete in the city, and in fact, too large for this market. In order to reduce our stock we have concluded to make a further reduction in prices—our loss, your gain. We invite you to inspect our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Get our prices and be convinced. A. B. McILWAIN.

A Sovereign Remedy.

Dr E S Holden. For coughs, colds and bronchial affections I consider your Ethereal Cough Syrup as a sovereign remedy I ever used. JOHN JACKSON, Stockton.

Large size \$1, small 50 cts. For sale by H C Hubbard, druggist.

Of Interest to Horse Owners.

Horses boarded by the day or week at L Senders' stables. All driving or other horses will be well cared for, being under the immediate charge of Mr Fred Moist. Charges will be very reasonable. Farmers' horses will also be furnished with the best of accommodations. Owners of good horses will always find sale for the same at this stable at good prices. Stables located on Sixth and Ellsworth street, one block south of school building.

MAN wants but little here below—How oft the line we scan! And, as many of us know, It's lucky for the man.

But those who want the best groceries, the freshest fruits, the nicest canned goods, and a fine line of crockeryware to select from, go to Conn & Hendrickson, where they have their wants, little or big, satisfied at bottom prices.

Not a pot-stir at any grocery store in Albany this morning.

A TOWN FROM THE SKY.

A Tasty Refreshment Astonishing Paperhouse.

To which it may come I have told almost every conceivable remedy for illnesses during the past five years as I am of a bilious temperament and suffer much from stomach and liver troubles. But not long ago I was told that I obtained from using J. C. Veal's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. In fact I think I can cure for myself ailments. At the time I was using it I had a little girl living in my family whose neck was seriously affected by a large open sore, and we tried a great many kinds of salves, ointments and blood purifiers to no avail. I gave her some of my medicine (J. C. Veal's Sarsaparilla) thinking it might benefit her and I was purely vegetable, knew it could do her no harm. To my astonishment she began to improve, and within two weeks it was entirely healed and she is now as well as ever.

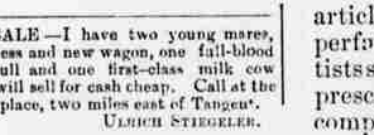
Mrs. R. L. WHEATON, 1014 and 1016 San Francisco.

A BARGAIN!

A stock of goods in Albany for sale. Inquire of ASHBY & NEIL.

FOR SALE—I have two young mares, harness and new wagon, one full-blood Jersey bull and one first-class milk cow which I will sell for cash cheap. Call at the Fanning place, two miles east of Tangent. ULLICH STEIGLER.

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Dear Sir: In reference to your inquiry as to how I liked my Advance Thresher, purchased of you this year, will say the Advance does more and better work than any other machine I ever saw, and I have seen all that are represented in Oregon.

It threshes faster, cleans the grain better, runs lighter and saves the grain better from the straw, than any other machine, and seems to be strong and durable. I am ready at any time to go into a trial with any other machine [except the Advance] and thresh from \$100 to \$500. They are the best in the market without doubt. If you desire you can refer to me at any and all times.

[Signed] I. D. MILLER.

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1 lot with house two stories on 4th and Jackson St. \$2200.

Home with 5 rooms, 1st St. \$1600.

1 lot on Washington St. \$850.

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A good farm of 410 acres 2 1/2 miles from Albany. \$30 per acre. Can be divided and will make two good farms.

A good farm of 170 acres, 1 mile from Tangent, 5 miles from Albany. \$40 per acre.

Good farm of 140 acres, 3 miles from Shedd. Price, \$5000.

A good stock farm, 2 miles from Shedd, 160 acres. \$2500.

A new cottage with six rooms, large lot Price, \$1600.

Several tracts of 5 and 10 acre lots, one and a half miles from Albany. \$300 per acre.

A good stock farm, 1500 acres, 3 miles from R. Station. \$8 per acre. A bargain.

Farm 3 miles from Shedd, first-class wheat and fruit land, 140 acres. Price, \$5000.

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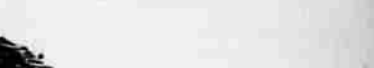
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