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LOCAL RECORD

THE ESCURSIONISTS.—A DEMOCRAT and twenty of thirty other citizens of Albany were at the depot Saturday evening at 7:45, when the excursion train containing the "Nobles of the Mystic Shrine" in San Francisco stopped at this city ten minutes for water. It was the largest, best attended crowd ever seen and the time was spent dancing, singing and singing popular songs with a guitar accompaniment on the depot platform. The party was about evenly made up of men and women, young and old. The men wore Turkish caps with the words "Alkali" on them, as well as the badges of their offices, and on the caps in big letters was the word "Moose". Except the last car, which was a Portland attachment, containing Hon. E. B. McElroy and other prominent Masons, the Democrat men had the pleasure of meeting Hon. George West, well-known New York Congressman and editor of the New York Press, also a former friend of Hon. Watt Mead, of this city. West is a bunch of admiration and was one of the finest men in the crowd. The train was in charge of Conductor Conner, who was making matters pleasant for the party. At Salem they were fruited in fine style, at Portland given a big reception, and one of the party remarked at Helena given an ovation.

A. E. BARTON, the smooth young man representing himself to be a Seattle real estate dealer, who bilked the Walla Walla people, "fell among thieves," that is poker sharps, in Penitentiary, and was relieved of his surplus cash. This is the reason, perhaps, that he had no money to pay his bills at Walla Walla.—Penitentiary E. O.

The hero of the above sketch was in Albany a month or so ago, selling Seattle lots, only disposing of one, on which he received a small advance payment. We are informed that he had been received for it; but do not know anything about the character of Barton from his Albany record. While here he murdered seven tennis balls; that is the only mean thing we know about him.

SOME NEW MEN.—The Oregon Pacific has a new Superintendent, Mr. Stevenson having retired. Mr. Denham is the new man, and he is from Florida. The road also has a new train dispatcher, at this city, Mr. Charles Clark. Mr. Abbey, who has filled the position so well for many years, having retired. The Democrat will not attempt to give the "ins and outs" of these changes, and couldn't if it desired.

AN ANNUAL OCCURRENCE.—For forty years Mr. William Peacock, of Clatsop, has brought his first fish watermelon to the Democrat office, and the result is he has flourished and prospered. He has shone on him. This year he did likewise and like all his melons the flavor is delicious.

OVER THE A. S. A.—To-morrow Mayor Cowan, J. O. Writman and Chas. Pfeiffer, all directors in the double A. railroad, will leave for Astoria, where they will take the cars for Seaside and will inspect the Albany road. Mr. Writman and Mr. Pfeiffer will take passage on the hurricane deck of Cayuse pines and sail for Albany along the surveyed line of the road, taking careful note of the appearance of things.

HOPS.—Hops are raising in good shape this summer, and good prices will prevail, better than for several years, and high enough to create a satisfied expression on the countenances of producers. Saturday a hop man will be in the city who will contract for hops at 17 1/2 cents per pound, and advance 6 cents per pound for picking.

QUITE ANTIQUISHING.—Probably the largest and finest line of fruits, vegetables, etc., ever brought to Albany, may be seen at J. F. Powell & Co., just in from California. For peaches, apricots, pine apples, berries, etc. Call on them.

AHEAD OF TIME.—The freshest and best groceries and fruits in the market at Jas. F. Powell & Co's. Get your canned goods at Jas. F. Powell & Co's.

Jas. F. Powell & Co lead in the grocery business. Jas. F. Powell & Co are rushed with business because they have the goods and give bargains.

FINE DISPLAY.—The finest display of fresh fruits and vegetables can be seen at Mueller & Garrett's. Don't fail to read over their list and place an order.

WILL LEAVE THE STREET.—Delivery wagons will leave the street in the forenoon on first trip at 8 o'clock, sharp; second trip at 10 o'clock; third trip at 11 o'clock. ALBANY DELIVERY CO.

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

THE FAMOUS ELLIOTT'S.—The Famous Elliotts and their most excellent company of 25 Premier Artists, including the Imperial Japanese Chrysanthemum troupe, nine in number, will be the next attraction at the Albany opera house. The company is a very large one and first-class in every respect. The Elliotts are the champion bicycle and unicycle riders of the world and were brought to this country by P. T. Barnum, for the greatest show on earth, and was the feature of the Barnum show for two seasons, at the largest salary ever paid for a single act in this country. Another feature of the Elliott Company is the recent engagement of the Imperial Japanese Chrysanthemum troupe nine in number, direct from the Palace Theatre, Tokyo, Japan. This troupe of Japanese performers is the greatest of all Japanese performers ever come to this country, and includes two Japanese Judo performers, the best in the world. This troupe alone is worth anyone's time and money to witness. There are several other features that will surprise and delight everyone, and the Elliott company promise to present the best novelty program ever offered to the theatre goers of Albany. The prices of admission will not be raised but will be placed at 75 and 50 cents. Seats on sale at Will & Link's, music store, opera house.

SECO SHOTS.—Green Coffee, city politician; that sound, well, and from all respects is a method honor.

Mr. John Simpson has secured control of the Seco warehouses and purposes using it for the purpose of handling oats the present season.

Mr. W. J. Hubbard, the veteran California lawyer, with headquarters at Salem, has been transacting business in this city. He made one offer of 175c.

The Lebanon Express alludes to our new patent rifles as being "near Lebanon." That is all right, brother, but the rifles are considerably nearer Seco than Lebanon and should be referred to as the patent rifles near Seco, all the same.

Few cities of the importance of Seco can boast of so much real feminine beauty as is seen upon our thoroughfares every Sunday afternoon. It doesn't cost twenty-five cents a box, either. All that class went to Albany to swell the census.

IT HAS NEVER dawned upon the Oregonians that the work of taking their census was performed by them. Aves, and it was done in a sleepy way the fault may possibly have lain in the sleepiness of the people from whom were selected the men who took the census. Live enumerators and supervisors are found among a live people, and that's what the matter with the Oregon census.—Spokane Review.

Much obliged for the compliment to Albany. There are no luzzards on us, or on our census takers. The luzzards flew mostly over Salem and Portland.

AT THE BAY.—Parties from the Bay report five times there. Resorters are enjoying themselves in a huge manner, and Albany has its share of them. Riding, bathing, flirting, etc., is the order. The arrival of the steamer Willamette, Sunday was an occasion worth witnessing. The steamer simply followed a tug and passed over the bar as easily as over a wave. Campers find living at the bay remarkably cheap. Newport has some pleasant store keepers to do business with and their prices are down.

CHURCH.—A pension agent advertises in a Lebanon paper that he "confers directly with the commissioner of pensions." This is first rate in its way, but it is a long way behind the firm which advertises that "John Raum, who will attend to all business in Washington," is the son of Mr. Green B. Raum, the commissioner of pensions.—Ev.

WHEAT.—The present price is only 61 cents, and that is all the market has justified at any time. 65 cents was offered; but it was forced price, and will do more harm than good. High prices are not anticipated. The outlook is that farmers who get 65 cents will do well. Reports from the country are that fall wheat is yielding well, average yields of 30 to 40 bushels being common.

LENS'S POPULATION.—Supervisor Kelly informs us that the population of the three principal agricultural counties in the Willamette valley is as follows in round numbers: Lane, 14,000; Linn, 16,000; Marion, 18,000.

WANTED.—The undersigned desires to purchase the usual amount of baled hay and oats for his barn in this city. Those having either or both to sell should call on me at once. L. SENDERS.

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

GREY SLAUGHTER.—G. W. Simpson has made a great slaughter in prices on all summer goods to close them out. Lenses that we sold for 12 1/2 15 @ 16 1/2 reduced to 8 cents. All wool challies that we sold for 20 1/2 @ 25 reduced to 15 cents. Challies that we sold for 10 1/2 @ 16 1/2 reduced to 7 cents.

Satteens that we sold for 16 1/2 @ 20 @ 30 reduced to 15 cents. And a general reduction on all summer goods. Look at display and prices in the window. G. W. SIMPSON.

Myers force pumps are the best, at Smith & Senders.

TEN ACRE TRACTS.—Some choice 10 to 20 acre tracts for garden purposes, just secured for sale at a bargain. Inquire of Guiss & Hedrick.

Furnished rooms to rent. Inquire of Mrs. C. Dukerillo, Lyon St.

Corsets, Corsets.

We make a specialty of ladies and misses fine corsets and waists. We also have a drive in a French satin corset at 75 cents Extra good value. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

AT JAS. F. POWELL & CO' Fine oranges, Early Rose and other potatoes, Cookies and crackers, Dried fruits, Fresh garden products, All kinds canned goods, Oatmeal, corn meal, flour, etc., Pickles, relishes, etc. Everything found anywhere.

SHIPS

There are plenty of people in Albany who do not admit being called sinners in a general way by the ministers, but let any one particularize and there will be a row.

A woman in Missouri had her husband's name put down on the census enumerator's report as a lunatic because he had sold out two years ago and left Kansas. In Oregon they had them put down that way, which they had gone to Salem.

S. W. R. Jones, the Marion county farmer bilked out of \$2500, is pictured in the Mercury, and if the old editor looks any thing at all as Mervin, he can be bilked most any day—particularly by a woman.

Scholarship N. Y. boys regarding to the last census, about 4000, less people than she had forty years ago. If Scholastic is anything at all like Scholastic, we would like to reside within a thousand miles of Band if Porter doesn't get the "Old Harry" from Scholastic we will not go.

"Give me a tobacco," he said to the barman.

"What do you mean?"

"Why, whiskey, of course. There's nothing like it when a man's going down hill to make the descent lively."

The late W. H. Dexter, of Chicago, once made a remark that it had been the ambition of his life to kill fifty railroad trucks in one day, and that he had spent \$20,000 trying to do it. He eventually succeeded, and at his death he had a record of one hundred and twenty-five trucks a day. This is a better record than the record of Nick Scholastic, or any of the Albany hunters; here, though, it doesn't cost \$20,000 to learn.

She wore a sailor hat—I should not have minded that, nor her patent leather shoe or gaiterette; but I saw her on Broadway only just the other day, and I thought it was her brother that I met. For she had a flannel shirt and, what most my feelings hurt, a pleated collar and a tie, a double-breasted sack with two buttons on the back, and a blooming English egress in her eye! And the result was that he broke the engagement.

The Chinese are the most skillful inventors in the world, and it is not surprising that Wan Lung has succeeded in perfecting a device that at one jerk of the string will outwear a regiment of Hoang Ho flat-head mates. Chinese oaths sound very much as if made by machinery, and so Wan Lung experienced very little difficulty in imitating them by a mechanical device. A complete sweating machine consists of six cylinders, each containing a complex sweater, and all worked by a string, after the fashion of a prying machine. By pulling the string once a man could swear more copiously than he could by a week's hard work in the old way.

Just Received

- Watermelons, Muskmelons, Sweet potatoes, Tomatoes, Lemons, Blackberries, String beans, Turnips, Apples, Peppers.

All of the above just received to-day. Call early and secure the best. MUELLER & GARRETT.

BUGGIES AND HACKS

The best makes are to be found in Albany at Price & Robson's, who have just received a carload of the finest hacks and buggies to be found. Their prices, considering quality, are remarkably low. It pays to ride in a good buggy or hack. Keep this fact in your head, and when getting one call on Price & Robson, who have the large variety to select from.

OUR POPULATION.—Business is often an indication of the population of a city. Judging from the number who rush into Conn & Hendrickson's for groceries Albany is the largest city in the valley. This firm keeps a first-class stock of groceries and fresh produce, a fact generally appreciated by a large trade. For berries, fruits, vegetables, canned goods, tobacco, crockery ware, etc., call on them and get bargains.

New embroideries, flouncings, lace flouncing in cotton and silk, black and cream. Laces to imitation point, also new designs in black and white lace, including Vanlyck and Eitel Tower. New richings. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

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.

WANTED.—200 cords of body red fir wood at the Albany Woolen Mills. Call at the Mills for particulars.

A BIG VARIETY.—It is always a privilege to have a big stock to select from. J. F. Powell & Co. always have on hand the largest variety of fruits and vegetables of any establishment in the city, a fact easily learned by inspection.

CALL AND SETTLE.—Those knowing themselves indebted to the old firm of Krause & Klein, will please call and settle at once.

LADIES SUMMER BLOUSES, the latest novelties, just received from manufacturers by express. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

DIED.

SEDGWICK.—On Monday morning, August 4th, 1896, at his home, across the river, Dr. Edward T. Sedgwick, aged 57 years, 2 months and 5 days. Dr. Sedgwick came to Albany about a year ago from Minnesota, but was previously of Wheaton, Ill. He was a man of excellent character; but being of feeble health had not done much at his profession here. Funeral services at the residence to-morrow at 3 p. m.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Jas. F. Powell & Co. Have Viceroy shave you. Mr. Lorenzo Ross went to the Bay to-day. The population of Prineville is 639 by the recent census.

A popular place—L. Viceroy's shaving and hair dressing parlors. A first class shave for only 15 cents at L. Viceroy's, Saltmarsh block, Albany, Or.

Road Matthews & Washburn's new ad to-day.

Another river race for the poleless extract (no oil) to-day.

A new line of black hats just received at the Ladies Bazaar.

Mr. G. H. H. of one Master Davis, of Astoria, has been in the city.

Mr. P. K. K. of one Master Davis, of Astoria, has been in the city.

J. M. B. B. has been in the city.

Miss V. V. has been in the city.

The San Francisco Colonial hotel hanging in the local markets a week ago was mentioned and did not consist of a single.

At this point the result of having the lumber A. G. F. W. of the world. The membership is \$100, and it costs \$10.00 to join.

Mr. C. C. and family leave to-morrow for Toledo, where they expect to reside for about three months. They have a residence there.

An organ and piano tuner was arrested this afternoon for being drunk and disorderly and was sent to the police station, which is very much out of tune.

Mr. Rainwater, a pioneer of '47, is lying dangerously ill at his home across the river. Mr. Ashby Pease, who crossed the plains with Mr. Rainwater is still ill.

Mr. J. A. C. has just received one of the finest soda fountains ever set up in the valley, and our citizens will soon have an opportunity to give it a taste.

Mr. A. B. Seal, the jolly and popular commercial traveler, is doing business in Salem to-day. He makes his home in our lively little sister, Albany.—Salem Journal, Rats!

Mr. A. H. Gordon has left at the Democrat office some prunes, which for size, look and flavor, rather surpass any ever left at any other fruit shop in the U. S. An orchard of trees raising such fruit should be a fortune to a man.

If you are needing anything in the neck stove line call at Matthews & Washburn's store where they can show you cook stoves from three dollars and fifty cents upwards will convince the most skeptical that their store is the place to trace.

Its astonishing to a person unacquainted with Matthews & Washburn how they sell such a large number of stoves and ranges, but an inspection of their immense stock soon convinces anyone that their store is the place to go when needing anything in their line.

Montague & Son have sold their grocery business in this city to Mr. C. A. Elson, recently of Kansas, Ashby & Neil, agents. Mr. Elson proposes to enlarge the business, while Montague & Son intend going into the wholesale tobacco business at this city.

On a policeman's trying to arrest her son George, Mrs. Hanlon, of Portland, attacked the cop in a very fierce manner; but George was arrested all the same. Some one informs us that this was Mrs. Jimmy Hanlon, formerly of Albany.

The Salem Statesman nine has been beating all the other local business easily, but Saturday they met their superiors in a club of "kids," 12 to 16 years of age, who easily defeated them by a score of 14 to 10, the kids playing six to the printers seven innings.

Harry B. Hollins, broker, of New York, the confident, friend and fishing companion of Mr. Vanderhilt, has just paid no less than \$15,000 to Charles Fearing of the same city for his share of the fishing of the Brandy Brook pools, where the small stream of that name empties into the Restigouche. Big was the price paid by Mr. Hollins, Mr. Fearing of New York has paid still higher for his newly acquired rights. He has given \$35,000 for the salmon fishing privileges of John and Samuel Wilmot on the Restigouche. In Linn county we get all the fishing we want and better than the \$25,000 article for the cost of transportation and fishing tackle. But there are lots of fools in this world.

Oh! Yes.—Call at J. R. Douglas' confectionery store for choice ice cream, 10 cents a dish, milk shake, 5 cents, and everything else equally cheap. First Street, opposite Russ House.

PARISOLS.—I have just received a new invoice of Parisols. Samuel E. Young.

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Cusick's addition. Gold cases at Will & Stark's. F. M. French keeps railroad time. Rock candy drips at C. E. Brownell's. Novelties in parasols at S. E. Young's. Choice canned sweet potatoes at C. E. Brownell's. Prepared mackerel, in 1 lb cans, at C. E. Brownell's.

Headquarters for garden seeds at C. E. Brownell's.

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

The latest sheet music, 15 cent, at Mrs. Hymans's.

Delicious canned cranberries at C. E. Brownell's.

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Spring jackets and beach robes at reduced prices at Stannard & Cusick's.

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

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A sure cure for the whiskey habit: Dr. Livingston's Antidote for Drunkenness will cure any case of the liquor habit in from ten to thirty days. From the moderate drinker to the drunkard, the Antidote can be given in a cup of coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it. The Antidote will not injure the health in any way. Manufactured by the Livingston Chemical Co., Portland, Oregon, or from J. A. Cumming, sole agent, Albany.

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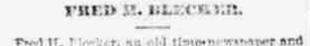
Dr. Holden: My children are often troubled with coughs and colds. After trying a variety of cough remedies without good effect, I tried your Etherial Cough Syrup. I am pleased to find a remedy so reliable.

HENRY KEMMERT, Stockton.

Large size \$1, small 50 cents. For sale by J. A. Cumming, druggist.

BORN.

LAFALLETT.—On Sunday, Aug. 3rd, 1896, near Wells Station, to the wife of Chas. F. Lafallett—a son. All doing well.



FRED H. BLOCKER.

Fred H. Blocker, an old time newspaper and theatrical man, writes from the Baldwin Hotel, S. F.: "No ordinary occurrence could induce me to allow my name to be used, but I have been troubled with dyspepsia in its worst form and indigestion. Before I tried J. C. Venable's Serravallo's Tonic, I spent many a dollar on remedies without relief. My illness was so great at times it seemed as if I should die. In three days I found J. C. Venable's Tonic in that bottle, and the second pot me on my feet. It will cheer the hearts of many a victim."

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[Signed] I. D. MILLER.

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F. M. French,

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