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LOCAL RECORD.

ALBANY THE CENTER.

Mr. B. F. Nichols, writing to the *Palmer* News, gives Albany a good notice besides narrating other interesting facts. While absent, during a part of Dec. and Jan. last, I visited Walla Walla, Pendleton, Portland, Dallas, Corvallis and Albany. Albany is extending their lines to keep pace with the rapid growth of the country. This seems to be especially true of Albany, which, I think, will become the leading business center in the Willamette valley, outside of Portland. The Southern Pacific and Oregon Pacific R.R.'s cross each other at Albany. The latter—the O.P.—have or will establish their machine shops at that place. These, together with other important improvements to be made by the company, are bound to make it quite a business center. Much credit is due the general manager, Wm. M. Hoag, for the substantial manner in which he has constructed the road. Leaving Halstead, after a trip to the front in company with A. Hackleman, Esq., and Col. W. F. Helm, we returned to Albany, having experienced one of the most enjoyable trips which has fallen to the lot of your humble servant for many a day.

SUNDAY CLOSING.

We, the undersigned business men doing business in the city of Albany, do promise and agree that we will not open our business houses for business on Sundays, as we deem such action necessary for the good and welfare of the city.

Conn & Hendrickson, Allen Bros., C. E. Brownell, W. F. Read, Matthews & Washburn, N. A. Blodgett, Wandell & Hollenbeck, Stewart & Sox, Fortmiller & Irving, L. E. Blain, F. M. French, Smith & Sanders, Knapp, Burrell & Co., Price & Robson, Albany Furniture Co., E. C. Seale, Mueller & Garrett, L. L. Judson, Mitchell & Lewis Co., Parker Bros., C. Meyer, Hopkins Bros., S. E. Young, Will & Link, Thos. Brink, G. W. Simpson, T. L. Wallace & Co., J. Beam, Thompson & Overman, J. J. Dubruielle, L. Verick, William Mack, C. A. Brown.

THEIR OWN WATER WORKS.

Residents of the city in the neighborhood of Ferry and Eleventh streets, for a block or two in different directions, are making arrangements to erect a large tank and windmill and establish a water works system of their own, it being claimed that the Albany water works company will not go out so far as present. They will lay pipes and have water with all the modern improvements by the time dry weather arrives.

THE HOBBO DISCHARGED.

The hobbo captured by Nightwatch McClain and placed in the calaboose was allowed to go last evening, the ownership of the stock of knives, etc., not being learned. Marshal Hoffman received a letter from Portland last night that the man had just been discharged from the city jail there. He was known in Portland as the Jew hobbo. His goods were probably stolen before he was jailed at Portland. He left southward.

AN ARM DISLOCATED.

Tuesday, Otto Maxwell, the fourteen year old son of Mr. John Maxwell was riding a horse when the animal fell throwing young Maxwell off and partially under the animal. His left arm was dislocated at the elbow in a serious manner, the bone protruding through the flesh. Dr. Wallace attended him.

STOR JUST ABOUT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE BLOCK.

On First street, south side, between Broadway and Ellsworth, and you will find a place where you can all get first-class groceries and fresh produce at reasonable prices and be well treated without extra price. The sign reads "Parker Bros.," and everybody knows the name. Their baked goods are the best. Their stock of goods generally is kept replenished to meet the demands of a growing trade.

NO FLIES.

There are no flies on Conn & Hendrickson's new clerk, that faces their customers on entering. Every body treated the same, a smile for all, and the best groceries in the city and bottom prices. See their brands of tea, coffee, their canned goods, etc. Smokers get lots of satisfaction out of the famous Peppose and other cigars.

NEW CARPETS.

New carpets, new carpets, new carpets and new styles, latest patterns, the best in the market, just received at A. H. McIlwain's. The stock is large and choice, selected for this market, and people wanting the best carpets at the lowest prices should call and inspect his splendid stock. It was bought low and will be sold low.

LOADS OF GROCERIES.

are received daily by Mueller & Garrett, both by rail and boat. Cash figures are pleasing every one and this is the reason why they are doing so much business. If you want to save money buy your groceries of them. They do not have to give toys and presents to induce trade, as low figures and pure goods satisfy everyone.

ONE HUNDRED WAGONS.

just received, which I am going to give away free, one with each can of Forest City Baking Powder. Come early. C. E. BROWNELL.

The best restaurant in the city at C. and

MISCELLANEOUS.

Eastern people do not talk so much as at one time about sending missionaries to this coast. They have learned that they need them at home just as much.

REGARDLESS OF ANY RESULT.

In the county division question Albany should have a bridge, and active steps should be taken at once. No friend of Albany will raise a hand against the movement in any form.

ONE OF THE MEN WHO SIGNED THE LETTER.

to the Statesman of Salem about a Linn county members' wealth should hide his head, for an inspection of the assessment roll reveals the fact that his name is not there at all, having nothing to assess. Grant Scott, May, some men learn not to throw stones until they get out of their glass houses.

THE SALOON MEN IN PENDLETON.

who have been found guilty of selling liquor to minors and allowing minors to drink and gamble in their places of business, have decided to boycott the East Oregonian, says that paper. If this paper ever feels the effect of the boycott it will be a surprise, and will probably disturb the even tenor of our way. As things stand now, we rather enjoy the notoriety and the splendid advertisement which the boycott promises. A newspaper which does its duty for right's sake never has to shake in its boots for want of business. The golly have this paper's sympathy and pity, even if its influence is against them. We hear so much. We think we are working for the right, and are striving to do our duty as we see it.

THE LINN COUNTY DIVISIONISTS.

have at last obtained a hearing in the house, says the Oregonian. The petition, signed by 700 names, was sent to the clerk's desk by some member from Southern Oregon, who moved that it be referred to the committee on counties, with instructions to report by bill or otherwise. The committee did report by bill, and an effort was made to rush it through at once under suspension of the rules. A motion to adjourn stopped further proceedings, and the bill has now gone to the printer. The Linn county delegation will urge the house not to pass the bill, but should it do so, as it did in the Umatilla county case, without doubt the same fate of indefinite postponement awaits it in the senate. Republicans are especially wary of creating any more counties while in the majority, fearing that dissatisfied and divisionists might hereafter vote the democratic ticket.

THE DIVISION QUESTION.

When the Santiamites announced their intentions to peacefully withdraw from old Linn, Train, Whitney, Herald & Co. made public and private announcement that they were in full sympathy with the divisionists. They argued that the proposed division would be any disadvantage to the remaining county and to Albany. They were anxious for them to go. For the first time in their history as newspaper men, we see them and the Santiamites pulling on the same sweat-rope. According to the theory of Train, Whitney & Co., whenever any portion of the county gets a division notion firmly fixed, "let the divisionists go."

TRAIN, WHITNEY & CO.

are so elated over the proposed withdrawal of old Santiam, that they lost sight of all subsequent divisionists. "We now hear that Brownsville and all other cities tributary thereto, are up and in arms" for another new county. On this second division scheme Train, Whitney & Co. are as dumb as two very small Yaquina Bay oysters. Perhaps Train, Whitney & Co. have not heard of the Brownsvilleites uprising.

WHEN THIS GLORIOUS DIVISION NEWS REACHES.

Train, Whitney & Co.—the friends of all division schemes—we trust to see another public expression from them, and also the private views of leading republicans of Albany. Come to the front again Train, Whitney & Co., and give us another statistical argument in favor of the Brownsville division. Don't waver, but strike while the iron is hot. M. J. W.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. Burr Power, the genial farmer of Shedd, was in the city yesterday; likewise his father.

Eld J. Dowersox, of the Evangelical church, was in the city yesterday and held quarterly conference last evening.

W. E. Gillett went to Woodburn this noon to institute a lodge of Odd Fellows there tonight.

Rev. J. R. N. Zell has been taken for Catholic priests and nearly everybody else of importance, but the climax was capped at Salem by his being mistaken for Jim Lotan, the Portland boss.

License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Henry M. Suezens and Miss Gussie M. Haley, daughter of John Haley, both of Green Basin. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is 16 years of age, while the groom is an old resident of Albany, until a year or two ago, when he moved to Green Basin.

Mueller & Garrett's cash prices are saving the business. Money saved by dealing with them.

Two BARGAINS.—I corner resident lot near the heart of the city, \$1100. 1 inside lot, full size, near S. P. depot and Iron St., \$900, for cash. Only for a few days.

TOWNSEND & WILSON, Baltimore Block.

Keep it in your mind that Allen Bros. propose keeping the kind of groceries the public demands. Their stock is a fine one.

One half dollar donation on every pair of Ladies' fine shoes. A good time of them. S. E. Young's.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you.

Money to Loan.

We have plenty of money to loan on real estate security, on two to five years term. Call on us at our office, opposite the Revere house.

BURKHART & KEENEY.

Thos. Kay woolen mills blankets, flannels, men's, youth's and boys' clothing, for sale by G. W. Simpson's, agent, Albany, Oregon.

W. F. Read keeps the best assortment of

STATE LEGISLATURE.

SALM, Feb. 4.—Blackman's bill for \$5000 for a wagon road passed the senate, which will stand 18 to 11 on the subject. The wagon road committee decided to include the Brownsville road in their list to be recommended, allowing \$5000 for it. The assessment bill was considered in the house, a voluminous affair. A joint resolution passed both houses requesting the presentation of the name of Henry A. Felling, of Portland, as a successor to Windom. Willis' bill providing for the closing of saloons on Sunday failed to pass by a vote of 22 to 6. Carson's bill regulating foreign corporations passed the senate, 27 to 1. Meyer's bill defining criminal negligence failed to pass, 24 to 4. A bill allowing the Oregon Pacific to issue bonds for a longer period than 20 years passed.

The bill for the division of the south end of the county, it was thought would be introduced today. The bills amending chapters of Lebanon and Scho passed the house, having already passed the senate.

Salem, February 4th.

There are two bills among others that should be enacted, Falton's Senate bill No 56 is one. This bill provides for contracting for transportation of the state insane, idiotic, convicts and state militia. The owners of each and every line of railway within this state, the construction of which shall be commenced after the passage of this act which shall be completed within two years from the date this act shall take effect shall be entitled to contract with the state for carrying its insane, idiotic, convicts and militia over such line for the term of five years from the date of such completion, for a sum equal to the amount paid for taxes on such railway during the period of construction thereof, and the sum annually paid for taxes the five years immediately succeeding its completion. This applies also to any railway the construction of which has been commenced, but which, when completed, will exceed seventy-five miles in length, and of which not more than twenty miles have been actually completed. But it does not apply to any line of railway less than thirty miles in length. This act is intended to assist all railroads in building. We want all the railroads we may possibly build, and there is no doubt this bill will become a law.

The other bill is for an act to create a state mining bureau, where there shall be collected by the state mineralogist and geologist, and kept for study, all specimens of geological and mineralogical substances, including mineral waters found in this state, especially those possessing economic or commercial value. The only objection to the bill is that it locates the bureau at Portland, when all state institutes of this class should be located at Salem. It is a part of the collection of bureaus that may be created as time develops the necessity for them and they should be provided for in the Capitol building and no where else. There is a tendency to draw everything to Portland, but in this case it will not answer the public demand. Several years ago the state created the office of State Geologist, and no one can estimate the benefit the state received from the reports of Prof. Condon, who was the State Geologist. In a few years a member of the Legislature from Eastern Oregon, now of the greatest mining section in our state, when sober enough to do it, had the law creating this office repealed on the ground that one thousand dollars a year was too much to allow a man to "gopher in the ground." The state could not stand it, etc. It is true however that nearly all the valuable information, and articles written on this subject, that have come to the state are based primarily on the reports of Prof. Condon, State Geologist. The repeal of that law was a disgrace to the commonwealth.

It is now a settled fact that in these Cascade Mountains there are true fissures veins of gold and silver, and the prejudice against these mountains is fast fading away. It is to be hoped that this bill will become a law.

The House is working on the assessment law and it is believed that a good law on the subject will be the outcome.

There was some talk of taking the appointing power from the Governor, in the case of the penitentiary, but the task seems too unjust to be done. The penitentiary was never in a better condition than at present.

OCCASIONAL.

THE REASON WHY.—Why is it that Klein Bros. can afford to sell boots and shoes so reasonable? Because they are not practical shoe makers and make part of their expenses by working on the shoe bench, any boot or shoe you buy of them, no matter what kind it is, man, woman or child, that rip, run over or the sole rips loose they repair them for you free of charge, and as they do all the work themselves, they don't charge you 25 to 50 cents a pair extra for a warrant to pay some shoemaker to repair them for you. They also make a specialty of repairing rubber boots.

For SALE.—\$500 to \$1000 of household furniture in exchange for improved real estate. Inquire at office of OREGON LAND CO.

January 22nd, 1891.

Lawyer, please C. E. Brownell's name if you want to live or move here. Best goods and lowest prices guaranteed.

All rubber goods at Klein Bros.

Teachers Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the regular public examination of teachers, for Linn county, will take place in Albany, commencing on Wednesday, Feb. 25th at 1 o'clock, p. m., and continue until Friday noon, Feb. 27th. All teachers must positively be present at the time of commencement as no one will be admitted to the examination who is not so present.

G. F. RUSSELL, Co. School Supt.

MARRIED.

PEARL—STANDISH.—On February 4th, 1891, in Albany, by Rev. S. E. Meminger, Jas. A. Pearl, of Halsey, and Katherine M. Standish, of Brownsville.

ARNOLD—BROCK.—In this city, on Feb. 4th, 1891, at the residence of Wm. Fromm, by George Humphrey, J. P.

HOME AND ABROAD.

NO Division Of Linn Wanted in Any Direction. Wheat is 50 cents at C. H. L.

Buy your groceries of Parker Bros. Sauer kraut at C. E. Brownell's.

Hulin & Dawson, druggists.

Five groceries at Conn & Hendrickson's.

All rubber goods at Klein Bros.

Bargains in library lamps at C. E. Brownell's.

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

Delicious orange cider on tap at C. E. Brownell's.

The sheriff of Benton county has not yet begun collecting taxes.

Smoke the celebrated Havana filled 5 cent cigar at Julius Joseph's.

See W. F. Read's line of dress goods and suits before buying elsewhere.

Bargains in choice groceries can always be secured at Allen Bros., Finn Block.

A large stock of wall paper, with late designs, at Fortmiller & Irving's, just received.

Washing, 50c a dozen, mending for men free at Mrs. Kings' just east of the Democrat office.

The ex-nupt firemen of Albany should form an organization. There are now over one hundred, many of whom are in the city.

F. G. Vanglin died at Lyons last evening at the age of 65 years. He came from Kansas last summer.

The Register says 65 and 67 cents is being paid for wheat at Eugene, probably on board the cars, which would make the market prices 55 and 59 cents.

The stockholders of the Astoria Golden Park addition met last evening and declared a dividend of 22 cent on their investment. Nothing small about that for these quiet times.

Rev. Geo. W. Hill will preach to-night at the Baptist Mission, Main street. Residents of the eastern part of town especially are invited. Special services will be held at the mission hall next week.

Capt. Stone, the timber land swindler, well known in Albany, yesterday was sent to the penitentiary for five years, and his companion Hyatt, for three years. Stone was about as hard a rock as one ever runs across this side of the Green mountains.

COUNTY COURT PROCEEDINGS.

(D. R. N. Blackburn, Judge; B. W. Cooper and Wm. Rumbaugh, Commissioners.)

Continued.—Oregon 25t F. Holzfuss, and bill of A. T. Thompson, \$46.

Fees allowed in state aid Billner.

Petition of Robt. Glass and 55 others for county road granted, and O. Chesney, E. A. Evans and A. M. Templeton appointed viewers.

Sylvester Canon, acct roads, allowed, \$50.

Bill of Jas. Fitzwater aid W. A. Fitzwater disallowed.

Bill of Polk county for \$107 24, account paupers, was continued; also petition for aid of B. White.

Petition of R. A. Brown, et al, for county road, disallowed.

It was ordered that the Albany Electric Light Co. be authorized to light up the court house, and that the light now paid for by the county, at Fifth and Ferry streets be discontinued.

The following bills were allowed:

C. D. Montague, aid Kitts fam., \$15 00

O. P. Coshaw, aid Hall family, 10 00

C. O. Cooley, aid Clark family, 6 00

Cox & Finley, aid Henderson fam., 10 00

Hamilton & Andrews, Orchard fam., 10 00

G. F. Crawford, aid Mrs. Roberts, 8 00

Ladies Aid Society, aid Long fam., 5 00

W. E. Curi, salary, 1 mo., 83 33

John S. Dugan, 5 00

U. A. Duncan, salary, 1 00

M. Scott, sheriff fees, 89 20

E. T. T. Fisher, as surveyor, 15 00

State vs. H. Bloch, fees J. R. Wyatt, 5 00

P. C. Anderson, acct roads, 6 35

A. T. McCulley, acct roads, 27 44

Frank Probst, acct roads, 7 52

Geo. Young, acct roads, 79 49

B. W. Cooper, per diem, fees, 5 20

Wm. Rumbaugh, per diem, fees, 9 00

M. Scott, waiting on court, 12 00

Egan & Achison handle the celebrated Portland cement walls for cemetery lots. These walls can be furnished at half the cost of any other and are far superior.

DR. ABORN,

AT PORTLAND UNTIL JULY 5TH.

DR. ABORN, Fourth and Morrison streets Portland, Oregon, the most successful physician on the American continent for the speedy, positive, absolute and permanent cure for Catarrh of the Head, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Consumption. Twenty-five years successful practice.

Instantaneous relief and permanent cures often effected upon first consultation.

Dr. Aborn, by his original, modern, scientific treatment, effects—

Speedy and radical cures of the most obstinate and long standing cases

of Nasal Catarrh, Ozena, Discharge from the Ears, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption.

Also Stomach Disorders, Bilious Colic, Gall Stones and Jaundice, Heart, Liver, Kidney, Bladder and Nervous Affections; Diseases of Men. Also all ailments peculiar to women.

Dr. Aborn can be consulted from now until July 5, when he leaves for Europe.

NOTE.—Home treatment, securely packed, sent by express to any part of the Pacific Coast and Territories for those who cannot possibly call in person.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament and estate of Jane Birmingham, deceased, has filed in the office of the county clerk of Linn county, Oregon, his final account of said estate, and the court has fixed the 7th day of March, 1891, at 10 o'clock p. m., to hear objections if any to said account and for settling said estate.

Dated Feb. 6, 1891. S. M. PENNINGTON, T. J. STILES, Executors.

WORTH CONSIDERING.

F. M. French keeps railroad time.

New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

Egan & Achison are selling monuments at Portland prices.

Fresh New England mince meat, on sale at C. E. Brownell's.

Mens', youths' and boys' clothing and furnishing goods at G. W. Simpson's.

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

Great reduction in men's furnishing goods for the next 30 days at W. F. Read's.

J. W. Bentley, best boot and shoe maker in city, three doors north of Democrat office.

For bargains in monuments, headstones, etc., go to Egan & Achison, Albany, Oregon.

You should call and see these fine library lamps at C. E. Brownell's before buying elsewhere.

Tickets for ALL eastern points, over ANY route, for sale by W. J. Jester, at S. P. ticket office.

For fresh meats of all kinds go to Judson & Slates, opposite Schmeier's livery stable. Orders taken and prompt delivery.

For cold nights buy Thos. Kay woolen mill blankets, cheapest in town. For sale by G. W. Simpson, agent, Albany, Oregon.

A fine display of children's school shoes on counter table at C. E. Brownell's are going rapidly at less than first cost. Call and select a pair before they are all gone.

All rubber goods at Klein Bros.

A fine stock of lace curtains for 90 cents to \$10 to suit the customer, at Fortmiller & Irving's.

All tubber goods at Klein Bros.

Pretty fine winter weather.

MRS. C. D. STUART.

Mrs. C. D. Stuart, of 400 Hayes St., writes, "I have for years had spells of indigestion and dyspepsia, and tried nearly everything. Finally I took a well known Sarsaparilla. It caused pimples to break out on my face without helping me. Hearing that Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla did not contain mineral, and might act differently, I sent for it. The pimples disappeared immediately, and I had no more returns of the old spells." Although the above was written a year ago, Mrs. Stuart now attests the permanency of its effects. Says she takes an occasional dose to suppress a symptom of return and that she has perfect command over her old trouble.

TWO MEN AND ONE BOY

FOUND DEAD!!

While trying to Crowd their

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Guarantee Ins. Company, of London, England. Established 1811. Capital, \$5,000,000. Total fire losses paid over \$8,000,000.

American Fire Ins. Company, of Philadelphia. Organized 1810. Cash assets, \$2,642,000. Loans paid, \$10,000,000.

Columbia Fire & Marine Ins. Company, of Portland, Or. Assets, \$200,822.00. This is one of Oregon's best companies.

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