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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL RECORD.

FINE OIL PAINTINGS.—Mr A W Best, who has been conducting a large class in Salem, has on exhibition in the store opposite Stewart & Sox, on First street, a valuable collection of the most noted and picturesque views on the Pacific coast, the result of three years' sketching, and which are pronounced by all who have seen them, to be the finest ever exhibited in Albany. He has also some figure pieces by Tojetti, the famous San Francisco artist, who is acknowledged by all to be second to none in flesh tints. The object of this exhibition is to give the public an opportunity to judge of Mr Best's work, as he is here to organize a class in oil painting, and all who are interested in art should call and see him. They will be on exhibition this evening and for the next two weeks, during the day and evening.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—Services at the Congregational Church to-morrow will be as follows: Morning topic, "What is it to be a Christian." Evening subject, "The strength of Young People." This is the second in a course of lectures to young people. All are invited.

The services at the Presbyterian Church to-morrow will be as follows: Preaching at 11 a. m. Sabbath school at 12:15 p. m. Y P S C E Meeting in the lecture room at 6:45 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Life Its Responsibility." In the evening the second discourse on "Christian Evidences" will be given. Topic "The New Testament Authentically." All will be made welcome to these services.

LA MASCOTTE.—A good-sized audience greeted the Boston Comedy Co last evening in their presentation of La Mascotte. The opera is full of comedy, and caused an uninterrupted flow of merriment. The company possesses some first-class comedians who displayed their talents to good effect in La Mascotte. This is the play from which base ball and other clubs get their mascot, one who brings good luck, and this was its first presentation in Albany. There promises to be a big house to see "Ermine," a charming opera.

THE NEW CHARTER.—In response to inquiries we will say that the new city charter will go into effect on Tuesday, February 24, and the council, which meets on the evening of that day, will be in a position to begin business immediately under it. We look for some live orders. The Democrat has been requested to stir up several little matters, such as the high sidewalk and trestle at the east end of First street, without an end; the need of a sidewalk at Second and Washington; a bridge across the Willamette; a sewer system, city hall, etc.

SHIPPED TO LEBANON.—Today the G P S P D & L Co shipped the sashes and doors to Lebanon for the new paper mill. The fact that there were sashes for sixty-four windows alone speaks for the size of the building. The Company have just introduced several fine pieces of machinery, and have the facilities now for doing any work done on the coast. Their warehouse is filled with sash, doors, glass, in stock ready for a live building season.

A TOWN.—The contract has been let to Mr Kropp, the carpenter, for erecting a tower to the Catholic church, which, considering the size of the building, will be a high one, 65 feet, making a nice church edifice with good surroundings. Mr Ed Zeyss drew the plans for the structure, which will show some pretty architectural finishes. Work will be begun as soon as possible.

PAUSE A MOMENT.—If you want a tailor made suit of clothes or any part of one, well made, of the best material to be secured, have W R Graham do the job for you. He has just received an elegant line of suitings of superior fabrics and durable textures, than which no better have ever been seen in Albany. He has marked his prices down to bottom figures. Those desiring to dress in style should call on Mr Graham.

NEW TONS of salt just received by R M Robertson, several grades, which will be sold at wholesale and retail. Lime, cement, plaster, feed, oats, hay, etc., kept on hand and sold at reasonable prices. On the 1st will move from present place west of Ferry St to Strahan brick on East Street, just east of DEMOCRAT

A pair of fast black hose free with every pair of ladies shoes costing \$3 or more at shoe store.

STRAN.—A lady wants a place to live in a small family. Call at this

arrived a full line of ladies, children's, men's and boys' foot wear at G W

lans back, or side chest. Use Salsol's Plaster. Price, 25 cents.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

C Sparlock and ons to W H Soltra, 100 acres, 11 w 2. \$4000 to Wm Scofield, 10 E 2. 400 Kendall to F B Prater, lots 1 and 2, 1/2 23, 1/2 24, Albany 2500 M Haack to W W Wandell, undivided one-half of 160 acres 10 w 2. 1500 Wandell to E M Haack, undivided one-half of 160 acres 10 w 2. 1500

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

FH Pfeiffer, of Portland, is in the city. Prof and Dr Michener, of Halsey, have been in the city to-day.

Mr Harry Barr has begun the study of medicine in Dr Hill's office.

Rev Br W B of McMinnville, was in the city to-day on his way to Brownville.

Mr Chas M Kibins, of Prineville, and cousin, Miss Adelle Claypool, of the same place, and Miss Welch, of The Dalles, arrived in the city last evening, and are the guests of Mr James Kibins.

Hon F C Hammond, of Lebanon, was in the city to-day on his way home from Salem, where, though he has made no bluster, he has attended strictly to business and watched the interest of his constituents in a faithful manner.

Alvah and Mart Long, who recently sold out their barber business in Portland, are in the city on their way for a trip through Mexico, going to Mexico City among other places.

The Assembly Club, on Thursday evening, February 20th, will give one of their popular balls at the Opera House. Parsons' well known orchestra, of Portland, will furnish the music, with Mr Henry Hopkins, of this city, as director.

A former Eastern young lady says Albany unmarried gentlemen do not display that friendly sociability peculiar to Eastern young men. There they call and spend the evening with young ladies promiscuously, one evening at one place another at another, filling their minds with good thoughts, etc. (sometimes) without regard to matrimony, necessarily, unless it follows naturally. Here she has not received a call. It is not much the custom being of a sociable nature she of course does not appreciate the idea. It is a foolish idea that young men and women cannot be friends without being in love. An honest intermingling of the sexes is a splendid thing, and glib and sentimentality is not necessary to strengthen the friendship. We hope to see an improvement in this direction. Will the young men wake up and begin! Private instructions given in the Democratic sanctum free of charge.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The showman said that when he died he wanted to go to Corvallis.

A Linn county man cleared his watch recently in a very effective way by boiling it two hours in water. It was cleaned but it cost \$2.50 to have a jeweler get the rust off the works. Verily, this is a funny world.

'Tis done: the Legislature. A record of wire pulling and underground work is left behind. The sins of omission were greater than those of commission. There continues to be moss in the land, and mud.

There are some facts true that are not laid down in the law books. Here are one or two. Party canvases elect men to office, Congressmen and Senators appoint postmasters, U S Senators are elected by money; reciprocity passes wagon road and many other bills; politics is king.

When a man gets mad at something he sees in the paper, he calls the editor names and rattles off in an inky shriek to "Stop my paper!" It stops but the earth continues as heretofore, freezing with the slippery side on deck; and regularly every week the gent who wanted the paper "stopped" sneaks into his neighbor's house to "see what it says this week."—Journal.

One day last week a man by the name of Carpenter started from Springfield to go to Mr McDonald's timber claim which lies about 8 miles east of Cedar Flat. Night coming on before he reached his destination and snow having fallen during the day he became confused and lost his way. Having no matches to start a fire, he was compelled to travel all night to keep from freezing to death. He was found the next day about 10 o'clock by John McMahon of Jasper. His face, hands and feet were badly frostbitten and he would have perished in a few hours from cold had not Mr McMahon found him.—Eugene Guard.

The Building & Loan Association.

The annual meeting of the Albany Building & Loan Association was held last evening at the Oregon Bank offices. About \$2500 was loaned at 4 and 50 months interest in advance. The secretary read his annual report, which excludes the present month, and is for 23 months, which shows the following: Total loans in force, \$31,799 09 Cash on hand, 475 09 Furniture and fixtures, 129 65 Due from members, 173 40

Total, \$32,541 14 Less unearned interest, 9,511 55 Due members on advance payments, 22 00

Net resources, \$23,007 59

This amount is divided between the different series as follows:

First series, \$20,400 01 Second series, 1,430 27 Third series, 699 21 Fourth series, 248 67 Fifth series, 105 63 Undivided profits, 7 99

The profit on one share of the first series figures up at \$1.71 for the year.

The expenses of the year were \$300 for secretary's salary, and \$16.75 for incidentals. Total, \$316.75.

The following directors were elected by acclamation, being the old ones with the exception of W C Cassell and Geo H Keeney, the former of whom is not now a stockholder and the latter is away from home: H Bryant, W S Thompson, Geo E Chamberlain, C H Stewart, Geo W Hochstedler, Dr J P Wallace, E Washburn, J E Brown and F P Nutting. Auditing committee.—J L Cowan, E W Langdon and E N Condit. The directors then elected the following officers: C H Stewart, president; Geo W Hochstedler, vice-president; Jay W Blain, secretary; W S Thompson, treasurer; O H Irvine, attorney; H Bryant, Dr J P Wallace and F P Nutting, finance committee.

Don't fail to see our men's and boys' clothing before purchasing elsewhere. We will be the best of getting for the least money of any house in the city.

STATE LEGISLATURE.

February 20th, 1891.

Editorial Democrat.

The new Railroad bill was forced on the people by a trick of a few Republicans who managed to make party lines the successful agent in gaining all their points. It is no wonder that several Republicans driven to support this bill by the party had declared it "was the bitterest pill they ever swallowed." In these cases there should be a speedy trial by jury. This right of trial by jury guaranteed to every citizen on a question of fact by the constitution of Oregon, as well as that of the U. S., is denied by this bill to those who want a remedy for their grievances against railroad companies for breach of contracts or non-performance of stipulated contracts as common carriers. This among other reasons was among those which governed the Democrats in opposing this measure. Many cases could be determined in a Justice court, County Court, but it is so fixed that all cases shall go to a court of Equity, there to live out all the generations to come. In this respect this bill prepared and forced through by the pretended friends of the farmer and shipper, while really in the interest of common carriers, is the thickest fraud that these Peter small headed Republican managers in the Legislature could possibly plan. To overcome the wagon road veto the Republican jester of the House, after virtually pocketing the message of the Governor to have the Legislature memorialize Congress to divert the five per centum of the land arising from the sale of public lands to the school fund as fixed in the constitution of Oregon, by having the same referred to a committee of three, of which he would be the chairman and pocketeer, he made up an omnibus bill taking in all the wagon road laws that were vetoed, and introduced it with the provision that these roads should be built out of this five per centum, which bill passed both houses with a rush. This bill is unconstitutional. "Every act shall embrace but one subject" under our constitution, and inasmuch as there are several wagon roads depending upon different conditions which might or might not be in themselves grounds for a veto, they are required by the constitution of Oregon to be separate acts, as every act shall embrace but one subject and depend upon itself. A wagon road to run to a man's timber land is not the same as one that shall run to his saw mill or fishery. All being distinct and separate in all respects and in different counties. It was intended to ignore the request of the Governor, who simply wished the Congress of the U. S. to grant the diversion of the five per cent fund to the school fund, as the people had declared and asked for when they adopted this constitution. It was to defeat this that the omnibus bill was introduced. Could a greater fraud be perpetrated against the express wishes of the people, it should be vetoed and nailed to the counter for future reference.

And still the Lock bill sleeps. Poor thing, wonder if it is not dead. The Governor's special message referred to herein will go if it has not already gone into the hands of this jester and sexton of the house cemetery for House bills, and there side by side with the Lock bill will sleep until "Millerism" shall once more destroy the world. These few Peters will never again serenade a governor, their adversary, in order to draw a fight to him and raise party lines to accomplish by trickery what no inconvertible man would permit to be done if left to the dictates of honesty and common sense.

SALEM, Feb. 20.—Among the bills that passed the house, having passed the senate, were: Hirsch's bill, providing for commitment of insane by Justices in absence of county judge; Wills' bill against boycotts; Fulton's bill exempting new railroads from taxation for two years; Cogswell's bill providing for collection of wages; Mackey's bill for plumbing inspector in Portland; a bill protecting owners of floating logs; Tongue's bill requiring a two-thirds vote of churches, schools and societies in some cases; Cross' bill creating office of attorney general; Weatherford's bill providing for hinge in smokestacks on river steamers; Tongue's bill for a state board of equalization.

In the senate Moore's World's fair bill providing for an expenditure of \$50,000 was indefinitely postponed. It should have passed. Among the bills passing were: Storey's bill licensing life and accident insurance companies; Weatherford's bill allowing the Albany & Astoria R R to bridge the Willamette at Albany; Miller's freight discriminating bill—which he had worked hard to pass—failed to receive a majority. Barnes' bill taxing stock temporarily pastured, failed.

Both houses adjourned this forenoon. The bill granting the right to build a line to the Central Point Sugar Pine Flume Co, was passed over the governor's head, and the senate took the same action. The bill was also signed by the president and speaker, and is now a law. The bill making eight hours a day's labor, which passed the senate, failed to pass the house, receiving only twenty-six votes.

All rubber goods at cost at Klein Bros.

Stop just about in the middle of the block, on First street, south side, between Broadbaldin and Ellsworth, and you will find a place where you can always 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.

Men and women do not always agree, in fact they frequently disagree and seriously too, causing many divorces and collapses in the matrimonial market. One thing, though, they agree on, and that is that Conn & Henderson keep the kind of groceries one needs in housekeeping, they treat men and women alike and give them bargains in goods in their line. Call on them for groceries and produce.

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

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Bargains in choice groceries can always be secured at Allen Bros., Elton Block. "Clark's Diphtheria Preventative" for sale by Hullin and Dawson.

If you want anything nice for Sunday dinner go to Mueller & Garrett's, the leading grocers.

Washington, 50c a dozen, mandarin for men freest Mrs Knappe just east of the Democrat office.

The Con 1 House has been furnished with electric lights. Ten unadorned lights will illuminate the courtroom, and each office will be supplied.

A plot of the East Albany cemetery has been filed with the County Recorder. Mr Fred Graf is President of the association.

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Several of the damage suits against the Southern Pacific railroad have been compromised. P B Beckley, of Oakland, who sued for \$38,250, accepted \$5,000. Andrew Huff and J R Sloan, of Eugene, who sued for \$8,000 and \$3,500 received \$1,800 and \$1,000 respectively. P Hendee sued for \$7,000 and took \$2,000.

The Albany Iron Works are getting out a large mill for a new saw mill to be erected by Earl Bros, near Lyons. The company has been doing a good business for this season of the year, filling several good orders. These works are prepared to do as good work as any foundry in the state.

Annie Abbott, the "Georgia Wonder," who exhibited her wonderful powers in Albany in December, was very ill at San Jose, Cal., last week, with congestion of the brain. It is believed that her sickness is the result of a test made in Stockholm. Mrs Abbott was subjected to a cold water douche and not allowed to dry her body, immediately putting on clothes furnished by the committee.

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MATINEE—Children, 25c. Adults, 50c.

Seats on sale at Will & Link's music store.

ANNUAL MEETING.—Notice is here by given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building Association will be held at the office of the Albany Electric Light Co., on Broad street, in Albany, on Monday, March 16 1891, at 7:30 p. m. for the election of directors, and such other business as may come before the meeting.

Dated Feb 20, 1891. N H ALLEN, Secretary.

W C TWEEDALE, President.

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 cure often effected upon first consultation. Dr. Aborn, by his original, modern, scientific method, effects

Speedy and radical cures of the most obstinate and long standing cases of Nasal Catarrh, Oozes, Discharge of Matter 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.

WORTH CONSIDERING.

F. M. French keeps railroad time. New cream cheese just received at Conrad Meyers.

Egan & Ashion are selling monuments at Portland prices.

Men's, youth's and boys' clothing and furnishing goods at G W Simpson's.

Have you seen those 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 & Ashion, Albany, Oregon.

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

For cold nights buy These Eay woven mill blankets, cheapest in town. For sale by G W Shapton, agent, Albany, Oregon.

"Foot prints, friends, are what we live for. Every day we're taking more. So if now you are in misery, Go at once to Seals' Shoe Store."

These Key-wooden mitts blankets, Egan's men's, youth's and boy's clothing, for sale by G W Simpson's, agent, Albany, Oregon.

Coming Events.

Friday and Saturday evenings, Feb. 20 and 21.—Boston Gaiety Comedy Co, at opera house.

Tuesday evening, Feb. 24.—The Garretors, by college students, at the opera house.

Friday evening, Feb. 27.—Concert, under auspices of Prof Lorillard, assisted by best local talent, at opera house.

BORN.

PEACOCK.—On Friday night, February 26, 1891, to the wife of Wm Peacock, the husband, and taxidermist, a girl.

NOT ISOLATED CASES.

To show that the cures made by Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla are not only not exceptional cases, but that it helps everybody, we cite a few instances where two in the same family took it and were both cured.

Thomas Stephens, of 148 Sixth St., S. F., took it for weak stomach and dyspepsia. It entirely cured him. He then gave it to his wife for her sick headaches, since which time she has had no return. It cured them both.

Mrs. E. L. Whetton, of 704 Post St., S. F., was a sufferer from stomach and liver troubles and biliousness. Finding that it relieved her, she gave it to a little girl living with her whose ailment was a large open sore which nothing seemed to heal. It also cured the child.

H. S. Wino, of Geary Court, Geary St., S. F., prominent in the Order of Red Men, was very feeble and greatly reduced. Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla restored his health and accustomed vigor. He thereupon gave it to his wife who was similarly afflicted and had nervous prostration. It had the same happy effect upon her as it had upon him. Scores of similar cases could be cited but we have no room for them here.

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While trying to Crowd their WAY INTO

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Store, where they always have on hand the largest stock south of Portland, and the latest Improved Rifles and Shot Guns; an immense stock of Fishing Tackle, of every description; Tents, Hammocks, Camp Chairs and thousands of other things too numerous to mention

Repair Shop

In connection with the Store, and one of the best workmen in the state to do any and all kinds of work. Come one, Come all; No trouble to show goods. "Small profit and quick sale" is our motto.

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