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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL RECORD.

AN APOPLETIC STROKE.—Mr Jacob Norcross and wife, of Ashland, arrived in Albany last week on a visit with Mrs Norcross's sister, Mrs R M Robertson, and old friends here, coming part of the way by team, until the horses were killed on the P. by the cars near Eugene. Yesterday Mr Norcross attended the U P church, of which he has always retained his membership, though absent for many years, and in the afternoon was at a teachers' prayer meeting convening immediately after the Sabbath school. He was offering prayer and was expressing thanks for being allowed the privilege of being among his old friends when he fell over with congestive apoplexy. It was thought for a few moments that he would die at once, but prompt attention resuscitated him. Dr Wallace was called and attended him. He was taken to Mr Robertson's, where he is lying in a critical condition. Years ago Mr Norcross was the leading merchant of this city, and old settlers who knew him only to respect him, will watch with great interest his case, hoping for his recovery.

AT THE SOLDIER'S HOME.—A gentleman has just received a letter from an Albany G A R man, who is now living at the Soldier's Home, in Los Angeles county, Cal. He writes, among other things, that all the work they have to do can be performed in about one hour once in three months. He says: "I can't say that I like the place and if I was in Albany again, as I was before I came here, it would be a long time before they would get me here again. We have enough to eat, drink and wear, but I don't like the kind of society I have to live in, there is too much beer and whiskey drunk here to make it pleasant for a temperate man. The greatest amusement we now have is watching the beauty bathe at the beach. The ranchers are happy this year; there is an abundant crop of barley and corn promises a big yield."—Telescope.

AN OREGON MAN.—The New York World prints the following dispatch from Carlsbad, dated July 4th: Mr S Hirsch, the United States Minister to Turkey, has arrived here to try the water. After being cured of the indispotion from which he is suffering Mr Hirsch will return to the United States on a short leave of absence. He will be accompanied by his family. Owing to the recent robbery of a railroad train between Adrianople and Constantinople by brigands, the Sultan sent an escort of five officers and twenty men with Mr Hirsch. This escort accompanied him as far as the frontier.

BLOODY CELESTIALS.—Last Saturday at Marion two Celestials had a general shooting tournament at each other. It was a feud. One Celestial went into another's bedroom and began shooting. The one in bed put his head under the covers and the bullet went into his back and head. The other man crawled under the bed. He then shot through the bed at him. He then turned around to shoot at the cook, and two Celestials were hit; but none killed. It was a mixed up matter and no witnesses but Celestials. The would be murderer was taken to Salem.

A RUNAWAY EXPERIENCE.—Last Saturday Miss Flora Mason, of this city, and Mrs August Lange, of Portland, who is visiting with Miss Mason, took a ride over to Corvallis with a horse and buggy belonging to Mr J P Galbraith. While there they hitched the horse to a fence. Becoming frightened the animal broke loose and ran away, doing \$50 or \$60 damage to the buggy. Mr John Schmeer, who happened to be in that city, brought the ladies home, together with the horse and remnants of the buggy.

FROM OREGON.—Over 5,000,000 pounds of wool will be shipped from The Dalles this season—Oregon wool. Over 5,000,000 cans of salmon will be shipped from Astoria this season—Oregon salmon. Over 5,000,000 bushels of wheat will be shipped from the state this season—Oregon wheat. These are only a few. There are also Oregon fruits, Oregon gold, Oregon silver, Oregon timber, and a host of other Oregon products of 1891.—Ex.

HAVE U noticed that Allen Bros' grocery store is always full of fruits, vegetables, etc, the very latest in the market. If there is anything to be had they have it.

Peaches, Berries, Cabbages, Turnips, New Potatoes.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—I keep a full line of spring and summer dress goods, in wash fabrics, prints, ginghams, seersuckers, etc. have also a new line of summer plaids, besides other novelties in biges and all wool fittings. SAMUEL E YOUNG.

WANTED, at once, for canning purposes, Royal Ann and Black Republican cherries, peach plums, Bartlett pears, black raspberries and blackberries, for which I will pay the highest market price. G W SIMPSON.

TRADE AT THE OLD RELIABLE GROCERY STORE of C E BROWNELL. Good goods, low prices and honest treatment. COME ONE, COME ALL.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr E F Sox went to Portland this noon on business.

Banker R A Rumpy, of Harrisburg, was in the city today.

Miss L A Woodin, of Tacoma, is in the city, the guest of her brother, A B Woodin.

Mrs Aug Lange returned to Portland this noon, accompanied by Miss Whitmer.

Miss Bessie Saltmarsh, of Portland, came up from Portland this noon on a visit with friends.

Hon R A Irvine and wife and A B Slauson and wife left this morning for the front on the O P to be gone two weeks.

Dr Maston, in response to a telegram, left this noon for Creswell, Lane county, to consult with Dr Scarborough in a serious case of illness there.

A picnic was held near Santiam grange hall Saturday, and a fine time is reported. The Scio band was present and furnished music. Speeches were made by Judge Boise and Hon R A Irvine.

Senators J N Dolph and J H Mitchell came down the road from Roseburg to Eugene this morning. They will pass through Albany tomorrow, but it is not learned whether they will stop off or not.

Mr Brady, of the American Press Association of Chicago, was in the city today on his way to San Francisco, and thence home, from a trip around the world. He was delighted with Japan.

W H Harper, president of the Chicago university, mentioned in today's dispatches in connection with the national Christian Endeavor Societies, is a cousin of Dr Irvine, of this city. He is probably the ablest Hebrew scholar in the U S.

RETURN OF THE FAVORITES.—The old favorites of the well-known Keene Company who have given our citizens ample evidence of their ability as artists of the highest order on two previous occasions, will return to Albany for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, and will produce on Thursday evening the most famous of all American plays, "Held by the Enemy," from the pen of the celebrated American writer, Wm Gillett. The play is founded on the late unpleasantness between the North and South and will prove of especial interest to old soldiers and Sons of Veterans. A change of play will be given each evening during the engagement and no piece will be presented that has ever previously been played here. We are much more than usually pleased to announce the return of this splendid company, inasmuch as it is always a pleasure to extend the hand of welcome to such thorough artists as are the people which compose the Keene Company, the strength of which has been greatly augmented by the addition of several new members, among whom are some of the leading New York performers, and now numbers fourteen people, whose coming will be hailed with pleasure by all lovers of the higher class of entertainment, who remembering the thorough enjoyment derived from the superior performances given during the company's former visit, will hope turn out en masse to extend a hearty welcome on the opening night.

BASE BALL.—The Harrisburg base ball nine has not been whipped this season; if there is a club in this or adjoining counties that can "white-wash" them we would like to hear from it.—Courier. What is the matter of the Albany club trying to do them up. Only the Salem professionals have white-washed them. There should be at least one good game of base ball in Albany every week, and here is a chance for one. The Albany Base Ball Club has reorganized, by electing Geo W Morehouse manager, and the club is now ready to play any amateur club in the valley. Send acceptance of challenge to the manager. The nine will be composed entirely of Albany amateur players. Arrangements are being made for an enclosed ground beyond the depot, and it is thought will be ready for the Scio-Jefferson game. A game will be played with the Linn's at an early date with the Burns boys in the box for the Linn's. Games will be played at least once a week if any club can be secured to play with.

No 1's inform the DEMOCRAT that they will be ready tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock to play the game of base ball with the H & L Co. whose challenge they recently accepted. The game promises to be a hot one, if played.

HELD UNDER \$500 BONDS.—Chief of Police Hoffman returned from Portland Saturday evening with J L Miller, alias Lewis, arrested on complaint of the C B R store, for obtaining goods under false pretenses. He was taken before Justice Colsho and held to await the action of the grand jury under \$500 bonds. Miller's partner, Cushing, was tried in Portland last week for robbing freight cars of goods. Miller turned states evidence and was not arrested. Cushing, notwithstanding, was found not guilty. Now Miller is liable to suffer.

LET'S PULL TOGETHER.—Most of those of our citizens who were disappointed in the location of the bridge, are doing the sensible thing. "Though we didn't get the location we wanted, we want a bridge anyway," they say. That is the correct spirit. Anything for a bridge has been the DEMOCRAT's motto, and now let Albany men join hands and push the interests of Albany generally. In harmony only is there strength.

Try Calumet Baking Powder, the purest on earth. C E BROWNELL.

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

We increase again at tramps. TOWNSEND & WILSON.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

A new town is being laid out on the Oregon Pacific between Gatesville and Brown's mill, Leedy's mill being near it. It will be called Minto. It is thus men leave monuments of their greatness.

The traditional corn doctor has been in the city, or rather a firm of them. They knew all about corn, and no one else knew anything about them. They looked that way.

About 100,000 pounds of wool have been bought at this city this season, from Linn county sheep owners. That is not much like Eastern Oregon wool raising; but it shows that quite a quantity is raised, and means \$20,000 in cash put into circulation.

The snagboat Corvallis passed Salem Friday, on her way up the river. She is in charge of Capt Raabe, who knows the river thoroughly, and says he is getting all the snags. What is needed more is the capture of several bars. Jerk the bars out, too, Capt.

Salem has a base ball club it would take some hard playing by the Portlanders to beat. Sunday they beat the Staver & Walker's 16 to 1 without much of an effort. Sylogistically reasoning the Albanians and Staver & Walker's are about a match, with one score in favor of the latter.

It is currently reported that recently a very dangerous element from New York and Chicago has reached this city. They are safe crackers, capable of opening the strongest bank vault without the aid of explosives. So far it is not known that the strangers have begun operations, but it is just as well that the police be on the alert for them.—Portland Welcome.

On Jan 1st, next, the item that will head Albany's building improvements for the year will be "The Willamette bridge, \$83,350." It is now in order for our business men to drop their differences and go to work and do something for the gem city of the valley, otherwise. Nothing is ever accomplished by disputes and divisions, (see Matthew, 12, 25) and it is time the people of Albany dropped all selfishness and worked for the whole city. Let us have a few new factories and new industries that will ensure to the permanent welfare of Albany.

AFTER A BRIDGE.—For a long time the residents in the vicinity of Mill City, on both sides of the river, have been clamoring for a bridge across the main north fork of the Santiam at Mill City. Responding to this request, the court will visit Mill City on the 24th inst, for the purpose of viewing the proposed site, and looking up the matter. The court has invited the court of Linn to meet them at Mill City on the date mentioned and together look over the situation. The bridge required would be a short one, as there are natural abutments on either bank. The courts are not decided whether or not to build a bridge at this place. They are merely looking the matter up at this time.—Statesman.

If Conn & Hendricson can give you a large and choice stock of groceries, produce, fruits, berries, etc, to select from then their store is one to visit when wishing anything in their line. An examination of their goods will convince any one that there is no better place in the city for trading in their line of goods. Their prices are low, with good reasons for the fact. They invite all to call and see them and learn by experience where the best bargains can be secured, both in prices and quality of goods.

HAVE YOU A WIFE and ten children; have you any children; are you an old bachelor? Whatever you are you can do better than by buying your groceries, produce and baked goods of Parker Bros. You want to save money and at the same time get good groceries, then call on them. You will get first-class treatment and first-class goods. Their baked goods are made in an experienced manner, and include a large variety of eatables.

WALL PAPER, ETC.—I have just received a new line of wall paper and decorations. Have more than doubled my facilities for handling them, and will keep a much larger stock. Wall paper and border to match. Beauties, and much cheaper than ever before. SAMUEL E YOUNG.

Fortmiller & Irving have some Renaissance lace curtains for \$18 a pair, as fine as anything ever seen in the city. They range down to \$7 a pair. Other lace curtains down to \$1 or less a pair.

One half dollar reduction on every pair of Ludlow's fine shoes. A good line of them at S E Young's.

Engage the little wood saw and got your wood properly sawed. Leave your orders at Matthews & Washburn's cardware store, First street. Wm. NEELY.

W. F. Reed keeps the best assortment of dry goods in town.

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HOME AND ABROAD.

Baker City has a young lady's base ball club.

Marion county pays a Salem company \$15 a month for sprinkling the streets around the county buildings.

Wanted, a girl to do general housework for a season, at Yaquina bay. Call at residence of Hon R A Irvine, before tomorrow noon.

The most advanced agent of Seils circus is in the city, and soon the bill boards will be flaming with pictures. Seils will draw big houses.

Forepaugh's contract with the Union Pacific is for the transportation of 26 railroad cars, each sixty feet in length, equal to a train of 130 ordinary freight cars. It is claimed to be the largest transportation contract ever made by this road.

S A Holin, druggist, French's corner. Five groceries at Conn & Hendricson's.

Fresh vegetables and berries every morning Brownell's.

Best assortment of teas in town at C E Brownell's.

A fine line of brockery ware at Conn & Hendricson's.

Drink delicious ice cold soda water at C E Brownell's.

A large assortment of garden seeds on sale at C E Brownell's.

E W Achison & Co are selling monuments at Portland prices.

Golden opportunities are wasted every day by not trading with C E Brownell.

A new line of window shades from 50 cents to \$1.50 each complete, at Samuel E Young's.

At the corner of Broadalbin and 1st street you will find C E Brownell always the lead in the grocery business.

For bargains in monuments, headstones, etc., go to E W Achison & Co, Albany, Oregon. Fresh bread, cakes, pies, etc., every day at the Delmonico restaurant. Leave your orders.

Keep it in your mind that Allen Bros possess keeping the kind of groceries the public wants. Their stock is a fine one. See W F Reed's line of dress goods and silks before buying elsewhere.

WEATHER REPORT.

OREGON WEATHER BUREAU. CENTRAL OFFICE, PORTLAND, OREGON. CROP-WEATHER BULLETIN NO. 18, FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1891.

In Western Oregon the temperature has been four degrees a day below the average. The weather has been partly cloudy with general rains on 9, 10, 11. In some localities nearly an inch of rain fell. Over half an inch fell in this section. The rains did some damage to the hay. Considerable hay has been already housed, and some remains to be cut. Generally the crop has been heavier than for many years, five tons per acre of clover hay is reported from Curry county. The wheat prospects continue to be unusually good. Twenty-two to thirty-four stalks stood out from one grain in Yamhill county. The heads are large and berry full and plump. The grain is turning yellow. Oats and barley are promising large yields. Fruit trees are heavily laden and indicate more of a crop than was expected; insects are few and no damage from them as yet. Hops are coming on well, the lice have not been so destructive as was anticipated. Early corn is in the silk. Early potatoes have been a very full crop. Peaches are ripening. Warmer weather and more sunshine needed for all vegetation.

In Eastern Oregon, haying is in progress, yielding well, but some has been injured by the rains. The hay crop through the stock sections is especially heavy. The rains will have a tendency to help spring grain to fill better. Fall wheat has headed remarkably well and the excellent prospects continue.

B. S. PAGUE, Observer, U. S. Signal Service.

ALBANY OPERA HOUSE.

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THURSDAY, JULY 16.

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—of the—

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STOCK COMPANY.

In an elaborate production of Wm Gillett's great American military drama,

"Held by the Enemy,"

With all the original mechanical effects used during its first production in New York City.

"An American play, by an American, of American, and which all Americans should see."—New York Herald.

CHANGE -- OF -- PLAY -- NIGHTLY

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

LOST.—Three record books of Tangent L M E church, south, between Tangent and Brownsville, on the Ward's Butte road, on June 18, 1891. Will pay finder for trouble. W. H. HOWARD, Tangent, Or. Pastor.

FOUND.—A good umbrella, with the initials J. W. indistinctly engraved on the handle. As it is a long time to the rainy season the owner will place all at the Democrat office and claim property.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNDERSIGNED, administrator of the estate of Charles T. McFarland, deceased, has filed his final account in the office of the clerk of the county court for Linn county, Oregon, and the judge of said court has set the 2nd day of August, at the hour of 1 o'clock, p.m., as the time for hearing objections to said account, if any, and to settle said estate. This 17th day of June, 1891.

CLOTHING!

We will sell Summer Clothing, Thin Underwear and Outing Shirts

AT COST!

Our Stock is Large, Our Goods are Fine, Our Prices are Low!!

T. L. WALLACE & CO.,

The Birthplace of Great and Honest Bargains,

Strahan Block, ALBANY, OREGON

Choice Teas F. L. KENTON.

FOR SALE.—A good second hand Pitts vibrator, including bagger and stacker, cheap. Inquire of F H Roscoe, with Knapp, Burrell & Co.



and a fine stock

SPECTACLES

PAY UP! All persons indebted to the firm of Price & Robinson are notified to call and pay their accounts at once, or the same will be placed in the hands of an attorney, for collection, on August 1st, with instructions to push the collection of the same by legal process. Costs will be saved by settlement before the time mentioned.

generally, as well as jewelry, Watches, clocks, etc., at

F. M. French's.

MEMBERS OF THE LINN COUNTY FARMERS' ALLIANCE:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that I have contracted with the well-known firm of Stewart & Sox, at Albany, to supply you with birders, mowers, rakes, twine, licks, buggies, wagons, plows, etc, as well as all articles in the line of general hardware.

Marion county members can buy at the same place on the same terms. BEN. H. IRVINE, Financial Agent.

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Window Shades and Curtains,

and new and beautiful patterns in

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We have the best and prettiest in the market. 50c. SHADE!

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Osborne : Binders, : Mowers : and : Rakes.

We carry no machinery that has not been tried in this locality, and found to be satisfactory, and, as we represent factories, no responsible dealer can give better terms.

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