



LOCAL RECORD.

ON TO WATERLOO.—Just at this time the minds of the people in and around Albany, Albany, Tallman, Sodaville and Waterloo are somewhat agitated over the railroad question. The first of the week the report was that Dr. Hill and associates were to build an electric line from Sodaville to Albany via Tallman or via Lebanon conditionally. The state of the various routes have been reported and prices of narrow gauge track laid from Portland, and a representative dispatched to San Francisco to ascertain the cost of equipment. The rumor is that Messrs. J. K. Gifford and Thomas Kay have made a proposition to the Southern Pacific Co. to grade the road bed, if the company will complete and operate a branch of the road from Lebanon to Waterloo, and proposition is said to have been accepted. Engineer E. J. Conner is now making the survey.

A BOLD LODGE'S RESOLUTIONS.—Dierdorf No. 5, I. O. O. F., of Scio, at their meeting passed resolutions of respect to the memory of Jas. F. Hall, the committee consisting of Dr. E. O. Hyde and S. M. Hall. The main resolutions read: Resolved, That our order in this jurisdiction has suffered a great loss, and so a true and tried member whose life was a living example of our highest maxims, and whose death has caused a void that only time can fill. Resolved, That while we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, we will endeavor to emulate his virtues and kindly cherish his memory as incentives to a higher and better life. Coming voluntarily from outside lodge, the resolutions are particularly of interest as showing the great respect in which the deceased was held everywhere where known.

THEATRICAL.—"Held by the Enemy" presented last night to a good sized and well pleased audience. It is a thrilling drama well presented by the H. F. Keene Company. The leading lady, Miss Susan McCreary. The parts of Col. Prescott, Gen. Starnberg, the confederate surgeon, Surgeon Fielding, Thos. Harry Bean, James Special, Corporal Springer, Eugene and Rachel, were all well represented. The company is one deserving a good patronage. To-night Silver King, ever given here, will be presented, and here should be a full house.

A TAILLESS CALF.—The papers have been boasting about a calf recently born in Georgia without a tail. Oregon will not permit any state to surpass it even a calf. Several days ago a calf was born on the farm of Mr. Turner, residing near Harrisburg, which is entirely tailless, and it does not seem to consider it a affliction, either. Prof. Mitchell, of this city, saw the animal and declares it to be a genuine tailless calf.

A BRIDGE ACCIDENT.—A few days ago Mr. Walt Miller was crossing the Hanna bridge, near Jordan, with a load of lumber, when the bridge gave way and the man and load were precipitated nearly ten feet into the water below. One horse was killed and the other had three broken, while Mr. Miller had a narrow escape from drowning, a boy helping him out.

Mrs. Lutz delivered her lecture, on Woman Suffrage, at the W. C. T. U. Hall, evening to a small but appreciative audience. She is an eloquent talker and treats the subject in a very sensible manner, not going to extremes like such advocates of the cause as Mrs. Dunaway. Her fortunate hearing here were very pleased with the lecture.

AN ARM BROKEN.—Mrs. Perry Osborne, of McDowell creek, mother of Mrs. M. E. Nye, of this city, while trying on Friday last to prevent a hawk from carrying off some of her fine young chickens, slipped and fell, striking the ground in a manner as to break her right arm above the wrist.—Scio Press.

W. F. NUTTING 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,

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.**

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

G. W. SIMPSON.

NEW SPRING GOODS.—I keep a full line of spring and summer dress goods, in wash, silk, and cotton, gingham, seersuckers, etc. Also a new line of summer plaids, and other novelties in hosiery and all wool goods. **SAMUEL E. YOUNG.**

Half dollar reduction on every pair of my fine shoes. A good line of them. **YOUNG.**

A BOY BURNED.

The Boy Who Burned Many Barns in Jail.

Last April our citizens were treated to a succession of small fires, causing general concern for the safety of the city, and numerous parties were accused, it is now learned, very unjustly. About four weeks ago some kerosene was discovered saturated in a shed near I. Beam's grocery store, being used to store tools used in the construction of sewers leading to R. R. street. Marshal Hoffman was notified. He concealed himself and in the evening just after dark a boy approached and set fire to a string leading to the saturated part. The Marshal caught him and discovered that he was Orin Beam, the sixteen year old son of I. Beam. He was taken to his father, and the matter was kept quiet for awhile for good reasons. Yesterday Mr. Hoffman went to Portland, where the boy had been sent to school, and arrested him and brought him to this city. On his way here he confessed to Geo. W. Davis to the setting fire to the large number of barns and sheds burned and discovered on fire last April and May, and naming the combination barn of his uncle, Geo. Hochstetler, and others, the barns of R. A. Irvine and Mrs. Stinson, the barn in the rear of the Ruse House, occupied by Chris Houck, and the shed owned by his father. He stated in substance that he set fire to the buildings from a morbid desire to see them burn, and now that it is all over he feels very sorry about it. The offense is a grave one, and will not doubt send the young man to the penitentiary for a term of years. He is a son of highly respected people, and such conduct was not looked for on his part. The Hochstetler fire occurred on April 4, the R. A. Irvine fire April 10, Houck fire April 11 and the other fires shortly after. Young Beam will be examined before Justice Coshaw this evening on the arrival of Deputy District Attorney Wyatt from Lyons.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Richard Conn, of Corvallis, was in the city today.

Judge Blackburn and wife are rusticated at Sodaville.

Col. C. E. Compton is being tried by a court martial at Walla Walla.

Mrs. W. R. Bilyeu and sons went to Yaquina Bay today for a month's sojourn there.

Geo. Caldwell, of Portland, came up to Albany this noon on a two weeks vacation.

Dr. Llenenger and Wm. Cowan went to Sodaville yesterday on their bicycles, returning though in a speeder way.

Ray H. S. Shangle left this afternoon for Waterloo to attend the protracted meetings that commence this evening and last over Sunday.

Miss Vesta Mason, of Albany, came up on this afternoon's train and is visiting at the residence of Jas. F. Robinson.—Eugene Guard.

J. R. Wyatt has been at Lyons a day or two trying the Sullivan boy for assault on the Ray boy, whom he picked off an embankment. Mr. Wyatt will be home on this evening's train.

Prof. Strange, of Union county, at one time principal of the Corvallis schools, well known in Albany, has been elected principal of the Oregon City schools. The principalship of schools seems to be changing all over Oregon.

Judge Strahan, Jason Wheeler, Geo. F. Simpson, D. B. Monteth and C. J. Stewart, leave tomorrow morning for Coe the eastern end of the Oregon Pacific, on a fishing excursion, and will return on Wednesday.

Numerous excursion parties are being arranged for such a trip. Fishing there is said to be good, and there is no more delightful mountain scenery anywhere.

The beautiful grounds of Mr. D. P. Mason have been selected for the lawn social of Tuesday evening next. Those attending will be assured a pleasant and refreshing time, ice cream and cake will be served. An attempt is being made to secure a famous art collection for the evening. The musical part of the program will consist of vocal and instrumental selections pleasing to old and young. It is hinted the college orchestra will discourse wedding marches, etc.

BASE BALL.—At Scio last Tuesday the Scio club defeated the Lebanon club by a score of 15 to 13 in nine innings.

A 5 inning game of base ball will be played this evening at 6:30 o'clock between the Albanians and a picked nine.

A game of base ball will be played next Monday afternoon between the Albanians and Jeffersons. The latter is one of the best amateur clubs in the valley and the game promises to be a hot one. Albany will have to play to win. As it takes a little money to run a club at this and other games between the Albanians and outside clubs the seats on the ground will be charged for and a collection taken up among the crowd. It is worth at least 25 cents to see a good game of ball, and our citizens should go to the ground with the change in their pockets.

The statement by the DEMOCRAT that the next Scio-Jefferson game would be in Albany on the 25th, seems to have given the Press the dyspepsia. We got our information from a Jefferson man, and a newspaper man of all the people in the world ought to know that it is easy to get mixed up on a ball game. The game, will be next Friday at Scio and not on Tuesday as stated by the Press.

Eugene City will organize a base ball club tonight, and then will be ready to meet the Albanians.

Teachers' Examination.

Notice is hereby given that the regular public examination of teachers, for Linn county, will take place in Albany, commencing on Wednesday, August 12th, at 10 o'clock, and continue until Friday noon, August 14th. 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,
County School Supt.

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

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

We have a large stock of traps. **Townsend & Wilson.**

Pay your school tax and save costs of collection.

NEWS.

Nearly every 4th of July some boy commits suicide on account of the heartlessness of his parents. Charley Purves, aged 16, of Talent, committed suicide by hanging himself with a log chain. The cause of this act was not getting some article of clothing which he wanted from his parents for the Fourth of July.

Among the members of the H. F. Keene Stock Company is Mr. George Bryant, who a few months ago delivered a lecture in Albany, and an entertaining one, entitled "Canoe ride down Murray River." In the play of "Held by the Enemy," Mr. Bryant demonstrated the fact that he possesses considerable talent as an actor as well as a lecturer.

An old pioneer lady, of Albany, of great respectability, and as clear-headed as a bell, says a young man residing in the suburbs has been trying to have her committed for insanity because she has been having some fun with him and his beau who resides next door to her. The case is an interesting one, and we will wager on the old lady coming out ahead if they try to come a flank movement on her.

According to reports from Yaquina Bay, Nye Creek is crowded with people, and it is now in order for a big hotel to be constructed there. About three times as many people bathe there as at Newport, the place affording genuine sea bathing. A six foot walk now runs all the way from Newport to the Albany settlement. Besides catfishes there are large numbers of tenters.

The Oregon City Courier speaks as follows about the man who assaulted Alex. Purdom: Henderson is a brutal character. He did not seem to care in the least for what he had done. After cutting Purdom he very carefully gathered up all the pieces of the broken bottle and buried them. While beating and maiming Purdom he swore he would kill any one who attempted to take him off, and had it not been for one Vick King who finally took him off, he would have undoubtedly either killed Purdom or blinded him entirely.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 14, 1901.

DAILY DEMOCRAT: Delegates to the grand lodge, A. O. U. W. gathered at Portland, July 13th, in large numbers, from all parts of Oregon and Washington, to make the trip to this place to attend the sitting of the grand lodge.

The train leaves Portland at 10 o'clock p. m., hence the trip to Tacoma is made at night, arriving at that place at 6 o'clock a. m.

A brief run through the principal streets discloses a city with many substantial buildings, but candor compels the remark that times are unyieldingly hard. Nothing much to hold people here. Hundreds are leaving seeking employment elsewhere.

Here the members of the grand lodge board the staunch "City of Kingston," and after a run of two and a half hours the city of Seattle was reached. Not being permitted to land and see the city of a citizen, who informed us that the same stagnant condition exists here as at Tacoma. These facts we gathered from citizens of the two places. These two cities are destined to grow into large thriving cities, but this will not be until they are thoroughly cured of the dangerous disease, "boom."

To say that the sound is a magnificently grand body of water is approximately the truth. At 1 o'clock, in a stiff breeze, we arrive at Port Townsend.

This place has the same general listlessness that is found in all the sound cities. The jealousy existing between Seattle and Tacoma is intense. And both are equally jealous of Portland. Many amusing anecdotes growing out of this jealousy might be given did time permit. The run from Port Townsend to Victoria was of four and one half hours in length, and on a "mad, angry sea." Not less than fifty passengers were sick and fifty more very uneasy and restless about the stomach.

At Seattle we were joined by supreme master Kingsley, of Helena, Mont., and grand master Daly, of the grand lodge of Oregon. At Victoria we were met by the members of the local lodges of the A. O. U. W. with a brass band and a procession was formed and marched to the Odd Fellows hall where announcements and arrangements were made for a reception to be tendered the grand lodge at the Royal theater this evening. One speaker, in making the announcement, said his Worshipful, the mayor, had consented to make the address of welcome, and the lieutenant governor had consented to be present. But the mail is to go and I close.

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

HAVE YOU A WIFE and ten children; have you any children; are you an old bachelor? Whatever you are you can not 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.

Engage the little wood saw and get your wood properly sawed. Leave your orders at Matthews & Washburn's hardware store, First street. **W. M. NEELY.**

HOME AND ABROAD.

C. W. Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block.

The expense of the annual ex-convict was about \$25,000.

C. W. Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block, does first class work.

See that elegant piano at Klein Bros. Best and Shoemaker.

Medford and Ashland peaches are now in the market in large quantities.

Rev. E. N. Condit, of this city, will preach in the Presbyterian church in Oregon City next Sunday.

Go to C. W. Cobb, successor to Paisley & Smith, Flinn Block, for your job printing of all kinds.

Mail is now taken from Albany to Shelburne on the Oregon Pacific, daily, the first pouch going out a few days ago.

Yesterday at Toronto State Superintendent E. B. McElroy was elected Vice President at large of the International Teachers Association.

We notice that every town celebrating the Fourth was blessed with an attendance of 5,000. All the towns in the state celebrated. Our population is now something over 4,000,000.—E. A.

During the absence of Miss Gilbert on her summer vacation, her pupils in music will receive instructions from Mrs. Arch Hammer, at the corner of 7th and Jefferson, where she will be found by those desiring to take lessons during the summer.

The Corvallis Marine Band will accompany the excursion to Newport next Sunday, July 15th, and discourse choice music en route and at Newport during the day. Train leaves Albany 7 a. m. Don't get left behind. Fare only \$2 for the round trip.

A piano at Klein Bros. Boot and Shoe store.

S. A. Hulin, druggist, French's corner.

Fine groceries at Conn & Henderson's.

Fresh vegetables and berries every morning, Brownell's.

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

A fine line of crockery ware at Conn & Henderson's.

Dried 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.

Your school tax will be delinquent if not paid at once. Look after it and save costs of collection.

Do not buy your boots and shoes until you see the piano at Klein Bros. and as well have examined their large stock of goods.

At the corner of Broad 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. prove keeping the kind of groceries the public wants. Their stock is a fine one.

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

Klein Bros. have a large and choice stock of boots and shoes for sale at reasonable prices. Do not invest in foot wear until you have seen their stock and the elegant piano at their store.

Buy your groceries of Parker Bros.

TRADE AT THE OLD RELIABLE GROCERY STORE of C. E. BROWNELL.

Good goods, low prices, and honest treatment.

COME ONE, COME ALL.

SCHOOL TAX.—Notice is hereby given that the school tax of district 5 is due and payable. All taxpayers are requested to call at once and attend to the same, at the office of the clerk, C. G. Barkhart.

The monthly meeting of the Building & Loan Association occurs this Friday evening.

Letter List.

Following is the list of letters remaining in the post office at Albany, Linn county, Oregon, July 14, 1901. Persons calling for these letters must give the date on which they were advertised.

Adams, John
Carroll, W.
Dawes, Mrs. Ida
Hill, David B.
Loftis, M.
Raney, John
Turner, Mrs. Colin
Williamson, Ed
Daws, Fred

Cather, C. W.
Creswell, John A.
Deneen, E. C.
Everson, Andy
Montague, Ernest
Radolph, Miss Addie
Turnidge, Mrs. Alice
Wilson, J. J.

T. MONTEITH, P. M.

DIED.

HAMILTON.—At his residence, on Sunday, July 12, 1901, B. W. Hamilton, aged 77 years, 5 months and 18 days.

The deceased was born in the state of Vermont, and at the age of 18 years removed with his parents to Jersey county, Ills. He was married to the wife he leaves in 1839, in Calhoun county, Ills. In the fall of 1845 he and his family moved to Wisconsin, near Cassville, but three years later returned to Calhoun county, and in 1852 crossed the plains to Oregon and settled in Linn county where he has lived till the time of his demise.

—Scio Press.

If Conn & Henderson 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.

WOOD SAWING.—Ah, there! Where are you going? I am going to Curran & Monteth's office, to leave orders for Owen & Grubb's to come and saw my wood. They do the best sawing in town. Sawing done on short notice. Leave orders on state.

Plunder's OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER. HEALTH RESTORER. USE IT! IT IS THE IDEAL MEDICINE.

It cures the Liver and Kidneys and Stomach, cures Headache, Dizziness, chronic Appendicitis, Purifies the Impure Blood, and Makes The Weak Strong.

THE OREGON BLOOD PURIFIER. PFUNDER'S KIDNEY & LIVER REGULATOR. Used everywhere, \$1 a bottle; six for \$5.

ALBANY NURSERIES

WE HAVE ON HAND at our nursery on the Corvallis road, one-half mile from town, as fine a lot of fruit trees of all kinds as can be found anywhere on the coast. If you contemplate planting trees it will pay you to see our stock and get our prices. Catalogue free. **HYMAN & BROWNELL.**

FOR SALE. Two good buggy horses, and well broken, together with good heek and set of double harness. Apply to J. F. Backus, residence corner of Calapooia and Ninth streets.

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

I do not Run a Lottery

But will sell you anything kept in a FIRST-CLASS WELL REGULATED BOOT AND SHOE STORE at bottom prices, in a business way.

I sell only standard makes, and guarantee everything sold. Will sew up rips, or repair anything caused by imperfect material or workmanship, Free of Charge.

SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

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SUPERIOR work, guaranteed lowest prices, and branch of the art. Mr. K. H. K. K.

all kinds a specialty.

FOUND—A good umbrella, with the initials I. W. F. Indistinctly engraved on the handle. As it is too low time to the rainy season the owner will please call at the Democrat office and claim property.

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Cream Baking Powder.

Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.