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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL RECORD.

BEAR STORIES are becoming sort of ridiculous. Here is another from the Florence West, which would indicate that men are bigger towards than bears: "It must certainly be a very large bear or an exceedingly brave one that will "tree" three full grown men, and all these men armed with shooting implements. Such is the story Messrs Kimball, Stevens and Knood told on themselves upon their return from an exploring tour in the mountains one day this week. The story would probably not have leaked out had not the trio been more or less maimed in their mad scramble for the topmost branch of a giant fir tree. When they were once seated at a safe distance from bruin they began firing, and after seventy three shots had been fired his bearship laid down and died."

A MIXTURE.—Mr Henry Coleman informs us that one of the heaviest storms that he ever saw in Oregon occurred about 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon about three miles south of Junction. Hail fell to the depth of two inches, besides it snowed and rained heavily for about thirty minutes. In fence corners he said the hail was six inches in depth, and water was running everywhere. However, the storm only covered a very small section of country, and the damage was not great.—Guard.

LARGE PREMIUMS.—The farmers have heretofore objected to the State fair because there have been no premiums offered for their produce. This year, however, no one can object and all should take part and show their appreciation of the change made. The directors have offered this year a purse of special premiums amounting to \$300, for grains, grasses, etc. The following are the articles for which premiums will be given: Best exhibit of grains, 1st, \$50; 2d, \$25. Best exhibit of grasses, 1st, \$50; 2d, \$25. Best exhibit of fruits, 1st, \$50; 2d, \$25. Best exhibit of vegetables, 1st, \$50; 2d, \$25.

A HEAD ACCIDENT.—Last evening while loading lumber on a car at the Santiam lumber yards, Mr Frank Breckenridge fell backwards off the car, striking his head on a rail, causing a bad bruise. He is now carrying his head in a sling, and will be obliged to rusticate for several days.

The Harry Keene company is evidently seeking free advertising. On Tuesday evening, the wrists of the heavy villain of the play were so securely fastened by the handcuffs that he could not get his hands free till next morning, and before the play began a man and woman belonging to the company had a lively spat. These by-plays are captivating.—Oregon City Courier.

The Albany Woolen Mills are running on full time, and crowded with orders for goods, in the manufacture of which they will consume 280,000 pounds of wool, which they purchased as follows: At Oakland, Or, 73,000 lbs; at Roseburg, 35,000 lbs; at Portland, 61,000 lbs; other sources 111,000 lbs; total 280,000.—Brownsville Times.

The Three Sisters took a ton of cucumbers from Salem to Portland. Did the Three Sisters have the colic, that is the question.—Albany Democrat. No; the sister that had the colic stayed at home.—Statesman.

SMITH THINKS there is no such place to get first class groceries, fresh produce and baked goods as at Parker Bros. So do Jones, Brown and many other people. They say they not only get good goods at reasonable prices, but as well splendid treatment. Try Parker Bros and you will become a regular customer, and what Smith thinks you will all think.

TAXES.—Have you paid your city taxes. Well, you'd better attend to them at once, as the tax collector informs the DEMOCRAT they are about delinquent and must be paid. The money is wanted. Dog taxes are also overdue, and a man is being secured to kill all of the animals on whom the taxes are not paid according to law.

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.

DELINQUENT TAX NOTICE.—School taxes are now delinquent. The clerk is making out the delinquent list which will be in the hands of the sheriff as soon as completed. Those who have not paid, had better do so before costs of collection are added. Lost notice.

C W Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block.

HAVE YOU 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.

Ferh, Berries, Cabbages, Turnips, New Potatoes.

One half dollar reduction on every suit of Ludlow's fine shirts. A "cool" time! them at S E Young's.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr Mack Monteith, of Spokane, is in the city.

Col W N Ladue, of Salem, was in the city yesterday.

Dr C U Chamberlin left last night for San Leandro, Calif., on a vacation of a couple of weeks.

Mr and Mrs L E Blain returned from Yaquina Bay this noon, and Mr Geo W Dudder went there.

G L Blackman, W C Tweedale and Archie Blackburn returned last evening from a trip to Fish lake and surrounding country.

Mr E G Beardsley, former real estate dealer of Albany, is in the city, with a possible view of locating in Salem.—Journal.

Geo W Freeman, of the U S engineers corps, of Portland, is in the city. He is best known in Albany as the husband of nee Mattie Foster.

Mrs W H St John left on last night's overland for San Leandro, Calif., where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs C Q Rideout, a couple months.

Omner Mitchell, who has been in the employ of A Straney, left this morning for Omalia, on a visit to his parents and others, and, we are informed, will not return alone.

A E Ball, wife and children, of Albany, who for the past week have been visiting Dr Cox and family of this place, returned home Saturday.—Brownsville Times.

That fine looking gentleman of the large avoirdupois is a friend of Mr Chapman of the O P, whose guest he is. Mr Welch is the leader of a prominent cast-iron band.

E E Parker, of Albany, was in town on Wednesday making arrangements to manufacture wall tiling, which industry will commence in a week or ten days on the premises of E L Power.—Brownsville Times.

Mr Brown, an Illinois banker, arrived in Albany a few days ago, and is now visiting his sister, Mrs Hugh Leeper, in the country. They had not met for thirty-eight years, and hence were considerably changed in appearance.

Mrs I N Gilbert, who died recently, was a teacher in the Congregational Sabbath school most of the time for 30 years, and the school held memorial services for her on Sunday, July 26th.—Salem Journal.

Miss Nellie Boise, drowned at Ilwaco, is spoken of in very high terms by the Salem papers. The Journal says: Miss Boise was a graduate with high honors at Willamette university. She was an active worker in all branches of the Congregational society of Salem, and stood as high among the younger laborers here as the late Mrs I N Gilbert did among the older. The church will miss these two more than it would any others on the roll of its members. As was the annual custom of nearly the entire family, Miss Boise went to the beach last Saturday. Very fond of society she was much sought after by all the best circles who frequent Oregon watering places.

WANTED TO DIE.

Shortly after 9 o'clock last evening Mrs J G Cherry on going to the room of her daughter, Etha, about 13 years of age, found her lying on the bed with her eyes rolled upwards and as if in agony. A bottle of carbolic acid was on the stand beside her, and a note by it, stating that on account of unkind treatment she wanted to die and hence had concluded to commit suicide. A doctor was called and an emetic administered. In the meantime the entire neighborhood had been aroused and great excitement prevailed, as it was thought the child would die. It was a genuine suicide scene. Miss Etha didn't die. The fact is, she had not even taken the carbolic acid, there being no signs of it in her mouth nor absence of it from the bottle. It is possible she had intended to, and the matter had worked on her mind so much that she may have imagined she had. Of course she came to all right, and didn't die. Miss Etha just previous had been with the crowd at Leak's car, and was talking with a young man when her father came up and told her it was time to go home, which they did, and immediately after reaching home the affair happened. Some of the young men intimated the intended suicide was caused by jealousy. Etha undoubtedly had been "eaten well" by her parents, so that the affair presents some complicated aspects. The real cause, we are informed, was because her parents very properly refused to allow her to go with all the boys she wished to.

DID YOU EVER SEE IT?—We mean Cram's Unrivaled Atlas of the World. It has over 300 pages every one of which is crammed full of valuable information. It has maps of all the states and territories, continents, foreign countries, and all leading cities. It treats of discoveries, history, bird's eye view of the Holy Land, products, wealth and debts of the U S, flags of all nations, religious denominations, all manner of statistics, length of rivers, height of mountains, and numerous other features. Those wishing to purchase will address the agent Mrs A U Talt Albany Oregon P. O. box 60.

DO NOT WILT, even if it does get warm. You can get fresh fruits, products and the best groceries to be secured at Conn & Hendricson's. They carry a first class stock of goods, and are situated so as to sell at the lowest prices. If you are going to the mountains or on a trip let them fit you out. They have the variety, and can give you the prices.

"Lost in London" by Newton Press and his talent'd company Saturday night will be a theatrical treat our citizens should not miss.

THE LEAK ADVERTISING CO'S CAR.

In our issue of recent date we re-printed a news item from the Eugene Guard, in regard to the above company's car, known as "Placer Co. on Wheels," in which the Guard man intimated that the concern was an advertising "fake" and threw cold water on it in a general way. We promised our readers that we would see the car ourselves before giving our verdict in the matter. We have done so, with a result that we cannot but think that our friend of the Guard must have had a decidedly billions attack when the car was in Eugene.

The car, which is the largest on wheels, was built expressly for the Leak Glove Co., of San Francisco, well known as one of the most extensive advertising firms on the western coast. The enterprise being more than they cared to handle alone, they took in some of the best known and enterprising firms, who, through their representatives who accompany the car, give out each night to the large crowds who visit it, samples of Royal Dutch Cocoa, Folger's Golden Gate Baking Powder, Sperry's Gemma, etc. A force of 18 painters accompanies the car, and is engaged in painting advertisements on fences, barns, etc. The fruit exhibit is not startling to the casual observer, but is decidedly creditable when the fact is taken into consideration that it was all picked before June 17th, and that it does not represent the resources of the whole of California, but a single county only. New fruit is shipped to the car every few days, and later in the season the display will certainly be very fine. The car is supplied with its own electric light plant of over 75 lights operated by a dynamo and engine in the car, and at night there is certainly a very brilliant effect. Twenty four people, all told, accompany the car, including 18 painters, electrician, cook, steward, book keeper, stenographer, and last but not least, the estimable wife of Manager Leak. The car is really three cars in one; being used as a sleeper at night, each man having a nice spring wire mattress to himself, hung from the roof of the car. It is also used as a dining car for the men at meal time, and as an exhibition car at night. Prof. Hovey's fine stereoscopic entertainment, one of the finest in the United States, has been secured by Mr Leak and is generally nightly furnished free of charge for the pleasure of the great crowds which visit the car. After a personal visit our verdict in the matter is that instead of being a "fake," as intimated by the Guard, it is the most enterprising and extensive advertising affair which ever came to our notice.

The large crowd which visited the Leak Advertising Co's car last evening were greatly disappointed in not seeing the stereoscopic entertainment which was advertised. The failure is due to the fact that gas which was ordered from San Francisco several days ago, failed to arrive. This morning the tanks came to hand, but through some carelessness in shipment, the gas had all escaped before reaching here, so the stereoscopic will lay on the shelf this evening, too. Mr Leak is badly broken up over this unlooked accident, as he has gone to great expense to provide for the entertainment of the great crowds which visit the car, the costly outfit of Prof. Hovey, which is well known as the finest in the country, and which, under Mr Leak's management has been exhibited for the first time in this country to an open air audience. The car will be open this evening as usual, brilliantly lighted, and a welcome is extended to all. It is expected that gas which has been telegraphed for will reach the car at Salem.

MURKIN.

The West of Florence hangs Mr Symms, of the U. S. engineers, in a very horrible picture this week, on account of his failure to act promptly in the improvement of the Siuslaw. The people there are greatly excited. They will probably get the improvement desired.

The Brownsville Times gives a show the following Arizona Kicker notice: "The O'Hullihan drama: combination is a fraud. They advertise a first class performance, which they are not capable of giving. On the evening of Saturday they attempted to give a so called exhibition, which was a complete failure; the house was so thin that an old settler caught the chills. They didn't send any 'comps' around to this office."

Even the big ball players sometimes do not follow orders. At a game between the New York and Brooklyn teams of the National league last week, Collins, second baseman of the Brooklyn, and Burns, the right fielder, both ran for a high fly batted by big Roger Connor. The two men came together with great force, and face and both fell to the ground bleeding and insensible. They were removed to a hospital, where Collins hung for a time between life and death from concussion of the brain. Burns was able to resume play in a few days.

The Vale Gazette gives the following, and after reading it, it is safe to predict who will win the law suit mentioned: "Last week while Chas Becker was returning from Baker City the conductor asked him for his ticket, whereupon he said he had given it to him, but the conductor said not and Becker insisted yes. So the conductor stopped the train and put him off, for which he asks the road to pay him \$20,000. The conductor's story may differ from Becker's. The "Maibeur cattle king" afterwards found that he still had a ticket in his pocket and that the conductor simply treated him in a customary manner."

Whips, robes, nets, etc, at McFarland's.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Royal Dutch Cocoa at C E Brownell's.

Just received at the Ladies Bazaar the "Sensations," the latest novelty in hats.

The sheriff of Lumburg, N C, left that city yesterday for Albany after McDougall.

A day or two ago a barn near Monmouth was struck by lightning. A young man was in it, but was only stunned.

Henry Foster, a two year old boy, was arrested yesterday afternoon for assault on Mrs John Deringer and fined \$5 and costs.

Lila E Ward and Maggie McMeek were elected free scholarships to the State Agricultural College by the County Court.

The application of J H Freary and other for a county road was granted by the County Court and voters were appointed.

J W G mber has bought a 2 1/2 half interest in the Seilo flouring mill, and the firm name will be Cunn & Gamber.

The E. O says a large crowd attended Salls circus in that city. That it was good and that a lack of fairs was noticeable.

Newton Beers should be greeted by a large house tomorrow night. "Lost in London" is a play worth seeing, and our citizens should not miss the opportunity of seeing it.

Marion county people seem bound to have a bridge at Mill City, and have appointed E M Kinney, J H Porter and Henry Keene as viewers of the site and to confer with the Linn county officials.

C W Cobb, successor of Paisley & Smiley, is reading out work to all parts of the valley. He has first-class facilities and is displaying the advantages of them. Parties desiring work in the job printing line should first call on Mr Cobb before ordering.

A long letter was recently received from Miss Ina Robertson and read before the C. E. society of the U. P. church. It was written at Chautauque and principally gave a talk about the National C. E. Since arriving at Chautauque Miss Robertson had met the well known author, Panov, and was having a fruitful and enjoyable time at that great resort.

SOBAYVILLE NEWS.

August 5th, 1891.

The motor line will be built and no foolishness.

The neat little cottage house of Prof Barzee in the Hill addition is almost completed. Messrs A F Farris, C Eichler, A P Flory, J C Robertson, D Sheppard and many others will also build in Hill's addition this fall.

The new and neat drug and grocery stores are now completed and the goods on the shelves. These are both good buildings and do honor to the city.

Sobayville is literally full of people now, many of whom are from Albany. More than one thousand drank at the spring Sunday last.

It is probable that more people visit these springs than Waterloo, Lower and Upper soda combined. They are rapidly growing in popular favor and in the near future will be the leading watering place. More than one hundred people attended the Sabbath school last Sunday. We also have preaching twice on Sunday and two prayer meetings during the week.

The public school is to commence the 14th of next month, and a large attendance is expected. Prof Barzee will teach the school again.

Between 40 and 50 lots have been sold in the Hill addition during the past two months. Not many are left.

Dr J L Hill, of Albany, is a frequent visitor at our town. We can guess that this means motor line. A few evenings since a mass meeting was held at Lebanon relative to the right of way and 'tis very probably that a line will soon be in operation from this point to Lebanon. We need it; so does Lebanon and all the points in the valley. We not only need it but are sure to get it, and get it soon. C. H.

The apron on this end of the Sanderson bridge has broken down, so as to stop travel until repaired. This bridge has cost the county a mint of money.

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

NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS OF THE CITY OF ALBANY, OREGON.

Notice is hereby given that as authorized and provided by an act of the legislature of Oregon, entitled, "An act to incorporate the city of Albany, and to repeal all acts or parts of acts in conflict herewith," filed in the office of the secretary of the state of Oregon, February 18th, 1891, and also as provided by ordinance No 217, of said city of Albany, the Common Council of the City of Albany, Oregon, will issue and dispose of bonds of said city at par value, to the amount of \$75,000 in denominations of \$500, payable 20 years after date of issue, with interest thereon at the rate of (6) six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually. Sealed proposals for the purchase of said bonds will be received by the treasurer of said city until the hour of 2 o'clock p m, Tuesday, the 1st day of September, 1891, at which time the proposals submitted will be opened and considered, and said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder therefor. The city treasurer hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Albany, Oregon, July 30th, 1891. H. FARWELL, City Treasurer.

Johnston Optical Co's

Patent: Easy-Fitting: Spectacles

and a fine stock

SPECTACLES

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

F. M. French's.

A piano At Klein Bros Boot and Shoe store. Parker Bros, grocer. S A Hulin, druggist, French's corner. Fine groceries at Conn & Hendricson's. C W Cobb, job printer, Flinn Block, does first class work. See that elegant piano at Klein Bros Boot and Shoe store. A fine line of crockery ware at Conn & Hendricson's. Drink delicious free cold soda water at C E Brownell's. 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. See W F Read's line of dress goods and silks before buying elsewhere.

BERJERY.—There is a prospect that coal from the Toledo mines will be on the market within two weeks—look a "leedle" over.—Toledo Post.



Just 24.

In just 24 hours J. V. R. relieves constipation and sick headaches. After it gets the system under control an occasional dose prevents return. We refer by permission to W. H. Marshall, Brunswick House, S. F.; Geo. A. Werner, 831 California St., S. F.; Mrs. C. Melvin, 126 Kearny St., S. F., and many others who have found relief from constipation and sick headaches. G. W. Vincent, of 6 Terrence Court, S. F. writes: "I am 60 years of age and have been troubled with constipation for 25 years. I was recently induced to try Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. I recognized in it at once an herb that the Mexicans used to give us in the early 60's for bowel troubles. (I came to California in 1829, and I knew it would help me and it has. For the first time in years I can sleep well and my system is regular and in splendid condition. The old Mexican herbs in this remedy are a certain cure in constipation and bowel troubles." Ask for

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