

KNOT TIES.—The records show that marriage ceremonies were performed in Linn county during 1891, where licenses were issued in this county, as follows: Rev E R Prichard, 19; Rev C C Sperry, 12; George Humphrey, 19; Rev J F Stewart, 9; Revs S G Irvine and Thos Yost, each 8; Revs M M Marling, S E Menninger and A C Fairchild, each 5; Revs F H Calder and H B Elworthy, each 4; Justice Henry Lyons, each 4; Revs A M Acheson, G S Hamlin, L S Fisher, Martin Hickman, T N Mulkey and T P Goodman, each 3; Elders Shanks and Williams, Revs G W Hill, J R Kirkpatrick, L Metayer, Travis, Thos Thomas, T P Boyd, Jos Pearl and C R Lamar, each 2; Justice Coshaw, each 2; Judge Blackburn, Rev H L Barkley, Justice L Douglas, Justice Wiggs, Rev S B Cole, Justice R Glass, Rev N L New, Rev I B Fisher, Rev Scott, Judge Strahan, Revs Robert Whiteaker, Waller, Carlton, Bollinger, Williams, Thompson, Tamer, Muelhaupt, Isham and Turner, and Justice Williams and Elder Daniel Leedy, each 1.

THE NEW SCIO MILL.—The Press says: Plans are now being prepared for the erection of Scio's new flouring mill. The new structure is to be 55 feet long, 40 feet wide and 4 stories in height. Mr J W Gamber will have charge of the construction. Since the destruction of the old mill Mr Goins has visited a number of the latest and most improved mills throughout the state, and after mature deliberation has let the contract for the machinery to J D Arthur & Company, to be delivered by them to Mr Goins in 60 days, the capacity of which will be 125 barrels every 24 hours.

THE NEW RIVER OBSERVER.—F M French has been appointed river observer for Albany at a salary of \$5 a month. His duties will be about as follows: "The observer makes a daily reading of the height of the river, and makes a record of such reading. When there is a rise sufficient to cause apprehension of danger, he will be called upon by telegraph to send a telegram to Portland, giving the height of the river and the rise or fall in past 24 hours. The same information will be had from Eugene, Salem and Oregon City, thus giving the public information as to the probable height to which the river will rise."

A QUARRELSOME FAMILY.—Capt Matthew B Van Alstine, one of Eugene's leading citizens, returned last night from Portland, and was met this morning by a warrant for his arrest. He was charged with threatening to kill his wife, nee Mrs Morgan, and was asked to give bonds to keep the peace. The evidence generally showed that it was a pretty quarrelsome family, and that matters were generally tropical around there, a fact verified by numerous items in the Eugene papers. Justice Humphrey listened with patience to the testimony, and ordered that the defendant be discharged.

DO NOT FORGET.—That the democrats will meet at the court house this evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Let every democrat who reads this notice be sure to attend. Clubs are being formed all over the state. A great contest is coming next June and November. Let us be up and doing.

THE HORNS ARE HERE.—The Apollo club has purchased from an eastern house, an expensive set of band instruments, 16 in all, and will meet next Monday evening at 7:30 in the college for their first rehearsal. President.

THE KEY TO SUCCESS.—That is what we all want. It is not luck, for there is no such thing. It is principally being careful about small things, for instance, the buying of the best quality of groceries, fruits and produce for family use, at the smallest cost. This counts in the long run. Those who deal with Conn & Henderson report bargains both in quality and price. They also have a fine line of crockery ware, toys, etc, suitable for the holiday trade, which it will pay the public to call and see before buying.

CALL AND SETTLE.—All persons indebted to G L Blackman will please call and settle within ten days, as he expects to leave for Portland, and after then all accounts will be left for collection.

INSTALLATION.—The members of Safety Lodge will hold an installation of officers at G A R Hall Monday evening Jan. 4, 1892. It will be public to the members and their families and lunch will be served in the W C T U Hall. All members and their families are requested to attend. COMMITTEE.

MONEY TO LOAN.—I have money in sums of \$500 to \$20,000 to loan on improved farm lands in Linn and Benton counties, at lowest current rates. No delay in furnishing the money. C G BURKHART, Real estate agent, Albany, Oregon.

A SHOE FROM.—E Young has just received a large stock of shoes, for men, women and children, including particularly a fine line of school shoes. The best makes in the market can be found in his shoe department.

LARGEST ASSORTMENT
—OF—
HEATING STOVES.
—AT—
MATTHEWS & WASHBURN'S

HUNTING MATCH.—The boys near Knox Butte bid adieu to the old year by indulging in a big hunt, with the following score:

Leighton Propst, (captain,) 1 mallard, 3 ducks, 1 snipe, 28 kildees; 655 points.
Smith Knox, average.
Jim Dickson, 1 mallard, 4 ducks, 35 snipe, 12 kildees; 183 points.
W Gearhart, 1 pheasant, 1 duck, 3 snipe, 2 kildees; 140 points.
R E Wallace, 2 mallards, 1 duck, 5 snipe, 20 kildees; 550 points.
W Freeman, 1 snipe, 25 kildees; 520 points.
Ala Marshall, 1 mallard, 6 snipe, 9 kildees, 2 crows; 375 points.
Tord Dickson, 1 mallard, 8 snipe; 190 points.
Stone Cox, 5 snipe; 100 points.
W Conn, average.
M Arant, average.
J Archibald, 1 mallard, 10 snipe; 230 points.
Jack Freeman, 5 snipe, 13 kildees, 1 crow; 375 points.
Total, 4175 points.
Emory Wallace, (captain,) 12 snipe, 21 kildees; 660 points.
Anthony Propst, 1 duck, 19 snipe, 7 kildees; 635 points.
J M Knox, average.
F E Wallace, 9 snipe, 22 kildees; 620 points.
Nick Tallafiero, 2 ducks, 16 snipe, 10 kildees, 1 crow; 565 points.
Fred Dickson, 1 duck, 9 snipe, 11 kildees, 1 crow; 430 points.
Willis Powell, 4 ducks; 65 points.
Dave Neal, 1 mallard, 1 crow; 45 points.
Sig Knox, average.
Anclie Trites, average.
Price Neal, 1 duck; 15 points.
Frank Archibald, 1 mallard, 10 snipe; 230 points.
J Burns, 1 pheasant, 1 goose, 9 snipe, 19 kildees; 655 points.
Total, 3320 points.
The losers are to give the hunters and friends a supper at the Knox Butte school house this evening.

SERVICES TOMORROW.—The pulpit at the Congregational church will be occupied tomorrow by Rev G M Irwin. The public is cordially invited to the services.

Baptist church.—The morning hour will be given to the communion service, and reception of members. The hand of fellowship will be given to those who have been received since the last communion. The pastor will preach in the evening at 7:30, and the revival services will continue next week. Sabbath school at 12:15 p m. Young people's meeting at 6:30. All are invited.

Prof Crawford will speak at the meeting for men tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in the W C T U hall. All men are invited to hear Mr Crawford, who is a wide awake Y M C A man and no doubt will have something interesting to say.

At the Presbyterian church the following will be the services tomorrow: Preaching at 11 a m and 7:30 p m. Sabbath school at 12:15 p m. Y P S C E meeting at 6:45 p m. The subject of the morning sermon will be "Christian growth, how attained," or "Thoughts for the New Year." In the evening the topic will be "Greatness, its beginnings." All will be made welcome at these services.

LEBANON.—B Claypool arrived from Fish Lake last Friday and reports the snow about two feet deep at the lake and five feet deep on the summit of Seven Mile mountain. He says more rain than snow has fallen in the mountains up to the time he left.

Dr D M Jones and wife, of Albany, spent Christmas with Prof W A McNehe of Lebanon. The Dr occupied the chair of demonstrator of anatomy at the turkey dinner on the 25th inst.

Miss Lizzie Reed, Miss Abbie Fry, Miss Benna Kirkpatrick and Charley Ralston, who are attending the Albany Collegiate Institute, are spending the holiday vacation at their homes in Lebanon.

Since the fact has become known that the paper-mill machinery has been set in motion, many have been attracted thither to witness for the first time the manufacturing of straw paper. Without doubt this is a great institution and the best advertisement that capital could furnish the city of Lebanon. What next?—Advance.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—Next week is the week of prayer. Following is the program generally observed:

Monday.—Confession and Thanksgiving. Ps 51; Dan 9:3-19; Ps 34; Eph 1:15-23.

Tuesday.—The Church Universal. Isa 17; Eph 4:1-16; Acts 2:1-2.

Wednesday.—The Family and the Young. Ps 128; Col 3:16-25; Isa 41:1-4.

Thursday.—Nations and their Rulers. Ps 67; Rom 13:1-7; Isa 2:4; Rev 21:1-5; Rev 22:1-4.

Friday.—The Church Abroad. Isa 40:1-5; Joel 2:23-32; Matt 10:12; Jno 4:35-38.

The Church at Home, for increased co-operation in behalf of the city, country and frontier. Isa 65:17-25; Matt 10:3-13; Luke 24:45-47.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court for Linn county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of E A Prum, deceased, of Linn county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them properly verified to the undersigned, at his residence at Sand Ridge, Oregon, within six months from this date. Dated December 22nd, 1901. J K Weatherford, Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned was by order of the county court of Linn county, Oregon, made and entered the 7th day of November, 1891, duly appointed executor of the last will and testament and estate of E. Turner, deceased, of Linn county, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them properly verified to the undersigned, at his residence at Sand Ridge, Oregon, within six months from this date. Dated at Albany, Or., Dec. 15th, 1901. H H Burt, Executor.

W A LINSAY, Attorney for Executor.

MONEY TO LOAN.—Home capital to loan, in sums to suit Albany Linn county real estate or good security. W E McPherson, First St opp Meconie Hall, Albany.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr Walter Wiles, of Corvallis, is in the city today.

Miss Flora Mason went to Corvallis today to spend Sabbath.

Miss Jane Morris, of the Salem public school is spending the holidays in Albany.

License has been issued for the marriage of Geo A Temple and Alvie Bardwell, and D P Newman and V C Cook.

Mr Cril Burkhardt, who started for California a short time ago, returned home, and is now lying seriously ill at his home near this city.

Miss Lura Campbell, who has been teaching in our public school for the past four months, returned to her home in Albany on Friday, where she is enjoying her vacation with her parents.—Brownsville Times.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Y M C A received New Years callers last evening from 4 to 8 o'clock, setting a very tasty and palatable lunch. A large number of young men took advantage of their hospitality.

Yesterday afternoon at the New Years dinner at Mr W T Hearst's quite a surprise was tendered the new and popular married couple, Mr and Mrs C H Dalrymple, by the presentation to them by the "Hearst family" of a couple handsome parlor chairs and some beautiful pictures. The circumstance was made a happy affair in the day's events.

In our list of marriages the following did not appear: J E Miller and Emma Miller, Chas P Gregory and Parmely McClun, W H Mayfield and Florence Cooper, and Cassius Case and Lizzie Bailey, the licenses for which were issued in February, March, July and October, respectively. The reason is because there is no return by the officiating clergyman or justice, as required by law to be made within thirty days. There was, we believe, a marriage in each case.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

State of Oregon to C C Hamon, 153 7/8 acres in sec 19, tp 10 S R 2 W \$ 273
Volney W and I C Robnett to Edward Deatley, 12 acres near D L C of Owen Dean 323
James Edwards et ux to P M Smith lot 1, blk 11, Ralston's 3rd add to Lebanon 763
David W King to Elmira Pugh, lots 1, 4 and 8, blk 4 in Halsey J R Kirkpatrick to C O Woodward lot 6, blk 4 K's 3rd add to Lebanon 189

Total sales \$ 1579
Total for 1891 \$1,059,840

A GOOD NEW YEAR'S

resolution is to always get the best of everything. Matthews & Washburn can accommodate the public in their line. They keep the best stoves in the market, and on their part are resolved to treat their customers in the proper manner from January to December, giving first-class goods and lowest prices.

The use of Hall's Hair Renewer promotes the growth of the hair, and restores its natural color and beauty, frees the scalp of dandruff, tetter, and all impurities.

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He has very desirable and suitable presents for men and boys in the following lines:

Neckties of many designs, Handkerchiefs, Mufflers
Fancy White Shirts and Night Shirts, Gold and Silver
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Smoking Jackets, Overcoats, Hats, Etc.

HOME AND ABROAD

A prize fight occurred yesterday near Indianapolis between a light weight and a 162 pound woman. The woman whipped after a bloody contest.

A dispatch received in Albany this morning announced the death of Mr Philip Webber, the well known furniture dealer in Corvallis.

At the last regular meeting of Charity Grange, the following officers were elected for 1892: Master, F M Kizer; Overseer, G W Drinkard; Lect, B M Miller; Steward, Chas Kizer; Asst. Steward, Joe Bishop; Chap, John Pearl; Treas, Jade Pearl; Sec, G G Belts; Gate Keeper, R G Wigle; Ceres, Belts; Poisons, A C Knight; Flora, Minnie Drinkard; Lady Asst Steward, May Haininger; Organist, Martha Kizer. Officers to be installed the third Saturday in January.

Will & Stark, the jewellers, Ask for Crescent tea at F E Allen's. Fresh roasted coffee at F E Allen's. Cheapest and cheapest candies at Isom's. The best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyer's.

All kinds of nuts 15 cts. per pound or 4 pounds for 50 cents at Isom's. Isom sells candy at retail at wholesale prices. Call and be convinced.

Rehearsal Degree meeting to night. Installation.

Holiday slippers and oxford ties at your own price at Klein Bros.

Those oxford ties and holiday slippers at Klein's are to be sold at the purchasers price.

That picnic at Klein Bros will be donated to the orphan's home if the owner does not call for it in 60 days.

Repairing neatly done at the large gilt book store.

See the big French doll at the Ladies Bazaar.

Allen Bros always keep their customers supplied with fresh butter and eggs.

In the line of spectacles and eye-glasses, French, the jeweler, leads.

Ladies Oxford ties at greatly reduced rates at Klein Bros. Must be sold.

A large line of elegant gold watches in tasty new trays at Will & Stark's.

Ladies Oxford ties at Klein Bros. Cheapness in the city. Will be sold at greatly reduced rates.

All kinds of choice eating and cooking apples at Allen Bros.

Magnolia syrup, the finest in the market in quantities to suit at F E Allen's.

Julia & Akin, druggists at French's corner, have a large line of choice holiday goods, which they are selling very low.

With his new bakery Conrad Meyer able to offer old and new customers ever thing first-class in baked goods.

You can get the worth of your money by buying your watches and clocks at F M French's, the corner jewelry store.

Decidedly the largest and choicest variety of tea in town is at C E Brownell's. Sun dried, basket fired, green, black, English breakfast, &c

Conn & Underwood, successors to Wilcox, are prepared to do first-class photographic work at their gallery at Second and Ferry streets. Give them a trial.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is unquestionably the best preservative of the hair. It is also curative of dandruff, tetter, and all scalp affections.

MISCELLANEOUS

WHEAT, 85 CENTS.

As this is the time for making New Year's resolutions, the Man About Town has resolved not to leave his spoon in his coffee; but to always observe the new rules of etiquette and place it beside the cup in the saucer. Now we feel better.

Five Eastern Oregon counties are talking about making a contract with the eastern factory for rain during 1892. They should observe the oft repeated admonition to patronize home institutions and send to the Willamette valley. We can supply them and have plenty left for our own use.

Just received new and opened for retail at C E Brownell's the following:

Chow Chow,
Cooking Molasses,
Pickles in vinegar,
Salt Herring,
Salt white fish,
Salt salmon.

DIED.

BURKHART.—On Thursday evening Dec 30, the three year old son of Mr Cril Burkhardt.

MILLER.—On Thursday, Dec. 31, 1891, at the home of his father, Mr Mart Miller, of consumption, Homer Miller, aged 26 years, after a lingering illness. He was a young man well liked and leaves many to mourn his death.

THIS FROG WAS CAUGHT AT F. E. ALLEN'S.



BY A TEMPTING BAIT

That is the way we catch our customer by furnishing them with the cheapest

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at the market. Opposite Masonic Temple

LOST.—Between the College and east end of town and south of 5th street; a large, square, tan or yellow colored valise. Leave at this office.

S. N. STEELE & Co. Albany, Ore. S. Loan money on good real estate security in Linn and adjoining counties.

'92 IS HERE AT LAST!



With the lightning speed of a fiery steed, down the track past the goal flies '92.

The New Year is new upon us — lader with things good, bad and indifferent to us all. Those who will get the largest share of the good out of it will be those who take advantage of our offerings.

So "Get ahead of the new year" while we clear up for stock taking.

We have made a reduction on all lines of winter clothing, and on overcoats especially, of which we have still a large stock.

Just received some late style hats and latest shades in neckwear.

"Remember we carry the largest stock of men's footwear in the city."

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