

GOOD EVENING.

THE BOOK ENTERTAINMENT at the opera house last night given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was one of peculiar interest and much merit. Besides securing for the society between two hundred and three hundred books, most of a high order, it gave our citizens an evening of enjoyment. The program was opened with a well rendered piano solo by Miss Eva Cowan. A tableaux, displaying Justice, Faith, Peace, Glory and Nydia was a beautiful affair. A song by a quintet composed of Prof. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Langdon and Mrs. Chamberlain was particularly an artistic vocal effort. Miss Moses recited "The Hat" with good effect, though much disturbed by a volley of coughs resulting from the Greek lights of the tableaux. "Shakespeare's vision of the beautiful women," was one of the best things of its class ever presented here. Prof. Lee represented Shakespeare and recited an appropriate verse as Miss Tina Monteith appeared as Ophelia; Bertha Ellis as Juliet; Ava Baltimore as Portia; Vesta Mason as Beatrice; Ida Stuart as Desdemona; Mamie Cundiff as the Shrew; Eva Cowan as Cordelia; Lena Marshall as Queen Catherine; all in good makeups. A music chorus was heartily enjoyed. A tableaux, "Loye's Disguise," in two scenes, was humorous and cute; instrumental music by Messrs Mueller, Phillips and Dubrouille, of the Philharmonic club, deserved a hearty encore. A tableaux, "Roman Girls at the Shrine of St. Agnes," was one of the best of the evening. "Addie Schiller recited "The Doll." A kitchen scene was amusing. "Courtship" was the name of a tableaux, representing the old style, new style, and leap year style. A mixed octet was heard with pleasure. A shadow pantomime closed the entertainment.

GOOD SHOWING.—The Democrat rejoices in the prosperity of the neighboring towns, and is always glad to give credit where deserved, as it is to puncture merely windbags. The following from the McMinnville Telephone Register is a good send off for Corvallis: Mr. F. M. Johnson and Mr. A. J. Ray, of Corvallis, were in the city yesterday. In speaking of affairs at Corvallis, Mr. Johnson said: Our town is very prosperous. We have just started a carriage and wagon factory, of which I am secretary. The company was organized last July with a capital of \$100,000. There has been \$52,000 paid in, and all of it by Corvallis people. We have put up a four-story building, 65x250 feet, with a capacity of 200 men. The factory was started a few days ago with twenty-five men and will probably employ forty during the summer. The skilled labor is all from the east, and Superintendent Slicker comes from the Portland carriage works and from the Brantford works.

A LIVE FARMER.—There is an increasing and commendable ambition among Linn county farmers to keep the best blooded stock to be secured. Among the most successful and thrifty farmers of the county, one who runs a farm in a business way to get the most out of it, setting an example that deserves to be followed, is Mr. Moses Parker. He makes the business pay. Now he is turning his attention to blooded stock and will make that count. A few days ago he purchased two full blooded Clydesdale mares of Shoemaker & Lanson, who have been in the city several months, and will make this stock a specialty. His confidence in this stock is well expressed by the price of the two mares, \$1800.

A SERIOUS FALL.—Last night William Tully, better known as Billy the gardener, was going across the river by way of the Oregon Pacific bridge, to his home at Mr. Fred Stahls, for whom he works, when he took a fall that, for a wonder, did not result fatally. At the north end of the bridge he fell through the trestle to the ground below, a distance of nearly fifty feet, striking on his shoulder and face, bruising his face and streaming his body, but breaking no bones. He remained there all night, and was discovered this morning by a couple men crossing, and taken to Mr. Stahl's, where Dr. Davis attended him.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—The democratic county central committee at its meeting yesterday selected Mr. F. Miller as a candidate for county commissioner in place of T. J. Munkers, who declined. Mr. Miller lives about four miles from Seiad and comes well recommended for the position.

LIGHTNING STRUCK.—Yesterday afternoon lightning played havoc with the telegraph wires and poles between Albany and Lebanon, tearing down about twelve poles and crippling the service for awhile.

A game of baseball was in progress this afternoon between the Albany, with Lamm and McFarland, as the battery, and the college nine, with Cannon and Rennie as the battery.

O. B. Whitmore state organizer for the A. O. U. W. organized a lodge at Lyons this week with sixteen charter members. Next Wednesday he will organize one at Mill City with about twenty members.

Spring Millinery.

I have my full stock of spring millinery in all the latest styles and cordially invite customers and friends. Ida M. Bausin, Blumberg Block, Albany, Or.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

State agt Frank S. Ingram; murder. Verdict of murder in second degree. Will be sentenced Monday at 1 o'clock.

State agt Orin Beam; arson. Plea of guilty. Sentenced to reform school six months.

Assignment Kwong Woonkee Co. Final account approved. Distribution ordered. Assignee discharged.

W. S. Thompson agt J. F. Powell & Co; to recover money. Continued.

The Winebarger National Bank agt Jos Pearl et ux; to recover money. Continued.

A Schilling & Co agt J. F. Powell & Co; to recover money. Continued.

Cooley & Washburn agt W. T. and Martha Pierce; to recover money. Dismissed without prejudice.

Cooley & Washburn agt J. J. and Nancy Leach; to recover money. Dismissed without prejudice.

F. H. Vaughn agt Matt Scott; damages. Dismissed.

L. V. Davis agt Nellie R. Davis; divorce. Granted.

Mrs. E. B. Davis agt H. R. Davis; divorce. Granted.

Josiah Fullerton agt Thos. D. Ellis; to recover money. Continued.

A. C. Hill agt Badidge Hill; divorce. Granted.

Senders & Sternburg agt L. Houston; to recover money. Continued.

W. C. Caswell agt Nancy Caswell; to set aside deed. Continued.

Assignment Cyrus & Pitchford. Continued.

B. A. Landers agt T. L. Hennessy; motion to vacate. Dismissed.

G. Abraham agt Egge; Eggers; motion to set aside judgment. Not allowed. Dismissed.

R. L. Schin agt J. F. Nixon; recovery of money. Judgment for want of answer.

Alvan Taomas agt Minerva Thomas; divorce. Granted.

Mary J. Peery agt Hiram W. Peery; divorce. Granted.

Wm. F. Heller agt Jos Pearl et ux; to recover money. Continued.

John Croft agt Henry Mills; writ of review. Judgment reversed and judgment for costs for defendant.

Geo. Johnson agt Slopes & Vaughn; to recover money; attachment. Judgment of non suit.

Laura Walton agt Jas. C. Walton; divorce. Granted.

W. F. Reid agt R. C. Carter; confession judgment. Not properly on the docket.

State agt Wm. D. Dempster. Plea of guilty, sentenced to penitentiary two years.

State agt R. T. Reasoner. Plea of guilty of larceny, sentenced to penitentiary one year.

State agt J. D. Baker; judgment larceny.

State agt Frank Wilson; judgment larceny.

State agt Chas. Louden. Not a true bill.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—At the Presbyterian church 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 morning sermon will be preached by Rev. R. Wallace, of Marion, Ohio. In the evening the pastor will preach upon the topic, "Irreverence, its Cause." All will be made welcome to these services.

At the United Presbyterian church the communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed in connection with the morning service. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 and evening service in the interest of foreign missions at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

Services at the Baptist church on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:15 p. m. Young Peoples meeting 6:30. All will be made welcome.

Rev. R. Wallace, of Marion, Ohio, will address the Y. M. C. A. at the gospel meeting tomorrow at 4 p. m. in W. C. T. U. hall. We are sure we will have a large turnout to hear this Divine from the far east. He is a fine speaker and will tell you something worth hearing.

Union Christian Endeavor services will be held at the U. P. church at 6:30 o'clock.

Christian church, Sunday school at 10 a. m. 11 a. m. preaching by the pastor. Subject: "A G. E. at Church." 6:15 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meeting of the Endeavor Union at the U. P. church. 7:30 p. m. preaching services. Subject: "Character Building."

By order of the moderator a meeting is called of Pearce's memorial church. Par meeting to be held at the Universalist church at 4 o'clock Sunday March 20th. All members are earnestly requested to be present. Mrs. A. C. Love, clerk.

THE ALBANY COLLEGE.—Rev. Hugh H. Dobbin, the financial agent of Albany Collegiate Institute, preached in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday last, and has visited our city seeking aid for the above named institution. He is a cultured, wide-awake agent and has been remarkably successful so far in this county, having raised over ten thousand dollars for the improvement of the building and for erecting a dormitory. The attention and interest of our people have been greatly attracted towards this institution by the visit of Rev. Dobbin. Lebanon has several students in this institution, all of whom we are informed are highly pleased. Linn county should feel a common pride in this institution of learning that has, and is, accomplishing a grand and good work in our midst, and those of our people who feel able to help, will find in this college a worthy object.—Lebanon Express.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. NOTICE is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Albany Building and Loan Association of Albany, Oregon, held at their office in the office of the Bank of Oregon on Tuesday, the 19th day of April, 1892, at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of increasing the capital stock of said association from \$200,000 to \$300,000, and to increase the number of shares from 1000 to 1500.

Dated at Albany, Oregon, March 18, 1892.

J. W. BLAIN, Secretary.

C. H. STEWART, President.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT sealed bids will be received at the office of the United States Building Co. in Junction City, Oregon, until Saturday, March 26th, 1892, for the erection of a bank building in said city. Plans and specifications can be seen at the bank office or be forwarded to contractors on application. The right reserved to reject any or all bids.

UNITED STATES BANKING CO., Junction City, Or.

A BOLD BURGLARY.

Last night about 9 o'clock two boys, aged about 17 and 19, tramping through the valley, rapped at Rev. Louis Metayer's door in the rear of the Catholic church and asked him to open the door at once. Thinking it was a matter needing haste he opened the door while yet in his night gown. The boys stepped in, and that was the last Rev. Metayer knew for a couple hours. He thinks he was chloroformed, but he was probably knocked on the head with a stuffed pillow. He at least became insensible from some cause. Between 11 and 12 o'clock he awakened and started to arise, when the boys, who had not left, shoved the muzzle of a shot gun belonging to Rev. Metayer in his face, knocking him back. He finally succeeded in getting to his feet and out of the door and ran to the depot as fast as he could go, giving the alarm. Immediately afterwards the two boys were seen sneaking on to a flat car loaded with machinery on the midnight freight, where they were found and arrested by Nightwatch McClain. On their person was found a watch identified by Rev. Metayer as his, several blank books, stereoscopic views, etc. About \$12 in money taken from Rev. Metayer was not found, evidently having been hidden among the pieces of machinery on the car. The boys had torn up things generally at the church, having gone through the entire building. The gun was found bent at one part where it had been hit against something. Rev. Metayer besides being frightened, was exhausted and chilled completely through, having had nothing on but his night shirt, and is now lying in bed seriously ill.

The grand jury took up the case the first thing this morning and found true bills against the boys, evidently very depraved youths, who gave their names as Frank Wilson and J. C. Baker.

GRAND JURY'S REPORT.

To the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Court of Linn county, Oregon.

We the grand jury for the March term of the circuit court of 1892, have as required by law, examined the different county buildings and the offices therein, including the jail and outbuildings, and we find that each of the county officers, without exception, have their offices and books in good condition and clean, and the officers themselves courteous and obliging. We would especially commend the business manner in which Sheriff Scott has got up his tax receipts. There being no further business before us, we respectfully ask to be discharged.

STRAUBER, FOREMAN, FOREMAN. FRANK GLEASON, ISAAC SALTSMAN, A. E. BLOOM, THOS. BEANSON, H. C. MOORE, G. W. ARNOLD.

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SCIENCE.

PEEBLER.—On Saturday morning, March 19, 1892, at her home, two miles from Albany, of consumption, Mrs. M. E. wife of J. P. Peebler, aged 42 years. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. W. P. Anderson and sister of Mrs. C. G. Backlund of this city. She was a pioneer of 1852, a woman of most estimable character, beloved by all, and leaves a husband, four children and many friends to mourn her death.

Funeral services will be held at the residence of Mr. Peebler tomorrow at 1:30 o'clock, under the charge of Dr. Irvine.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Rev. A. M. Back D. D., came up from Salem today to attend the communion service at the U. P. church tomorrow.

Mrs. Mackey, of San Francisco, arrived here this morning, and will be employed as trimmer at the Ladies Bazaar.

Marshall Hoffman went to Salem yesterday with young Spaght, whom he left at the reform school. Albany now has three members of the school.

A whittling bee social and entertainment will be given at the W. C. T. U. hall, by that society on next Tuesday evening. It promises to be one of the liveliest and most enjoyable affairs of the season.

Mr. H. M. Stone, of Oakville, who was in the city today, reports that the body of Isaac Stone, drowned on Tuesday had not been found, though a diligent search had been kept up.

Mr. D. Rankin, of the Hillsboro Electric Light and Water works, is in the city for the purpose of moving his family to that city. He reports Hillsboro people jubilant over the proposed Astoria road, and building is booming.

Jason Wheeler came in from Stayton this morning bringing Mrs. Wheeler who has been seriously sick for some time at her daughter's, Mrs. Kitchen's. Mrs. Wheeler's many friends will be glad to learn that she is improving rapidly.

Sheriff Scott went to Salem this noon, taking Reasoner, the clothes thief, to the pen for a year, Dempster, the gun burglar for two years, and Erin Beam, for attempting to burn a barn to the reform school for six months.

E. L. Thompson and family are in the city, the guests of Hon. R. A. Irvine, on their way to Portland from their San Francisco trip. Dr. Templeton had returned from the Sandwich Islands and gone to Portland by way of the Pacific.

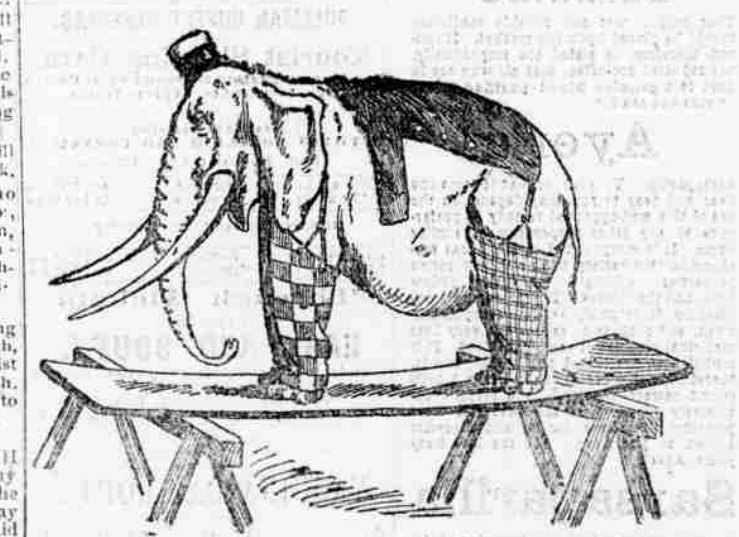
A PARODY.—Once upon a Monday dreary she was working weak and weary, down upon her marrow mopping, mopping up the kitchen floor. While the mop went slipping, slipping, suddenly she heard a tapping, tapping at the kitchen door. "This is me visitor," she muttered, "tapping at the kitchen door, gracious Peter, what a bore." Up she jumped and nearly swearing hastily began pressing to appear as woman wish to when their elders look them over—yanked her apron off and hung it, grabbed a doorman up and hung it over the greasy gown she wore. Then she opened wide the door, and found a man, who remarked that Matthews & Washburn's was the place to buy the best shoes and tinware.

MARRIED.

HENNING-MACKEY.—On Thursday evening, March 17, at the residence of the bride's brother, near Brownsville, H. W. Henning and Miss Pirla Mackey, both of Brownsville. Rev. F. H. Calder, officiating.

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DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

REPRESENTATIVE.—A. Blevins, M. A. Miller, W. P. Elmore. COUNTY JUDGE.—Geo. Humphrey. COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—T. J. Munkers. COUNTY CLERK.—N. P. Payne. COUNTY RECORDER.—E. E. Davis. SHERIFF.—C. C. Jackson. COUNTY TREASURER.—Erice Wallace. COUNTY ASSESSOR.—J. E. Michael. SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT.—G. F. Russell. COUNTY SURVEYOR.—E. J. O'Connor. COUNTY CORONER.—Frank Farrell.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE of Albany, Central Albany and Price precincts.—L. M. Curl.

TIME IS APPROACHING.

A Word to HARD-TO-FIT Men.



Some have a wrong impression. Many men think that they cannot get a ready made suit to fit, especially these short and stout shapes, and long and slim shapes, but they need only to call and try on one of these suits to be convinced to the contrary.

It is an easy task for us to fit SHORT AND STOUT MEN.

For men who are FAT and difficult to fit, we have had by special request these cuts made for you; and as for the LONG AND SLIM MAN we have not forgotten you and are prepared with long-waisted, long sleeved coats and long pants, to fit you to perfection in goods suitable for one of your build. There is room for taste to be displayed for such shapes as the above, for goods that are suitable for the short and fat man will not do for the long and slim man, and vice versa.

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