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GOOD EVENING

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Albany Building Association (the opera house company) was held last evening at the office of Tweedale & Redfield. The report of the secretary made a good financial showing for the association. The following directors were elected by unanimous vote: C. H. Stewart, J. J. Wohl, J. Joseph, W. C. Tweedale, Geo. E. Chamberlain, W. F. Read and William H. Miller. At a meeting of the directors W. C. Tweedale was elected president, Julius Joseph secretary, and Julius Gradwohl, treasurer.

A CURIOUS COUPLE.—William Andrews and Harry Arnold, the Redford horse thieves, were given an examination before Justice Kinsey this afternoon on a charge of larceny. Andrews, one of the pair, claims he is a lawyer and conducted the defense. Both of the defendants claimed that they were hired by a stranger at \$2 per day to take the horses to Eastern Oregon. However, Judge Kinsey, not believing the old "gag," bound them to appear before the grand jury in the sum of \$300 each.—Guard.

THE INDEPENDENCE B & L A—On March 1, the Independence Building & Loan Association was two years and three months old. The report of the auditors shows that the total receipts from assessment had been \$4,111.45; fines and lapses, \$111.39. Total, \$4,222.75. Amount paid on loans, \$4,191.35. Amount of notes bearing interest for which the above was paid in cash, \$9,150. Number of shares, 296 1/2. Amount earned per share, \$2.08. Longest bid, 88 months; shortest, 60 months. Seven buildings had been erected by reason of the association.

A BONANZA—According to the Gazette Hon George Waggoner has a bigger bonanza than the R. R. Co. Clerkship. "George Waggoner intends to go into the business of raising Mongolian pheasants on an extensive scale. He has prepared a large enclosure, which he has covered with woven fencing, into which he has introduced two pairs of birds. He intends to secure all the eggs possible and raise pheasants for market. In the eastern markets these birds will command fancy prices and if our friend is successful in his venture there is no doubt but that he has a good source of revenue assured."

WHAT ALBANY AGREED TO DO.—We go away from home for the news. The following from the Independence West Side tells what Albany has agreed to do: J. M. Feather was in town Saturday. He is making efforts to have a road direct from here to Buena Vista, and from thence to Albany. Albany has agreed to pay one-third of the cost of building a bridge across the Luckiamute should the desired road be put in course of construction. Let Independence take hold of this project.

A PROFESSIONAL BEGGAR.—A few months ago the Democrat mentioned the presence here of a professional beggar, an old man, who claimed to be raising money with which to get to his family in California. To day he was in the city and was raising money with which to get to his family in Seattle. He goes by the name of Small, and is undoubtedly a small man in character. Such men should not be assisted.

"CLEM" ON FREE SILVER.—The following appears in the Tacoma News: "Mr. H. C. Clement's paper tonight advocating 'Free Silver' comes opportunely as congress is just now getting red hot on the subject. The public are invited to these meetings. It is expected that there will be speeches in opposition to Mr. Clement's views from persons well qualified to speak."

FIRST CROSSING.—A Prineville man came across the mountains via the McKenzie route, on foot, last Thursday. He was lost on the summit for two days and suffered quite severely. He reports eight feet of snow on the summit. This is the first person that has crossed by this route this season.—Guard.

THE REPUBLICANS.—The Republican county convention will be held in this city on Wednesday, March 29th, at 10 o'clock a. m. Primary meetings will be held in all the precincts of the county at 1 o'clock p. m., Friday, March 25th.

CONN & HENDRICKSON LEAD.—They have the groceries, the produce and the good treatment. They lead in prices and quality. If you want standard groceries, call on them; if you want the freshest produce do not pass by their store; their teas and coffees are the best. A good way to save money is by dealing with them. It will count in a month's trading. Try it.

Spring Millinery.

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

A SHOE ITEM.—S. 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.

At Will & Stark's May be seen the finest stock of gold and silver watches, diamond and other rings, jewelry, silverware, &c., in the city.

Our 50 cent syrup is good. C. E. BROWNELL.

5000 paper fresh garden and flower seeds waiting purchasers at C. E. BROWNELL'S.

20 oranges for 25c at C. E. BROWNELL'S.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Amelia May, of Harrisburg, is in the city, the guest of L. Senders.

H. Elkeles, the Sunday Mercury man, is doing Albany. He is not dangerous. Mr. D. Rankin and family left this morning for their new home at Hillsboro. License has been issued for the marriage of Charles W. Parton and Miss Nellie Sullivan, of Harrisburg.

Ole Tobiasen, who is attending the College, was admitted to citizenship yesterday. Mr. Tobiasen has a ranch on the Columbia.

S. H. Lewis, wife and daughter, and Mr. A. Rader, of near St. Paul are in the city the guests of Mr. Geo. Hochstetler. Mr. Lewis is an uncle of Mrs. Hochstetler.

Mr. P. J. Laporte and family, who went to Pomona, Calif. hunting for a healthier climate than Albany, failed to find it, and have returned to Albany to reside.

D. R. N. Blackburn, of Albany, a republican candidate for Supreme Judge, is in Eugene shaking hands with the brethren.—Eugene Guard.

Mrs. Cross, as sister and Miss Lillie Lovett, a niece, of Mr. John Morrison arrived in Albany this noon from the east and will reside with Mr. Morrison, making Albany their home.

Do not miss the whittling bee tonight. 10 cents will take you into the W. C. T. U. Hall. A good knife will be needed regardless of sex, and a curious kind of a lunch will be served. It will be a whittling occasion generally.

A full dress ball will be given at the opera house on Thursday evening, March 24. Music by the popular Parson's orchestra of Portland. No regular invitations will be issued. All are invited to be present and spend a pleasant evening.

The Man About Town acknowledges a serenade last evening by four nice young ladies and a sweet sounding music box. Music hath charms even to soothe the breast of a news gatherer and such little incidents help to fill the world with content. In the immortal language of some one, "come again."

Sheriff Scott went to Salem this noon with Mr. Frank Ingram, whom he left at the penitentiary on a life sentence. A young man of his age beginning the best part of his life in the penitentiary presents a sad spectacle, one of the saddest of the sad. The case should be a warning to all.

CIRCUIT COURT.

M. C. Bingham agt Elizabeth Bingham; divorce. Granted.

Chas. W. Weaver agt Fritz Huffman; damages. Verdict for plaintiff \$40.

D. F. West agt A. L. Cannon; to recover money. On trial.

State agt Daniel Morris. Plead guilty of simple assault. Fined \$100.

State agt Charles Baker; 4 indictments.

State agt O. S. Phelps; 4 indictments.

Garland & Stringer agt Linn county; mandate from Supreme Court.

O. C. McFarland agt Alice McFarland; divorce.

THE ORIGINAL FISK'S.—An Eastern Ex says of this troupe, which will be here next Monday night: The Fisk Jubilee Singers were at the Opera House last night, and of course there was not a vacant seat in the building. A splendid program was furnished, and the applause at the conclusion of each number was an evidence that the company will meet with an enthusiastic welcome the next time they may come this way.

A PARODY.—Once upon a Monday dreary she was working weak and weary, down upon her knees moping, moping up the kitchen floor. While the mop went flapping, she suddenly heard a tapping, tapping at the kitchen door. "Tis some visitor," she muttered, "tapping at the kitchen door; gracious Peter, what a bore." Up she jumped and nearly swearing hastily began preparing to appear as woman wish to when their callers look them o'er—yanked her apron off and sang it, grabbed a dolman up and hung it o'er 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 stoves and tinware.

CONSISTENCY, thou art a Jewel. Matthews & Washburn keep the Jewel and other first-class stoves, and there is no better way to be consistent than by investing in one of them. Matthews & Washburn's motto is to keep the best, and their prices are always reasonable. Large sales speak for the manner in which these facts are appreciated through Linn county.

MARRIED.

MACK-BRENNER.—At the residence of Mr. W. A. Mack, in this city, March 21, 1892, Mr. J. F. Mack and Miss Etta Brenner of Seio, Rev. E. R. Pritchard officiating.

ALBANY OPERA HOUSE.

WARNER & CRANOR, Lessees and Managers

Monday, March 28th,

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"I never so enjoyed music,"

"Their songs open the fountain of tears,"

"They have no competitors and can have no competitors,"

"They are simply unapproachable,"

Secure your seats at Will & Stark's, 75c.

HOME AND ABROAD

The City Council meets tonight. Let's have the motor line, the longer the better.

Hear the vocophones at the Apollo concert, March 29th.

75 d. an whip just from the factory at O. C. McFarland's.

See O. C. McFarland's increased stock of harness, saddlery, etc., before purchasing.

A chapter of Royal Arch Masons has just been organized in Independence with fifteen charter members.

All lovers of fine music should favor the Apollo club with their presence on Tuesday evening, March 29th, at a concert to be given by them at the opera house.

If "Splashes" is anxious to have his article printed in a Portland publication he must leave his full address this evening at the St. Charles Hotel for H. E. Elkeles.

A few days ago a miscellaneous item in the Democrat stated that an inch of rain made over 100 tons to the acre. Mr. John Briggs informs us that it only makes 22 tons to the acre.

A Chinese laundryman has skipped the city. The best way is to patronize white labor. Wickman & Anderson, opposite the St. Charles, do better work than the Celestials, even their finest starch work, and it has the advantage of smelling clean when done.

Arrangements have been about completed to have B. Fay Mills, the great evangelist, come to Albany for a week, beginning the middle of April. Mills is a power. 72,000 conversions have resulted from his meetings in a few years, ranging from about 5,000 to 20,000 a year, about the latter being the number the past year.

Will & Stark, the jewelers.

The best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyer's.

Have you tried F. E. Allen's teas, if not why not.

Call on Mathews & Washburn for your hardware.

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

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Extra fine California stained honey at Conn & Hendrickson's.

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A large assortment of new style ribbons just received at the Ladies' Bazaar, also Clifton in the late shades.

To retain an abundant head of hair of a natural color to a good old age, the hygiene of the scalp must be observed. Apply Hall's Hair Renewer.

Boys may be had (and sometimes girls) for—(1) ordinary service at wages; (2) upon indenture, (to work, attend school, and be brought up somewhat as your own); and—(3) children may be had for legal adoption. Address,

E. T. DOOLEY, Supt. Oregon Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, Portland, Oregon.

Have just received some extra choice oil and prunes. C. E. BROWNELL.

MISCELLANEOUS

John L. Sullivan says that hereafter he will hold newspaper men personally responsible for remarks about him. If the name of Sullivan is not mentioned in the Democrat again the reason will be known. Really such rot ought to be kept out of the papers, that is, Sullivan.

The street car line will undoubtedly be extended to the Orphan's home and be made a motor line, and that means a good deal; it will probably go farther, perhaps around by the fair ground; and back to the starting point at the St. Charles. This will mean a good deal for Albany, and it is not merely talk.

The word "kid" has a strong hold on the American people, the boys use it, the girls refer to them, the editors are in it, and the prosecuting attorney today said to the bailiff, "bring the kids up," referring to young Wilson and Baker, causing a smile, and thus McGinty had his day with Annie Rooney and the kids are now on top.

There are some hilarious Indians up at Umatilla. Considerable excitement was caused there by about fifteen Umatilla Indian braves, on a drunken spree, fighting among themselves. They kidnapped an old Chinaman, who works around the depot, and took him about half a mile toward the river. They would probably have drowned him, had not a white man heard his cries and rescued him.

The Guard fabricates as follows: Following after a recently established fashion in a number of western states, the young ladies of Albany think seriously of establishing a sort of marriage mutual aid society. Its workings are something like this: Every time one of the girls has a gentleman escort to whom she is not engaged she pays twenty-five cents into the treasury. When a member becomes engaged she pays in \$5. When a member gets married the club makes her a present of \$1.00.

Newspapers of course have an eye for their own city. The Dalles Chronicle, notwithstanding the fact that that city has been as stationary as any town on the coast, says: H. F. Dietzel returned a few days ago from a business trip to all the prominent railroad towns between Pomeroy, Wash., and the Grand Ronde Valley and between there and Portland; between Portland and Chehalis, and between Portland and Roseburg, and he unhesitatingly gives it as his judgment that The Dalles is in the best condition from a retail business point of view of any town he has visited. Portland not excepted. All the towns east of the mountains are in a better condition than those west of the mountains, and the nearer one gets the Sound the worse they get.

It is a big privilege to be able to get what you want when you go to a grocery store. Allen Brothers keep such a variety of goods that they can always accommodate their customers. This saves running around. If it is fruit season they have the goods. In produce their stands are full of the latest and best. Their stock of standard groceries is always large, of the best to be secured in the market.

NO ADVANCE IN SUGAR.

A. B. Melville offers some bottom prices.

He makes the following reductions in sugar for cash: 17 lbs dry granulated for \$1.00. 20 lbs extra C white for \$1.00. 22 lbs extra C golden for \$1.00. He will also sell a five gallon keg of pickles for 90 cents.

The L. E. Blain clothing company have just received an uncommonly large stock of hats of all the latest styles and grades, and are prepared to fit and suit the most fastidious.

Pride of Albany syrup can't be beat. Try it. C. E. BROWNELL.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

REPRESENTATIVES.—A. Blevins, M. A. Miller, W. P. Elmore. COUNTY JUDGE.—Geo. Humphrey. COUNTY COMMISSIONER.—T. J. Muzzers. COUNTY CLERK.—N. P. Payne. COUNTY RECORDER.—E. E. Davis. SHERIFF.—C. C. Jackson. COUNTY TREASURER.—Brice 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. D. 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 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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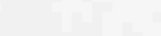


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