

LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS. — The talk says: The contract for building the Portland & Astoria railroad has been signed. The contract calls for the grading of 2 1/2 miles of road, and has been awarded to the Oregon & Astoria Co., who are widely known throughout Montana, Colorado and Utah, and are men of considerable wealth and prominence in railroad circles. This last work has been on the Great Northern, in Montana, and where all their assets are at present being shipped from M. Wattis, of the above firm, was interviewed this morning at the Occident. He said "our tools are now on the road and we are bringing to this country with the outfit about 1,000 men, as it is impossible to hire all the laborers here that we may need. This morning I sent out a lot of workmen on the Mayflower to the vicinity of Olney, and wish to state that I am hiring all applicants and every available man to be found hereabouts. Men do not have to wait for us we are sending them to the front every morning."

Nothing positive is known as to the general route of this line, further than that the road will run on the west side of the peninsula of Astoria and go up either Young's river or the Lewis and Clarke. It will then be built to the Nehalem, following that stream and proceeding by easy grades to the city of Portland, giving Astoria direct connections with all the transcontinental lines throughout the country.

Mr. E. E. Cooper, assistant chief engineer, was seen in his office this morning by a talk reporter. He stated that he had been on the line of survey, and that the body of men running the line were making all possible haste in locating for the graders.

A SNEAK THIEF. — Halsey has a humorous writer, E. M. Jewett, who tells the following in the News: On last Thursday a sneak thief, the hobo tribe, entered the school house at Muddy, and stole some lunch from a bucket in the hall; as he was leaving Mr. Shibley raised the cry stop the thief, Justice Wigle and I gave chase and after a hot run we cornered him up under Davis' warehouse, we made him come out and then took him over to the school house, he resisted some and denied stealing anything. He said he was no hobo, and that he had friends coming back the road who would help him out. He had a new pair of shoes on his arm. We asked him if he stole them, and he said he bought them at Salem, but no doubt he stole them. After having all the fun out of him that we could, Mr. John Wigle gave him some good advice which he received very meekly and a sandwich which he liked better and let him go on his way rejoicing, saying he would sin no more; no doubt he meant it.

HOT MRS. — The Oregonian is the highest priced daily in the world. Oregon City has the most hoodlums for its size of any city in Oregon. The Portland World says "the Salem Statesman's editor has not brains enough to write an advertisement for the business of the paper. It steals 'the Great Mahomet' from Printers Ink. If that editor gets outside the corporation the cows will eat him." The remark was brought out by the Statesman hitting papers that use plate matter, which the World does. Twenty-five new real estate offices in Astoria, which is a warning to keep your eyes open.

ESCAPED THE CYCLONE. — The Eugene Register tells of one man who reached Oregon just in time: "Mr. J. A. Barlingame, who resides in University addition, informs us that he received a letter a few days since stating that his house in Rice county, Kansas, had been destroyed by the cyclone which visited that region recently. His tenant and family were in the house but seeing the storm coming ran into a pit dug for that purpose and escaped, while the house was completely demolished. The house was insured for \$1000 in a cyclone insurance company."

HOP AND CHUNG DISCHARGED. — Lung Hop and Lung Chung, the Chinamen arrested by Detective Griffin at Albany several days ago for tampering with \$1000 belonging to Ju Shuey, the Chinese theatrical manager, were discharged in the police court yesterday upon the payment of the costs, amounting to \$25. These Chinamen are actors, and had received \$500 each from Ju Shuey on a year's contract. As they fixed the matter up some way with Ju Shuey, the latter agreed not to prosecute. — Oregonian.

ANOTHER BRICK AT JUNCTION. — W. S. Lee has made arrangements to build a brick business house which will join his present building on the north. It will be 25x29, ten feet deeper than his drug store. Mr. Whitcomb is drawing the plans and has the contract for furnishing the brick and doing the mason work. When completed it will be occupied by Sternberg & Sanders. — Times.

LOCAL ARTISTS. — Albany has several local artists of considerable talent. In the window at Blackman & Hodges besides some paintings by Miss Martin may be seen some well executed oil paintings by Miss Velle Irving, Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. DuBrulle, Mrs. Little and Miss Hattie Ross. A cultivated artistic taste speaks well for a city.

RENOVED MISSIONARIES. — Dr. and Mrs. Parker, the world renowned missionaries to India for thirty-three years, having just returned, arrived in this city this noon and will address the people of Albany this evening, in the M. E. church, at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited. No one can afford to miss hearing these eloquent speakers.

YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO OUR LINE of fashionable costumes, capes, jackets, blouses and neckties, which is now complete. They are tailor-made and guaranteed to fit. The clothes are of the finest fabrics.

Very truly,
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DRESS TRIMMINGS. — The latest novelties in dress trimmings can always be found at
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

J. H. Howard returned this noon from a trip to Horeburg.

J. H. Lane, of Halsey, has moved to Horeburg to reside.

Mr. Chas. Crowder and family have moved to Albion to reside.

Mrs. J. H. Upham went to Portland yesterday on a visit with her son.

Mr. Pete Wilson was in the city today on his way to Corvallis from a visit in Lebanon.

Frank B. McIlroy, a Portland fireman's supply man, is in the city, with an eye on Albany's needs.

George N. Alford and Damos Smith, two of Harrisburg's leading citizens, are in the city today.

Mr. Viereck, brother of L. Viereck, left this noon for Chicago, Ill., where he has a position offered him.

J. G. Kelley, the well known sewer man, went to Corvallis today to confer with the city authorities of that place about new sewers.

Mrs. J. G. Gray accompanied F. J. Miller to his home at Albany this morning, where she will visit a few days with her daughter, — Eugene Guard.

W. P. Keady, formerly a representative from Benton county, has been nominated on the republican ticket of Multnomah county for the same place.

Geo. H. Burnett, candidate on the republican ticket for circuit judge, being the man who snowed Judge Baise under in the convention, was in the city today.

C. G. Rawlings, recently of the Union Pacific office at Victoria, is in the city, that office having been closed. He will probably travel for the company.

Attorneys Billeu and Watson went to Corvallis this noon to attend circuit court. While Attorney C. E. Wolverson, Attorney General Chamberlain and Chief Justice Strahan went to Salem.

H. Foreman, who went back east last fall, returned to "the world," (Halsey) last Monday. He left his family in Spokane, who will arrive in a few days. He reports many cases of black tongue there, which is an almost incurable disease. — Halsey News.

BIG INCOMES. — Following are the figures showing the expense of running Union county, as brought out by County Judge Sanders: "From January 1, 1888, to July 1, 1889, eighteen months, A. T. Neil, county clerk, drew as legal fees from the county \$894.59 and from individuals \$3020.26; total, \$3914.85. A. N. Hamilton, for the last eighteen months of his term drew from the county, as sheriff \$494.95 from individuals and state, \$3001.13; total, \$3496.08. Turner Oliver, for the first eighteen months of his term as clerk, has drawn from the county \$10,621.17 and from individuals \$3462.84; total, \$14,084.01. J. T. Bolles, sheriff, for the first eighteen months of his term, has drawn from the county \$10,591.51 and from the state and individuals \$5372.79; total, \$15,964.30. The above figures will prove an interesting study for the taxpayers."

CROOK'S PICKETS. — The democrats of Crook county have nominated the following ticket: Representative, A. M. Roberts; Arthur Hodges, clerk; W. A. Booth, sheriff; Ed. N. White, treasurer; J. W. Howard, commissioner; Lee Wigle, assessor; school superintendent, Lee N. Liggett; Knox Huston, surveyor; L. W. Woods, coroner. The republicans nominated the following ticket: Representative, Hon. B. F. Nichols; sheriff, J. N. Williamson; clerk, E. G. Bolter; commissioner, J. P. Combs; assessor, J. H. Gray; surveyor, H. B. Stewart; treasurer, S. I. Beckman; school superintendent, Dr. H. P. E. Knapp; coroner, Dr. V. Gesner.

TOLEDO POST ITEMS. — Chinamen have taken the place of white men on the O. P., as section men, at this place. They are domiciled in a box car, on the switch.

Our "moon" barber made his escape Monday morning, taking a tie pass Corvallisward. He, in company with others of our burg, had quite a fine Sunday, spilling whiskey, and when he, the nig, realized what he had done, it so near broke his heart, or rather his pocketbook, than sooner than face his creditors he left.

ON THE O. P. — The new Oregon Pacific time table just issued, shows the following: The passenger train leaves the city station for the Bay at 12:20 arriving there at 4:35. The freight leaves at 7:40 a. m. The passenger going east leaves Albany at 8 a. m. Arrive at Halstead at 11:15. Going west it leaves Halstead at 12:45 arriving at 3:35 p. m.

AMENDMENT. — At the meeting of Safety Lodge, No. 13, A. O. U. W., this evening, an amendment to the by-laws increasing the dues of members will come up for consideration. All members should attend as this is an important matter. — L. E. GRAY, M. W.

IT'S NECESSARY. — The necessity for advertising is very apparent to any reflective mind. If an owner wishes to sell his property he must let some one know his wish. If he kept his intention to himself he would also keep his property to himself. To advertise means "to apprise, inform, make known, announce, promulgate, publish the fact that Parker Bros carry a first-class stock of groceries, produce and baked goods, which can always be depended on to be fresh and in season. The fact is one worth advertising.

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

NOTICE.

In the County Court of Linn County, Oregon.

In the matter of the application of Morris Walterskirchen, for change of name.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an order was duly entered of record in the above entitled court, at the regular April term thereof, 1892, wherein and whereby it was decreed that the name of the said Morris Walterskirchen be changed to Morris Walters. All persons interested are hereby notified that a certificate under the seal of this court will be granted to the said petitioner on or before the 15th day of May next, unless reasons are shown to the contrary. Published for three weeks by order of the Hon. D. H. Blackburn Judge of said court, dated April 9th, 1892.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court April 10th, 1892.

HOME AND ABROAD

Work on the Benton side of the bridge has been begun, the Linn county side, having been completed, except a small amount of work.

Mr. Snell, a farmer living south of this city about three miles, is mowing his wheat because it is too rank, not having pastured it any.

The remains of Miss Maud Warmoth, who died in Eugene last Thursday, were brought down to this city Saturday, and taken to Brownsville for burial. — Halsey News.

At the armory Saturday night Jerome Williams won the gold medal for the third time, skating the mile in 4.22. Clyde Hill, the only other contestant, making it in 4.32.

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held tomorrow afternoon. Annual report of officers and superintendents must be ready, and the election of officers will be held.

This week Nye & Allen sold 8000 head of mutton sheep to Martin and Watson to be delivered after shearing. We understand the price received averaged nearly three dollars. — Oakes Review.

Mr. Van Wilson, agent for the New Mail bicycles, received four bicycles this morning for J. M. Irving, Riley Hallbert, Al Sanders, and the little son of Dr. J. P. Wallace. The New Mail is quite popular in Albany.

A fiveinning game of base ball Saturday on a very wet ground resulted in a victory for "The Fans" over the Albany by a score of 8 to 4. The batteries were: Albany, Larimore and McFarland. Fans, Anderson and Rennie. Umpire, W. H. Warner.

Will & Stark, the jewelers, O. Rogers for 25 at C. E. Brownell's.

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

Ashby & Case, Real Estate, 80 1/2 Washington Street, Portland, Or.

Wake up and buy your alarm clocks at French's, The Corner Jewelry Store.

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

Large and complete stock of spectacles and eye-glasses at French's.

Mathews & Washburn lead in the store and tinware business in this part of the valley.

Hal's Vegetable Sicilian Hair restorer has restored gray hair to its original color and prevented baldness in thousands of cases. It will do so to you.

Wax's Cough Syrup tickling in the throat, stops that hacking cough, and gives perfect relief, it is certainly worth a trial. 25 and 50 cts. Sold by J. A. Cumming, druggist.

The first fertilizing goods brought to Albany may now be found at Robinson's feed store, Scipierphosphatis, muriate of potash, nitrate of soda, pure bone meal and lead plaster. Also that white rose flour from Polk county wheat, which absolutely has no equal in the Albany market.

LADIES OXFORDS. — I now have a complete line ranging in price from \$1.25 to \$4.50 a pair. Good value and every pair warranted. — SAMUEL YOUNG.

FOR SALE CHEAP. — A second hand piano. For further particulars call at the drug store of Blackman & Hodges or at the residence of G. L. Blackman.

Have just received some extra choice silva prunes. — C. E. BROWNELL.

MISCELLANEOUS

While Albany bonds sold at a premium Seattle bonds have been selling at several per cent below par.

Mr. Egan, who has been minister in far away Tibet, says he won't go to China because it is so far away. Oh, Egan.

Whit L. Boise is chairman of the State central committee. The Mercury says the chair will be filled full (at least in his own estimation.)

Hank Vaughn is under arrest at Pendleton on a charge of illegal voting at the recent city election there. Hank gets into more trouble than most any man in the Northwest.

Ingersoll, in his funeral oration at Whitman's grave, closed with these words: "I loved him living, and I love him still." Then, Bob, he is not dead nor yet sleeping? He is not annihilated, for you could not love a non entity. Guess you have changed your mind lately. — Welcome.

In order to make Oregon prominent, which state will not have an exhibit at the World's fair, the Portland Telegram wants Governor Penney's name presented to the national democratic convention for president. Governor Penney is already prominent without such buncombe.

The Durand notes will be fought by the unfortunates in and around Portland on the ground that being obtained by fraud they are not collectible. That's the question. The men who went into the business were gambling on the fact that in five years without paying a cent they would have their stock paid up. They got left and are squealing.

The Seio Press publishes the three tickets in the field. In the democratic ticket it has the name of C. E. Hawkins down for coroner. Councilman Hawkins, a republican by the way, is evidently trying to steal a march on his partner, Mr. Frank Farrell, the real nominee, in the forks, or else it is a typographical error all papers sometimes make.

A. 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 R saves running around. If it is fruit season they have the goods. T in produce their stands are full. U of the latest and best. Their stock of standard groceries is R always large, of the best to be secured in the market.

COOK & HENDERSON 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.

Read, Think and Act.

All civilized cooks not only want, but are entitled to the latest and best appliances to be secured for their use. Then we get none too good food for this very despicable age.

READ

this over several times. It is an important fact, and if digested will be better than a dozen bottles of patent medicine.

THINK

about it until your thoughts are exhausted, and your brain power is weary. Sleep over it and then

ACT.

Go to Matthews & Washburne, the leading dealers in stoves, tinware and hardware, and select from their large and fine assortment of stoves one that will meet all the requirements of a first-class cook. They have them, as well as the best heating stoves and the best made tinware.

CALL ON LAPORTE. — Mr. P. J. Laporte has reopened his boot and shoe shop opposite the Russ House, and is prepared to attend to the wants of the public, desiring first-class work done promptly and at reasonable prices. Give him a call.

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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.

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.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

REPRESENTATIVES. — A. Blevins, M. A. Miller, W. P. Elmore.
COUNTY JUDGE. — Geo. Humphrey.
COUNTY COMMISSIONER. — T. F. Miller.
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. M. Carl.

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