

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Hopkins' dancing school at the opera house Wednesday night.

W. R. Bilyeu, in response to a telegram, went to Lyons this morning to attend to some legal business.

An interesting program is being arranged for St. Valentine's entertainment at the old U. P. church on the evening of the 14th of February.

Mr. Earl Race has formed a partnership with Mr. Spaulding of Salem, in the real estate and insurance business, and will move to that city to reside.

Yesterday morning Mr. Frady arrived in Albany from the east on a visit with his brother, the father of Mrs. Fritz Hoffman. They had been apart for 39 years.

M. S. Varverud, of Eugene, a prosperous hardware merchant is in the city. He says that the Chinese pheasants up his way are unanimously in favor of deputation. Portland Welcome. Mr. Svarverud has just been attached by creditors.

HOME AND ABROAD.

Two Pearce, the pioneer weather observer, of Eola, died Saturday.

Two more weeks of the state legislature and 500 bills to consider.

The C. P. train this forenoon came through thirty inches of snow at the summit reaching here on time.

"The Union Pacific have published a very neat pictorial world's fair folder, containing colored lithographs of the various exposition buildings, birds-eye view of the grounds with a complete map of the city showing location of the fair, hotels, railway depots, street car lines and city parks. Copy of same may be had by addressing W. H. Hurt, Assistant General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon."

A BAD BOY'S WORK.—The Bad Boy will make his father, Major Peck, stand around lively to the undoubted delight of big audiences at the opera house tomorrow evening. The situations in the play are all capital, the dialogue is pleasing, brisk and wonderfully free from "cheesnuts," and the man who will not laugh heartily when he sees the play, must indeed be of morose and morbid disposition.

Among the many clever people in the company this year may be mentioned: Miss Carrie Tuttle, a refreshing soubrette who never fails to score a hit in her songs; Messrs Barry and Bannan, the imitable Irish comedians, Mr. Barry appearing in a characteristic entirely new to the comedy this season, viz., Mrs. Duffy, the policeman's big wife; Miss Alma Lewis, Miss Tulip Rudelson, Miss Zelia Rogers and Master Wallie Clarke, the "Bad Boy," without whom the play would be like Hamlet without the prince. 50 and 75 cts.

SOMETHING NEW.—A tent of the Knights of the Macabees of the World was organized in the G. A. R. Hall last Saturday evening. Deputy Supreme Commander H. Van Meter officiating. The election of officers will take place in the same hall on next Saturday evening to be followed by the installation of officers. Initiatory ceremonies will be conducted by a team of Sir Knights from Brownsville and Lebanon on Friday evening Feb. 17th. About twenty of Albany's representative men are candidates and the list will remain open until after the last date. Those present Saturday evening are loud in their praises of the new order and the success of the movement here is confidently predicted.

SANTIAM GRANGE.—The following officers have been elected by Santiam Grange No. 37, for the ensuing year: Master, J. H. Peery; overseer, James Crabtree; lecturer, John W. Richardson; secretary, Newton Crabtree; treasurer, Mrs. Francis Crabtree; steward, J. P. Crabtree; assistant steward, J. E. Cyrus; crier, Mrs. Marion Crabtree; Pomona, Mrs. Jennie Cyrus; Flora, Mrs. Mary A. Crabtree; lady steward, Mrs. E. Compton; gate keeper, Chas. T. Craft.

A GOOD SHOWING.—During 11 months of 1892, ending with Nov. 30, 3,350,000 pounds of freight were forwarded from the depot of West Seio. This is an excellent showing when we consider that another depot (the O. P. at Munkers) but one is mile away and which probably handles as much freight as does the S. P. at West Seio—that is of Seio freight.—Press.

AID SOCIETY.—The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the residence of Mrs. L. E. Blain tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

To Prevent the Grip

Or any other similar epidemic, the blood and the whole system should be kept in healthy condition. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to give strength, purify the blood and prevent disease.

Hood's Pills cure liver ills.

LADIES FINE SHOES.—I have a full line of ladies fine dress shoes, all solid and the latest novelties in style, and reasonable prices. SAMUEL E. YOUNG.

L. A. Morris & Co.

Flour and Feed Store.

Have removed their store to the Strahan store, formerly occupied by Deyne & Robson, and have on hand a full stock of

CORVALL'S FLOUR, BEAN, SHORTS, GERM MEAL, GRAHAM, BUCK-WHEAT, RYE FLOUR, HAY,

OATS, STRAW AND CHOPPED FEED:

Custom chopping done.

STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT there will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows Hall Building Association, held in their office in Albany, Oregon, on Monday, the 6th day of March, 1893, at the hour of 7 o'clock p. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting.

Dated this 5th day of February, 1893.

E. A. Parker, Secretary.

W. C. TWEEDALE, President.

ATOP at Will & Stark's when you are after diamonds, the best watches, and best silverware to be secured. They

them.

A CALIFORNIA LETTER.

SAN JOSE, Cal., Feb. 1st, 1893.

Editors Democrat:

For this occasion our text will be "The State of California, the county of Santa Clara and the city of San Jose." But like the minister, who took for his text, "The World, the Flesh and the Devil," and in his introductory remarks said he would pass hastily over the world, touch lightly on the flesh and hasten on as fast as possible to the devil, so we will pass hastily over the state, touch lightly on the county and hasten as fast as possible to the city. The state of California with an extreme length of 770 miles and a width of 330 miles is the largest in the union of states with but one exception, and owing to the great stretch of latitude and the high elevation of some of the mountain ranges that traverse the state from north to south, the climatic conditions are perhaps greater, thus giving us the choice of many products in the Santa Clara valley. We are enjoying beautiful, balmy spring weather with the Eucalyptus and pepper trees and many kinds of fruit trees in bloom. Roses, camellias, cala lilies and such flowers are blooming in the yards and gardens, but we pass. The county of Santa Clara has the best county roads and the finest climate in America, with the finest Court House and Hall of Records in the state. The county contains more than half of the French prune trees in America, the richest quicksilver mine at New Almaden, the largest telescope, the Lick on Mt. Hamilton; the richest educational institution, the Leland Stanford, Jr. University, in the world; also the largest seed farm in the world, producing more than half the world's supply of seeds. They have already planted 35,000 sacks of onions for seed alone. There are more pleasure resorts with more varied attractions than in any other county in the world. The county abounds in medicinal waters, such as the Hot Springs of Gilroy, the Madrone soda, the Azule Sulphur, the Pacific Congress and the Alum Rock springs. All kinds of semi tropical fruits are grown here with success and profit, such as oranges, lemons, limes, almonds, olives, figs, English walnuts, etc. There are 44 wineries and distilleries in the county to work up the immense crop of grapes that are grown, and a great many are dried into raisins. Politically the county was republican until the great upheaval of last November, which reminds us (if you will pardon the digression) of the gentleman who was the proud possessor of a parrot, a very fine talker, but who had unfortunately acquired the habit of using very profane language. A bird fancier was consulted as to whether there was any way to break him of the habit. Oh, yes, said the man, the first time you hear him swear douse him with a bucket of water, catch up his cage and whirl it around violently a half dozen times giving him a good pounding and he will stop it. The gentleman followed instructions and applied the remedy thoroughly. The parrot slowly pulled himself together after the performance and seeing his master standing quietly by said feebly, "where in the h—ll was you when the cyclone struck us?" So we pass again.

The city of San Jose with 25,000 population, many fine public buildings, a credit to the enterprise of the citizens, beautiful residences, massive business blocks and the handsomest hotel in the state, the "Ven Dome." The city has 118 miles of graded streets. The business streets, such as 1st, 2nd, Market, Santa Clara, San Fernando, San Pedro and some others are paved with the most modern asphalt, the old Belgian block stone paving having been taken up and replaced with the more modern bituminous. There is 21 miles of electric street railway with applications pending for franchise for many miles more in the city and suburbs. The road bed and equipments are of the best construction and material, and among the best on the coast. There are three public

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.—Pushing canvasser of good address. Liberal salary and expenses paid weekly. Permanent position. BROWN BROS CO., Nurserymen, Portland, Oregon.

FOR SALE.—Fine imported standard bred Clydesdale Stallion. Five years old. Weighs near 1600 lbs. In fine condition. Price \$200. Address D. L. Richards, Yew Park, Salem.

FOR SALE.—A Domestic sewing machine, nearly new with all attachments, for sale for \$25. Call at Mrs. Raymonds, 4th and Thurston streets Albany Oregon.

DRY WOOD.—Several kinds for sale. Apply to O. P. Pink, at foot of 1st street at O. P. Morris. Third Ward.

FOR RENT.—The store building on my premises on Broadway street. Suitable for residence for small family. L. VIERECK

ALBANY OPERA HOUSE.

WINS & CUSICK, Managers.

Special Engagement Tuesday, February 7th,

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY

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NEW PECK'S BAD BOY,

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Enlarged, Revised and Produced by

Witty Comedians,

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Latest and Strongest Specialties.

All the latest songs, "Molly, I and the Baby," "Tip you hat to Nellie," "Susan Brown," "Push them Clouds Away," "Whose dog is it," and many others. "Will make a horse laugh."

Popular prices, 50 and 75 cents.

Seats reserved at usual place.

parks, a public library containing over 10,000 volumes, 4 daily papers, 2 morning and 2 evening. The city is lighted with electricity with a central tower 240 feet high, surmounted with a cluster of arc lights of 24,000 candle power and made 150 feet high distributed throughout the city, also with clusters of arc lights; both gas and electricity is used in the stores and houses. There are 26 churches, a Young Men's Christian Association, a Chinese Mission, a Salvation Army and other religious bodies with over 8000 communicants to look after the moral and spiritual welfare of the people. The Pratt Home for old ladies, an Orphans Home and the open door and free reading room for the accommodation of indigent "tourists." The educational facilities are the best on the coast with six large public schools, a high school, 2 Kindergartens, the State Normal, the University of the Pacific, the Notre Dame College and Kindergarten, two colleges for young ladies, business colleges, etc. The city is supplied with pure water from the Santa Cruz mountains through twenty inch mains at a very reasonable service. The fraternal societies are represented by 5 Masonic bodies, 6 Odd Fellows, 2 K of P, 2 A. O. U. W., 1 Legion of Honor, 2 Native Sons, 1 Chosen Friends, 1 N. A. O. U. D., 1 Knights of Labor, 2 Good Templars, 2 G. A. R., 2 W. R. C., 1 Ladies of G. A. R. and several medical, social and musical societies. The population is composed of representatives from every state in the union, every nation in Europe, every country in South America as well as from Africa and the Islands of the Sea, and we all take kindly to the annexation scheme. EX-WERFOOT.

NOTICE.—To all Indian War Veterans. All War Veterans are requested to call on us and make application for Land Warrant, to which they are entitled. No charge unless successful. Call and get terms and particulars, free. MONTANYE & HACKLEMAN.

DIED.

POWELL.—At her home near Marion, on Friday, Jan. 27th, Mrs. Mary Powell, aged 82 years and six months. A pioneer of 1851.

STREET ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

TO SOPHIA BRUGHER, MRS. L. B. Witzell, Lydia A. Umphrey, A. H. Baltimore, Otto Zimmerman, J. J. Dubrulle, trustee, H. C. Watson, Mrs. Laura B. Tyler, F. L. Cranfill, Marie Flesler, J. P. Galbraith, secretary Albany Woolen Mill Company, Wm. J. Welch, Elizabeth Ritter, Lucinda Osterhoudt, Wilhelm Fromm, L. W. Deyoe, Mrs. Della Hand, and to all other persons whom it may concern.

You and each of you are hereby notified that the following street improvement to wit: Grading and graveling First street from the east line of Montgomery street to the west line of Main street, in the city of Albany, Oregon, heretofore ordered by the Common Council of the city of Albany, Oregon, to be made in said city, has been completed and that the cost thereof has been audited and found by said council to be the sum of \$880,956.00. And you and each of you and all persons interested are hereby further notified that said council are about to assess and determine the proportionate share of said cost assessable to each lot or parcel of ground abutting upon said improvement, and that said council will on Tuesday, the 28th day of February, 1893, at the hour of 7 o'clock p. m. of said day, meet at their Council Chamber in said city and assess the proportionate parts of said costs on the property abutting upon said improvement. Published by order of the council of the city of Albany, Oregon, made January the 25th, 1893.

N. J. HENTON, Recorder of the city of Albany, Albany, Oregon, February 4th, 1893.

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"CHICKERING" "H. F. MILLER," "STECK," AND "VOSE & SON" PIANOS.

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E. U. WILL, Albany, Or.

FOR SALE.—A BARGAIN.—A model steam laundry for sale, capacity in wash department \$50 per day; for 2 hands, located in Central Albany on 2nd and Montgomery street. I wish to engage in other business. Will sell cheap J. D. SMITH, Proprietor

LOST.—Between Lebanon and Albany on Saturday last on rain, or at Tallman, a gold band ring inscribed with three links, Bible, and other Odd Fellow emblems. Will reward liberally for the return of the ring. M. SCOTT, Albany, Or.

WORTH CONSIDERING.

Souvenir of sons at Will & Stark's VIAMI Co. office in Baltimore block. The best jewelry at Will & Stark's, Fresh eggs at F. E. Allen & Co. Trophy tea something fine at F. E. Allen & Co.

If you want a fine smoke call for Joseph's white labor cigars.

Have you seen Dr. Lowe about your eyes? If not, why not?

Come and see the new chilled plow at Ramps opposite postoffice.

White soft blankets made at the Albany woolen mills for sale by F. E. Allen.

The best roast coffee in the city at Conrad Meyer.

Paronize home industry by smoking the celebrated white labor cigars, manufactured by Julius Joseph.

Why smoke a China cigar when for the same money you can get a white labor cigar made by Julius Joseph.

Remember all boots and shoes bought of Klein Bros that rip, run over or soles come loose will be repaired by us free of charge.

Schultz Bros desire to say for the information of all whom it may concern that they are now paying seven and a half cents per pound net for pork.

WHEN you come to Albany Don't fail to visit

Hodges & McFarland.

The druggists. They carry a large and choice stock of drugs, patent medicines, etc. Prescriptions are always carefully and promptly attended to.

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