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Evening

HOME AND ABROAD

About one hundred fishermen have been drowned in the Columbia river this season.

Two new Postoffices have been established on the O P in Marion County, Noble and Barry.

The state school fund has been apportioned. Linn county gets \$5,451.40, with her 7,792 children drawing money.

Dr Allen Griffiths will lecture on theosophy at the Universalist church tomorrow evening. No admission fee.

Hiram G Davis, a Corvallis lawyer has moved from that city, and a paper there says wants to be Judge of Alaska.

Ed Zayas and Ben Clemen, of Albany, and Frank Skiff of Salem, went hunting Tuesday and killed 23 birds in about seven hours.

Yesterday Governor Boies was nominated by acclamation for Governor of Iowa by the democrats of that State. He is one of the most popular men in the U S.

Governor Penoyer has practically decided that there will be no extra session of the legislature. Neither the legislature or the people want it. The less legislatures the better.

An attempt was made on circus day to burn Mr I Warnes, of this county, but it was a complete failure. Mr Warnes didn't like it. It was a part of the circus, which had a special department for the purpose.

T M Hamilton, formerly of this city, is now holding a position at the state agricultural college at Corvallis. He has the supervision and care of the decorative and experimental department in horticulture and floriculture.—Eugene Guard.

Last night a thief entered the boarding house of Mr E C Rodgers on Lyon Street, the door being unlocked, and stole some meat, coffee and other eatables, indicating that it was something to eat the man was after.

At the circus in Albany one man lost \$40 on the shell game and another a small sum which was returned to him. It was then that the business was stopped. The circus gang was so low that they even run the change steal on silver.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary will occur tomorrow (Friday) afternoon at 4 o'clock. An interesting program for the occasion has been prepared. All members of the committee for the dolls carnival are requested to be present.

Bert Waugh, brakeman on the O P passenger train, had his hand badly cut yesterday, it being caught by the sudden closing of the car door. The accident happened near Toledo where he remained that Dr Rich could dress the wound.—News.

Here is the trespass law. No man has a right to go on another's property to shoot or fish without first having obtained permission from one entitled to give it. Every hunter when he goes on the property of another without permission is trespassing and may be arrested. It is not required that trespass notices must be posted.

Three eastern families with two carloads of household effects and sixteen horses, passed over the O P yesterday to take the steamer for San Jose, Calif. They have resided in Salem for the past three months, and are looking over the coast for a location for a large colony of Wisconsin people. They are delighted with Oregon.

William Fields, a lather, while intoxicated stole some tools from Chris Houck, and sold them for 75 cents. He was arrested on a warrant issued out of Justice Carl's court and held for the grand jury. On default of bail he is boarding at the county jail.

Three attachment suits have been brought against I Beam; one by Wadham & Co, for \$1223.80; one by J A Crawford, for \$3212 and one by Rosenthal & Co, for \$202. Mr Beam has been running a store for several years in the Third ward.

The following is from the Florence West: "Justice Krumbeln has just completed the drawings for a Catholic church in Eugene. It is to be built of brick and stone with fireproof, terra cotta and modern fittings, and to cost when completed \$350,000." Eugene people know nothing about such a very costly church.

Up on Rock Creek the other day a man shot at a companion while he was drinking from a spring, thinking he was a bear. He missed him, and this is about the first case on record where a man mistaken for a bear was missed. They are nearly always killed, even by men who couldn't hit a flock of bears in an open prairie.

At Eugene David Coleman invested \$250 in the lottery game in the tent; not much hard times in that. Mr Amberg tried \$70 on the shell game, G W Blagham stopped at \$50 and Henry Kohler only \$20. In Albany the games were strictly prohibited by Sheriff Jackson, the circus being outside the city limits, and we have not heard of many being cinched in any way, except by attending.

Yesterday Rev H V Rominger, of Portland, preached the funeral sermon of Mrs Etta Vassallo, in the Congregational church, before a large audience of friends of the deceased. It was one of great beauty and consolation. The services at the cemetery were under the auspices of the Rebecca degree of the O. F. The floral gifts were many and beautiful.

A harvest hand near Albany a few days ago accidentally dropped a pitchfork into a threshing machine. The handle flew around hitting the man on the back of the head knocking him senseless. When he came to he asked if they had gotten the threshing machine off him. He thought the whole machine had tipped over on him.

The treasurer of Lincoln county has instituted an action against M M Davis for the sum of \$1190 which in effect the treasurer claims he deposited with Davis as the officer or agent of Hamilton, Job & Co. last spring; the claim being a special deposit, and that this alleged officer or agent of H J & Co, had commingled and mixed it with the general money of H J & Co. instead of keeping it special etc.—Times.

Rev J C Templeton, of Forest Grove, and Rev Woolley, of Eugene, members of the board of directors of the Seminary at Sodusville, met in that city Tuesday evening and decided to push the interests of the school, which is under the control of the C P church. Rev W V McGhee, recently of Texas, was elected president, and he is said to be an energetic man who will do good work.

Ashby & Carter, Real Estate, 504 Washington Street, Portland, Or.

Hodge & McFarland, the leading drug drs, Albany, Or.

M. F. CONFERENCE

The 40th anniversary of the M E Conference of Oregon convened in the M E church Tuesday night. Rev John Parsons presided. Addresses were delivered by the only two remaining charter members of the conference, Rev T F Royal and Dr Doane, who gave many reminiscences of early life, the former mostly in Southern Oregon, the latter north of here and in Washington. Among other things Dr Doane referred to his residence in Albany in the 50's when he alternated with Dr Irvine and Rev Condon, each preaching in the old school house. The first conference was held in Salem in 1853.

Wednesday morning the business sessions of the conference began with Bishop Goodsell in the chair.

Bishop Goodsell in presiding delivered an address of great warmth.

Rev J N Dennison, D D was elected secretary and Revs Walton Skipworth and C A Lewis assistants; Rev H P Webb statistical secretary, and Rev S A Starr, conference treasurer. Dr Spencer of Philadelphia spoke on church extension and Dr Hammond, of San Francisco on the M E Book concern.

This transfer of Dr Houghton to the Central N. Y. conference was announced.

In the evening the church was filled with an interested audience to listen to Dr Spencer, of Philadelphia, on Church Extension. The address was an eloquent and convincing one, setting forth the growing power of Methodism in a strong manner, and appealing for a double support for the fund, on account of the over 3000 homeless congregations and over 5000 homeless S S's. At the close 53 persons pledged \$10 a year to the fund.

A man came to Salem yesterday to see the circus. His face was clean shaven, but his neck was covered with whiskers, cut in such a shape as to make him look like a grin framed in Oregon moss. He stood on the curb when the procession went by and ate peanuts. When the clown came along he laughed so hard that he failed to notice a fellow behind him who was helping himself to the change in his pockets. He is now out about half the profits on his wheat crop, and he will have to rustle like a rhinoceros to get enough coin to blow in next circus day.—Independent.

This forenoon's session of the conference was devoted to reports from Presiding Elders, all showing a flourishing condition of the M E Church in Oregon.

Tonight there will be a great treat in the address of Dr Paine of New York City.

MINIFITS

Eugene women are clear headed. Hear the Guard: A party of about a dozen ladies in this city had their curiosity aroused and started in to see what a "shell" game was like. The crowd around the stand gave way as they advanced and soon they had the front row in nearly half the circle. They "called balls" on the gamster and womanlike started in to beat him talking. After they had spotted the right shell a number of times and also spied the ball between his fingers and made it known to the whole crowd the fellow gathered around his table and shells and in a crestfallen manner announced that he was obliged to "shut up shop" for a while and sneaked away behind the tents.

An Albany paper supports the idea that Salem is dead, and crows over its own supposition. In addition to being a discourtesy, this is a plain lie. Salem is today one of the brightest and most solid little cities in the Northwest. It is very possible that Albany may be too, some day, but it is a mistake to imagine that that position can be attained by a perpetual attempt to cast mud slurs at towns more fortunate, and faster in the race.—Astorian. Oh, keep cool. The whole business was a joke, resulting from a placard by the roadside, first referred to by a Salem paper. Everybody knows that Salem is a live progressive city and as a capital a decided credit to Oregon.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Lawyer Wright went to Brownsville yesterday.

Hon M A Miller went to Portland yesterday.

Mr F M Redfield has returned from his World's fair trip.

W L Jester, of Seattle, formerly S P agent at Albany, was in the city yesterday on his way home from a trip to Halney.

Rev H V Rominger, of Portland, is in the city and will preach at the Congregational church next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev C W Wendte, pastor of the United Presbyterian church of Oakland, Calif., has been in the city for the purpose of establishing a church here.

L W Deyoe, son and Wm Hand have returned from Elk City, where they killed twelve deer and caught many trout. Mr Deyoe declares it the finest place he has yet rusticated at, and was delighted with the surroundings.

Knox Haight, E Thrall and A J Anslyn returned last night from Eastern Washington and Idaho, where they sold a large number of buggies, though times are worse and money scarcer than here. The silver mines have shut down, and wheat is only a little over 30 cents a bushel.

See the New Improved Singer sewing machine. The best is always the cheapest. J W Sowden, agent. Office at P M French's jewelry store.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Tuesday evening, Aug. 22nd.

Present—Recorder, Marshall, Street Superintendent, and Councilmen Barkhart, Whitney, Stewart, Pfeiffer, Marshall and Wheeler.

In the absence of the Mayor, Councilman Barkhart was elected Mayor pro tem.

The following bills were ordered paid: John Holtham, \$2; N J Henton, \$31.65; Stewart & Sox, \$8; Jas Hensley, \$2; John Houseworth, \$3.50; T H Miranda, \$1.20; W B Barr, \$15; J W Reece, \$4; Fred T Blount, \$16; John Chiswell, \$0; Ira Morris, \$1; Robert Brown, \$4; B V Cundiff, \$10.25; Santiam Lumber Co, \$14.80; John Orton, \$12; Hopkins Bros, \$2; costs bills, \$12.40; Susan Purdon, \$12.50; Samuel Conn, \$12.50; Electric Light Co, \$121.50; J A McPheron, \$250.55.

Street Commissioner made his report recommending that 4th street be graded where needed, Main to California, that grade on California, 6th to Ellsworth, Baker and 3rd street be finished. Attention was called to embankment of Santiam canal west of city and east of Baker street, ford on 7th street needs fixing, Miller walk, Second and Ferry street needs new 10 foot walk. Referred.

Licenses to sell liquor were granted Kasper Vandran and Herman Buelow, and license of Carl Bender was revoked.

The Hook and Ladder truck was ordered painted at a cost of \$40.

The recorder was instructed to notify four remaining subscribers to bridge fund, to pay same before Sept 1st or suit will be begun to collect same.

The recorder was directed to give all parties who have not done street work heretofore ordered due notice to attend to the same within thirty days.

The matter of cisterns at 2nd and Baker and 4th and Montgomery was referred to the committee on fire and water.

The matter of the duties of the policemen was brought up by Councilman Pfeiffer and discussed, the opinion seeming to be that they should stand no foolishness.

A bill of Mr Winkley for \$15 damages to a horse that fell into a cistern was presented.

THEOLOGY IN ALBANY

Dr Allen Griffiths, Pacific Coast lecturer on Theosophy, is now in Albany and stopping at the Revere House. He is just finishing a tour of the whole coast, and has everywhere been well received by both public and press. Intelligent audiences have attended his lectures elsewhere.

Theosophy as presented by Dr Griffiths, is claimed to be a broad, comprehensive philosophy that deals with every day affairs and the deeper questions that concern students and thinkers. Common ethics and the philosophy of life and human existence are alike considered. The former, as it appears to the masses; the latter, as problems which command the attention of philosophers. Dr Griffiths will deliver one lecture only while in this city, which will take place in the Universalist church on Friday evening, Aug. 25th, 8 p.m. Subject, "Theosophy, Karma and Reincarnation. Have we lived before, shall we live again, on this earth." Lecture will be free, and all are cordially invited.

Don't you know to have perfect health you must have pure blood, and the best way to have pure blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best blood purifier and strength builder.

Hood's Pills may be had by mail for 25c of C I Hood & Co, Lowell, Mass.

NEVER BOTHER yourself very much about business during the hot months if you wish to keep cool; nor must you get into the habit of asking A MAN if it is hot enough for him, when you can see very plainly that he is practically roasted; but, instead, advise him to call on Parker Brothers and get the best baked goods to be secured, as well as warm weather groceries generally.

WHEN HE IS HOT. By so doing you will surely retain his friendship.

FRESH CREAM CANDY, FINE FRUITS, just received by C H Mueller, who keeps the finest goods in his line in the city. Try him.

Before going to the Bay or mountains go in and examine the Blazer and Eton jackets and suits at Read, Peacock & Co's. Very cheap.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 PER CENT ON CITY PROPERTY. M SENDERS Will & Stark, 24 Jeweler.

L. A. Morris & Co. Flour and Feed Store.

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

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—O— UNDERTAKING A SPECIALTY —O— HYDE & JAMES, Proprietors.

DEATH OF HON. HARVEY SHELTON.

Hon. Harvey Shelton, one of Linn county's most sturdy pioneers, died at Seio last Monday, Aug. 21. He was found lying by a fence which he had been building, and was taken to his son's home, where he resided. He lived until 6 o'clock. Mr Shelton was born in Patrick county, V., Oct. 21, 1822. He came to Oregon in 1847. At the close of the Cayuse war, in which he was engaged he took up a claim six miles from Seio. He was married to Caroline Thomas in 1852. He remained on the farm until about five or six years ago, when he moved to Seio. He had been a member of the Baptist church from boyhood. He was a member of the State legislature for four terms, serving his constituency well. Mr Shelton was a democrat, and as well a good citizen, whose record is a clean one. He leaves a wife and seven children.

If you are particular about what you E. A. T.

Perry Conn can suit you in groceries. New seasonable specialties constantly arriving. He keeps a clean stock. If you are going to the mountains call on him and get stocked up. If you are going to stay at home, call on him and get the best to be secured, as well as first class treatment. His prices will suit the times. Don't stop eating, but eat what will build up for prosperous as well as quiet times.

THE VERDICT is unanimous that Will & Stark carry the best line of silver ware in the valley. They have the variety and quality, a combination that counts in buying goods. An inspection always carries conviction.

A WATCH is a necessity nowadays. I just want one call on Will & Stark, whose stock is large and varied, and prices the most reasonable. They can give you a bargain in this line as well as in jewelry generally.

Dandruff forms when the glands of the skin are weakened, and, if neglected, baldness is sure to follow. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best preventive.

MONEY WANTED.—Want to borrow \$500 for three or five years with good real estate as security. Call at this office.

TRESPASS NOTICE.—All hunters are hereby notified not to trespass upon the enclosed premises of the undersigned, seven and a half miles east of Albany, unless permission is first obtained. I shall prosecute all who thus trespass. E M BURKHART.

FOR RENT.—A good five room house 6 blocks from the court house, containing garden land and fine orchard, 3 acres. Apply at L Viereck's.

LOST.—Last Monday between Fourth and First streets, in this city, a pocket book with a trunk key in it. Finder will accommodate a young lady by leaving it at this office.

WANTED.—A woman to do house work and take care of two children. Inquire of T R Radford, two miles west of Albany, on the Corvallis road.

FOR SALE.—A good horse. Inquire of L Viereck.

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on a farm. You can make it the easiest by buying a complete Hay Carrier outfit of Stewart & Sox. Call and see it.

ENGINES AND SEPARATORS

They don't make any better than the "Russell" and Stewart & Sox sell that kind at Albany. Several good second hand engines for sale at a bargain.

PAINTS & OILS.—The best mixed paint

for sale on this Coast is the "Phoenix" and we are agents for it at Albany. We also carry a full line of oil, varnishes, wagon and carriage paints, etc.

STEWART & SOX.

BEE SUPPLIES.—Don't keep your bees in

an old box any longer. Stewart & Sox carry bee hives, sections, comb foundation and bee smokers at low prices.

WILL YOU BUILD this year. If you expect

to do not fail to see Stewart & Sox. They keep a large stock of builders hardware and sell at prices to suit the times.

THOU SHALT NOT KILL game except

according to law, and you ought to buy all your guns and ammunition of Stewart & Sox. They keep a good stock and sell cheap. Giant powder, fuse and caps always on hand.

WE SELL COAL, IRON and "steel for a

living," and keep a large stock of blacksmith supplies on hand.

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SPRAY YOUR TREES.—Buy a spraying

outfit of Stewart & Sox and take care of your orchard. The outfit they sell has been tried in this state for three years by the best orchardists and is a complete success.

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PLOWS.—We have a new chilled plow exactly

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Fresh, pure, sure to grow and sold at Portland prices. Garden seeds kept in bulk. Field peas and Field corn also carried in large quantities.

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