

FROM MEXICO.—Mr. L. J. Bailey, newly conductor on the Oregon Pacific, crossed this week from a trip to Mexico, where he obtained a position as conductor on the Mexico Central, and will go to that city in about ten days to begin his duties. On this road the conductors are Americans on account of their superior knowledge of railroading, while the engineers are Mexicans. They are about 10,000 Americans in Mexico City with 300,000 population, a city of wonderful sights, with aged cathedrals and historical places. Mr. Bailey showed the Man Alamo, a fresh looking Mexican dollar, and a few more than one, but with only one cent value, he declares, to the fact that it is not backed by gold. A centaver is the name of the American cent, and it takes 12 centaver to a shavo. On his way home Mr. Bailey visited Los Angeles, where he met Rev. J. R. Stewart, formerly of this city, who went there for their health. Mrs. Stewart had gained 40 pounds and Mr. Stewart had gained 15, and they seemed like new people. Mr. Stewart has been elected pastor of a Christian church there and expects to return to this city his home.

THE YAKIMA BROTHERS.—Capt. Simons, chief State Engineer, is back from inspecting the government works at Yacouba under the superintendence of J. G. Holcomb, states that the south jetty, as provided by the project, approved by the board of engineers, will be entirely completed in a month. It is 3,600 feet in length and will be higher than the highest tide. The jetty is about half completed for the length, and a large mound is constructed at the end to protect it. There is enough appropriation left to continue work about a month. Operations will then cease and the remainder will be completed some future time. There is now a very low water, which is about double what it was before the jetty was built. A complete survey will be made forthwith to ascertain exactly what the conditions of the channel now are.—Oregonian.

METALLIC CONVENTION.—The convention of the Pan-American Bimetallic Association has been called to meet at St. Louis, Mo., commencing Tuesday, October 13. Governor Pennoyer has just issued commissions to five of the representatives of Oregon to be present on that occasion, as follows: Captain George H. Moffet, for Evening Telegram; Portland; ex-Mayor Holman, attorney; Portland; ex-Mayor B. B. DeLashmeur, Portland; ex-Mayor La Grange; and Hon. J. K. Weatherly, of Albany. There will be representatives from every state and territory of the Union, and also from all states of Central and South America and Mexico.

AMONG THE DEER.—Report from Frank, Dave, and Jerome from an expedition in the mountains above the Solas is that they had had six deer, three of them doing the killing. A letter from Coon is accompanied by a picture of a deer having the tick fever as he had away at a deer only forty yards away. It is claimed that this is a favorite trick of his and that he always kills it when seeing a deer. Rainy weather has been prevailing this week, though, it is living fine hunting weather.

FIRST AND SECOND PRIZES.—There were many things from Linn county on exhibition at the State fair, but what there was was the best. Mrs. G. W. Simpson sent pieces in water color, her only production on exhibition. Both the first and second prizes were awarded her, her productions being so far superior to others as to make the awarding a very easy matter. It is regretted that she did not have one of her faces on exhibition, none there would rank in the same class.

LEAVED ON POCAHONTAS.—If reports are any near correct, some of the hop pickers are picking for Dr. Davis, near Harrisburg, and are in very near destitute circumstances in the country line. Some millies sole food for two weeks was nothing but potatoes, which Dr. Davis handed by wagon load and gave them away without asking the least bit of compensation. People may get used up, but there is no danger of starving to death in this country. News.

The following appointments of fourth class postmasters are announced: Chemawa, Marion county, Mrs. Rhoda Spies; Linn county, John W. Hampton; Tangent, Linn county, A. B. Conrad; and Ashtabur, Jackson county, May Locket.

You can buy spectacles and eye glasses at HONEST PRICES, of F. M. French's jeweler.

SEWING MACHINES neatly repaired and warranted by a thoroughly competent workman, at F. M. French's jewelry store, Albany, Oregon.

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

Bath at Viereck's shaving and hair establishments.

The best watch in the world for the money at French's jewelry store.

Choice potatoes 40 cents a box at Parker Bros.

Pay Perry Conn.

Hodges & McFarland, the leading druggists, Albany, O.

Pay cash at F. L. Kenton's grocery.

Will & Starb, 749 jeweler.

HOME AND ABROAD

Asblund pays its city attorney a regular monthly salary of \$15. G. F. Simpson is offering 48 cents a day for wheat.

The foundation has been laid for the new Presbyterian College at Asblund.

A raft is being built on Coos Bay that will contain 4000 eighty foot plies. It will draw 16 feet of water.

The Solo Press man this week had his hands full writing up assaults and pugilistic contests occurring in that neighborhood.

An Albany man at Salem yesterday reports seeing Cap Humphrey at the races. He was looking fat and well, and was one of the sanest men there.

J. R. Templeton, who resides near this place, raised 2459 pounds of peach plums on six trees this year and procured for the same \$24.83, unpicked.—Times

At the meeting of the Building and Loan Association last night the loan was made to Kayser Kopp at 90 months interest in advance.

The Elan County races promise to be a success. The entries are first class the track fast and the indications are that Albany will see some crack time made.

In Thos Large's hop yard, near Solo, a man named Doran assaulted James Tucker with a jack, and the Press says the latter looked as if he had attended an Irish wake. Doran was fined \$11.50 for the fun.

In the club shoot given by the Halsey Rod and Gun Club, for the gold and silver medals, Lew Davis won the gold medal and John Davis won the silver medal. There was the between Ed Drinkard and Lew Davis till the last two shots, when Drinkard missed.

Ray defeated Stevens in a foot race at Salem this week. The man who backed Stevens accused him of throwing the race, and a live fight followed. Of all contests foot racing is the rockiest, though honorable enough when on the square.

Austria Rosbrook and his mother are rejoicing over the reopening of the Oregon National Bank, at Portland. They had, we understand, about \$1400 on deposit at that place when the bank closed its doors.—Linn County Leader.

The Oregon Pacific railroad company now quote rates on hops from Eugene to New York, in car load lots, at \$1.76 per hundred with thirty days delivery. A cheap rate that should be patronized by our buyers.—Eugene Guard.

W. W. Martin, the jeweler, today sold a couple of the old pale yellow pure gold beaver five dollar pieces for \$25. They were coined at Oregon City in 1849 and are now only rarely met with.—Salem Journal.

At Salem yesterday Richard Almont won the 2:35 stallion race; Parrows Bros. Multinomial being second. In a special trot John Parker's two year old, paced a mile in 2:24 1/2 establishing a new record. Nettie Ham won the yearling race; in the three-fourths dash won by Miss Idaho.

THE LADIES BAZAAR have removed to their new store next to Foyah & Masou. They have again added a military department to their establishment and are now daily receiving all the latest novelties in that line. You are respectfully invited to call and see their new fall and winter goods in all their departments. Prices lower than the lowest.

Frank Darby was tried before Justice Simpson at Solo Tuesday for shooting at John Francis. The latter had been with a threshing crew passing through Darby's premises. Previous trouble caused the affair. The state was represented by James Bilyeu, the defendant by Judge Powell and Wm Queener. The defendant was discharged.

OUR STOCK offers the greatest possible range for selection in the newest and choicest goods of the season. The variety and assortment in every department is now simply perfect. There is no time like the present for the buyer who desires the pick of the complete collection. Read, Peacock & Co. have some exceptionally attractive lines which can not be duplicated again this season, and these will quickly disappear after the regular run of trade sets in. They have just received some of the very latest shapes in ladies' fine shoes, some of which may be seen in their West window, and they will take pleasure in showing you the other by calling on them. Their line of fall & winter jackets are now in, make your selections early while the assortment is large. Look at their Panama and Hop-sacking for fall and winter dresses.

Are You Nervous. Are you all tired out, do you have that tired feeling or sick headache? You can be relieved of all these symptoms by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla which gives nerve and bodily strength. Hood's Pills are easy in action.

THE BEST BREAD in this city are Parker Bros. They knead good bread for all who need good bread, and keep the best cookies, cakes, etc. Their stock of groceries is standard and their produce is fresh, and fruits the latest. When you deal with them you will get first class treatment and the best in the market, whether in baked goods or groceries.

Yes, You CAN see the finest line of samples for suitings in the state at W. R. Graham's, where he has a tailor with few equals on hand to make them up on short notice. Get the best and most stylish suits of him. A new feature will be the making of ladies' cloaks to order, or the altering of cloaks to the latest styles, and the repairing of cloaks. Prices are bottom ones.

PATRONISE the Central Fish and Poultry Market, on Ellsworth street, between Second and Third, for your dressed poultry, game and fish of all kinds in season, oysters, clams and crabs. Everything fresh in our line may be had at reasonable figures. Call and see us.

SENDER & CO. prevent and cure Constipation and Sick Headache, Small Bile Beans.

Notice. ALL persons indebted to J. B. Dean by note or account will please pay the same, the accounts must be closed by note if not paid. Times are hard, and it is to your interest to see to this at once. I am in room No 11, Strahan Block, Albany, Or., Sept 16th, 1903.

R. F. CANTERBURY, Assignee of J. B. Dean.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

W. R. Bilyeu went to Harrisburg this noon. Wm Richards went to Eugene this noon on business.

G. L. Blackman and Hon F. A. Walls, two Portland druggists are in the city.

Miss Eva Akin, of Albany will teach the Elk city school this winter.—Leader.

Bob Chambers, of Little Elk, was in the city today, retaining home on the noon train.

Gov Pennoyer and Treasurer Melchior went to Corvallis this noon on Agricultural College business.

Mrs May Bessie has been a suit for divorce against her husband John W. better known as Jack.

License was issued today for the marriage of Henry Zimmerman and Susie M. Cole, of Spruce street.

Miss Margiea Rank left yesterday for Portland, where she will resume her position as teacher in the public schools of that city.

Mr H. W. McElmurry, residing on the Albany prairie was in the city today making arrangements to take a trip east on a visit to the World's fair.

Miss Ida Black, daughter of Collector Black, came up from Portland this noon, and will resume her position in the public schools next Monday.

Mrs E. U. Will, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs Copeland, of this place, left for her home at Albany this evening.—Lincoln County Leader.

Rev McIntire, of Eugene, was in the city yesterday on his way to Newport for a two weeks rest. Rev Driver will supply his pulpit during his absence.

Wm Rabston, who has been in Michigan for the past five years attending school, arrived in Halsey Tuesday, unexpected by his parents, Mr and Mrs S. M. Rabston.—News.

Clarence Purdon, of Oregon City, has gone to Annapolis to enter the Naval academy, providing he is qualified physically. The young man first appointed was rejected.

Wm Rumbough and wife were in the city today visiting with the family of their daughter, Mrs Johnson Porter. They were accompanied by their son Joseph, who is engaged in the stock business in eastern Oregon.—Corvallis News.

Our deputy county clerk, F. M. Redfield, recently received a letter from his wife, who resides in Albany, which contained the mournful intelligence that his dear old mother, whom he had left but a few weeks ago at the old home way back in Illinois, in the enjoyment of splendid health, had been taken suddenly ill, and her death was expected any moment.—Yacouba Post.

Last evening a surprise party was tendered Mr and Mrs John Jones at their home on Third street by several of their neighbors and friends. The evening was a very enjoyable one. Those present were: Mr and Mrs Moore, Mr and Mrs Rowell, Mr and Mrs Crawford, Mr and Mrs McFeron, Mr and Mrs Purdon, Mr and Mrs Veal, Mr and Mrs Clelan, Mr and Mrs Monteith, Mr and Mrs Meranda, Mr and Mrs Jones, Mrs Myers, Mrs Porter, Mrs Saltmarsh, Mr R. Brown, Mr R. Fox, Mr Knudrick, Mr McClain, Mr Winning, Misses A. Porter, L. Keifer, E. Bancaman, B. Keifer, N. Wallace, Z. McClain, S. Wrisman, E. Jones, G. Koster, J. Warner, C. Keifer, R. Brown, A. Purdon and Master Clemmie Jones.

The following from Geo Camden, M. A. Herald tells of the good fortune of a young man residing across the river, in Benton county, and well known in Albany, who is now in Chicago on his way home. Mr Walter S. Hobbs and Mrs Georgia Haskell were united in marriage Tuesday morning, at eleven o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs Sarah Haskell, Free St. It was a family wedding. Rev Fred M. Preble performing the ceremony in the presence of a few of the immediate relatives. There were many and valuable gifts, tokens of the very great esteem in which the contracting parties are held. The bride was for several years a teacher in the public schools, and is a most estimable young lady, whose departure from Camden is an occasion of sorrow to her many friends. The groom is well and favorably known in Camden, the place of his nativity, has been successfully engaged in business on the Pacific Coast. Mr and Mrs Hobbs left on the noon train for their future home, Albany, Oregon. The congratulations and best wishes of all will follow them.

A POUND PARTY. Last evening a large number of the members of the Congregational church met by previous arrangement at the residence of C. O. Lee, and marched in a body to the parsonage of that church, taking Rev and Mrs Trow by complete surprise. It was a "pound donation party," each one taking a donation of some of the substantialities necessary to supply the wants of the inner man. The contributions were quite generous and the evening was passed in the most pleasant, social way. The usual ice cream and cake was part of the program. Mr and Mrs Trow were quite visibly moved at this expression of esteem on the part of the congregation.

Premature baldness may be prevented and the hair made to grow on heads already bald, by the use of Hall's Vegetable Sulfian Hair Renewer.

MISCELLANEOUS

Deputy United States District Attorney Chas J. Schmalzer states without reservation since his return from a trip to Chicago that Portland and Oregon should not complain of dull times. He visited many cities of this size and none looked as busy or appeared more cheerful, and "in fact there is no city," he said, "of like population that is as prosperous as Portland. If people think that times are dull here they had better take a trip to the manufacturing centers beyond the Mississippi to make comparisons. "But there is no question that the tide has turned. I found that feeling everywhere I went. Many factories are resuming, and the outlook for the winter is not so bad as a month ago.—Telegram.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—Rev H. K. Hines, of the theological department of the Portland University, will preach in the M. E. church morning and evening. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., Junior League at 3:30 p. m. and devotional meeting of the Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. All will be made welcome to these services.

The services at the Presbyterian church will be as follows: Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12:45 p. m. Y. P. C. E. meeting at 6:45 p. m. Subject of morning sermon will be "The best kind of religious life." In the evening topic will be "The Supreme conflict. All will be made welcome to these services.

The subject for the gospel meeting tomorrow is the Holy spirit. His office work. Prominent Bible students will take part. Come and learn. 4 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A.

The celebration of the Lord's Supper will take place in connection with the morning service at the Congregational church. Service at 11 and 7:45 o'clock. Sabbath school after the morning service and Y. P. C. E. at 7 o'clock. All are welcome.

At the Baptist church the pastor will preach at 11 a. m. on "Lessons from the Life of Paul." In the evening the sermon will be to young people. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Junior Union 3:30 p. m. Young peoples meeting 6:30.

Preaching by Rev Riley Lytle at the U. P. church, and other services as usual. A welcome to all.

Ladies who desire a perfect fitting corset or waist should call on Mrs Tait, cor. Broadway and Third Sts.

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

Smoke the Carl Dunder the best cigar on Earth for a nickel. For sale by Boonick Bros.

Five Southern Oregon peaches at F. L. Kenton. Now is the time to can them.

Clean towels to every customer at Viereck having parlors.

New Advertisements.

FOR SALE.—Dr will trade for wood, 6000 cubic feet, seven years old perfectly suitable for women and children to drive, call on E. W. Achison, at Marble works.

COCKERELS.—Pure bred Silver Laced Wyandotte cockerels for sale at a bargain. Address John Brush, corner 4th and R R streets, Albany, Or.

WANTED.—Good pasture for about 135 head of sheep. Inquire at Shultz Bros meat market.

LAUNDRY FOR WOOD.—Will exchange laundry work for wood. Call on Richards & Phillips at the Albany Steam Laundry.

FOR RENT.—3 acres of good garden land, fine orchard, 5 room house, barn and chicken house. Apply at L. Viereck's.

FURNITURE, carpets, stoves etc. for sale at the Baptist parsonage. Call early and take your choice.

TO LET.—50 head of No 1 sheep to lot on the shores. Winter send oats and three farm horses for sale, or will exchange for hay. M. SENDERS.

FOR RENT.—40 acres of land, with house, one mile from Albany, in Benton county. For particulars apply to Arch Hammer.

WANTED.—A situation wanted by a middle aged lady to do general housework, and by a young girl. Address box 576.

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.

MONEY WANTED.—Want to borrow \$200 for three or five year with good real estate as security. Call at the office.

IN MEMORIAM

ALBANY, Or., Sept. 15th, 1893. Died, in this city, Aug. 22nd, 1893, Sister Ella Stiles Vassallo, only daughter of our esteemed brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stites, aged 23 years. She passed peacefully away to the Great Beyond at 5:30 o'clock a. m.

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Great Master of the Universe to remove from the family circle the beloved daughter and sister, therefore, be it

Resolved, that while we, the members of Beulah Lodge, No. 35, I. O. O. F., feel that we must submit to the will of Him above, we yet do feel that in her removal from among us, her parents have lost a loving daughter, her brother a kind and affectionate sister, and we a much loved and respected member.

Resolved, That we as a lodge tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in the hour of their affliction and commend them to Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That the charter of this lodge be draped in mourning for thirty days.

Resolved, That these resolutions become a part of the records of this lodge and copies be furnished the city papers and the Pacific Odd Fellow for publication, also a copy under the seal of the lodge be transmitted to the bereaved family.

Submitted in F. L. and T. SARAH O. BARNES, ELVA M. MERRILL, LUCILLA M. SEARS, Committee.

On a Conservative Basis.

OWING to the present monetary stringency and during the existing condition of the financial market, I find it imperative to run my business on a very conservative basis. Sugar, as you are aware, is handled on a very small margin of profit; so small in fact that scarcely pay for the handling of it, and the terms upon which it is bought are very strict (cash only.) While money was plentiful and collections good, I was able to allow sugar bills to run 60 days; but conditions at present are such that I will sell sugar for cash only. I assure you I was very reluctant to make a rule of this kind, but the conditions of the market are such as to make it imperative. Trusting you will look at this in the proper light and also understand that this rule applies generally. PERRY COOK.

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.

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

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

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CORVALLIS FLOUR, BRAN, SHORTS CERM MEAL, GRAHAM, BUCK-WHEAT, RYE FLOUR, HAY, OATS, STRAW AND CHOPPED FEED.

Custom chopping done.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the board of equalization for Linn county, Oregon, will set on Monday, the 2nd day of October, 1903, and attend at the office of the county clerk of said county, and there publicly examine the assessment rolls of said county for said year and correct all errors in valuation description or qualities of lands, lots or other property. Said board will continue in session one week. All persons interested are hereby notified to appear at said time and place.

W. F. DEAKINS, Assessor for Linn county, Or. September 12th, 1903.

THE VERY LATEST STYLES IN

Dress Goods, Jackets and Capes, Ladies Fine Shoes, Just received. Call and see them at

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CITY BOTTLING CO., Wholesale and Retail Dealers in— Soda Water, Ciders, Orange and Iron, Seltzer Waters, Birch Beer, Sarsaparilla and Iron, Iron Wine, Etc.

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

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

Motor makes five trips daily to Viereck's addition. Let there on installments of \$1 per week.

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

They have fine trimming for jackets and dresses at Read, Peacock & Co's. All the newest kinds. Call and examine them.

New dress goods, the very latest fall styles. If your wife or daughter needs a new dress, tell her to go to Read, Peacock & Co.

You will need underwear and shoes this fall. Why not call on Read, Peacock & Co and examine theirs. They carry a large variety.

Fall and winter capes and jackets at Read, Peacock & Co's. Handsome shapes, excellent values, direct from the factories. It will pay you to take a look at them. Call early while there is plenty to select from.

Wheat, 50 cts; oats, 25c; hay, \$5 baled; wood, \$3 to \$3.50, taken in exchange for sewing machines or organs on hand at E. U. Will's music store. Also on all book accounts of 6 months standing. Sewing machines from \$15 to \$35, with my personal guarantee for 5 yrs.

Genuine parts for all sewing machines, also the best oils, needles, etc., for all sewing machines, bicycles, etc., at E. U. Will's music store. Sewing machines and organs repaired reasonable, and all work warranted. Needles prepaid by mail, 25c a dozen.

The DEMOCRAT will take some city scrip on account. Bring it in.

Please pay Perry Conn what you owe him.

Viereck's shaving and hair cutting parlors

Strictly Cash. F. L. Kenton has adopted a cash system and will hereafter sell groceries for CASH only.

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